

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

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March 14, 2021 - Fourth Sunday of Lent

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SCHEDULE OF MASSES FOR MARCH 13 - MARCH 21

ST. MARY'S

Saturday	4:00 p.m.	St. Mary's Parish Family
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	+ Francis & Mildred Witt
Monday	8:15 a.m.	Rosary & Communion Service
Wednesday	8:15 a.m.	+Justice and Peace
Friday	8:15 a.m.	+Fr. Edward Eftink
Saturday	4:00 p.m.	+Maury McDunner
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	+Rose Anna Abramovitz

ST. AGNES

Tues.	8:30 a.m.
Thur.	8:30 a.m.
Sun.	10:30 p.m.

EVENTS OF THE WEEK:

Sunday, March 14	Special Collection for Catholic Relief Services
Monday, March 15	Rosary & Communion Service 8:15 a.m.
Wednesday, March 17	PSR/CCD Classes 6:15 p.m. to 7:15 p.m.
Friday, March 19	Solemnity of Saints Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary
	Stations of the Cross at 2:00 p.m.
	Fish Fry - 5-7 p.m. Adults \$8 Kids \$3 (ages 6-12) 5 & under Free. Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus - Day of Abstinence (No Meat) Dine in or Carry out.
	Stations of the Cross at 7:00 p.m. Lead by Fr. Matt

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Monday, March 22	Rosary & Communion Service 8:15 a.m.
Wednesday, March 24	8:15 a.m. Mass
	PSR/CCD Classes 6:15 p.m. to 7:15 p.m.
Thursday, March 25	Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord
Friday, March 26	8:15 a.m. Mass
	Stations of the Cross at 2:00 p.m.
	Home & School Fish Fry - 5-7 p.m. Adults \$8 Kids \$3 (ages 6-12) 5 & under Free. Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus - Day of Abstinence (No Meat) Dine in or Carry out.
	Stations of the Cross at 7:00 p.m. Lead by Volunteer
Sunday, March 28	Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord
	Over 65 Dinner You must of signed up for a dinner by March 19 to receive a dinner. The dinners may be picked up at the cafeteria door between 12:00 noon and 1:00 p.m.

OUR GIFT TO GOD LAST WEEK: Collection Counters in March:

Our weekly budget is \$7,800.00 Last Week's Collection: \$ 7,157.00

The Mirror: We have received the bill for The Mirror subscriptions from the diocese. Our bill is \$ 2660.00. At this time we have only collected \$845.00 for the subscription to The Mirror. We are still short \$1,815.00 of covering our bill. If you have not paid yet please do so as soon as possible. **We ask that everyone pay for their subscription so that the church does not have to pick up that expense. Thank You.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

OUR PRAYERS AND SYMPATHY GO TO THE FAMILY OF KEN GARRISON. May he be living with God and may his family feel his peace

PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS Kathy Heidlage, Theresa Heidlage, Jerry Gasser, Charlotte Sloan, and all the sick and shut-ins of our parish.

OVER 65 DINNER- The over 65 dinner will be held on March 28, 2021. Due to Covid-19 and social distancing, the dinner will be PICK UP ONLY. You must sign up to receive a dinner. You may sign up in the back of church or through the church at 476-2827. If no answer, please leave a message. You may also sign up via email at st_marys@live.com. **The deadline for signing up is March 19, 2021.**

NOTES FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK:

Preschool - Pre-Kindergarten registration is open for the 2021-2022 school year. This is to register for our three year old program and for our four year old program. If you have or you know of someone with a student who will be three or four years old by August 1st send them by to talk with us about our proven effective programs. We are now registering students from surrounding Catholic parishes.

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Holy Thursday: St. Mary's No Mass St. Agnes 7:00 p.m.
Good Friday: St. Mary's 7:00 p.m. St. Agnes 3:00 p.m.
Holy Saturday: St. Mary's 7:00 p.m. St. Agnes No Mass
Easter Sunday: St. Mary's 8:30 a.m. St. Agnes 10:30 a.m.

2021 KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FISH FRY WORK LIST

All shifts start @ 5:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

If you are unable to work please find a replacement to work!

March 19, 2021- Brian Abramovitz, Philip Elbert, Todd Forgey, Mike Velten, Ian Brottlund, Mike Sloan, Doug Witt, Kenny O'Hara, Daryle Fenski

Head Cook Staff: 2:00 p.m.-8:45 p.m.

Monroe Rosebrough Rex Cooper Jimmy Parrigon Carl King Andy Parrigon Joe Crowell Brad Gripka Dave Cox

MARCH APPOINTMENTS

If you are unable to make your appointment, please find a replacement

Saturday, March 13 4:00 p.m. Mass

Readers: Madeline Ceselski, Beverly Miller

Ushers: Leonard Fenske, Larry Gasser

Sunday, March 21 8:30 a.m. Mass

Readers: Joe Crowell, Denise Crowell

Ushers: Jim Barchak, Ian Brottlund

Sunday, March 14 8:30 a.m. Mass

Readers: Rachelle Brown, Jennifer Eaton

Ushers: Levi Cooper, Ellis Motley

Saturday, March 27 4:00 p.m. Mass

Readers: Madeline Ceselski, Beverly Miller

Ushers: Doug Witt, Bryan Stellwagen

Saturday, March 20 4:00 p.m. Mass

Readers: Beverly Miller, Madeline Ceselski

Ushers: Tom Cahalan, Tommy Cahalan

Sunday, March 28 8:30 a.m. Mass

Readers: Heather Gripka, Michael Myers

Ushers: Darren Brown, Dustin Avondet

St. Mary's Parish Council Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, January 13, 2021

Members present were: Father Matt, Joe Crowell, Judy Flehmer, Mike Kaiser, Bonnie Parrigon, Cody Washam, and Doug Witt. The meeting was called to order by President Cody Washam.

Father Matt gave the opening prayer.

The minutes from the last meeting were read by Secretary Bonnie Parrigon and approved by the Council.

Joe Crowell gave the financial report. He reported that weekly donations are down but other donations are up.

Father Matt's Report: He stated that with Lent less than two months away he's hoping we are not ordered shut things down. Father mentioned he is floored by the generosity of our members. He hopes Mass attendance will improve with the Covid vaccination being offered.

Old Business:

- Concerning the chimney on the church, Cody talked to Sergio. He will fix it for \$300. The council approved this.
- The walls up to the choir look good. Cody may have Sergio look at the ceiling to get his opinion about fixing it.
- Mike Kaiser reported the security plan is ready. As soon as Bonnie Witt-Schulte gets the all clear, she will be able to discuss this. Since she is an essential worker, we should not expect this to happen until things improve. Father reported that Peterson Lock and Key installed the thumb keys on the doors of church.

New Business

- We discussed some questions and clarifications regarding concerns that the Bishop has about St. Mary's.
- The pews in church are in need of some repair. Some are coming apart. We will set up a work day to work on them.
- Catholic Mutual will be here on January 26, 2021 to do a walk around inspection. Cody volunteered to do the walk through with them.

The next meeting was set for February 10, 2021.

There being no further business, the meeting was closed with prayer.

Submitted by Bonnie Parrigon