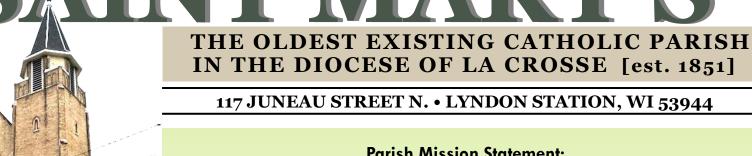
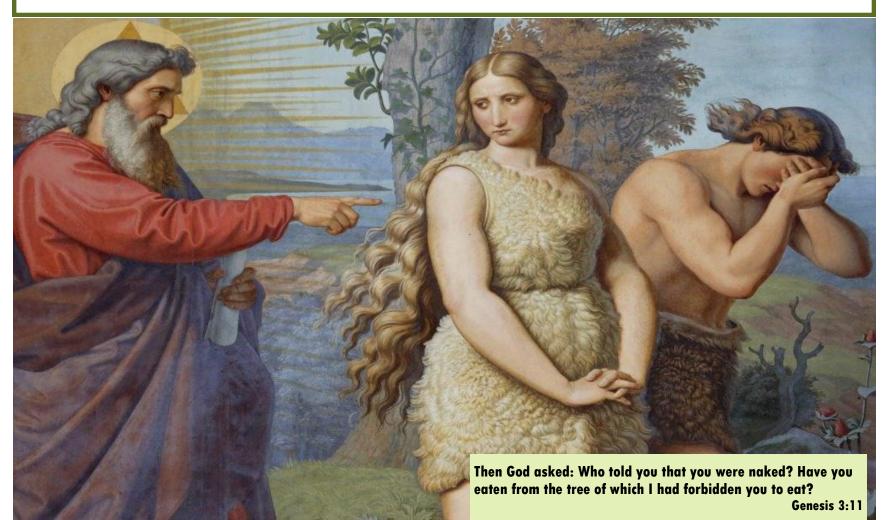
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#### **Parish Mission Statement:**

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.

# JUNE 9, 2024 - TENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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Confessions Tues 5:00 pm & Saturday 6:00 pm \*\*And by appointment\* **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 Rosarv Saturday 6:35 pm Sunday 8:35 am & 12:35 pm

## Mass Intentions

Tuesday,	June 11
5:30 pm	Savannah Mayer
	By: Dziewior Family

Wednesday, June 12

8:30 am † Helen Wiora By: Ken & Mary Jo Engevold

Thursday,	June 13
8:30 am	† Mary Claire
	Marshall
	By: Linda Nate
Friday,	June 14
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8:30 am Isaac Crowley By: Jim & Rochelle Crowley

<b>Saturday,</b> 7:00 pm	June 15 † Don Rogge By: Pat Rogge
Sunday,	June 16
9:00 am	Parishioner Ma

1:00 pm





# Upcoming Events

Ladies Sodality Banquet June 18th at 5:30 pm

Sacred Worship Committee Meeting June 27th at 6:30 pm Please note: This is a change so please take note and update your calendars.

Ladies Sodality Meeting July 11th at 1:00 pm Red Cross Blood Drive @ Lyndon Station Firehouse July 16th 12-4pm

General Cleaning of St. Mary's Church July 29th at 9:00 am

> Parish Festival September 1st

#### A Message from Fr. Cryton,

## The Power and Joy of Being in the Family of God

THE TENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME calls us to reflect on the power and joy of being in the God's family. Family conveys a sense of belonging. To be in the family of God means to be accepted for who we are: loved, cherished, celebrated, and fully forgiven. Let's reflect a few thoughts from Meg Bucher.

#### What Is the Family of God According to the Bible?

*"A Christian is one who has been adopted by God - brought into the family of God, all by the Son of God. And this changes everything," (D.A. Carson for Desiring God).* This family of brothers and sisters in Christ are more deeply connected to us than any other relationships, even our earthly families! We share a spiritual unity through our common Father, God! As God's family, we are His arms and legs on this earth. From hugs and words of comfort to feeding hungry bellies, we operate by the love of God to spread the love of God, to all His people. God choose us to be in His family

Is the Church the Same Thing as the Family of God?

The family of God is the church, but the church is not confined to a building. "In him you are also being built together into a dwelling place for God by the Spirit" (Ephesians 2:22). The church meets to worship God and pray to Him together. We gather to support and encourage each other, because the work of the Lord, though joyful, is difficult. It takes everyone's talents and collective contributions to accomplish the purposes of God. What Is the Purpose of God's Family?

God created earth, us, and everything in it. However, we are warned against congealing with the patterns of this world. The purpose of God's family is transformation, a slow and steady sanctification to conform our hearts to Christ, as we were created, designed, and purposed. We change daily as we follow Christ. As the local church movement for Christ grows, it isn't just individuals who change, but communities. The purpose of God's family is to move and go on account of the Gospel, not just preaching the word, but acting in love, reflecting the love of our Savior Jesus.

#### How You Can Invite Others into the Family of God?

We lead others to God by example and invitation. When God is our first priority, our lives reflect His love. Our families and homes exude the love and grace of our Heavenly Father. Inviting others into the Family of God requires us to lean in and listen for His lead. This isn't the way the word behaves. It's not how our social media feeds read. So, when people witness this type of behavior, which flows not from anything we do, but from Christ in us, their hearts naturally incline to ask where our hope comes from.

Ladies Sodality Banquet is on Tuesday, June, 18th beginning with Mass at 5:30 pm and dinner to follow in St. Bridget's Hall. Menu consists of grilled chicken, tossed salad, potato salad, roll, dessert with coffee, water and wine. If you have a favorite wine, feel free to bring and share! Our Guest Speaker will be Jane Powers - The early life and writings of the poet, Jessica Powers. The sign up sheet will be in the back of church or call Linda Lochner at 847-867-4941. Free will donations are always accepted.

**Donations for the Basket Raffle at the Parish Festival Needed** - We are still looking for donations (please only new items). Baskets could have a theme- be creative! All donations are welcome!

We are nearing the end of the Diocesan Annual Appeal campaign. The last date that pledges will be credited to this year's appeal is to be received by the Diocese office by **June 30, 2024**. If you have not pledged or donated, **now is the time to do so**. The parish will need to make up the difference. Envelopes are available in the back of the church. **Thank You!** 



### **Ordination Anniversary Celebration: SAVE THE DATE**

Father John Potaczek, our former pastor, will be celebrating the 25th Anniversary of his priestly ordination this year. The Parish of St. Peter in Stevens Point, invites you to attend the Mass of Celebration, followed by a reception and luncheon. <u>This will be held on July 21, 2024 at 3:00pm at St. Peter Church, 800 Fourth Avenue, Stevens Point.</u> Please RSVP so that we know how many to prepare for. RSVP by calling 715-344-6115 or email: stpeters@pacellicatholicschools.com

Sunday, June 9th, 3:00-4:30 pm Pro-life Prayer Witness at Health

First formerly Family Planning Health Services in Mauston

#### Volunteer Needed!!!

We are looking for an additional person to assist with weekly duties and decorating of the church. The duties will include: Replacing and cleaning candles, refilling Holy Water, changing altar and tabernacle cloths, assisting with changing banners and floral arrangements. If interested or for more details please contact Sheri Guyse 608-547-2255

#### Change to Stipends effective July 1st, 2024

For 30 years the suggested donations for Masses, funerals, marriages has remained the same throughout the dioceses of Wisconsin. The Bishops of Wisconsin gathered recently and decreed that stipends should be adjusted to reflect the current time and to account for inflation.

The new suggested stipends are as follows:

Mass Stipends: \$20 Funerals: \$75 Marriages: \$100 Quinceaneras: \$100

These new suggested amounts take effect with events that take place on or after July 1, 2024. They do not apply retroactively to those who have already paid the appropriate amount for an upcoming event (even one that takes place after July 1, 2024) The new suggested stipend amounts will be applied to all new requests we receive for events that occur on or after July 1, 2024.

As always, if someone is not able to offer the stipend, the parish is always happy to provide the sacrament or service with no fee.

#### St. Mary's Prayer List

Vinnie Bellock, Braun Family, Joan Burch, Rick Bornemeier, Chris DeLange, Fran Dethloff, Fr. Clayton Elmhorst, Jim & Adela Hagen, Chuck Huber, Roseanne Kenneth, Noah, Lizzie Mitchell, Pat Mitchell, Tony Oldigs, Karen Patton, Charlotte Rybicki, Marie Senzig, Preston Shields, MV, 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!!!

We are called to be Holy Men of God **Dare to Follow** is for young men grades 6-10 that are interested in hearing where God is calling them

What: Join us for activities, discernment, and time with Bishop Battersby and priests from our area.

Cost: \$30 (includes meals and rooms)

--this will be covered by St. Mary Parish

July 9-11 at Mater Redemptoris house in La Crosse, WI . Contact Renee with questions: ROrth@diolc.org. Go to www.brand.page/daretofollow to register by June 20th





# <u>Financial Stewardship</u>

#### June 2, 2024

Adult Envelopes	\$2144.00
Student Envelopes	\$5.00
Offertory	\$945.00
Votive candles	<u>\$54.00</u>
Total	\$3148.00

(160 registered families)

Fiscal year-to-date Contributed.....\$140,486.71

Inspired by the Spirit Campaign

Goal: \$160,000.00 Total Pledged & Received: \$95,195.00 Percent of Goal Pledged: 59.50% Number of Donors: 36

#### Diocesan Annual Appeal

Goal: \$20,100.00 Total Pledged & Received: \$11,745.00 Percent of Goal Pledged: 58.43% Number of Donors: 54

There are envelopes in the back of church if you would like to contribute.

Every gift makes a difference and is truly appreciated!

# <u>Liturgical Roles</u>

Saturday, June 15, 7:00 pm

Lector	Karen Patton
EMC	Mary Crowley
Servers	Katelyn Browne
	Aron Browne
Ushers	Dan Patton
	.Gary Fuller & Jasan Franek
Gift BearersLeo & Jeanette Crowley	
Musician	Carol Costerisan

#### Sunday, June 16, 9:00 am

Sheri Guyse	
an Holig-McCormick	
Nellie Jo Erickson	
Erickson & Brian Fox	
Earl Verette	
Mark Walsh	
Matt Leja & Tony Oldigs	
Gift BearersMick & Joan McCormick	
Heidi Finucan	

#### Sunday, June 16, 1:00 pm

Lector	Terri Donnelly
EMC	Terri Donnelly
	Zach Housworth
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**Mother of our Creator, pray for us!** As Mother of our Creator, Mary wishes to remove even the shadow of every, even the slightest doubt, that through the use of the word "God" in her title as Mother of God, we wish to express the real, eternal Son of God, Him whom the Holy Gospel calls the Creator.

**Mother of Good Counsel, pray for us!** The gift of counsel relies on the capacity for a wise discernment, especially in difficult and decisive moments, so that as the next step, we may choose what is appropriate in accord with this. This is why the Church places on Mary's lips the words of Sacred Scripture: "Mine are counsel and advice to the wise." (Prov 8:14)

