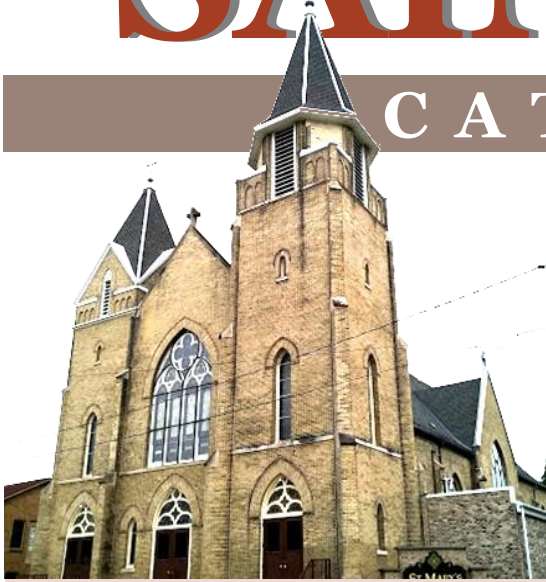


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MASS SCHEDULE

Weekdays

Tue, 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

Tues 5:00 pm & Saturday 6:00 pm

Rosary

Saturday 6:35 pm

Sunday 8:35 am



"Amen, I say to you, this poor widow put in more than all the other contributors to the treasury. For they have all contributed from their surplus wealth, but she, from her poverty, has contributed all she had, her whole livelihood."

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, November 9
5:30 pm Angela Dziewior
By: Bires Children

Wednesday, November 10
8:30 am † Leo Schneider
By: Friends & Family

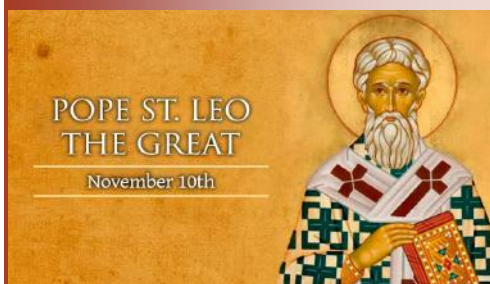
7:30 pm † Poor Souls in Purgatory
CCD Mass By: Angela Dziewior

Thursday, November 11
8:30 am Special Intention

Friday, November 12
8:30 am Paul Gasser Family
By: Lee & Mary Feldman

Saturday, November 13
7:00 pm † Anna McGowan
By: Steve Doran

Sunday, November 14
9:00 am Parishioner Mass
1:00 pm Catholic Financial Life
Members
By: Rose Clark



Upcoming Events

Buildings & Grounds Mtg
November 16th @ 6:30 pm

Bake-Less Bake sale
Donations Due
December 1st

Christmas Brunch
December 5th after 9:00 Mass

Finance Council Meeting
December 14th @ 6:30 pm

Pastoral Council Meeting
December 14th @ 7:00 pm



Dear Brothers and Sisters

Today Jesus warns his listeners to beware of the scribes. This is a very strong term. If we have to "beware," there typically is some danger involved. Jesus describes these men as individuals who liked to wear long robes and sit in the best seats at banquets. True, they did recite lengthy prayers. However, they did not help the poor, the lost or the sinner! They primarily were concerned with their positions of honor and power. They were pleased that many people deferred to them and held them in esteem.

As we all know, power often corrupts. And being held in high esteem also may corrupt. If people look up to us, we may come to believe that we are better than we truly are. In this Gospel, Jesus is an advocate for humility. He does not use that specific word but most humble people work in a quiet manner. They do not need or want the limelight. They are content to give of themselves in an unobtrusive way and simply go about their business.

Jesus then praises the poor widow who quietly gave from her "wont." She put two small coins into the treasury. For this widow, two coins most likely were a significant part of the amount of money she had to spend within a week's time. Yet, this reality did not stop her from sharing the little she had. She gave freely and unselfishly. She wanted to do her part.

How generous are we, not only with our money but also with our time, talent and attention? It may be easier to give a donation rather than spend an afternoon with someone who is lonely or ill. Many of us would rather give money than to give our time. Time often is the most precious commodity we have. Yet, we are surrounded by people who are in need and who would be extremely grateful for a few minutes of our precious time and attention.

On some days, we may be the person who yearns for someone's attention and care. Perhaps if we share our "two cents" with others, it will return to us! Who knows? The individual we spend our time with may be our gift for the day

Fr. Chinnappan



Mass Intentions

It's taken some time, but we are now ready to accept Mass intentions for 2022. Just get in touch with the office and we will help you get Masses on the schedule.

Attention Lectors

We are about to start a new year on November 28th. Lector workbooks will be available beginning next weekend. These are a good resource for preparing to proclaim the Word.

As was announced last weekend, Father Chinnappan will be leaving us at the end of November. He will be moving to St. John the Baptist Church in Cooks Valley. Please take a moment before he leaves to wish him well. Thank you, Father Chinnappan, for being here with us! We will miss you!

We will be welcoming Father Cryton Outschoorn from Sri Lanka as the new associate pastor at St. Patrick's in Mauston on December 1st. Everything here at St. Mary's will remain the same with Fr. John as our parochial administrator. He and Fr. Cryton will take care of all Masses.



Food Pantry

The food pantry is in need of donations this year. We're working with the Bank of Mauston in which **they will match all monetary donations for the food pantry.** At this time, they're only asking for monetary donations so they can get the best discounts and greatest needs met. Please put your donation in an envelope marked "food pantry". We will collect these donations through Thanksgiving Day at Mass or you may mail them to the parish office. Please make checks payable to "**St. Mary Parish**" and write in the memo line "food pantry donation". THANK YOU!

St. Mary's Ladies Sodality Upcoming Events and News:

Thank You! Thank You!

We would like to thank everyone for your generosity with your free-will donations. The items on the back table in the vestibule gave us \$118. These monies will go toward new wastebaskets and garbage cans for the church and the church basement. Thank You!!

It's Back!

The Christmas Brunch will be on **Sunday, December 5th** in the church basement after the 9am Mass. Everyone is welcome- please try to join us! Santa will be making an appearance with goodies! The sign-up sheet will be in the back of church for food and attendance. If you have any questions, call Linda Lochner at 847-867-4941.

Bake-Less Bake Sale

We are not baking again this year and in place of the bake sale we will have our bake-less bake sale. The donations for the bake-less bake sale will go toward the Christmas bags that we prepare and deliver to all of the home-bound of our parish and the Lyndon Station Elementary School with much needed supplies. Please consider donating, by using the green envelopes attached to the bulletin. Unfortunately, no food donations will be accepted for the home-bound bags. You may drop the envelope in the weekly offertory basket or mail to the parish office. Please make checks payable to "**St. Mary's Ladies Sodality**". We would appreciate all donations by **December 1st** for shopping convenience. We can not tell you how much the home-bound bags were appreciated and the teachers and the children were so happy to receive our donation last year! Thank you for your past support!



November's Featured Memorial

This month we focus on the "Ambo", or as many refer to "The Pulpit" The word Ambo is derived from the Greek word with means elevated. Since the 4th century the Gospel and the Epistle was read or chanted from the ambo. The GIRM or the General Instruction of the Roman Missal instructs that "only a minister of the Word should stand at it." Those who stand or read are called by God to proclaim the word. We thank those who donated our beautiful Ambo in the name of Clarence and Rose Hall.

St. Mary's Prayer List

Vinnie Bellock, Kathy McGowan Bermeo, Braun Family, Joan Burch, Karen DeLange, Jamie Donnelly, Fr. Clayton Elmhurst, Jim & Adela Hagen, Elizabeth Hall, Roseanne Kenneth, Gloria Kramer, Helena Kwit & Family, Mary Claire Marshall, Bud Miller, Courtney Miller, Lizzie Mitchell, Tony Oldigs, Karen Patton, Charlotte Rybicki, Marjorie Senzig, Preston Shields, Jeri Smith, Jane Torgerson, Rosalee Verette, Jackie Zenk, Bob Walsh, Marion Walsh, Nancy, those who are sick, unemployed, in need, & all families who are suffering in any way; from illness, cancer, uncertainty, anxieties & for the end of the COVID-19 pandemic; Families & Friends please...**PRAY THE ROSARY!!!**



Financial Stewardship

October 31, 2021

Adult Envelopes.....	\$1619.00
Student Envelopes.....	\$4.00
Offertory.....	\$491.25
All Saints Day.....	\$200.00
Votive Candles.....	\$226.75
Total	\$2,541.00

Weekly Budget \$3,047.27

(160 registered families)

Fiscal year-to-date

Budgeted	\$54,850.86
Contributed	\$46,804.25

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!

Liturgical Roles

Saturday, Nov 13, 7:00 pm

Lector.....	P Zajackowski
Servers.....	K & A Browne
Ushers.....	D Franek, G Fuller, D Patton
Gift Bearers.....	Needed
Musician.....	Tracey Tolzmann

Sunday, Nov 14, 9:00 am

Lector.....	M McCormick
Servers.....	K & A Strzemecka
Ushers.....	J Cauley, M Walsh, E Zielinski
Gift Bearer.....	Needed
Musician.....	Jade Pusel

Sunday, Nov 14, 1:00 pm

Lector.....	Z Housworth
Servers.....	Needed
Ushers.....	R Senzig
Gift Bearers.....	

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