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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

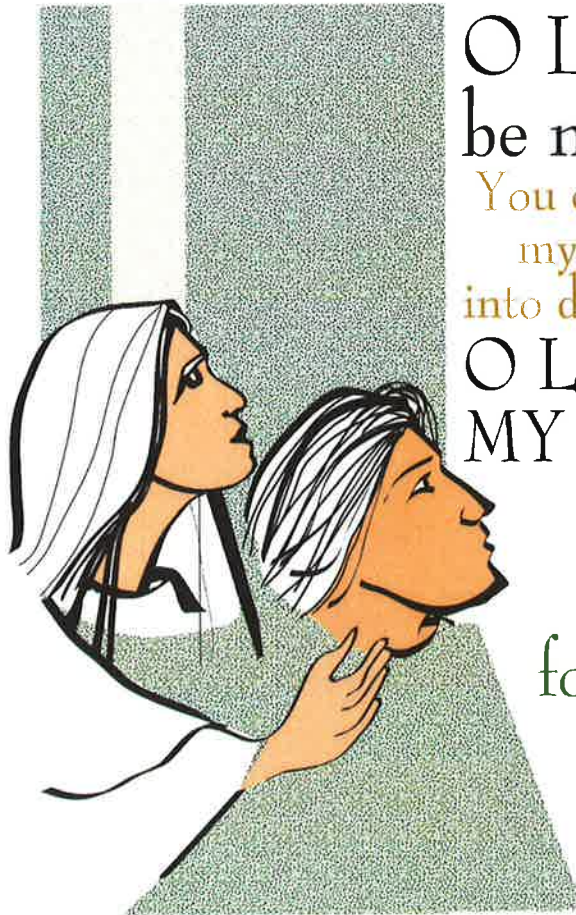
Sundays: 8, 9:30, 11 AM

Holydays: see bulletin

Summer Mass Schedule:

Saturday evening: 4:30 PM

Sundays: 8:30 & 10:30 AM



O LORD,
be my helper

You changed
my mourning
into dancing

O LORD
MY GOD

forever will I
give you
thanks

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always in your hearts

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**Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
June 5, 2016**

God is love!



WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

Mon., June 6	12:05 PM Mass at St. Joseph
Tues., June 7	8:30 AM Parishioners of St. Mary
Wed., June 8	12:05 PM The Lutz Family
Thurs., June 9	12:05 PM Eillie Van Asten
Fri., June 10	8:30 AM Florian Vogel
Sat., June 11	4:30 PM Bob Feavel
Sun., June 12	8:30 AM Lawrence & Helen Wolfert 10:30 AM Ray & Marian Murphy

Mass Intentions Needed For Weekdays throughout the year!

If you would like a Mass said for a family member, loved one, friend, or other intention, please call the parish office (739-5119). Thank you and God bless. Note: You do not need to be present for the Mass. All who attend will be praying for the intention of the Mass scheduled.

BAPTISMS

Through the Sacrament of Baptism we welcome to our Faith Community:

†Leo William, child of Travis & Jennifer Korth

†Kawai James, child of Andrew & Chersti Avergonzado

IN LOVING MEMORY

In the spirit of Christian charity, please pray for the family and friends of Janet O'Bre (Jonnie Schumaker's sister). May fond memories comfort you during this difficult time.

WEEKLY EVENTS

June 5 (Sun)

Masses: 8:30 & 10:30 AM

St. Joseph Food Pantry Collection

10:30 AM Celebrating Our Graduates Mass

12:00 PM Vintage Age Brunch/Red Ox (see bulletin article)

Day of Faith at the Ballpark Tickets available

after all weekend Masses/Marian Way

June 6 (Mon)

6:30 PM THEO/Community Rm

June 7 (Tues)

8:30 AM Mass/Chapel

1:00 PM Prayer Shawl Mtg/SJ 209

2:00 PM Rosary & Perpetual Help Devotions/Chapel

6:00 PM Quilting Group/L6

6:30 PM Pastoral Council Mtg/Community Rm

June 8 (Wed)

12:05 PM Mass

6:30 PM CRHP Continuation Mtg/Community Rm

June 9 (Thurs)

12:05 PM Mass

7:00 PM InterParish AdEd Faith Formation Mtg/L7

June 10 (Fri)

8:30 AM Mass/Chapel

June 11 (Sat)

9:00 AM Confessions/Church

FLAG DAY PARADE

June 11 (Sun)

Anointing Weekend (see article)

Masses: 8:30 & 10:30 AM

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In Joy and Sorrow PONDERING TOGETHER THE TREASURES OF OUR FAITH

Last Monday's Mass for Memorial Day at the chapel at Saint Mary Cemetery on Prospect Drive was a glorious celebration! The beauty of creation enhanced our prayer. When can you attend Mass and look to the Altar of the Lord and to the high-ceiled, arched windows behind the altar that open out on to a beautiful glade of trees that borders on the Fox River? I am a strong believer that our worship spaces (churches) should let in the beauty and bright light of creation from the outdoors! Some of our newer churches do a good job of this!

I remember one of the first poems I ever memorized in grade school. It was "Trees", by Joyce Kilmer. Perhaps you know it, too!

I think that I shall never see
 A poem as lovely as a tree.
 A tree whose hungry mouth is pressed
 Against the earth's sweet flowing breast;
 A tree that looks at God all day,
 And lifts her leafy arms to pray;
 A tree that may in Summer wear
 A nest of robins in her hair;
 Upon whose bosom snow has lain;
 Who intimately lives with rain.
 Poems are made by fools like me,
 But only God can make a tree.



A recent study by a team of researchers from the United States, Canada, and Australia gathered two large sets of data from the city of Toronto, both gathered on a block-by-block level; the first measures the distribution of green space and the second measures health, as assessed by a detailed survey of 94,000 respondents. After controlling for income, education, and age, the researchers concluded that an additional ten trees on a given block corresponded to a 1% increase in how healthy nearby residents felt. "To get an equivalent increase with money, you'd have to give each household in that neighborhood \$10,000 or make people seven years younger," said the researchers. "The health benefits stem almost entirely from trees planted along streets and in front yards, where many people walk past them; trees in back yards and parks don't seem to matter as much in the analysis. It could be that roadside trees have a bigger impact on air quality along sidewalks, or that leafy avenues encourage people to walk more. But... perhaps it is enough to simply look at a tree... Patients recovering from gall bladder surgery in a suburban hospital in Pennsylvania, whose rooms overlooked a small stand of deciduous trees, were being discharged almost a day sooner, on average, than those in otherwise identical rooms whose windows faced a wall." (from "How Trees Calm Us Down" by Alex Hutchinson, *New Yorker Magazine*, July 23, 2015)

I am not surprised by the results of this kind of study. The beauty of nature has a mystic restorative power in us. The beauty of nature can be our entrance into the beauty of prayer. Terry Tempest Williams suggests, "The world is holy. We are holy. All life is holy. Daily prayers are delivered on the lips of breaking waves, the whisperings of grasses, and the shimmering of leaves."

Don't miss the trees' shimmering of leaves on these first days of summer! Yes, I know, summer does not officially arrive until June 20 at 6:34 AM, but the school year is finished, so, unofficially, it is summer!

Along with the tree's uplifted leafy arms, let us lift our hearts to the Lord and give God praise and thanks always and everywhere!

Happy Summer!
Father Bill +

Prayer Requests: Contact Mary Jo Zilisch (734-1182) or Laurie Richter (lauriejrichter@gmail.com) if you have a prayer need. **Please include** the prayer requests in our prayer basket, relationships, safe travel, employment, and all other needs we've been asked to pray for.

CONTRIBUTIONS

OFFICE: May 14-27 \$3,958.00

CHILDREN'S: \$31.00

WEEKEND: May 28-29 \$8,496.89

SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK NEXT WEEKEND

As Pope Francis celebrates a Jubilee Weekend in Rome on June 11-12 for those Persons who are Sick, our faith community will pray for persons in our parish who are in need of the Lord's precious gifts of healing, strength, courage, patience, and freedom. The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be celebrated within all the Masses next weekend, June 11-12. The Sacrament includes the laying on of hands by the priest or bishop on the head and the anointing with blessed oil of the forehead and palms of the hands of the person in need of healing. The prayer accompanying these gestures is: Through this holy anointing, may the Lord Jesus in his love and mercy help you with the grace of the Holy Spirit.

Those to be anointed would include: persons struggling with the process of aging, those facing or recovering from surgery, those dealing with serious health issues, those dealing with chronic depression and anxiety and other mental illnesses, those struggling with any addiction, those grieving and struggling to let go of a loved one who has died, those struggling in marriage and other significant relationships, and those tormented by doubts regarding their faith.

Voice your opinion! Ask for a book or CD! Suggest a topic!

Offer to share an interest or passion! Grow in your faith!

Look for the Adult Faith Formation insert at the back of church and give us some feedback so that we can plan programs that meet your needs! You can also fill out the survey online (thanks to one of our talented committee members). Go to: (<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/CKXNGZ>). We'd appreciate having the feedback to us **before June 5** so we can finish planning for the upcoming year.

CRHP CONTINUATION COMMITTEE

Wednesday, June 8, 6:30 PM

St. Mary Office large Conference Room

INTERPARISH ADULT FAITH FORMATION COMMITTEE

Thursday, June 9, 7 PM

St. Mary Parish Center Room LL07

VIRTUS TRAINING SESSION

Wednesday, June 15, 6 PM, St. Mary Community Room

If you will be working with children, teens, or visiting the sick or other vulnerable adults, our Diocese asks that you participate in VIRTUS training session. Along with other training for your ministry, this session helps us to work together to make sure the children and vulnerable adults in our parish communities are respected and safe. We will host a VIRTUS training session Wednesday, June 15, 6-9:30 PM in the St. Mary Parish Community Room. Pre-register by going to: www.virtus.org, click on first time registrant and follow the directions to register. If you do not have access to a computer, please call Carol at 739-5119 in advance so we have enough materials for all.



Cookies & Coffee Playdate

Please join us for cookies, coffee, and friendship during morning play dates! We welcome all parents and caregivers with young children ages birth-3. Children and siblings ages 4-5 are also invited to join in play date activities. Our next play date is this **Tuesday, June 14, 9-10:30 AM**. We will meet every 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month at Pierce Park in the summer. In case of rain we will move to the parish play/babysitting room. Questions? Contact Hannah Schraufnagel (422-4892) or Genevieve Voissem (830-3106).

PLAN AHEAD! MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW!

MORE INFORMATION WILL FOLLOW

June 14:

FUN IN THE SUN – MT. OLYMPUS (Gr. 6-12)

Depart 8 AM – Return 11 PM/St. Bernadette Parish. Registration Deadline: June 7. Cost: \$39 per person. Contact Peter Leitermann for more information (738-7413)



June 26: DAY OF FAITH AT THE BALLPARK!

Mass, Tailgate, and Timber Rattler Baseball Game!

Inspiring and affordable outing for all! Ticket options, with tailgate meal included, either grass seats (\$7 each) or bleacher seats (\$11 each). Tickets will be sold after Masses through June 21-22. They will also be available during regular office hours.

July 9: ST. MARY & ST. JOSEPH INTERPARISH MASS & PICNIC

AT PIERCE PARK 4:15 PM MASS

FREE Plate Lunch (Sloppy Joe's or Hot Dog)

Bring Your Own Lawn Chair

July 26: Six FLAGS – GREAT AMERICA (Gr 6-12)

Depart 8:15 AM – Return Midnight/St. Bernadette Parish Registration Deadline: July 19. Cost: \$67 per person. Contact Peter Leitermann for more information (738-7413)



July 19-21: FAITH FACTOR (Grades 6-12)

Cost: \$50 per person. Contact Peter Leitermann for more information (738-7413)

August 9: NOAH'S ARK (Grades 6-12)

Depart 7:45 AM – Return 8:30 PM/St. Bernadette Parish Registration Deadline: August 2. Cost: \$50 per person. Contact Peter Leitermann for more information (738-7413)

August 24: WISCONSIN TIMBER RATTLERS GAME FAMILY FUN NIGHT: Game Time: 7:05 PM.

Registration Deadline: Monday, August 8. Cost: \$8 per person (reserved seating). Contact Peter Leitermann for more information (738-7413)



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