

## Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**St. Hedwig Catholic Church**  
**Bay City, Michigan**

Liturgies for the Week

St. Mary's – Tue. – Fri. 8:00AM, Sat. 4:00PM Sun.  
 8:30AM & 11:00AM  
 St. Hedwig – Wed. 7:00PM, Sat. 5:00PM & Sun.  
 10:00AM  
 Holy Trinity- Sat. 4:30PM, Sun. 8:30AM & 10:30 AM

### Parish Prayer

September 22 thru September 26, 2010  
 Wednesday 7:00 PM Fr. Rich Ratajczak  
 Saturday 5:00 PM Florian Pawlak  
 Sunday 10:00 AM Parish Family  
 Worship Aid Dedication: In Thanksgiving

### In The Lords Service

#### Saturday, September 25, 5:00 Mass

Mass Server: Anne Laskowski  
 Lector: Ron Christie  
 E. Ministers: Tim Wolter  
 Kathy Bigelow  
 Greeters: Pat Long  
 Jeanne Opperman

#### Sunday, September 26, 10:00 AM Mass

Mass Server: Nathan Vorwerck  
 Lector: Steve Krakowski  
 Justin Radlinski  
 E. Minister: Renee Vorwerck  
 Paul Radlinski  
 George Thomas  
 Sue Dieter  
 Greeters: Irene Keit  
 Pat Wenglikowski  
 Marie Holsapple  
 Tim Holsapple  
 Shut-in-Minister: Elaine Strzelecki



**Stewardship Thought:** Jesus taught: No one can serve two masters. Either he will hate the one and love the other or be attentive to one and despise the other. You cannot give yourself to God and money. Look at your daily life. Where does your allegiance lie—with God or with money?

<b>Weekly Parish Collection \$3,449.80</b>	
-30% BAC's Assessment . . . . .	\$1,035.00
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PARISH TOTAL . . . . .	\$2,380.80
Children's Collection . . . . .	10.00
Envelopes used . . . . .	141
Envelopes given . . . . .	222
Extra Expense: Ace Hardware	\$417.72

Today's Readings- Cycle C

**25<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Amos 8:4-7  
 1 Timothy 2:1-8  
 Luke 16:1-13 or 16:10-13

**26<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Amos 6:1a, 4-7  
 1 Timothy 6:11-16  
 Luke 16:19-31

**Prayers or Special Intentions**  
 Rose Marie 684-1052

**This Week in the Parish**

Sun. Sept. 19-Catechetical Sunday Mass 10:00 a.m.  
 Jr. High- 6:00- 8:00 p.m.  
Mon. Sept. 20- FF & CGS 6:15-7:30 p.m.  
Wed. Sept. 22 – Mass 7:00 p.m.  
Thur. Sept. 23 – Quilt Club 6:30 p.m.  
Sat. Sept. 25- Mass 5:00 p.m.

### Sponsor of the Week

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*From Sr. Joann:* This Sunday we celebrate Catechetical Sunday when we acknowledge and bless our religious education teachers and aides. We are very grateful for these men and women who generously give their time and devotion in helping to pass on the faith to our children. May God continue to bless our parish with such dedicated individuals.

St. Hedwig's has been enrolled in the Meijer's Community Rewards Program since 2003. Over that time we have received more than \$6,000 from Meijer due to individuals participating in the program.

Needless to say, this has been a tremendous help financially for the parish. I encourage you to consider joining us in this effort. You need to complete a simple registration form, which is available in the Gathering Space and when a card comes through the mail give it to the cashier during your check-outs at Meijer's. There is no extra charge for you and a BIG financial advantage for St. Hedwig Parish.

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#### **Death Touches our Parish Family**

We offer our prayers and sympathy to David Wade on the death of his father, Jack Wade. We also offer our sympathy to Amanda Darland and Courtney Wade, granddaughters of Jack Wade.

We also express condolences to Walt & Jane Szczepanski on the loss of their sister-in-law, Mary Edith Szczepanski. May Jack and Mary Edith and all of the faithful departed rest in peace.

#### **R.C.I.A.**

R.C.I.A. the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is the Church's rite of welcoming newcomers to the faith, and also to refresh Catholics (already) in their faith. If you are interested in learning about the Catholic Faith, call Sister Joann at 893-1072. All information is confidential.

The next Fun-Raisers bus trip will be Monday, November 8. We will be going to FireKeepers Casino in Battle Creek. The cost is \$33 per person and you will receive \$20 in free play and a \$5 food voucher at the casino. Please call Mary Ann @ 893-0768 or Joan @ 667-9262 to reserve your seats.

First Day of Autumn is September 23!



#### **Faith Formation**

Reminder! Jr. High meets tonight, Sunday, September 19 at 6:00 p.m. in the parish center for a cook-out and bonfire.

#### **Catechetical Sunday**

Our Faith Formation program is blessed because of the following people: Diane Middleton, Elaine Sajdak, Sue Dieter, Sister Connie Balwinski, Ilene VanOchten, Jen Swiecicki and Stan Madziar our catechists. Our aides are: Autumn Dabrowski, Alexis Dieter, Jamie Middleton, Ashley Pike and Nicole Provo, Jr. High Support is Diane Ackley, our volunteer is Marie Hollenbeck, Administrative Assistant is Mary Ann Marciniak and our Director of Faith Formation, Phyllis Madziar. We, as a parish are truly blessed to have these individuals on our team!

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Holy Trinity will be holding their Blood Drive on Monday, September 20 from 1-7 p.m. in their social hall.

#### **Juvenile Diabetes Fund Raiser**

Join the MacBride family on Friday September 24 at the K of C in Essexville for a Spaghetti Dinner from 4-7 p.m. as they continue to raise money to find a cure for Type 1 Diabetes. Adult cost is \$5.00 and children \$3. Take outs available. All proceeds to JDRF.

Tickets for the Bay Area Catholic Schools BACSlapper will be available in the Gathering Space after the Masses next weekend, September 25-26. The Cost is \$10 each or three for \$25.

#### **Thank You Note**

As a family we have been overwhelmed by the kindness and generosity shown to us in the last few weeks. We want to thank everyone who worked so hard to make the spaghetti dinner benefit such a huge success! All the donors, volunteers and attendees will be in our hearts forever. The Marvin Family (Holy Trinity)

#### **Cluster Corner**

Weekend Mass Schedule

St. Mary's – Saturday – 4:00 p.m.

Sunday – 8:30 & 11:30 a.m.

Holy Trinity – Saturday – 4:30 p.m.

Sunday 8:30 & 10:30 a.m.