5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jesus said, "Let us go on to the nearby villages that I may preach there also. For this purpose have I come."

Mark 1:38

World Day for Consecrated Life

“The discernment of a vocation is above all the fruit of an intimate dialogue between the Lord and his disciples. Young people, if they know how to pray, can be trusted to know what to do with God’s call.”

-Pope Benedict XVI, Response to questions by the bishops of the United States in Washington, DC. April 16, 2008

Boy Scout Sunday

The Very Reverend James Volkert, Pastor • The Reverend Carlos Zapata, Associate Pastor
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Mass Intentions
02/05 Monday    St. Agatha
  8:30 AM Mass (St. Mary) 8:00 AM Rosary
  Deceased members of the Tony Wehner Family
                               (Margie Wessner)
              † Jim Kubacki (MM)
02/06 Tuesday St. Paul Miki & Companions
  8:30 AM Mass (St. Joseph) 8:00 AM Rosary
  8:30 AM Mass (St. Charles) 8:00 AM Rosary
02/07 Wednesday
  8:30 AM Mass (St. Charles) 8:00 AM Rosary
02/08 Thursday St. Jerome Emiliani and St. Josephine Bakhita
  8:30 AM Mass (St. Charles) 8:00 AM Rosary
02/09 Friday
  8:30 AM Mass (St. Mary) 8:00 AM Rosary
              † Marty and Martha Schroeder (Family)
6th Sunday in Ordinary Time
02/10 Saturday
  4:30 PM Mass (Church)
              † Gene and Darlene Zarek (Family)
02/11 Sunday
  8:00 AM Mass (Church)
              Living and deceased members of St. Mary Parish
  10:30 AM Mass (Church)
              † LaVerne LeBreck (Dick and Terri Miller)

Please pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

Visitation/Communion Schedule
Hospital    February 3-4   Mary Deutsch
             February 10-11 Bob Zarek
Mon: Ellen Voslar, 1st, 3rd & 5th Wed. Karen Ehlen;
     2nd & 4th Wed: Cheryl Theigs     Fri: Bob Zarek
The Bay Week: 2/4 James Weis
Monday Veterans Home (9:00 AM) Al Raboine, Mary Repke, Mae Fleming, Diane Coddington
        Mike Rynka (10:15)  Timber Oaks (11:00)
Tuesday Pine Brook (11:00) Homebound Team, Sr. Emma
Tuesday Riverview (1:00) and Oak Park Place (1:45)
         Homebound Team
Wednesday The Bay (3:15 PM): John Anderson,
     Larry Dornacher
Rosary: Oak Park Place (9:00), Pinebrooke (1:00), Riverview (3:00), The Bay (4:00)

St. Mary Parish: 262.763.1500
St. Mary Preschool: 763.1501
St. Mary School: 763.1515
     225 W. State Street, Burlington
Catholic Central High School:
     763.1510   148 McHenry Street
After hours emergency priest phone: 262.210.9588

This Week at Saint Mary Catholic Church
02/05 Monday
  • 8:30 AM Mass (St. Mary) 8:00 AM Rosary
  • 9:00 AM-9:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration (Chapel)
  • 6:30 PM Stewardship/Marketing Comm. Mtg. (HH)
02/06 Tuesday
  • 8:30 AM Mass (St. Joseph) 8:00 AM Rosary
  • 8:30 AM Mass (St. Charles) 8:00 AM Rosary
  • 9:00 AM-9:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration (Chapel)
  • 6:30 PM Worship & Liturgy Committee Mtg. (RMR)
02/07 Wednesday
  • 8:30 AM Mass (St. Charles) 8:00 AM Rosary
  • 9:00 AM-9:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration (Chapel)
02/08 Thursday
  • 8:30 AM Mass (St. Charles) 8:00 AM Rosary
  • 3:10 PM Children’s Choir (Church)
  • 6:30 PM Adult Choir (Church)
02/09 Friday
  • 8:30 AM Mass (St. Mary) 8:00 AM Rosary
  6th Sunday in Ordinary Time
02/10 Saturday
  • 7:30 AM Building and Grounds Mtg. (HH)
  • 9:00 and 10:15 AM First Reconciliation
  • 3:30-4:00 PM Reconciliation (Chapel)
  • 4:30 PM Mass (St. Mary)
02/11 Sunday
  • 8:00 AM Mass (Church)
           World Marriage Day
             • 8:00 AM Mass (Church)
             • 9:15 AM Religious Education Program (SMS)
             • 10:30 AM Mass (Church)

Office Hours:   Monday-Friday 8-12 & 1-4.

Daily Readings

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Knights of Columbus
If you are a Catholic man who wants to help people in our parish and community, please consider joining the Knights of Columbus. We appreciate your help. For details, please call Wayne Bush at 262.210.2810.
1) I want to offer a word of gratitude to all who participated in last week’s Catholic School’s Week activities. We can all be very proud of our Catholic schools and the efforts that are made to carry out the teaching ministry of the Church. Please continue to support our schools by spreading the news about the good things that are happening here. For all of these blessings, we give thanks!

2) Some people describe the month of February as a difficult month. I have even heard some refer to this month as a “curse”. The holidays are over and the sting of winter is a daily reminder. The “blah” sunless days sometimes have a negative effect on us and on our attitudes. In addition to this, there seems to be an unusually high number of people who are getting hit by the flu bug or suffering from nasty winter colds. The constant changing of world events also can cause friction and tension among families and friends. It seems that we have to ask the Lord for an extra dose of patience and understanding these days. Although there is not much we can do about the weather, and only limited things we can do in terms of any illness at this time, there is a lot we can do to help us stay positive and hopeful that the warmth of the spring season is just around the corner.

God bless you always!

Father Jim Volkert

**Items Needed**

St. Vincent de Paul Society: Providing Assistance to Those in Need in Racine County since 1934

**NEEDED:**
- Gently used spring or summer clothing and tennis shoes
- Jewelry, craft items, collectibles and vintage items, home décor
- Dish sets in good condition, pots and pans (not rusty, scratched, or broken)
- Small appliances in working condition – irons, fans, hair dryers, etc.
- Small furniture pieces such as end tables, lamps, shades, chairs, dressers, small tables. No stains, rips, pet hair or structural damage.

Items may be dropped off at our Waterford store, 822 Forrest Lane, Monday thru Friday 9 - 3, Sat 9 - 2. Larger furniture items can be picked up, please call 262-332-7242. THANK YOU!

**Lenten Fish Fry Dates at St. Mary Parish**

Enjoy delicious baked or hand breaded fried cod dinner at our cafeteria from 4:30-7:00 PM on February 23, March 2, 16, and 30.

**Eucharistic Ministers Needed**

We are in need of ministers for the 4:30 Saturday and 8:00 Sunday Masses. If you are even a "bit" interested or curious, please contact Sue Novasic at 763-7837 or suenov5@aol.com. Individual materials and training are provided.

**Trusts, Wills and Estates**

Catholic Central High School-Please join us for a presentation at St. Mary Immaculate Conception Church regarding pre-planning through trusts, wills and estates on Thursday, February 15th, in Heim Hall from 6:30 pm until 8:30 pm. This special event will be brought to you by Thrivent Financial, a not-for-profit membership organization of Christians. Also joining us will be: Scott Herrmann, Wealth Advisor - Thrivent Financial, Josh Duesterbeck, Financial Consultant - Thrivent Financial, Attorney Jessica Sippel and Eric Daniels, Funeral Director-Daniels Family Funeral Home and Crematory. Doors will open at 6:00 pm and refreshments will be served. Admission is free.

**Ash Wednesday February 14th Masses**

Mass with distribution of ashes will be celebrated at 8:30 AM at St. Charles, 9:45 AM in church, 6:00 PM in church and 7:00 PM at St. Joseph.

**Diaper Drive**

Join our Knights of Columbus council 15665 in a diaper/formula drive. Support local mothers in need of caring for their newborn children. Proceeds will go to Life Choices in Burlington. Please drop off the items in back of church on February 10-11.

WSFI 88.5 FM Catholic Radio
Church Windows: In our church are twenty-eight stained glass windows from the Mayer Studios in Munich that were installed in the church in 1902. There are eighteen windows along the north and south walls: in the curve of the apse above the Sanctuary are two windows; on either side of the church front are two full scene windows, six pairs of narrow full length windows and two pairs of smaller windows (choir loft). Watch future bulletins for descriptions of these windows.

From the North front:  
(Choir Side)  
Mary, The Immaculate Heart  
Christ departs from Bethany  
St. Cecilia, patroness of the choir  
St. Peter, holding the keys to heaven  
St. Matthew  
St. Simon  
St. John  
St. Nathaniel-Bartholomew  
(in choir loft)  
St. Bernard of Clairvaux  
St. Margaret of Antioch

From the South front:  
(Chapel Side)  
Jesus, The Sacred Heart  
Christ and the Children  
St. Anthony of Padua  
St. Jude-Thaddaeus  
St. James the Less  
St. Andrew  
St. James the Great  
St. Philip  
(in choir loft)  
St. Francis of Paola  
St. Susanna of Rome

March Madness Parish Fundraiser
“Hoopsmania” Sweepstakes. Tickets are $10 each. The parish gets to keep $7 of ticket sold. Each ticket has a 1 in 29 chance of winning a cash prize. No basketball team knowledge is necessary – ALL tickets have an equal chance of winning a cash prize. Each ticket has 8 “seeded” teams, 1 through 8. Track your points online, manually or both.

Prize Money:
1st $1,000  
2nd $200  
3rd $100  
42 runner up prizes - $20 each  
Lowest combined score - $50  
Next three lowest scores - $20 each  
A Total of 49 possible winners.
Contact Pat Smetana at 262.763.7568 or Jim Vos at 262.763.9710 to buy tickets or help sell them. Tickets will be on sale after masses. Proceeds are going toward the maintenance to the buildings.

Calling Teens (age 15 to 18) to Serve!
Registration is now open to participate in Reach Out Reach In, a summer service week sponsored by our Archdiocese, held July 15-20. This program is local and is great for teens who want to be involved in direct service and social action. The sites, located around our archdiocese, include homeless shelters, adult day care, community organizations, meal programs, organic farms, child care and more. Scholarships available. For details: www.archmil.org/RORI

Annual Catholic Stewardship Appeal
Many Hands  
DECIDE TO LEAD  
One Vision
This is kick-off weekend for the annual Catholic Stewardship Appeal. Each year our archdiocese is able to provide for families in crisis, support Catholic education, guide and form priests and parish leaders all because of your donations. Thank you in advance for your contribution to this year’s Catholic Stewardship Appeal. Please be generous.

Lenten Program
What are you going to do this Lent to grow closer to God? Join us for a four week video based study on Formed .org called "A Lent To Remember" It’s a beautiful presentation of the transforming power of mercy in the Sacrament of Confession. No matter what you have done, no matter how long you have been away, Jesus is waiting for you with open arms this Lent. We will meet in the St. Sebastian room, Mondays at 700 pm starting February 19th through March 12th Thank You.
St. Mary Kindergarten 2018-2019
INFORMATIONAL MEETING & REGISTRATION
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 2018, 6:00 CAFETERIA
Please come to our Kindergarten Informational Meeting and Registration on Thursday, February 8, 2018 at 6 p.m. We encourage all perspective kindergarten families to attend this evening including parents who are still undecided about plans for next year. This is the perfect opportunity for you to learn more about St. Mary’s full-day kindergarten as well as before and after school programs. There will be childcare for your incoming kindergartner during the meeting in the kindergarten classroom.

CCHS Athletic Assn. Calendar Winners
1 Matt Shepstone $125
2 Cheryl Vanderwerff $30
3 Daniel Doka $30
4 Margaret Paulson $30
5 Mike Pinnow $30
6 Joan Zomer $30
7 Royce Robinson
8 David Corbett
9 Sheila Renz
10 Scott Gibbs
11 Ben Heiligenthal
12 Marie Frederick
13 Karen Wack-Zirbel
14 Mary Grace Schechner
15 Jane Fiorillo
16 Stacey Sobbe
17 Terri Rach
18 Elizabeth Spierenburg
19 Nancy Welka
20 Jean Heiligenthal
21 Karen Middlecamp
22 Ray Maer
23 Steve Ripper
24 Helen Hulse
25 Ray Meyers
26 Joseph Lukemeyer
27 Brett Schmieden
28 Victor Morrow
29 Matthew Stevens
30 Audrey Spiegelhoff
31 Ralph Heck

St. Mary School 6th Grade Science Project
Things are erupting in 6th grade science. Students researched volcanoes and created models to present in the classroom.

Pulpit Announcements
The deadline for pulpit announcements is Noon on Fridays. Send requests to ssmith@stmb.org so they may be approved by Father Jim.

Please pray for the men and women serving in the armed forces.

Catholic Central High School #CCHS
We are a passionately committed college preparatory institution, implementing a rigorous holistic academic curriculum, while instilling life-long Catholic Values. “Would like more information regarding our school contact the School Admissions Department at 262-763-1510 x 225. 

FAITH. KNOWLEDGE. TRADITION.

Mass Time Assistance: Wheelchair available in the closet of the Good Shepherd Chapel that is for your use if you need assistance getting in to or out of Church. Hearing Assistance Available: Please contact ushers.

God Bless Our Troops
Please pray for the safety of all military personnel who are serving our country, especially the following parishioners, relatives or friends of our parish.

Nicholas Callahan, U.S. Navy
LCpl. Katie Cash, U.S. Marine Corps
Caroline, Bill & Peter Coppernoll
Jim & Beth Graves, U.S. Air Force
James Graves, U.S. Air Force
Steven Kojis, U.S. Air Force
Toby May, Spc. Army National Guard

John S. Krause, U.S. Navy
Gregory A. Roberts, U.S. Army
First Lieutenant Jacob Schiltz
U.S. Marine Corps
Devon J. Seitz, U.S. Navy
Second Lieutenant Kyle Smith, U.S. Air Force
Jacob A. Thorpe, Private, U.S Marine Corp, Infantry

February 4th Free Soup Luncheon
Free soup luncheon at St Joseph’s in the Parish Center from 10:30-1:30pm. Everyone is invited to lunch which includes homemade soup, made by our parishioners, bread, a beverage and dessert. A monetary or food donation is accepted but not required.

Winners on the 7th-30th are $20 winners. Thank you for your support.

SAVE THE DATE
for our Parish Festival:
June 22nd, 23rd and 24th
Please mark your calendars for our 2018 Parish Festival June 22nd, 23rd and 24th. We are starting to plan for the festival. We are planning to have Take-a-Chance Booth, Silent and Live Auctions at the festival and will need item donations beginning in February.

SAVE THE DATE
Mission Statement:
St. Charles Borromeo, St. Joseph, Immaculate Conception, (St. Mary), united in proclaiming the Gospel of Jesus Christ through His saving death and resurrection, by calling, forming and sending disciples to go out and make new disciples. As a people, we are called to encounter Jesus, and grow as disciples through the sacramental life of the church.

Tri-Parish Pastoral Council Members
Brian Daniel (Chairperson, 763-7317), George Whitehead (Vice Chairperson, 414-870-1980), Marilyn Putz (Secretary, 763-9075), Pam Aldrich (262-716-6324), Mark Ehlen (763-8194), Geri Henningfield (767-1854), Mary Ann Johnson (262-812-7547), Jacki Scholze (763-4611), Randy Tritz (312-310-4306).

We warmly welcome new members to our faith community. If you would like to join our parish, registration forms are available in church. Please complete the form and return it to the church office.

Sacraments: Marriage-Couples should call St. Mary Catholic Church’s pastor 6 months to one year before the wedding date. Baptism—Call the office prior to your child’s baptism. A preparation class for parents is required. Baptisms are held the first and third weekend of the month. Reconciliation—is held the second, fourth and fifth weekend of the month from 3:30-4 PM in the chapel. Communion, Confirmation and Anointing of the Sick—Call the office. If it is after hours, listen for the emergency number.

Please bring a non-perishable food item to Mass each week for the local food pantry.

Please Call 763-1500: If you are at the Hospital, Shut-in, or Homebound & would like to receive Holy Communion.

Parish Staff Directory (262) 763-1500
Fr. Jim Volkert (Pastor); Fr. Carlos Zapata (Associate Pastor); Susanne Snyder (Director of Music); Sue Vrazan (Director of Administrative Services); Dianne Smetana (Parish Secretary); Cheryl Theigs (Pastoral Minister to the Aging, Sick and Homebound); Loretta Jackson (School Principal); Deb Butler (Assistant Principal); Denise Morrissey (Preschool Director), Margie Robers (Director of Religious Education); Kathy Martin (Youth Ministry (Life Teen).

Finance Council: Dan Creek (Chairperson 763-2604), Stacy Alan, Tyler Galstad, Loretta Jackson, Jim Schuster, Tim Spiegelhoff, Randy Tritz & Fr. Jim Volkert.

Parish Trustees Jim Schuster, Phone 262-763-0897
Terri Newbury, Phone: 262-210-0234

Parish Festival Contact Information
Brooke & Dyan Beck - Parish Festival Chairpersons brookealdrich22@gmail.com or 262-210-8361

Stewardship Report
Amount collected 01/28 from 133 envelopes $9,561.61
Offerity 691.48
We Share 13 contributors 735.00
Total $10,988.09
Amount Given Fiscal Year to Date $574,056.87
Amount Budgeted to Date (31 week) -593,223.75
Difference -$19,166.88
Amount Budgeted for fiscal year (52 weeks) $995,085.00
Amount still needed for this fiscal year $421,028.13
Amount needed per week to reach budget (21 weeks) $20,048.96

Evangelize: I will grow in my Catholic Identity through regular participation in the sacramental life of the Church and share the Word of God.

Bulletin Announcements
All bulletin information is due to ssmith@stmb.org before Noon on Tuesdays.

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Ministers: 4:30 PM February 10, 8:00 AM February 11, 10:30 AM February 11, USHERS: 4:30 PM - Dan Creek, Eric and Matt Daniels, Ralph Heck, Glenn Lois. 8:00 AM - Joseph Aldrich, Andrew & Kathy Dorn, Joyce & Les Mastalir, Tim Vos. 10:30 Wayne Bush, Chad Novasic, Aaron & Rick Reesman, Mary & Ralph Rice.
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