

St. Mary's Catholic Church

Reddick, IL

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time—February 12, 2017

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Mass Schedule

Sat.— 5:30 pm

Reconciliation:

Before Mass or by Appointment

Sacrament of Baptism – Baptisms are celebrated during the Saturday 5:30p.m. Mass. Please call the Rectory to make arrangements.

Marriages – Diocesan Policy require at least a six month preparation process. Couples who are planning to marry should speak directly with the Pastor before setting a date. No Weddings are scheduled on Sundays.

Hospitalized Parishioners – Due to a change in the privacy law, Father cannot go to the hospital and ask for a list of parishioners for him to visit. As a patient, you must ask the hospital to notify the Rectory that you are requesting a visit. For our homebound parishioners, if you would like Father to visit, please call the Rectory and Father will be more than happy to come and visit you. Thank you!

Mass Intentions:

- 2/11/17 Sat. 5:30pm +Brian Buckley (Bill O'Brien & Family)
- 2/15/17 Thurs. 8:30am No Mass
- 2/18/17 Sat. 5:30pm +Parishioners & Ryan Hogan-8th Anniv.
(Dan & Melinda Hogan Family)

If you would like a Mass Intention said, please contact the Rectory. Suggested Donation is \$10.

Remember in Prayer our deceased relatives and friends, the ill of our parish and community, nursing home residents, the homeless, hungry and unemployed, those living alone and our own special intentions we hold deep in our hearts. Keep in prayer all men and women serving our country, the injured and those being held prisoners. Let us not forget all men and women who gave up their lives so that we may live in freedom and peace!

Liturgical Schedule for Lectors/Servers

- 2/11/17 Sat. 5:30pm Lector—Melinda /Servers-Volunteers
- 2/18/17 Sat. 5:30pm Lector—Jane/Servers-Volunteers

Holy Father's Intention for the month of February:

General Intention: Comfort for the Afflicted. That all those who are afflicted, especially the poor, refugees, and marginalized, may find welcome and comfort in our communities.

Weekly Income:

Sunday Collection \$ 239.00

Thank you for your generosity!

Prayers for Sick

Bruce Larson, Mary Lou Fox

During the months of January and February we will not have Daily Mass. If you would like to attend Daily Mass during these months, please join me in South Wilmington Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday mornings at 7:30am. Thank you! Fr. Stan

“Family is a treasure chest worth more than a mountain of Gold!”

We will be hosting a Chili Supper following Mass tonight. We would like to invite all families, friends and parishioners. Hope you can join us!

If you would like a tax statement of your contributions for 2016, please call the Rectory 815-237-2230. Statements can only be prepared if you use your weekly Offertory Envelopes.

Celebrate the 100th Anniversary of the Apparitions of Fatima with a Pilgrimage to Fatima, Avila, and Lourdes, March 23-April 2, 2017. R/T airfare, first-class hotels, transportation, daily Mass, \$3195. Contact Fr Chris Haake at 815-584-5178 or frcgjh@gmail.com or Fr Doug Hauber at 815-426-2153 or frdoug.hauber@yahoo.com

Word of Life -“A political society endures when it seeks, as a vocation, to satisfy common needs by stimulating the growth of all its members, especially those in situations of greater vulnerability or risk.” Pope Francis, Address to the Joint Session of the U.S. Congress, September 24, 2015

The 2017 Catholic Ministries

Annual Appeal is underway!

The Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal (CMAA) helps our parish and the Diocese of Joliet to provide countless ministries, programs and services to support our friends and neighbors in immeasurable ways.

Information about the 2017 CMAA and a request to make a pledge has been sent to all parishioners. Please review the materials, pray about how you can help further the ministries funded by our CMAA, and consider making the most generous gift possible.

Our parish goal is \$2,278. Help us to exceed this goal in paid pledges. Our parish will receive 70% of the amount over goal for use in our parish! Together, we can continue to spread the Gospel message in our Diocese through our ministries and help God hold us in His hands. Thank you in advance for your support.



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Heeding the rules of the road is not just a mere courtesy, in many instances it is a matter of life and death. Fortunately, most people choose to obey the important rules, both of the road and of society in general. In life there are many other opportunities to choose to obey or ignore the rules. With God's grace we can choose wisely.

