

# ST. MARY

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We are a welcoming Catholic community of disciples centered in Jesus Christ moving outward to fulfill God's mission.



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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

*A Catholic Community  
to Call Home*

July 30, 2017

**AGAIN,  
THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN  
IS LIKE A MERCHANT  
SEARCHING FOR FINE PEARLS.  
WHEN HE FINDS  
A PEARL OF GREAT PRICE,  
HE GOES AND SELLS ALL  
THAT HE HAS AND BUYS IT.  
MT 13: 45-46**

*Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*



**WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE**

Mon., July 31	12:05 PM	Mass at St. Joseph
Tues., August 1	8:30 AM	Sally Pendergast
Wed., August 2	12:05 PM	Kay Thurk
Thurs., August 3	12:05 PM	Helen & Gordon Pippert
Fri., August 4	8:30 AM	Irene Fait
Sat., August 5	4:30 PM	Anthony Littmann
Sun., August 6	8:30 AM	St. Mary & Twinning Parishes
	10:30 AM	Nicholas & Sedella Jacob

**WEEKLY CALENDAR**

**July 31 (Mon)**

8:00 PM Al-Anon Meeting/L6

**August 1 (Tues)**

8:30 AM Mass/Chapel

1:00 PM Prayer Shawl/SJL9

2:00 PM Rosary & Perpetual Help Devotions/Chapel

**August 2 (Wed)**

9:30 AM ROCKs Meeting/L7

12:05 PM Mass

12:35 PM Holy Hour

**August 3 (Thurs)**

12:05 PM Mass

1:00 PM Quilting Retreat/Community Room

**August 4 (Fri)**

8:00 AM Quilting Retreat/Community Room

8:30 AM Mass/Chapel

**August 5 (Sat)**

8:00 AM Quilting Retreat/Community Room

9:00 AM Confessions/Church

4:30 PM Mass

**August 6 (Sun)**

Masses: 8:30 & 10:30 AM

Noon—Vintage Brunch @ Atlas Waterfront Café

**In Joy & Sorrow:** Pondering Together the Treasures of Our Faith

On Saturday, July 8, at Pierce Park, the faith communities of Saint Mary and Saint Joseph Parishes expressed our heartfelt gratitude to Carol Jensen, who was our Pastoral Minister for Adult Faith Formation for almost twenty years. We presented her with a small brass sculpture of "The Footprints of Jesus." Timothy P. Schmalz, the artist, depicts Jesus carrying a brother or sister, leaving his footprints behind him. An appreciation plaque was also presented to Carol with the following inscription:



Imprinted with the Holy Spirit's wisdom and good counsel,  
you have faithfully encouraged us to walk in the footsteps of Jesus

Graciously inviting us  
to ponder over the Sacred Scriptures  
to listen to the wisdom of so many of Jesus' faithful disciples  
to retreat from life's hectic pace so to draw nearer to the Lord and each  
other to reach out to our young adults in college near and far

Ministering to our bodies, minds and spirits  
reassuring us, that in both good and bad times,  
Jesus walks with us

May Jesus walk with you, Carol, and always hold you close to  
His loving heart!

With heartfelt gratitude!

Thank you, again, Carol, for your faithful ministry and friendship in our midst.  
May the Lord bless you with much joy in the autumn season of your life!

On August 15, the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mary Ann Otto will join our Pastoral Leadership Team as our Pastoral Minister of Adult Faith Formation. We are truly blessed at Saint Mary and Saint Joseph Parishes for Mary Ann's heartfelt "Yes!" to sharing her gifts in our midst. She is truly a faith-filled and dedicated minister. For the last eight years, Mary Ann has served as the Director of Stewardship and Special Projects for the Diocese of Green Bay. She is known nationally and internationally as an expert on stewardship. She is a compassionate minister who has the special gift of helping each member of the Church of God to identify her or his strengths and to use those unique strengths to build up the Kingdom of God. Mary Ann is an accomplished writer, and has authored a six-week small group study on stewardship. I know that she believes that you and I are called to be disciples of Jesus, who are continually falling more deeply in love with him, and are more willing to serve Jesus by loving one another. Mary Ann comes to us fully charged to help us grow in our commitment to the Lord through our prayer (our time), our service (talent) and our sharing (of treasure).

As a member of the Pastoral Leadership Team, I am eager to begin ministering alongside Mary Ann. She will invite us to consider more deeply the "Joy of the Gospel" and how we can live that Gospel. I am hoping to "pick her brain and plumb her heart" as to how we can better incorporate the vision of Pope Francis into every aspect of our personal and communal lives.

I will ask Mary Ann to introduce herself to our community at all the Masses on a weekend in September, once we are all readjusted after summer's conclusion! Stay tuned!

Thanks for taking the time to read this *In Joy and Sorrow!* Father Bill +



**I promise to love you and honor  
you all the days of my life!**

*Courtney Klauck &  
Tyler Ebben*

**United in the Sacrament of  
Marriage on July 22, 2017**

**Prayer Requests**

Contact Mary Jo Zilisch (734-1182) or Laurie Richter ([lauriejrichter@gmail.com](mailto:lauriejrichter@gmail.com)) if you have a prayer need. Please remember the needs in our prayer baskets.

**CONTRIBUTIONS**

Office—July 17-21: \$1,934.00  
Weekend—July 22-23: \$7,546.95  
Children's Collection: \$12.00



**St. Joe's Food Program Collection Next Weekend, August 5 & 6!**

In August, we are collecting drink items like coffee, hot chocolate, tea, powdered mixes, etc. Nothing glass or perishable please. Place in totes by the altar. Thank you for your generosity!

Baptized in water, these precious children have been clothed in Jesus.

Divya Margaret, daughter of Megan & Sanjeev Patel  
Sebastian Carl, son of Charles & Genevieve Voissem  
Olivia Karen, daughter of James & Kristin Van Lankvelt



**Seminarian Collection 2016**  
**Hope for the Future | Help Them Today**

As friends and followers of Jesus, we need to provide for our future spiritual fathers. In two weeks, we can do that by supporting the annual Seminarian Collection. Watch your mailboxes for more details. The money donated will be used to benefit the education and formation of our own seminarians, and to support the growth of priestly vocations. Thank you!



**School Supply Collection**

August 12-20

Donations will benefit Harbor House. Place new items in the collection containers in the Marian Way.

Thank you for your generosity!

Sponsored by the Human Concerns Committee



**July Vintage Age Brunch**

Next Weekend • Sunday, August 6 • Noon

Atlas Waterfront Café • 425 W. Water Street



**Is RCIA for you?**

Yes it is, if you are finding yourself drawn to full membership in the Catholic Church! Might you never have been baptized? Or baptized in a denomination other than Catholic; or baptized

Catholic without receiving First Eucharist or Confirmation, and wanting more? If you feel God calling you to live your faith more deeply, RCIA begins Sept. 24. Call Sr. Joanne now at 739-5119.

**Be a host family this fall!**

This is an opportunity to share our Catholic faith and traditions with a student from Thailand. She is 17 years old and will be a Junior at Xavier High School. She is an advanced student, a great golfer, and has an easy-going personality. Contact Mike & Melissa Rospenda (205-9509 or 277-3550).



**VACATION TRIP**

**Enjoy two weeks in warm & friendly Spain!**

Join Dcn. Maury Reed and his wife, Janice from St. Bernard's on a tour of the Madrid, Segovia, and Costa del Sol & Jerez regions.

March 14-28, 2018 • \$3,395 (taxes/fees included)

- Round-trip airfare from Chicago, coach bus in Europe
- Four-star hotel accommodations, 24 meals, and guides

For booking information & a full itinerary, contact: Ron LaCroix at 920-734-9345.



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Have you moved? Dropped your landline? Let us know!

Call the Parish Office at 739-5119.

We'll get your information updated in just a few seconds.



**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. 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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