



12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 25th, 2017



Mass Intentions for the Week of June 25th

***Sunday, June 25th – 4:30p.m.**

~ Arlene Arseneau by Ray Arseneau & Girls

***Tuesday, June 27th**

~ **NO** Communion Service

***Thursday, June 29th**

~ **NO** Communion Service

***Sunday, July 2nd – 4:30p.m.**

~ Vi Garrett by Don Cote

~ Michael Lawrence by Angie Clement

***Tuesday, July 4th**

~ **NO** Communion Service

***Thursday, July 6th – 8:00a.m.**

~ Communion Service



PARISH FINANCIAL REPORT

Weekly Parish Need for Operation: \$1,020.00

Offering for Sunday, June 18th - \$877.00

Deficit for the Week: **-\$ (143.00)**

34 Envelopes in Offering

***2nd Collection for Retired Priests-\$296.00**

Restoration: \$60-Restoration Envelopes

\$169-Restoration Boxes

~Sunday Offertory Budget Amount for Fiscal Year
July 1, 2016-June 30, 2017 is \$53,000.

~Sunday Offertory Actual Money Donated as of
June 18th is **\$58,623.84.**

ANNUAL APPEAL

We have 40 pledges totaling \$4,715.

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

2nd Collection **TODAY**

There will be a
2nd collection
for Peter's Pence



Large Oscillating Floor Fans

We have purchased 2 fans for the church. Last summer a couple of parishioners had expressed interest in donating money towards these.

If anyone is interested, please let Ryan know.
They cost about \$260 each and should be here soon!



Please Pray For:

Intentions: Braylee & Everly Arseneau, Marie Wilson, JP DePatis, Karen Lambrecht, Delmar Arseneau, Rev. Kevin Nourie, Millard Loy, Bob Steffler, Larry Surprenaunt, Terry Knorr McGill, Connie Stirling, Brenda St. Peter, Megan Seggebruch, Ruth Lesch, Greg Knorr, Cindy Jamnik, Gloria Boone, Lisa Snow, Sandy Grenhof, Pat Wingerter, Joan Tiarks, Vi Martell, Shirley Arseneau, Laurretta Lafond, Diane Houmes

Our Departed: Mike Caise

***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 as well.**

~Happenings at St. Mary's~

CO-MINISTERS FOR:

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

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READER: Angie Clement

SERVERS: Piper Hansen

E.M.: L) Duane Weber

E.M.: Chris Weber, Erin Gwaltney

USHERS: Delaney, Jim, Tom

21st Annual Founders' Day

Founders' Day is coming up on September 10. We will be looking for baskets once again to raffle off. The baskets that were donated last year were wonderful. We are looking for baskets with at least a \$25 value. If you have an item you would like to donate to raffle off, please let someone on the Founders' Day committee know. We are working on printing out raffle tickets and dinner tickets to give parishioners plenty of time to pre-sell them before Founders' Day.

Items that have gone over well for our raffles: (Television, gas grill, picnic table, & lotto tree-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.

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.

Food Pantry

Needs:

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

Martinton Community Food Pantry

The food pantry is expanding their distribution area from the Donovan school district to all of Iroquois County to help more people in our area. 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.

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. Check out the poster & fliers in the back of church to see what kind of caps we can turn in.

Events in our Area

L'Erable Homecoming

Sunday, July 9

Mass at 11a.m.

BBQ Chicken & Pork Chop

Dinner-Noon to 6p.m.

Bingo, Vendors, Tractor

Pull, Kiddie Tractor Pull

Check out flier on bulletin

board in back of church

Prayer Breakfast

Tapping Into Your Religious Imagination Through Painting

When: Thursday, July 6 from 9a.m. to 10:30a.m.

Presenter: Sister Mary Stella Schellenberger, SSCM

Cost: Free Will Offering

Register: 815-935-0800 or just stop by

Where: One Heart, One Soul Spirituality Center

Sponsored by Servants of the Holy Heart of Mary

Visit their website at www.sscm-usa.org

St. George Summerfest

Mark your calendars for Sunday, July 16th for St. George's Annual Summerfest celebration. They have a meal, country store, and much more.