Dec. 27th, 2020 - The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

# SAINT MARY'S

### CATHOLIC CHURCH

117 JUNEAU STREET N. • LYNDON STATION, WI 53944

### Fr. Clayton Elmhorst

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### Parish Office

#### Hours

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### **MASS SCHEDULE**

### Weekdays

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**

Saturday 6:00 pm

#### Rosarv

Saturday 6:35 pm Sunday 8:35 am

### PASTORAL COUNCIL

Pat Mitchell (Chair)
Jeanette Crowley (Secretary)
Jerome Senzig, Sandy Madland,
Joan Holig-McCormick, &
Linda Lochner

### FINANCE COUNCIL

Kim Betthauser (Chair) Sheri Guyse (Secretary), Jim Cauley, Cory Holig, & Tanya Walsh



The child's father and mother were amazed at what was said about him; and Simeon blessed them and said to Mary his mother, "Behold, this child is destined for the fall and rise of many in Israel, and to be a sign that will be contradicted and you yourself a sword will pierce so that the thoughts of many hearts may be revealed."

### Mass Intentions

Tuesday,

**December 29** 

5:30 am Private Mass

By: Fr. Clayton

Wednesday, December 30

8:30 am

Special Intention By: Ostrowski Family

Thursday, December 31

8:30 am + Holy Souls in Purgatory

By: Angela Dziewior

Friday,

January 1

9:00 am + Holy Souls in Purgatory By: Angela Dziewior

Saturday,

January 2

7:00 pm

The health of Kathy & Maria Rose

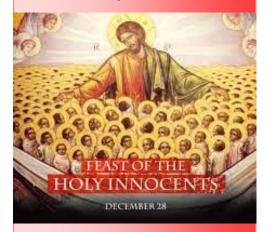
By: Friends

Sunday, 9:00 am

1:00 pm

January 3 **Parishioner Mass** 

Molly Sparby By: Sauter Sisters



### **Upcoming Events**

Solemnity of Mary, **Mother of God** January 1st at 9:00 am

Fr. Clayton on leave until further notice: January 1st, 2020

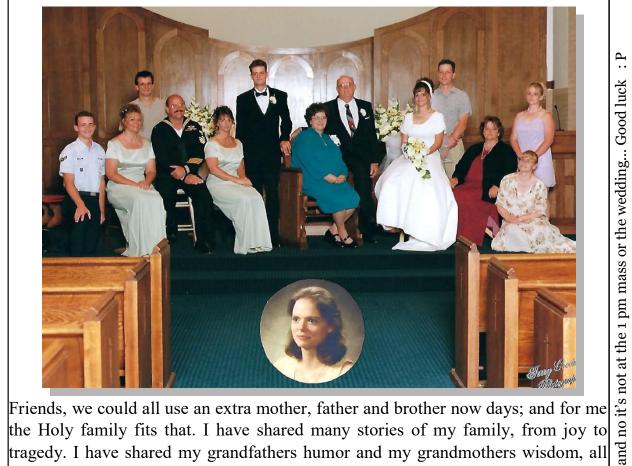
**Parish Pastoral Council** Canceled: Future date coming

**Parish Finance Council** February 9th at 6:30 pm

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Gloria in Excel sheets

Within the Word - The Holy Family is also...Our Holy Family



tragedy. I have shared my grandfathers humor and my grandmothers wisdom, all of which formed me into the man you call father. It has been nothing but a blessing. Being orphaned in life and brought into a home, my mothers mothers home, and passed around the family six ways from Sunday, was an incredible adventure.

Being raised by an aunt one week and an uncle the next, then dropped off at your great aunt and uncles...was the norm for my sister and I. This wasn't intended to be perceived as unwanted, or I being too much to handle, (I'll be honest that last part is a bit true) But mostly I feel it was because I was wanted and loved, by everyone. Everyone in the family wanted to help raise us. And so they did, mostly because my family deeply cared for my sister and I; and yes it had a lot to do with playing together with my 5 dozen cousins -to me and everyone It was all family. We didn't think of it any other way. All of my aunts and uncles homes were my home. I was never home sick. I was always taken care of. It was a unique childhood, and one I would never take back. My grandparents are the most courageous and leving would never take back. My grandparents are the most courageous and loving peo-

ple I know. They brought my sister and I into their already full home and loved us until we grew wings and left...(and then came back). We were one big happy (trying to be) holy family. What I want to share folks, is that this is, exactly how I feel as the spiritual father and shepherd of St. Mary's Parish. You're my family.

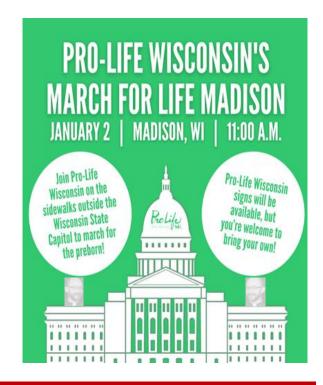
I have also had the wonderful pleasure of being mothered by hundreds of woman, from St. Philips in Rudolph to St. Bronz in Plover, from Queen of the Apostles in Tomah, to my home here at St. Mary's. Having people in your lives becomes family, whether friends or distant relatives, parishioners or neighbors, we're all made in the image of God, our creator; and we are all brothers and sisters in His Son. This kinship gives us the familial right to call God, 'Our Father,' and His son Jesus Christ our Brother; as well as St. Joseph our foster father and lastly Mary the Queen of the Universe our Mother. Just think about that for a second...seriously. Queen of the Universe our Mother. Just think about that for a second...seriously. Being family and being loved is all we need. It's all that matters. I invite you this Christmas to reflect on the most important treasures of your life...and for me it's the Holy Family....my home family....an all of my Parish families. I would never trade a single moment of it for anything. This is my Christmas present. It's what I have found to be what I hold dear. Take time to do the same. I promise you will be surprised at just how special it really all is...

## Christmas Flower Memorials

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In Memory of:	By:
Beloved husband, father and grandfather Stephen Bellock	Steve & Anna Bellock
Cauley & O'Donnell Families	Jim & Carol Cauley
Charles & Catherine Hall, Charles Hall Jr., & Robert Hall	Elizabeth Hall
Deceased Members of the Crowley & Hawley Families	Leo & Jeanette Crowley
Deceased Members of the Crowley & Howley Families	Family
Deceased Members of the Gerez & Hamus Families	Cindy Hamus
Departed Relatives & Friends	Mary Jean Cauley
Donna Fitzgerald	Eugene Fitzgerald & Family
Emily Weyers	Tom & Debbie Weyers Family
Family & Friends of Don & Pat Rogge	Don & Pat Rogge
Francis Senzig Sr., Julie Senzig, Karen Senzig, Rowena Kimball	Senzig Family
Gerhard Kolb	Tom & Debbie Weyers Family
Hall & Donovan Families	Jim & Judy Hall
Hall & Mitchell Family	Natty Kranz
James Nate	Mary Jane & Linda Nate
John Hall, Clarence & Rose Hall Family and Martin & Mary Mitchell Family	Rita Hall Family
McGowan & Doran Family	Jim & Anna McGowan
Mike, Mary, & Patty Coughlin	The Coughlin Family
Ronald Dombroski Sr. & Barbara Marusin	Rachel Dombroski
The Cauley, Mitchell, Lochner, & Elms Families	Pete & Linda Lochner
Tim Weyers	Tom & Debbie Weyers Family
For the health of Father Clayton	Mike, Darlene, & Mikey

### **Get Your Offertory Envelopes**

As we close out the year we ask that you pick up your 2021 contribution envelopes. The envelope boxes are in alphabetical order and in the back of the church. Please save the parish the expense of mailing your envelopes. TY!!



### St. Mary's Prayer List

Mildred Blank, Vinnie Bellock, Joan Burch; Joan, Henry, Bill, William, Clayton & John Elmhorst, Jim & Adela Hagen, Elizabeth Hall, Roseanne Kenneth, Gloria Kramer, Helena Kwit & Family, Mary Claire Marshall, Anna McGowan, Courtney Miller, Lizzie Mitchell, Tony Oldigs, Lucille Ryczek, Charlotte Rybicki, Marjorie Senzig, George & Jeri Smith, Jane Torgerson, Rosalee Verette, William & Jackie Zenk, Nancy Zingsheim, those who are sick, unemployed, in need & all families who are suffering in any way; from illness, cancer, uncertainty, anxieties & to the end of the COVID-19 pandemic; Families & Friends please... Pray the Rosary!!

### **Financial** Stewardship

December 20, 2020

Adult Envelopes	\$3032.00
Student Envelopes	\$5.00
Offertory	\$350.00
Holy Days	\$30.00
Utility Fund	\$50.00
Votive Candles	<u>\$36.00</u>
Total	\$3,503.00

Weekly Budget \$2,548.07

(164 registered families)

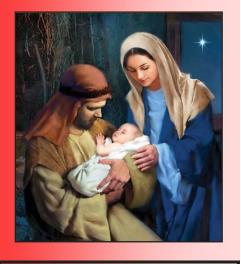
### Year-to-date\*

\$63,702.38 **Budgeted** \$69,143.41 Contributed

### Time to go to St. Joseph

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

-St. Joseph, Pray for us!



### St. Mary's Floor Project

Parishioners' Goal: \$75,000 Total Received: \$72,300,00 Percent of Goal received: 96.40%

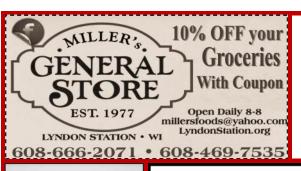
### 2020-21 Annual Appeal

Goal: \$15,810

Total Pledged & Received: \$8,630.00 Percent of Goal pledged: 54.59%

### Where's Fr. Clayton?

4th Sunday Advent - Page 2 Middle Lft 3rd Sunday Advent - Page 2 Lower Lft 2nd Sunday Advent - Page 4 Upper Rt 1st Sunday Advent - Page 4 Middle Lft





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