

Holy Rosary & St. Bernard-St. Hedwig Parishes
Cash/Gun Calendar Raffle - 2025

Aug. 26, 2025 - Bill Bibeau, Thorp, WI
Kahr Arms PM 45acp or \$325.00

Aug. 28, 2025 - Dan Bibeau, Thorp, WI
Stevens 334 6.5 creed or \$325.00

Holy Rosary PCCW News: Owen Days PCCW Pie & Ice Cream Stand will be Sunday, September 7th from 11:00am-1:00pm. One pie is requested from each lady to be at the stand by 10:00am. We are across from Creekside and close to the Mill Pond Dam. PLEASE NO CREAM PIES. Please label the kind of pie and cover with clear covering. MORE PIES ARE TRULY NEEDED. If you cannot make a pie, a donation of \$12.00 is requested. Help is needed for working in the Pie & Ice Cream Stand. If you can help, contact Chriss Plautz at 715-229-4232 or Sue Koltis at 715-229-2057.



God's blessings and congratulations to Jim - Lori Pajak who celebrate their 50th anniversary of their marriage.

Check out Holy Rosary's food at the Owen Jr. Fair, Sunday, September 7th.
Start the day off by attending the Non-Denominational Church Service 9:40am - pre-concert, Service 10:00am at the pavilion with music by the Holy Rosary Choir.
Following the service, stop and have our delicious Charcoal Chicken Dinner 11:00am until all served. Sponsored by Holy Rosary Knights of Columbus.
Pie and Ice Cream, sponsored by Holy Rosary PCCW.



God's blessings and congratulations to Tom - Mary Gelhaus who celebrate their 50th anniversary of their marriage.

St Bernard - St Hedwig Parish
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St. Bernard-St. Hedwig

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Holy Rosary

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PASTOR'S OFFICE HOURS

Owen Rectory: Tuesday & Thursday: 9:00AM-12:00PM
Thorp Catholic School: Wednesday: 9:00AM-12:00PM
Thorp Rectory: Friday: 9:00AM-12:00PM
For Baptism, Marriage, Anointing and Funeral preparation, Confessions and Counseling, you may approach the Pastor during these office hours. For any emergency and other urgent matters, you may call at any time.

Holy Rosary
415 West 3rd Street P.O. Box 309
Owen WI 54460



NOTE: Online bulletins available stbernardsthedwig.org and [myParish app](#)



God, in your goodness, you have made a home for the poor. Psalm 68:4-5, 6-7, 10-11

Need Hope? Take a Minute to Get to Know “the God of All Hope” (Rom 15:13) - week of August 31, 2025, 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time. God our Heavenly Father is a promise keeper! God made a promise to Abraham that He would give him land for the Chosen People. This promise was made in the first book of the Bible, Genesis 12:1. This promise was kept through Moses as the Israelites were led by God into the “Promised Land” under the leadership of Joshua. (Deut 34:4) It is important that we know how God has kept every promise as this helps to deepen our hope in God, leading to greater trust in Him.

MASSSES:

Weekends: Saturday Vigil: 4:00pm St. Bernard-St. Hedwig
Sunday: 8:00am Holy Rosary
10:00am St Bernard-St Hedwig
Weekdays: Tuesday & Thursday: 8:30am Holy Rosary
Wednesday & Friday: 8:15am TCS



PLEASE CONSIDER OUR BULLETIN ADVERTISERS' SERVICES FOR YOUR NEEDS

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time - August 31, 2025

MASS SCHEDULE/INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK:
Saturday, August 30 -
4:00pm **SBSH** † Rose & Stanley Malaszuk, by Chap & Kathie Barth
7:00 pm **Czestochowa** † Ted, Marcy & Janice Kaszubowski, by Family
Sunday, August 31 - 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00am **HR** † Edward Dowden, by Pat Dowden
10:00am **SBSH** † Joe & Amelia Halenka, by Family
Monday, September 1 -
8:15am **TCS** † Communion Service
Tuesday, September 2 -
8:30am **HR** † In Memory of Norby Pabich, by Lana Ciszewski
Wednesday, September 3 -
8:15am **TCS** † Chester Przybylski, Jr, by Family
Thursday, September 4 -
8:30am **HR** † Jim Laski, by Carolyn & Gene Zawadzki
Friday, September 5 -
8:15am **TCS** † Bob Walters, by Jacki Walters
Saturday, September 6 -
8:00am **HR** † Robert & Carol DeCaire, by DeCaire Family
4:00pm **SBSH** † Deceased Members of the Rudawski & Urban Families, by Mary Ann Urban
Sunday, September 7 - 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00am **HR** † Deceased Knights of Columbus, by Owen Knights of Columbus
10:00am **SBSH** † Andrew Niedzwiecki, by Micke Family

Offerings from the week of August 18, 2025 thru August 24, 2025		
Inspired by the Spirit:	SB-SH	HR
Goal	\$285,000.00	\$70,000.00
Pledged	\$197,085.00	102,039.75
Paid In	\$124,630.00	\$70,564.75
Received Back	\$65,195.68	\$46,360.06
Diocesan Appeal:		
Goal	\$35,120.00	\$11,915.00
Paid In	\$22,015.11	\$12,015.00
Adult Envelopes:	\$4,573.00	\$340.00
Offertory:	\$291.00	\$115.00
ACH Adult Envelopes:	\$50.00	
TCS Envelopes:	\$1,080.00	
Building & Maint.:	\$1,060.00	\$0.00
Casa Hogar:	\$ 0.00	
Assumption :	\$50.00	\$50..00
Candles:	\$43.67	\$20.00
Total:	\$7,147.67	\$525.00

Rebuild my Church Listening Session Our two closest options will be at Holy Rosary, Owen this Thursday, September 4 at 6:30pm or at All Saints, Stanley on Monday, September 22, also at 6:30pm. Sign up sheet is on the table in the church entrance.

Holy Rosary News: Holy Rosary will be offering a *Family of Faith* program this school year to complement and continue our traditional CCD program after school on Wednesday afternoons. All families are warmly welcomed to join this *Family of Faith* program this fall. The goals of this program are to encourage and equip you to live and teach your children the Catholic Faith at home. With one adult meeting and one family meeting each month, this program will give you the knowledge and tools you need to bring your children up in the Faith. Information please contact Karen Simington, DRE, text or phone 608-764-0420.

Thorp Knights of Columbus “Queen of Peace Council” will meet Wednesday, Sept. 3, 2025 at 6:00pm in the church basement.

Announcement of Wedding Banns III at St. Mary of Czestochowa for Ashley Neisius and Jamie Hoffstatter for nuptial union on September 6, 2025.

St. Bernard-St. Hedwig is looking for a secretary and/ or someone to prepare the bulletin. Call the rectory at 715-669-5526.

Pastor writes...
Special Collection for Gaza Relief
Dear People,
The President of the USCCB has requested and Bishop Battersby has authorized a special collection next weekend of September 6-7 for humanitarian relief for Gaza.
In his letter, Archbishop Timothy Broglio, President of the USCCB, echoes Pope Leo XIV’s words that “Gaza is starving.” Therefore, we are holding a special collection next weekend to bring relief to the terrible suffering of Christians and other innocent victims of violence in Gaza and surrounding areas. Please consider a generous donation. Please make your check payable to our parish with "Gaza Relief" on the memo line. Let us also pray to the Lord ardently to end violence in Gaza and surrounding areas.

Rev. Stanislaus M Antony
stanymichael@gmail.com 608-881-9265

Blest Art will be visiting on behalf of the Christian families in Bethlehem, Palestine. Our mission is to support those families in the Holy Land. We will have hand-carved nativity sets, statues, crosses, rosaries, and many other pieces of beautiful olive wood art. Please visit our display after each Mass the weekend of September 6 & 7 in the church basement. We gladly accept cash, checks, and all major credit cards.

St. Bernard-St. Hedwig PCCW: All cherished women of our parish are invited to the September meeting of the Parish Council of Catholic Women on Wednesday, September 10, 6:30pm in the church basement. This gathering will include a MEET ‘N GREET to give all of us an opportunity to get to know the staff of the Thorp Catholic School as well as the teachers in the Religious Education program. Light refreshments will be served.

44th Annual Rural Life Day will be held at the Wetherby Cranberry Co., in Warrens on Monday, September 22th. Join Bishop Battersby for Mass at 10:00am followed by awards, the blessing of farm animals, crops and machinery and a delightful lunch. Wetherby Cranberry Co. is located at 3365 Auger Road, Warrens. This is your chance to celebrate rural life and enjoy the beauty of God’s creation!

All Saints Catholic Parish Bingo - Stanley. Every Tuesday from Labor Day to Memorial Day. Starting at 6:30pm and Food at 5:00pm.

TCS Times
A Great Beginning!
We have finished our first few days of school. What a blessing to have our little ones, teachers, staff, and volunteers joyfully filling our halls. Praise God for the good learning and moral formation happening already.
The school Masses for the next two weeks are Wednesday (9/3) at 8:15am led by the 5th/6th grade, and Wednesday (9/10) at 8:15am led by the 7th/8th grade. All are welcome to attend school Masses at the TCS Chapel.
If your garden has an abundance of extra vegetables or fruit right now, our breakfast and lunch program could put them to good use, especially tomatoes and cucumbers. Please contact Kendra Conley 715-669-5530 with any questions.
The tragic event at Annunciation Catholic School in Minneapolis is bringing us to God as we pray for all affected, and safety for all students. Please join us in these prayers.
In Christ,

Kendra Conley
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CCD REGISTRATION is now open! Printed registration forms are available in the church entry, or you can register online at <https://tinyurl.com/SBSH-CCD-2025> or by scanning the QR code:



SUPPORT ST. BERNARD-ST. HEDWIG PARISH AND THORP CATHOLIC SCHOOL BY PURCHASING GIFT CARDS / SCRIP. Scrip cards can be picked up at the **school during the week**, when school is open, between 8:00am-3:00pm, Monday-Thursday and until 11:00am on Friday. Scrip will also be available after Mass when a volunteer is available to sell. You can also call the school 715-669-5530 or rectory 715-669-5526 to place an order.

St Mary's Fall Festival, Colby, Sunday, Sept. 7. Mass will be celebrated at 8:00am & 10:30am and grounds will open at 10:30am. Dinner is from 10:30am-1:00pm Adults \$12; children (12 & under) \$5; preschool free. Handicapped Parking on 2nd St. Drive up is available call 715-223-3033 for drive up orders.

Sacred Heart Cassel Chicken Dinner and Bazaar Sunday September 14, 2025 10:00am-3:00pm Come and enjoy a charcoal chicken dinner with all the fixings, bingo, kid's games, basket raffles, 50/50, refreshments, and live music. Located at 222761 Hwy S, Marathon, WI.