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Parish Mission Statement:

The family of St. Mary's of Lyndon Station, Wisconsin is a welcoming community of the Catholic faith united in Catholic tradition and growing in the spirit of Vatican II. We come together at Liturgical and Sacramental celebrations to be nourished so we may respond to the gospel mission of Jesus Christ in our daily lives. We strive as a Christian community and in our personal lives to serve God and all of His people, especially the poor.



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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

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

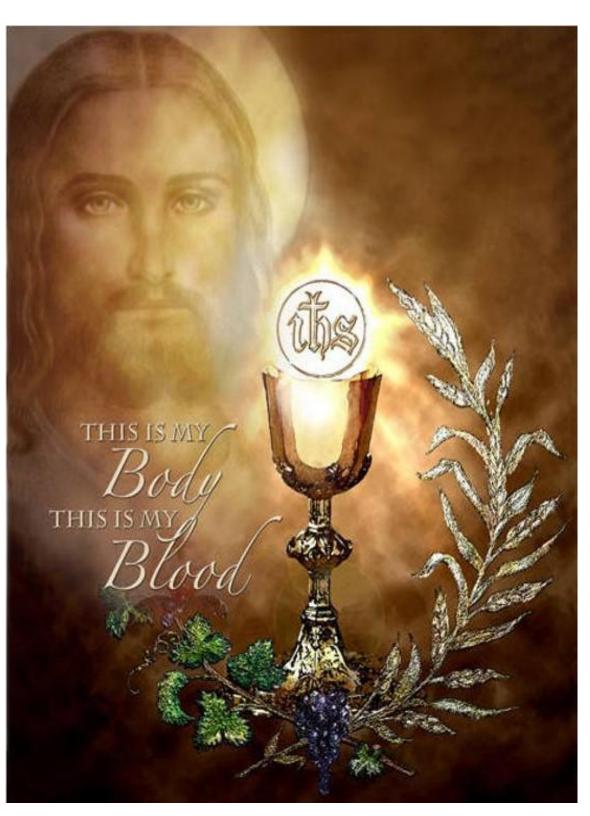
Wed, Thurs, & Fri 8:00 - 8:25 am

Confessions

Tues 5:00 pm & Saturday 6:00 pm
Also by appointment

Rosary

Saturday 6:35 pm Sunday 8:35 am & 12:35 pm



Mass Intentions

Tuesday,

June 13

5:30 pm

† Gene Delmore By: Betty Delmore

Wednesday, June 14

8:30 am

Isaac Crowley
By: Jim & Rochelle

Crowley

Thursday,

June 15

8:30 am

Edith Bires

By: Dziewior Family

Friday,

June 16

8:30 am

† Sister Mary Hale By: Deacon Tom &

Sandy Hale

Saturday,

June 17

7:00 pm † Walter Postava

By: Zofia & Matt Leja

Sunday, 9:00 am June 18

† Robert Walsh By: Mark Walsh

1:00 pm

Parishioner Mass



Most Sacred Heart of Jesus Feast Day:

June 16th

Immaculate Heart of Mary Feast Day:

June 17th

Upcoming Events

Corpus Christi Procession
June 11th after 9:00 am Mass

Ladies Sodality Banquet June 21st @ 5:00 pm

Ladies Sodality Meeting
June 21st together with banquet

Jubilee all Subcommittee Mtg

June 25th @ 6:00 pm

Pastoral Council Meeting June 27th @ 6:30 pm

Prayer Shawl @ St. Mary's July 8th @ 10:00 am

> Parish Festival September 3rd

Parish Directory Pictures
October 5th-7th

A message from Fr. Cryton

The Role of Music in the Liturgy

This weekend we celebrate Corpus Christi, The solemnity of the MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST. I continue to reflect with you, our role in the Liturgy as we commemorate June as the Month of Ministries. This weekend we are focusing on the role of music in the Liturgy. Let me share some reflections taken from the sermon of Bishop Brewer

- 1. Music teaches us the Gospel: Hymns and spiritual songs take our faith and compact it. In fact, the melody and phrasing of the music makes our faith memorable. Before we hear a word of scripture read or preached in the service, we've already taken in page after page through our singing. Hymns and other forms of music instruct us in the Good News, touching our hearts as well as our minds.
- **2.** Music connects us to God in unique ways: In many ways, singing allows for a direct connection with God in ways sermons can't or don't. It allows a part of our hearts to speak to God in a way that doesn't happen as we hear the spoken word. When we sing alone or together, something awakens not only in the heart of each person but also in the collective heart of the body of Christ, connecting us to each other and to God in the deepest part of who we are. Singing as a part of Christian worship is so much more than mere mental exercise. God created us to communicate with the very depths of our spirit, and singing is a way we can accomplish this in a profound and meaningful way.
- **3.** Music allows us to express our love to God with our whole Being: Singing is one of the ways in which we express our love towards God with our whole being. We engage every part of our being in worship to God. Worshiping through music changes and transforms us. It inclines our hearts to God in ways other forms can't accomplish. Worship strengthens us, convicts us, builds us up, and even restores us. In other words, when we sing and devote our whole selves to God, something godly happens within us.
- **4. Music as worship fulfills God's Command:** Throughout scripture, we're commanded to sing. Within the Psalms, "Sing praises to the Lord with the lyre, with the lyre and the sound of melody!" (Psalm 98:5); and "Serve the Lord with gladness! Come into his presence with singing!" (Psalm 100:2). God calls us to sing praise to the Lord and to sing in his presence. The New Testament affirms this call. Paul urged the Ephesians (and us) to "be filled with the Spirit, addressing one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody to the Lord with your heart, giving thanks always and for everything to God the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ" (Eph. 5:18-20).

The Role of a Choir: Fr. Piero Lazzarini says, every effort must be made to ensure that the Christian people take part in liturgical celebrations "FULLY, CONSCIOUSLY, ACTIVE-LY" so that the celebrations may be also spiritually FRUITFUL. Ministry means SERVICE. Therefore, the Choir is at the service of the Congregation, the people of God. Its purpose and task are to lead and help, to animate and support, the encourage the full participation of the congregation.

The primary task of the choir is to lead, to guide, to **ENABLE** the whole assembly to celebrate and sing the praises of God. Let them not forget the verse of that Psalm: "Not to us, o Lord, not to us, but to your name give the glory!" This should be the MOTTO of every serious, mature, faith-full choir!

Throughout the month of June we'll highlight the different ministry roles at Mass. Lector, ushers, choir members, and altar servers. You can sign up for these roles on the sign-up sheet in the vestibule or contact the parish office. Thank you!

Donations for Basket Raffle at Parish Festival Needed

We will again be doing a basket raffle at the parish festival (Sept. 3rd) so we are looking for donations (please only new items). Baskets could have a theme - be creative! All donations are welcome! The deadline for donations is June 25th.

The Ladies Banquet is back!

Wednesday, June 21st- this year we will start with Mass at 5pm and dinner to follow in the church basement- check your schedule and we hope that you will be able to attend- there could be a "surprise guest"-more details to follow. The sign up sheet is in the back of church or call Linda Lochner at 847-867-4941. Free will donations are always accepted.



Thank you to everyone who participated in Donut Sunday last Sunday, June 4th!

\$228 was collected. The donuts and milk cost was \$103.38 so the profit was **\$124.62** which went into the Charity account to

help those in need. Thank you to the Ladies Sodality who worked and donated the coffee, cups, and napkins!



JOIN THE LARGEST GATHERING OF PRO-LIFERS IN OUR STATE!

Participate in the March for Life Wisconsin on June 24, marking one year since the fall of Roe! Rally for life as we press onward to establish personhood for every preborn child. The lives of over 62 million preborn children killed by abortion will not and cannot be forgotten.

Register by Monday, June 12! ProLifeWI.org/marchforlife

Pro-Life Prayer Witness 2023

Join us in prayer and scripture reading in front of

HealthFirst

414 E. State St. Unit 6 in Mauston Sunday, June 11th 3:30-5:00 pm

The Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe, La Crosse, invites your children to two, week long musical camps this summer. The Choir Camp – <u>June 19–23</u> (Ages 7–18) and Chant Camp – <u>August 14–18</u> (Ages 14–18). More information can be found online at <u>GuadalupeShrine.org/sacred-music</u> or contact Scott Turkington: sturkington@guadalupeshrine.org

St. Mary's Prayer List

Vinnie Bellock, Braun Family, Joan Burch, Rick Bornemeier, Mary Jean Cauley, Jeanette Conway, Karen & Chris DeLange, Freddie Dziewior, Fr. Clayton Elmhorst, Jim & Adela Hagen, Chuck Huber, Roseanne Kenneth, Gloria Kramer, Helena Kwit & Family, Noah, Mary Claire Marshall, Danny Miller, Lizzie Mitchell, Tony Oldigs, Karen Patton, Charlotte Rybicki, Marie Senzig, Preston Shields, Jeri Smith, Marion Walsh, those who are sick, unemployed, in need, & all families who are suffering in any way; from illness, cancer, uncertainty, & anxieties; Families & Friends, please... PRAY THE ROSARY!!!

Did You Know/ Tour of the Church

If you look in the back corner of the Church by the restrooms, you will see a statue of St. Boniface. His Feast Day is June 5th. He is deemed the "Apostle to the Germans." Patron Saint of brewers, and tailors. Boniface was an English Benedictine monk who gave up being elected abbot to devote his life to the conversion of the Germanic tribes. In order to restore the Germanic Church to its fidelity to Rome and to convert the pagans, Boniface had been guided by two principles. The first was to restore the obedience of the clergy to their bishops in union with the pope of Rome. The second was the establishment of many houses of prayer which took the form of Benedictine mon-

asteries. A great number of Anglo-Saxon monks and nuns followed him to the continent, where he introduced the Benedictine nuns to the active apostolate of education.

Boniface bears out the Christian rule: To follow Christ is to follow the way of the cross. For Boniface, it was not only physical suffering or death, but the painful, thankless, bewildering task of Church reform. Missionary glory is often thought of in terms of bringing new persons to Christ. It seems—but is not—less glorious to heal the household of the faith.

Boniface was made Archbishop of Mainz by Pope Zachary III in 747. In 754, he landed in Freisland (Holland) with a large group of over thirty-seven missionaries. Savagely set upon by the Freisens, he and most of his companions were martyred. He lifted a Bible toward his attackers and was killed by a thrust through it with a sword. That is why he is represented by a book pierced by a sword and dressed as a Bishop. -Deacon Tom



Financial Stewardship

June 4, 2023

Adult Envelopes	\$2334.00
Student Envelopes	\$5.44
Offertory	\$880.59
Ascension Envelopes	\$10.00
Utility Envelopes	\$50.00
Votive Candles	\$42.00
Total	\$3,322.03

(153 registered families)

Fiscal year-to-date
Contributed \$132,085.21



Assignments this week:

June 12 Bernadine Pokorney

June 13 Francis & Kathy
Pokorney

June 14 Mary Puetz

June 15 Josh & Jade Pusel

June 16 Daniel & Marlene Rampetsreiter

Liturgical Roles

Saturday, June 17, 7:00 pm

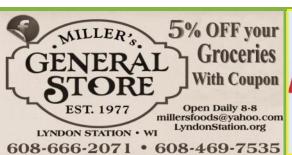
Lector	Karen Patton
Servers	Katelyn Browne
	Aron Browne
Ushers	Dan Patton
•••••	Gary Fuller
•••••	Jim Arens
Gift Bearers.	Jim Crowley Family
Musician	Tracey Tolzmann
Gift Bearers.	Jim Crowley Family

Sunday, June 18, 9:00 am

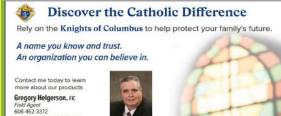
Lectors	Ken Engevold
Servers	Larry Mueller
•••••	Brian Fox
Ushers	Pete Cauley
	Pat Mitchell
	Tom Kowalke
	Mark Walsh
	Pete & Linda Lochner
Musician	Jade Pusel

Sunday, June 18, 1:00 pm

Lector.....Zach Housworth
Ushers.....Rodney Senzig







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A few pictures from last week's Mass for Graduates and Confirmands



Confirmands: Maxwell Mendez, Katelyn Browne, Ella Franck, & **Devon Henry**

Group Picture

Graduates: Eden Finucan (8th) Karina Strzemecki (8th) Mason Franek (H.S.) Eli Schanke (8th)

Mason Franek, Scholarship Winner