

St. Mary's Catholic Church

The Most Holy Trinity, June 7, 2020

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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:

6/06/20 Sat. 5:30 pm Parishioners
6/11/20 Thurs. 8:30am No Mass
6/13/20 Sat. 5:30 pm Parishioners

At this time we will not be having Daily Mass. We will resume later this month. Also, any Mass intentions that were scheduled from March through June that we missed will be said June-July.

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

6/06/20 Sat. 5:30 pm Lector-Bridget
6/13/20 Sat. 5:30 pm Lector-Jane



Holy Father's Intention for the month of June: The Way of the Heart. That all those who suffer may find their way in life, allowing themselves to be touched by the Heart of Jesus.

Offerings can be made by dropping into the basket when entering the Church, mailed to PO Box 190, South Wilmington or dropped into the drop box on the parish office door (165 Rice Rd., South Wilmington). To donate **online please go to www.givecentral.org** and select Diocese of Joliet Universal Offering. Thank you for supporting our parish.

Prayers for Sick

Juanita Arias, Heidi Ehrhardt,
Mary Raines, Sherry Moran-
ski, Randy Clapp, Tiff Steichen

Please remember in prayer Scott Savoie who entered Eternal Life. Our condolences to his family and friends. Eternal Rest Grant to him O Lord. May his soul and all the souls of the Faithful Departed through the mercy of God, Rest in Peace.

The month of June is dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Please try to pray Litany to the Sacred Heart of Jesus with Act of Personal Consecration to the Sacred Heart.

"At the end of our life we shall be judged by charity."— St. John of the Cross

I am very grateful to be able to celebrate Mass with all of you in our parishes. I know we have been going through such uncertain times. Please know that I have been praying for my parishioners during this time. I am also grateful for all of your prayers as well. We have a few necessary adjustments to return back to Mass. Please read through the safety rules for attending Mass to help us all make a smooth transition back. Thank you and my God Bless you! Fr. Stan

Safety Rules for Attending Mass—These rules are established by the Diocese of Joliet according to the state guidelines.

- **The most important rule**—Use a personal mask and keep the social distance of 6 feet.
- When arriving to the Church—Greeters will dispense hand sanitizer into everyone's hands.
- Ushers will lead you to your place in the pew.
(Sorry if this is not your usual place, we are not using every pew).
- Donations/Offerings can be dropped into the basket on your way into the Church.
- Before Communion—Ushers will dispense liquid hand sanitizer by coming to the front of your pew. Ushers will dismiss 1 pew at a time for Communion.
- Please remain in your pews after Mass. Our Ushers will dismiss by pews.
- At this time we will not be singing or using the organists.

Fr. Stanley will provide instructions during the Mass. Sorry for any inconvenience

The Word of Life—"The Gospel of Life is at the *heart* of Jesus' saving message to the world. Through the Incarnation of Christ, God reveals to us the dignity of all human life." USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities " Pope St. John Paul II's Challenge to Our Church"

The Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity Weekend of June 6/7, 2020 -In today's second reading we hear of Saint Paul's final appeal to the Christian community at Corinth to live in peace and harmony with one another as well as to give one another encouragement. God made that unity possible, as Paul would have it, through "the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit." Good stewards who share Christ's life belong to each other, just as God in the three persons of Father, Son and Holy Spirit enjoy unity. We are an intimate part of God's divine bond, God's "family." Saint Paul maintains that we ought to act that way. In the Church there is the bond of family, yet there is plenty of room for variety. Christian stewards use their uniquely varied gifts to live a Trinitarian faith, in unity, promoting Christ's peace and justice. How do we promote unity among our fellow believers? What encouragement do we give others?

