

SUNDAY, MARCH 3, 2013

LITURGIES FOR THE WEEK

Mon., March 4	6:30am	In reparation & salvation for Jim Stelpflug (St. Casimir of Poland) TLM	
	8:00am	+Bea Udelhoven	
Tues., March 5	6:30am	In reparation & salvation for Jim Stelpflug TLM (St. John Joseph of the Cross)	
	8:00am	For Brady Heller	<i>Thursdays Eucharistic Adoration</i>
Wed., March 6	6:30am	For Norm Dombrowski TLM (Sts. Perpetua and Felicitas)	
	8:00am	+Herman & Marian Beyer	
Thurs., March 7	6:30am	For Bill & Rose Baker TLM (St. Thomas Aquinas)	
	8:00am	For Linda Schmidt	
	10:30am	Manor Care Nursing Home	
Fri., March 8	6:30am	For Connie Koeller TLM (St. David of Wales)	
	8:00am	For Lorraine Wackershauser	
	5:15pm	STATIONS	
Sat., March 9	8:00am	For Joseph Diaz TLM (St. Dominic Savio)	
		WEEKEND LITURGIES	
Sat., March 9	4:00pm	+Murt Shea	Private Reconciliation every day, one hour before each Mass.
Sun., March 10	9:00am	+Robert & Alverna Kopp	
	12 noon	Hispanic Mass	

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

3rd Sunday of Lent: Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15—1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12—Lk 13:1-9—Jn 4:4-42.
Monday: St. Casimir
 2 Kgs 5:1-5b—Lk 4:24-30.
Tuesday: Lenten Weekday
 Dn 3:25, 34-43—Mt 18:21-35.
Wednesday: Lenten Weekday
 Dt 4:1, 5-9.—Mt 5:17-19.
Thursday: Sts Perpetua and Felicity, Martyrs.
 Jer 7:23-28—Lk 11:14-23.
Friday: St. John of God, Religious
 Hos 14:2-10—Mk 12:28-34.
Saturday: St. Francis of Rome
 Hos 6:1-6—Lk 18:9-14.
4th Sunday of Lent: Jos 5:9a, 10-12—2 Cor 5:17-21
 Lk 15:3, 11-32.

ST. MARY PARISH GIVING

February 24, 2013

Weekly Envelopes.....\$ 3,629.00
 Weekly Average Electronic Funds. \$ 1,000.00
 Offertory.....\$ 347.00

Thank you for your generosity!

Single men of all ages are invited to the **Quo Vadis Discernment evening** on **Friday, March 8th 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 **Very Rev. Tait C. Schroeder, Judicial Vicar, Diocese of Madison 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

REFLECTION—“3rd Sunday of Lent

“He said to the gardener, ‘For three years now I have come in search of fruit on this fig tree but have found none.’” (Luke 13:7)

Are we like the barren fig tree? What does God find when He searches for the fruits which we have given back? How will you respond when God asks you what you have done with all the gifts He has given you?

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

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Cinnamon roll profit for last weekend was \$359.00.

Thanks to everyone who purchased cinnamon rolls and also a special thank you to Diane Drefcinski and her workers!! Next Cinnamon Roll Sale is March 17th.

Weekly SCRIP profit \$50-\$75.00.

Lenten Fish Fry profit \$2,291.98.

MONDAY, APRIL 1—‘FOOD FOR KIDZ’ organization from Stewart MN will again bring dehydrated ingredients for us to bag on Monday, April 1 from 3pm-7pm. We will be packaging food for shipment to hungry children within the United States and around the world.

YOU ARE NEEDED!!! Packaging will take place over a 5 hour block of time, the first shift is from 3-5pm and the second shift is 5-7pm. You are welcome to come for either shift or for both shifts. Approximately 150 volunteers are needed for each shift. We especially encourage young people to assist in the packaging, whether they can make a financial contribution or not.

Contact person is Carol Demert, 301 Wyota St., Cassville WI 53806. Phone 725-5400. There are registration forms in back of church.

Saturday, March 9 4:00pm		Sunday, March 10 9:00am
David Drefcinski	Altar Servers	Andy Eggers
John Drefcinski		RJ Schmidt
Duschan Vystrcil		Gabe Tashner
Joseph Vystrcil		Duschan Vystrcil Joseph Vystrcil
Lector & Leader of Prayer		
Kent Scheuerell		Dee Woolf
Nekole Frommelt		Sue Momot Jim Rosemeyer
Sacristan		
Dan Frommelt		Jeanette Klaas
Music Ministry		
Kim & Open Ensemble		Classic Choir
Greeters		
Rosie Hying		Rita Eversoll Connie & Cynthia Powers Jan Siegert
Rosary Leaders		
Rosie Kuhn		Diane Drefcinski & 7th graders

HOPE HOUSE

Volunteers are needed to prepare meals for Monday, March 4, Hope House meals. The sign up sheet is in back of church.

LENTEN OPPORTUNITIES

SCRIPTURE STUDY on the Sunday reading, Wednesdays at 2pm in the rectory.

ROSARY starting Monday, Feb. 18 (the 1st Monday in Lent) we will be saying the rosary in Mary's Chapel at 5pm. We will say the rosary at this time every, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday. If you have questions or concerns please feel free to call Barbara Stevenson at 717-387-1212.

ADORATION, THURSDAYS AFTER 8:00AM MASS. The rosary is at 8pm followed by Benediction. Please come at any time to be with Jesus. There is a new devotional in the basket on the sign-up table entitled *Meditations on the Eucharist* taken from the writings of St. Alphonsus Liguori to help your prayer.

STATIONS ON FRIDAYS AT 5:15PM March 8th & 15th.

PLATTEVILLE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY LENTEN RETREAT, March 9 at St. Augustine University Parish. The retreat will begin with Mass at 8am and followed by a light breakfast. The Talks are Deacon Bill—"Why We Do What We Do" and Fr. Pedro—"The Last Seven Words of Christ". Time for private reflection and confession. The retreat concludes with lunch.

ADULT FAITH March 13th. Jesus and the Gospels, the Messianic Fulfillment. The program begins at 7pm in the rectory meeting room. It is free and open to all.

LENTEN BOOK Study, Rediscover Catholicism. Led by Marge Karsten at her home on Saturday mornings. Give Marge a call at 348-5349 if you are interested.

CEMETERY NEWS

Rate Change effective June 1, 2013

Cost of Grave Space

Traditional 4 ft by 12ft grave space, \$550.

Burial Options

Option 1: A full or traditional burial (Vault Casket) in one grave space.

Option 2: A full traditional burial plus two cremations in one grave space with one head stone.

Option 3: Four cremations in one grave space with one head stone.

Burial Cost; Weekday, Weekends or Holidays

Grave Openings: Traditional \$600

Infants Vault \$300

Cremation Opening \$275

Cremation urns to be made of no disposable material.

Additional cost per hour for jack hammering or thawing frozen ground @\$90 per hour.

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.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Classes: Wednesday, March 6.

Grades 1-6, 3:30pm—4:45pm.

Grades 7-10, 7pm—8 pm.

Sunday, March 10th

Euchre Card Party

St. Francis de Sales Parish, Hazel Green, lunch will be served at 11:30. Cards will follow immediately after lunch.

THIS WEEK AT ST. MARY'S

Monday—Rosary, 5pm.

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

Tuesday—Mission Sewing, 8:30am.

Wednesday—Liturgy meeting, 9:15am
Religious Education (see below).

Scripture Study, 2pm in the rectory.

Rosary, 5pm.

Friday—Rosary, 5pm.

Stations, 5:15pm.

Saturday—PCC Lenten Retreat (8am-12 noon) at St. Augustine.

Sunday—KC Pancake Breakfast, 8am-11am.

EASTER FOOD BASKETS—We will soon be asking for donations for around 31 Easter Food Baskets. If you are on the donator list, you will be called the first week in March. If you are not on the list and want to be added, call Linda in the parish office. If you just want to drop something off in the food bins located in the entryways the items needed for the baskets are listed below. FYI: Any food dropped in the donation bins this month will be used for the Easter Food Baskets. Toiletries dropped in the bins will be handed out at the Mobile Pantry in March. Non-perishable food items needed are instant mashed potatoes, canned sweet potatoes, pork-n-beans, canned fruit or vegetables, macaroni and cheese, hamburger helper, cake mix and frosting. Monetary donations are needed also. Thank you for your generosity.

KC NEWS

Monday, March 4.

4th Degree meeting, 7pm.

Regular meeting, 7:30pm.

Pancake Breakfast, March 10, 8am 11am.

IRISH FESTIVAL—MARCH 8—ST. AUGUSTINE

Featuring Kathleen Keane (world renown Celtic Fiddler) March 8th, St. Augustine University Parish, Doors open at 5pm Free to students with ID—\$5.00 cover charge for all others Come for the entertainment, darts, food & drink, and FUN! All net proceeds go to the Newman Center Campus Ministry.

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