

# 2011 Baraga March

**Wednesday, August 3<sup>rd</sup> – Friday, August 5<sup>th</sup>, 2010**



**Start:** Wednesday, August 3<sup>rd</sup>, 11:00 am Mass at the Bishop Baraga Site along Indian Lake, Arrowhead Road off of County Road 441, N, Manistique, Michigan (Please have your car shuttled before this.)

**Finish:** 12:00 noon, Friday, August 5<sup>th</sup>, Mass at Bishop Baraga's Tomb at St. Peter Cathedral, 311 West Baraga Avenue, Marquette, Michigan

**Route:** Details to be announced, about 120 miles through the Hiawatha National Forest and Little Lake.

**Lodging:** We'll camp along the way.

**Food:** Each group needs to bring their own food.

**Equipment needed:** You need to have camping gear (tent, sleeping bag, etc.) and be ready to prepare your meals. We will have a van to carry gear.

**Bike Specs:** We will be mostly on pavement, as well as some gravel. Your bike needs to be comfortable and functioning, but it doesn't have to be fancy or expensive! Please bring basic bike tools, a spare tube, lubrication, etc.

**Youth:** Anyone under 18 will need to be A) a Scout with a group from their Scout Troop, B) with a group from their parish, or C) with a parent. Scout or Parish groups will need to have two chaperones with appropriate youth protection training (either the Scout program or Virtus). I recognize this restricts participation, but we're trying to carefully navigate youth protection issues!

**Pilgrimage:** This is not just another outing or trip, but a pilgrimage. We will have Mass each day and reflect on what we can learn from Bishop Baraga's life and ministry. We will travel in a spirit of charity and openness to the Holy Spirit's guidance and movement in our hearts. Participants do NOT need to be Catholic, but should be open to this spiritual component. People from all backgrounds can learn from Bishop Baraga!

Please contact Fr. Ben Hasse ASAP if you're interested in participating, or with any details: [benjhasse@yahoo.com](mailto:benjhasse@yahoo.com), cell 906-290-2434