

ST. MARY'S CHURCH

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March 20, 2022

Father Dennis Morrissy, Pastor

Deacon Warren LaMont

Third Sunday of Lent

Saturday, 19 March	5:30 p.m.	St. Mary Purgatorial Society of 2021 (+)
Sunday, 20 March	9:00 a.m.	The People of St. Mary Parish
	11:15 a.m.	Donald & Joyce Markham, and Kaitlyn Miller (+)
Monday, 21 March	8:00 a.m.	St. Mary Purgatorial Society of 2021 (+)
Tuesday, 22 March	8:00 a.m.	St. Mary Purgatorial Society of 2021 (+)
Wednesday, 23 March	8:00 a.m.	St. Mary Purgatorial Society of 2021 (+)
Thursday, 24 March	8:00 a.m.	St. Mary Purgatorial Society of 2021 (+)
Friday, 25 March	8:00 a.m.	Richard & Jean Streit (+)
	7:00 p.m.	Peace in Ukraine
Saturday, 26 March	5:30 p.m.	Stanley Rousseau (+)
Sunday, 27 March	9:00 a.m.	The People of St. Mary Parish
	11:15 a.m.	Donald & Joyce Markham, and Kaitlyn Miller (+)
Confessions: Saturday at 4:45-5:15 p.m. (and by appointment)		

SPECIAL LENT LITURGIES (through Wednesday of Holy Week):

- Monday Masses at 8:00 a.m.
- Thursday Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament (after 8:00 a.m. Mass for about half an hour)
- Friday Stations of the Cross (after 8:00 a.m. Mass)
- Confessions Fridays 5:00 to 7:00 p.m.
- Be Reconciled Day (4/6/2022): confessions 8:30-11:30 a.m., 12:30-3:30 p.m., and 4:30-7:30 p.m.

MASS FOR PEACE IN UKRAINE: Special Mass at 7:00 p.m. Friday, March 25th.

FISH FRY: First Lutheran Church, 6th and Taylor Streets in Pecatonica, will have a fish fry on Friday, March 25th, from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. Fried cod and baked cod. Carry-outs available.

CONTRIBUTIONS WELCOME: St. Mary's Guild will again be holding an auction to benefit Guild charity to the community and parish projects during its annual Lenten Soup Supper and Auction scheduled for Sunday, March 27th at 5:30 p.m., which will follow Stations of the Cross at 5:00 p.m. To help encourage lively bids and raise money we welcome your donations of new items which can be handmade or purchased. Holiday baskets, gift baskets, quilts, religious items and heirlooms are all welcome. If you have an item(s) to donate please leave on the table in Hayes Hall. If you have questions about your donation call Karen at 815-871-2609 or email her at JAN71187@aol.com.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE is offering gift cards to Aldi or Valli Produce for needy families to enjoy an Easter meal. For more information on how to request this, please contact the office.

MAXIMILIAN: SAINT OF AUSCHWITZ, a live one-man production performed by Leonardo Defilippis, will be presented at St. Joseph Church in Freeport on Wednesday, March 30th, at 7:00 p.m. The production is suitable for ages 10 and up, runs about 90 minutes, and costs \$15 for adults, \$12 for veterans, and is free for ages 17 and under. It portrays the life and death of St. Maximilian Kolbe.

CHRISM MASS: The Chrism Mass is held at the Cathedral of St. Peter in Rockford on Holy Thursday morning (4/14) at 11:00 a.m. At that Mass the bishop blesses and distributes the holy oils to the parishes and chapels of the diocese. Also, the priests of the diocese renew their priestly promises. Attendance is by ticket only. If you would like to go, please contact the office. Also, vocalists are invited to attend a rehearsal and sing at that Mass. For more information, email sacredmusic@stpetergeneva.org.

MASS OFFERINGS: We have many Masses available for requested intentions, living or deceased, in 2022. Please put your requests and include an offering (\$10 suggested per Mass) in the box in church. We need to know the name or names of the persons for whom the intention is requested, whether they are alive or deceased, the name and telephone number of the requestor, and any dates or times of Masses preferred. If a particular Mass is already taken, we will call you if you requested a Mass at that time.

UKRAINE AND INTERNATIONAL APPEAL 2022: We thank all those who have contributed to the 2022 International Appeal already. If you have not yet done so, please consider doing so. Two of the agencies that will receive funding from that appeal are involved in bringing aid to Ukraine: Catholic Relief Services and the Collection for the Church in Eastern Europe. Pray for peace in Ukraine.

In your charity please pray for the sick, especially: Cody Leschner, Mary Winter, Colette Axelson, Kathy Rudy, Rosemary Naill, Kathy Dolenga, David Johnson, Carmen and Bob Meyer, Denny Shippy, Daniel Cuniff, Frank Brown, Bridget Holub, Harold Herrmann, Pat Dowdakin, John Mroz, Karen Reddy, Deacon Warren LaMont, Larry Schnorr, Cheyenne (Schnorr) Green, Amy Stringer, Janet Stringer, Kaitlyn Myers, Michael Maguire, Joyce Martenson, Bridget Reddy, Richard Nortch, Kevin Cuniff, Millicent Bauer, Pat Daly, Mary Gerbode, Millie Anderson, Lenore Wollweber, Emerson Brûlé, Josie Koester, Helen McLaughlin, Tina Morgan, Vince Diamond, Chad Bennett, Ann Nelson, Carole Preston, Helen Morrissy, Mark Johnson, Renee Adams, Cindy Kuban, and all parishioners who are ill, and all the faithful departed, including Joseph Huggins.

Collection from 3/5-6/2022:

Envelopes:	\$1,577.00
Loose:	\$115.00
Int'l Appeal+:	\$1,645.00
Total:	\$3,337.00

Liturgy Schedule: 26-27 March

	<u>Lector</u>	<u>Altar Servers</u>	<u>Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion</u>
5:30 p.m.	Dan Riley	N/A	N/A
9:00 a.m.	Mark Helm	N/A	N/A
11:15 a.m.	Mary Lou Buettner	N/A	N/A