

SUNDAY, MARCH 11, 2012

LITURGIES FOR THE WEEK

Mon., March 12	6:30am	TLM	<i>(Feria)</i>	
	8:15am	+Jeffrey McPhail		
Tues., March 13	6:30am	TLM	<i>(Feria)</i>	
	8:15am	+Paul Klinger		
Wed., March 14	6:30am	TLM	<i>(Feria)</i>	
	8:15am	+Bernard & Katharine Rosemeyer		
Thurs., Mar. 15	6:30am	TLM	<i>(Feria)</i>	
	8:15am	+Eldon Lynch		
	10:30am	+Lowell Kahle	Manor Care Nursing Home	
Fri., Mar. 16	6:30am	TLM	<i>(Feria)</i>	
	8:15am	+Doris McCabe		
Sat., March 17	8:00am	TLM	<i>(Feria)</i>	
WEEKEND LITURGIES				
Sat., March 17	4:00pm	+Leo Margan		
Sun., March 18	9:00am	+Ardell Craugh		
	12:00nn	Hispanic Mass		

*Wednesdays
24 hour
Eucharistic Adoration*

Private Reconciliation
every day, one hour
before each Mass.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Third Sunday of Lent

Ex 17:3-7—Rom 5:1-2, 5-8—Jn 4:5-42

Monday: Lenten Weekday

2 Kgs 5:1-15b

Tuesday: Lenten Weekday

Dn 3:25, 34-43—Mt 18:21-35

Wednesday: Lenten Weekday

Jon 3:1-10—Lk 11:29-32

Thursday: Lenten Weekday

Jer 7:23-28—Lk 11:14-23

Friday: Lenten Weekday

Hos 14:2-10—Mk 12:28-34

Saturday: Lenten Weekday

St. Patrick, Bishop

Hos 6:1-6—Lk 18:9-14

Fourth Sunday of Lent

2 Chr 36:14-16, 19-23—Eph 2:4-10—Jn 3:14-21



Readers of the Word

There will be a training session for all Readers on Saturday, March 10 after the 4:00 Mass and again on Sunday, March 11 after 9:00. We have a new sound system, new microphones and some new procedures we need to learn. If you are a reader or would like to become one, please plan to attend one of these sessions. All are welcome to join this rich Ministry.



CONGRATULATIONS to

Chad & Amanda Digman, whose daughter, Aubrey Rose was baptized last weekend.

May she always find joy in being part of God's family!

At St. Mary's on Wednesdays during Lent confessions will be heard from 6pm—7pm

Stations of the Cross: Fridays after the 5pm Mass during Lent at St. Augustine Parish

"A simple soup supper will follow the Stations on Friday, March 30
in the St. Augustine Parish Hall. All are welcome."

Mass Musician Volunteers Needed—We are looking for additional people that would be willing to play for Mass. Very often all of our current musicians have other activities on the weekend and we could use someone to sub. If you have this talent and are willing to share with us, please call Dana Lau 348-9134 or Linda in the parish office 348-9735. The choirs are also looking for additional membership. Please call Deb Faherty 348-3237 or Dana Lau if you are able to join us in song. Thanks for sharing your gifts.

Donations for Easter flowers—St. Mary Parish and the CCW are seeking donations to defray the cost of flowers and decorations. Envelopes for donations for particular items are on a table by the center entrance of church and can be dropped in the collection basket or at the parish office. If you wish your gift to be a memorial, please indicate this on the envelope so we may acknowledge it.

Saturday, March 17 4:00pm		Sunday, March 18 9:00am
David Drefcinski John Drefcinski	Altar Servers	Gabe Tashner Noah Tashner Vince Momot
	Lector & Leader of Prayer	
Kent Scheuerell Angie Boldt		Jim Rosemeyerf Jessica Clifton Connie McCabe
Rose Kuhn	Sacristan	Karla Melssen
Kathy & Youth Choir	Music Ministry	Classic Choir
	Greeters	Jack Fogel Connie Powers Cynthia Powers
Linda Schmidt	Rosary Leaders	Virgil Splinter
Kelly Shea	Scrip	Patti Eggers

Reflection—"You shall not carve idols for yourselves in the shape of anything..." -



Exodus 20:4

Have you created idols for yourself in different shapes? An idol can be in the shape of money, sports, fashion, travel, or anything else we value more than God and His Word to us.

PARISH COOKBOOKS

are on sale for \$10 each. Cookbooks can be purchased at the parish office during office hours and in the hospitality room after weekend Masses.

ST. MARY PARISH GIVING

Needed to operate each week \$11,500.00

March 4, 2012

Weekly Envelopes.....\$5,891.00
Weekly Average Electronic Funds \$1,300.00
Offertory.....\$ 278.00
School operating Fund (past week).. \$ 840.00

Thank you for your generosity!

ST. MARY PARISH FOOD PANTRY

sponsored by Catholic Charities and Second Harvest **Friday, March 16.** **Help is always needed to unload, distribute food and cleanup.** Food is distributed from 11:15am-12:15pm in school gym. Fresh produce, canned goods, breads, meat. Free, no qualifications, all welcome. **Bring your own container to take food home.**

Change of Seasons sells second-hand clothing. A person can drop clothes off there and earn money for what they sell of yours. St. Mary's Parish and School has an account (account number **4027**). People can drop clothes off at Change of Seasons and give them the 4027 account number. *Any profits will then go to Home & School.*

Currently Change of Seasons is accepting **spring and summer clothing -- through May 31st.** Please feel free to drop off your used clothing sometime in the next several weeks!

Thank you so much for your continued support of our parish and our school!

THANK YOU

St. Mary Home and School thanks you for your continued support of the annual Fish Fry. We were able to raise \$4,054.83 in total profit. We would also like to thank the school families for their hard work and donations, as well as the following area businesses: Bill's Plumbing and Heating, Charter Fuels, Knights of Columbus, Lange Farms, Martin Brothers Distributing, Piggly Wiggly, St. Augustine University Parish, Tashner Vision Clinic, Ubersox Chrysler, UW-Platteville, Walmart, and Weygant's Appliance.

St. Mary's Second Annual Irish Fest will be held Saturday, March 31, 2012 from 5:00 to 10:00 PM. This year's Irish Fest will be held in St Mary's School. (Adams St Entrance) The events for the evening include: The Kells Live in Concert, Irish Dancers, an Irish Sing-a-long with Deb's Choir. There will also be a Dart competition, games for the kids and a raffle. The cover charge will be: Family - \$30, Adults-\$10, HS & UWP Students - \$7, Kids 6-13 - \$5 and under 5 no charge. Irish food and drink will be sold. All proceeds go to St. Mary's School. Raffle tickets will be sold after weekend Masses. Any questions concerning the Irish Fest can be directed to Connie & Jerry McCabe (348-8336) and with raffle questions to Dave & Donna Swanson (348-4754).

SCRIP NEWS

Scrip sales for February came in at \$25,005 and profits totaled \$1,208.90. Thanks to all who support our program! YTD (7/1/11 - 2/29/12) sales (8 months) are \$269,746 and YTD profits total \$14,072. Please continue to use scrip year round for all of your groceries, gas, gifts and dining out purchases. Scrip is available after all weekend Masses and at the school office weekdays. Please contact Dianne Jentz at 348-3288 or Carol Bass at the school office (348-5806) with any questions.

PRAYER LINE

Anyone requesting prayer may call [348-6041](tel:348-6041). Please call in the morning between 8am & 9am. If no answer please leave your prayer.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Sunday, March 11—Confirmation class, 5:30 pm.

Wednesday, March 14—Grades 1–6, class, 3:30pm.

Wednesday, March 14—Grades 7-10, class, 7pm.



THIS WEEK AT ST. MARY'S

Sunday—KC Pancake Breakfast

Tuesday—Mission Sewing, 8:30am.

Wednesday—

Religious Education News, (see below).

Friday—Spring Break begins, 4pm.

Easter Food Baskets

Easter is fast approaching and we again need donated food for our baskets. Our Easter menu is ham, canned fruit, vegetables, cake mix and frosting, Mac and cheese, pudding, Jello, butter or margarine, dinner rolls, eggs & candy. If you are on our list to be called for food donations you will be called soon. If you are not on the list and wish to be called please notify Linda. If you just want to drop off some of the non-perishable food items you can place them in the food bins in the entry-ways. If you have items that you want to donate that are not on the menu we will take all items. Some of the families on our list have four or six children and extra food or supplies are always needed.

Thanks again for your past help with the food basket project and for your continued support in supplying food for those who are less fortunate in our community. Linda

Take a Closer Look at College Seminary!

Go with young men (ages 16-22) from the Diocese of Madison for a weekend visit to Immaculate Heart of Mary Seminary on the campus of Saint Mary University in Winona, MN. It is a chance for men to informally visit the seminary, sit-in on some classes at the university, and get to know a seminary from the inside-out without any pressure of commitment. The entire trip is free. The dates of the trip are early Thursday afternoon, March 29th through Saturday afternoon, March 31st. For more information, contact Rev. Paul Ugo Arinze of the Diocese of Madison at [608-821-3095](tel:608-821-3095) or vocations@straphael.org.

HOME & SCHOOL

All Sports Spectacular! St. Mary School Dinner and Auction—Saturday, April 21, 2012

5:00pm Social/Silent Auction—6:00pm Dinner

7:00 Live Auction—at UW-P- Ullsvik Center

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