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“He is waiting for you,  
He is close to you,  
He loves you,  
He is merciful,  
He forgives you,  
He gives you the strength  
To begin again.”

**Pope Francis**

Jesus, I trust in you

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Parish Directors	Kathy Hirl	624-2112
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**NINETEENTH SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME**  
**August 7 2016**

**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 Donna 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 Donna, 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](mailto:vaccdav@attglobal.net); or by mail at PO Box 232, Bettendorf, IA 52722.



	August 13 5:00 pm	August 14 8:30 am	August 14 10:30 am
MINISTRY	NAME	NAME	NAME
CANTOR	Ritchie Fabritz	Small	Oceans
MUSICIAN	M Hennes	C Brock	C Brock
Eucharistic Ministers	A Haluska L Manary M Milder	S Schnor V Schnor C Steinbrech	T Merrick T Brown A Dall
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Ushers	E Suchomel L Swann M Stahle	D Burnhardt L Brecht M Bretz	K Miller D Myers D Naughton
GIFT BEARERS			
HC @ Home		Nancy Chuck	
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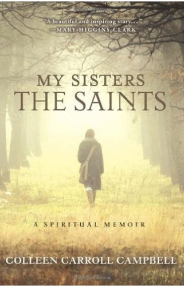
Mass Intentions For August			
Mon	08	8:00 am	Special Intention
Tues.	09	12:10 am	Louise Garry
Wed	10	8:00 am	Vernon Smith
Thurs.	11	9:30 am CC	Mary Jo Randall
Fri.	12	7:00 am	Word service & Adoration
Sat.	13	5:00 pm	Joe W. Kral
Sun	14	8:30 am	Gene Erenberger
		10:30am	Mitch Einck

Please do not put your Fall Festival ticket money on the same check you put in for your weekly donation. Thank You from the money counters.

**Free Lunch:** Two volunteers are needed to cook, de-bone and dice a turkey (12-13lbs) some-time before our next meal at the FREE LUNCH PROGRAM (turkeys provided). This can be done anytime before Sept. 2nd and frozen in ziploc bags. We will use it for turkey noodle casserole. Please contact Patty if you would like to help [patty@solonstmary.org](mailto:patty@solonstmary.org) or 541-4253.

(L.I.F.T.)  
The LIFT group will be meeting in the gathering space on the 2nd Thursday, the 11th of August at 1pm. Ladies In Fellowship Together will be playing cards or games if you so choose.  
Aggie


**LADIES: Join us for a summer book study**  
**Colleen Carroll Campbell** Author, journalist, and former speech-writer to George W. Bush, offers a touching memoir on family, loss, and career as filtered through the lives and writings of six women saints: Teresa of Ávila, Thérèse of Lisieux, Faustina of Poland, Edith Stein of Germany, Mother Teresa of Calcutta, and Mary of Nazareth.



Campbell writes about her college years, drifting in chaos; meeting her future husband; the illness and death of her father; and the long quest to attain motherhood. During this very personal journey, she also enrolls in a feminist-thought class, which leaves her cold, while her superficial friendships and relationships lead to a “nagging discontent.” Revisiting her Catholic upbringing, she turns to the saints for guidance and to help her reconcile a desire for a career with a yearning for marriage.


1. Purchase book: \$10 on Amazon
2. Begin Reading...
3. Meet: Thursdays August 4th (chap.1-3) and September 1st (chapters 4-6) at 7PM

**UPCOMING EVENTS**  
**Monday Adoration:** 6:00 pm  
**Tuesday 12:10 Mass:** Potluck to follow  
**Friday: 7:00 am** Word Service and Adoration until 12:00  
**Parish Council** will meet Monday night the 8th at 6:30.  
**Mom’s Book Club** meets on the 10th at 9:00 am.  
**Griefshare** has begun, at 7 pm in the adult room. Our group will continue to meet on Tuesday evenings. Anyone who has experienced the loss of a loved one is invited to attend. We will watch a short video and then have a discussion on the specifics of grief and loss. Please bring a friend or invite someone who may need help coping. Please call Nancy Upmeyer 624 2944 with questions and to sign up.  
St. Mary’s Youth Ministry—Summer Stretch 2016  
**Wednesday, August 10**-9-12th Grade, Join us for “what’s NEXT” 6:30-8:30 in the youth room



If you are a gardener and want to share your excess produce, please bring it to the church and share those fresh tomatoes, peppers, zucchini, cucumbers, etc with others. There is a basket in the gathering space to put them. Thanks

**Coming to St. Mary—Solon:**  
**Julie Carrick**  
Monday, August 15, 7pm  
**Mercy: Ordinary & Divine**  
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**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.

**2016 Dates are listed below:**  
Classes are from 6:30-8:00

**July 12, 26 & August 9** (Register by Friday July 8)  
**October 11, 25 & Nov. 8** (Register by Friday, Oct 7)



**St. Mary’s Harvest Festival 2016: September 11<sup>th</sup>**  
Our 2016 Harvest Festival is earlier this year and it is time again when you can share your 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 for the Bidding Barn. Popular items in the past have included tickets to sporting events, hand-crafted 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 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, Sept. 7<sup>th</sup>. If you have questions, please contact Pat Zimmerman at 337-8296.

The decorating committee is in need of fall décor such as wreaths, artificial pumpkins, etc. There will be boxes for these items in the gathering space.

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