

# St. Albert the Great University Parish



Michigan Technological University

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**22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in O.T.**  
**September 1, 2019**

## Entrance Antiphon for the 22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I cry to you all the day long. O Lord, you are good and forgiving, full of mercy to all who call to you. *cf. Ps 86 (85): 3, 5*

### Mass Readings

**Mon. SEPT. 2**  
 1 Thes 4:13-18  
 Lk 4:16-30

**Tues. SEPT. 3**  
 St. Gregory the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church  
 1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11  
 Lk 4:31-37

**Wed. SEPT. 4**  
 Col 1:1-8  
 Lk 4:38-44

**Thurs. SEPT. 5**  
 Col 1:9-14  
 Lk 5:1-11

**Fri. SEPT. 6**  
 Col 1:15-20  
 Lk 5:33-39

**Sat. SEPT. 7**  
 Col 1:21-23  
 Lk 6:1-5

**Sun. SEPT. 8**  
 Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time  
 Wis 9:13-18b  
 Phmn 9-10, 12-17  
 Lk 14:25-33



# Welcome MICHIGAN TECH STUDENTS!

## We're so glad you're here!

## We're so glad you're back!

## Welcome Home to St. Al's!

### Labor Day Weekend & Welcome Week

(Check out the FULL schedule on the back of the bulletin!)

Sat., August 31	5:30 pm:	Mass/Ice Cream Social
THIS Sunday Sept. 1	11 am:	Mass
	Noon:	Coffee/Donut Social
	3:30 pm:	Volleyball & Cookout
	7 pm:	Mass
	8 pm:	Ice Cream Social
Mon. Sept. 2 Labor Day	9 am	Labor Day Mass (St. Al's)
	10 am	Explore the Keweenaw! Bare Bluff & Montreal Falls Bring hiking boots, water, lunch provided (5 pm return)
	5- 8 pm	Cookout & Volleyball

### Mass + One

How will you go deeper in your faith this fall?



### Eucharistic Adoration

Solemn Exposition & Benediction

Tuesday 7:30 - 9 pm

Simple Exposition

Tuesday-Friday  
7:45-8:45 am

All-Day Adoration on Friday  
8 am - 5:15 pm (begins Friday, Sept. 13)

Come pray before our Eucharistic Lord!

**Pastor:** Fr. Ben Hasse: office (906) 482-5530 cell (906) 290-2434 [benjhasse@yahoo.com](mailto:benjhasse@yahoo.com) [snowshoetracks.blogspot.com](http://snowshoetracks.blogspot.com)

**Associate Pastor:** Fr. Dustin Larson office (same) cell (269) 569-1124 [fatherdustin@mtucatholic.org](mailto:fatherdustin@mtucatholic.org)

**Pastoral Associates:** Sr. Jacqueline Spaniola cell (906) 231-6862 [sisterj@mtucatholic.org](mailto:sisterj@mtucatholic.org)

Sr. Marcelyn Gervais cell (906) 281-7851 (Sr. Carolee Vanness is resident at St. Anne's, but serves in L'Anse)

**Development Director:** Rhen Hoehn + cell (906) 281-0151 + [rhen@mtucatholic.org](mailto:rhen@mtucatholic.org) + Work Schedule M-F, 9 am - 5 pm

**Communications Director:** Sarah Williams + cell (217) 722-2795 + [sarah@mtucatholic.org](mailto:sarah@mtucatholic.org)

**Parish Office Manager:** Sue Hainault (906) 482-5530 [office@mtucatholic.org](mailto:office@mtucatholic.org) **Office Hours:** M-F, 9 am - 5 pm

**Natural Family Planning Coordinator:** Kylie Hoehn + cell (906) 281-4688 + [kylie@mtucatholic.org](mailto:kylie@mtucatholic.org)

**Mass Times:** Sat. 5:30 pm, Sun. 11 am ( 7 pm begins on Sept. 1) / Wed. 9 pm / Fri. 5:30 pm

**Confessions:** Tuesday 7:30 pm, Wednesday 8 pm & Friday 4:30 pm // or by appointment

**Baptisms:** Please make arrangements with pastor at least one month in advance.

**Confirmation & First Communion:** Please notify the parish office of your need ASAP.

**Marriages:** Arrangements must be made at least six months prior to the wedding.

**Anointing of the Sick:** Upon request when suffering from serious illness or before surgery.

### St. Anne's Masses

Saturday: 4 pm

Sunday: 9 am

Tuesday: 5:30 pm

Thursday: 9 am

Sat.	Aug. 31	5:30 pm	For the People of St. Al's & St. Anne's	By the Parishes	Mass Intentions
Sun.	Sept. 01	11 am	For the Eternal Repose of Frank Bizjak	By the Parish	
Sun.	Sept. 01	7 pm	For the Healing of Wounds & Division in Families	By the Parish	
Mon.	Sept. 02	9 am	For the Renewal & Strengthening of Marriages	By the Parish	
Wed.	Sept. 04	9 pm	† Michael Peller	By Chris Bryan	
Fri.	Sept. 06	5:30 pm	For the Protection of the Unborn	Anonymous	
Sat.	Sept. 07	5:30 pm	† Ken Gervais	By Steve & Sue Hainault	
Sun.	Sept. 08	11 am	† Walter Schwartz	By Max & Mary Ann Seel	
Sun.	Sept. 08	7 pm	For the Intentions of All Our Alumni	By the Parish	

Liturgical Ministers	Mass	Usher	Altar Server	Lector	EMHC
	9 pm Wed, Sept. 04		V. Janes	Z. LaLonde	H. Harris & D. Kulas
	5:30 pm Fri, Sept. 06		G. Glennon	G. Rushlau	E. Vandebusch & Help Needed
	5:30 pm Sat, Sept. 07	D. Fusco & C. Van Camp	J. Czerniak	K. Polega & S. Arndt	J. Suidgest & N. Parra
	11 am Sun, Sept. 08	J. Flynn, M. Moore & C. Wallenfang	M. Makarewicz, C. Eby, & K. Wright	B. Gregory & K. Cruickshank	E. Vandebusch, H. Harris, M. Bersano, A. Bersano, & A. Bonen
	7 pm Sun, Sept. 08	S. Mathai & D. Kulas	A. Zackal & J. Paling	G. Jose & V. Quinde	J. Warning & C. Bryan

**FAITH FORMATION & PRAYER**

**Adult Formation: Journey Through the Bible** Sr. Jacqueline will offer two different courses. At St. Al's there will be an 8-session DVD course of a Quick Journey Through the Bible with Jeff Cavins. Classes will take place Wednesdays and Thursdays beginning September 11 and 12. At St. Anne's, there will be a 24-session DVD course of the Bible Timeline with Jeff Cavins. **Email Sr. Jacqueline for more information or to register, sisterj@mtucatholic.org**

**Morning Adoration** Starting this Tuesday, we'll have our morning holy hours every weekday from 7:45 am to 8:45 am... start the day off right with silent prayer before the Lord!

**All-Day Adoration** One of our beautiful devotions here at St. Al's is All-Day Adoration on Fridays from 7:45 am to 5:15 pm. We hope to start on Friday, Sept. 13<sup>th</sup>... please sign up this week! Email Daniel Griffin to sign up: dpgriffi@mtu.edu

**PARISH EVENTS**

**Welcome-Week** We have lots of events lined up this week as classes begin. **Check the back of the bulletin!**

**Procession of the Cross** Our annual procession is on **Friday, Sept 13!** Held each year on a Friday close to the Feast of the Exaltation of the Cross, we make an act of public veneration from St. Al's to Resurrection in Hancock. Confessions at 4:30 pm, Mass at 5:30 pm at St. Al's. Procession will depart about 6:20 pm, and arrive at the Church of the Resurrection about 7:30 pm. After closing prayers, a meal will be served.

**BARN DANCE!** Put **Friday, Sept. 20** on your calendar for our St. Al's Barn Dance, held at the Chassell Pavilion!

**Fall Campus Ministry Retreat** the diocesan Fall Campus Retreat will take place at BayCliff, **Oct. 25-27** with NMU, LSSU, GCC, and Bay! Save the date... details to come!

**SLS 2020 FOCUS'** national conference is in Phoenix! SLS is **Dec. 30-Jan 3**, so save the date, more details soon! **sls20.org**

**COMMUNITY EVENTS**

**Copper Country Frassati Society's monthly gathering on Friday, Sept. 6.** The group will meet for Mass at St. Paul the Apostle Church in Calumet at 6:30 pm. The group will have a potluck picnic on the beach at Calumet Waterworks park following Mass. Young adult Catholics, their family, and friends are encouraged to join in any or all of the evening's activities.

**The Life Outreach Center of Houghton County is in need of volunteers!** Hours can be flexible. For more information, contact Mark at the Center in Hancock, at 482-8681.



**Friday Night Fireside Fellowship:**

4:30 pm Confessions,  
5:30 pm Mass, FNFF follows!

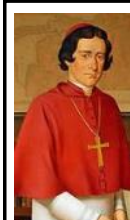
- Sept. 6 **MTU K-Day** St. Al's will be there running the Watering Hole! In Chassell again this year.
- Sept. 13 **Procession of the Cross** From St. Al's to Resurrection Parish in Hancock
- Sept. 20 **Barn Dance** Chassell Pavilion
- Sept. 27 **Sunset Social** @Calumet Waterworks
- Oct. 4 **Visit from Bishop John Doerfler**

**Carmelite Monastery Silver Tea**, craft/bake sale to be held on **September 21 and 22 from noon to 3 pm**, at Carmel of the Holy Cross Monastery, Junction US2 and M95, Iron Mountain. The tea is open to the public and all are welcome! Tea, sandwiches and sweets will be served. Arts, crafts, jam, jellies and baked goods including the Sisters' famous bread will be available for purchase.

**Wise Men Weekend Retreat: December 6-8** Gather with brothers from around the UP and beyond for a weekend of prayer, discussion, fellowship and learning! Bring your son, brother, father, or friend! The retreat is presented by Fr. Ben Hasse. **To register, call St. Albert the Great University Parish, 906-482-5530 or email office@mtucatholic.org.** The retreat will be hosted this year at a new site, Fortune Lake Lutheran Camp near Crystal Falls. Anticipated cost for the weekend is about \$150.

**Local Nursing Home Mass Schedule**

Ho. Cty. Med. Care Thurs., 2 pm	Lighthouse Wed., 10:30 am	Portage Pointe Thurs., 11:00 am
Sept. 12, Fr. William	Sept. 11, Fr. Dustin	Sept. 26, Fr. John



**Words of Wisdom from Bishop Frederic Baraga**

August 22, 1831: "When it rains I must spread my overcoat over the table on which I have my books and papers in order to protect them from the inundation; over my bed I spread my umbrella and I save myself, as well as I can in a corner of my small room where it drips the least." -Fr. Baraga



**A VERY warm welcome** to all the new students from Michigan Tech, Finlandia, and Gogebic Community College, and to your families as well! Welcome BACK to all the returning students! I am so glad you're here!

After a retreat a few years ago, a student wrote: **"While so many universities have proven to be places where young people's faith is lost, here at Tech we are blessed to have a place like St. Al's to fan the flames of our faith and be a light to our community."**

I can't imagine a better summary of our mission: St. Al's is a Catholic parish, a parish dedicated to this campus...

- where the spark of faith in our hearts is fanned into a flame,
- where we come to love Jesus Christ and His Church,
- and where together we become an ever brighter light of faith, hope, and love in our community!

**We have had a tremendous O-Week! Thank you to so many people who helped make it possible**, especially our year-round parishioners, our FOCUS Missionaries, our returning students. It think we've had the best turnout for O-Week events we've ever recorded!!!

**I've included a copy of our most recent newsletter in the bulletin again this week!** Students and families, in particular, if you haven't read it, please take a look! The newsletter lays out our **Multiply the Mission Campaign**... our goal is Pi Million dollars, and we've raised 35% of that goal already. But, we're going to need everyone's help! Please pray for the campaign, and if you haven't made a pledge yet, please look over all the details at the website, [multiplythemission.org](http://multiplythemission.org).

**For all new AND returning students, please fill out a PRI (Parish Registration and Interest) card this weekend**, that helps us keep your contact info accurate, and connect you with the ministries you're most interested in! You can also do it online at this link: [mutcatholic.org/pri](http://mutcatholic.org/pri)

**Lot's of events lined up for Welcome Week...** we have a Cookout & Volleyball at 3:30 pm this Sunday, the big hike up the Keweenaw on Labor Day (Monday) leaving at 10 am, and then a number of other events all week... check out the full schedule on the back of this bulletin!

Especially for those newly returned... we've been handing out copies of **Bishop Barron's book Letter to a Suffering Church**. It is an excellent discussion of the abuse crisis, and points the way forward. Please take one! *God Bless, Fr. Ben*

**SEXUAL ABUSE OF A MINOR**  
**BY CHURCH OFFICIALS OR VOLUNTEERS**

If you know of an incident of the sexual abuse of a minor by anyone in Church service, including a member of the clergy, a religious, a lay employee or volunteer, we encourage you to come forward so that the Diocese of Marquette can take action to protect others and help those who have been harmed to find healing. We are open to and respect your complaint. You are important. We want to make this process as safe as possible. **Victim's Assistance Coordinators** are there to help those who have been harmed through the difficult and sometimes painful process of healing and hope. How to begin the process:

**Call** one of the Diocesan Victim's Assistance Coordinators: Stephen Lynott at 844-495-4330 (toll-free) or Diane Tryan at 844-694-4362 (toll-free) or **Write:** Victim's Assistance Coordinator, c/o Catholic Social Services of the U.P., 1100 Ludington Street, Suite 401, Escanaba, MI 49829. Please mark the letter "Personal and Confidential" and indicate in your letter how you wish to be contacted (by phone or by letter).

**We always encourage you to report the incident to local civil authorities. The Diocese of Marquette reports all allegations to the appropriate civil authorities.**

**Porn Kills Love! Eliminate Porn in your Life!**

Basic Resources for individuals, couples, parents:  
**Integrity Restored:** <http://integrityrestored.com/>  
**Fight the New Drug:** <http://fightthenewdrug.org/>  
Also, pick up a copy of the books *Delivered* and/or *Restored*

**Post-Abortion Healing Resources**

**Project Rachel:** [hopeafterabortion.com](http://hopeafterabortion.com)  
**Rachel's Vineyard:** [www.rachelsvineyard.org](http://www.rachelsvineyard.org)  
**Silent No More Campaign:** [www.silentnomoreawareness.org](http://www.silentnomoreawareness.org)



Our Parish has been gifted with **access to Formed.org** by a generous alumnus! It's basically a Catholic Netflix!  
**Just go to the website & set an account using our parish code: ZMH2NM**  
**Learn MORE about the Catholic Faith!**

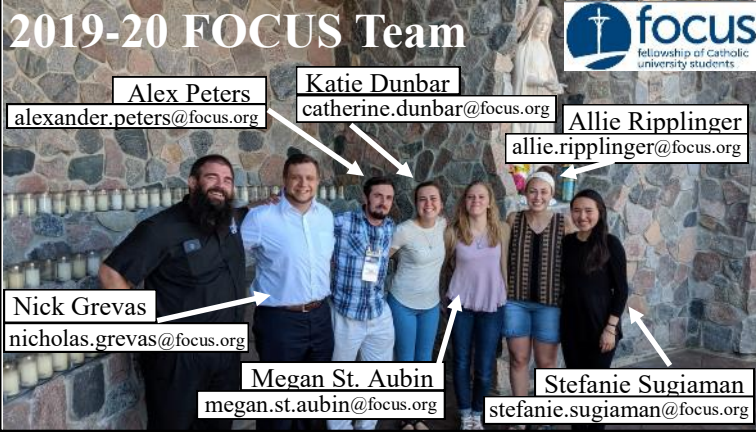
St. Al's CONTRIBUTIONS		
	August 24 <sup>th</sup> & 25 <sup>th</sup> 2019	Year to Date
Envelopes	\$818.00	\$8,883.00
Loose	\$1,206.10	\$5,433.21
Holy Day	\$11.00	\$71.00
Fuel	\$0.00	\$0.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$2,035.10</b>	<b>\$14,387.21</b>
*Budgeted	\$1,825.00	\$16,425.00
Overage/ (shortfall)	+\$210.10	-\$2,037.79

To give online: [www.mtcatholic.org/donate](http://www.mtcatholic.org/donate)



**10 % of our parish income is tithed to charities and ministries that directly assist the poor and the needy.**

**RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)** is a process in which people can investigate Catholicism. We welcome anyone who wants to explore the teachings of the Church. Meetings take place each Sunday from 12:30 - 2 pm at St. Al's, after the 11 am Mass. **To get involved, contact Sister Jacqueline: cell 906-231-6862, sisterj@mtucatholic.org**



**St. Al's Pastoral Council 2019/20**

**Madi Hollman, President**      **Mariah Jackels, VP**  
**Stephanie Arndt, Secretary/Treasurer**  
**Abby Bevilacqua**      **Jay Czerniak**  
**Zach Smith**      **Grad. Rep: Daniel Byrne**  
**FOCUS Rep: TBD**      **Rat Rep: James Bonar**  
**Faculty Adviser: Dr. Martin Thompson**  
**Year Round Parishioner: Jack Dueweke**

**2019-20 Ministry Leaders**

**MASS MINISTRIES:**  
**Altar Server** Jessica Paling, jepaling@mtu.edu  
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**Music Ministry**

**Music Ministry Leader:** Ben Gregory, blgregor@mtu.edu;  
**Accompanists:** Walter Friesel, whfriesel@mtu.edu  
**Cantors:** Sarah Martens, smarten@mtu.edu  
**Ushers/Greeters** Tim Ciarelli, tjiarel@mtu.edu

**PRAYER MINISTRIES:**

**Night Prayer** Help needed  
**Rosary** Aaron Kramer, akramer@mtu.edu  
**Praise and Worship** help needed  
**SoulCore** Rose Turner, roset@mtu.edu  
 & Kiaya Caspers, kmcasper@mtu.edu  
**Friday Adoration** Daniel Griffin dpgriffi@mtu.edu

**STUDY:**

**Apologetics** Cody Eby cjeby@mtu.edu  
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 nicholas.grevas@focus.org  
**Learn the Faith** Devon Van Order, djvanord@mtu.edu

**SERVICE:**

**New Student Outreach** Zach Smith, ztsmith@mtu.edu  
**St. Al's Service** Virginia Cistaro, vlcistar@mtu.edu; Heather Harris, hkharris@mtu.edu  
**Master of the Solemn Brunch** James Bonar, jbbonar@mtu.edu  
**Respect Life** TBA  
**Youth Ministry Retreat Team** volunteer needed

**COMMUNITY:**

**Women's Houses:**  
 St. Mary: Anna Dijkstra, alittlebird41@gmail.com  
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 St. Hildegard: Cora Jarman, cjarman@mtu.edu  
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 St. Thomas Aquinas: Devon Van Order, djvanord@mtu.edu  
**Intramural Sports COACH** Patrick McFall, pdmcfall@mtu.edu  
 Assistant Coach, Daniel Kulas, dgkulas@mtu.edu

**Friday Night Fireside Fellowship** James Bonar, jbbonar@mtu.edu; Zach Smith, ztsmith@mtu.edu, Madi Hollman, mhollman@mtu.edu

**QuarterMaster (4<sup>th</sup> Period)** Josh Treib, jgtreib@mtu.edu  
**Skenopoiios /Tentmaker** Andrew Flanagan, apflanag@mtu.edu

**Welcome Week FULL Schedule**

- Sat. Aug. 31:** 8 pm-midnight Catholic House Party  
*St. Al's Men's Houses*  
*(1310, 1312 E. Houghton)*
- Sun. Sept. 1:** 11 am Mass + Donuts, Bagels, and Coffee  
3:30 pm Volleyball & Cookout *Patio*  
7 pm Mass + Ice Cream Sundaes
- Mon. Sept. 2: Labor Day!**  
9 am Mass *Chapel*  
10 am-5 pm Explore the Keweenaw:  
Bare Bluff & Montreal Falls, Lunch included  
*Meet at St. Al's Hall ready to hike!*  
5-8 pm Volleyball & Cookout *St. Al's Patio*
- Tues. Sept. 3: First Day of Classes!**  
7:45 am Holy Hour, Simple Exposition  
7:30 pm Eucharistic Adoration & Confessions  
**9 pm Fireplace S'Mores Fireplace**
- Weds. Sept. 4:** 7:45 am Holy Hour, Simple Exposition  
8 pm Confessions  
9 pm Mass, followed by Ice Cream Social
- Thurs. Sept. 5:** 7:45 am Holy Hour, Simple Exposition  
**7:30 pm Game Night Hall**
- Fri. Sept. 6:** 7:45 am Holy Hour, Simple Exposition  
12:15 pm Mass (due to KDay)  
KDAY!!! Chassell Park
- Sat. Sept. 7:** **10 am Jam Pot Visit & Mt. Baldy Hike**  
Visit Holy Transfiguration Skete's bakery &  
go on a hike overlooking Lake Superior  
5:30 pm Mass
- Sun. Sept. 8:** 11 am Mass  
12:15 pm Solemn Brunch  
7 pm Mass + Ice Cream Sundaes

**CHAPEL RAT Student Residents, 2019-20:**

(Head Rat) James Bonar  
 Jacob Flynn, Travis Havercamp, Joe Lockwood,  
 Tanner Sheahan, Ben Steary

