

# ST. MARY

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*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

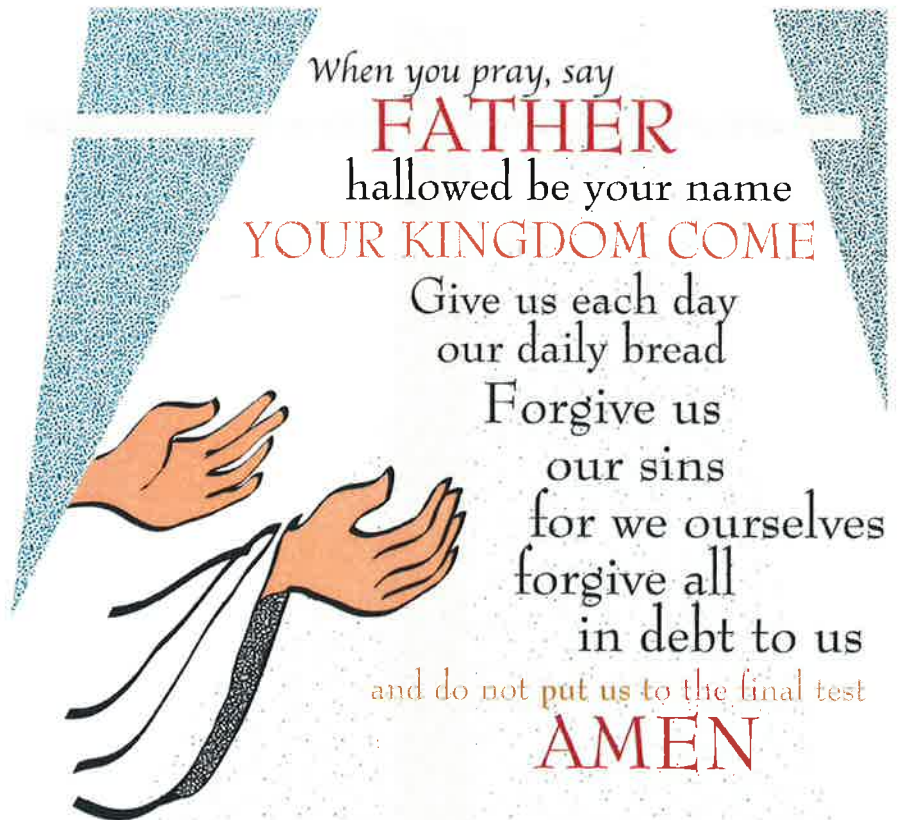
Sundays: 8, 9:30, 11 AM

Holydays: see bulletin

Summer Mass Schedule:

Saturday evening: 4:30 PM

Sundays: 8:30 & 10:30 AM



When you pray, say  
**FATHER**  
hallowed be your name  
**YOUR KINGDOM COME**  
Give us each day  
our daily bread  
Forgive us  
our sins  
for we ourselves  
forgive all  
in debt to us  
and do not put us to the final test  
**AMEN**

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Pray as Jesus himself  
taught us to pray

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**Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
July 24, 2016**

God gives strength to His people!



WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

Table with 3 columns: Day, Time, and Mass Location. Includes entries for Mon., July 25 through Sun., July 31.

CONGRATULATIONS

Jennifer Follett & Zach Wenzel entered into the sacrament of Holy Matrimony here on July 16. Best wishes for a lifetime of God's blessings!

IN LOVING MEMORY

In the spirit of Christian charity, please pray for those who have lost a loved one. May fond memories comfort you during this difficult time.

WEEKLY EVENTS

- July 26 (Tues) 8:30 AM Mass/Chapel, 9:00 AM Coffee & Cookies Playdate/Pierce Park, 2:00 PM Rosary & Perpetual Help Devotions/Chapel
July 27 (Wed) 12:05 PM Mass
July 28 (Thurs) 8:00 AM All-Day Quilt & Sew Retreat/Community Rm., 12:05 PM Mass
July 29 (Fri) 8:30 AM Mass/Chapel
July 30 (Sat) 9:00 AM Confessions/Church, 4:30 PM Mass
July 31 (Sun) Masses: 8:30 & 10:30 AM

Prayer Requests: Contact Luanne Witthuhn (dlaawi@yahoo.com) or Anne Walkowski (830-1534) if you have a prayer need. Please include the prayer requests in our prayer basket: for a new job, developing new skills, relationships, healing in body and mind, and all other needs we've been asked to pray for.

CONTRIBUTIONS

- OFFICE: July 11-July 15 \$5955.00
CHILDRENS: \$26.50
WEEKEND: July 16-17 \$8474.12



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In Joy and Sorrow PONDERING TOGETHER THE TREASURES OF OUR FAITH

Young Catholic people from every part of our world will be converging on Poland this week to celebrate World Youth Day (WYD). This holy tradition reaches back to 1985 when Saint Pope John Paul II came up with the idea. Usually held every two or three years, host countries have included Argentina (1987), Spain (1989), Poland (1991), the United States (1993 in Denver), the Philippines (1995), France (1997), Rome (2000), Canada (2002 in Toronto), Germany (2005), Australia (2008), Spain (2011), and Brazil (2013).

Over a million young people are expected in Poland this week; 40,000 or so from the US. Sadly, I have never attended a World Youth Day. I am only guessing that this gathering of so many young people who love the Lord and are involved in his Church is inspiring, to say the least. Our Catholic faith is a universal expression. When young people come together from so many different nations, they realize the beauty of unity in diversity. The Catholic Church has a certain character in Poland or Australia or Africa, but is beyond national boundaries. It is the "one, true, holy, and apostolic" Church. Our young people are noted for their acceptance and respect of persons from different cultures. This diversity is life-giving and Spirit-driven. Underneath all of this diversity, though, is a firm unity around one Lord, one faith, and one baptism.

In 2014, Pope Francis suggested that the themes for upcoming WYD be centered around the Beatitudes. For disciples of Jesus, the Beatitudes are our "Magna Carta," if you will. In addition to knowing and living the Ten Commandments, I maintain that we should know and live the Beatitudes. In this Jubilee Year of Mercy, this year's WYD theme is "Blessed are the merciful, for they shall obtain mercy." More important to Jesus than all the rules and rituals of the Jewish faith was that his disciples show mercy. Mercy looks to see good in the other person. Mercy is not quick to judge or condemn. Mercy is like walking a mile in another person's shoes as a reminder that we are all in need of the Lord's forgiveness and healing.

Pope Francis will arrive at "St. John Paul II" International Airport in Krakow, Poland on Wednesday. His first day will be a day of meetings with the civil society and diplomatic corps of Poland, the President of the Republic, and the Polish Bishops. On Thursday, he will travel by helicopter to Czestochowa to celebrate Mass on the 1050th anniversary of the birth of Christianity in Poland. On Friday, he will visit the Auschwitz and Berkenau Concentration Camps. Pope Francis has intentionally announced that he will not speak at these two events. The only response to such unspeakable horrors is silence, he believes. Also on Friday in Krakow, Pope Francis will visit a children's university hospital, and pray the Stations of the Cross with the young pilgrims who are attending WYD. On Saturday, he will pass through the Door of Divine Mercy at the Shrine of Divine Mercy, celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation with young people, and celebrate Mass with Polish priests, women and men religious, and seminarians. In the evening is the Prayer Vigil with young people in Krakow at the Campus Misericordiae. Sunday concludes WYD with a Mass at Campus Misericordiae. I count nine major addresses and/or homilies that Pope Francis will deliver on this pastoral visit to the home country of Saint Pope John Paul II. Please keep Pope Francis in your prayers. Pray, as well, that all people will be safe in Poland this week!

2016 World Youth Day Prayer

God, merciful Father, in your Son, Jesus Christ, you have revealed your love and poured it out upon us in the Holy Spirit, the Comforter. We entrust to you today the destiny of the world and of every man and woman and child. We entrust to you in a special way young people of every language, people, and nation. Guide and protect them as they walk the complex paths of the world today and give them the grace to reap abundant fruits from their experience of the Krakow World Youth Day. Heavenly Father, grant that we may bear witness to your mercy. Teach us how to convey the faith to those in doubt, hope to those who are discouraged, love to those who feel indifferent, forgiveness to those who have done wrong, and joy to those who are unhappy. Allow the spark of merciful love that you have enkindled within us become a fire that can transform hearts and renew the face of the earth. Amen.....Father Bill +





**FUN IN THE SON** • For Grades 6-12 •**August 9: NOAH'S ARK**

Depart @ 7:45 AM, return @ 8:30 PM. Cost: \$50 per person.

Registration deadline: Tuesday, August 2

Contact Peter Leitermann for more information (738-7413).

**Sweet Adelines at 10:30 AM Mass**

Enjoy a special Communion Reflection and Recessional with the Fox Valley Chorus of Sweet Adelines International next Sunday, July 31.

**Adult Faith Formation Events****Prayer in the Park – Lutz Park, Appleton**  
Wednesday, August 3, 6-7:30 PM**An Evening for Women – St. Joseph Holly Hall**  
Thursday, August 11"Doing it All: Finding God in the Chaos" by Deborah Gretzinger  
6:30-7 PM: Registration, Social, and Summer Treats  
7-8 PM: Talk – Doing It AllPlease pre-register for these events by contacting Carol Jensen – phone (739-3700 x22) or email ([cjensen@stmaryparish.org](mailto:cjensen@stmaryparish.org)).**Don't miss the next  
Vintage Age Brunch!**Sunday, August 7 – 12 PM  
Red Ox Seafood & Steakhouse  
2318 S. Oneida Street, Appleton**International Student  
Host Parents or Families Needed**

Can you provide a loving environment, transportation to school, meals, and family time to an enthusiastic international XHS student? You'll be rewarded with a wonderful friendship and a wonderful opportunity to learn about another culture. Host families receive a \$600/month stipend, and, if they have a child in the Xavier system, a \$1,000 tuition credit as well. Contact Carol Schubert at 915-0530.

**Receptionist Needed**St. Mary is looking for a receptionist for the first and third Thursday afternoons of the month, beginning September 1<sup>st</sup>. This volunteer position involves greeting visitors and parishioners, answering and directing phone calls, and completing other light office duties as assigned. Interested? Call the parish office at 739-5119 and ask for Julie or Annie!**Is RCIA for you?**

Yes, it is if you are finding yourself being drawn into full membership in the Catholic Church. Might you never have been baptized? Or were you baptized in a denomination other than Catholic, or baptized Catholic without receiving Eucharist or Confirmation, and wanting more? If you feel God calling you to live your faith more deeply, call Sister Joanne now at 739-5119.

**Recipes Needed**Pro-Life Wisconsin is currently looking for meatless recipes to add to their upcoming cookbook, *Meatless Fridays 2*. If you have a recipe you'd like to share to help others in the sacrifice of abstinence to end abortion, we'd love to have it! For more information or to submit a recipe, contact Margaret Zignego ([Margaret.Z@ProLifeWI.org](mailto:Margaret.Z@ProLifeWI.org)).

Submissions will be accepted until July 31.

**JOB OPPORTUNITIES****Building & Grounds Maintenance Associate**St. Bernadette has an immediate opening for a hardworking, dependable individual to fill this part-time position. The B&G Maintenance Associate will: provide housekeeping and basic maintenance for the school building or other buildings as needed, prepare, arrange and clean rooms for meetings/events as assigned, and assist the B&G Maintenance Supervisor with the maintenance and security of the church facilities (including buildings and grounds) so as to ensure a safe and welcoming environment. Lifting and loading ability weight to vary - 50 to 100 pounds. Required to work 20-25 hours per week with additional hours at times to cover workload/vacation/sick days. Benefits included. This is a permanent part-time position that may lead to full-time. Please send your resume by August 12, 2016 to St. Bernadette Parish, Attn: Patty Eichhorst, 2331 E. Lourdes Dr., Appleton, WI 54915 or by email to ([peichhorst@saint-bernadette.org](mailto:peichhorst@saint-bernadette.org)).**COMMUNITY EVENTS**

- **July 30** Our Lady of Guadalupe Prayer Service at St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception in Greenville  
3 PM (preceding the 4 PM mass). Place your petitions with the silver rose on its way to Monterrey, Mexico!
- **August 4-6** Xavier Theatre Academy presents "Disney's Cinderella Kids"  
Showtimes are 7 PM on Aug. 4 & 5 and 1 PM on Aug. 6.  
Tickets available at [www.xaviertheatre.com](http://www.xaviertheatre.com)
- **August 6-7** St. John/Sacred Heart Picnic & Car Show  
Visit [www.StJohnSacredHeart.org](http://www.StJohnSacredHeart.org) for details!
- **August 14** St. Patrick's of Lebanon Church Picnic  
Music, silent auction, kid's games, horse rides, and more!

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