We lovingly remember those who have died this past year...

Jack F. Schuch  
Mimi L. Brunke  
Joan H. Groleau  
Robert J. Morrow  
Raymond Tillman  
Thelma B. Gauger  
Amy Zott  
Thomas F. Delbow  
James L. Schaefer  
Lorraine A. VanLiere  
Kathleen A. Kobasick  

Mary Janette  
Catherine “Pat” Hammiller  
Janet Helland  
Mary Ann Vos  
Gerald Weber  
Theodore “Ted” Zaspel  
Colette C. Yanny  
Gerald Atkinson  
Lynn A. Johnston  
Sherwin F. Ehmke  
John Molumby  

John P. Kurpiel  
Raymond Tenhagen  
Grace “Ellie” Benkendorf  
Nicholas A. Jacob  
Hildegarde “Gardie” Martin  
Loretta M. Brierly  
Santiago “Jim” Villa, Jr.  
Rita L. McCarthy  
Thomas S. McCarthy  
Eunice June Schaefer  
Donald A. Warren  

Our annual stewardship renewal begins this week.
Mass Intentions
11/06 Monday
8:30 AM Mass (Church) 8:00 AM Rosary
    † Tom & Mary McCarthy (Friend)
    † Jane McCourt (WM)

11/07 Tuesday
8:30 AM Mass (St. Joseph) 8:00 AM Rosary
8:30 AM Mass (St. Charles) 8:00 AM Rosary

11/08 Wednesday
8:30 AM Mass (St. Charles) 8:00 AM Rosary

11/09 Thursday  The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica
8:30 AM Mass (St. Charles) 8:00 AM Rosary

11/10 Friday  St. Leo the Great
8:30 AM Mass (Church) 8:00 AM Rosary
    † Marie, Larry and James Fait (Family)
    † Robert Shepherd (WM)

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
11/11 Saturday
4:30 PM Mass (Church)
    † John Molumby (Family)

11/12 Sunday
8:00 AM Mass (Church)
    Living and deceased members of St. Mary Parish
    10:30 AM Mass (Church)
    † David Moore (Moore Family)

Office Hours:  Monday-Friday 8-12 & 1-4.
Please pray for the men and women serving in the armed forces.

Visitation/Communion Schedule
Hospital  November 4-5  Mary Deutsch
          November 11-12  Marlene Daniels
Mon: Ellen Voslar, 1st, 3rd & 5th Wed. Karen Ehlen;
    2nd & 4th Wed: Cheryl Theigs  Fri:  Bob Zarek
B Rehab & Care Week: 11/05 James Daun
Monday Veterans Home  (9:00 AM) Al Raboine, Mary Repke, Mae Fleming
Tuesday Pine Brook  (11 AM) Homebound Team,
    Dianna Nienhaus, Sr. Emma
Tuesday Riverview  (1:00 PM) Homebound Team
Wednesday BRC Center  (3:15 PM): Annette Kempken, Bob Zarek, Mary Lou Kretschmer
Fri. Arbor View  (11 AM):  Mae Fleming, Mary Repke, Al Raboine, Ray Andres, Rosary/Chapel.
BRCC (4 PM) Al Raboine
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
11/06 Monday
• 8:30 AM Mass (Church) 8:00 AM Rosary
• 9:00 AM-9:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration (Chapel)
• 6:30 PM Parish Life/Stewardship Comm. Mtg. (HH)
• 6:00 PM Outreach Committee Mtg. (HH)

11/07 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)

11/08 Wednesday
• 8:30 AM Mass (St. Charles) 8:00 AM Rosary
• 9:00 AM-9:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration (Chapel)
• 7:00 PM Adult Formation Class (SSR)

11/09 Thursday
• 8:30 AM Mass (St. Charles) 8:00 AM Rosary
• 6:30 PM Adult Choir (Church)

11/10 Friday
• 8:30 AM Mass (Church) 8:00 AM Rosary

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
11/11 Saturday
• 3:30-4:00 PM Reconciliation (Chapel)

11/12 Sunday
• 8:00 AM Mass (Church)
• 9:15 AM REP (Grade School)
• 10:30 AM Mass (Church)

Mark your Calendar:  Annual Parish meeting Sunday, November 26th at 9:15 AM in Heim Hall.

Bulletin Announcements
All bulletin information is due to ssmith@stmb.org before 4:00 PM on Mondays.

K of C Pro-Life Baby Bottle Campaign
Please return collection bottles for our Knights of Columbus Baby Bottle Campaign by Nov. 12.

Daily Readings
1st/2nd READING  PSALM  GOSPEL
11/05  Malachi 1:14b-2:2b,8,10/1 Thes 2:7b-9,13  Ps 131:1-3  Mt 23:1-12
11/06  Romans 11:29-36  Ps 69:30-36  Lk 14:12-14
11/07  Romans 12:5-16b  Ps 131:1-3  Lk 14:15-24
11/08  Romans 13:8-10  Ps 112:1-5,9  Lk 14:25-33
11/09  Ezekiel 47:1,2,8,9,12/1 Thes 3:9-11,16,17  Ps 46:2,3,5,6,8,9  Jn 2:13-22
11/10  Romans 15:14-21  Ps 98:1-4  Lk 16:1-8
11/11  Romans 16:3-9,16,22-27  Ps 145:2-5,10,11  Lk 16:9-15
32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
11/12  Wisdom 6:12-16/1 Thesalonians 4:13-18  Ps 63:2-8  Mt 25:1-13
November – A month to remember our deceased loved ones

1) At this time of the year as we watch the leaves fall from the trees and the branches become more barren each day we are reminded that winter is not too far off. Many of the plants that were so beautiful during the summer months have now gone in for their winter’s nap. It is appropriate that we reflect on death and new life during the month of November because there are signs of it all around us.

What will happen when we die? Is death simply the end, like blowing out a candle? If there is life after death, what is it like? Questions such as these are on the minds of many people these days. This is nothing new. Jesus was asked many times during the course of His earthly life about the mystery of death and resurrection. In response He often used examples and stories to help His listeners understand. He used the example of a seed to explain that death is like a seed losing its outward shell in order to let what is inside grow. In the same way, we too must break out of our shells, (our bodies) in order to let what is inside (our souls) grow. In all of Jesus’ teaching this much is certain about life after death: it is not a prolonging or continuing of our present existence, but something totally new, and it is based not on wishful thinking but on the very nature of God Himself. Everything beyond this remains a mystery. The resurrection life lies so far outside our experience that it can be described only in symbols and images. Our task is to prepare for that great encounter and homecoming between God and us, not by worrying about the details but by living to the fullest extent each day.

May the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace.

2) Today we are kicking off our annual Stewardship renewal. I’m asking you to please consider how you might help our parishes/schools as a volunteer. It takes the commitment of many people to be able to offer the programs and outreach, and most importantly our beautiful worship opportunities. Please take the time to reflect on what you can offer to your parish and/or school and return the Time and Talent survey form to your parish office or in the weekend collection basket. We all have been blessed so greatly by Almighty God – “what return can we make for all the goodness He has shown to us?” The next three weekends we will be acknowledging and offer a blessing for all who volunteer in the different areas of parish and school life. Please pray for the success of our efforts.

God bless you always!
Father Jim Volkert
Tri-Parish Evening of Reflection Nov 5th
5 PM in St. Mary church. All Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Musicians and Choir members, Ushers, Greeters, Ministers to the Sick and Home Bound, Religious Education and Art and Environment Committees are invited to attend. Prayer is followed by inspiring words by Fr. Carlos, Anton Nickolai, Sr. Rose and a special guest. A pot luck dinner & social will follow. If your last name begins with Q-T bring an appetizer, U-Z a salad, A-G bread, H-K main dish & L-P a dessert.

Parish Trustee Position
In accordance with the Wis. State Statute regarding Parish Corporate Bylaws, the nomination process for the position of Parish Trustee - Treasurer has begun. Jim Schuster, who currently holds this position, has expressed a willingness to be nominated for another term. Other candidates for this position must be a practicing parish member and at least 25 years old. Additional candidates must be nominated in writing by at least 10 active parishioners and submitted to Fr. Jim by Nov. 14. The nomination should include a few sentences about why he/she would be a good trustee. Nov. 18-19 the names of the nominees will be announced and on Nov. 25-26 the election will take place during Mass. If you are unable to vote 11/25-26, please contact the office to make arrangements to cast a ballot.

St. Joseph Blood Drive November 6th
2:30 to 6:30 in the Parish Center. Appointments appreciated, but walk-ins are welcome. Make appointments by calling Julie Koenen at 763-2390.

In Loving Memory
We wish to extend our sympathy to the families and friends of Jane McCourt, Robert Shepherd and Jean Rothering. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

Adult Formation Classes at St. Mary Parish
Join us as we look into the life of St. Teresa of Avila. Born into wealth she sought a simpler life of a nun. Reforming the Carmelite order and having divine visions, she brought devotion and discipline to the convents. This program will start at 7:00 PM Wednesday in the St. Sebastian room.

The Everyday Art of Forgiving Sessions
Forgiving yourself and others is a dynamic process that can be understood and practiced. Dr. Betty Park has learned about and taught about forgiveness as a social worker and a primary prevention mental health educator. Join us Sunday, November 5th in Andre Hall at St. Charles for Family Life Night, Adult Session 5:30 to 6:30 PM. This will be an introduction to the extended sessions which are open to all parishioners and will be held Wednesday evenings from 6:30 to 8:00 PM in the Parish Center at St. Joseph, Lyons. There is no cost for the program, but pre-registration is appreciated so that the proper amount of materials will be available. Register by calling Rita at 262.763.2050 or vanschynelr@archmil.org. Session 1-Nov. 8: Need and capacity to forgive./Session 2-Nov. 15: Consequences of not forgiving./Session 3-Nov. 29: Obstacles to forgiveness./Session 4-Dec. 6: Forms of apology./Session 5-Dec. 13: Resources from world traditions and spirituality.

Please pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood and religious life.
We, your Tri-parish Pastoral council would like to share with you a decision we made based on the parish mission we share. We know that each of us has received a gift of talent/talents that we use to serve one another as good stewards of God’s varied grace. Our parishes look more alike than different when we assessed the many opportunities of time and talent stewardship. To that end we have developed one form to use. This will also give you an opportunity to work with another parish if you desire. In the mail in the next week or so you will receive a Time/Talent Tri-Parish Stewardship survey. We ask each adult in your household to complete this survey and return it to your parish office. Thank you, Your Tri-parish Pastoral Council

Dominican Republic Adult Mission Trip Information Meeting – Monday, November 6th at 7:00 PM. in St. Joseph Parish Center. Whether you are just considering going or are already planning on it, come to this meeting! Registration forms and a deposit of $150 are due that night or no later than November 30. If you have a passport already, please bring a color copy of it, or bring your deposit of $150 are due that night or no later than November 30.

Children’s Liturgy of the Word
The Children’s Liturgy of the Word session held at the 8:00 a.m. Mass on Sunday mornings is in need of some volunteers to work with the children. If you are interested, please contact the rectory office at 763-1500. Volunteers need to have Safeguarding All of God’s Family training and a background check. Ellen Stevens will work with you. It really is quite simple. There is a book to follow and the program makes the Mass meaningful for the children. If enough volunteers would come forward, it would only be a once a month commitment.

CCHS Athletic Association Calendar Winners

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Winners on the 7th-31st are $20 winners. Thank you for your support.

National Vocations Awareness Week
November 5-11: During this week please pray for vocations, and pray about how God is calling you to live your vocation more deeply. Encourage the young people in your life-children, grandchildren, students and friends to be open if God calls them to the priesthood or religious life. For more information about vocation events or discernment resources visit thinkpriest.org, or contact the Vocation Office at vocationoffice@sfs.edu.

Grade School Unification
Unification Steering Committee Meetings in November:
Monday, November 6 & Monday, November 20
Time: 6:00 p.m. Place: St. Charles’ Andre Hall
Public questions & comments are taken at the start of each meeting.

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 Kojls, U.S. Air Force
Toby May, Spc. Army National Guard

John S. Krause, U.S. Navy
Gregory A. Roberts, U.S. Army
Second 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, US Marine Corp, Infantry

Tree Donations for the Cemetery-Thank You!
The Cemetery Board initiated a Tree Replacement and Addition program this fall to replace trees that had been removed in recent years and to maintain our beautiful cemetery for the future. The goal is to plant 15 trees over two years. After seeking potential donors in August, these parishioners came forward with a $300 gift for each tree: Judy Donnelly, Tom and Mary Hegeman, Shirley Meyer, and Marge Wessner. These four trees were planted in the Priests’ Circle in October, along with three other trees planted in other areas. The Cemetery Board extends our sincere gratitude to these parishioners for their generosity. We will continue with this program next year and look forward to gifts from anyone with a desire to ensure the beauty of our cemetery for decades to come!

-St. Mary Cemetery Board
We pray that through the power of the Holy Spirit our Tri-Parish Community will proclaim Christ and make 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).

### Finance Council

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

### Parish Trustees

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

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.

### Stewardship Report

- Amount collected 10/29 from 140 envelopes: $13,783.54
- Add’l Parish Pay 9 contributors: 675.15
- Total: $14,458.69
- Outreach cash/coin: 649.31
- Outreach envelopes: 349.00
- Total: $998.31
- Amount Given Fiscal Year to Date: $273,188.01
- Amount Budgeted to Date (18 week): -344,452.50
- Difference: -$71,264.49
- Amount Budgeted for fiscal year (52 weeks): $995,085.00
- Amount still needed for this fiscal year: $721,896.99
- Amount needed per week to reach budget (34 weeks): $21,232.26

### Seeking New Knights & Squires

Please join our Council 15665. Calling all Young Men: Join the K of C Squire program which strives to provide the spiritual, cultural, civic, social & physical improvement of its members, & the development of leadership qualities.

### 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.
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