

Welcome to Immaculate Conception (Saint Mary) Parish



JULY 21ST, 2013

Mission Statement

Immaculate Conception (St. Mary) Parish, established in 1838, is a welcoming Eucharistic community that celebrates the sacraments, provides lifelong formation in a living faith and serves all with respect and loving generosity.

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday at St. Mary
8:30 AM

Tuesday at St. Charles
8:30 AM

Wednesday at St.
Charles
8:30 AM

Thurs. at St. Charles
8:30 AM

Friday at St. Mary
8:30 AM

Martha and Mary
16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

108 McHenry Street, Burlington, Wisconsin 53105
Father Jim Volkert, Pastor ♦ Phone: (262) 763-1500

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Mass Intentions

7/22 Monday

8:30 AM Mass (Church) 8:00 AM Rosary
† Paul Merten (Gerald & Virginia Weber)

7/23 Tuesday

8:30 AM Mass (St. Charles) 8:00 AM Rosary

7/24 Wednesday

8:30 AM Mass (St. Charles) 8:00 AM Rosary

7/25 Thursday

8:30 AM Mass (St. Charles) 8:00 AM Rosary

7/26 Friday

8:30 AM Mass (Church) 8:00 AM Rosary
For the Poor Souls in Purgatory (Eucharistic Adorer)

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7/27 Saturday

4:30 PM Mass (Church)
Living & Deceased Members of St. Mary Parish

7/28 Sunday

8:00 AM Mass (Church)
† Florence & Wallace Kiekenbush (Rich Kiekenbush)
10:30 AM Mass (Church)
† Helen Briere (Sue Snyder)

Daily Readings

	<u>1st/2nd READING</u>	<u>PSALM</u>	<u>GOSPEL</u>
16th Sunday in Ordinary Time			
7/21	Genesis 18:1-10a/ Colossians 1:24-28	Ps 15:2-5	Luke 10:38-42
7/22	Exodus 14:5-8	Exodus 15:1-6	Jn 20:1,2,11-18
7/23	Exodus 14:21-15:1	Exodus 15:8-10,12,17	Matt 12:46-50
7/24	Exodus 16:1-5,9-15	Ps 78:18,19,23-28	Matt 13:1-9
7/25	2 Cor 4:7-15	Ps 126:1-6	Matt 20:20-28
7/26	Exodus 20:1-17	Ps 19:8-11	Matt 13:18-23
7/27	Exodus 24:3-8	Ps 50:1,2,5,6,14,15	Matt 13:24-30
17th Sunday in Ordinary Time			
7/28	Genesis 18:20-32 / Colossians 2:12-14	Ps 138:1-3,6-8	Luke 11:1-13

Articles/pictures for the bulletin may be emailed to:
ssmith@stmb.org by 4 PM Monday.

We Are Organizing a Committee

In preparation of the 175th Anniversary of St. Mary Catholic Parish, we are organizing a planning committee. If you are interested, please call the office, 763-1500.



Announcements After Mass:

The deadline for pulpit announcements is Noon on Fridays. Send requests to ssmith@stmb.org so they may be approved by Father Jim.

This Week at Saint Mary Catholic Church

7/22 Monday

- 9:00-9:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration (Chapel)
- 8:30 AM Mass (Church)

7/23 Tuesday

- 9:00-9:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration (Chapel)
- 8:30 AM Mass (St. Charles)
- 5:15-45 PM Market Day Truck Sale (parking lot)

7/24 Wednesday

- 9:00-9:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration (Chapel)
- 8:30 AM Mass (St. Charles)
- 2:30 PM CCHS Blood Drive (Topper)
- 6:00 PM Rosary (Chapel)

7/25 Thursday

- 9:00-6:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration (Chapel)
- 8:30 AM Mass (St. Charles)

7/26 Friday

- 9:00-4:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration (Chapel)
- 8:30 AM Mass (Church)

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7/27 Saturday

- 3:30-4:00 PM Reconciliation (Chapel)
- 9:00 AM Cemetery Board Meeting (RMR)
- 4:30 PM Mass

7/28 Sunday

- 8:00 & 10:30 AM Masses
- 9:00 AM 33 Days to Morning Glory (Café)

Office Hours: 8AM-12PM & 1- 4PM Mon.-Friday

Wedding Banns

- III. Ross Wehner/Abbie Zaspel
- II. Christine Webber/Thomas Cox
- I. Cherise Grubbs/Michael Schmid



Visitation/Communion Schedule

- Hospital** 7/20-21 Ann Wiemer
7/27-28 Judy Donnelly
Monday: Ellen Voslar Wednesday: Cheryl Theigs
Friday: Bob Zarek
- Kindred Care** (Visit) 7/22-28 Richard Kiekenbush
Tuesday Pine Brook (11 AM)
Shirley Kanthack, Shirley Meyer
- Wednesday: Riverview**(10:30); **Chestnut Club**(11:15)
Bob Thompson, Al Raboine, Tom Durand
- Wednesday: Kindred Care** (3:15 PM)
Annette Kempken, Bob Zarek

St. Mary Preschool: 108 McHenry St. Burlington, WI 53105 (262) 763-1501

St. Mary Grade School: 225 W. State St. (262) 763-1515

Catholic Central High School: 148 McHenry St., (262) 763-1510

A Message from Fr. Jim . . .

Martha and Mary

In this Sunday's Gospel we hear about the two famous sisters, Martha and Mary. Has this Gospel reading ever caused a lively discussion in your home? Many people find this reading a hard one to understand. It just seems so unfair. We were taught from little on that it is very impolite to sit and talk with the guests when mom or someone else is in the kitchen all alone doing most of the work. How can Jesus approve of such conduct? He not only defends Mary against her sister's very understandable complaint, but Jesus actually scolds Martha, who is doing her best to get the meal on the table, for being "anxious and upset about many things." How can we possibly make sense out of this episode?

If we stop to think about it seriously, the hard working Martha makes a good point, however, we can never make sense out of this Gospel if we read this story as a lesson in the duties of hospitality. Nor will this story make sense if we don't look at the context in which the story takes place. We have to remember that this episode comes on the tail of last week's Gospel about the Good Samaritan. Jesus emphasized from that story that sometimes we are so worried about the "legal" aspects of our faith we forget to act on our faith - we forget to put our faith into action. Jesus is saying the same thing to Martha. When Jesus said to Martha, "You are anxious and upset about many things", He was not criticizing her for performing the duties of hospitality, but rather for doing so without first attending to His words.

All of us, at times, can be like Martha. We are "anxious and worried about many things." We can't sit still. We can't take time off, as Mary did, to sit quietly in the Lord's presence. Today's story of Martha and Mary makes an important point for us. We can get so involved in what we are doing that we forget why we are doing it. We can get so involved in living that we forget why we are living. It's this kind of mistake that Martha made in today's Gospel. She got so involved in cooking a meal for Jesus that she forgot why Jesus had come. He didn't come for a free meal; He came to be with His friends. There has to be a little bit of Martha and a little bit of Mary in each of us. I think it's good to have someone come along every once and a while and remind us that we do need to take time for prayer. We do need to take time to listen to the Lord speaking to us in our lives. We do need to take time to reflect on our faith, and examine in what direction our faith is leading us. We all need to have a little bit of Martha and Mary inside of us.

God bless you always!
Father Jim Volkert

St. Mary Preschool

Give your child a great start of their education by attending a very reputable 4K program. Limited space is still available. Before & After class care offered. Tuition discounts available. Call Barb Porcaro 262-763-1501 for more information.

After Care Teacher Needed

Keep young by being around the wonderful children of St. Mary's. We have an After Care Teacher position for a fun, loving adult. Must be 18 years old, no certification required. Fill out an application in the rectory office. Call Barb Porcaro 262-763-1501 for more information.

Please bring a non-perishable food item to Mass each week.

Our REP Program Needs Catechists

The Religious Education Program is in need of catechists for the 2013-2014 session. Classes are held on Sunday morning from 9:15 to 10:15 beginning on September 15. We need catechists for Grades 3, 6 and 7 and substitute teachers. Please give this matter your prayerful consideration and call or e-mail Margie Robers at 661-9125 or mrobers@stmb.org or the rectory office at 763-1500. This is the Year of Faith, and who is more important than children to be evangelized.

Congratulations to the 2013 BHS and CCHA Scholarship and Award Winners

BHS: Local Scholarships and Awards: BHS Scholarships: **Jennifer Stevens, Cody Schilz.** Robert Hefty Lions Club: **Abby Schmalfeldt.** Kiwanis: **Kayla Ludwig, Robert Hefty.** Lions Club: **Theresa Lavieri.** Runzheimer: **Baron Franzke.** William/Marion Clifton: **Theresa Lavieri.** Honors by department: Fine Arts: **Maggie Gosch.** Math: **Theresa Lavieri.** College scholarships: Top Ten: **Theresa Lavieri.**

CCHS: **Kurpiel, Alexandra:** Presidential Scholarship. **Meinholz, Carson:** Ignatius Academic Achievement Scholarship. **Reesman, Ashley:**

New Catholic CD's Available in Church

New titles are; *Discerning God's Will, From Slave to Priest: The Inspiring Story of Fr. Augustine Tolton, Get to Know the Mother of God, Heroic Witness, and The History of Salvation.* These amazing CD's will deepen your faith and spirituality. Consider giving as gifts to loved ones who may need a Catholic "pick-me-up". Please leave \$3.00 per CD so more inspiring CD's can be purchased.

God Bless Our Troops

Please pray for the safety of all military personnel who are serving our country, especially the following parishioners, relatives or friends of our parish

Jim & Beth Graves, U.S. Air Force, James Graves, U.S. Air Force, Benjamin Hall, Cpl. Steven Kojis, U.S. Air Force Christopher LeBlanc, PVT 1st class U.S. Army Afghanistan	Toby May, Spc. Army National Guard Gregory A. Roberts, U.S. Army Devon J. Seitz, U.S. Navy Sergeant Brandon Wiskes, U.S. Marines Lance Corporal Dustin Wiskes, U.S. Marines
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Natural Family Planning (NFP) Class

NFP is safe, healthy, effective, and green! It can also change your heart in amazing ways! NFP is for all married and/or engaged couples. The class series consists of 3 afternoon sessions spread over 3 consecutive months. The first class is scheduled for Sunday, July 21 from 1-4PM at St. Paul the Apostle in Gurnee, IL. You can register for the class series at www.ccli.org. If you have any questions, please contact Ed and Sharon Harrigan, certified CCL/NFP instructors at nfp@stpaultheapostle.net. On-line/virtual classes are now available, too!! Go to www.ccli.org for class dates.

(SALUTATORIAN) Ignatius Academic Achievement Scholarship, Marquette Club of Milwaukee Scholarship, The Alice Aber-Smith Scholarship, Burlington Kiwanis Club Scholarship, Chocolate Fest Character Award, Douglas J. Koenig Memorial Scholarship, Geneva Lake Women's Association, Key Club Scholarship, Lorraine M. and Robert C. Beix Memorial Scholarship. Pharmacy Station Scholarship. **Schoedel, David:** Housing Scholarship, STEM and Heald Scholarship. **Smith, Maggie:** Dean's Scholarship. **Sobbe, Ethan:** Rocky Mountain Scholars Award, Army ROTC Scholarship. **Vos, Mitchell:** Ignatius Academic Achievement Scholarship.

Meeting Set for Bereavement Committee

Monday, August 12 @ 6:30 pm in Heim Hall, there will be a meeting of the Bereavement Committee. Please call Cheryl Theigs to let her know whether or not you will be able to attend. 763-1500 ext 507.

CCHS Fundraiser in Lake Geneva July 28th

This fundraiser will be held at Black Point Estate on Lake Geneva. **Please R.S.V.P. no later than Monday, July 15th. We are limited to only 50 guests!** This mansion was once the summer estate of 19th-century beer magnate Conrad Seipp and now has one of the most intact collections of Victorian furniture in the Midwest. The cost per person is **\$100** (includes shuttle, appetizers, wine, beer, soda and open tours of the mansion and grounds.

3:20-4 PM Shuttle bus from The Town of Linn Nature Park to mansion or **3:15 PM** Shuttle boat from Ed & Cynthia Cox home. A classic wooden boat is available to shuttle guests to mansion. (There are 120 stairs to mansion). **6:30 PM Event Concludes.** Dress for the era or summer casual. Questions? Call Georgean at [262-763-1518](tel:262-763-1518).

Summer Bible Camp at St. Joseph, Lyons

Monday-Friday, August 5-9 from 8:30-Noon. Cost: \$25. An Epic Adventure Awaits! New Friends * Amazing experiments * Wild games. Lip-smacking snacks * Surprising adventures * Incredible music. For more information, call Rita at 763-2050. All Children Pre-K thru

Grade 6 are welcome regardless of religious background or ability to pay.

Registration forms available online at: st-josephsparish.org or by calling Rita at the above number.



33 Days to Morning Glory begins July 28th

Come join us the next session of 33 days to Morning Glory Parish Program for the New Evangelization starting Sunday, July 28th. The sessions will be held in the Grade School Cafe from 9:00am 10:15am each week for 6 Weeks. For more information go to allheartsafire.org. To register for this session contact Mike Raboine at mraboine@msn.com or call [262-758-2073](tel:262-758-2073). This program is being sponsored by our Monsignor Heim Knights of Columbus Council 15665. Suggested donation for the program materials is \$25.

Daughters of Isabella Meeting

The next Daughters of Isabella meeting will be held at 7:00 PM on July 23rd at the K of C hall.

Picnic in Paris, July 27 11 AM-11 PM

St. John the Baptist Parish, Picnic food all day long!! (Burgers, Brats, Corn, Hot Dogs, Beer, etc.) Chicken Dinner (served 11:30-4), Kid's Games, Live entertainment throughout the day, Grand Raffle Prizes, Ticket Drop, Cow Pie Bingo, Country Store, White Elephant Booth, Dunk Tank, Mass at 4 PM.

Birthday Blessings

We wish to acknowledge the special members of our Parish community who are celebrating their 90th birthday and up!

On the 6th **Joyce Giannini** celebrated 94

On the 18th **Marcella Wohl** celebrated 93

On the 31st **Elfie Christiansen** will be 90

May God Bless You.

Baptisms at St. Mary's



The following people were baptized here at St. Mary's. We welcome them into our faith community and congratulate their families:

Maddeline Clausen

Michael Grace

Joshua Mueller

Reid Snyder

Callie Oldenberg

Ella Lochowicz

Makayla Fiene

Ellie Verega

Women's AA Meeting

Every Monday evening at 6:30 PM at Cross Lutheran Church, 126 Chapel Terrace. Any questions please call Marlene (262) 210-5918. Men may contact Jack R at (262) 492-5203.

Please pray for the health and safety of the members of our twinning parish St. Joseph Naggalama in Uganda Africa.

Market Day Truck Sale July 23

For "truck sale" pick up your order in the parish parking lot from 5:15-5:45 PM. It is also a "community" sale which means that several area schools will participate to give us a 15% profit! Stock up on chicken steaks for grilling. For details, call Dawn Mann at [\(262\) 763-2464](tel:262-763-2464). Use code #30153

CCHS Summer Blood Drive July 24th

Wednesday, July 24 from 2:30-6:30 PM (Topper Hall)

Every attempting donor will receive a free Walworth County Fair ticket. Call Samuel Joski at (262) 210-2470 or sjoski@cchsnet.org or register online at www.bcw.edu/catholiccentralhs. **Appointments encouraged. Walk-ins welcome.** Your school is eligible to win an Ultimate Share Scholarship. Please bring a photo ID.

The Divine Mercy

Readings available in the parish office or on the internet at thedivinemercy.org/library/dm101.php

Prayer for Vocations

Father, in the power of the Spirit, you send us forth to build up your kingdom. I pray especially for those whom you are calling to serve the church as priests, deacons, sisters and brothers. Help them to hear and answer your call to discipleship.
Amen.

Relevant Radio 100.1FM: Take your faith beyond Sunday and into the rest of the week. Tune in to Relevant Radio 100.1FM or listen online at www.relevantradiomilwaukee.com

Please Register on Our Website

Log on to www.stmb.org for information about Parish Organizations and Ministries, Ministry Schedules, Current Events, Parish Bulletins, Church Pictures, Calendar, Announcements . . .

As a registered member you may:

-Subscribe to Email News & Announcements

-Participate in Parish Pages Classifieds Area

-Access "member only" pages

And much, much more . . .

Family Fun Day in Brighton August 3rd

St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church Family Fun Day and Auction Saturday, Aug. 3rd at 3:00 PM. Celebrating 175 years as a Faith Community! Check out our museum. (Located on the upper floor in the school). Children's games begin at 3:00 PM, Burgers, Brats, Chicken Sandwiches, Refreshments. Booze Barrel Raffle all day. Outdoor Mass at 4:00 PM. Treasure tables at 3:00 PM. Small antique items. Cow Maneuver. Auction at 6:30 PM. (1 mile south of Hwy 142 on Hwy X/240th Ave).

Parish Website

For parish information, go to www.stmb.org

Parish Council Members

Steve Corbisier (895-6850), **Susan Gutschow** (763-0979), **Mike Huberty** (723-3314), **John Kendall** (661-4320), **Katherine Lavieri** (878-0289); **Terri Newbury** (Trustee, 763-6317); **Norma Roanhouse** (Secretary, 763-3766); **Barbara Scherrer** (Chairperson, 763-7518); **Jim Schuster** (Trustee, 763-0897); **Jim Vos** (Vice-Chairperson, 763-9710), **Tim Warren** (539-3314).

We warmly welcome new members to our faith community. If you would like to join our parish, registration forms are available in church. Please complete the form and return it to the church office. **Sacraments:** **Marriage**-Couples should call St. Mary Catholic Church's pastor 6 months to one year before the wedding date. **Baptism**-Call the office prior to your child's baptism. A preparation class for parents is required. Baptisms are held the first and third weekend of the month. **Reconciliation**-is held the second, fourth and fifth weekend of the month from 3:30-4 PM in the chapel. **Communion, Confirmation and Anointing of the Sick**-Call the office. If it is after hours, listen for the emergency number.

Mass Time Assistance

Wheelchair available in the closet of the Good Shepherd Chapel that is for your use if you need assistance getting in to or out of Church.

Hearing Assistance: If you need a hearing device during Mass, please contact ushers.



We Need to Hear From You

If you are at the Hospital, Shut-In, or Homebound and would like Holy Communion, please let us know. We care about you. Please call 763-1500.

Parish Staff Directory (262) 763-1500

Fr. Jim Volkert (Pastor); **Susanne Snyder** (Director of Music); **Sue Vrzan** (Director of Administrative Services); **Dianne Smetana** (Parish Secretary); **Cheryl Theigs** (Pastoral Minister to the Aging, Sick and Homebound); **Loretta Jackson** (Grade School Principal); **Deb Butler** (Assistant Principal); **Barb Porcaro** (Preschool Director); **Margie Robers** (Director of Religious Education); **Jim & Kathy Martin** Youth Ministry (Life Teen).

Stewardship and Debt Reduction Report

Amount collected 07/14/13 from 178 envelopes	\$7,896.00
Offertory	\$1,634.25
Parish Pay Donations from 178 contributors	\$18,601.70
Total	\$28,131.95
Amount Given Fiscal Year to Date	\$38,636.34
Amount Budgeted to Date (2 weeks)	-\$35,192.30
Difference	\$3,444.04
Amount Budgeted for fiscal year (52 weeks)	\$915,000.00
Amount still needed for fiscal year	\$876,363.66
Amount needed per week to reach budget (50 weeks)	\$17,527.27

Parish Debt Reduction

Goal	\$650,000.00
Amount Collected through 7/14/13 from 427 families	-\$469,023.87
Amount still needed	\$180,976.13
Fr. Clete Uhen Bequest	-\$75,000.00

Thank you for the tremendous response to our Debt Reduction campaign. Please continue to pray for the success of our efforts. May God who has begun the good work here bring it to fulfillment. -Fr. Jim

Prayer Intention Book: For your convenience we keep a prayer petition book on a table in the back of church. Please write special petitions for each Sunday in the book which will be presented to the priest at Mass.

Ministers	Sat. 4:30 PM July 27	Sunday 8:00 July 28	Sun. 10:30 July 28	USHERS
Greeters: State Street McHenry N McHenry S	Voslar Heck Delay	Raboine Wiskes Donnelly	Porubsky Muellenbach Wehner	8:00 PM - Matt Daniels, Ralph Heck, Glenn Lois, Don Warren, Gerald Weber
Servers	A. Hannula B. Hannula I. Hannula	Z. Campbell F. Fisher H. Hovland	E. Guttschow N. Huberty S. Huberty	
Bread 1 Bread 2 Bread 3 Cup 1 Cup 2	Dianna Nienhaus Bill ritzman Barb Scherrer Kathryn Siebenaller Mary Norgaard	Jerry Liesemeyer Norma Roanhouse Anne Pohlman Bob Wheelock Lonna Wheelock	Doreen Vande Velde Terri Rach Colleen Huberty Brenda Wright Anton Nickolai	8:00 AM - Dan Creek, Andrew & Kathy Dorn, Jim Hensgen, Joyce & Les Mastalir, Tim Vos, Bob Thompson
Lector Lector	1 2	M. Mikula L. Janette	A. Corbisier S. Corbisier	10:30 AM- R. Reesman, Mary/Ralph Rice, Judy Correll, Deb/Russ Weis

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