

# St. Mary's Catholic Church

216 E. Lincoln St., PO Box 16  
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Third Sunday in Ordinary Time, Sunday, January 27, 2019

## Parish Staff:

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## Office Hours: 9-1 Monday—Friday

St. Mary Rectory (815) 237-2230

## 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:

1/26/19 Sat. 5:30pm Parishioners  
**1/31/19 Thurs. 8:30am No Mass**  
2/2/19 Sat. 5:30pm +Clement & Edith Riordan (Rosemary Brooks)

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

1/26/19 Sat. 5:30pm Lector-Bill  
2/2/19 Sat. 5:30pm Lector-Bridget



**Holy Father's Intention for the month of January:** *General Intention:* Young People and the Example of Mary. That young people, especially in Latin America, follow the example of Mary and respond to the call of the Lord to communicate the joy of the Gospel to the world.

## Weekly Income:

Sunday Collection	\$ 498.00
	Thank you!

## Prayers for Sick

Heidi Ehrhardt  
Juanita Arias  
Mike Zermeno

**Welcome!** We welcome all new individuals, couples and families to St. Mary's Parish. If you haven't already done so, please register with the rectory office. Registration forms can be found on the bulletin board or on our website swkrcatholics.org Thank you!

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

"Life with Christ is a wonderful adventure." -*Saint John Paul II*

This weekend is the Collection for the Church in Latin America! Many people in Latin America and the Caribbean do not have access to church programs and ministries because of a rising secular culture, rural terrain, and a shortage of ministers. Your generosity makes it possible for our brothers and sisters in Latin America and the Caribbean to share in the life of the Church and grow closer to Christ. Please be generous to the special collection! To learn more, please visit [www.usccb.org/latin-america](http://www.usccb.org/latin-america). We will not have a second collection. Please place these envelopes into the basket with your Sunday Envelopes.

**Monday, January 28th at 4pm Catholic Charities' and Northern Illinois Food Bank Mobile Food Pantry** will be distributing food in South Wilmington at St. Lawrence Church parking lot (rain or shine). You do not have to be Catholic to participate. Catholic Charities helps people of all faiths and beliefs. If you know anyone in need, please inform them.

Next weekend is the feast of St. Blaise. Fr. Stanley will be blessing throats after Mass next weekend.

**Essex Lions Club** will host breakfast on Sunday, January 27th at the Essex Lions Club, 217 Paris St., from 7 am to noon. The Lions will serve biscuits and gravy, pancakes, French toast, hash browns, bacon, sausage, eggs (any way), toast, orange juice, milk and coffee. The cost will be \$7 for adults and \$4 for children ages 6-12 and Under 6 eat FREE.

**Totus Tuus** is looking to hire 24 college age young men and women to teach our catechetical summer program! Please help us by personally inviting any practicing Catholic young adults who love kids and want to serve the Lord. Info and a link to apply may be found at: <http://www.dioceseofjoliet.org/ttjoliet/sectioncontent.php?secid=5>

IT IS OUR HONOR TO CORDIALLY INVITE YOU (AND YOUR GUEST) ALL\* WHO SACRIFICE TIME AND TALENTS FOR OUR COMMUNITY to join us to celebrate an **APPRECIATION DINNER** on Friday, February 1, 2019 at 6:30PM at St. Lawrence Parish Hall. Excellent food and drinks would be offered and nice music for dancing! Please RSVP signing the list in the back of the church. (\*Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, RE Staff, Ushers, Parish and Finance Council Members, Musicians and Cantors, Janitors, Those who care for Altar Linens, Money Counters, Society Officers, Funeral Dinner Co-Chairs, Quilters and Mobile Food Truck Volunteers).

**Word of Life**--"While many Catholics want to help women and men heal from past abortions, most don't know how to begin." Learn how you can become an instrument of God's mercy at [www.usccb.org/bridges-of-mercy](http://www.usccb.org/bridges-of-mercy). USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities, "Bridges of Mercy for Post-Abortion Healing", [www.usccb.org/bridges-of-mercy](http://www.usccb.org/bridges-of-mercy)

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Today's reading from the Gospel of Luke offers us the first words of Jesus as he begins his public ministry. The words reflect his understanding of his Spirit-anointed mission. His words are his "Mission Statement." Good stewards rejoice in being followers of Jesus. They realize that Jesus' commission is their commission as well. They embrace it and adopt it as their own. We, too, have "glad tidings" to bring to a suffering world. This year, how will we fulfill Christ's commission in the world in which he has placed us, using the gifts he has entrusted to us?

