

# 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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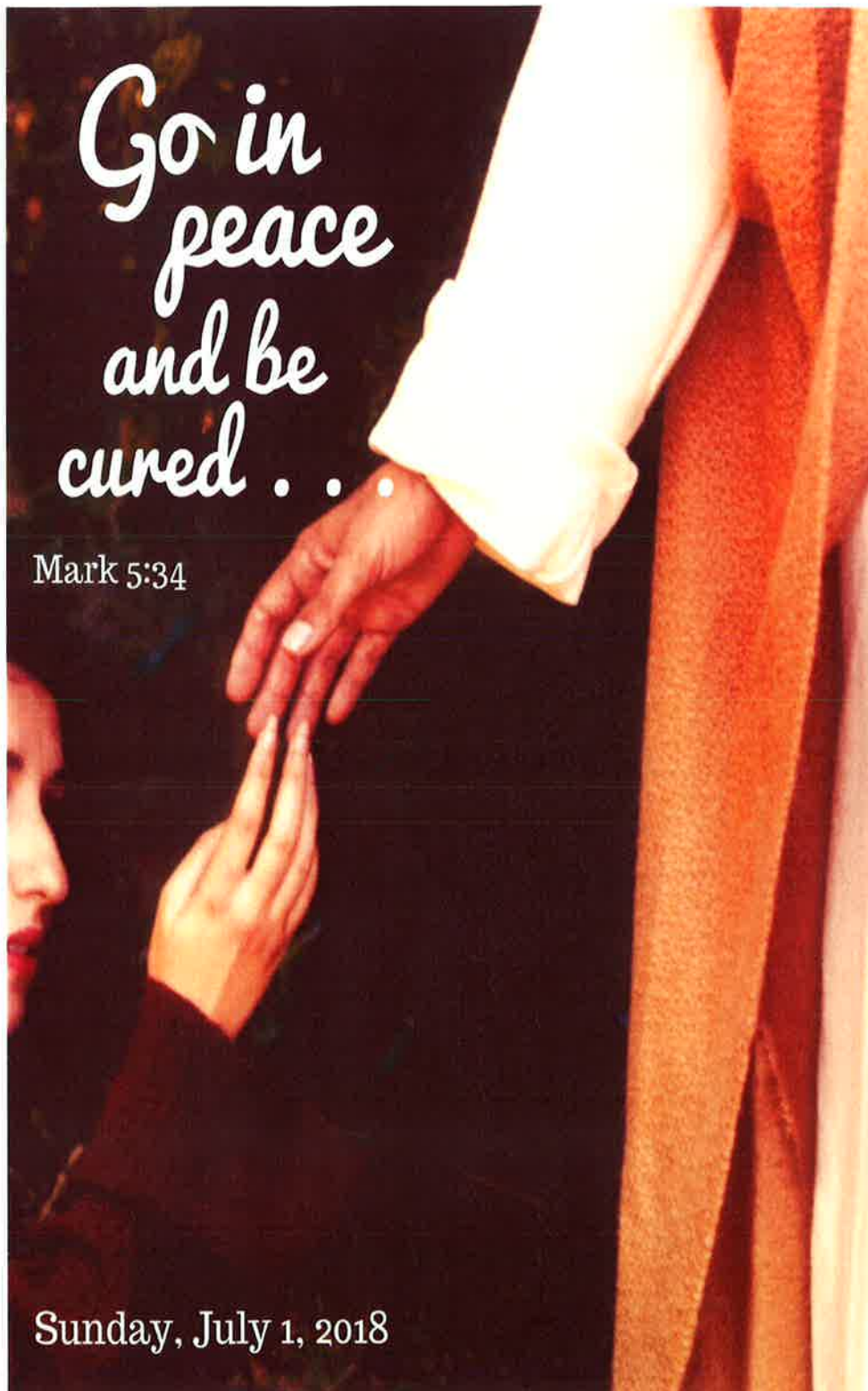
Please contact Sr. Joanne at the parish office.

#### MARRIAGE

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  
Sunday: 8:00 & 9:45 AM  
Holy days: see bulletin



Sunday, July 1, 2018

*A Catholic Community to Call Home*

### Weekly Mass Schedule

Mon., July 2	12:05 PM	Mass at St. Joseph
Tue., July 3	8:30 AM	George & Mary Gilles
Wed., July 4	<b>8:30 AM</b>	Walter & Jean T. Consie
Thurs., July 5	12:05 PM	James Littmann
Fri., July 6	8:30 AM	John Peeters
Sat., July 7	4:30 PM	Margaret Fitzpatrick
Sun., July 8	8:00 AM	Edward & Dorothy Frahm
	9:45 AM	Marie Powers

### St. Mary Weekly Calendar

#### July 2 (Mon)

6:30 PM THEO/Community Room  
8:00 PM AI-Anon Meeting/L6

#### July 3 (Tue)

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

#### July 4 (Wed) Happy Independence Day! Office Closed

8:30 AM Mass

#### July 5 (Thurs)

12:05 PM Mass  
6:30 PM Silence & Sunset/St. Francis Convent, Green Bay  
7:00 PM Knights of Columbus Meeting/Community Room

#### July 6 (Fri)

8:30 AM Mass/Chapel

#### July 7 (Sat)

9:00 AM Confessions  
4:30 PM Mass—St. Joe's Food Program Collection

#### July 8 (Sun)

8:00 & 9:45 AM Masses—St. Joe's Food Program Collection  
Coffee & Donuts after both Masses in the Community Room

### Vintage Age Brunch

Sunday, July 1 • 11:30 AM

Atlas Waterfront Café 425 W. Water Street, Appleton  
All senior age men & women are invited!

### PRAYER NEEDS

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— \$1,971.00 Weekend—\$9,377.51  
Children's—\$17.50



### PLEASE NOTE:

Mass on Wednesday, July 4th will be at 8:30 AM in church (rather than our usual 12:05 PM Wednesday Mass in the chapel).



### MONTHLY COLLECTION St. Joe's Food Program July 7 & 8

Any non-perishable packaged fish or meat (tuna, salmon, chicken, etc.)

Nothing glass or perishable please!  
Place donations in the bins near the altar.

## Day of Faith at the ballpark

**SATURDAY, JULY 21  
FOX CITIES STADIUM**

Tickets available after Masses  
& online at [stmaryparish.org](http://stmaryparish.org)

#### 4:45 PM

Outdoor Mass  
(bring your own chair)

#### AFTER MASS

BYO tailgate or  
head into the stadium

#### 6:35 PM

T-rats game time

*Enjoy fireworks and  
Kids Run the Bases  
after the game!*



### ALPHA Volunteers Needed

#### Virtual Volunteer Coordinator

We need a person with great organizational skills to help schedule and communicate with ALPHA hospitality ministers this fall.

#### Hospitality Ministers

Are you willing to prepare meals or help in the kitchen? What a beautiful way to share your gifts and participate in the new missionary focus of our parish!

If you are interested in either of these ministries, contact Mary Ann Otto at 739-5119 or [motto@stmaryparish.org](mailto:motto@stmaryparish.org).





# Message from Sister Joanne

Words are truly inadequate to express my gratitude for last week's celebration of my retirement! To you who made an effort to be with me for the occasion: thank you! To you who gave spirit and life to the liturgies, especially the 4:30 Polka Mass: thank you! To you who planned the receptions, brought desserts, or prepared food, served and cleaned up: thank you! To you who decorated in church, the Marian Way, and Community Room: thank you! To you who gave me cards, gifts, and heart-felt messages: thank you! To you who signed the Memory Book and included memories: thank you! To the "quilting ladies" for the gorgeous quilt already on my bed: thank

you! To each person of the office staff, who has been so supportive, helpful, fun and committed to Jesus in living out His Gospel: thank you! To each of you who has allowed me to share spiritual journeys with your family from births into resurrections: thank you! St. Mary will always be deeply imprinted on my heart. I pray that God's grace will enable you daily to go beyond what you can say, be or do on your own as together we bring about God's kingdom!

With much love and gratitude,  
Sister Joanne

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

UNITED IN THE  
SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:

*Alyssa Fassbender & Daniel Baker - June 1*  
*Betsy Pfantz & Samuel Hokamp - June 2*  
*Jennifer Daniels & Connor Hebson - June 23*

**SILENCE & SUNSET**

St. Francis Convent, Green Bay  
Register @ [www.gbfranciscans.org](http://www.gbfranciscans.org)

**June 7 • July 5 • Aug 2**

## Adult Inquiry into the Catholic Church

We are told Catholics seldom invite others to share their Catholic faith. Do you know of someone in your family, neighborhood, or among your friends who is without a Church? Do you know of someone who seldom attends the Church to which he/she belongs? Would you extend an invitation to put him/her in touch with the parish office? Call or email us at 739-5119 or [stmary@stmaryparish.org](mailto:stmary@stmaryparish.org).

**THOSE WHO DENY  
FREEDOM TO OTHERS  
DESERVE IT NOT FOR  
THEMSELVES.**

ABRAHAM LINCOLN

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Quotes Gallery

### In Loving Memory

In the spirit of Christian charity, please pray for the families of those who have lost a loved one. May fond memories comfort you during this time. If you have lost a loved one and would like to have him or her remembered in the bulletin, call us at 739-5119.



# Liturgical Music "Musings"

by Thomas Walter M.M.

"It Don't Mean a Thing If It Ain't Got That . . . ?"

Many of you might already know the correct ending to the title of this famous song! (My apologies to Duke Ellington for "improvising" on this theme!) For those of you who don't know the correct ending I will provide the answer at the end of this article...but please don't peek now! For creative liturgical (sacred) music "musings" let's add one of the following words below as the "correct" ending to the title. I am taking some creative license and thinking out of the box since the music of our liturgies have spanned centuries of different "styles"! So...

"It don't mean a thing if it aint got that..."

Chant style? (think Adoro te Devote or Kyrie Elison),  
Polyphony style? (many melody lines...think Palestrina),  
Traditional hymn style? (think "Holy God We Praise Thy Name", "Onward Christian Soldiers", or "On This Day O Beautiful Mother"),  
Spirituals style? (think "Let Us Break Bread Together", "Were You There?", the Brooklyn Tabernacle Choir),  
Old time religion style? (think "Rock Of Ages" or George Beverly Shea and "His Eye Is On The Sparrow"),  
Folk style? (think Ray Repp, the St. Louis Jesuits, the Damians, Weston Priory, or "Here we are, all together as we sing this song, joyfully"),  
Polka style? (think Tennessee Waltz or any polka with a sacred text or lyrics or Jerry Voelker Polka Band),  
Broadway musical style? (think "Prepare Ye The Way Of The Lord" or "All Good Gifts" from Godspell),  
Opera style? (think "Sing God A Simple Song" from Bernstein's Mass),  
Gospel style? (think "Precious Lord, Take My Hand", "Wings Of A Dove", "There'll Be Peace In The Valley", Bebe Winans, Andre Crouch),  
Movie styles? (think "I Can Only Imagine", "Hail, Holy Queen" or "My God" based on "My Guy" from Sister Act),  
Contemporary Christian style? (think Point Of Grace, Jars Of Clay, Gaither Vocal Band),  
Contemporary Christian rock style? (think Mercy Me, Newsboys, Skillet and "Hero", DC Talk and "Jesus Freak"),  
Contemporary Catholic style? (think Haas & Haugen, Taize', Scott Soper, Sarah Hart, Steve Angrisano, the Mosleys, Josh Blakesley Band), or,  
Instrumental music style? (think piano, organ, violin, cello, oboe, flute, guitar, mandolin, etc.).

The "improvisations" on the song titles above are, in fact, examples of music or music groups who have found (for better or worse) their way into our Catholic Mass and other liturgies. I can also state that I have personally sung, played, or have heard many of the examples above in our Catholic churches. No doubt many Catholics have been spiritually touched by these beautiful songs and song styles. They became "fully engaged" and "actively participated" in and with the Holy Spirit to let the music touch them. I believe that Music can evangelize just as strongly as the friendly hospitality minister or theologically relevant homily that we see and hear on the weekend or weekday. We are after all to go out and be His "hands

and feet" and we sing about it in such hymns as "The Eyes And Hands Of Christ" (#515 in the Breaking Bread book). We can also find His teaching in the songs "Voice Of Christ" and "Witnesses" (#75 and #83) in the blue Spiral book.

The point of my "musings" above is to encourage all of us here at St. Mary's to continue to fully engage in the "full and active participation" that the Church Fathers (and Mothers...i.e. Hildegard van Bingen) have asked us to do. In his 1903 encyclical *Tra le Sollecitudini* (On The Restoration of Sacred Music) Pope Pius X echoed what previous Popes had written. Pope Paul VI wrote in his 1967 *Musicae Sacram* (Instruction On Sacred Music) about the new reforms that Vatican II wanted the Church to implement. The United States Council of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) wrote two documents, *Music In Catholic Worship* (1972) and *Sing To The Lord* (2007) that further directed Catholic liturgical musicians how and what to do to serve the Catholic faithful and lead them into full and active participation when they attended the various liturgies. They recognized there was (is) a difference in what is "liturgical" music and what is "sacred" music. (More on that another time, but I want you to know that I try with every Mass to have your music be liturgically appropriate and to mirror the gospel message.) The most recent liturgical document that liturgical musicians are to follow has instructions on the Sacrament of Matrimony.

I found it interesting that 80% of more than 750 readers who responded to a 2014 survey in the U.S. Catholic Magazine said that music at Mass was very important to them. There was also agreement in the survey that Music is only one of the elements that make Mass a good, holy, relevant, and worthwhile "liturgical celebration". In fact, last August, at our Liturgy Committee's first meeting, we chose to focus on "Hymns, Hospitality, and Homilies" as our goals. While this will be a continuing "work in progress" we are committed to help the Parish be successful with these goals. But it is a "two-way" street. While our musicians will do their best to lead you into full and active participation we need YOU to do your part too!

Let's remember what St. Paul tells us in his letter to the Colossians (3:16) "Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly...singing psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs with gratitude in your hearts to God."

Thank you for reading my "musings" and for your continued support of the Music Ministry here at our Parish! I look forward to seeing you and "hearing" you in Church!

Tom

"He who sings, prays twice." St. Augustine of Hippo

P.S. By the way, the correct ending to the song title above is the word "swing" - "It don't mean a thing if it ain't got that swing!" So, when we all gather for Mass let's all really let our voices...*swing!*"





# SATURDAY 7/14

## LIFEST

This year, in celebration of the 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Diocese of Green Bay, Lifest has offered to every student of Catholic schools and Faith Formation a free day-ticket to Lifest in Oshkosh. If you would like to claim your ticket please contact IPRF Office.

Bishop Ricken will be around Saturday:  
Noon: Meet & Greet with Bishop Ricken!  
12:30pm: Lectio Divina with Bishop!  
1-2pm Gaga Ball with Bishop? YES!!  
2pm: 150th Jubilee Cake with Bishop!  
2:30pm: Seth Alfaro shares his life story of conversion!

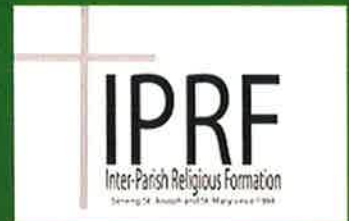
Free Ride! If you would like to ride the bus to and from the Lifest grounds on Saturday contact IPRF by July 11 to add your name to the list!

**Free  
Transportation!**

**Free ticket for  
youth!**

**Great time with  
friends!**

**Great music,  
speakers, games,  
and activities...**



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