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God remains in us and his love is brought to perfection in us. Si nos amamos los unos a los otros, Dios permanece en nosotros, y su amor ha llegado en nosotros a su plenitud.

Once again, gratitude and thanks to all those who made the Saint Mary Parish Kermés Raffle another GREAT SUCCESS!

Thanks too, to those who purchased the raffle tickets. The raffle receipts, which totaled \$1,600, will be be used for upgrades to the church building. In total, the Kermes project provided over \$5,000 to meet parish needs. The leadership and persistence of Josefina Pineda and Irma Bahena serves as another real -life demonstration of true stewardship and co-responsibility.

Gracias también a quienes compraron los boletos del sorteo. Los recibos de la rifa, que ascendieron a \$ 1,600, se utilizarán para mejoras en el edificio de la iglesia. En total, el proyecto Kermes proporcionó más de \$ 5,000 para satisfacer las necesidades de la parroquia. El liderazgo y la perseverancia de Josefina Pineda e Irma Bahena nos brindó otra demostración real de corresponsabilidad.

¿Una vez más, agradecimiento y agradecimiento a todos los que hicieron de la Rifa Saint Mary Parish Kermés otro GRAN ÉXITO!

Bishop W. Shawn McKnight has issued a decree lifting the dispensation from the obligation to attend Mass in person, effective June 1.

If you are ill, are traveling, or otherwise dispensed from our obligation to participate in the Mass, please continue to join us online. Otherwise, we look forward to seeing you in person at Mass!

We need your support and stewardship.



For safety and convenience, you may donate using the parish website or use your phone camera and scan this QR Code.

If you have questions or need If you have questions or need assistance call Deacon John at 660 265-4110.

El obispo W. Shawn McKnight ha emitido un decreto que levanta la dispensa de la obligación de asistir a misa en persona, a partir del 1 de junio.

Si está enfermo, está viajando o de alguna otra manera está exento de nuestra obligación de participar en la Misa, continúe uniéndose a nosotros en línea. De lo contrario, resperamos verte en persona en la misa!

Necesitamos su apovo.

Por conveniencia, puede donar usando el sitio web de la parteléfono y escanear este Código QR. Si necesit-QR. Si necesita ayuda, llame al un Diácono al 660 265-4110.



Birthday: October 3, John Dabney; 6, Juan Chavero; 7, Oliver Lopez, Lilia Arellano; 10, Teresa Carrillo; 12, Deb Coronado, Rex May; 13, Felepe Bahena; 17, Lora Healy.

Anniversary: October / Octubre 6, Dan & Carla vanIngen, 42 years; 7, Getsemani y Poncian Gabutan, 16 años; 11, Jim & Sherri Brinkley, 41 years; 11, Jóse y María Garcia, 13 años.

Weekly Readings

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Jon 4:1-11

Lk/Lc 11:1-4

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Virgen María del Rosario

Mal 3:13-20

Lk/Lc 11:5-13

October 8, Friday-Viernes

J1 1:13-15; 2:1-2

Lk/Lc 11:15-26

October 9, Saturday-Sábado

J1 4:12-21

Lk/Lc 11:27-28

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Wis/Sab 7:7-11

Heb 4:12-13 Mk/Mc 10:17-30

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Sun, Oct 10, 11:00 a.m. Milan **PSR Catechists**



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The 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B 27° Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario, año B Gospel of St. Mark / El Evangelio de San Marcos October / Octubre 3

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Jesús nos enseña acerca de lo sagrado del matrimonio; un pacto que es un don de Dios. Nuestras relaciones con nuestro cónyuge, familiares, amigos, compañeros de trabajo y aquellos en nuestra comunidad de fe, son todas dones de Dios. Jesús nos recuerda hoy que es el corazón endurecido el que daña o rompe las relaciones. Los buenos corresponsables entienden la santidad de las relaciones y oran por el amor, la paciencia, la comprensión y la bondad necesarias para sostener esas relaciones.

Winter Weekly Schedule of Services

Saturday in English / Sabado en Inglés, Unionville 4:30 p.m. Sunday in English / Domingo en Inglés Milan 8:30 a.m. Sunday in Spanish / Domingo en Español, Milan 11:00 a.m. Evening Vespers with Communion: Wed, 6:00 p.m. Reconciliation, 30 minutes before mass & by appointment

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Background on the Gospel Reading

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Bishop McKnight's October prayer intention for our Local Church

For our local church of the Diocese of Jefferson City; that we may become a sign and instrument in the world of the presence of Christ through our communion in charity, faith, and the Eucharist.

Intención del mes de octubre del Obispo McKnight por nuestra Iglesia Local

Por nuestra iglesia local de la Diócesis de Jefferson City. Para que seamos signo e instrumento en el mundo de la presencia de Cristo a través de nuestra comunión en la caridad, la fe y la Eucaristía.

(Background continued)

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Ouestion of the Week

27h Sunday - Mark 10:2-16

Key Passage: "Moses permitted a husband to write a bill of divorce and dismiss...(his wife.)' But Jesus told them 'Because of the hardness of your hearts he wrote this commandment... Amen. I say to you whoever does not accept the kingdom of God like a child will not enter

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Pregunta de la Semana

27° Domingo — Marcos 10, 2-16

Pasaje Crucial: "Moisés nos permitió el divorcio mediante la entrega de un acta de divorcio a la esposa". Jesús les dijo: "Moisés prescribió esto, debido a la dureza del corazón de ustedes. Les aseguro que el que no reciba el Reino de Dios como un niño, no entrará en él"...

Pregunta para los adultos:

¿Cuál es la diferencia entre un corazón endurecido y el corazón de un niño?

Pregunta para los niños:

¿Qué significa para ti saber que a Jesús le gustaba estar con otros niños?

Calendar of Events

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Oct 2-3	Begins
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Sun, Oct 3	Coffee & Doughnuts
9:25 am	Milan Kitchen
Sun, Oct 3 9:45 am	PSR Classes Grades PreK-8 Escuela de religión comienzan las clases Grados PreK-8
Sun, Oct 3	27° Domingo Misa y en vivo
11:00 am	desde Milán en stmary.church
Tues, Oct 5	Ladies Yoga,
9 - 10:00 am	Milan Parish Hall
Wed, Oct 6	Evening Prayer w Communion
6:00 pm	Milan Church
Thur Oct 7	Ladies Yoga,
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Thu Oct 7	San Juan Bautista Grupo de
7:00 pm	Oración, Milan Sanctuary
Fri, Oct 8	Ladies Yoga,
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Tues, Oct 12	Pastoral Council Meeting
7:00 pm	Reunión del Consejo Pastoral
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Giving and Spending	Last 30 Days	Year To Date
Weekly Collections	\$4,415	\$18,023
Expenses	\$6,986	\$25,883
Balance	-\$2,571	-\$7,860

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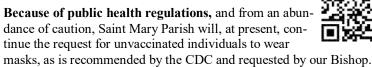
Members of our Saint Mary Roundtable of the Knights of Columbus will sponsor, prepare and serve a parish meal following today's holy mass. As we begin the Winter Mass Schedule. the Knights want to use this opportunity to gather us together for a community meal.

Everyone is invited to attend, especially bring your non-Catholic friends and neighbors. Every-

thing is provided and everything is free. It is long past time for our parish community to come together in hospitality and friendship. The Knights want to change that. Again, please join your parish family for a family end-of-summer meal.

We need your ongoing support and stewardship.

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We lift up to the Lord all those who have died, especially Bette Jacobs,

Giving and Spending	Last 30 Days	Year To Date
Collections	\$2,876	\$9,644
Expenses	\$2,830	\$7,677
Balance	\$46	\$1,967

may they enjoy the fullness of Christ. We pray for those suffering from illness, disease or stress, especially those touched by this massive public health crisis. We pray too, for all those who serve the public good in any way. May we be strong in our faith and per-

sistent in our efforts as the hands and feet of our Lord. The gospels challenge us to be Christ's presence. May He, who is the patient shepherd,

nourish and sustain us in our efforts.

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Wed, Oct 13 5:00 pm	Evening Prayer Unionville Church

Ministers	October 2021
Coordinator	Kathleen VanWhye
Music	Mary Knowles
Environment	Kathleen VanWhye
Hospitality	Marty & Janet
Lead Rosary	Kathleen VanWhye
Acolyte	Ed Brockmeyer
Lector	Doris Benson
Communion	Kay Bonafazi
Coffee & Donuts	Bill & Joy Bovy
Church Cleaning	Ed & Deb Penca
Plants	Margaret Szucs
Supplies	Mary Greinert

Celebrate Holy Mass with your community of faith.

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Knight's of Columbus Parish Dinner Today Following This Mass

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