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*At once Jesus spoke to them,
"Take courage, it is I; do not be afraid."
-Matthew 14:27*

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**NINETEENTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME**
August 13, 2017

**St. Mary Catholic Church 1749 Racine Ave NE
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**Weekend Masses: Saturday 5:00PM
Sunday 8:30AM & 10:30AM**

**Confessions: Saturday 4:00-4:30PM or
by appointment**

Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8:30AM - 1:00PM

WELCOME TO ST. MARYS! If you would like to embrace
our parish family please give Fr. Tim or Amy a call at the
office @624-2228.

Homebound: If you would like Communion brought to
your home, please contact the office @ 624-2228 between
8am and 1pm.

Eucharistic Adoration: Friday 7am until noon.
Monday nights from 6pm to 10pm.

Sickness: Please notify the pastor 624-2228 when
someone is ill or has been hospitalized. Sacrament of
Anointing is available.

Marriage: A minimum of 6 months is necessary for
marriage preparation. Please contact the pastor.

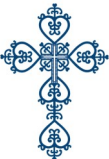
Baptism: Parents must be registered members of the
parish. Baptism instructions are required, ideally before the
child is born. Please call 624-2228 to register.

Expecting a New Arrival??? Please call the church office
at 624-2228 when your baby arrives, so we can arrange
meals to be delivered when it is convenient for your family.

Child Abuse: To report child sexual abuse, contact the
Iowa Department of Human Services' Child Abuse hotline
at (800)262-2178. If the abuse involves clergy or church
personnel, also notify Victim Assistance Coordinator,
Alicia Owens, anytime at (563)349-5002; by email at
vaccdav@attglobal.net; or by mail at PO Box 232,
Bettendorf, IA 52722.

	August 19 5:00 pm	August 20 8:30 am	August 20 10:30 am
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NURSERY			
MONEY COUNTERS	Mon., August 14 - Kathy, Kay, Donna, Kevin	Mon., August 21 Bonnie W., Donna, Judy, Cheryl	

Little Lamb Nursery This childcare service during the 10:30 a.m. Mass will not be available this summer. It will begin again in the Fall. If you would like to support the young families this parish ministry serves by helping with childcare on Sunday mornings this fall, please contact Megan Laing: laingmeg@gmail.com

	Collection for August 5 & 6
	Offertory: \$1,054.50
	Weekly: \$7,593.00
	Total: \$8,647.50
July Monthly Direct & ACH as follows:	
Monthly Direct: \$730.00, VANCO ACH: \$1,350.00, We Share ACH: \$1,725.00. (in addition to weekly collection totals).	



Baptism Classes:

Parents must be members of the parish to have their children baptized. Parents baptizing their first child are required to attend all three classes.

2017 Dates are listed below:

Classes are from 6:30-8:00

Please register the Friday before the first session

Fall Class: October 10, 24 & November 14

Mass Intentions For August			
Mon.	14	8:00 am	James Yakish
Tues.	15	8:00 am	Delores Steinbrech
Tues.	15	6:30 pm	Margaret Holte
Wed.	16	8:00 am	Thomas Wolfe
Thurs.	17	9:30 am CC	Clifford Kramer
Fri.	18	7:00 am	Word & Adoration
Sat.	19	5:00 pm	Bill Matthes
Sun.	20	8:30 am	Gene Erenberger
Sun	20	10:30 am	For the Parish

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary



JOIN US FOR MASS:
TUESDAY, AUGUST 15
8:00 A.M. OR 6:30 P.M.

From Mary we learn to surrender to God's Will in all things.

From Mary we learn to trust even when all hope seems gone.

From Mary we learn to love Christ her Son and the Son of God!

-Pope St. John Paul II



Following Masses:
August 26 & 27

St. Mary Brick Fundraiser

Own A Piece of St. Mary History and Support Our Youth!

Our old St. Mary Catholic Church building has been deconstructed. Now down, our youth will spend time cleaning and sorting the old bricks. The bricks will then be sent to be engraved:



This is an opportunity to own a piece of parish history while supporting the youth of the parish!

Cost: \$40.00 per brick

UPCOMING EVENTS

Monday: Adoration 6:00 pm to 10:00 pm, Rosary - 8:00 p.m.

Tuesday: 8:00 am & 6:30 pm Mass - The Assumption

Thursday: 9:30 am Mass at the Care Center.

Friday: Word Service and Adoration 7 am to Noon

Sisters Encouraging Sisters, Tuesday, August 15 at 11:00 am

Pray the Rosary, Tuesday, August 15 at 11:30 am

Mom's Book Club, Wednesday, August 16 at 9:00 am

Youth Speaker, Wednesday, August 16 at 6:30 pm

Cemetery Meeting, Wednesday, August 16 at 6:30 pm

Wild Goose, Wednesday, August 16 at 7:00 pm


Fishers of Men, Saturday, August 19 at 6:30 am

Confessions, Saturday, August 19 at 4:00 pm

KC Cedar Rapids Kernels Baseball Night, Saturday, August 19

Fishers of Men, Sunday, August 20 at 7:00 am

Lector Training, Sunday, Aug 20 between 8:30 & 10:30 Masses



Thank You

Thank you to Aggie Rudy and Lois Greene for spending countless hours tending to our flower gardens here at St. Mary! Also, a special thank you to Chuck Gleason for helping to mulch the gardens! If you see these dedicated parishioners around church, thank them for their help!!



LECTORS
The Word of God

Lector Training - August 20
Between the 8:30 & 10:30 Masses

Fr. Tim will be training lectors on August 20, between the 8:30 and 10:30 Masses. If you would like to join this ministry or would like a refresher in the training, please come to the session. If you would like to become a lector and are unable to attend the training, please email or call June Maiers at 325-6232 to be added to the list.



K-8Faith Formation Registration
Helping Parents form the faith of their children

K-8th Grade Families: Look for this picture on the parish website homepage to register your children for faith formation classes. Please register by **September 3.**





THE WILD GOOSE
DISCOVERING A DEEPER RELATIONSHIP WITH THE HOLY SPIRIT

Our New Women's Study is "The Wild Goose" No book to read - just join us at 7:00pm on Wednesdays in the parish hall. We'll pray together, watch and discuss the video, and continue to encourage and support one another as we grow in becoming better wives, mothers, sisters, friends, neighbors and co-workers.

Come watch the video series that has captivated many of our parishioners!! It is awakening God's love and transforming power in the hearts of all who are watching this series of videos. Discover the Holy Spirit who has been revealed to us by Jesus Christ and who leads us to our heavenly Father. **Or watch on your own at FORMED.ORG using parish code QXJ8P6**

St. Mary's Harvest Festival
October 1, 2017

Our 2017 Harvest Festival is fast approaching and it is time again to share your time and talents with the parish. The Bidding Barn provides a variety of items to bid on during the Harvest Festival. You can help by donating items and/or services and gift cards for the Bidding Barn. Popular items in the past have included tickets to sporting events, handcrafted furniture, antiques, guided trips, pontoon rides on Lake MacBride, themed baskets, and a wide variety of goods and services. Think about using your talents and creativity to provide some unique items to donate this fall. All money raised goes back to the parish and our youth groups. Donation forms can be found in the gathering space.

We are asking all donation forms be delivered to the Parish office by **Wednesday, September 27th.** Please be descriptive when completing the forms as it helps when filling out the forms for bidding and getting the items for auction organized. If you have any questions, please contact **Pat Zimmerman at 337-8296**.



"Real Love in the Real World" Talk for High School students
Wed Aug. 16th
6:30PM | St. Mary Church | Solon, IA
talk followed by Adoration/Praise & Worship 8:00PM-9:00PM

The talk will begin at 6:30PM in the sanctuary of St. Mary Church. It will be followed by refreshments, Q & A, and an hour of adoration/praise & worship.



Have YOU Thought About BECOMING CATHOLIC?

Do you have a relative, friend, co-worker, or neighbor who as expressed an interest in the Catholic Church? Invite them and join them on September 12th!

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) is the process through which people learn about the Catholic Church with a possibility of joining.



The faith community of St. Mary Church invites you to "Come and See"!



The first meeting is **Tuesday, September 12th at 6:30pm.** For more information please contact the church office at 319-624-2228 and ask to speak with Fr. Tim Sheedy.