

Saint Mary of the Immaculate Conception & St. Joseph Catholic Church

**Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
February 6, 2022**

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Masses This Week

Sat. Feb. 5	4:00 p.m.	(St. Mary) <i>St. Mary & St. Joseph Parishioners</i>
	5:45 p.m.	(St. Joseph) <i>Mark Jacob</i>
Sun. Feb. 6	8:30 a.m.	(St. Mary) <i>Lieder-Palzkill Families</i>
	10:30 a.m.	(St. Joseph) <i>Frank Hilt</i>
Mon. Feb. 7		<i>No Mass</i>
Tues. Feb. 8	8:30 a.m.	(St. Mary) <i>Living & Deceased Members of Turner Family</i>
Wed. Feb. 9	8:30 a.m.	(St. Mary) <i>Blanche & Frank McBride</i>
Thurs. Feb. 10	8:00 a.m.	(St. Joseph) <i>Ray, Jeff & Mark Ogle</i>
Fri. Feb. 11	8:00 a.m.	(St. Joseph) <i>John Shell</i>
Sat. Feb. 12	4:00 p.m.	(St. Mary) <i>Anna Jane Yoss</i>
	5:45 p.m.	(St. Joseph) <i>Mark Jacob</i>
Sun. Feb. 13	8:30 a.m.	(St. Mary) <i>James Jerome Mastey</i>
	10:30 a.m.	(St. Joseph) <i>St. Joseph & St. Mary Parishioners</i>

PLEASE NOTE:

Weekend Masses are in-person.

Live-streaming available:

- St. Mary on Saturday at 4:00 p.m. and Sunday at 8:30 a.m.
- St. Joseph on Saturday at 5:45 p.m.

***Daily Masses at both parishes are in-person
and live-streamed***

***Join us on Facebook to view Mass streaming live (access available
from each parish website):***

- St. Mary: www.saintmarymilton.org
- St. Joseph: www.stjoeedgerton.org



Pray for the Sick

Please keep these parishioners and family members in your prayers:

Rich Addie
Delores Alm
Dorothy & Ken
Bomkamp
William Burdick
William Butzke
Frank Daniels
Joyce DeMott
Bart DiMattina
Aaron Ellis
Carole Evans
Barb Finnegan
Pat Finucan
Esther Folk
Jane Folk
Elizabeth Frye
Anna Furlano
Helen Goerke
Jared Hanson
Bud Hoff
Bill Hupp
Don Hying
Trish Jarzynski
Marion Kaiser



Barb Keefe
Matt Keller
Kathleen Knight
Jeff Kraus
Loren Krueger
Mary Ann
Langer
Fr. Jim McEnery
Lillian Moreno
Bob Murphy
Scot Nelson
Jeffrey Pipitone
Bill Rice
Diana Riesterer
Phil Riesterer
Rob Rosa
Mike Ryder
Rosemary
Schafer
Kathy
Trimberger
Bob Urban
Ron Yoss

Stewardship: A Way of Life

5th Sunday of Ordinary Time

"Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, 'Whom shall I send? Who will go for us?' 'Here I am,' I said, 'send me!'"

Isaiah 6:8

Every day, in little ways and in big ways, God asks, "Whom shall I send?" Whether it is someone to take on a new ministry, to give a friendly smile to a stranger or to say a word of encouragement to a friend, God constantly provides opportunities to help someone in need. God is always talking to us; we just need to pay more attention. When you hear God calling have the courage to walk through the door and say "Here I am, Lord."

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WORD OF LIFE: "A society is all the more human to the degree that it cares effectively for its most frail and suffering members, in a spirit of fraternal love. Let us strive to achieve this goal, so that no one will feel alone, excluded or abandoned."

Pope Francis

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St. Joseph Parish

This Week at St. Joseph

Sun. Feb. 6:

- RE 4K/5K class
- 11:30 a.m. Confessions
- 11:30 a.m. Donut Sunday

Mon. Feb. 7:

- 10:00 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. The Chosen Season 1, Episode 5

Wed. Feb. 9:

- 3:30 p.m. RE Grades 1-5
- 6:30 p.m. RE Grades 6-9

Sat. Feb. 12:

- 8:00 a.m. Rosary - Cenacles of Life

Sun. Feb. 13:

- 11:30 a.m. Confessions

In Sympathy

Heartfelt sympathy to the family and friends of **Jean Counter**, who recently died.



Please keep these parishioners and family members in your prayers.

Gracie
Theresa Amundson
Fran Barrett
Lois Bongle
Betty Bosben
Larry Burns
Joan Chesmore

Pat Chiumenti
Dana Christianson
Jean Counter
Donna Dahl
Sue Dahms
Bud Farrington
Grace Farrington
Judy Fugate
Joey Hamann
Julie Hanewall
Mya Harwood
Rosie Hatlen
Linda Hatton

George Hatzinger
Brenda Helwig
Julie Hoff
Marge Hollenberger
Marian Jacob
Christian Kelsey
Robert Koch
Maria Kuenster
Werner Last
Annette Nagle
Jeanne N.
Marilyn Nielsen
Mary Olsen

Wendy Oren
Maureen Plautz
John & Mary Pratt
Elliot Rademacher
Sue Sanger
Donna Splitter
Jacinta Tinoco
Serrano
S. Severson
Pat Spray
Cecilia Williams

Financial Stewardship

Collection from January 30, 2022

Envelopes	3,632.00
Offertory	249.00
On-Line Giving	<u>659.00</u>
Total	4,540.00
<i>Weekly Income Needs</i>	5,150.00

Thank you for your continued financial support of our parish! If you would like to contribute electronically, please sign up at <https://giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/stjoeedgerton>



Baptism: Scheduled after weekend Masses. Baptismal Preparation Class is required. They are offered the first Sunday of March, July, and November after 10:30 a.m. Mass
Marriage: Please contact the priest at least 6 months prior to the wedding date.

St. Mary Parish

Financially Speaking

Collection From Last Week (January 30, 2022)

Weekly Income Needs	7,788.00
<i>based on income from budget</i>	
Envelopes	3,249.00
Offertory	174.00
ACH & On-Line Giving	924.91

Fiscal Year-To-Date Contributions

YTD Envelopes & ACH	242,419.93
YTD Offertory	5,977.01

Collection from last year (January 31, 2021)

Envelopes	3,374.00
Offertory	45.00
ACH & Online Giving	630.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT OF OUR PARISH!

This Week at St. Mary Parish

Sun. Feb. 6:

- 8:30 a.m. Seeds
- 10:00-11:30 a.m. Family Faith

Mon. Feb. 7:

- 10:00 a.m. Belles Meeting

Tues. Feb. 8:

- 4:00 & 6:00 p.m. K-6 class
- 5:00 p.m. Confessions
- 6:00 p.m. Capital Improvement
- 7:00 p.m. Knights of Columbus

Wed. Feb. 9:

- 4:00 & 6:00 p.m. K-6 Class
- 6:00 p.m. Finance Council

Sun. Feb. 13:

- 8:30 a.m. Seeds
- 9:30-11:30 a.m. Youth Ministry classes
- 5:30-7:30 p.m. Youth Ministry classes

Special THANK YOU to parishioners Gail & John Nordlof for the donation of altar wine at St. Mary Parish.

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Knights of Columbus Pallbearer Program



Introducing a new program from the Knights of Columbus offered to families at St. Mary, Milton and St. Joseph, Edgerton. These Knight volunteers would be called upon when the family of a deceased loved one needs able-bodied volunteers to serve as pallbearers. For more information, please contact

- **St. Mary, Milton:**

Mike Tracey—608-751-0233—mtracey5@outlook.com

- **St. Joseph, Edgerton:**

John Hammer—608-289-7656—jhammers@charter.net

St. Mary, Milton
Knights of Columbus
Pallbearer Volunteers:



St. Joseph, Edgerton
Knights of Columbus
Pallbearer Volunteers





THE CHOSEN – The Wedding Gift: In our fifth week, Jesus is invited to a wedding party. But, to the Bride and Groom’s horror, they run out of wine. Although Jesus says, “My time has not yet come,” Mary tells the wine stewards to “do whatever he tells you.” Let the party – and Jesus’ public ministry begin! Join us Monday, February 7th at 10:00 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. in St. Joseph church hall as we watch *The Wedding Gift*, episode 5 of The Chosen. We’ll discuss some of the Scriptures the episode is based on. This is open to everyone. Feel free to bring your own beverage and snacks.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS RAFFLE:

- 1st Prize \$50,000 or 2022 Ford F150 XLT Supercab
- 2nd Prize \$25,000 or 2022 Harley Davidson Motorcycle
- 3rd-100th Prize—\$500 each



Tickets \$5.00 each. 100% of profits go to charities in Wisconsin. Drawing held Saturday, May 7 at 7:15 p.m. Ticket sales at St. Mary, Milton after

Mass on February 5, 6, 26, 27, March 5, 6, 26, 27, April 2, 3, 9, 10.

DADDY DAUGHTER DANCE: On Saturday, February 12, from 6:00-8:00 p.m. you are invited to a magical night of food, music, dancing and fun! Must pre-register to attend. Held at The Gathering Place, 715 Campus St., Milton. Tickets \$50 per couple. Email derekhenze@gmail.com or call 262-473-9585



ST. JOSEPH



SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

EVERY SATURDAY
after 5:45 pm MASS

AND

SUNDAY, FEB 6th & 13th
after 10:30 am Mass

“Be silent, if you choose, but when it is necessary, speak—and speak in such a way that people will remember it.”

Mozart

ST. MARY, MILTON PRESENTS:



Spring To Life

ONLINE AUCTION

*Auction opens online on March 26 for bidding
and ends on Saturday, April 9 at 2:00 p.m.*

SPRING TO LIFE ONLINE AUCTION AT ST. MARY: This spring St. Mary will hold another online auction. Net proceeds will go to our building project. This auction is the same as held in the fall, but without the dinner, raffle ticket sales and sponsors. Help us kick-start our fundraising by donating an item or two.

Auction Items ... Big money makers from the fall included:

- * Golf Baskets * Wine / Alcohol Baskets * Romantic Baskets *
- * Designer Handbags * Gift Cards from local retailers *
- * Handmade Items * Lottery Tickets *

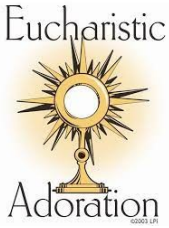
The sky is the limit! Be creative and have fun!

And don't forget baskets specific for children and teens!

Please bring your basket / item to St. Mary Parish Center and leave on the table in front of the new office. Please include a list of all items inside basket, along with a retail value and the donors name. (Cards available in Gathering Space) **Deadline to drop-off items is Monday, March 14.**

Questions? Call Vicki at 608-449-6530.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION GUARDIANS AT ST. JOSEPH:



Thank you to everyone who serves as a Guardian during Adoration the First Tuesday of every month. We are preparing this year's schedule and there are a few openings left to fill. Please consider being a guardian for the **6:30-7:30 p.m.** time slot in **February, March, April, or July.** The Sign-Up sheet is on the bulletin board in the vestibule.



LOVE BEGINS HERE is back this summer for Middle and High Schoolers! Both age groups will be overnight retreats this year, packed with service to others and fellowship with area Catholic youth. Registration is OPEN now! To register or learn more visit <https://madisondiocese.org/lovebeginshere>

St Joseph is looking at going as a group, so please contact Kim Jensen at cre@stjoedgerton.org with your

preferred weeks if you are interested in joining. "Lost Sheep" from St Joseph will be welcome at LBH, as well.

HELP WANTED AT CATHOLIC

HERALD: The Catholic Herald, official newspaper of the Diocese of Madison, is looking for a full-time administrative assistant with duties in secretarial/reception, circulation, editorial/production, writing/photography, and advertising areas. Microsoft Office, Adobe, layout design and database experience helpful. Knowledge of the Catholic Church required. Excellent benefits. Send a cover letter with resume by February 13 to:

Kevin Wondrash, Editor
The Catholic Herald
Attn: Administrative Asst Position
702 S. High Point Rd., Ste 121
Madison, WI 53719-4926

OR email:

info@madisoncatholic Herald.org

NO PHONE CALLS, PLEASE

ST. JOSEPH DONUT SUNDAY



Diocese of Madison Annual Catholic Appeal 2022 “We Shall Open the Way for the Gospel”



The theme for the 2022 Annual Catholic Appeal of the Diocese of Madison is “We Shall Open the Way for the Gospel.” We ask that God guide us, and give us the ability to put our *faith* in Him to allow us the capacity to love and care for those in our parishes, our diocese and the Church throughout the world. We ask that His grace make us even more generous in supporting those needs.

Each pledge to the Annual Catholic Appeal supports diocesan ministries, education and services and assures a strong future for the Diocese of Madison and the people that it serves.

This year each of us is asked to consider making a pledge, payable over six months. Your gift will help enable our parish and the diocese to reach its goal and provide to the ministries supported by the appeal.

If you received your pledge form in the mail, please complete it and mail it back.

Thank you for your prayerful consideration and generous response.

Prayer of the Faithful
May we all join together show our support of this year’s Annual Catholic Appeal as we continue to answer God’s call to Go Make Disciples and Open the Way for the Gospel for everyone in the Diocese of Madison by giving generously to support its ministries and initiatives...We pray to the Lord.



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Please contact Laura in the office, 608-884-3038 or admin@stjoeedgerton.org if you have any questions.

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- Select St. Mary Parish, Milton, WI
- Enter cap codes
- Click the donate button.

- Having troubles? Bring your cap to St. Mary parish office and we will enter for you!

TEXAS ROADHOUSE FUNDRAISER:

Did you know that our parish can earn money just by you bringing in our Sunday bulletin to Texas Roadhouse? Stop by Texas Roadhouse in Janesville any Sunday evening for dinner and bring a copy of our bulletin. At the end of your meal, hand the bulletin to your server and a percentage of the sale will be returned to our parish. Easy-peasy!! It's a win-win for everyone!



St. Mary Faith Formation

Tuesday/Wednesday Elementary

Last week's theme was the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Children added symbols to their sacrament t-shirts, listened to the story of the Prodigal Son, watched a video on making a good confession, and heard the Sunday Gospel of the Fishers of Men!



Children's
Ministry



Family Faith

Families gather Sunday, February 6 at 10 AM for a session on all of the 7 Sacraments. We might even have moms and dads renew their marriage vows!

Youth Ministry

Next Sunday, February 13th are classes AND Super Bowl Sunday!! We will send out a Flocknote...please RSVP!!



Love Begins Here Registration is open!

High School: June 26-July 1 at Blessed Sacrament, Madison

Middle School: July 17-20 at St. Joseph, Fort Atkinson

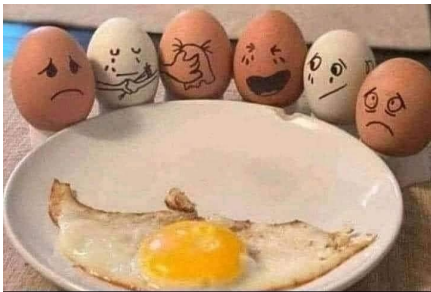
If you're interested in becoming a lead missionary and attending with our youth, give me a call!! sabrina.elsen1@gmail.com

ROSARY AT ST. MARY ON MONDAY

MORNINGS: Our rosary group is still going strong. The rosary will be said outside by Our Lady (corner of Parkview and St. Mary St.) at 11:00 a.m., weather permitting. Time commitment is only 15 minutes. Please bring your own chair. If raining or other bad weather, we will meet inside church.



BELLES OF ST. MARY: We will meet at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, February 7. Come join us and experience a great start to 2022. Due to mold concerns in the parish center, please call Mary Margaret Hosler for information on meeting location. 608-931-6599.



He died last fry day. Thank God he wasn't beaten. Don't worry, he went over easy. He's now on the sunny side. He's definitely in a better plate.

EUCHRE TOURNAMENT

Hosted by Knights of Columbus

February 19

St. William Parish Hall

1822 Ravine

Janesville, WI



Entry Fee: \$10
Registration: 5:30 p.m.
Cards: 6:00 p.m.
Cash Prizes and 50/50 Raffle



Beverages and sandwiches
available for purchase.

All are welcome, singles or couples

*All net proceeds will go toward
local charities*

For more information contact
Tim Walleser * 608-728-2419
OR
Jim Mueller * 608-346-8997

BULLETINS MAILED HOME: Would you or someone you know benefit from having our weekly bulletin mailed to your home? If so, please contact:

- **St. Mary:** Vicki at 608-449-6530 or email victoria.kersten1@gmail.com
- **St. Joseph:** Laura at 608-884-3038 or email admin@stjoedgeron.org



Small Lenten Groups

Facilitator	Times	Materials	Phone	Location
Donna Curley	Sundays 9:30 a.m. Starts Feb 20	Little Black Books	608-295-8442	Milton
Amy Volciak	Mondays 6:30 p.m. Starts Mar 7	No Greater Love	484-326-8621	Edgerton
Jay Kjendle	Saturdays 9:00 a.m. Starts Feb 26	Lent Sunday readings with booklet	608-931-1960	Janesville library
Barb Schuetz & Melanie Wentler	Tuesdays 9:00 a.m. Starts Feb 22	Lent Sunday readings with booklet	608-884-6080	Edgerton
Joyce Albright	Tuesdays 9:30 a.m. Starts April 12	Acts of the Apostles	608-751-6861	Milton

Go Make Disciples

As I travel around our Diocese, the same questions arise: How can I live my Catholic Faith with authenticity and joy? How do I develop a living relationship with God that truly centers my life? How do we pass on the Faith to our beloved young people? How do we transform the poverty and suffering of the world and change society for the better? How can my parish move from maintenance to mission, becoming more welcoming, energized, active and participative? How do we reach all of the people who have simply checked out of Church and religion all together?

--From Bishop Hying's Vision Statement for Go Make Disciples.

A Note from Our Pastor ...



- † Test results indicate there are elevated levels of mold in the air in the parish center of St. Mary. In the church it was found to be normal. Unfortunately, there is some uncertainty about what levels are safe and unsafe, so for a while we will refrain from having faith formation classes and other meetings in the center—they will be moved to the gathering space and the church. We will be learning more about the situation and plan to respond accordingly.
- † The St. Mary capital improvement committee will make a presentation to the diocese this coming Friday, hoping to get permission for both fundraising and construction for our new building project. We would appreciate your prayers. The discovery of mold in the center makes this project even more urgent.
- † Last weekend I encouraged all of our households to have a Bible (all Bibles are good, but I especially recommend the NAB, New American Bible). We offered Bibles for members to take home, and we ran out of them at some Masses. We are ordering more, so please take one when they arrive, if you don't already have one. Pope Francis encourages us to read the Bible daily.
- † Confessions at St. Joseph are now being held in the reconciliation room, by the front entrance of church. There is now a window in the door. There are options for both face-to-face and screen.
- † Lenten small groups are coming. Please consider registering for one of them—it is one of the best ways to grow in faith. Please see the chart in this bulletin, and call the facilitator with any questions.

Fr. David



Readings for Week of February 7-13

Monday, February 7

1 Kings 8:1-7, 9-13
Psalm 132:6-7, 8-10
Mark 6:53-56

Tuesday, February 8

1 Kings 8:22-23, 27-30
Psalm 84:3, 4, 5, 10, 11
Mark 7:1-13

Wednesday, February 9

1 Kings 10:1-10
Psalm 37:5-6, 30-31, 39-40
Mark 7:14-23

Thursday, February 10

1 Kings 11:4-13
Psalm 106:3-4, 35-36, 37, 40
Mark 7:24-30

Friday, February 11

1 Kings 11:29-32; 12:19
Psalm 81:10-11ab, 12-13, 14-15
Mark 7:31-37

Sunday, February 13

Jeremiah 17:5-8
Psalm 1:1-2, 3, 4, 6
1 Corinthians 15:12, 16-20
Luke 6:17, 20-26

AN ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

**My Jesus, I believe that You are present
in the Most Holy Sacrament.
I love You above all things,
and I desire to receive You into my soul.
Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart.
I embrace You as if You were already there
and unite myself wholly to You.
Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.**

St. Mary

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