

## Liturgical Ministries Schedule

	Saturday 5:00 PM June 15	Sunday 8:30 AM June 16	Sunday 10:30 AM June 16
<b>Extra-Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion</b>	Mary Brevik Patty Delaney Barb Elser Vince Elser Mary McClurg *Curt Smith Ron Smith *Sandra Smith	*Deb Brown Ron Crowley Sharon Crowley Mary Emgarten Kellie Ferguson Marilyn Fleming Mindy Leinbaugh *Susan Lynn Danette Tolan	Mary Brandt *Shawna Ditsworth Jeannie James Kasey Kirschbaum Kim Kirschbaum *Jenny Marhula Monica Niccum Bob Shaw Cathy Thee
<b>Lectors</b>	Dave Hansen	Doug Zemler	Paul Katzfey
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Sam Odendahl Aidan Gigstad	Catherine Straus Emma Straus Izzie Wycoff Kaleb Lee	Kiana Leistikow Tyson Robinson Terrence Sexton John Carr
<b>Hospitality Ministers</b>	Jim Carney Joe Endres Gayle Eral Dan Lempiainen	Larry Bortscheller Duane Kolar Jim Leinbaugh Mike Schrunk	Mike Davis Alan Ditsworth Brian Koppen Michella Koppen
<b>Music Ministers</b>	Charlene Hamann Shauna Donovan	Joan Gronstal Allison Oyler	Donna Williams Gaylene Rolling
<b>Gift Bearers</b>	The Powers Family	The Lee Family	The Vigdal Family

## Liturgies and Events This Week

<b>Monday, June 10</b> No Mass	<b>Wednesday, June 12</b> 12:00Noon Mass <i>Special Intention</i>	<b>Thursday, June 13</b> NO MASS	<b>Saturday, June 15</b> 5:00PM Mass +Vic Kellen/Everist <i>Hansen</i>
<b>Tuesday, June 11</b> NO MASS	12:30PM Adoration 4:00PM Benediction	<b>Friday, June 14</b> 12:00Noon +Catherine <i>Bortscheller</i>	<b>Sunday, June 16</b> 8:30AM Mass +Living & Deceased 10:30AM Mass +Dianna Becker

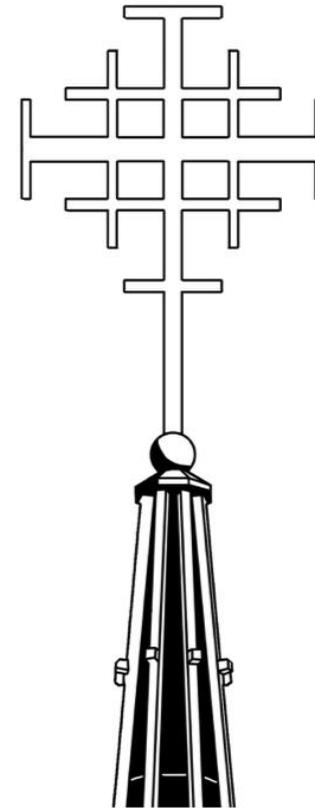
The sanctuary lamp burns this week in memory of Special Intention

### Stewardship for June 02, 2019

Adults: \$6,018.00  
Loose: \$2,219.00  
Dollar: \$ 355.01  
Guatemala: \$  
Special: \$

*Your will speaks for you after death. Have you included a bequest to further your faith?*

# St. Mary's Parish



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## Pentecost Sunday

**June 09, 2019**

### Parish Staff

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Assistant

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**Baptism** – Contact the office to inquire about pre-baptismal class.

**Marriage** – Contact the office at least six months before date of wedding.

**Confessions** – Wednesday 3:30PM, Saturday 4:00PM, Sunday 10:00AM.

**Eucharistic Adoration** – Wednesday 12:30PM – 4:00PM.

### **Mass Schedule Change**

Fr. Kelly will be gone to Guatemala from June 8<sup>th</sup> until June 15<sup>th</sup>. Please welcome Fr. Thomas this weekend for Masses. There will NOT be Mass on Tuesday, June 11<sup>th</sup> or Thursday, June 13<sup>th</sup>. Fr. Vakulskas will be here to celebrate Mass on Wednesday and Friday.

### **4<sup>th</sup> Degree K of C Men**

The monthly meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 11<sup>th</sup>, at Mill Creek Lounge in Milford. Social begins at 6:00PM followed by dinner / meeting at 6:30.

### **Sunday Breakfast**

Sunday, June 16<sup>th</sup>, our kitchen crew will be serving pancakes and the fixings from 9:00AM until 12:00. Why not come to the parish hall and enjoy a delicious breakfast and celebrate Father's Day!

### **Mission Appeal June 15 & 16**

St. Mary's is scheduled to have a mission appeal the weekend of June 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup>. Fr. Hubert from the Crosier Fathers is coming to make the appeal. The Crosier Fathers operate missions in Africa, Brazil, Indonesia and Europe. Please be generous in your support of the missions. The second collection on June 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup> will be for the Crosiers. We will move our Guatemala second collection to the week end of June 22<sup>nd</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup>. You can drop your mission donation in the collection anytime in the next couple weeks and we will make sure it gets to Fr. Hubert.

### **More Volunteers Needed**

Our VBS week and our fall religious education program are in need of teachers, hall monitors and helpers still. For VBS, we need a games/activities teacher, group leaders for all grade levels, help with music and crafts, and program assistants. The dates are June 24<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup> from 8:00AM-12:00 Noon each day. Our religious education program needs teachers in the following grades: 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup>. Simply put, our programs will not be able to operate without the help of our parish community. Call the parish office if you have any questions or to volunteer.

### **VBS Registration is OPEN!**

Registration for our summer VBS program is now open. Forms can be found and returned on the south kiosk in the gathering space of the church. ALL children just completing PK (must be 4 years old) through 6<sup>th</sup> grade are encouraged to participate! Call the office if you have any questions, 712-336-1742.

### **The Body of Christ**

In these Easter weeks, how has the Holy Spirit been working in you? The disciples of two thousand years ago preached and lived in such a way that evidence of the Holy Spirit was powerful. The result was the explosive growth of the church. Today, our church, including St. Mary's, needs the work of its congregation through the Holy Spirit to thrive. How can you help? What gifts of time, talent and treasure are you able to share with those in the seats next to you at Mass? Sign up to lector, be an usher, teach religious education, sing in the choir or play for Mass. We are many parts but all one body in Christ. Share your gifts, share the spirit! If you are a summer guest and are commissioned and would like to participate in helping us with the liturgies, there is a sign-up sheet in the narthex on the table. We would love to have you!

### **Please Keep in Your Prayers**

All Confidential Prayer Chain requests may be directed to Jean Mohr, our Prayer Chain Coordinator at 712-336-2559 or 712-320-5433. Prayer intentions may be entered in the Prayer Request book.

### **“Marvelous Mystery” VBS Donations Needed**

The very popular Camp Store will once again be in operation for all students coming to this summer's VBS. Each day students can use coupons they earn to “buy” items from the store. We are looking for clean, new items that would appeal to kids ages 4-11. Some examples of past items include small flashlights, coloring books, water bottles, lanyards, and individual pre-packaged healthy snacks. These items can be dropped off at the parish office any time. In addition, next weekend there will be a VBS “giving tree” which will have snack items needed for VBS week. Just like our Christmas “giving tree” we will place cards with requested items on the tree. Follow the instructions on the card for where and when to drop off your donation. Thank you for making our VBS a success!

### **Step Outside the Box**

Each year around this time I begin working on the religious education schedule and begin putting together the team of teachers, helpers and support staff for our program. As another new year approaches, I am in need of several grade levels of teachers and teacher's aids. Maybe, this is YOUR time to step out of that ever-present “box” and answer a call that has been issued for you! Maybe you have thought about helping, but feel under-qualified or as though you don't have the resources to do the job. Maybe you are worried about all the other obligations and responsibilities you have in your life. Whatever your “maybes” are, I am confident that by working together, we could overcome them and open the door to grow in faith and to lead others in their faith journey. Call me if you have any questions or to talk more about the many opportunities available “outside the box”!

### **Sign Language Classes Offered**

Basic American Sign Language class will be offered this summer. There are two options on time. The first is 8:30-9:45 and the second is 10:00-11:15. Classes for both times will be held, June 18<sup>th</sup>. and July 9<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup>. Everyone is welcome to attend these classes. Children entering 6<sup>th</sup> grade and lower should be accompanied by a parent or guardian. To register for the class, please call the parish office at 712-336-1742.

### **Scholarships**

Any graduating high school senior who is a member of St. Mary's Parish, and who has been accepted by an accredited college, trade school or university as a full-time student, shall be eligible to apply for a scholarship given by Knights of Columbus Council 5043. Application deadline is June 15, 2019. Application forms can be found on the table in the narthex.

### **Moms With Daughters Study Starting Soon**

Do you need help raising self-confident, flowering, God-loving tween girls? This is the study for you! Join with other moms as we discuss the book “Six Ways to Keep the Little in your Girls” by Dannah Gresh. There are seven meetings scheduled for June and July, the first is June 11th from 12:30PM-2:00 at St. Mary's. Details on the remaining dates and the sign-up sheet are on the table in the back of the church. Participants should purchase the book themselves (available through Amazon) and have the first three chapters read by the first meeting. Please call Mary in the parish office if you have any questions.

