

Saint Mary of the Assumption Catholic Church



15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"The seed sown on rich soil is the one who hears the word and understands it, who indeed bears fruit and yields a hundred or sixty or thirtyfold." - Mt 13:23

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15th Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday July 16th, 2023

Saturday, July 22nd 5:15 pm

Lector: Gretchen Jelinek

Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion:

Suzanne Walter

Servers: Owen Drier, Andrew Mata, Danicka Spencer

Ushers: Knights of Columbus

Gifts: Steve Bauer Family **Scrip:** Judy Murphy

Sunday, July 23rd 8:00 am

Lector: Maly Krajco

Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion: John Tennant

Servers: Alexander & Carter Kloehn, Colyn Morris,
Nicholas Perna

Ushers: Knights of Columbus

Gifts: Andrew Wright Family **Scrip:** Judy Barnicle

Sunday, July 23rd 10:30 am

Lector: Gloria Joseph

Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion: Jeffrey Joseph

Servers: Baylee & Taylor Wertz, Giada Johnson,
Jolee Larse

Gifts: Donna Bodinet **Scrip:** Colleen Schroeder

Mass Schedule

Monday, July 17th

No Mass

Tuesday, July 18th **St. Camillus de Lellis**

Mass 8:15 am

Sofie Yu Sanchez SP.I.

Wednesday, July 19th

No Mass

Thursday, July 20th **St. Apollinaris**

Mass 8:15 am **Adoration following Mass**

† Connie Cosgrove

Friday, July 21st **St. Lawrence**

Mass 8:15 am

† Agatha & Cameron Peckham

Saturday July 22nd **St. Mary Magdalene**

Confessions 4:00 to 4:50 pm

Mass 5:15 pm

† Alan Welte

Sunday July 23rd **16th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Confessions 7:30 to 7:50 am

Mass 8:00 am

Our Parish Family

Confessions 9:30 to 10:20 am

Mass 10:30 am

Bob & Trina Emrich SP.I.



Everyone Invited! ... Daily Mass

Monday thru Thursday at 8:15am

Parish Calendar Events

08/07 Monday, PCCW meeting 6:30 pm

08/13 Sunday Knights of Columbus Assembly mtg 6:30 pm

08/13 Sunday, Knights of Columbus meeting 7:00 pm

09/16 Saturday, Parish Festival (Save the Date)

10/19 to 10/22 Thursday to Sunday...

Display of the Eucharistic Miracles (undercroft)

From your pastor . . .

I wish to take this opportunity to express gratitude to all who were involved in our recent Vacation Bible School Program. A special thanks to Candace McGrath, who was the overall organizer for the program. There was an impressive number of volunteers – adults and students who served as teachers and chaperones. It was a very worthwhile endeavor for the children and youth who attended. Thank you to all who made it happen.

Hopefully you received the most recent issue of Catholic Life, our diocesan monthly magazine that features various endeavors taking place within the diocese with a particular focus on parishes. Last month I pointed out that our parish was featured because of our recent renovation project. Much of the article was an interview with Julie and Paul Peckham who were parish leaders for the **Inspired by the Spirit** capital campaign that was instrumental in raising the money needed for our renovation. The latest issue has an article dedicated to the practice of Natural Family Planning which is a morally approved method for spacing the birth of children in a family. Parishioners Maggie and Kaleb Frawley are featured in an article entitled “Thy Will Be Done.” It includes very nice photos of the three Frawley children, Grace, Jacob and Max as well as a wedding photo of Maggie and Kaleb with Father Emmanuel, the former pastor at Saint Mary’s. It is a very worthwhile article to read, especially for young couples who are looking for a safe, moral and natural means to plan your family.

As was mentioned at the end of last weekend’s Masses, the book written by Bishop Robert Barron, entitled This is My Body, is being made available without cost to all parishioners. It has been placed on the tables near the entrances/exits of the church. Bishop Barron is presently the Bishop of the Diocese of Winona, Minnesota after having served as auxiliary bishop in the Archdiocese of Los Angeles for a number of years. Bishop Barron and your pastor studied together at the seminary at The Catholic University of America in Washington, D.C. in the 1970-80’s. He was a very bright student when he was in the seminary and has grown in knowledge and wisdom since that time. He is a special gift to the Church. I highly recommend his book for your reading.

Let’s all redouble our prayers for a blessing of abundant rainfall for our countryside.

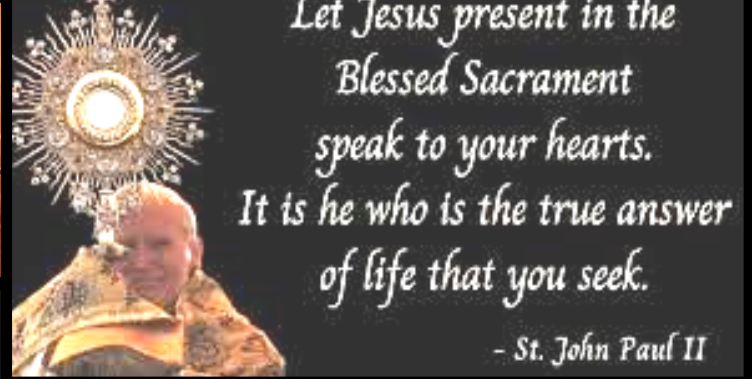
Until I write again, may God bless you and all the parishioners of Saint Mary’s Parish.

Monsignor Roger J. Scheckel



Eucharistic Revival 2022-2025

“Always remain close to the Catholic Church, because it alone can give you true peace, since it alone possesses Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament, the true Prince of peace” St Padre Pio



The Eucharist is called the Memorial of the Lord's Death and Resurrection

Jesus instructed the Apostles at the Last Supper to “do this in memory of Me.” The Eucharist is a memorial, but this means much more than recalling something to mind, or remembering an event from the past. “In Sacred Scripture the *memorial* is not merely the recollection of past events,” **but at Mass, they become present and real** so that our lives may be conformed to them. “When the Church celebrates the Eucharist, She commemorates Christ’s Passover [Jesus passing over from death to life], and **it is made present**: the sacrifice of Christ offered once for all on the Cross remains ever present” (*Catechism of the Catholic Church*, paragraphs 1363, 1364).

Let’s pray this right now and every day this week: Jesus, please help me to prepare beforehand to enter into the Memorial – **the making present** – of Your Death and Resurrection at Mass.

This week, read how St. Paul describes the Last Supper, capturing Jesus’ words: “Do this in remembrance of Me” in 1 Corinthians 11:23-26.

Little Lambs Clothes Closet First Open July 15, 2023

Where: Park Street Christian Church
148 S. Park St, Richland Center, WI 53581

When: Open the 3rd Saturday of every month
9:30 am to 11:30am

What is given: Baby Clothing, other baby items, and diapers; ages 0-24 months
(New or very gently used items)

All the items in the closet are free

**When bringing donations, use the Park St Entrance
For monetary gifts ...**

**Make checks out to Richland County Right to Life, LLC
with “Little Lambs Closet” in the memo.**

**On the 3rd Saturday of every month 9:30am to 11:30am
Questions: Call 608-585-3401**

An Outreach of:

Richland County Right to Life, LLC,
PO Box 503, Richland Center, WI 53581



A Pilgrimage to the Holy Land Under the Spiritual Guidance of Fr. Eric Berns

February 1st – 12th, 2024

\$3,999.00

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Scrip News

Earning for St. Mary’s on-the-go. The RaiseRight mobile app puts earning at your fingertips—in the checkout lane, at the gas pump, out to dinner, or even from the comfort of your couch. Download the free RaiseRight mobile app for iOS or Android. Shop and buy gift cards, view earnings, access and use your gift cards. Contact scrip@stmarysrc.com for more information. be scrip@stmarysrc.com.

If you, or someone you know is in need of prayer, please send your prayer request to prayer.chain@stmarysrc.com

**Door of Hope 30th Annual Corn Boil
Pregnancy & Family Care Center**

Where: Vernon County Fairground Expo Center
August 3rd



Lunch 12:00 to 2:00 pm

Dinner 4:00 to 7:00 pm

Adults—\$10.00

Children 4 to 12—\$5.00

3 and under are free

Corn to go—\$7.00 a dozen

Bulk ticket purchase 15 or more \$8.00

Meal includes

hotdog, chips, beans endless corn, soda and ice cream

Questions: door.of.hope@outlook.com



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3. "I belong to a Parish
4. Find St Mary's by zip
5. Enter your email, done!

Readings for the week of July 16, 2023

- Sunday:** Is 55:10-11/Ps 65:1, 11, 12-13, 14 (Luke 8:8)/
Rom 8:18-23/Mt 13:1-23 or 13:1-9
- Monday:** Ex 1:8-14, 22/Ps 124:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8/
Mt 10:34—11:1
- Tuesday:** Ex 2:1-15a/Ps 69:3, 14, 30-31, 33-34/
Mt 11:20-24
- Wednesday:** Ex 3:1-6, 9-12/Ps 103:1b-2, 3-4, 6-7/Mt 11:25-27
- Thursday:** Ex 3:13-20/Ps 105:1 and 5, 8-9, 24-25, 26-27
Mt 11:28-30
- Friday:** Ex 11:10—12:14/Ps 116:12-13, 15 and 16bc,
17-18/Mt 12:1-8
- Saturday:** Sg 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17/Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9/
Jn 20:1-2, 11-18
- Next Sunday:** Wis 12:13, 16-19/Ps 86:5-6, 9-10, 15-16 (5a)/
Rom 8:26-27/Mt 13:24-43 or 13:24-30

Abortion...
One heart stops
Another heart
breaks

July 8/9 , 2023 Stewardship

Adult Tithe.....	\$6,297.00
Offertory.....	\$419.00
Pastoral Care.....	\$60.00
Building & Maintenance.....	\$76.00
Catholic School Support.....	\$200.00
Total.....	\$3996.00

June (ACH) Automatic Contributions \$6,005.00

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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.