

# SUNDAY, APRIL 18, 2010

## LITURGIES FOR THE WEEK

Monday, April 19	8:00am	+Mary Jo McElmeel
Tuesday, April 20	8:00am	Morning Prayer
Wednesday, April 21	8:00am	+Jim Schreck
Confirmation Mass	7:00pm	Confirmandi
Thursday, April 22	1:30pm	Manor Care Nursing Home
Friday, April 23	8:15am	+Louis Eversoll



## WEEKEND LITURGIES

Saturday, April 24	4:00pm	+Verlin VanNatta
Sunday, April 25	9:00am	+Frank Dunn

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

3rd Sunday of Easter: Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41/Rv 5:11-14/Jn 21:1-19.  
 Monday: Acts 6:8-15/Jn 6:22-29.  
 Tuesday: Acts 7:51; 8:1a/Jn 6:30-35.  
 Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8/Jn 6:35-40.  
 Thursday: Acts 8:26-20/Jn 6:44-51.  
 Friday: Acts 9:1-20/Jn 6:52-59.  
 4th Sunday of Easter: Acts 13:14, 43-52/Rv 7:9, 14b-17/Jn 10:27-30.  
*World Day of Prayer for Vocations*

## JUST A REMINDER

Pastoral Council and Trustee nominations are due next weekend April 25 and 26.

## REFLECTION

*"Peter was distressed that Jesus had said to him a third time, 'Do you love me?' and he said to him, 'Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Feed my sheep.'" - John 21:17*  
 All of us are challenged to show our love for Jesus by "feeding His sheep." We are called to help those who are less fortunate. One way that we can do this is through the Annual Catholic Appeal. This year, take time to ask God if you are giving as much as He wants you to give.

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

St. Mary Parish will be hosting the Church Women United Fellowship Luncheon on May 7th at 12 noon. Tickets are \$5 and can be purchased from Lorraine at the Parish Office. Everyone is invited.

## ST. MARY SCHOOL MUSICAL

Come see **I Witness News: Live From Jericho**

St. Mary School students are performing this musical at the City Hall Auditorium on Friday, April 16 & Saturday, April 17 at 7pm; and Sunday, April 18 at 2pm. Tickets are \$5 for adults, \$3 for children 5-12, No charge for children 4 and under with parent.

## SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION AT ST. MARY'S THIS WEDNESDAY AT 7PM.

St. Augustine, St. Mary, St. Philomena, St. Michael, Immaculate Conception, Holy Rosary, St. Matthew and St. Charles Parishes will celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation in our church with Bishop Robert Morlino as our celebrant. Please keep the confirmation candidates and their sponsors in your prayers.

**SACRAMENT OF FIRST COMMUNION** will be celebrated at St. Mary's this Saturday, April 24th at 4pm Mass.

Please keep the First Communicants in your prayers.

## With Sympathy

We extend our sympathy to the families of Kathryn Quinn, whose sister, Anna Donahoe died April 2nd; Chad (Amy) Phole, whose grandmother, Patricia Phole, died April 2nd; and to Anna Weigel, whose husband, Richard, died Tuesday, April 13.

*Eternal rest grant unto them Oh, Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace.*



## ST. MARY'S ANNUAL SALAD SUPPER

Tuesday, April 27, 4:30 - 7pm

Adults \$6; children ages 2 - 9, \$3; No charge for children under 2.

This is a casserole, salad & dessert buffet with a Special "kid friendly" section.

Raffle tickets will be sold at the door. Raffle prizes include: hand quilted queen size quilt, outdoor plant stand, one hour massage, gold tea set, wine basket, strawberry basket with treats, \$100 scrip certificate and grapevine wreath.

Sat., April 24 4:00pm	Sun., April 25 9:00am
<b>Altar Servers</b>	
Zach Klein Jenny Lin Alex Meekma Zoe Meir	Katie Melssen Stephanie Momot Vince Momot Cole Reuter
<b>Lectors &amp; Leader of Prayer</b>	
Nekole Frommelt Kevin Bernhardt Deacon Bill Bussan	Jackie Kieler Nancy Salzmänn Deacon Bill Bussan
<b>Sacristan</b>	
Fay Stone	Nancy Salzmänn
<b>Music Ministry</b>	
Martha & Children	Open Ensemble
<b>Greeters</b>	
Mike McDermott Tony & Jane Meekma Gary & Nancy Pothour Cecelia Russell	Jerry McCabe Connie Powers Cynthia Powers Mary Ann Shultz Jan Siegert Walt Wisnewski
<b>SCRIP</b>	
Jane Meekma	Julie Tashner

## THANKS TO THE RCIA TEAM

It is with great joy that the RCIA team gathers with our newly baptized and confirmed members in the faith at our closing prayer service and potluck. We send them off, with our blessing, to be active and fully participating members of the Catholic Church. As this year's sessions come to a close I am fully aware of the wonderful blessing that the RCIA Team has been for me as I journeyed through my first year at St. Mary. I thank each of them for their support and willingness to participate in each session as leaders of prayer, scripture and topic presentation. I really appreciate the huge commitment of their presence every Tuesday night. So, thanks again to you, Patti Eggers, Nekole Frommelt, Twila & Mark Zidon & Stan Abing. Thanks also to Msgr. Charles and Dee Bernhardt for contributing to our planning meetings and for all of your topic presentations throughout the year. Linda

## SCHOOL NEWS

**Annual Spring Garbage Bag Sale**- back by popular demand. Please contact a student or call the school office 348-5806 by Friday April 23rd.

**Homemade Cinnamon Roll Sale** Sunday, April 25 after 9:00 Mass.

**Student Council Bake Sale** after Masses May 1 & 2.

**Garage Sale** St. Mary's Home and School is having their annual garage sale on Saturday, May 8<sup>th</sup> from 6:30am -2pm. Your donations would be greatly appreciated. Items can be dropped off during school hours on Wednesday and Thursday, May 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> at the Cedar Street entrance across from the church. (same location as other years) Our goal is to raise \$1,500.

Please no adult clothing, beds, mattresses, or exercise equipment!

Extra bags and small to medium boxes needed.

*Thanks for your support, St. Mary's Home and School*

**St. Mary's Auction News!!** - The auction was a HUGE success thanks to all who helped, came out to enjoy the evening!! We raised \$37,300 to help with expenditures related to the purchase of St. Mary's School and Religious Education Center. *Thanks to all !!!!*

The **Platteville Children's Choir** will be presenting their spring concert at the Platteville High school auditorium at 3pm on Sunday, April 25. Admission is \$5 for adults, \$3 for students, preschool free.

The **Platteville Chorale together with UWP Symphony Band** will be giving a concert in the Brodbeck Concert Hall in the Center For the Arts at 7:30pm on Wednesday, April 28. Admission is free.

## Vintage Style Show and Afternoon Tea

Saturday, May 1 at 2pm at Lancaster Congregational Church 225 S. Madison St. - For tickets call Shirley Bowden 348-4869. Advanced Tickets \$10; Tickets at the door \$12, Handicapped accessible. Seating limited to 100 guests. Benefit Cunningham Museum and Grant County Historical Society.

## St. Augustine University Parish Annual Spring Festival Sunday, May 2

Come and enjoy the BBQ Chicken & Ham Dinner being served from 11:30 am-2:00 pm. There will be games, a silent auction and a Raffle. Raffle tickets are available at the parish office - Grand prize is \$1,000 cash and there are over \$1,000 in other cash prizes as well as gift certificates and other items.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

**Wed., April 14:** Teacher wrap up meeting, 3:30pm.

**Sun., April 18:** @ St Mary's, Confirmation Practice 4pm.

**Monday, April 19:** First Eucharist Retreat 6:00-8:30pm.

6:00-7:30pm child only; Parents from 7:30-8:30 pm.

**Wednesday April 21:** Class Grades 1-6, at St. Mary's 3:30pm.

## THIS WEEK AT ST. MARY'S.

**Sunday** - School Musical, 2pm.

**Tuesday** - Mission Sewing, 8:30 - 10:30am.

**Wednesday** - Rel. Ed. See below.

**Thursday** - Pastoral Council mtg., 7pm.

**Friday** - Scripture Sharing, 9am.

## BAPTISM



Congratulations to Chad and Amanda Digman, whose daughter, Allison Mae was baptized last weekend. May she always find joy in being part of God's family!

## THANK YOU

I wish to thank each of you for your prayers, gifts, cards, visits, food and support during my hospitalization. And a special thank you to Msgr Schluter for all your visits. Your thoughtfulness will never be forgotten. Evelyn Lange



Capital Campaign Update	
Total Pledge To Date	\$1,878,946.42
Number of Donors	418
Cash Payments to Date	\$ 753,696.65

## THRIFT SHOP TO HOST ANNUAL MEETING

The Platteville Shop's annual meeting and volunteer appreciation event will be April 18 at 2pm at the Community Evangelical Free Church. Dixie Clifton will be the guest speaker. Refreshments will be provided and games of Bingo will be offered. To make reservations call the Platteville Thrift Shop at 348-7947.

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