

# SUNDAY, JUNE 14, 2015

## LITURGIES FOR THE WEEK

Monday, June 15	8:00am	Healing for Charleigh Frederick
Tuesday, June 16	8:00am	† Robert & Alverna Kopp
Wednesday, June 17	8:00am	† Ken Cooper
Thursday, June 18	8:00am	† Mary Schneider
	10:30am	† Mildred Pitzen (Manor Care)
Friday, June 19	8:00am	† Mary Kruckenberg
	11:00am	Special Intention (RL) (Park Place)
Saturday, June 20	8:00am	Mary Jean Wienkes (TLM)
<b>WEEKEND LITURGIES</b>		
Saturday, June 20	4:00pm	† Bart Rice
Sunday, June 21	9:00am	† Gil & Marty Drager
	12 noon	Misa

**ST. MARY'S ROSARY GROUP**—If you were unable to attend the first meeting for the rosary maker's group and would still like to join please contact Katie Melssen. She would be willing to set up a time with you and get you started on making rosaries. Home Phone: (608) 723-2649. Email: melssenkati@gmail.com

### WITH SYMPATHY

We extend our sympathy to the family of Rosie Hying, whose sister, Eileen Jaeger, died Sunday, June 7. And to the family of Lee (Patti) Eggers, whose grandmother, Mary Jean Wienkes died Sunday, June 7th.

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

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

#### 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ez 17:22-24—2 Cor 5:6-10—Mk 4:26-34

**Monday:** 2 Cor 6:1-10—Mt 5:38-42.

**Tuesday:** 2 Cor 8:1-9—Mt 5:43-48.

**Wednesday:** 2 Cor 9:6-11—Mt 6:7-15.

**Thursday:** 2 Cor 11:1-11—Mt 6:7-15.

**Friday:** St. Romuald, Abbot

2 Cor 11:18, 21-30—Mt 6:19-23.

**Saturday:** .BVM 2 Cor 12:1-10—Mt 6:24-34.

*12th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

### REFLECTION— 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

“For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, so that each one may receive good or evil, according to what he has done in the body.”  
2 Corinthians 5:10

We are all accountable for the gifts God has given us on Earth – our time, talent and treasure. One day each of us will be asked by God what we did with those gifts. How will you respond?

### Prayers for Baby Grace

Please keep Baby Grace in your prayers, the daughter of Justin and Katie Grinnell, and granddaughter of Nancy Brunton who was born last weekend with a serious heart condition. She is in the UW Children's Hospital Intensive Care Unit, Madison.

### MOBILE FOOD PANTRY

Our next Mobile Food Pantry is this Friday, June 19th.

Help is always needed to unload, distribute food and clean up.

**Food will be distributed from 10am –11am.**

Fresh produce, canned goods, breads, meat.

**Private Reconciliation**—every day, one hour before each Mass & Thursdays after morning Mass until 9:30am.

**Eucharistic Adoration** on Thursdays begins after 8am Mass and concludes with Rosary and Benediction at 8pm. Adoration will now be in the Chapel.

**The Rosary** is prayed ½ hour before Mass — 3:30 at the Saturday 4pm Mass—8:30 at the Sunday 9am Mass.



*Congratulations to all our 2015 graduates  
of St. Mary & St. Augustine Parishes.  
Our prayers and good wishes go with you.*



### What is the Consecrated Life?

The evangelical basis of the consecrated life, which is a special way of following Christ, is to be sought in the relationship which Jesus established with some of his disciples, whom he called to imitate closely his own way of life.

In the consecrated life, baptismal consecration develops into a radical response in the following of Christ through acceptance of the evangelical counsels, the first and essential of which is the sacred bond of chastity for the sake of the Kingdom of Heaven.

cf. Pope Saint John Paul II, Vita Consecrata

### ST. MARY PARISH GIVING

June 7, 2015

Weekly Envelopes.....\$4,021.00  
Offeratory.....408.00  
Weekly Average Electronic Funds \$ 800.00

**Thank you for your generosity!**

Saturday, June 20 4:00 pm	Altar Servers	Sunday, June 21 9:00am
David Drefcinski	Altar Servers	Vince Momot
John Drefcinski		Joseph Vystrcil
Ben Drefcinski		Dushan Vystrcil
<b>Lector &amp; Leader of Prayer</b>		
Christine Del Priore		Chris Brunette
Kent Scheuerell		Diane Eherenman
		Jessica Clifton
<b>Sacristan:</b> Connie McCabe		Karla Melssen
<b>Music:</b> Kim & Youth		Classic Choir
<b>Rosary:</b> Rose Kuhn		Virgil Splinter

## June is National Hunger Awareness Month

Each June Catholic Charities, Diocese of Madison recognizes National Hunger Awareness Month by reminding people of our rural Parish Mobile Food Pantry program and thanking all of the dedicated parish volunteers.

In 2014 volunteers at 11 pantry sites served nearly 56,000 people and distributed 626 tons of food! Thank you to volunteers at the following parishes: Corpus Christi, Boscobel; Sacred Heart, Reedsburg; Ss. Anthony & Philip, Highland; St. John, Patch Grove; St. John Vianney, Janesville; St. Joseph, Ft. Atkinson; St. Mary, Platteville; St. Mary, Palmyra; St. Mary of the Most Holy Rosary, Pardeeville; St. Clare of Assisi, Monroe; and St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception, Portage.

If you have questions or would like more information about how to get your rural-area parish involved in the program please contact Sue Palm at 608-256-2358 or visit [ccmadison.org](http://ccmadison.org).

Today's readings talk about God's children being plants that grow, flourish and bear fruit. Do we reflect this in our own lives and in our marriage relationship? The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends are on July 31-Aug 2 in Madison, WI and Sept. 11-13 in Crystal Lake, IL. Early registration is highly recommended. For more information visit our website at:

[alifetimeoflove.org](http://alifetimeoflove.org) or call (888) 574-5653. For a fin de semana en Espanol in Chicago on Sept. 4-6 or Nov. 6-8, contact Andres y Maria at 630-229-2600.



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## SAVE THE DATE SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27 FOR OUR PARISH FESTIVAL

## WORD OF LIFE

"Pope Francis has captivated the world with his humility, warmth and compassion for each person. Vivid accounts of his tenderness for "the least of these"—the elderly, the imprisoned, those with disfiguring disabilities, the unborn, and many more—seize our attention. Why? At the heart of each of these interactions is a truth which resonates in our hearts, revealing to us something essential to understanding ourselves and our purpose. We are loved."

— 2014 Respect Life Month statement, Cardinal Seán P. O'Malley, O.F.M. Cap., Chairman, USCCB Committee on Pro-Life Activities (<http://bit.ly/2014RLP>)

## ADVERTISER OF THE WEEK

*Martin Scwartz Funeral Home*

348-2446

**We invite you to consider these businesses and thank them for their support.**

## THANK YOU

In regards, to our announcement in the bulletin last week for donations to purchase a new outside Parish sign, we had a very generous donation in the amount of \$3000. We thank Tom ever so much!!

If anyone would like to still donate to this project as a memorial or just to purchase the sign our total goal is \$3500. Please contact the parish office.



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

Our weekly prayer intention for this week based upon the World Meeting of Families Event is for Marriage & Family Protection

## Pastoral Council Column Truth

When I was young, it was easy to say one was a Christian because it was normal to be so. Standing up for truth, however, has always been more difficult, and throughout history it has remained dangerous to adhere too closely to Jesus Christ. The martyrs give witness to that fact.

The temptation is strong upon us to accept the world's ways and demands. By way of example: A person, born a male, for whatever reason wants to change gender. To that end, he has surgery and treatments meant to replicate a female's anatomy. The world puts him on the cover of a popular culture magazine – photographed in a swimsuit by a preeminent photographer – his body contorted unnaturally to hide his masculine musculature. We are asked to applaud the cosmetics of this grotesque deception and to honor and empathize with his choice. But God made us male and female. The world's approval is craven worship at the altar of the religion of "me." It is antithetical to true Christian love and respect for creation and truth.

As the world celebrates his choice, we can ask ourselves what has really happened here? Out of selfishness and self-regard, a man has chosen to make a lie of his life; to steal a husband from his wife, a father from his children. His "new" life is a travesty. This succubus could never produce new life or provide the milk to nourish it. This man does not deserve our acclaim – or our scorn –but he does deserve our compassion and prayers.

Why does it matter? Perhaps only a small thing in itself, but it matters because the truth behind appearances matters. If the truth does not matter, then Jesus does not matter, for He is "the truth," and His love for us is radical; deeply rooted in the truth.

It has become dangerous to speak out. The worldly community will vilify us if we call this deception by its name. But let us remember that Jesus Christ died for us so that we would know the truth. We owe Him this at least: not to be ashamed of Him:

"And you shall be hated of all men for my name's sake: but he that endureth to the end shall be saved."

Lord, give us the courage and the strength to endure!