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in Faith Making



ST. MARY
IMMACULATE
Parish

Christ
Known

The Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 13, 2020



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Peter asked Jesus,
“Lord . . . how often must I forgive?”

— Matthew 18:21

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*“Mary, the
Mother who
cared for
Jesus, cares with
maternal affection
and pain also for
this wounded
world.”*

-Pope Francis @ Pontifex

Mass Intentions

Monday – 9:00 a.m.	September 14, 2020 Victoria Salamonski – (<i>Daughter Shirley McBride</i>)
Tuesday – 9:00 a.m.	September 15, 2020 Sean Lavery – (<i>Pat Lavery</i>) Mike Schweitzer – (<i>Ginny Hawkins</i>) Richard Grenier – (<i>Anna Dudzik</i>)
Wednesday – 9:00 a.m.	September 16, 2020 Linda Meskauskas – (<i>Rafter Family</i>)
Thursday – 9:00 a.m.	September 17, 2020 Richard Goss – (<i>George & Lois Goss</i>) Margaret O'Connell – (<i>Anna Dudzik</i>) Mother's Day Remembrance
Friday – 9:00 a.m.	September 18, 2020 Joan Mc Cauley – (<i>Beverly Bailey</i>)
Saturday – 9:00 a.m. 4:00 p.m. (Parking Lot)	September 19, 2020 John White – Living Intention – (<i>Marielena Lovoie</i>) Sharon Barbic & Mike Barbic – (<i>Barbic Family</i>)
Sunday – 7:30 a.m. 9:15 a.m. 11:00 a.m. (Spanish) 12:45 p.m. (Polish)	September 20, 2020 Gertrude Todd – (<i>Bill Todd</i>) Joey Sarmiento – (<i>Family</i>) Hugo Garcia – Living Intention S.P. Stanislaw Potaczek – Anniversary of Death



CMAA Pledge Report for St. Mary Immaculate Parish As of September 6, 2020

	2020	2019
Goal:	\$231,500	\$221,300
Amount Pledged:	\$173,528	\$202,030
Amount Paid:	\$142,474	\$145,541
Amount Due:	\$31,054	\$56,486
Number of Donors:	748	842

Those of you that have pledged, please make your payments to the CMAA in a timely fashion. The Diocese of Joliet is counting on your support.

Readings for the Week

Sunday	Sir 27:30 – 28:7; Ps 103:1-4, 9-12; Rom 14:7-9; Mt 18:21-35
Monday	Nm 21:4b-9; Ps 78:1-2, 34-38; Phil 2:6-11; Jn 3:13-17
Tuesday	1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a; Ps 100:1b-5; Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35
Wednesday	1 Cor 12:31 – 13:13; Ps 33:2-5, 12, 22; Lk 7:31-35
Thursday	1 Cor 15:1-11; Ps 118:1b-2, 16ab-17, 28; Lk 7:36-50
Friday	1 Cor 15:12-20; Ps 17:1bcd, 6-8b, 15; Lk 8:1-3
Saturday	1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49; Ps 56:10c-14; Lk 8:4-15
Sunday	Is 55:6-9; Ps 145:2-3, 8-9, 17-18; Phil 1:20c-24, 27a; Mt 20:1-16a



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*Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself,
take up his cross, and follow me.
For whoever wishes to save his life will lose it,
but whoever loses his life for my sake will find it.
Matthew 16:24-25*

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Following Jesus is the ultimate call of our lives. Following him means that we do the things he calls us to do and we reach out to the people he puts in our lives, all for the sake of the Gospel. But following Jesus also means that, if we do it faithfully, we end up where he is, which is in heaven, the ultimate goal of our lives.

At this time of year, we share with you our parish financial summary, which shows us what we have accomplished together. This year, as you may expect, we had a shortfall, but not as big as we thought we might. Contributions were down, but we were able to cut expenses to more than cover the shortfall. All of this, of course, was due to the effects of the pandemic as it affected so many of us financially, as well as physically and emotionally. I am grateful to those parishioners who were able to help sustain us by continuing their offertory contributions. You have no idea how much that helped us, and I was even more glad to receive the nice notes that some of you sent along with them. It was great hearing from you, when we couldn't be together. For all of you, whether you were able to contribute or not, please know that you have been, and are, in my prayers, and in the prayers of all of us here at Saint Mary's.

I am also grateful to our wonderful staff who made the expense cuts I mentioned. Without their ability to adapt quickly to the pandemic shutdown, we would not have been able to do what we were able to do! I am also grateful to them because, from the very first week we could not have Mass in person, we were able to livestream, and that was a model for other parishes in the diocese. And, as you may have seen, our staff has been supplementing our need for volunteers for Masses, Reconciliation, Weddings, Baptisms, and Funerals. It's wonderful to work with people who love the church and love our parishioners as much as I do.

We don't know how the pandemic will shake out in the coming months. It could be several months, or perhaps more than another year, of continued restrictions. We're all praying the end is in sight. But we have been able to slowly resume sacraments, with more expansions planned as circumstances permit, and we have been able to re-open our school to in-person learning. We will be re-opening Religious Education, Confirmation, and Youth Ministry in the coming weeks and months. We still are in desperate need of volunteers, catechists, and mentors for all of those, so please hear the call and respond. You will be given training, support, materials, and a great deal of love! And that's to say nothing of the bouquet of blessings you are sure to receive from Our Lord!

I want to thank you so much for your continued support of time, talent, and treasure for our parish. We would never be able to worship, teach the faith, and reach out to the needy without all of you, who help us in so many wonderful ways. If you are able to increase your support in any of those ways this year, it would mean a lot when so many aren't in a position to do that. Thank you for continuing to give of yourselves, and for witnessing so well that #wearesaintmarys!

Yours in Christ and His Blessed Mother,
Father Pat Mulcahy, Pastor

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*Quien quiera venir en pos de mí debe negarse a sí mismo,
toma su cruz y sígueme.
Porque el que quiera salvar su vida, la perderá,
pero el que pierda su vida por mí, la encontrará.
Mateo 16: 24-25*

Queridos Hermanos y Hermanas en Cristo:

Seguir a Jesús es el máximo llamado de nuestras vidas. Seguirlo significa que hacemos las cosas que él nos llama a hacer y nos acercamos a las personas que él pone en nuestras vidas, todo por el bien del Evangelio. Pero seguir a Jesús también significa que, si lo hacemos fielmente, terminaremos donde él está, que es el cielo, el objetivo final de nuestras vidas.

En esta época del año, compartimos con ustedes el resumen financiero de nuestra parroquia, que nos muestra lo que hemos logrado juntos. Este año, como es de esperar, tuvimos un déficit, pero no tan grande como pensamos. Las contribuciones bajaron, pero pudimos recortar gastos para cubrir con creces el déficit. Todo esto, por supuesto, se debió a los efectos de la pandemia, ya que afectó a muchos de nosotros tanto financiera como física y emocionalmente. Estoy agradecido con aquellos feligreses que pudieron ayudarnos a mantenernos al continuar con sus contribuciones a la colecta dominical. No tienen idea de cuánto nos ayudó eso, y me alegró aún más de recibir las bonitas notas que algunos de ustedes enviaron junto con sus sobres. Fue genial saber de ustedes, cuando no pudimos estar juntos. Para todos ustedes, ya sea que hayan podido seguir contribuyendo o no, sepan que han estado y están en mis oraciones y en las oraciones de todos nosotros aquí en Santa María.

También estoy agradecido con nuestro maravilloso personal que hizo los recortes de gastos. Sin su capacidad para adaptarse rápidamente al cierre por la pandemia, ¡no hubiéramos podido hacer lo que pudimos hacer! También les estoy agradecido porque, desde la primera semana que no pudimos tener misa en persona, pudimos transmitir en vivo, y eso fue un modelo para otras



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parroquias de la diócesis. Y, como habrá visto, nuestro personal ha estado llenando a como ha sido necesario nuestra necesidad de voluntarios para misas, reconciliación, bodas, bautizos y funerales. Es maravilloso trabajar con personas que aman a la iglesia y aman a nuestros feligreses tanto como yo.

No sabemos cómo se desencadenará la pandemia en los próximos meses. Pueden pasar varios meses, o quizás más de un año, de restricciones continuas. Todos rezamos para que podamos ver el final muy pronto. Sin embargo, hemos podido reanudar lentamente los sacramentos, con más expansiones planificadas según lo permitan las circunstancias, y hemos podido reabrir nuestra escuela al aprendizaje en persona. Volveremos a abrir el Ministerio de Educación Religiosa, Confirmación y Juventud en las próximas semanas y meses. Todavía necesitamos desesperadamente voluntarios, catequistas y mentores para todos ellos, así que escuche la llamada y responda. Se le brindará capacitación, apoyo, materiales y mucho amor. ¡Y eso sin mencionar la cantidad de bendiciones que seguramente recibirá de Nuestro Señor!

Quiero agradecerles mucho por su continuo apoyo de tiempo, talento y tesoro para nuestra parroquia. Nunca podríamos adorar, enseñar la fe y llegar a los necesitados sin todos ustedes, quienes nos ayudan de tantas maneras maravillosas. Si puede aumentar su apoyo de alguna de esas formas este año, significaría mucho cuando tantos no estén en condiciones de hacerlo. ¡Gracias por seguir dando de sí mismos, y por testimoniar tan bien que #wearesaintmarys!

Suyo en Cristo y Su Santísima Madre,
Padre Pat Mulcahy, Párroco

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*Kto chce iść za mną, musi się zaprzeć samego siebie,
niech weźmie swój krzyż i podąża za mną.
Bo kto chce zachować swoje życie, straci je,
ale kto straci życie z mojego powodu, znajdzie je.
Mt 16: 24-25*

Drodzy Bracia i Siostry w Chrystusie,

Podążanie za Jezusem jest najważniejszym wezwaniem w naszym życiu. Podążanie za Nim oznacza, że robimy to do czego nas wzywa i docieramy do ludzi, których umieszcza na naszej drodze; A wszystko to ze względu na Ewangelię. Ale podążanie za Jezusem oznacza również to, że jeśli robimy to wiernie, kończymy tam gdzie On, czyli w niebie, ostatecznym celu naszego życia.

O tej porze roku dzielimy się z wami naszym podsumowaniem finansowym parafii, które pokazuje nam, co razem osiągnęliśmy. W tym roku, jak można się spodziewać, mieliśmy niedobór, ale nie tak duży, jak myśleliśmy. Składki spadły, ale byliśmy w stanie obniżyć wydatki, aby pokryć braki finansowe. Wszystko to było oczywiście spowodowane skutkami pandemii, ponieważ dotknęła ona tak wielu z nas finansowo, a także fizycznie i emocjonalnie. Jestem wdzięczny tym parafianom, którzy pomogli nam w utrzymaniu, kontynuując swoją ofiarność. Nie macie pojęcia jak bardzo nam to pomogło, a ja jeszcze bardziej cieszyłem się gdy otrzymywałem miłe notki i listy, które niektórzy z was przesłali razem z ofiarą. To była piękna forma wsparcia gdy nie mogliśmy być razem. Wszyscy parafianie, bez względu na to czy byliście w stanie nadal wносить swój wkład, czy nie, wiedcie, że byliście i jesteście w moich modlitwach i modlitwach nas wszystkich tutaj, w kościele Najświętszej Marii Panny.

Jestem również wdzięczny naszemu wspaniałemu personelowi, który dokonał redukcji wydatków, o których wspominałem. Bez ich zdolności do szybkiego przystosowania się do zamknięcia w wyniku pandemii nie bylibyśmy w stanie sobie poradzić! Jestem im również wdzięczny, ponieważ od pierwszego tygodnia, gdy nie mogliśmy normalnie odprawiać Mszy św., udało nam się transmitować mszę na żywo i to był wzór dla innych parafii w diecezji. I jak być może zauważyliście, nasz personel uzupełnia nasze zapotrzebowanie na wolontariuszy do mszy, podczas ślubów, chrztów i pogrzebów. Wspaniale jest pracować z ludźmi, którzy kochają kościół i kochają naszych parafian tak samo jak ja.

Nie wiemy, jak będzie przebiegać pandemia w nadchodzących miesiącach. Może to zająć kilka miesięcy, a może więcej niż rok ciągłych ograniczeń. Wszyscy modlimy się, że koniec jest już na horyzoncie. Ale chcielibyśmy powoli wznowić sakramenty, planując więcej rozszerzeń, między innymi mogliśmy ponownie otworzyć naszą szkołę parafialną. W nadchodzących tygodniach i miesiącach ponownie przywrócimy nauczanie religii, bierzmowanie i duszpasterstwo młodzieży. Nadal rozpaczliwie potrzebujemy wolontariuszy, katechetów i mentorów dla nich wszystkich, więc proszę, wysłuchajcie wezwania i odpowiedzcie na nie. Każdy wolontariusz otrzyma odpowiednie przeszkolenie, wsparcie, materiały i dużo dużo miłości! Nie wspominając o bukiecie błogosławieństw, które z pewnością otrzyma od naszego Pana!

Chciałbym bardzo podziękować Wam za nieustające dzielenie się Waszym czasem, talentami i wsparciem dla naszej parafii. Nigdy nie bylibyśmy w stanie wielbić Pana, uczyć wiary i dotrzeć do potrzebujących bez was wszystkich, którzy pomagacie nam na tak wiele wspaniałych sposobów. Jeśli w tym roku zwiększysz swoje wsparcie w jakikolwiek sposób, będzie to miało ogromne znaczenie! Dziękuję za to, że nadal dajecie z siebie tak wiele i za Wasze wspaniałe świadectwo, ponieważ #wearesaintmarys!

Wasz w Chrystusie i Jego Najświętszej Matce,
Ojciec Pat Mulcahy, pastor

#wearesaintmarys - Financial Report

St. Mary Immaculate—Fiscal Year End Financial Statement Reports 2019-2020

Dear SMIP Parishioners,

As you read through the financial information provided here, you need to know that God has been watching over St Mary's. Without your help and the Government help with the Payroll Protection Program, we would be in a very different place. If you have not noticed please do pay attention to how hard Father Pat, our priests, deacons and especially our staff have worked to keep St. Mary's going strong. We very much continue to need your financial help to keep our Parish going. We want you to know how much we all miss being with you, our Faith Community, and hope to get to some normalcy sooner than later. For now, stay safe. I share with you now a poem that I consider most comforting (see Footprints In The Sand on the next page). These are the times when we are being carried. Stay Safe and God Bless.

Mike Kelly, Finance Council Chair

Twelve Months Ending June 30, 2020

	Actual				Budget
	Church	Rel Ed	School	Total	Total
Revenue:					
Sunday Collections	\$ 2,347,170.53	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 2,347,170.53	2,650,000
Other Collections	194,706.10	-	-	194,706.10	219,000
Fundraisers	(7,235.32)	-	159,612.40	152,377.08	170,000
Tuition and Fees	4,058.62	174,949.58	1,891,839.35	2,070,847.55	2,180,026
Other Unrestricted Revenue	53,387.06	-	34,123.49	87,510.55	58,940
Restricted Revenue	48,235.42	-	-	48,235.42	18,400
Debt Reduction	35,000.00	-	-	35,000.00	-
Total Revenue	\$ 2,675,322.41	\$ 174,949.58	\$ 2,085,575.24	\$ 4,935,947.23	5,296,366
Expenses:					
Salaries	\$ 780,899.79	\$ 290,872.54	\$ 1,438,078.54	\$ 2,509,850.87	2,591,784
Fringe Benefits	295,944.24	76,571.62	518,481.26	890,997.12	982,400
Repairs & Maintenance	50,148.41	26,378.08	53,362.06	129,888.55	132,470
Services	276,439.53	39,978.68	101,481.54	417,899.75	431,913
Materials & Supplies	158,021.88	25,219.31	95,523.65	278,764.84	381,525
Insurance	62,422.90	-	-	62,422.90	63,500
Utilities	99,599.28	43,330.43	73,032.90	215,962.61	231,392
Diocesan Assessment	166,186.50	-	-	166,186.50	183,132
Other Operating Expense	12,297.14	20,615.31	24,636.57	57,549.02	121,250
Capital Expenditures	13,278.54	-	-	13,278.54	47,000
Loan Principal	235,000.00	-	-	235,000.00	130,000
Loan Interest	-	-	-	-	-
Total Expenses	\$ 2,150,238.21	\$ 522,965.97	\$ 2,304,596.52	\$ 4,977,800.70	5,296,366
Net Revenue - Expenses					
Investment In Education-School & RE	\$ (567,037.67)	\$ 348,016.39	\$ 219,021.28	\$ -	(726,953)
Net Income (Loss)	\$ (41,953.47)	\$ -	\$ 0.00	\$ (41,953.47)	-

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Financially, we certainly have seen a drop in collections. Last year total revenue for the parish was \$311,000 under budget. However, we can assure you that the staff here have tightened out belts so that for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2020 we only had a New Loss of \$41,953. The School and total Religious Education programs were under their budgets by a total of \$158,000, which is astounding. Across the board, Parish expense areas were deeply curtailed as well, including cancellation of the outside janitorial services until just this August. Many areas of the parish were able to cut back spending allowing us to bring in the end of the year spending \$339,000 less than budget. Overall we believe that while we did have a loss this year it was far smaller than it certainly could have been considering the extreme circumstances we were under.

Fortunately, we were able to complete significant projects before the pandemic hit:

- Church carpeting installation was completed
- Last Supper/Naming Wall installed in the narthex
- Cana Hall votive light stand paid off
- LED lighting installed throughout the campus
- New textured floor installed in Cana Hall
- South end and teachers parking lots repaved
- Readiness Assessment successfully conducted
- #We are Saint Mary's Capital Campaign kicked off just before we were told to stay home
- Campus wide automatic door locking system installed
- New church video/live streaming cameras and equipment installed.

Our parishioners were also generous in second collections:

- Giving Tree extra donations given to:
 - Little Sisters of the Poor \$ 1,000
 - Plainfield Interfaith Food Pantry 1,000
 - Plainfield Ministerial Association 1,000
- St. Vincent De Paul 5,600
- Peter's Pence 4,523
- World Missions 1,048
- Campaign for Human Development 3,352
- Religious Retiree Fund 4,113
- Waterleaf 8,225
- Latin America 2,295
- Home Missions 1,024
- Catholic Relief Services 1,644
- Priests Care & Support 2,408
- CMAA 126,433

Thank you again for your most generous support of our parish. We continue to have need of your consistent weekly and monthly contributions and commitment to the #We are Saint Mary's Capital Campaign. We look forward to having these capital projects start this year including the sound system and choir areas to best assist us during liturgies.

Footprints in the Sand

*One night I dreamed a dream.
As I was walking along the beach with my Lord.
Across the dark sky flashed scenes from my life.
For each scene, I noticed two sets of footprints in the sand,
One belonging to me and one to my Lord.*

*After the last scene of my life flashed before me,
I looked back at the footprints in the sand.
I noticed that at many times along the path of my life,
especially at the very lowest and saddest times,
there was only one set of footprints.*

*This really troubled me, so I asked the Lord about it.
"Lord, you said once I decided to follow you,
You'd walk with me all the way.
But I noticed that during the saddest and most troublesome
times of my life,
there was only one set of footprints.
I don't understand why, when I needed You the most, You
would leave me."*

*He whispered, "My precious child, I love you and will never
leave you
Never, ever, during your trials and testings.
When you saw only one set of footprints,
It was then that I carried you."*

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Additional Information

Account Balance - Petty Cash	\$	800.00
Account Balance - Operating Account	\$	486,882.00
Account Balance - Queen of Hearts	\$	15,319.00
Account Balance - Diocesan Savings	\$	1,122.87
School Endowment	\$	69,627.00
Cemetery Income Care Account	\$	77,920.92
Tuition Receivable	\$	312.00

Deferred Revenue-CARES Act-PPP Loan	\$	639,085.00
Future Maintenance Reserves	\$	198,450.00
Deferred Tuition	\$	82,280.00
Payables	\$	25,834.00

Capital Campaign

Beginning Balance	\$	-
Receipts	\$	148,884.33
Expenses	\$	80,024.79
Ending Balance	\$	68,859.54

Mortgage Beginning Balance	\$	1,432,867.20
Payments from parishioner Mortgage donations	\$	(35,000.00)
Payments required through operating budget	\$	(200,000.00)
Current Mortgage Balance at 6/30/2020	\$	1,197,867.20

Cemetery

Interest Income	\$	2,894.00
Lot Sales		10,300.00
Columbarium Sales		1,000.00
Donation		200.00

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Total Revenue	\$	14,394.00
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Salary/Fringe Benefits	\$	11,737.00
Services		21,852.00
Materials & Supplies		436.00
Utilities		1,571.00

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Total Expenses	\$	35,596.00
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Net Loss	\$	(21,202.00)
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Parish Statistics

	6/30/2020	6/30/2019	6/30/2018
Registered Households	6,215	6,160	8,101
Baptisms	148	212	247
First Communions	5	179	208
Confirmations	229	232	287
Marriages	26	26	29
Funerals	88	78	95
Religious Education Students	1,030	1,116	1,128
Parish School Students	363	411	452

St. Mary Immaculate Catholic Church

Contributions by Amount Range: (07/01/2019 - 06/30/2020)

Fiscal Year 2019-2020 Results:

Amount Given		Number of Contributors	% of Contributors	% of Total Amt Given
\$0.01 - \$1.00	-	3166	53.45%	0.00%
\$1.01 - \$100.00	-	713	12.04%	1.20%
\$100.01 - \$250.00	-	392	6.62%	2.66%
\$250.01 - \$500.00	-	377	6.36%	5.27%
\$500.01 - \$750.00	-	257	4.34%	6.08%
\$750.01 - \$1,000.00	-	236	3.98%	7.76%
\$1,000.01 - \$1,500.00	-	379	6.40%	18.28%
\$1,500.01 - \$2,000.00	-	128	2.16%	8.48%
\$2,000.01 - \$3,000.00	-	136	2.30%	12.70%
\$3,000.01 - \$5,000.00	-	83	1.40%	12.08%
\$5,000.01 - \$10,000.00	-	45	0.76%	11.73%
\$10,000.01 - \$20,000.00	-	9	0.15%	4.02%
\$20,000.01 - \$1,000,000.00	-	2	0.03%	9.76%
Total:		5923		

Fiscal Year 2018-2019 Results:

Number of Contributors	% of Contributors	% of Total Amt Given
3073	51.43%	0.00%
716	11.98%	1.09%
380	6.36%	2.48%
387	6.48%	5.21%
269	4.50%	6.16%
255	4.27%	8.06%
432	7.23%	20.07%
162	2.71%	10.34%
144	2.41%	12.87%
94	1.57%	13.05%
51	85.00%	12.91%
9	15.00%	4.14%
3	5.00%	3.63%
5975		

Average contribution of those giving =
Average contribution of all families =

\$940.37
\$437.72

Average contribution of those giving =
Average contribution of all families =

\$930.95
\$452.16

Our Family in Faith

Please remember the sick and the confined of our parish community, especially...

Rosario Anaya, John Arduino, Margaret Birmingham, Anthony Blum, Marsha Bysak, Frank Carino Jr., Luz Contreras, Gloria Cook, Lois Costablile, Pat Cremeens, Patricia Cunningham, Lynette Dattomo, Mary Dickerson, Megan Dolan, , Maureen Dranger, Alexander Dynako, Rick Erwin, Deborah Fadden, Jean Fiaoni, Sue Flynn, Brandon Franklin, Dana Freund, Paul Gadomski, Frances Galasinski, Wayne Galasinski, Margaret Gee, Steven Gentili, Mary Lou Gist, Avery Gladkowski, Janice Gregoire, Jennifer Grimm, Mark Gualberto, Donald Hahn, Mary Hanna, Erinn Heines, Matt Hoch, Sue Hoch, Ken Hood, Pat Hood, Chris Jalove, Joe Jonish, Carmella Justice, Grant Justice, Michael J. Kelly, Kelly Kemp, Derek Khan, Donna Knight, Colleen Kowalke, Rita Kowalski, Lenita Krall, Lucille Lamb, Jeffrey Les, Zachary Loeffler, Rita Maksimik, Diane Markley, Michael Mardula, Shirley McBride, Margaret McCarthy, Lois McGowan, Gregory Mendoza, Amparo Mireles, Carmen Mireles, Elena A. Mireles, Raul Mireles, Benjamin Mollandin, Erik Mollandin, Kevin Moore, Michael Moravec, Wally Moskwa, Cheryl Muscato, Betty Nichols, Bob Nichols, Bobby Nichols, Sr. Roselyn Nichols, Lawrence Nonnie, Steve Obremski, Emmy Lou O'Connor, Patricia O'Donnell, Maria T. Olvera, Ella Page, MaryBeth Perkins, Corrine Pieroni, Willard Pisto, Jim Ptak, Joel Rivera, Catherine Ryba, Kathy Schipman, Cathy Schuller, Hayley Schwartz, Rose Marie Selke, Mya Singh, Tim Slayman, Roseanne Smith, Dan Sochan, Stevie Lynn Stock, John Szklarski, Maria Tejeda-Ortega, Gerard Titchenal, Bruce Trevillian II, Al Urban, Keith Urban, Aurora Vargas-Rubi, Florian (Butch) Zimecki

If you would like to add or remove a name from the prayer cross, please contact Pat Mander, Pastoral Minister at 815-436-2651 ext 893.



Please keep:
John Tokarz
and his family in your prayers.

In Memoriam



The 2020 Best of Will County Readers' Choice Awards!

Help St Mary Immaculate be The Herald News Best of Will County number one readers' choice!

Voting is open through September 30th. Vote once a day everyday. Vote online:

theherald-news.com/2020best

Campus Hours



Staff is working on campus in a limited capacity. We welcome visitors into the parish building during the week, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m., **by appointment only**. In keeping with the state's and diocese's current guidelines, we ask that any questions or requests that can be handled by phone or email, continue to be handled in that manner. Items such as registration forms or donations can be left in our drop box in front of the Commons doors.

All visitors must wear a face mask and check in with the Commons Receptionist.



Congratulations to the Newly Baptized...



JAMES DANIEL CRONIN

Son of Daniel & Stephanie (Boyle) Cronin

Welcome to Our New Parishioners

Thomas Kurzawski
Plainfield, IL

Eric & Emily Smith
Plainfield, IL

2 new household has registered at St. Mary Immaculate since September 6, 2020.

Lighting Prayer Intention Candles

For your donation of \$3.00, we will physically light one of the candles near the Adoration chapel for your intention and add your intention to a list in the online bulletin.

To request a prayer intention and make your donation, please go to smip.org/candles



In Honor Of:

Mike Bruyere
Soul of Janet Mlynek

Intentions:

For strength and healing after surgery
September 30



Full-Time Maintenance Position St. Mary Immaculate, Plainfield, IL

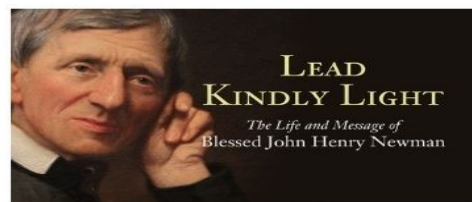
St. Mary Immaculate Parish in Plainfield has a full-time, benefitted position available in our maintenance/custodial department. Candidates must be able to lift 50 lbs., climb ladders and be in good physical condition. Work is inside and outside in various types of weather. All applicants are required to undergo a background check and complete the Protecting God's Children course, as required for all parish staff.

For more information, please contact Steve Perez, Building Services Supervisor, at 815-436-2651, ext. 820, or to be considered for the position, please send a cover letter and resume to sperez@smip.org.

FORMED
PICK OF THE WEEK

Lead Kindly Light

An influential teacher, a distinguished theologian, a man who endured many trials, a father of souls—Saint John Henry Newman (1801 - 1890) remains as fresh and relevant today as he was during his lifetime. In this engaging film, Fr. Nicholas Schofield and Fr. Marcus Holden, hosts of several other Ignatius films, present the inspiring story of Newman's life and visit the places in England where he lived and worked.



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SIGN UP FOR FREE AT SMIP.FORMED.ORG



We Are Re-opening!!!

Starting September 13, Lifeteen will be live and in person again!

Sundays 7-8:30pm

Open to all 9th-12th graders.

Check out our website www.smip.org/Lifeteen for more info about changes and to sign up.

Or contact Dianne Rostollan.

Mobile Food Pantry –September 16

Seeking Volunteers to

Help feed the hungry in our community



St. Mary's is the host site for a Mobile Food Pantry containing meats, fresh fruits and vegetables, as well as non-perishable items to feed 250 families in our community. Anyone in need can visit these mobile pantries; no ID is required.

Volunteers, 18 and over, needed to:

- Guide cars in the parking lot
- Push shopping carts of food boxes
- Load food into cars



Sign up at

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0c4baeaf2fa6fa7-mobile3>



Knights of Columbus Good Shepherd Council #5573

Intercessions for Life

For solidarity and peace in our global human family: that we may work together to protect the lives of those who are most vulnerable;

We pray to the Lord

Peticiones por La Vida

Por solidaridad y paz en nuestra familia humana del mundo entero: para que trabajemos juntos con el fin de proteger la vida de los que son más vulnerables;

Roguemos al Señor

Word of Life

“By our baptism, we are members of Christ’s body and sharers in his mission. Imitating Christ, we must care for all members of our communities, honoring each person as unique, sacred, and created in the image of God.”

- USCCB “Open Wide Our Hearts” bulletin insert
“Another Look at Abortion”



Palabra de Vida

“Así como amamos y cuidamos a los miembros de nuestra familia, también estamos llamados a cuidar a los miembros de la familia del cuerpo de Cristo. Estamos llamados a cuidar a todos nuestros hermanos y hermanas en Cristo, honrando a cada persona como única, sagrada y creada a imagen de Dios.”

- USCCB, Folleto para el boletín “Abramos nuestros corazones”





**DO SOMETHING
BEAUTIFUL FOR GOD!**

Pray for His Children

Start up of the RE School year:

Onsite Classes will begin Tuesday September 15, Wednesday September 16, Thursday September 17 and Saturday September 19.

Home School Families First parking lot pickup will be Saturday September 19 from 11:00 am until Noon.

Confirmation

OPENING MASS for all 7-12th grade students and families:

Sunday, September 20, Live streamed at 9:15 am, some tickets still available

- Sept. 21: Class for Year 2 RE students with their mentors, 7:00 - 8:30 pm
- Sept. 24: Class for Year 1 RE students with their mentors, 7:00 - 8:30 pm
- Sept. 27: High School class
- Sept. 28: First E-Learning Class emailed to RE students.

You can reach us at 815-436-2861 and via email at gwurster@smip.org



New Bible Study



SMI will offer a new kind of Bible Study this year. Our studies will become Bible Experiences in which people actually become participants in the stories of salvation history. The recipe for our Bible Experiences will focus on a large dollop of prayer, a smidge of Biblical interpretation, and a double helping of imaginative prayer. This is the way of St. Ignatius of Loyola.

One commentator proposed it in this way "In contemplation, we rely on our imaginations to place ourselves in a setting from the Gospel." We enter these bible stories not as a silent observer but as a participant. We see, hear, and smell the scene. We use all our senses. We interact with the characters, talk to them, and listen to them as well so to see them as real people.

Our first set of experiences will be **Women of Torah**. These are the brave women who believed in God and worked to make him known. It is based on the book "**Women of the Torah**" by Stephen Binz. The book is optional but a great resource for your personal library. The Bible Experiences will focus on the women who prepare us for Advent.

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Sessions: Wednesday 9-11 am with Zoom. Wednesday evening 7-9 pm with Zoom.

Register at <https://smip.org/bible-study-women-of-torah/> or djfiday@comcast.net

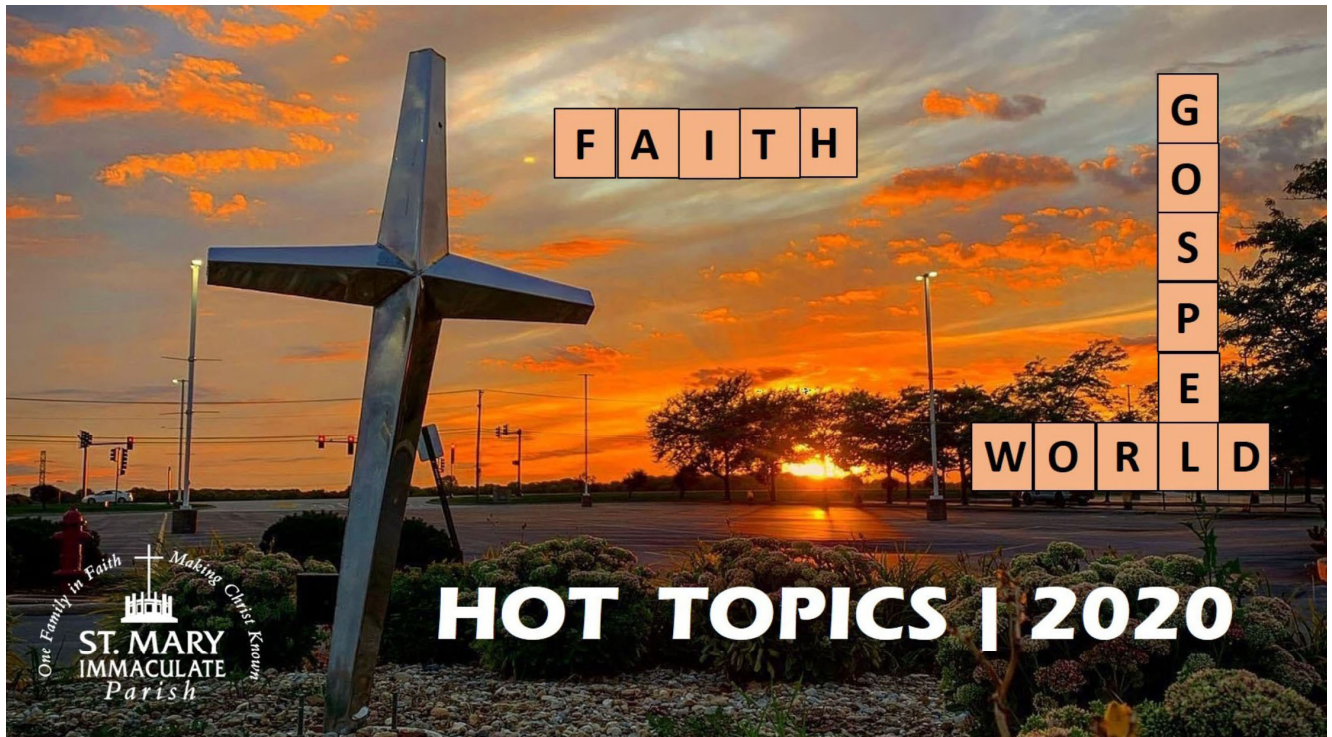
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Join us from home for the St. Mary Immaculate Church **2020 HOT TOPICS SERIES**

Our Faith in Christ leads us to bring the Gospel to the World
Tuesday evenings 7:00—8:30 PM via Zoom

Schedule:

- Sept 15 **Civil Discourse in a Polemic Age | Faithful Citizenship in an Election Year**
- Sept 22 **Pro-Life from Conception to Natural Death**
- Sept 29 **Racism and Racial Justice**
- Oct 6 **Immigration and Refugee Issues**
- Oct 13 **Care for Our Common Home | Climate Change**
- Oct 20 **Criminal Justice Reform | Restorative justice**
- Oct 27 **LGBT and Gender Equality Issues**

All are invited to join us for these discussions from home via Zoom.

Pre-registration is necessary to receive the meeting specific link to the Zoom meeting via e-mail. Instructions for joining the Zoom meetings will be sent to all who register. A free will offering will be asked to help cover the costs of the series.

Register at smip.org/hottopics

The Hot Topics sessions will guide us on how to think about these topics as Catholics and followers of Jesus Christ; they will be in a format of DIALOGUES and not Debates.

Sponsored by the Witness Commission of

St. Mary Immaculate Parish

www.smip.org 815-436-2651

15629 S Route 59 || Plainfield



ARE YOU HUNGRY?

If you don't have enough to eat, Northern Illinois Food Bank's Mobile Pantry can help.

Northern Illinois Food Bank's Mobile Pantry distributes nutritious food in high-need areas.

Food is free to low-income neighbors in need.

Please bring bags or boxes in which to package your food.



Food is distributed on a first-come, first served basis, while supplies last.



For additional food resources, visit www.SolveHungerToday.org/GetHelp



Date: Wednesday, September 16, 2020

Time: 5 PM - 6:30 PM

Location: St. Mary Immaculate Parish

Address: 15629 IL Rte. 59, Plainfield, IL 60544

**bags or boxes will be provided as this will be a drive-through style distribution*



¿NECECITA USTED ALIMENTOS?

Si usted no alcanza lo suficiente para sustentar su comida, la Despensa Móvil de Northern Illinois Food Bank puede ayudarle.

La Despensa Móvil de Northern Illinois Food Bank distribuye comida nutritiva en lugares con necesidades altas.

La comida es gratis para vecinos con necesidad y de bajo ingresos.

Favor de llevar cajas o bolsas para empacar su comida.



La comida se distribuye por orden de llegada, hasta agotar la existencia.



Feeding Our Hungry Neighbors

Para recursos adicionales de comida, visite www.solvehungertoday.org/gethelp



Fecha: Miércoles 16 de septiembre de 2020

Hora: 5 a 6:30 PM

Lugar: Iglesia de Santa Maria Inmaculada

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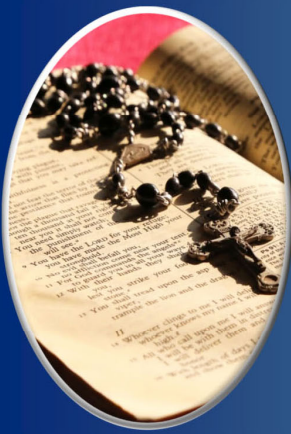
**Nosotros le proveeremos bolsas y cajas ya que se le entregará su comida en su auto directamente.*



Adult Faith Formation

"Every disciple of the Lord Jesus shares in this mission (to proclaim and witness to the Good News of Jesus). To do their part, adult Catholics must be mature in faith and well equipped to share the Gospel, promoting it in every family circle, in every church gathering, in every place of work, and in every public forum. They must be women and men of prayer whose faith is alive and vital, grounded in a deep commitment to the person and message of Jesus."

#2 – Our Hearts Were Burning. USCCB.



Adult Faith Formation, then, is the lifelong process of finding and falling in love with God in the midst of our human lives. Every one of us, by virtue of our Baptism, is on a lifelong journey of faith. Consequently, Adult Faith Formation has as its purpose to support, nourish, and challenge adults as they explore their faith, experience its power, grow in relationship with God. Thus, we strive here at St. Mary Immaculate Parish, to offer, plan, and implement a wide variety of faith forming programs and opportunities for all adults.

What are the goals of Adult Faith Formation?

The U.S. Bishops outline three key goals of Adult Faith Formation (OHWB #67-73):

1. Inviting and enabling ongoing conversion to Jesus in holiness of life:
 - helping adults acquire an attitude of conversion to the Lord
 - leading adults to repentance of sin, reconciliation through the sacraments and deepening faith in Jesus
2. Promoting and supporting active membership in the Christian community:
 - helping adults make a conscious and firm decision to live the faith through membership in the Christian community
 - inviting and supporting baptized adults in their co-responsibility for the Church's mission and life
3. Calling and preparing adults to act as disciples in mission to the world
 - inviting baptized adults to evangelization and justice in the world

2020



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THE 99 EXPERIENCE

Over the past several months, something powerful has been happening in our parish. Many of us who serve in ministry at St. Mary Immaculate have been gathering to grow in our faith and learn how we can become an even stronger and more inviting parish community. We would like to invite all of you to *The 99 Experience*, a powerful mission event that will be a springboard for our entire parish to deepen our faith as we grow in identity, purpose, and community. *The 99 Experience* is for *everyone*, even those who are currently not active in their faith and would need you to invite them. Prayerfully consider who you know who would benefit from attending *The 99 Experience* and invite them.

Tuesday Mornings, 9:30 - 11:30 AM:

October 13

October 20

October 27

or

Wednesday Evenings, 7:00 - 9:00 PM:

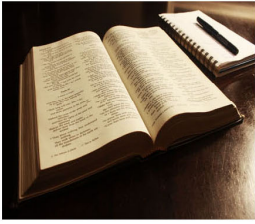
October 14

October 21

October 28



LECTIO DIVINA: PRAYING THE SCRIPTURES



Lectio Divina (literally divine reading) is a way of becoming immersed in the Scriptures very personally. Lectio Divina was first introduced by St. Gregory of Nyssa (c 330- 395), and also encouraged by St. Benedict of Nursia (c 480-547), the founder of the Benedictine order. It's a way of developing a closer relationship with God by reflecting prayerfully on His words. In Lectio Divina, the chosen spiritual text is read four times in total, giving an opportunity to think deeply about it and respond thoughtfully. When we practice Lectio Divina, we can imagine we're actually involved in the events of Scripture.

Join us each week as we delve into the origins of this spiritual practice and practice it .



10/1 - Session 1: Introduction and overview. We will examine prayer as a relationship between us and the trinity. We will also examine the history of the Lectio Divina practice. Then we will examine the distinction between Centering Prayer and Lectio.

10/8 - Session 2: This session will focus on the first two movements of the Lectio-Divina prayer. We will practice these movements and there will be time for sharing insights.

10/15 - Session 3: In this session we will review the first two movements of Lectio-Divina but our main focus will be on the third and fourth movements of the prayer. As before in session 2, we will practice these movements and there will be time for sharing insights.

10/22 - Session 4: Putting it all together. We will review all four movements of Lectio and do some practicing and again sharing of insights. Lastly, we will explore what are the next steps.

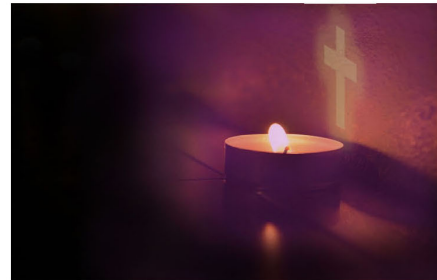
Sessions are Thursday Evenings from 7:00 - 9:00 PM with Zoom.

ADVENT

LIGHT OF THE WORLD - A Beginner's Guide to Advent

This study will explore the biblical texts surrounding the story of the birth of Jesus. Join us as we trace the Christmas narrative through the stories of Zechariah and Elizabeth, Mary, the journey to Bethlehem, and the visit from the Magi. These stories open conversations around connections of the Gospel stories to the Old Testament, the role of women in first-century Jewish culture, the importance of Mary's visitation and the revolutionary implications of Mary's Magnificat, the census and the stable, and the star of Bethlehem and the flight into Egypt.

Wednesdays 9:00 - 11:00 AM or Wednesdays 7:00 - 9:00 PM with Zoom:
NOVEMBER 11, 18, DECEMBER 2, 9



WOMEN'S ADVENT TEA



Join us for a **virtual** Advent Women's Tea **on Thursday, December 10 at 7:00 PM**. We will have a wonderfully enlightening talk given by Meg Bucaro as she shares insights and thoughts on: **Heaven Help Me! Finding Christ (or Peace) in the Chaos of Christmas.**

Meg is a college instructor, wife to "the Hubs", Mom of three energetic children and a highly skilled PB&J sandwich maker, Meg shares the ups and downs of Motherhood in her candidly humorous writings and speaking programs. She will share how Moms can maintain a life with less stress and more peace by leaning on their Catholic faith.

2021

Happy New Year



WINTER STUDY - Explore the most popular sermon ever delivered!

The Sermon on the Mount, Matthew 5-7, contains some of Jesus' most profound and most memorable teachings. What might these teachings have meant to his disciples and to the others who first heard them? How do they enhance our reading of the rest of the Gospel of Matthew, and how do they speak across the centuries to listeners today? How, if we pay careful attention to his words, does Jesus provide us a road map to living as God would have us live?

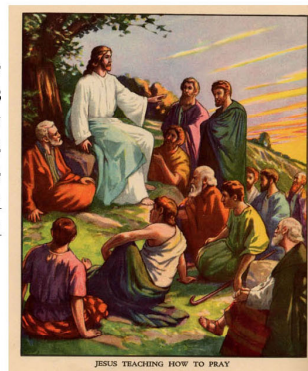
This is a 6-week study. One of the weeks, Biblical Scholar and Author, Dr. Amy-Jill Levine, will join us live!

Wednesdays, 9:00 - 11:00 AM with Zoom or Wednesdays, 7:00 - 9:00 PM with Zoom:
January 6, 13, 20, 27 and February 3, 10

PRAYING THE "OUR FATHER" WITH JESUS

Michael Simone, S.J. (Professor of Theology @ Boston College) helps us view the Lord's Prayer through Jesus's eyes. This is a personal project that Fr. Simone pursues in addition to his academic research and writing. Simone reminds us that the library of books we call the Hebrew Bible or the "Old Testament" was the only Bible Jesus knew. As Simone explores selected phrases or segments from the "Our Father," he points us to passages and words that may have captivated the mind of Jesus when Jesus uttered that prayer. Simone's reflections demonstrate to the modern Christian believer just how powerful a source of revelation the Hebrew Bible continues to be.

Join us on Thursday Evenings at 7:00 PM for this Four-part series:
January 21, 28 and February 4, 11



LENTEN STUDY - A Beginner's Guide to Holy Week

Jesus' final days were full of risk. Every move he made was filled with anticipation, danger, and the potential for great loss or great reward. Jesus risked his reputation when he entered Jerusalem in victory parade. He risked his life when he dared to teach in the temple. His followers risked everything when they left behind their homes, or anointed him with costly perfume. We take risks as we read and re-read these stories, finding new meanings and new challenges.

In *Entering the Passion of Jesus: A Beginner's Guide to Holy Week*, a 6-week study, Author and Biblical Scholar Amy-Jill Levine explores the biblical texts surrounding the Passion story.

Sessions with Zoom: Wednesdays, 9:00 - 11:00 am or Wednesdays, 7:00 - 9:00 pm.
February 24 and March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31

More details on these and how to register in the bulletin and on the SMIP website.



- Dozens of meaningful, family-oriented service projects are offered here at SMI and all around the community.
- It's a great opportunity for everyone to come together in loving service and fellowship!

October 17th Schedule of Events

- 9:00 a.m.
Daily Mass in the Church
- 9:30 a.m.
Volunteer Blessing in the Church
- 9:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Perform your service project some time during the day
- 4:00 p.m.
Vigil Mass in the Parking Lot

Make a Difference Day Service Projects

Listed below are service project options, grouped by where they take place: either outside at SMI, in your own home, or elsewhere in the community. Projects are scheduled at various start times throughout the morning and afternoon. Visit www.smip.org/MaDD to get all the details including specific start/end times, any restrictions, special requests, and contact info for each project. Go online to sign up yourself and your family for a service project on **Saturday, October 17!**

October 13 Project

Northern IL Mobile Food Pantry (Parking Lot)	3:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.
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SMI Indoor Projects

Knights of Columbus Blood Drive (Gym)	9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
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SMI Outdoor Projects

Eucharistic Adoration (Outside Church) - 5 Shifts	9:30 a.m.-Noon
Kids Crafts—Making Cards for Nursing Homes (Outside School) - 5 Shifts	9:30 a.m.-Noon
Roving Photographer Indoors/Outdoors	9:30 a.m.-Noon
Donation Station (Bus Lane Behind School off Frederick St.)	9:30 a.m.-2:00 p.m.
Decorating Pumpkins Project (Outside School) - 8 Shifts	10:00 a.m.-1:50 p.m.

Home Projects

Linden Oaks Stress Blankets	9:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
Legion of Mary Rosary Making	9:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

Community Projects

Ready Set Ride Barn Cleaning (Essington Rd), 1 shift	9:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
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Scout Projects

Families in Boy Scout Troop 19/Crew (Clean up Cemetery & Holistic Center/Rectory south) sign up with your Scout leader.





Donation Station

- Extend the reach of your service!
- Bring a few items to support any of these 10 stations representing charitable organizations, services & ministries.
- Drop off location is behind SMI School in the large circle drive (bus lane).

Also October 17th Blood Drive!

Sign up for a time to donate blood from 9 am-1 pm in the GYM and help save a life!

Misericordia Home

Items for Misericordia which supports individuals with developmental disabilities in an environment that fosters spirituality, dignity, respect and enhancement of quality of life.

- Dove Soap
- Containers to Hand Soap
- **New** T-Shirts Adult S M L
- White Socks
- Toothbrushes
- Tarter Control Toothpaste
- Hair Brushes
- Combs
- Detangle Spray
- Soft Cloth Headbands

Plainfield Interfaith

Food Pantry

Items for our local food pantry, which has a substantial need at this time of year. Any items, but especially these.

- Canned Pumpkin/Yams
- Stuffing Mix
- Canned Corn/Green Beans
- Cream of Mushroom Soup
- French Fried Onions
- Cranberry Sauce
- Jell-O/Pudding
- Chicken/Turkey Broth/Gravy
- Turkey Size Roasting Bags
- Instant Potatoes

Pop Tabs for Ronald McDonald House

Items for Deacon Jim's ongoing project to help the families of hospitalized children via Ronald McDonald House Charities. United Scrap Metal matches the tabs to double the amount we give!

- Pop tabs

Waterleaf

Items help young mothers facing unplanned pregnancies; must be new.

- Small Sized Board Books
- Teething Items
- Small Rattles
- Pacifiers
- Gift Cards in any amount for Gas, Food, Ride Share, Big Box Stores

Nursing Homes

Items appropriate for seniors will be delivered to area nursing homes.

- Travel Cup W/Straw
- Toothpaste
- Pens
- Large Print Puzzle Books
- **New** Gloves
- **New** Hats
- **New** Scarves

Guardian Angel Home

Items help those affected by domestic violence. October is Domestic Violence month.

- Garbage Bags (13 gal. & 30 gal.)
- Dish soap
- Diapers Size 4, 5, 6
- Paper Towels
- Kleenex
- Lysol Wipes
- Toilet Paper
- Empty Spray Bottles (for cleaning solution)
- Liquid Hand Soap
- Hand Sanitizer
- New Twin Sheets Sets (white preferred)
- H.E Laundry Detergent -Powder
- Dryer Sheets & Fabric Softener
- Dish Towels/Sponges
- Ziploc Bags (Quart & Gallon)
- Women's Deodorant
- Women's Razors/Shave Gel
- Shampoo/Conditioner
- Band Aides/Neosporin
- Adult Incontinence Products, (Undergarments & Pads
- Umbrella's
- Women's New Underwear size 12 & up
- Paper Plates, Plastic Silverware, Cups, Bowls, Ect.
- Batteries (Especially AA & AAA)
- Office Supplies

Animal Shelters

Items for two local animal shelters; Joliet Township Animal Control and Help Save Pets through the Animal Care Center of Plainfield.

- Cat Litter
- Cat/Kitten Dry Food
- Dog/Puppy Dry Food
- Old Unstuffed Blankets/Towels
- Toys (slightly used or new)
- Treats

Tattered and Torn Flags

Flags will be collected for proper disposal.

- Old US Flags

Lions Club

Recycle your old eyeglasses or hearing aids and change someone's life!

- Glasses/Sunglasses/Clips
- Hearing aids

St. Vincent de Paul

- New or Gently Used Coats - Adult & Children



Contact and General Information

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RELIGIOUS ED. Pre-K through 6th Grade 815-436-4501 *Confirmation* 815-436-2861
PARISH SCHOOL OFFICE 815-436-3953

PARISH PRIESTS*

Pastor: Fr. Patrick Mulcahy – 813
Associate: Fr. Ramon Sida – 848
In Residence: Fr. John Regan – 802
**In a Pastoral Emergency call our main number 1-815-436-2651 and select option 7.*

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Deacon Mike Perkins – 480
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Parish Secretary: Monica Harness – 800

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Admin. Asst.: Kris Hitchins – 812
Secretary: Hope Bohlin – 830

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