

SUNDAY, MARCH 4, 2012

LITURGIES FOR THE WEEK

Mon., March 5	6:30am	TLM	(Feria)
	8:15am	+Kelly Kies	
Tues., March 6	6:30am	TLM	(Feria)
	8:15am	+Jeanette & Donald Fritz & Maynard Reisen	
Wed., March 7	6:30am	TLM	(Feria)
	8:15am	+Judy Berning	
Thurs., Mar. 8	6:30am	TLM	(Feria)
	8:15am	+Dale Kettler	
	10:30am	+Lowell Kahle	Manor Care Nursing Home
Fri., Mar. 9	6:30am	TLM	(Feria)
	8:15am	+Allen Blackburn	
Sat., March 10	8:00am	TLM	(Feria)
WEEKEND LITURGIES			
Sat., March 10	4:00pm	+Bill Hying	
Sun., March 11	9:00am	+Francis & Christina Vosberg	
	12:00nn	Hispanic Mass	

Wednesdays
24 hour
Eucharistic Adoration

Private Reconciliation
every day, one hour
before each Mass.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Second Sunday of Lent

Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18—Rom 8:31b-34
Mk 9:2-10

Monday: Lenten Weekday

Dn 9:4b-10—Lk 6:36-38

Tuesday: Lenten Weekday

Is 1:10, 16-20

Wednesday: Lenten Weekday

Jer 18:18-20—Mt 20:17-28

Thursday: Lenten Weekday

Jer 17:5-10—Lk 16:19-31

Friday: Lenten Weekday

Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a—Mt 21:33-43, 45-46

Saturday: Lenten Weekday

Mi 7:14-15, 18-20—Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

Third Sunday of Lent

Ex 17:3-7—Rom 5:1-2, 5-8—Jn 4:5-42



St. Augustine Parish

Stations of the Cross: Fridays after the 5pm Mass during Lent.

With Sympathy

We extend our sympathy to the family of: Mary Lu (Larry) Welch, whose sister, JoAnn Maiers, died Sunday, February 26.

Eternal rest grant unto her Oh, Lord and let perpetual light shine upon her. May she rest in peace.

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.

Diocese of Madison—Annual Catholic Appeal 2012

Next weekend, Father Faustino, our pastor will lead the in-pew process for the Annual Catholic Appeal. Those who have not made a pledge by mail will be asked to do so at this time.

Please read the annual appeal tabloid that is in your bulletin today. It provides a detailed explanation of the use of the funds that you are asked to give. In addition to funding the work of the diocese, if the appeal reaches goal it will reach out through a grants program to help Catholic schools, religious education programs and assist distressed parishes in need.

Each household is asked to make a generous gift. In doing so, please consider making a pledge, payable over five months.

One member of each household will be asked to fill out the commitment envelope next weekend.

Thank you for your support of our parish, Diocese and the work of the Church throughout the world.

Saturday, March 10 4:00pm		Sunday, March 11 9:00am	
Max Frommelt Mick Frommelt	Altar Servers	John Drefcinski David Drefcinski Andy Eggers	
	Lector & Leader of Prayer		
Angie Boldt Nekole Frommelt		Dee Woolf Mark Ihm Diane Eherenman	
Bob Busch	Sacristan	Connie McCabe	
Open Ensemble	Music Ministry	Classic Choir	
Rosie Hying	Greeters	Rita Eversoll Jan Siegert Terry & Dee Woolf	
Lorraine Flogel	Rosary Leaders	Jeanette Klaas	
Connie Busch	Scrip	Jamie Dreger	

Reflection—"Here I am!" he answered." - Genesis 22:11



calls us to be.

It is easy to say, "Here I am, Lord," when we are kneeling in church. Can we just as easily answer, "Here I am, Lord," when we go home, when a neighbor needs our help, when a fellow parishioner asks us to join a committee, or when a letter asks for our financial help? These are often exactly the places where Jesus

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

February 26, 2012

Weekly Envelopes.....\$3,388.00

Weekly Average Electronic Funds \$1,300.00

Offertory.....\$ 342.00

School operating Fund (past week).. \$ 371.00

Thank you for your generosity!

St. Augustine's Annual FISH FRY—Friday, March 9th, 4:30-7:00 pm
Serving deep fried and baked fish, baked potato, salad & rolls, beverage & dessert. Ticket price: \$9 adult; \$8.00 seniors, UWP & High School students; \$4.00 grade K-8; no charge for those under 5. Carry outs available.

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.

Custodian Position Open

St. Mary Catholic School is currently seeking candidates for the position of Custodian. The successful candidate will usually work six hours per day from 3:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., except when some snow and ice removal is required early in the morning and during the day. A typical work week will be 30 hours. Interested persons should send a letter of interest to Fr. Faustino Ruiz, Pastor, St. Mary Parish, 130 W. Cedar St., Platteville, WI 53818 by Friday, March 9, 2012.

KEEP THE DATE OPEN—Saturday, April 14 after the 4pm Mass.
An Appreciation Potluck Supper for the Funeral Luncheon Ladies. More information to follow.

We apologize for the misspelling of Andrea Kunz, who is preparing for First Eucharist.

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. Cover charge tickets and raffle tickets will be sold after weekend Masses. Please see the enclosed bulletin inserts for more raffle information. 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).

Single men of all ages are invited to the Quo Vadis Discernment evening on Friday, March 9th from 6:30 to 9:00 P.M. at the Holy Redeemer Rectory House of the Cathedral Parish, 120 W. Johnson St., in downtown Madison.

Join us for free pizza, prayer, social, and Fr. Jorge Antonio Miramontes, Parochial Vicar at St. Bernard Church, Watertown, WI, will be giving his vocation story. We'll conclude with a brief Eucharistic Adoration.

For more information, contact Rev. Paul Ugo Arinze at 608-821-3095 or Paul.Arinze@straphael.org

IN THE AREA

Sunday, March 11—St. Francis de Sales, Hazel Green—Euchre Card Party
Lunch will be served at 12noon. Cards will follow immediately after lunch.

PRAYER LINE

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

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Sunday, March 4—Confirmation class, 4:30 pm.

Wednesday, March 7—Grades 1–6, class, 3:30pm.

First Eucharist second session.

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

THIS WEEK AT ST. MARY'S

Sunday—Homemade Cinnamon Roll Sale.

Monday—KC monthly meeting.

Tuesday—Mission Sewing, 8:30am.

Wednesday—Liturgy, 10:30am.
Religious Education News, (see below).

Thursday—PCC Outreach, 7pm.

Sunday—Daylight Savings Time begins.
KC Pancake Breakfast

Thank You!

Our thanks go out to Corky and Julie Phillips for the new steel door that they had installed at the East entrance of St. Mary's Gym. Our building will be more secure with the new steel door.

KC NEWS

Monthly meeting, March 5th

4th Degree, 7pm. Regular meeting, 7:30pm

Pancake Breakfast March 11th

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 entryways. 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

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

Catholic Relief Services'

Operation Rice Bowl; throughout Lent, we will pray, fast, learn and give, as a way to reach out in solidarity with our brothers and sisters around the world. Please be sure to take home a Rice Bowl packet and follow this simple yet powerful Lenten practice and return them Palm Sunday.

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