

ST. MARY'S CHURCH

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June 7, 2020

Father Jaskierny, Pastor

Deacon Warren LaMont

The Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

Saturday, 6 June

Marilyn Anderson

Sunday, 7 June

St. Mary's Parishioners

Tuesday, 9 June

Purgatorial Society

Wednesday, 10 June

Purgatorial Society

Thursday, 11 June

Purgatorial Society

Friday, 12 June

Purgatorial Society

Saturday, 13 June

5:30 p.m.

Theresa Banas

Sunday, 14 June

9:00 a.m.

St. Mary's Parishioners

11:15 a.m.

Harry Eaton

Confessions: Saturday at 4:45-5:15 p.m.

From the Pastor

Public weekend Masses are scheduled to resume at the parish starting 13-14 June. We will look into resuming daily Masses at a later date. **All those wishing to attend Mass must sign up for the Mass; no walk-ins are permitted at this time.** Please carefully read Fr. Jaskierny's letter to the parishioners detailing the changes that come with reopening the parish. That letter can be found here:

www.stmarypecatonica.org/documents/2020/6/Reopening_Letter_to_Parishioners.pdf

An executive summary of the changes can be found here:

www.stmarypecatonica.org/documents/2020/6/Parish_Reopening_Executive_Summary.pdf

To sign up for Mass, please go here: www.stmarypecatonica.org/mass-signup

Starting the weekend of 13-14 June, confessions will also resume on Saturdays from 4:45 to 5:15 p.m. (Tuesday morning confessions are not available at this time).

Bishop Malloy has continued to dispense Catholics from the Sunday obligation to attend Mass at this time. While this dispensation continues, there is no sin for not fulfilling the obligation to attend Sunday Mass.

Volunteers Needed

In order to have public Masses, we need a team of volunteers to assist with greeting/ushering people and disinfecting the building after the Masses. Volunteers need to have no underlying health conditions and preferably be under 65 years old. With parental permission, high school students can volunteer in a more limited capacity (they could help disinfect but not greet/usher). Adult volunteers would be asked to do both the greeting and disinfecting roles at a Mass in order to more efficiently schedule the volunteers. There will be a training session to explain exactly what the volunteers would need to do. **More volunteers are needed to build up our pool of volunteers**, so please prayerfully consider volunteering for these important roles. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact Sharyn Kuhn at 815-541-0150. Thank you.

Online Giving

For those who would like to give online to the parish during this time of shutdown, the Diocese has established a site where this can be done. Please go to this URL and follow the directions: <https://www.rockforddiocese.org/parish-support/>. Be certain to select "St. Mary – Pecatonica" from the parish dropdown menu. Thank you for your generosity!

Mass Intentions

There are still plenty of opportunities to request Mass intentions for the Masses at St. Mary. Intentions can be arranged by sending a note with your name, the name(s) for the intention(s), any preferences as to dates or Mass times (they are first come, first served), and any offering given for the Masses (checks should be made payable to St. Mary Church).

In your charity pray for the sick, especially: Cody Leschner, Mary Winter, Colette Axelson, Kathy Rudy, Rosemary Naill, Kathy Dolenga, David Johnson, Patrick McLaughlin, Carmen and Bob Meyer, Denny Shippy, Brenda Mabry, Daniel Cuniff, Frank Brown, Carol Meyers, Bridget Holub, Harold Herrmann, Pat Dowdakin, Jim Christianson, John Mroz, Karen Reddy, Deacon Warren LaMont, Larry Schnorr, Cheyenne (Schnorr) Green, Amy Stringer, Janet Stringer, Barbara Futch, Kaitlyn Myers, Michael Maguire, Brittany Wiegert Long, Joyce Martenson, Dawn Powers, Bridget Reddy, Richard Nortch, Kevin Cuniff, Millicent Bauer, Norma Frey.

For all the souls of the faithful departed.