

Liturgical Ministries Schedule

	Saturday, 5:00 PM November 16	Sunday, 9:30 AM November 17
Extra-Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Patty Delaney Joe Endres Kim Ingwersen *Curt Smith *Sandra Smith Susan Sundlin Joyce Fahrenkrog	*Mary Brandt Bob Huls Jeannie James *Kim Kirschbaum Duane Kolar Mary Lou Korwes Cathy Thee Margie Lynch Tom Lynch
Lectors	Paul Katzfey	Ron Crowley
Altar Servers	Vance Katzfey Melika Smith Abigail Scott Sam Odendahl	Alicia Brandt Taylor Schneider Jasper Robinson Tyson Robinson
Hospitality Ministers	Jim Carney Gayle Eral Mark Ingwersen Marv Spieker	Larry Bortscheller Alan Ditsworth Brian Koppen Michella Koppen
Music Ministers	Donna Williams Gaylene Rolling	
Gift Bearers	Mohr-Garvey	The Miller Family

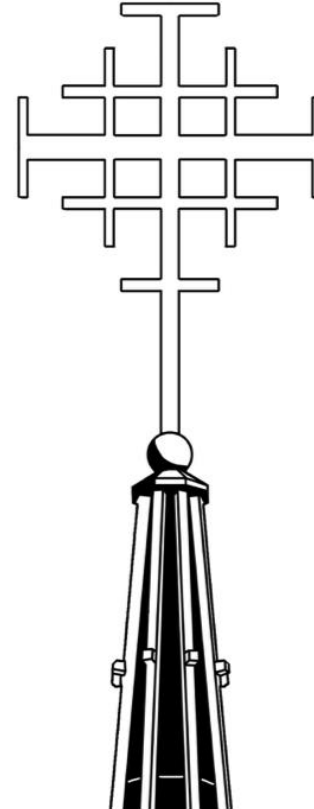
Liturgies and Events This Week

Monday, Nov. 11 No Mass	Wednesday, Nov. 13 12:00 Noon Mass +Ray & Irene Coenen 12:30 Adoration 4:00PM Benediction NO Religious Education	Thursday, Nov.14 7:30AM Mass +John & Ruth O'Neill <i>Families</i> Friday, Nov. 15 12:00Noon Mass +All Souls' Day <i>Intention</i>	Saturday, Nov. 16 5:00PM Mass +L.&D.of Everist & Mary Hansen & Justin Brandl Sunday, Nov. 17 9:30AM Mass +L. & D. of St. Mary's
Tuesday, Nov. 12 5:30PM +Alice Bonnell			

The sanctuary lamp burns this week for special intentions for safe traveling.

Stewardship for November 3, 2019 Adults: \$ 3,600.00 Loose: \$ 1,047.50 Dollar: \$ 316.58 Guatemala: \$ Special: \$	<i>Most people need will, and when you make yours, remember St. Mary's.</i>
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St. Mary's Parish



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32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
November 10, 2019

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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 9:00AM.
Eucharistic Adoration – Wednesday 12:30PM – 4:00PM.
Prayer Chain Coordinator – Jean Mohr – 712-336-2559 or 712-320-5433.

Attention St. Mary's Cookie Bakers and Candy Makers

Just an early reminder in case you want to bake, make, wrap and freeze early! The Cookie Extravaganza is Saturday, December 7th from 8:00AM to Noon. Please make 6 dozen or more of the same kind of your favorite, special holiday cookie or candy! We discourage chocolate chip cookies. Kids would like to put them in the box, but parents usually say, "Nope, we can make those at home." Plan to deliver your goodies to the parish hall by 5:30 Friday, December 6th, or early in the morning December 7th, as we have early and anxious customers! Sign up to bake in the narthex of the church!

NEW-St. Mary's Meals Ministry

Do you enjoy cooking? Do you want to use your gifts to help others? We are launching a new ministry to serve families in our parish in temporary need of meals. Help new mothers, people who are ill, and those who are recovering from surgery or loss by bringing them a warm, home-cooked meal. Lauren Cunningham will hold sign-ups after masses November 16th and 17th. Contact her at 712-260-3266 or L.cunningham628@gmail.com for more information.

Update on Fire Sprinkler System

In mid-October Building Sprinkler Inc. from Sioux Falls was contracted to fix our fire sprinkler system. The ceiling above the sanctuary had to be removed and the lines had to undergo an air pressure test to determine the areas of leakage. In the end, there were nine holes in the lines that required a replacement section. We are now certified and the system is fully functioning. The cost of the repair is \$9,481.00. We have had a number of repairs lately that has drained our Dollar Collection. Including the replacement of the air conditioner in the parish center and the replacement of sidewalk on the east side of the church. If anyone would like to contribute to this project, you can drop your contribution off in the office or in the collection so marked. Thank you!

No Religious Education November 13

There will be NO RE classes this Wednesday. Our team of catechists will have a training that evening with dinner starting at 6:00 and training from 6:30-8:30. Fred Shellabarger, Director of Office of Evangelization, Discipleship and Family Life, and Kara Kardell, Assistant Director of Youth and Young Adult Ministry, will be our presenters for the evening.

Omelets

Sunday, November 17th, our kitchen crew will be serving their delicious omelets along with all the fixings in the parish hall from 9:00AM until noon. Come and enjoy a great breakfast and wonderful fellowship.

Religious Education Notes for November and December

November dates for Religious Ed will be as follows: Nov. 6th, class as usual with 3rd grade Reconciliation, Nov. 13th, NO CLASS, catechist training from 6-8PM. Nov 20th, class as usual, and Nov. 27th-NO CLASS, Thanksgiving break. Dec. 4th, class as usual with 5-12th grade Reconciliation, Dec. 11th, class as usual, seniors meet, Dec. 18th, class as usual with PK - 4th Christmas Pageant (pending), Dec. 25th, NO Class, Christmas.

Attention 4th Degree K of C Men

The 4th Degree K of C will have their monthly meeting on Tuesday, November 12th at Mill Creek Lounge in Milford. Social will start at 6:00PM followed by the meeting at 6:30PM. Please attend if you can as there is much to discuss and share.

Rest in Peace

Your prayers are requested for the repose of the soul of David Kollasch, a parishioner of St. Mary's who passed away in Kentucky. His funeral will be here at St. Mary's, Monday, November 11th at 10:30. May he and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace.

Thanks Knights of Columbus

A special shout-out to the Knights of Columbus for the awesome soup and pie we enjoyed at our Wednesday Religious Ed meal. It was a perfect dinner for a snowy day! The youth and families of St. Mary's appreciate all the support the KC's give!

It's Not Too Late—Guatemala T-shirt Sale Extended

If you want one of the awesome "God is greater than the highs and lows" t-shirts or sweatshirts, you can still order! The deadline is November 15th. Order forms are available on the table in the narthex of the church. Your order form and payment can be turned in at the parish office. Proceeds from the sale of the shirts go to the youth serving the San Lucas Mission in Guatemala this January. Many thanks for your support!

Sophomore, Junior and Senior Students-Registration for SEARCH

All sophomore, junior and senior students are encouraged to attend the diocesan SEARCH retreat held November 22nd - 24th. The registration forms can be found on the south kiosk of the narthex. St. Mary's will cover the cost of registration for any parishioner that wishes to go.

Important Dates Coming

Thursday, November 28th we celebrate Thanksgiving. We will have a Mass at 8:00AM that morning to celebrate this great day. Please join us as we give thanks to the Lord for all He has given us. The parish offices will be closed Thursday, November 28th and Friday, November 29th. Christmas is quickly approaching and would like to let you know the Mass times so you can make your plans. Tuesday, December 24th Mass will be at 4:30PM and Christmas Day, Wednesday, December 25th at 8:30AM.

Pope Francis Speaks to families

Forgive One Another

This is important-to know how to forgive one another in families because we all make mistakes, all of us! Sometimes we do things which are not good and which harm others. It is important to have the courage to ask for forgiveness when we are at fault in the family...We all make mistakes, and on occasion, someone gets offended in the marriage, in the family, and sometimes plates are smashed, harsh words are spoken, but please listen to my advice: don't ever let the sun set without reconciling. Peace is made each day in the family: "Please forgive me," and then you start over!

Spirit Lake Community Blood Drive

Save local lives with Spirit Lake Community Blood Drive on Tuesday, November 12th, from 1:00PM – 5:45PM at the Dickinson County Community Building Expo Hall, 1602 15th Street, Spirit Lake.

