

# SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 2014

## LITURGIES FOR THE WEEK

Monday, February 3	8:00am	† David Paulson	
Tuesday, February 4	8:00am	† Donald H. Stelpflug	Eucharistic Adoration On Thursdays
Wednesday, February 5	8:00am	† Charles Opala	
Thursday, February 6	8:00am	† Bob Klaas	
	10:30am	Manor Care Nursing Home	
Friday, February 7	8:00am	† Emma Berning	
Saturday, February 8	8:00am	For Terry and Ann Meyer (TLM)	
		WEEKEND LITURGIES	
Saturday, February 8	4:00pm	† Jim Kuhn	Private Reconciliation every day, <u>one hour</u> before each Mass.
Sunday, February 9	9:00am	† Francis & Christina Vosberg	
	12noon	Hispanic Mass	

### The Presentation of the Lord

Mal 3:1-4—Heb 2:14-18—Lk 2:22-40.

**Monday:** St. Blaise, Bishop & Martyr.

2 Sm 15:13-14, 30, 16:5-13—Mk 5:1-20.

**Tuesday:** Weekday

2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30; 19:3.

Mk 5:21-43.

**Wednesday:** St. Agatha, Virgin & Martyr

2 Sm 24:2, 9-17—Mk 6:1-6.

**Thursday:** St. Paul Miki & Companions, Martyrs

1 Kgs 2: 1-4, 10-12—Mk 6:7-13.

**First Friday:** Weekday

Sir 47:2-11—Mk 6:14-29.

**Saturday:** St. Jerome Emiliani

1 Kgs 3:4-13—Mk 6:30-34.

**5th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Is 58:7-10—1 Cor 2:1-5—Mt 5:13-16.

## ST. MARY PARISH GIVING

*January 26, 2014*

Weekly Envelopes.....\$2,451.00

Offertory.....\$ 303.00

Weekly Average Electronic Funds \$1,000.00

**Thank you for your generosity!**

### *With Sympathy*

We extend our sympathy to the family of Katie Klinger, whose sister, Henrietta Jones, died Wednesday, January 29.

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

### GREETERS

Your schedule is ready for pick up at the north entrance on the greeter table.

Saturday, Feb. 8 4:00 pm		Sunday, Feb. 9 9:00am
Max Frommelt Mic Frommelt Joseph Vystrcil	<b>Altar Servers</b>	Gabe Tashner Dushan Vystrcil RJ Schmitt
<b>Lector &amp; Leader of Prayer</b>		
Barbara Stevenson		Terry Woolf Chris Brunette
Bob Busch		Lee Eggers
<b>Sacristan</b>		
Connie McCabe		Connie McCabe
<b>Musicians</b>		
Kim & Open Ensemble		Classic Choir
<b>Greeters</b>		
Carol Henry		Jerry McCabe
Christine Del Priore	<b>Rosary</b>	Joel Schaefer

### REFLECTION- The Presentation of the Lord

"...they brought him up to Jerusalem to present him to the Lord." Luke 2:22

Do we give the Lord the first fruits of our time every week by attending Mass? Do we set an example for our children and grandchildren by attending Mass and joyously participating in the celebration of Mass each week? How do we know what God wants us to do unless we communicate with Him?

**The upcoming Southwest Wisconsin CEW (Christian Experience Weekend)** will be held at Sinsinawa Mound Center, Sinsinawa, WI. The women's weekend will be Feb. 14-16, 2014. The men's weekend will be Feb. 21-23, 2014. These weekends begin at 7:00 PM Friday and end on Sunday at approximately 4:30 PM. If you want to do something special for yourself, attend a CEW weekend. Application forms are available in the church entrance. For more information on the women's weekend, call (608) 854-2196 or for the men's weekend, call (563) 590-8813 (cell) or (608)-748-4284. Weekends fill up fast. Applications will be taken on a first come, first served basis. The cost is \$65 but no one would be turned away.

### St. Mary Childcare and Preschool currently has openings!

St. Mary Childcare and Preschool has a curriculum based environment, great atmosphere for children and parents, a morning preschool program, as well as all day child care, before school care, and after school care. We have qualified, caring teachers and provide learning experiences for every child. We will also have another summer program in 2014 with lots of fun activities planned! St. Mary Childcare and Preschool takes ages 2 1/2-12 years, and our center runs all year round. We are open on snow days and when schools are closed for holidays!! Hours are 6:30-5:30.

If you have questions, or would like information about our tuition costs please call Director, Chelsey Lolwing at 348-3447. You can also stop in and take a tour.

### Habitat For Humanity — Will you Help Build it?

#### 2014 "Help Build It 2x4 Blitz Campaign"

A post is on the table in back of church. Anyone who would like to give an offering may sign the post with a prayer, scripture, words of encouragement or simply sign your name. All posts and donations will be used in the 2014 Habitat Home. Participants will be able to participate in the 'raising the walls' ceremony in the spring where we will be able to see our personalized board put in the home which is helping to provide a safe secure place for a deserving family.

**The St. Mary Annual Fish Fry is Friday, March 7 from 4:30-7:00 p.m.**

The parish has two major fund raisers a year; the Festival and the Fish Fry. We would like to have everyone volunteer in some way to help with one or the other of these fund raisers. We are going to divide our parishioner list in half and call to see in what capacity you might donate your time, talent or treasure to one of these fund raisers. Of course, if you are always gone in September and are here the first Sunday of Lent you could call the parish office and we will let our phone callers know to put you on the Fish Fry list. We will be calling our religious education families to get the youth involved. We would like our 4-10- graders to help busing tables, serving beverage refills and transporting fish. Thanks for thinking about how you can donate to our fund raisers.

FOR SALE....Used furnace in good condition. To see the furnace or to put in a bid, call Jerry McCabe - 348-8336.

**ST. MARY recently was bequested  
CROP AND HUNTING LAND FOR RENT**

235 TOTAL ACRES; 115 TILLABLE ACRES;  
Sec 25 Harrison Township, Grant County; 5 year leases; preference will be given to bids for both leases; send bids to:  
KJS, P.O. Box 253, Platteville WI 53818

A heartfelt "Thank You" to all of the parishioners of St. Mary's for their prayers and financial support of the 2014 Mission Team that was in Jamaica January 9 through 17. The lives of several poor Jamaican families were made significantly better because of you!! Through your support we added 13' X 14' additions to two homes and also built an outside kitchen for another family. In addition we did a variety of repairs on the rectory of Our Lady of the Assumption. This included replacing three doors, general plumbing repair, and general maintenance. We were also able to leave Br. Baylon with \$1500.00 to support the ongoing needs of the parish and community. None of the home sites we worked on had water and sewer. Only one had electricity. Each of the families were in desperate need of assistance. In one of the homes we added an addition to ... (27) family members lived in a small two room home!! Thank you again and may God bless each of you and your families throughout the New Year.  
Christ's Peace To You Always, Deacon Bill Bussan

**THIS WEEK AT ST. MARY'S**

**Monday**—KC Monthly Meeting

**Wednesday**—Liturgy Meeting, 9:15am.

Discussing the upcoming Sunday Readings with Fr. Faustino, 2-3pm.

Religious Education: see below.

**Thursday**—Sacristan meeting, 5:30pm.

**CLARITY CLINIC** which is a listening counseling agency for women or families with an unplanned pregnancy is now open. They offer free ultra-sounds. It will replace Pregnancy Helpline here in Platteville. They are located at 185 East Pine Street; phone number 606 348-5787 or 348-5788.

**ADULT FAITH**—The Platteville Area Catholic Adult Faith Formation program continues on the study of the Creed. Join us for 1 hour of teaching and discussion led by our own Fr. Faustino. On Wednesday, February 12 at 7:15pm. There is no cost. All are welcome. Please join us in the rectory meeting room for the talks.

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

1st Eucharist meeting, Tuesday, Feb. 4—6-7pm.

Wednesday, Feb. 5 Grades 1-5 from 6pm-7pm.

Grades 6-10 from 7:15-8:30pm.

**Confirmation** classes are on Wednesdays from 7:15 -8:30pm at St. Augustine.

Thanks to everyone that bought cinnamon rolls this past weekend. Also thanks to Diane Drefcinski and all her helpers who helped make and sell the cinnamon rolls. Profit was \$293.00.

<b>St. Mary Catholic Church</b>			
<b>Statement of Income &amp; Expense</b>			
<b>For the Quarter ended December 31, 2013</b>			
Income			
Offertory Income	\$69,169.00		
All Other Income	4,705.26		
Total Income		\$ 73,874.26	
Expense			
Salaries & Benefits	\$43,422.24		
Liturgical & Worship Expense	4,054.83		
Office & Administrative	9,175.34		
Repair & Maintenance	9,716.99		
Utilities	7,860.40		
Other Expense	7,004.88		
Assessment Expense	3,597.60		
Total Expense		84,832.28	
Net Income (Loss)		\$ (10,958.02)	
Outstanding Invoices 12/31/2013	\$87.10		

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