

January 28, 2018 Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. Leonard's Port of Mauritius Catholic Church

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Manager: Mary Bongers Office Hours: Fridays 9AM – 1PM. (or by appointment).

<u>Sunday, January 28th:</u>	8:30AM Mass at St. Elizabeth 10:30AM Mass at St. Leonard's	+Living & deceased members of the Grundman Family
	12:30 Misa En Espanol en San Leonardo Confessions after Masses on Sunday	
*Monday, January 29th:	No Mass	*Rosary group meets at 4:30
Tuesday, January 30th:	No Mass	
Wednesday, January 31st:	2PM Mass at high rise	Parish Council Meeting 5:30PM
Thursday, February 1st:	8:30AM Mass at St. Elizabeth	
Friday, February 2nd:	8:30AM Mass at St. Leonard's Perpetual Adoration 9AM – 8:00PM (use east door)	
Saturday February 3rd:	4:00PM Mass at St. Elizabeth	
Sunday February 4th:	8:30AM Mass at St. Elizabeth 10:30AM Mass at St. Leonard's	+Living & deceased members of the Radermacher family
	12:30 Misa En Espanol en San Leonardo	

Lay Ministry Schedule today:

<u>Servers</u>	<u>Lector</u>	<u>Ushers</u>	<u>Eucharistic Ministers</u>	<u>Collection Counters</u>
J Stetz	N Hilber	S Larson	C Berry	B Dokken
A Tabery		G Gugel	C Krekelberg	A Peterson
		R Fettig	K Schermerhorn	
		P Stotesbery	Volunteer	

Lay Ministry Schedule February 4th:

<u>Servers</u>	<u>Lector</u>	<u>Ushers</u>	<u>Eucharistic Ministers</u>	<u>Collection Counters</u>
E Welch	P Scheman	P Waller	M Driscoll	S Maresh
C Johnson		J Stetz	R Fettig	P Krekelberg
		O Shannon	C Moerke	
		D Bruggeman	D Bruggeman	

****2018 Envelopes are in the back of church on the north side.** Please pick up your envelopes as soon as you can. If you did not get envelopes let us know by emailing the parish, or call/text 218-841-4861 with your name and address. If you are new to the parish and have not registered, please let us know now and envelopes will be issued to you promptly.

Parish council meeting: January 31st, 5:30PM in the rectory. All parish members are invited to attend. To submit agenda items please contact Father Jeff or leave a message at the office no later than 5:30PM on January 29th.

Coffee for sale in the back of church, north side, directly from Guatemalan growers, \$10/bag. Rich flavored coffee!

Please submit items for the bulletin no later than the end of the day on Thursdays. You may email, call and leave a message, or text to 218-841-4861 (Mary). **If you miss Mass on Sunday**, bulletins are available from the hanging folder on the rectory front steps. Also on-line.

“St. Leonard’s Rosary group new meeting time is **Monday’s at 4:30** in the church. All newcomers are welcome! We meet weekly to share our spiritual needs and pray for our church community and other petitions. It is a great way to grow our spiritual life and to use the greatest tool available to us directly from Our Holy Mother. We would love to see you there!”

At times volunteers are needed for lay ministry duties on Sunday, please offer your services when you see the need. And thank you to those that have been stepping in to help—it is appreciated. **Please consider becoming a regular volunteer the next time ministry schedules are set up—coming up in April.** The notice will be in the bulletin. We need more volunteers in every category—something to be thinking about. Thank you!!

In order to keep parish records current, if you have a new address, phone number, name change, or other change, please notify the rectory of the change. You can call, email the change, or complete a new registration form—a bright gold colored form located in the back of church. **ANNUAL CONTRIBUTION REPORTS WERE SENT OUT IN JANUARY AND MUST BE ADDRESSED CORRECTLY** to ensure timely delivery. If you did not receive one and should have, call rectory & leave message.

Fr. Henry Omeike New York contact information: email: homeike@fordham.edu address: 2380 Belmont Ave, Bronx, NY 10458, cell phone; 347-279-4411. Holiday cards/letters are welcome!!

Please pray for those who are ill: Julie Severson Valerie Smischny Nancy Laird (sister of Gordon Gugel)
Allyssa Klinger (Niece of Steve Petersen) Gene Kelly (husband of Eva Kelly)

Tuesday, February 6th is St Leonard’s turn to serve the community lunch at the Welcome Place. Can you spare 2 hours of your time? Two volunteers are needed to prepare, serve, and clean up the luncheon. Food is provided. Please contact Mary Bongers (863-4299) if you are able to help out. Thank you! This community event is open to all.

HOME RADON TEST KITS--The Welcome Place again has free home Radon test kits available. These kits are provided by Otter Tail County Public Health. Radon, a colorless, odorless gas that seeps up from the earth, can cause lung damage in homes when inhaled. Long term exposure can lead to lung cancer. For more information, or to pick up a monitoring kit, contact The Welcome Place during the hours of 9-4 Tuesdays and Thursdays or Fridays from 10-2 or call 218-863-2260.

Are you a single Catholic woman under the age of 45? Would you be interested in spending a day at Saint Benedict’s Monastery? We are offering the following opportunities for this experience. All the dates are scheduled on a Saturday, (February 10, March 10) from 9am-3:30 pm. There is no cost for this one-day experience. If you are interested, please contact Sister Lisa Rose at 320-363-7180 or email her at lrose@csbsju.edu. See flyer at back of church.

Area Events:

Pelican Rapids High School: Thursday February 1st 2:30PM: Presentation “A Decision Turned Deadly” Matt Logan of Rochester shares his daughters “life saving” story and how he unexpectedly drove up to his daughters crash. The public is welcome. Enter Door #1. See poster in back of church.

Annual Catholic Mens Conference “A Call to Responsibility”: February 3rd, 8am to 5:30pm, Humphrey Auditorium, St Johns University, Collegeville. See flyers at back of church. Conference fees will be paid by the Knights of Columbus.

Internationally acclaimed author and speaker, Immaculee Ilibagiza, will be coming to St. Anthony's Catholic Church in Fargo for a spring mission retreat on May 4th and 5th of 2018 (Friday evening through noon on Saturday). Immaculee is a Rwandan genocide survivor who has shared her moving story of the power of prayer and the need for forgiveness with thousands. Hearing her story has changed the lives and deepened the faith of many. Please visit Immaculee.com/retreats to learn more and reserve your spot today. Cost is \$57. Scholarships are available. Call Joe Hendrickx at 701-237-6063 or Brian Herding at 701-520-3539 with any questions.