



ST. MARY

CATHOLIC CHURCH

St. Mary Mission Statement:
To be companions with Christ
our Savior

Sunday Masses
Saturday Vigil -5:30pm
Lord's Day -8:30am & 10:30am

Sacrament of Forgiveness
(Confession)
Sat. 4-5pm or by appointment
Sun. 8:00-8:25 am

Oct. 25, 2020
30th Sunday in
Ordinary Time

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Catechism Class (Formerly PSR)
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30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind.” - Mt 22:37

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Open Adoration Hours:
Tues: 12am, 1am, 12pm
Wed: 7am
Thurs: 2am, 3am, 4am, 6am

OFFICE HOURS:
Monday through Thursday:
9:00am-4:30pm
Friday: 9am-12:30pm
DAILY MASS SCHEDULE:
Tuesday 5:30pm; Wednesday,
Thursday & Friday: 8am



Mass Intentions for the Week

Tuesday	Oct. 27
5:30pm	Lance Carson
Wednesday	Oct. 28, Saints Simon & Jude
8:00 a.m.	✠Harvey Snapp
Thursday	Oct. 29,
8:00 a.m.	✠Mary Lou Frazier
Friday	Oct. 30,
8:00 a.m.	Pauline Casey
Saturday	Oct. 31, All Saints
8:00am	No Latin Mass
5:30pm	Confirmation Students
Sunday	Nov. 1, All Saints Day
8:30am	People of the Parish
10:30am	Confirmation Students

Please Pray For our Sick, Home Bound & Care Home Parishioners:

Geraldine Adkins	Gertrude Mahoney	Bryan Sahlfeld
Carmen Alvarado	Karen Mosqueda	Norman Salmans
Nancy Budde	Phyllis Prouty	Walt & Lois
Paula Delmez	Sara Quinones	Silvernale
Elesa Garcia	Bret Roufs	Ethel Wetschensky

Stewardship Message—Empowered! “Fully Alive as Missionary Disciples” Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ez 18:25-28 / Phil 2:1-11 / Mt 21:28-32

When Mary agreed to become the mother of Jesus, she was saying yes to a great deal more than that. She also agreed to watch him be handed over and sacrificed for the salvation of mankind. Her Fiat included a lifetime of yeses that ultimately show her love for each one of us. In today’s Gospel, Jesus says that we must love God with our entire heart, mind, and soul. He goes on to say that we should love all people created by God – not in a shallow or sentimental way, but in the same way we love ourselves. Mary’s gift of self was given for all mankind. That is no shallow or sentimental example of love. She loves us deeply and wills the good of us all. In this way, she teaches us discipleship. Can you say the same about yourself? Have you freely given yourself over to God for the good of His kingdom? This is the only way we become fully alive!

COVID-19 SCHEDULE & INFO

We are committed to taking every precaution for our parishioners and their safety.

- Social distancing is practiced in the church.
- Hand sanitizer and masks are available in the vestibule.
- Please take and keep a missal for your family & bring with you to Mass.
- The church is cleaned & sanitized twice a week.
- There is a safety screen between parishioner and priest/extraordinary minister for distribution of communion.
- There is no offertory at this time, so please place your envelope/offering in the box in the vestibule on the right side. Thanks!

Confirmation

Will be taking place next weekend at the 5:30pm Mass on Saturday, Oct. 31st, and the Sunday, Nov. 1st 10:30am Mass. We have a large number getting confirmed this year, and we are asking our parishioners if they would be gracious toward the families of our confirmandis by attending Mass at 8:30, or attending Mass at Our Lady of Guadalupe or Sacred Heart just for this weekend. Thank you for your understanding! There will be no 8am Latin Mass OR confession on Saturday, Oct. 31st. Sorry for the inconvenience.

Our Deepest Sympathy....

To the family of *Virginia Schierling*, who passed away on October 20, 2020. She was the mother of Susan Gillett and Sharon Stockham.

—*May the love of God comfort you all.*

Our Gifts to God & Parish

Fiscal Year: July 2020-June 2021

	Collections for: Oct. 18, 2020
*Regular Collection	\$ 8,071.44
Children’s Collection	\$ -
	\$ 8,071.44
Other:	
*Building Fund.....	\$ 800.00
Budget per week is.....	\$ 14,584.60
Collections year-to-date compared to budget Through October 18, 2020	(37,006.30)**

****Your contributions are greatly appreciated and very important to the operation of the parish and school. If you are behind, please make every effort to catch up and do your part. Thank you! —Father Voelker**

St. Mary's Altar Society Annual Turkey Dinner and Raffle

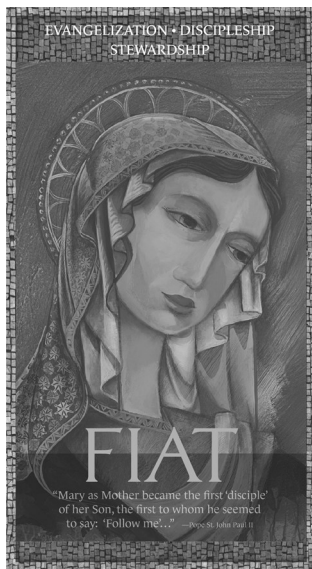
St. Mary's Altar Society will be having our Annual Turkey Dinner on Sunday, November 8. Due to Covid 19, we will be doing carry-out service only. This year, the cost of the meal will be by donation. In conjunction with the Turkey Dinner, we will have a raffle for a beautiful hand-made quilt and a cash prize. If you would like to make a monetary donation to go towards the cash prize, please call Sue Schmidt at 620-327-7455 or Marcia Mathews at the Parish Office, 316-282-0459. We thank you in advance for any contribution you can make. Tickets for the raffle will be handed out at the back of the church on the following dates and times:
 Saturday, October 24, after 5:30 Mass
 Sunday, October 25, after 8:30 and 10:30 Masses
 Saturday, November 1, after 8:30 Mass
 Saturday, November 7, after 5:30 Mass
 Sunday, November 8, after 8:30 Mass
 Cost of tickets for the raffle will be \$1.00 each. Tickets may be returned with the money prior to November 8 at the Parish Office or up until 1:00 PM the day of the dinner as you pick up your meals. This is St. Mary's Altar Society major fundraiser for the year. Money raised from this event will go towards purchasing needed items and services for the altar.

CELEBRATION OF SACRAMENTAL LIFE

Hazel Elizabeth Kaufman was baptized October 17, 2020. She is the daughter of Trevor & Katelyn Kaufman, and the granddaughter of Leo & Kathy Chouinard.

CYM

Attention High School Students!! Our Catholic Youth Ministry is meeting on Wednesday evenings in the upstairs of the parish center from 7:30—8:30 every Wednesday. All High School students from are encouraged to attend!



What does FIAT mean?

"Mary as Mother, became the first "disciple" of her Son, the first to whom he seemed to say:

'Follow me'..."

Pope St. John Paul II

"Mary, Virgin and Mother, you who, moved by the Holy Spirit, welcomed the word of life in the depths of your humble faith: as you gave yourself completely to the Eternal one, help us to say our own "yes" to the urgent call, as pressing as ever, to proclaim the good news of Jesus."

Pope Francis the Joy of the Gospel

Readings for next Sunday (31st Sunday in Ordinary Time/All Saints Day) #1018
The Order of the Mass: 140—165

Parish Information

Communion to the Sick

If you are unable to attend Mass due to age, illness, or are recovering from surgery, call the parish office so that Communion may be brought to you.

Bulletin Deadline

Must be submitted in writing no later than 10am on Tue.

Catechism Class (Formerly PSR)

Grades 1st- 8th - Wednesday: TBD Mandy Casey (620) 200-7278

Catholic Youth Ministry (CYM)

Wednesday: 7pm; Grades 9-12 Greg & Resa Davenport/Bill & Carrie Weber.

Perpetual Adoration of Blessed Sacrament

Chapel is located at Our Lady of Guadalupe Church, 415 S. Ash. If interested in a permanent hour call coordinator, call Laurie Kimere at (417)531-8904.

Rosary Prayer Line

To activate, call Mickey Stump at 620-386-0421 or if she is not available call Barbara Fayette at 283-6467 to activate the line.

Welcome/Registering

Welcome to St. Mary's Catholic Parish. Please register by calling or dropping by the parish office. Please keep us informed of changes of names, addresses, numbers, etc.

Interested in the Catholic Faith

A warm invitation is extended to non-Catholics to attend any of our religious services. They are particularly invited to learn more about the beliefs and practices of the Catholic Church. For more information, call the parish office at 316-282-0459.

Information About Sacraments

**PLEASE CALL FR. VOELKER AT 316-282-0459 EXT. 1

Sacrament of Baptism

Parents are required to be registered in the parish. Call the parish office to make arrangements.

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

In an emergency of serious illness, if sick and confined to a home, entering a hospital or local nursing home - please notify the rectory.

Sacrament of Forgiveness (Confession)

Saturday 4:00 -5:00 p.m. Sunday at 8:00-8:25 a.m. Any time by appointment.

Sacrament of Matrimony

Couples intending to enter into Christian Marriage are asked to call the parish office for an appointment. The first appointment must be scheduled at least nine months prior to the proposed date of marriage.

DOCTRINAL SECTION

One of the specific characteristics of present-day attacks on human life-as has already been said several times-consists in the trend to demand a legal justification for them, as if they were rights which the State, at least under certain conditions, must acknowledge as belonging to citizens. Consequently, there is a tendency to claim that it should be possible to exercise these rights with the safe and free assistance of doctors and medical personnel. It is often claimed that the life of an unborn child or a seriously disabled person is only a relative good: according to a proportionalist approach, or one of sheer calculation, this good should be compared with and balanced against other goods. It is even maintained that only someone present and personally involved in a concrete situation can correctly judge the goods at stake: consequently, only that person would be able to decide on the morality of his choice. The State therefore, in the interest of civil coexistence and social harmony, should respect this choice, even to the point of permitting abortion and euthanasia.

At other times, it is claimed that civil law cannot demand that all citizens should live according to moral standards higher than what all citizens themselves acknowledge and share. Hence the law should always express the opinion and will of the majority of citizens and recognize that they have, at least in certain extreme cases, the right even to abortion and euthanasia. Moreover the prohibition and the punishment of abortion and euthanasia in these cases would inevitably lead-so it is said-to an increase of illegal practices: and these would not be subject to necessary control by society and would be carried out in a medically unsafe way. The question is also raised whether supporting a law which in practice cannot be enforced would not ultimately undermine the authority of all laws. Finally, the more radical views go so far as to maintain that in a modern and pluralistic society people should be allowed complete freedom to dispose of their own lives as well as of the lives of the unborn: it is asserted that it is not the task of the law to choose between different moral opinions, and still less can the law claim to impose one particular opinion to the detriment of others.

~St. John Paul II

New to the Parish?

Welcome to St. Mary's Parish, we are pleased to have you join us in worship. If you would like to join the parish please complete the information below and return it to us in the collection basket, or by mail. We will send you registration information or you may come by the parish office and register. Welcome and God Bless!

Name _____

Address _____

Zip _____ Home Phone _____

E-mail Address _____

Liturgical Role

Altar Servers (two servers, no cross bearer)

Sat. 10/31 5:30pm Ben & Matthew Heppler, Ryan Ruggiero, Adrian Holguin & Dominic Englestad

Sun. 11/01 8:30am

Sun. 11/01 10:30am Wilson Eustace, Luke Littlejohn, Adrian Holguin, Dominic Englestad, Spencer Steinmetz

Cantor/Accompanist

Sat. 10/31 5:30pm Littlejohns

Sun. 11/01 8:30am P. McNeill, S. Koerner

Sun. 11/01 10:30am Littlejohns

Lector

Sat. 10/31 5:30pm Confirmation Leader

Sun. 11/01 8:30am Leigh Ann O'Halloran

Sun. 11/01 10:30am Confirmation Leader

Sacristans

Weekday Oct. 27—31—Kathleen Morris

Sat. 10/31 5:30pm Kathleen Morris

Sun. 11/01 8:30am Sharon McCall

Sun. 11/01 10:30am Kathleen Morris

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Weekday Oct. 28 & 29—Kathleen Morris

Sat. 10/31 5:30pm Bishop Kemme & Fr. Voelker

Sun. 11/01 8:30am Shari McCall

Sun. 11/01 10:30am Bishop Kemme & Father Voelker

Nursing Homes & Shut Ins: — suspended

EMHC-Hospital—suspended until further notice

Ushers

Sat. 10/31 5:30pm Mike Weber & Trent Shepherd

Sun. 11/01 8:30am Ray Schmitt & John Sommers

Sun. 11/01 10:30am Jim & Amber Cox

Church Cleaners— Oct. 30—

Sharon McCall, Chrissy Martens, Lisa Kempf

Readings for the week of October 25, 2020

Sunday: Ex 22:20-26/Ps 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51 [2]/1 Thes

1:5c-10/Mt 22:34-40

Monday: Eph 4:32—5:8/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [cf. Eph

5:1]/Lk 13:10-17

Tuesday: Eph 5:21-33/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 [1a]/Lk

13:18-21

Wednesday: Eph 2:19-22/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5 [5a]/Lk 6:12-

16

Thursday: Eph 6:10-20/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10 [1b]/Lk

13:31-35

Friday: Phil 1:1-11/Ps 111:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [2]/Lk 14:1-6

Saturday: Phil 1:18b-26/Ps 42:2, 3 5cdef/Lk 14:1, 7-

11

Next Sunday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6

[cf. 6]/1 Jn 3:1-3/Mt 5:1-12a

Calendar of Events

November 2020

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 8:30 Mass 10:30 Confirmation Mass Lord's Pantry A-F	2 8am Latin Mass—All Souls Day SVdP 7pm OLG No School	3 5:30pm Mass	4 8am Mass Fr. Devin Ladies Painting 6:30pm—PC Seasons of Hope 7pm—Fr. Kapaun	5 8am Mass Fr. Max Legion of Mary 5:30pm Altar Society 6:30pm—PC RCIA—7pm	6 8am Mass Fr. Voelker	7 8am Latin Mass Confession 4-5 5:30 PM Mass Bethlehem Olive wood gifts sale after Mass
8 8:30 & 10:30 Masses Lord's Pantry G-L Festive Fall Fair (Carry out only) Bethlehem Olive wood gifts sale after Mass	9 No Mass No School	10 5:30pm Mass	11 8am Mass Fr. Devin Seasons of Hope 7pm—Fr. Kapaun	12 8am Mass Fr. Max Harvest House 10am—PC Legion of Mary 5:30pm RCIA—7pm	13 8am Mass Fr. Voelker	14 8am Latin Mass Confession 4-5 5:30 PM Mass Stewardship Weekend
15 8:30 & 10:30 Masses Lord's Pantry M-R Stewardship Weekend	16 No Mass	17 5:30pm Mass	18 8am Mass Fr. Devin Seasons of Hope 7pm—Fr. Kapaun Ladies Painting Group—6:30—PC No School	19 No Mass Legion of Mary 5:30pm RCIA—7pm SVdP 7pm PC	20 8am Mass Fr. Voelker	21 8am Latin Mass Confessions 4-5 5:30 PM Mass
22 8:30 & 10:30 Masses Lord's Pantry S-Z	23 No Mass No School	24 TBD No School	25 TBD Seasons of Hope 7pm—Fr. Kapaun No School	26 TBD  No School	27 TBD No School	28 8am Latin Mass Confession 4-5 5:30 PM Mass
29 8:30 & 10:30 Masses Lord's Pantry	30 No Mass					