

Oct 11th, 2020 - 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

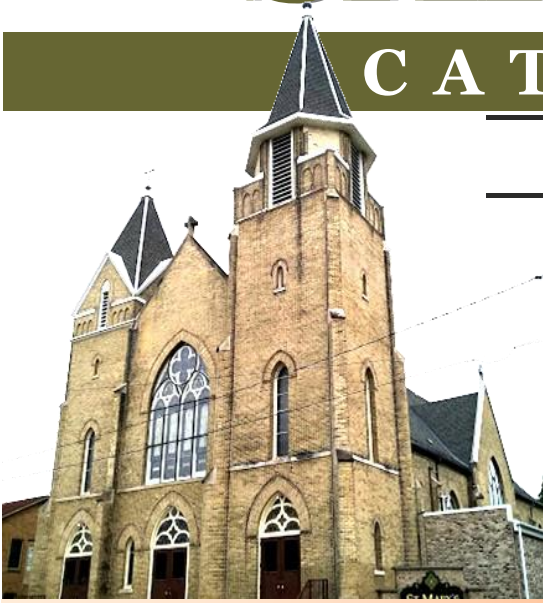
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### MASS SCHEDULE

#### Weekdays

Tuesday 5:30 pm

Wed, Thurs, & Fri 8:30 am

#### Weekends

Saturday 7:00 pm

Sunday 9:00 am & 1:00 pm

#### Adoration

Wed, Thurs & Fri 8:00 - 8:30 am

#### Confessions

Tuesday 5:00 pm

Saturday 6:00 pm

#### Rosary

Saturday 6:35 pm

Sunday 8:35 am

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***“Go out, therefore, into the main roads  
and invite to the feast whomever you find.***

***The servants went out into the streets  
and gathered all they found, bad and good alike,  
and the hall was filled with guests.”***



## Mass Intentions

### **Tuesday, October 13**

5:30 pm † Merlin & Mary Marshall  
By: Family

### **Wednesday, October 14**

8:30 am † Francis Honish  
By: Mike & Marshia Horkan

### **Thursday, October 15**

8:30 am † Holy Souls in Purgatory  
By: Angela Dziewior

### **Friday, October 16**

8:30 am † Gene Delmore  
By: Betty Delmore

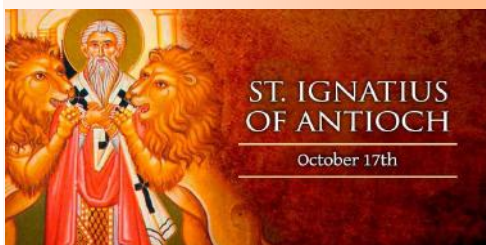
### **Saturday, October 17**

7:00 pm † Leo & Florence Drea  
By: Family

### **Sunday, October 18**

9:00 am † Joseph & Lillian Rogge  
By: Jay & Wendy Rhyner

1:00 pm Parishioner Mass



## Upcoming Events

### **Parish Finance Council**

Oct 13th at 6:30 pm

### **Fr. Clayton on Vacation**

Oct 19th - 30th

**\*No Mass Oct 19-23\***

### **All Saints Day Mass**

Nov 1st, 9:00 am

### **Parish Pastoral Council**

Nov 10th at 6:30 pm

### **Ladies Flower Night!**

Nov 12th at 6:30 pm

### **Thanksgiving Mass**

Nov 26th at 8:30 pm



## Within the Word - Keep the Faith!

Friends, in light of all the things going on in our country; from the pandemic to the election, I invite you to stay the course...What I mean by that, is keep doing what you're doing, keep practicing safe ways to go about your day and keep praying for relief—more than anything friends, now is the time to hunker down and pray the rosary like never before. PLEASE pray every day, pray the rosary! Do not let the outside world (all things considered) influence, affect and shape your daily lives at home. There are many positive things still going on in the world, (just look at the recent peace talks & alliances formed in the middle East) there are many happenings that are simply out of our control, and so I ask you to keep Faith & PRAY; pray & keep this all in mind when it comes to being 'pro-active.' The best fatherly advice I can give is for everyone to simply pray & have Faith...



I know everyone is tense and concerned, (rightly so) of all the things going on. Events and information at hand are raising our fears and anxieties, but giving into fear is never the answer, especially with an amazing faith like ours. We have God! We have HIM! We have him inside, beside & outside. We even have Him in the form of FOOD! Yes, we have a global pandemic!? Yes, we have an insane election year filled with visceral craziness. But Fear?! No, I say hold fast and have Faith! Remember Mary who watched her son be crucified? Remember how it must have been for her to accept the evil and craziness unfolding before her very eyes; the thing is, Mary kept strong to her Faith...

The devil uses fear & our anxieties to his advantage. The enemy uses fear to influence & tempt man into many things, especially despair and giving into doubt...I say, "Keep the Faith!" When we doubt we express the wrong attitude in Christ; we should be able to trust Him right? Of course He's God and He loves us! We should return that Love with childlike faith. We can depend on Jesus, the Holy Spirit and God the Father to get His church through this—most especially when it comes to the matter of illness, disease and death. As Catholics we have the Resurrection... **We belong to God! We are His People!**

In the Church, our faith celebrates death, not in a morbid way but a victorious way. We're not afraid of losing ourselves to disease because we have Jesus the resurrected Christ. We mustn't slide into complacency, doubt and despair, but be pro-active, positive and persistent in prayer. Prayer is the way out of this pandemic...and praying the Rosary (outside of Mass) is the most powerful way to do it. As Jesus says at the end of this week's parable, "Many are called, but few are chosen." If we are all called to live our lives in Christ, (who conquers all things) then we should not give into fear and doubt. Nobody can live in fear for the rest of their lives, and living in doubt is not the answer. Giving up the Faith & being afraid of the outside world and all it contains, is no way to live.

Friends, Jesus invites everyone to the wedding feast. Don't reject Christ, prayer and His Church; Reach out and embrace Him....and all that He's offering. Now is the time to pray like your lives depend on it.

*F. Clayton*

Where's Father Clayton? Can you find him? He's hiding around here somewhere...and no it's not at the 1 pm mass or the wedding... Good luck : P





## October is the Month of the Holy Rosary!

The Blessed Virgin Mary promised to Saint Dominic and to all who follow that "Whatever you ask in the Rosary will be granted." She left for all Christians Fifteen Promises to those who recite the Holy Rosary.

**Throughout the month of October we will publish the 15 promises in 4 parts because of their length.**

5. Those who trust themselves to me through the Holy Rosary will not perish an unhappy death.

6. Whoever shall recite the Rosary devoutly, shall never be conquered by misfortune.

7. Those truly devoted to my Rosary shall not die without the sacraments of the Church.

8. Those who are faithful to recite my Rosary shall have during their life and at their death the light of God and the plenitude of His graces and will share in the merits of the blessed.

"By this devotion we give to Jesus all we can possibly give him, and in the most perfect manner, that is, through Mary's hands." —St. Louis de Montfort



## St. Mary's Prayer List

Mildred Blank,  
Vinnie Bellock,  
Joan Burch; Joan,  
Henry, William &  
John Elmhurst,  
Jim & Adela Ha-

gen, Elizabeth Hall, Roseanne Kenneth, Gloria Kramer, Helena Kwit & Family, Mary Claire Marshall, Anna McGowan, Courtney Miller, Lizzie Mitchell, Tony Oldigs, Lucille Ryczek, Charlotte Rybicki, Leo Schneider, George & Jeri Smith, Jane Torgerson, Rosalee Verette, William Zenk, those who are sick, unemployed, in need & all families who are suffering in any way; from violence, illness, cancer, uncertainty, anxieties & the end of the COVID-19 pandemic; Families & Friends Please Pray the Rosary!!

## PRO-LIFE ROSARIES WITH THE BISHOPS OF WISCONSIN

**LIVE-STREAMED  
FIVE CONSECUTIVE SUNDAYS**

**7:30 -8:00 PM**

**Oct 11** Bishop Donald Joseph Hying  
Diocese of Madison

**Oct 18** Bishop David Laurin Ricken  
Diocese of Green Bay

**Oct 25** Bishop James Patrick Powers  
Diocese of Superior

**Nov 1** Archbishop Jerome Edward Listcki  
Archdiocese of Milwaukee

To participate in these live-streamed Rosaries visit: [www.dioc.org/live](http://www.dioc.org/live)

## Financial Stewardship

October 4th, 2020

Adult Envelopes.....\$2408.00

Student Envelopes.....\$7.00

Offertory.....\$526.00

Utilities.....\$200.00

Votive Candles.....\$131.00

**Total \$3,272.00**

**Weekly Budget \$2,548.07**

(164 registered families)

### Year-to-date\*

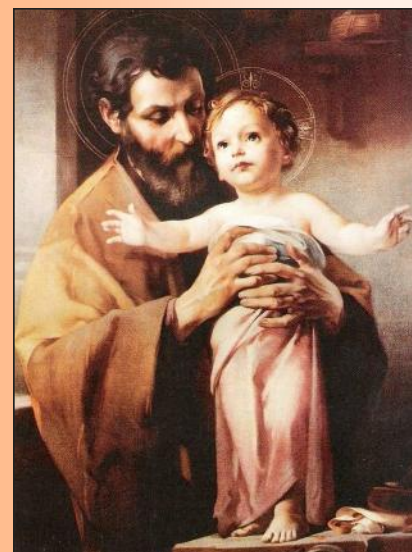
Budgeted \$35,673.61

Contributed \$39,986.85

## Time to go to St. Joseph

St. Joseph protected the Holy Family & we can trust ourselves, to him at a time when examples of fatherhood are so needed. We can ask him to help strengthen our families – as well as the bonds of our parish family during this time of hardship.

-St. Joseph, Pray for us!



## Floor Project

Parishioners' Goal: \$75,000

Total Received: \$68,625

Percent of Goal received: 91.50%

## Annual Appeal

Goal: \$14,380

Total Pledged & Received: \$14,380.00

Percent of Goal pledged: 100%

## Where's Fr. Clayton?

27th Sunday - Page 4 Mid Left

26th Sunday - Page 3 Upper Left

25th Sunday - Page 2 Upper Right

24th Sunday - Page 2 Lower Right

## Forming Consciences



St. John Paul II explained the importance of being true to fundamental Church teachings:

*"Above all, the common outcry, which is justly made on behalf of human rights—for example, the right to health, to home, to work, to family, to culture—is false and illusory if the right to life, the most basic and fundamental right and the condition for all other personal rights, is not defended with maximum determination."* (Christifideles Laici, no. 38)

-Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship, No.26



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