Saint Mary of the Assumption Catholic Church

Defend, O most watchful guardian of the Holy Family, the chosen children of Jesus Christ. -Pope Leo XIII

Readings for the week of June 21, 2020

Sunday: Jer 20:10-13/Ps 69:8-10, 14, 17, 33-35 [14c]/Rom 5:12-15/ Mt 10:26-33

- Monday: 2 Kgs 17:5-8, 13-15a, 18/Ps 60:3, 4-5, 12-13 [7b]/Mt 7:1-5
- Tuesday: 2 Kgs 19:9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36/Ps 48:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 10-11 cf. 9d]/Mt 7:6, 12-14
- Wednesday: Vigil: Jer 1:4-10/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15, 17 [6b]/1 Pt 1:8-12/ Lk 1:5-17. Day: Is 49:1-6/Ps 139:1-3, 13-14, 14-15 [14a]/Acts 13:22-26/Lk 1:57-66, 80
- Thursday: 2 Kgs 24:8-17/Ps 79:1b-2, 3-5, 8, 9 [9]/Mt 7:21-29 Friday: 2 Kgs 25:1-12/Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6 [6ab]/Mt 8:1-4
- Saturday: Lam 2:2, 10-14, 18-19/Ps 74:1b-2, 3-5, 6-7, 20-21 [19b]/ Mt 8:5-17

Next Sunday: 2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a/Ps 89:2-3, 16-17, 18-19 [2a]/ Rom 6:3-4, 8-11/Mt 10:37-42

Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that Thou art truly present in the Most **Blessed Sacrament.** I love Thee above all things and I desire to receive Thee unto my soul. Since I cannot now receive Thee sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace Thee as if Thou wert already come, and unite myself wholly to Thee; never permit me to be separated from Thee.

Mass Schedule

Saturday, June 27th Confessions 4:15-4:50 pm Mass 5:15 pm Bennie & Elizabeth Green SP.I.

Sunday, June 28th Confessions 7:30-7:50 am Mass 8:00 am + George Laubmeier (G3)

> Confessions 9:30-10:20 am Mass 10:30 am **Our Parish Family**

O Mary,

You always brighten our path. as a sign of salvation and hope. We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick, who, at the Cross, took part in Jesus' pain while remaining steadfast in faith. O loving Mother, you know what we need, and we are confident you will provide for us as at Cana in Galilee. Intercede for us with your Son, Jesus, the Divine Physician, For those who have fallen ill. For those who are vulnerable. And for those who have died. Intercede also for those charged with protecting the health and safety of others and for those who are tending to the sick and seeking a cure. Help us, O Mother of Divine Love, to conform to the will of the Father As to do as we are told by Jesus. who took upon himself our sufferings and carried our sorrows, so as to lead us, through the Cross, To the glory of the Resurrection. Amen



From your pastor . . .

I take this occasion to extend a blessed Father's Day to all Fathers in our parish. Thank you for the care that you give to your family throughout the year and for the many sacrifices you make in living out your vocation as a Father.

Beginning May 1, this year was declared by Bishop Callahan to be dedicated to Saint Joseph, the patron saint of our Diocese. Saint Joseph is also the patron saint of Fathers. At the end of this column I will include a prayer that I pray to Saint Joseph and perhaps you may wish to pray it as well.

There are reports of false emails being sent out in my name requesting that you send me gift cards so that I can distribute them to needy persons. All emails asking for money in my name are scams and you should not allow yourself to be taken in by them, no matter how authentic they seem to be. If I were to request something like this from you, I would talk with you personally about it. I do not anticipate doing this anytime in the future.

We offer congratulations to Susan Tully and Candace Mc Grath who have been elected to positions of leadership and responsibility in the Diocesan Council of Catholic Women (DCCW). Susan has been chosen to be the Presidentelect, which means when the term of the present president is over, she will automatically become the President of the Diocesan Council. Candace has been chosen to be the Secretary of the Diocesan Council, which involves a great amount of responsibility. Our parish is honored by their being chosen to serve our Diocesan Church in this way.

I hope you are enjoying the warm summer weather that we have been experiencing. The crops seem to be off to an excellent start. Let's keep praying that the sun puts the coronavirus on the run so that we can get back to a normal way of life in our nation and world. Also, let us pray for an end to these tragic incidents that have caused so much division within our country. As we pray to Saint Joseph for our Fathers, let us also pray through the intercession of Mary, the Immaculate Conception for our country. She was named patroness of the United States of American in 1846.

Until I write again, may God bless you and all the parishioners of Saint Mary's Parish.

Monsignor Roger J. Scheckel

Prayer to Saint Joseph Blessed Joseph, husband of Mary, be with us this day You protected and cherished the Virgin, loving the Child Jesus as your son. You rescued him from the danger of death. Defend the Church, the household of God, purchased by the blood of Christ. Guardian of the Holy Family be with us in our trials. May your prayers attain for us the strength to flee from error and wrestle with the powers of corruption As that in life we may grow in holiness and in death rejoice in the crown of victory, Amen.

Keep in prayer the five men who will be ordained permanent Deacons On June, 23, 2020

> Mr. Michael Kamrowski Mr. Martin Kulak Mr. John McDonnell Mr. Gordon Ruplinger Mr. Kurt Zakrzewski

Keep in prayer the four transitional Deacons who will be ordained to the priesthood on June 27, 2020 Deacon Samuel McCarty Deacon Joseph Richards Deacon Levi Schmitt Deacon Daniel Williams

> "You are priest forever by the order of Melchizedek"

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Keep in Prayer for Our First Communicants



Father's Day Spiritual Bouquet

During the month of June, celebrate fatherhood by giving in memory, celebration, gratitude or thanksgiving for a special dad in your life. When you give, Pro-Life Wisconsin will send a spiritual bouquet to let him know you are praying for him the whole month long.

www.ProLifeWI.org/carnations



June 13/14, 2020 Stewardship

Adult Tithe	\$3,416.00
Offertory	197.00
Student Offertory	.00
Pastoral Care	30.00
Building & Maintenance	195.00
Holy Day	15.00
Total	\$3,853.00
April (ACH) Automatic Contributions	\$6,020.00
May (ACH) Automatic Contributions	\$6.020.00

St. Mary School in Richland Center is looking for a cook for the 2020-2021 school year. Part-time, 25 hours a week. Please call 647-2422 or email: stacia.kohlstedt@stmarysrc.com



Scrip News

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The Eucharist is the secret of my day. gives strength and meanin to all my activities of service to the Church and to the whole world. ~ Bope John Beut II



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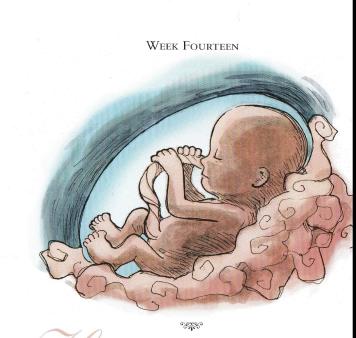
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Wedding Planning Information

For those seeking the Sacrament of Marriage in our Church **please** notify the pastor as soon as you are engaged, but **not less than six months** prior to the proposed wedding date.



EL—lo and excuse me, please! I've got the hiccups and I get them quite frequently! That's what happens at fourteen weeks, I guess. They say that when you get the hiccups, you're growing. Well, I must be really growing because I get them all the time, and in only two weeks I've gone from weighing one ounce to five and a half ounces!! I'm measuring a little more than four and one half inches from crown to bottom, which doesn't include my legs. Speaking of legs, mine are now growing faster than my arms; and all my joints and limbs can move. You should see these tiny fingernails I have. I think they are quite lovely, if I have to say so myself! Mom's ultrasound technician informed her this week that I'm a little girl. That means ribbon and lace...

"...carefully put together in my mother's womb, when I was growing there in secret, you knew that I was there—you saw me before I was born." —PSALM 139:15-16





Miss Vicki Faber With retirement gift from Parish and School