

# SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2012

## LITURGIES FOR THE WEEK

Mon., Sept. 10	6:30am	For the Mike Winter Family TLM ( <i>St. Nicholas of Tolentino</i> )	
	8:00am	+Ruth Hentrich	
Tues., Sept. 11	6:30am	Reparation of the sins and salvation of the Jim Stelpflug family TLM ( <i>Feria</i> )	
	8:00am	+Clarence Berning	
Wed., Sept. 12	6:30am	Reparation of the sins and salvation of the Jim Stelpflug family TLM ( <i>Most Holy Name of Jesus</i> )	
	8:00am	Intention of Della Mae Voigts	
Thurs., Sept. 13	6:30am	Reparation of the sins and salvation of the Jim Stelpflug family TLM ( <i>Feria</i> )	
	8:00am	+Margaret Conrad	<i>Thursdays</i> <i>Eucharistic Adoration</i>
	10:30am	(Manor Care Nursing Home)	
Friday, Sept. 14	6:30am	Reparation of the sins and salvation of the Jim Stelpflug family ( <i>Feria</i> )	
	8:00am	+Melissa Flogel	
Saturday, Sept. 15	8:00am	Reparation of the sins and salvation of the Jim Stelpflug family TLM ( <i>BVM</i> )	
WEEKEND LITURGIES			
Saturday, Sept. 15	4:00pm	+Murt Shea	Private Reconciliation every day, <u>one hour</u> before each Mass.
Sunday, Sept. 16	9:00am	+Robert & Alverna Kopp	
	12:00nn	Hispanic Mass	



## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

**23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
Is 35:4-7a—Jas 2:1-5—Mk 7:31-37

**Monday—Weekday**  
1 Cor 5:1-8—Lk 6:6-11.

**Tuesday—Weekday**  
1 Cor 6:1-11—Lk 6:12-19.

**Wednesday—The Most Holy Name of Mary.**  
From Com of BVM

**Thursday—St. John Chrysostom**  
From Com of Pas 1748 or D 1777

**Friday—The Exaltation of the Holy Cross.**  
Num 21:4b-9—Jn 3:13-17.

**Saturday—Our Lady of Sorrows**  
Heb 5:7-9—Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35.

**24th Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
Is 50:5-9a—Jas 2:14-18—Mk 8:27-35.

## REFLECTION—23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Did not God choose those who are poor in the world to be rich in faith and heirs of the kingdom that he promised to those who love him?" (James 2:5)  
What is more important – being rich in faith or rich in possessions? Society teaches us that possessions are most important. God teaches a different lesson. When we are rich in faith we know that material things really do not matter and we are more willing to share what we have.

## WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

In the reading today we see how God loves us and wants to heal us and give us life abundantly. God also wants us to love one another with the same kind of love. Attend a Marriage Encounter weekend and learn how to truly love your spouse unconditionally. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends are Sept. 14-16 in Crystal Lake, IL; Oct. 26-28 in Brookfield, WI and Nov 16-18 in Rockford, IL. Early registration is highly recommended. For more information visit our website at: [alifetimeoflove.org](http://alifetimeoflove.org) or call (888) 574-5653.

## ADORATION

Adoration is now on Thursdays.

## ST. MARY PARISH GIVING

September 2, 2012

Weekly Envelopes.....\$4,739.00  
Weekly Average Electronic Funds. \$1,000.00  
Offertory..... \$ 297.00

**Thank you for your generosity!**

## USHERS WANTED

We are looking for men or women who would be interested in ushering at Mass. If interested please contact Joe Melssen at 723-2649 after 5pm. Thank you.

Sunday Mass on September 30th

will be at 9:30am.

The Hispanic Mass

will be celebrated at St. Augustine at noon.

Saturday, Sept. 15 4:00pm	Sunday, Sept. 16 9:00am
<b>Altar Servers</b>	
Max Frommelt Mic Frommelt	John Drefcinski David Drefcinski Vince Momot
<b>Lector &amp; Leader of Prayer</b>	
John Pluemer Kent Scheuerell	Mark Ihm Connie McCabe Sue Momot
<b>Sacristan</b>	
Connie Koeller	Linda Hess
<b>Music Ministry</b>	
Open Ensemble	Classic Choir
<b>Greeters</b>	
Tammie VanNatta	Jerry McCabe Dave & Donna Swanson
<b>Rosary Leaders</b>	
Rose Kuhn	Drefcinski Family

## SCRIP NEWS

Here are the cards with which the SCRIP program will try to keep on hand at all times: Culvers, Kwik Trip, Lands' End (also good at Kmart and Sears), Piggly Wiggly, Walgreens and Walmart. The sales that we do after weekend Masses do cause our inventory to be somewhat depleted when Monday comes around each week, so thank you for your patience with our low inventory in the office. We are happy to special order any card you would like, so come look at our list of retailers. We still have cards for Jumpin' Janes in Dubuque, and if anyone is interested in purchasing those, it would help us greatly. We have to keep our inventory moving! Thank you very much for your support.

## CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

Children's Liturgy of the Word resumes September 9th here at St. Mary's Church. Children's Liturgy of the Word is a program of worship offered at our 9:00 am Sunday Mass for children ages 4 through First Holy Communion. Children participating learn the celebration of God's presence in His word as well as appreciate Mass Scripture.

If anyone is interested in helping with this program, it would be greatly appreciated. You may contact Diane Drefcinski 348-3937 or Lisa Schmitt at 348-5743 if you have questions.

## AT ST. CLEMENT PARISH, LANCASTER

The Letter of James performed by well known Frank Runyeon at St. Clement Parish, 135 S. Washington St, Lancaster, Wednesday, Sept 12 at 7pm. Free will offering.

## TRASH & TREASURE ITEMS

### Are you doing your fall cleaning?

Save household, toys, and other items for the Festival Treasure Chest. (No clothing except for children's costumes). Contact Diane Drefcinski at 348-3937 if you have questions or want to make arrangements to drop off your items in September.

## RCIA

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adult begins in October. Catholics wishing to complete their sacraments of initiation, Eucharist or Confirmation or adults wanting to become a full member of the Catholic Church, please contact Fr. John, 348-7530 or Linda Schmidt 348-9735.

## Thrift Shop News

Change Over week at the Thrift Shop is September 10 – 14. On Monday all items will be 50% off, Tuesday \$3 a bag, Wednesday \$2 a bag, Thursday \$1.00 a bag 9-Noon, Thursday Noon -5 & Friday 9-11 Free. The shop will close at 11 and volunteers will bring out new all new items. Linda Schmidt is the board member contact for St. Mary, please contact her if you want to volunteer at the shop. Duties include putting out merchandize and running a very simple cash register. New volunteers are always needed. Thank you to all of you who continue to support the shop with your time and donations. Linda

## THANK YOU

A special thank you to all those who contributed to the purchase of our new hymnals. We will be using them for the first time in Advent.

Liturgy Meeting—September 14th at 6pm.

## Coming together for the Roger Egan Family

Red Cross Blood Mobile—Saturday, Sept. 22 from 8am-noon at the United Methodist Church, 401 S. Main St., Cuba City. Call the Red Cross Blood Mobile for an appointment or questions at 800-733-2767.

## PARISH FESTIVAL WEEKEND — SEPTEMBER 30TH

Sign up sheets are in church for donations and work times. The events this year include a brat, burger and beverage event with a dart tournament and Steve Malone's "Just One More Band", on Saturday, September 29 from 5pm-9pm.

On Sunday, September 30 Festival Day begins with a 9:30am Mass followed by the broasted Kalmes' Chicken dinner served from 11am-2pm with carry outs available until 3pm.

There will be games, brats, burgers and beverages, Granny's kitchen, Treasure Chest, beanbag tourney and cake walk.

The next meeting of the committees will be Wednesday, September 12 at 7pm in church hall.

## TELEPHONE PRAYER NETWORK



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

## EVENTS IN THE AREA

### St. Francis de Sales Parish, Hazel Green—September 9

Fall Festival. Activities will include: 10:15am. Mass. Charcoal grilled chicken dinner, serving from 11am-3 p.m. Cash raffle totaling \$3,000; variety booth; games for all ages, including 25 cent bingo; hamburger/brat stand; and beer tent.

### St. Thomas Parish, Montfort—September 9

Roast Beef and Ham dinner with all the fixing's, Country Store, Games for kids, Pull Tabs, Hollywood and a raffle.

### St. Josephs Parish, Dodgeville—September 14

All You Can Eat Family Style Fish Fry & Chicken Dinner 5-7:30 pm. Dinner Located in the School.

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