

# ST. MARY

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#### Office Hours

Monday-Thursday 8 AM – 4:30 PM

Friday 8 AM – Noon

St. Mary Parish of Appleton is a Catholic faith community that makes Eucharist the primary celebration of our unity in Christ. We are committed to nourishing spiritual needs and responding with our gifts to Jesus' call to stewardship both locally and in our world.



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#### CONFESSIONS:

Saturday – 9 AM

Other times by request

Privacy is assured

**BAPTISM:** Please contact Sr. Joanne at the  
parish office

#### MARRIAGES:

Congratulations on your engagement!

Please contact Deacon Gerry at the  
parish office at least 6 months before  
your planned wedding date.

#### MASSES:

Daily: Tues. & Fri. 8:30 AM

Wed. Thurs. 12:05 PM

Saturday evening: 4:30 PM

Sundays: 8, 9:30, 11 AM

Holydays: see bulletin

Summer Mass Schedule:

Saturday evening: 4:30 PM

Sundays: 8:30 & 10:30 AM



## April 23, 2017



WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

Table with 3 columns: Day, Time, and Mass Location. Includes dates from Mon., April 24 to Sun., April 30.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

- April 24 (Mon) 6:30 PM THEO/Community Room
April 25 (Tues) 8:30 AM Mass/Chapel
April 26 (Wed) 9:30 AM ROCKs Meeting/L7
April 27 (Thurs) 11:30 AM Children's Choir/Oneida St. Campus
April 28 (Fri) 8:30 AM Mass/Chapel
April 29 (Sat) First Eucharist Weekend
April 30 (Sun) First Eucharist Weekend

CONTRIBUTIONS
OFFICE: April 10-14: \$3053.00
WEEKEND: April 15-16: \$12,360.41
Children: \$23.25

Prayer Requests:
Contact Mary Jo Zilisch (734-1182) or Laurie Richter (lauriejrichter@gmail.com) if you have a prayer need.

In Joy & Sorrow...

Pondering Together the Treasures of our Faith

Easter Morning
by Ann Weems
Kneeling in Jerusalem

The stirring wildness of God
calls brittle bones to leaping
and stone hearts to soaring.
Old women dance among the stars.

Our Church invites us to celebrate the mystery which is Easter for a holy season of fifty days. I always like to say that it takes at least that long, if not a lifetime, for the mystery of Jesus' dying and rising to get into our brittle bones and stony hearts.

In his homily at the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday in Saint Peter's Basilica in Rome, Pope Francis put it this way: "The heartbeat of the risen Lord is granted to us as a gift, a present, a new horizon. The beating heart of the risen Lord is given to us, and we are asked to give it in turn as a transforming force, as the leaven of a new humanity.

I like our own dear Bishop Robert Morneau's poem that encourages the transformation of our faint, stony hearts into new, tender hearts.

Give me a contrite heart that I may confess to Thee;
a heart of hope, that I may trust in Thee.

A heart of courage, that I may follow Thee;
a heart of praise, that I may adore Thee;
a heart of joy, that I may sing with Thee.

A heart of gratitude, that I may thank Thee;
a heart of kindness, that I may emulate Thee;
a heart of hospitality, that I may welcome Thee.

A compassionate heart, that I may cry with Thee;
A luminous heart, that I may radiate Thee;
A missionary heart, that I may go with Thee.

Happy Easter Season!
Father Bill +



## Adult Faith Formation

Please register with Carol Jensen for these events – call 739-3700 x22 or email ([cjensen@stmaryparish.org](mailto:cjensen@stmaryparish.org)).

### History of St. Joseph Parish

**Monday, April 24 • 7:00 PM • St. Joseph Holly Hall**

Jim Krueger, St. Joseph parishioner and member of the Appleton Historical Society will present his full presentation on the history of St. Joseph Parish. This is an expanded version of the presentation he gave at the 150<sup>th</sup> Celebration at the Paper Valley. All are welcome – bring your memories! No cost, but please preregister with Carol so we know how to set up the hall.

**Save the Date! Sunday, May 7 – Young Adult Meal & Gathering**  
Watch upcoming bulletins for more information.

### Book Discussion: *Resisting Happiness*

If you received a free copy of *Resisting Happiness* by Matthew Kelly, we invite you to join us for one of two book discussions on Wednesday, May 10. Please preregister with Carol.

10:00 AM St. Joseph, Rm. 209

6:30 PM St. Mary, Rm. L7

### Disciples in Retirement

**Wednesday, May 24 • 6:30 PM • St. Joseph Holly Hall**

If you are recently retired, or planning on retiring in the near future, we invite you to join us to talk with a panel of folks from our parishes about how they live as disciples in retirement and what advice they would have for those about to retire.

### Christ Renews His Parish Reunion and Reflection

**Sunday, May 21 • 12:15-1:30 PM • St. Mary Community Room**

Luncheon and reflection talk. Watch for complete details in next week's bulletin. Please preregister by calling Carol or emailing [tmullaney1954@gmail.com](mailto:tmullaney1954@gmail.com).

## Divine Mercy Sunday Celebration

**Sunday, April 23 • Beginning at 12 PM • St. Pius X, Appleton**

Please join us for a special celebration of Divine Mercy Sunday.

12 PM–3 PM: Confessions & Adoration

3 PM: Chaplet of Divine Mercy

3:20 PM: Mass (Bishop David Ricken, Celebrant)

Veneration – Divine Mercy Image and 1<sup>st</sup> Class Relic of St. Faustina in our Mary Chapel

Blessing of Religious Articles

All are invited to a reception in the north narthex following Mass to celebrate the 13<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the "Chapel of Divine Mercy."

## Prayer Service for Healing

Join Bishop Ricken as we pray for all who are in need of healing from the Church, especially those affected by sexual abuse.

**Monday, April 24 • 6:30 PM • St. James Church, White Lake**

**Tuesday, April 25 • 6:30 PM • St. Therese Church, Appleton**

We have reached our parish goal for the 2017 Bishop's Appeal. Thank you! St. Mary parishioners continue to demonstrate exceptional generosity. We should all be proud of our very special parish family. If you haven't yet sent in your contribution, please do. It will still benefit our parish!



## Religious Formation Coordinator

St. Mary & St. Joseph Parishes in Appleton are looking for an Inter-parish Religious Formation Coordinator. This person will:

- Partner with a collaborative team
- Be responsible for K-Gr. 4, including 1<sup>st</sup> Eucharist preparation
- Be a faith-filled, committed Catholic

The position includes a 10 month agreement beginning Aug. 15. Bachelor's Degree and/or Certification from Commissioned Ministries/Emmaus recommended. Experience preferred. Send resume and three references by April 28 to:

Inter-parish Religious Formation

Attn: Fr. James Leary

404 W Lawrence Street,

Appleton, WI 54911

## Christmas Stars Open Auditions

Open auditions for adult (high school & above) singers & dancers, as well as children in K-8<sup>th</sup> grade will be held:

**Thursday, May 11 from 6-9 PM**

**Saturday, May 13 from 9 AM to noon**

Xavier Fine Arts Theatre

1600 W. Prospect Avenue

Appleton, WI

Auditions are by appointment. Music and accompaniment are provided by the producers.

Those interested in auditioning may find more information as well as audition and registration materials at the "Join Our Cast" link on the show website at [www.christmasstars.org](http://www.christmasstars.org).



**We donated 385 pounds of food to the St. Joseph Food Program with our March collection. Way to go! We are making a difference!**

## In Loving Memory

In the spirit of Christian charity, please pray for those who have lost a loved one. We remember especially the family & friends of Earl Putzbach and Marie Michalkiewicz. May fond memories comfort you during this difficult time.

If you have lost a loved one and would like to have him or her remembered in the bulletin, please call the office at 739-5119.

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