

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, February 22nd (The Chair of St. Peter the Apostle) 8:00 am Jo Ellen Kilkenny (NO) 4:00 pm Cecil and Helen Gartner (NO) Sunday, February 23rd (Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time) 7:30 am Bill Kehoe (TLM) 9:15 am Joseph and Alba Ragno (NO) Aonday, February 24th 7:30 am Eileen Shipp (NO) Tuesday, February 25th 7:30 am Peter John Vandercook (NO) Wednesday, February 26th (Ash Wednesday) 7:30 am Peter John Vandercook (NO) 6:30 pm Special Intention (TLM) Thursday, February 27th 7.30 am Fr. Donald Calloway (NO) Friday, February 28th 7:30 am Chad and Whitney Breunig (NO) Saturday, February 28th 8:00 am William Spears (NO) 4:00 pm People of the Parish (NO) Sunday, March 1 (First Sunday of Lent) 7:30 am Del and Kathleen Lathem (TLM) 9:15 am People of the Parish (NO)

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

"So be perfect, just as your heavenly Father is perfect." Encourage the Holy Spirit to perfect your marriage by taking part in a Worldwide Marriage Encounter on March 13-15 in Madison, WI. Visit our website at: alifetieoflove.org or call: 888-574-5653.

PRAY FOR OUR PRIESTS AND RELIGIOUS

"The essence of our identity is that we are created in God's image and likeness and loved by Him. Nothing can diminish the priceless worth of any human life. Every person is cherished."

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities 2018-19 Respect Life Reflection



LITURGICAL ROLES

FEBRUARY 29 AND MARCH 1

Sacristan

Sat. 4:00 pm Sun. 9:15 am

n Cheryl Leik n Michael Kloess

Cheryl Leik

Dennis Arneson

Lector

Sat. 4:00 pm Sun. 9:15 am

Greeters

Sat. 4:00 pm Sun 9:15 am

n Cheryl Leik n Paul and Marji Krantz

If you are not able to fulfill your extraordinary minister role, please find a substitute.

ASH WEDNESDAY, GOOD FRIDAY AND LENT

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are obligatory days of fasting and abstinence for Catholics. In addition, Fridays during Lent are obligatory days of abstinence. For members of the Roman Catholic Church, the norms on fasting are obligatory from age 18.

KEEP OUR PRIESTS AND RELIGIOUS IN YOUR PRAYERS

""But I say to you, love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you....."

Matthew 5:44

Love your enemies, easier said than done, no doubt. But, remember, the foundation of stewardship is prayer. When we are in close communication with God, it opens our heart and it turns our attention away from "me" and moves it towards God and others. It allows us to have a little more empathy for "our enemy." When we pray for others, even "our enemies," maybe it softens their hearts as well.

MADISON CATHOLIC WOMAN'S CLUB

On Tuesday, March 10, Madison Catholic Woman's Club will host it's annual Priest and Religious Recognition Day at Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church, 2116 Hollister Ave., Madison. All women of the diocese are invited to attend and encouraged to bring their pastor, pastoral associates, religious education director and/or any other staff who serve to enrich the spiritual life of the parish community. Rosary will be prayed at 10:30 am, Mass at 11 am followed by lunch in the Friory. Speaker will be Kim Verdauteren, who is the executive Director of the Wisconsin Catholic Conference which is the Public Policy Voice of the Wisconsin Catholic Bishops. Paid reservations of \$18.00 per person should be mailed to: Gail Yellen-Shiring 222 Hillington Grn, Madison, WI 53726, 608-577-0131 and received by Tuesday, March 3. Include the name of your parish as well as the name, position and parish of your guest (s).

website: <u>wwwmadisoncatholicwomansclub.org</u>

WOMEN AUTHENTIC IN BEING AND ACTION: WOMEN'S DAY OF REFLECTION IN LENT SCHOENSTATT HEIGHTS 5901 COTTAGE GROVE ROAD, MADISON MARCH 7 FROM 8 AM TO 4 PM

The day includes: presentations, discussions, Mass, opportunity for Confession, and Adoration. Cost is \$30 per person and includes lunch. To register call the Sisters at: 608-222-7208 or email: <u>sch.madions@zoho.com</u>.

WE SHARE

A safe and convenient alternative to the weekly "envelope" collection is to make your weekly or monthly collection over a secured online site, WeShare. Visit St. Mary's web site at: www.stmarypb.com and hit the "Donate to St. Mary Pine Bluff" button and complete the information to begin your donation.

IN THE AREA

Feb. 25	Bingo Night, St. Mary Of the Lake, Waunakee Doors open at 5:30 pm for refreshments BINGO Games begin at 7 pm. Raffles during Intermission	
Mar. 6	Fish Fry, St. Michael's Church, Dane, 5 to 8 pm	
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SAVE THE DATE!

Saturday, May 2, 2020 all are invited to the "A Night at the Races" a fundraising Gala for St. Mary Pine Bluff Parish. The event will be at: The Oaks Golf Course, 4740 Pierceville Rd., Cottage Grove, WI. Tickets are now available: <u>https://stmarysgala.wixsite.com/gala2020</u>

RELEVANT RADIO

1240 AM

TALK RADIO FOR CATHOLIC LIFE

FR. HEILMAN GUEST SPEAKER MONDAY, FEB. 24

AT 11 AM

KEEP OUR SERVICE MEN IN YOUR PRAYERS

THANK YOU

Volunteers from St. Mary Pine Bluff recently delivered 74 pounds of food to the Mt. Horeb Area Food Pantry. Thank you to all who contribute food to this important local pantry. Popular items at the food pantry are cereals, pancake and cake mixes, jams, jellies, vegetables, canned meat and tuna, packaged noodles, canned juices, canned soups and stews, mayonnaise, salad dressing, coffee, tea, canned fruit.



Collection Report February 16, 2020

	Actual	Budget	Variance
Weekly	\$ 3,308.25	\$ 5,437.50	(\$ 2,129.25)
Year To Date	\$ 203,993.55	\$195,562.50	\$ 8,431.05

THANK YOU FOR USING YOUR ENVELOPES OR DONATING ON LINE