



12th Sunday in Ordinary Time
June 25, 2023

MASS SONGS AND READINGS

- ***Processional**—Come to the Feast #458
- ***Readings**—#886 12th Sunday Ordinary Time~Cycle A
- ***Presentation Hymn**—Seek Ye First #613
- ***Communion Hymn**—I Am the Bread of Life #493
- ***Recessional**—Christ Be Our Light #683

PARISH FINANCIAL REPORT

Weekly Parish Need for Operation:	\$1,385.00
Offering for June 18th	-\$1,464.00
Surplus for the week:	+\$ (79.00)

Times are tough, see what you can do

Restoration: \$590 in Memory of Mary Arseneau
\$125 collection

Priest's Pension Fund Collection: \$205

~Sunday Offertory Budget Amount for Fiscal Year
July 1, 2022-June 30, 2023 is \$72,000.

~Sunday Offertory Actual Money Donated as of
June 18th- **\$75,474.34.**

CMAA GOAL-\$7,500 for this year
Actual Amount Pledged-\$4,145



Mass Intentions

****SUNDAY, June 25th— 4:30p.m.**

- ~Gloria Boone by the Morris Family
- ~Dolores Roberts by Eileen Ratliff
- ~Linda Stahlschmidt by Angela Jones

****SUNDAY, July 2nd— 4:30p.m.**

- ~Ditty Lynch by the Lynch Families
- ~Dean Anderson by Eileen Ratliff
- ~Hazen & Madeline Arseneau by Marilyn Champagne

****SUNDAY, July 9th— 4:30p.m.**

- ~Edna Fief by Mark & Traci Fief
- ~Ira & Jeff Ratliff & Diana Cailteux by Eileen Ratliff
- ~Leland & Anita Lambert by Paula & Corky Miller
- ~Jerry LaFond by Marsha Willey

Bishop's Visit on July 9th

Bishop Hicks will be celebrating Mass with us on July 9th. Please make plans to attend. We will also have a potluck dinner afterwards. Let's make him feel welcome and show our hospitality.

CCW Meeting after Mass today. They are discussing the dinner for the Bishop's visit.

If anyone is interested in being a Lector, Eucharistic Minister, Usher, or Money Counter please talk to Ryan.

NEXT WEEK'S CO-MINISTERS FOR:

SUNDAY, July 2nd @ 4:30p.m.

- READER:** Jennifer
- E.M.:** Jennifer & Erin
- Money Counters:** Sue & Joe
- Ushers:** Pat & Drew
- Servers:** Colbi

Collection for Peter's Pence on Sunday, June 25~place those envelopes in regular collection

Please Pray For:

Intentions: Bernard Yarneau, Gary Cahoe, Carter Brutlag, Rita & Jack Willier, Shirley Guttman, Paisley Jackson, Sr. Linda Hatton, Kathy Wagner, Jewel Legan, Margo Reynolds, Beverly Maurer, Anna VanHolven, Tina Gooding, Jerry Shortsleeve, Bob Arseneau, Ray Arseneau, Don Martell, Kelly Schladenhauffen, Kim Cann, Janet Lambert, Mike Tiarks, Gene Tammen, Debbie Turner, Sylvia Eddy, Betty Lambert, Elaine Arseneau, Judy Laurent, Shirley Arseneau, & Special Intentions

Our Departed: Mary Arseneau, Eugene Drummer, & Vesta Metz

Our Service Men & Women:

- *PV 2 Colby Arseneau, Army Reserves, Grandson of Jerry & Joyce Arseneau;
- *Maj. Todd Fatka, USAR, son of Angela Jones

***Please notify the Office at 815-644-6664 if a loved one is admitted to the hospital or would like to be on the prayer list or to have someone taken off the list if they are well.**





St. Mary's News



Preparing for Next Sunday's Petitions

- ~For all those, who like Elijah the Prophet, continue to bring the Word of the Lord to his people
- ~For all in civil government, that they may be guided by the Lord of justice and peace
- ~For families, that they may be united in the love of God and strengthened in his service
- ~For God's blessings on farmers and their crops
- ~For the strength and resolve to willingly take up our cross and follow Jesus
- ~For all our parishioners united in faith
- ~For those who in life trusted in the Lord, may in death rest in his arms

Let Us Pray to the Lord

Preparing for Next Sunday's Gospel

Thirteenth Sunday Ordinary Time "A"
Matthew 10:37-42

"Whoever loses his life for my sake will find it!"

Do I love anyone or anything more than Jesus?

What constitutes the "cross" that I am called to take up and carry?

How do I receive the people and the messages that God sends to me?

Prayer: Heavenly Father, Jesus your Son commands that I love you more than anyone or anything else. Help me to put you at the center of my life and to welcome the many ways you reach out to me through the day. Amen!

Founders' Day News—the Founders' Day Committee has decided that we are Not having Founders' Day. They are looking into other fundraising efforts. They hope everyone understands. This was a very hard decision. It takes a lot to run Founders' Day and it is hard to get help and everyone is getting older.

**TRUST
IN THE
LORD
WITH ALL
YOUR** ♥
{proverbs 3:5}

Upcoming Events

L'Erable Homecoming

- Sunday, July 9
- Mass at 11 a.m.
- BBQ Chicken & Pork Chop Dinner-Noon to 5p.m.
- Bingo, Vendors, Tractor Pull, Kiddie Tractor Pull, Raffles, & More

Blood Drive at St. Mary's Hall

When: Thursday, August 3rd
Time: 2p.m. to 6p.m.
For an appointment, call Diane Arseneau



143rd Annual Novena of St. Anne in St. Anne, IL

*Masses each evening July 17-25 at 7p.m. except Sunday.

St. Anne's Day Schedule on July 26th:

- 10a.m.**-Outdoor Mass in English
- 11a.m.**-Children's Activities
- 12p.m.**-Indoor High Mass in Latin
- 2p.m.**-Outdoor Mass in Spanish

Lunch for Sale starting at 11a.m., Religious items sold on the grounds, along with other items for sale. For more information call 815-427-8265.

Martinton Community Food Pantry

The food pantry serves all of Iroquois County. They are in need of our help. **Please continue to bring in food donations.** They are also looking for monetary donations, volunteers to help unload the trucks, and working on distribution days. If you are able to help, please call Connie Stirling at 815-867-6480.

New Hours: Tuesday 9-11a.m., No PM hours

Items Needed at the Pantry:

- Canned meats-tuna, chicken
- Canned Fruits
- Personal Hygiene Products
- Laundry Detergent
- Paper Towels
- Toilet Paper
- Cleaning Supplies
- Individual Water Bottles