

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

August 13th, 2017

Please Pray For:

Intentions: Steve Eilers, Delmar Arseneau, Rev. Kevin Nourie, Bob Steffler, Larry Surprenaunt, Braylee Arseneau, Marie Wilson, JP DePatis, Karen Lambrecht, Terry Knorr McGill, Connie Stirling, Megan Seggebruch, Ruth Lesch, Greg Knorr, Cindy Jamnik, Gloria Boone, Lisa Snow, Sandy Grenhof, Pat Wingerter, Joan Tiarks, Vi Martell, Shirley Arseneau, Lauretta Lafond, Diane Houmes, and for Special Intentions



Our Departed:

*Please notify the Parish Office at 815-644-6664 if a loved one is admitted to the hospital or would like to be on the prayer list. We can bring communion to the homebound.

Mass Intentions

***Sunday, August 13th – 4:30p.m.**

~Vi Garrett by Don Cote

~Maybelle Lareau by Angie Clement

~Mark Burnette by Angie Clement

***Tuesday, August 15th – 8:00a.m.**

~Communion Service

***Thursday, August 17th – 8:00a.m.**

~Communion Service

***Sunday, August 20th – 4:30p.m.**

~August & Verilda Arseneau by Ray Arseneau Family

~Mike Caise by Karen & Gil Wetzil

***Tuesday, August 22nd – 8:00a.m.**

~Communion Service

***Thursday, August 24th – 8:00a.m.**

~Communion Service

ARE YOU NEW TO OUR CHURCH??



If you are new and would like to become a member, we would love to have you!!

The papers are on the back counter. Fill them out and return them to church.

*****SIGN UP SHEETS for Founders' Day, which is September 10th, are on the back counter. Please sign up to help out by donating desserts, helping to set up, and helping on Founders' Day itself. We need everyone's help to make this event successful!!!**

PARISH FINANCIAL REPORT

Weekly Parish Need for Operation: \$1,080.00

Offering for Sunday, August 6th - \$1,217.37

Surplus for the Week: +\$(137.37)

37 Envelopes in Offering

Restoration: \$1,085-Preservation Dues
\$122-Restoration Boxes
\$389-Restoration Collection

~Sunday Offertory Budget Amount for Fiscal Year July 1, 2017-June 30, 2018 is \$56,000.

~Sunday Offertory Actual Money Donated as of August 6th is **\$7,546.90.**

ANNUAL APPEAL

We have 40 pledges totaling \$4,715.

Our goal for this year is \$4,698.

CCW Meeting
Sunday,
August 20th
after Mass
in the
chapel.

CO-MINISTERS FOR:

Sunday, August 20th @ 4:30p.m.

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

READER: Beth Hanson

SERVERS: Dalton, William

E.M.: L) Jennifer Dixon

E.M.: Angela Jones, Melisa Loy

USHERS: Pete, Pat, Don



We rejoice this weekend with the Family of **Colton MacCatherine** Son of Lindsay & Darin who was baptized today.

~St. Mary's Activities~

Religious Education News

If you have kids 4 years or older, they can attend Religious Education. Please see Ryan Loy. We will be having early registration on Sunday, August 27 before and after Mass. If your child is already in our program, please come check their information sheet and bring the \$30 fee. Information will be mailed out very soon. We are looking forward to a great new year!!

Looking for Ministers....If you are interested in being a Eucharistic Minister, Altar Server, Lector, or Usher please call the office at 815-435-2432.

Parish Families in Need

We have a couple of families in great need. Please help out by donating gas cards, Walmart cards, or cash that they could use. If you can help in any way, please see Ryan Loy.

Founders' Day Tickets & Fliers

*Please pick up your Founders' Day tickets at the back table. If you are new, please come back and get an envelope so you can help pre-sell dinner and raffle tickets. If you are in need of more tickets, please ask in the back of church.
*We also have fliers that need to be brought to businesses in the area. If you can take a few, that would be great!!

FOUNDERS' DAY IS SEPTEMBER 10

We will be looking for baskets once again to raffle off. We are looking for baskets with at least a \$25 value. Items that have gone over well for our raffles: (Television, gas grill, picnic table, lotto tree, & kid's bike-already donated), gas cards, other gift cards, tickets to ball games, different baskets-some in the past have been men's, women's, kid's, wine baskets, kitchen baskets, movie baskets, and more.

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 Carla Prizy at 815-383-1844.

Food Pantry Needs: The Martinton pantry is in need of canned fruit, canned tuna, canned chicken & ham, peanut butter, pasta, pasta sauce, and cereals.

Collecting Bottle Caps

Please start collecting your plastic bottle caps and bringing them to church. We will have a bin in the back of church where you can place them. When we get enough caps, we can have a bench made for our church grounds from the recycled material. It takes 2,000lbs. of caps. Check out the poster & fliers in the back of church to see what kind of caps we can turn in.

Collecting Pop Tabs

We will continue to collect pop tabs in the back of church for the Ronald McDonald House. Keep saving them at home!!

Area Events

Donovan Elementary Open House

Friday, August 18th

*Kindergarten, 1st, & 2nd Grades
4:30p.m.-6:00p.m.

*3rd, 4th, & 5th Grades
4:30p.m.-5:30p.m.

Bring in your supplies, meet your teacher, & check out your room.

Blood Drive at St. Mary's Hall



When: Wednesday,
August 30

Time: 2p.m. to 6p.m.
Please come out and donate if you can!!

Flu Shots

We will be offering flu shots after Mass on Sunday, October 1st. A sign up sheet will be put in the back of church soon. You will need to bring your medicare card or insurance information with you on that day. You are able to come in even if you don't sign up.