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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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Privacy is assured

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**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



... tongues as of fire,  
which parted and  
**came to rest**  
*on each one of them.*  
**ACTS 2:3**

**June 4, 2017 Pentecost**



# St. Mary Parish

*In Joy & Sorrow...*

pondering Together the Treasures of our Faith

## WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

Mon., June 5	12:05 PM	Mass at St. Joseph
Tues., June 6	8:30 AM	Art & Marie School
Wed., June 7	12:05 PM	Birthday Mass for Elayne, Grace, and Carol
Thurs., June 8	12:05 PM	Sanjuana Priebe
Fri., June 9	8:30 AM	Ellie Van Asten
Sat., June 10	4:30 PM	Lloyd Sloat
Sun., June 11	8:30 AM	Jerry Mauthe
	10:30 AM	Royce Karpinen & Louie Traas

## WEEKLY CALENDAR

**June 4 (Sun)** Noon—Vintage Age Brunch @ Spat's

**June 5 (Mon)**

6:30 PM THEO/Community Room

8:00 PM AI-Anon Meeting/L6

**June 6 (Tues)**

8:30 AM Mass/Chapel

1:00 PM Prayer Shawl/SJL9

2:00 PM Rosary & Perpetual Help Devotions/Chapel

6:00 PM Quilting Group/L1-3

6:30 PM Pastoral Council Meeting/Community Room

**June 7 (Wed)**

9:30 AM ROCKs Meeting/L7

12:05 PM Mass

12:40 PM Adoration

**June 8 (Thurs)**

12:05 PM Mass

6:30 PM Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible/L7

**June 9 (Fri)**

8:30 AM Mass/Chapel

10:00 AM Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible/L7

**June 10 (Sat)**

9:00 AM Confessions/Church

4:30 PM Mass

**June 11 (Sun) Pentecost**

Masses: 8:30 & 10:30 AM

6:30 PM Men's CRHP Meeting/SJ209



## 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—May 22-26: \$2,566.00

Weekend—May 27-28: \$5,814.04

Children's Collection: \$73.00

## How do you know that the Holy Spirit is at work in your life?

Let me share with you my experience of the Holy Spirit! In thirty-three years of priestly ministry, I can't begin to count up the number of homilies I have given, whether on the weekend, at a funeral or wedding, or during the week. Very rarely do I repeat a homily from my past, even though I have access on computer drives and memory sticks to hundreds of my homilies. The Holy Spirit never lets me down and always inspires me to come up with something fresh on the weekend.

Never have I given a stock homily for a funeral. What happens often before a funeral Mass is: I go to bed the night before praying "Come, Holy Spirit!", I wake up sometimes between four and five in the morning, I sit down at my keyboard, and the whole homily comes pouring out of me. I literally sometimes do not know where the thoughts come from, other than to say, "It is the Holy Spirit." I know this to be absolutely true in my own life. All that I am able to say and do for the Lord is directed by the Holy Spirit. I remind myself over and over again that this priestly ministry is not mine but rather belongs to the Holy Spirit of Jesus and is for the good of the Lord's people. I just need to get out of the way.

## Come, Holy Spirit! Thy Kingdom come! Thy will be done!

Our Church lives in the Age of the Holy Spirit. Vatican Council II reintroduced us to the power of the Holy Spirit. In the waters of baptism, the gifts of the Holy Spirit have been poured upon each one of us. It is the Holy Spirit that bestows great dignity upon each one of us. Whether we are male or female, we are equal in dignity before the Lord. The Great Council of 1962-65 reminded us that the Holy Spirit resides in all the members of the Church, the People of God. The Pope and Bishops do not have a monopoly on the Holy Spirit. The notion of *sensum fidelium* (sense of faith) affirms that it is the Church's leaders and its people together who preserve and advance the faith. The Bishops are to listen to their people just as much as the people listen to their Bishops. Pope Francis is modeling this for us in his insistence that, prior to a Synod Meeting of the representative Bishops from throughout the world, a survey be offered to the members of the Church throughout the world, asking for their input into the topic to be discussed at the Synod. This was true for the Synod Meetings on the Family in 2014 and 2015. It is true for the preparations in the works for the Synod on Young People in the Church which will happen in 2018.

The Spirit celebrates that diversity can exist side by side with unity. Unity does not necessarily mean conformity. The Spirit is always doing something new. It is difficult to put new wine into old wineskins, the Holy Spirit reminds us.

Hildegard of Bingen, the great mystic and German nun of the Middle Ages, and a Doctor of the Church, writes, "The Holy Spirit is the life of the life of all creatures; the way in which everything is penetrated with connectedness and relatedness; a burning fire who sparks, ignites, inflames, kindles hearts; a guide in the fog; a balm for wounds; a shining serenity; an overflowing fountain that spreads to all sides. The Spirit is life, movement, color, radiance, restorative stillness in the din. The Spirit pours the juice of contrition into hardened hearts; makes dry twigs and withered souls green again with the juice of life; purifies, absolves, strengthens, heals, gathers the perplexed, seeks the lost. The Spirit plays music in the soul; awakens mighty hope, blowing everywhere the winds of renewal in creation."

**Come, Holy Spirit! Happy birthday to our Church, we, the People of God, on the Feast of Pentecost! Father Bill +**



*Thanks*  
  
*for your Generosity*

**Thanks to you, our Mother & Unborn Baby Care Needs collection was a huge success! Your donations completely filled a large pickup truck.**  
 The team at Mother & Unborn Baby Care on Wisconsin Avenue was incredibly grateful!

**In Gratitude:** St. Mary was the beneficiary of a bequest from the estate of Tom Scheiber. Please remember the Scheiber family in your prayers as they grieve the loss of Tom and in gratitude that through his estate planning, he generously remembered St. Mary Parish. These types of gifts make significant impact on our parish and will provide for the future. Thank you, Tom. May you rest in peace!

*Sorry...*  
**TEMPORARILY CLOSED**

**St. Mary Parish Offices will be closed on Monday morning, June 5th from 8 — 10 AM for a staff meeting. Thanks for your understanding!**



Thank you to those who attended the benefit concert for the Holy Resurrection Monastery! Abbot Nicholas and Tom are very grateful for your support. Our concert with the LYRA Russian Orthodox Choir and St. Norbert Abbey Schola d' Arnezzo provided approximately \$2,400 for the Monastery.

**Scrip News**

Did you know that you can go to the Xavier Scrip Office at 101 E. Northland Avenue to purchase scrip to help support St. Mary Parish?  
 June 5th through August 29th  
 Open Monday through Thursday from 7:30 AM — 1:30 PM



**2nd Annual Day of Faith at the Ballpark**

Saturday, June 24 • Timber Rattler Stadium  
 Outdoor Mass @ 4:30 PM, tailgate meal and game to follow (6:35 PM start time)  
 Join us for another great day of family fun!  
 Get tickets now at [www.stmaryparish.org](http://www.stmaryparish.org).  
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*One child, one teacher, one book, one pen can change the world.*

MALALA YOUSAFZAI

Thank you to all the educators who helped our children grow this year. Have a great summer!



**Tickets NOW Available!**

The Xavier Theatre Academy will present Disney's *Beauty and the Beast Jr.* at 7 PM on June 21, 22 & 23, and at 1 PM on June 23 & 24 at the fully accessible Xavier Fine Arts Theatre (1600 W. Prospect Avenue, Appleton). Purchase tickets at [www.xaviertheatre.com](http://www.xaviertheatre.com) or the Xavier Fine Arts box office at (920) 733-8840. The box office is open June 5 & 7, June 12-16 and June 19-23 from noon until 3:00 pm for phone orders and walk up sales as well as one hour before each performance.

**In Loving Memory**

In the spirit of Christian charity, please pray for those who have lost a loved one. At this time, we remember especially the family of Karen Real. 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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