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# CONGRATULATIONS TO THE CONFIRMANDI OF 2021

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• • • • • **Gift of the Spirit** • • • • •

**Wisdom**

The ability to see things as they truly are in an open-minded manner, helps a person value the things of God.  
A person who has wisdom learns from mistakes, grows in self-confidence, is open to God's Word.

**Understanding**

A heart that accepts, cares, listens, understands, forgives, enables the person to grasp the truth.  
A person who has understanding sees all things in the light of God's love.

**Right Judgment/Counsel**

This is the ability to make good and wise decisions.  
A person who has right judgment sees and correctly chooses the best practical approach in serving God.

**Knowledge**

The ability to comprehend the truths of the universe helps one see the path to follow and the dangers to one's faith.  
A person who has knowledge is open to the truth and is willing to search for it.

**Courage/Fortitude**

The strength to do what is right in spite of challenges steels a person's resolve in overcoming obstacles to living the faith.  
A person who has courage is unafraid of growing, works at becoming the best one can be.

**Reverence/Piety**

A deep respect for God, for others, for self, and for all creation  
fills a person with confidence in God and an eagerness to serve God.  
A person who has piety expresses love and need of God in daily life.

**Wonder and Awe/Fear of the Lord**

A sense of the greatness and majesty of God, coupled with a deep realization of God's nearness,  
makes a person keenly aware of God's greatness and the respect due to God.  
A person who has fear of the Lord keeps alive God's awesome presence.

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October 10, 2021 • Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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## Dear Friends

### **Praised be Jesus Christ!**

Last week I shared that October is dedicated to our Blessed Mother, in part, because we celebrate the Memorial of Our Lady of the Rosary. That memorial was just a few days ago on October 7. You also know that October is Respect Life Month here in the United States. Bringing these two focuses together, the parish Respect Life Team is leading the rosary at 6:30 pm during Eucharistic Adoration on the Mondays of October in church.

The rosary has a long history. It started as an offshoot of a devotion of praying 150 Our Fathers, which was an imitation of the 150 Psalms. Then people started praying 150 Hail Marys. Imagine that for a penance! Soon a mystery of Jesus' life was attached to each Hail Mary. There's a legend that Mary gave a rosary to St. Dominic and that sparked its use. What is for certain is that one of St. Dominic's followers, Alan de la Roche, founded the Confraternity of the Rosary in the fifteenth century. In the sixteenth century the rosary was formed into the prayer we recognize today with the fifteen mysteries (Joyful, Sorrowful, and Glorious). In 2002 St. Pope John Paul II added the Luminous mysteries.

St. Louis de Montfort is a French priest ordained in 1700, and in modern vernacular we might say he is the "leading expert" on Marian devotion. In fact, his personal motto "*Totus Tuus*" ("completely yours") was chosen by St. Pope John Paul II as his episcopal motto. St. De Montfort has written a couple of books that are quite powerful. One of the them is *Love of Eternal Wisdom* and another is *Secret of the Rosary*. I'd like to share a couple of passages of his writing with you.

"For me I know of no better way of establishing the kingdom of God, Eternal Wisdom, than to unite vocal and mental prayer by saying the holy Rosary and meditating on its fifteen mysteries (*Love of Eternal Wisdom #193*).

"The Rosary is the most powerful weapon to touch the Heart of Jesus, Our Redeemer, who loves His Mother" (*Secret of the Rosary*).

As we continue through the month of October, let us continue to build our relationship with our Blessed Mother so that we can draw ever closer to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. I hope you consider joining us on one, or all, of the Mondays in October to pray together.

***Our Lady of the Rosary... pray, for us!***

..... ✞ Blessings, Fr. Aaron

## Liturgical Schedule and Mass Intentions

### **Monday, October 11**

8:15 am Mass  
4:00 pm Eucharistic Adoration

### **Tuesday, October 12**

8:15 am Mass - *School Liturgy (Grades 1 through 8)*

### **Wednesday, October 13**

8:15 am Mass

### **Thursday, October 14**

8:15 am Mass  
5:00 pm Reconciliation

### **Friday, October 15**

8:15 am Mass  
† Melvin Lukomski  
† Della Mackus  
† Melenchuk Family  
† Barbara and George Niemczycki  
• Jenny Kaldor

### **Saturday, October 16**

4:00 pm Mass (AL)

### **Sunday, October 17**

7:15 am (AL), 9:00 am (LB), 11:00 am (LB) Masses  
† John Heiberger  
† Carl Volkoff  
† Greg Klosowski  
† Jack and Audrey Kane  
† Michael and Joseph Rausch  
† Frank Harycki  
† Della Mackus  
† Dolores Siejkowski  
† Ralph Feiertag  
† Theresa Peterson  
† Ann Jendusa  
• Brian Gorzalski  
• The living and deceased members of St. Mary Catholic Faith Community

AL: Fr. Aaron Laskiewicz  
LB: Fr. Leonard Barbian  
XAV: Xaverian Missionary Fathers

### **Video Notification**

We are delighted to announce that St. Mary faith community will be featured in a 2022 Catholic Stewardship Appeal video. Please know we will be filmed on Sunday, October 24, 2021 during part or all of the 9:00 am Mass.

***Please remember and pray for our High School Confirmands as they and we celebrate their affirmation of the gift of faith, sealing the work of the Spirit begun in baptism. May they continue to deepen their relationship to God, as Creator, Redeemer, and Spirit, as well as to our faith community. Along with us, may they strive to grow and mature as Missionary Disciples of Jesus Christ.***

## Pray for:

Gerry Daly • Carmen Katz • Amy Krueger  
Phyllis Nickchen • Lisa Przybayla • Kenneth Voss

## In Loving Memory

May the Risen Lord grant eternal rest and peace to:

**Mary Alice Grineus** - wife of the late John; mother of Gayle (Norm) Reynolds and Karen (Tim) Hetzel; grandmother of Christian (Margaret) Reynolds, Kelly (Christopher) Ulm, Laura Reynolds, Leslie (Jim) Westover, Kirk (Susan) Hetzel, Melissa (Matt) Lawrenz, and Travis (Heidi) Hetzel; great-grandmother of Nolan, Sawyer, Calvin, James, Samantha, Patrick, Nathan, Ryan, and Michael; further survived by other relatives and friends.

**Robert T. Wehr** - husband of Patti; father of Todd (Rachele), Tammi Rakovich, and Daniel (Teresa); grandfather of Lauren, Tyler, Hannah, Zachary, Connor, Cameron, Alex, Anne, and Logan; brother of Kathy Filut (Bob), Michael (Diane), and the late Janet; further survived by other relatives and friends.

The Catholic Faith Community of St. Mary extends our condolences to their families and friends. May they find comfort in God's love and promise.



## Mass of Remembrance

**Wednesday, November 3, 2021**  
**6:30 pm Mass**  
**and Candle Lighting Ceremony**

Each year, St. Mary Parish invites the families of those who have died throughout the year to a Mass of Remembrance. Here you will receive a candle with your loved one's name on it, and hear your loved one's name called in a beautiful ritual celebrating their lives. The candles are for your family to keep and to light

on special occasions, especially during the holidays. Come at least fifteen minutes before Mass begins so that you can secure your candle. Your entire family is welcome to come to pray together and feel the support of the community.

Look for your invitation to this special memorial event in the mail. If you do not receive one, please contact Lisa Fox at 414-425-2174, ext. 220, or [foxl@stmaryhc.org](mailto:foxl@stmaryhc.org). **Please make reservations by Tuesday, October 26, letting Lisa know how many will attend.** Hospitality ministers will welcome you and help you and your family at Church. Knit/crocheted prayer shawls will be available for you, too. Come and be blessed!

### Light and Shadow

*In faith there is enough light for those who want to believe and enough shadows to blind those who don't.* - Blaise Pascal

## Readings - October 10 through October 17, 2021

**Sunday:** Wis 7:7-11; Ps 90:12-17; Heb 4:12-13; Mk 10:17-27

**Monday:** Rom 1:1-7; Ps 98:1bcde, 2-4; Lk 11:29-32

**Tuesday:** Rom 1:16-25; Ps 19:2-5; Lk 11:37-41

**Wednesday:** Rom 2:1-11; Ps 62:2-3, 6-7, 9; Lk 11:42-46

**Thursday:** Rom 3:21-30; Ps 130:1b-6b; Lk 11:47-54

**Friday:** Rom 4:1-8; Ps 32:1b-2, 5, 11; Lk 12:1-7

**Next Sunday:** Is 53:10-11; Ps 33:4-5, 18-20, 22; Heb 4:14-16; Mk 10:35-45



## Attention High School Students

Have you ever wondered about the Church's teaching on LGBTQ+?

Why women can't be priests?

The meaning of suffering?

How about pre-marital sex? Abortion?



We are starting up a group for high school students that will explore these and other questions.

**All high school teens are invited to attend the first meeting on Tuesday, October 19 at 7:00 pm in the Gathering Space.**

For more information, please reach out to Julianne Elouadih at 414-425-2174, ext. 246 or at [elouadihi@stmaryhc.org](mailto:elouadihi@stmaryhc.org).

## Jacob's Ladder

**Starting October 27**

St. Mary is again remembering our deceased loved ones in a special way by inviting you to place framed pictures or small mementos on our Jacob's Ladder during the month of November. Fill out the form below and tape it to the back of the picture or memento. You may then place the item on the ladder **right before or right after - not during, please** - any **regular** daily or weekend Mass. Please do not submit any items that you feel you could not risk losing.



Name of person pictured:

\_\_\_\_\_

Submitted by: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_





## Circle of Love 2021: Still brightening the holidays for those in need!

Dear St. Mary Parishioners,

Last year, despite the COVID-19 pandemic, you made Christmas merrier for hundreds of people in need through your generous financial contributions to the Circle of Love. Individuals and families who otherwise would have faced a bleak Christmas due to illness or financial hardship instead felt loved and cared about, thanks to you.

This year, the Circle of Love begins with a combination of caution and hope: **caution**, because due to the spread of the pandemic's Delta variant, we still need to protect our parishioners and gift recipients; **and hope**, because we all hope and pray this is the last Christmas we'll be dealing with COVID-19!

This Christmas, you can once again share your blessings and bring Christmas joy to someone in need through your financial contribution to the Circle of Love. All contributions will be used specifically for Christmas gifts.

### Here's how you can make a financial contribution:

1. **Select your gift recipient(s) from the Contribution Form** on the back of this sheet. Eight of the gift recipient categories are our ministry partner organizations; the ninth is called "Use my contribution where it's needed most." Beside each category's name is a description of how your contribution will be used.
2. **Check the box(es)** of the category(ies) to which you want to direct your contribution, indicate the dollar amount you want to give to each category you choose, and write a separate check payable to each organization. Write "Circle of Love" on the memo line.
3. **Please return your check(s) and contribution form to St. Mary by Monday, November 15th**, either by mail or by placing them in the locked box outside the Parish Office, Monday - Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

**And there's an additional option this year if you prefer to shop for gifts:** A list of items needed by our ministry partner organizations will be posted on the St. Mary website, [www.stmaryhc.org](http://www.stmaryhc.org), by October 1st. You are welcome to purchase items from that list and bring them to our drive-through gift collection in the upper parking lot on Saturday, December 4th. Please see the website for more details.

**Do you want to request a Circle of Love gift for someone?** If you know of individuals or families who are struggling with personal or financial hardship, you are invited to request a gift for them. Simply download the request form from our website or use the form in the October 10th bulletin.

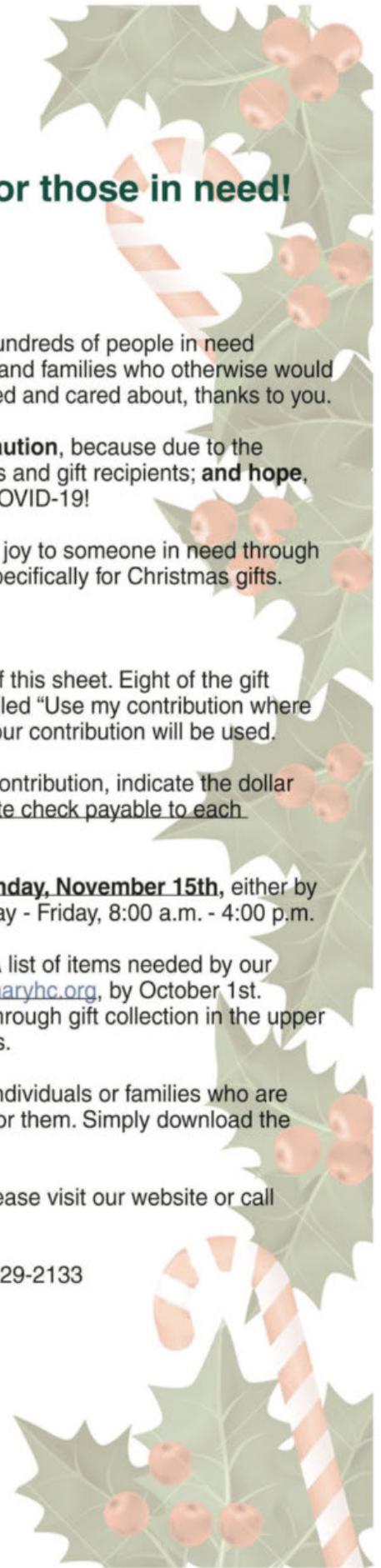
For the most complete information about this year's Circle of Love program, please visit our website or call either of our Circle of Love coordinators:

Joan Maro: 414/630-7732 or Ruth Strekow: 414/529-2133

**Thank you** for helping to make Christmas merrier for those in need!

Blessings,

Pam Lownik, Director of Social Concerns



# Circle of Love Contribution Form

Please select a box or boxes and enter the amount of your contribution:

- CAPUCHIN COMMUNITY SERVICES** [www.capuchincommunityservices.org](http://www.capuchincommunityservices.org): Your contribution will help families who have difficulty affording gifts and toys for children. Please make check payable to Capuchin Community Services.
- CONGREGATION OF THE GREAT SPIRIT** [www.greatspirit.net](http://www.greatspirit.net): Your contribution will provide clothing and toys for children, and food for families' Christmas dinners. Please make check payable to Congregation of the Great Spirit.
- FRANCISCAN PEACEMAKERS** [www.franciscanpeacemakers.org](http://www.franciscanpeacemakers.org): Your contribution will provide Christmas gifts for the Franciscan Street Ministry Program and Hospitality Center. Please make check payable to Franciscan Peacemakers.
- NIA IMANI** [www.niainanifamily.org](http://www.niainanifamily.org): Your contribution will be used to purchase gift cards for mothers and children who are homeless. Please make check payable to Nia Imani.
- PATHFINDERS** [www.pathfindersmke.org](http://www.pathfindersmke.org): Your contribution will provide gift cards for youth to use to buy clothing, health and beauty products, and special food items. Please make check payable to Pathfinders.
- REPAIRERS OF THE BREACH** [www.repairers.org](http://www.repairers.org): Your contribution will be used to provide basics such as sweatshirts, socks, and personal care items. Please make check payable to Repairers of the Breach.
- ST. VINCENT DE PAUL** [www.svdpmilw.org](http://www.svdpmilw.org): Your contribution will be used to purchase food and gift cards for individuals using the SVDP food pantry. Please make check payable to St. Vincent de Paul.
- WOMEN'S SUPPORT CENTER** [www.wscmil.org](http://www.wscmil.org): Your contribution will be used to provide gifts such as baby clothing, car seats, toys, and layette items. Please make check payable to Women's Support Center.
- USE MY CONTRIBUTION WHERE IT'S NEEDED MOST:** Your contribution will be used to purchase gift cards or other gifts for members of St. Mary parish and school who are experiencing hardship, and for individuals in the community who are sponsored by St. Mary parishioners. Please make check payable to St. Mary.

**Total Contribution Enclosed: \$** \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please write "Circle of Love" on the memo line of each check.)

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

Please return this form to St. Mary with your check(s) by **Monday, November 15, 2021.**

**By mail:**  
St. Mary Catholic Faith Community  
9520 W. Forest Home Avenue  
Hales Corners, WI 53130

**Or in person:**  
Drop in the locked box  
outside the Parish Office  
Monday – Friday, 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

## 2021 Circle of Love Gift Card Request Form

Please complete and return this form **by November 1, 2021** to request a gift card to brighten the holidays for someone in need. *PLEASE PRINT* and use a separate form for each request.

SPONSOR'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

RECIPIENT'S GENDER: \_\_\_\_\_ RECIPIENT'S AGE: \_\_\_\_\_

**Check the preferred gift card below.** The gift card amount will be determined by the contributions collected.

Pick 'n Save

Kwik Trip

Target

Walmart

We anticipate that gift cards will be available by Tuesday, December 14<sup>th</sup>. You will be contacted when the cards are available, and a date and time will be scheduled for you to pick them up at St. Mary. You will need to show photo identification when you pick up the card(s), and you will be asked to sign a form to indicate you received the card(s).

**Mail this form to:** St. Mary, 9520 W. Forest Home Ave., Hales Corners, WI 53130  
**OR** drop it in the locked box outside the Parish Office, Monday – Friday, 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

*Questions? Call Ruth: 414-529-2133 or Joan: 414-630-7732*

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Help the Needy in the Milwaukee Area

# Social Concerns and Outreach

## Winter Coat Drive

in the Gathering Space



before and after Masses on

**Saturday, October 30**

**Sunday, October 31**

**Coats of all sizes are needed.**

Financial donations are also accepted. Write checks payable to "St. Mary Parish" with "Coat Drive" on the memo line.

Coats will be distributed to SVdP, Repairers of the Breach, St. Ben's, Nia Imani Family Inc., and Pathfinders.

For more information, contact Pam Lownik at [lownikp@stmaryhc.org](mailto:lownikp@stmaryhc.org).

## Announcements

### Memorial Walk to Remember

Sunday, October 10

Gather at 12:00-Noon, Walk Begins at 1:00 pm

Historic Hose Tower in Greendale • 5699 Parking Street

October is Infant Loss Awareness Month. Please join us in remembering the loss of those babies born briefly into the world: those who left us too soon due to miscarriage, stillbirth, early newborn death, and ectopic pregnancy. We miss you, we love you, we remember you always. We will walk together, honoring you with every step, a one-mile loop beginning and ending at the Historic Hose Tower. Grief resources will be provided. Free parking is available nearby.

### Prayer Shawl Ministry

Monday, October 11, from 10:30 am to 12:30 pm

The Meeting Room

Prayer Shawl Ministry typically meets on the second Monday of each month. However, you can participate on your own time - you do not have to attend any given meeting if your schedule doesn't allow for it. Kits with yarn are available. For more information, please contact Jean Fugate at 414-525-0105.

### St. Ben's

This Thursday, October 14, it is the privilege of our St. Mary Catholic Faith Community to provide and serve the evening meal at St. Ben's in downtown Milwaukee. St. Ben's offers a community atmosphere for the homeless, underemployed, and struggling families that are our neighbors.

If you are one of our food donors, please bring your food that day to the carts outside the Parish Office, from 8:30 am to 3:00 pm, or to the upper parking lot, from 3:00 to 3:30 pm.

If you would like to join us in this ministry, and would be willing to prepare and donate food or serve the meal, please contact Pat Brust at 414-241-2931 or at [brustpat@gmail.com](mailto:brustpat@gmail.com). Also, monetary donations are appreciated. Make checks payable to St. Ben's Meal. Thank you!

### In Gratitude...

The members of Knights of Columbus Trinity Council 4580 express their sincere "Thank You" to St. Mary Parish, the St. Mary Parish Respect Life Committee, and the third-grade students at St. Mary Parish School.

Your assistance and inclusion allowed us to collect over \$747.00 to support respect life programs at St. Mary and in Southeast Wisconsin.

### Public Square Fatima Rosary Rally

Saturday, October 16, 12:00-noon to 1:00 pm

St. John the Evangelist Parish (on the 84th Street sidewalk)

Bring a lawn chair.



You're Invited to St. Mary Parish

## Volunteer Appreciation Recital and Reception

Sunday, October 24 at 4:00 pm

in the Church

Volunteers are the backbone of St. Mary Catholic Faith Community. It is because of the many, many talented and giving volunteers for liturgy and pastoral care throughout my years as Director of Liturgy and Music and as Director of Worship and Pastoral Care, that I had such success in serving St. Mary.

Fr. Aaron is graciously allowing me to show my appreciation for the volunteers who have supported the liturgy and pastoral care ministries. As a gesture of my gratitude, I invite you to an hour-long recital on Sunday, October 24 at 4:00 pm. A simple reception will follow. While there have been literally hundreds of volunteers over the years, a limit of 150 guests may attend. To plan appropriately, we ask that you RSVP by Tuesday, October 19, and bring your ticket to the recital. Please remember, this is MY WAY OF SAYING THANK YOU to all of you (please, no gifts)!

..... ☞ Dan O'Connor

RSVP at

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/st-mary-volunteer-appreciation-recital-rsvp-required-tickets-182026314607?aff=ebdssbdestsearch>

If you have any questions,  
please contact Dan at 414-444-2244.

☞ God Knows Best ☞

God's creative wisdom was at its best when making humans. There are four holes in the head for information to go in, and only one for it to go out.

- Anonymous -

## Announcements

### Young At Heart - Active Seniors 55+

#### **Koffee Klatch\***

**Second Tuesdays of the Month; Doors Open at 11:30 am**  
**Clifford's Supper Club • Hales Corners**

Join us for a tasty lunch featuring an entree choice of broasted chicken, breaded pork chops, or baked Icelandic Cod. A baked potato, salad, rolls, dessert, and beverage are included. A cash bar is also offered. All entrées are \$15, and include entertainment featured on the following dates:

**Tuesday, October 12 - Lee Lycan, Comedian.**

**Tuesday, November 9 - Joe Kadlec, vocalist and musician plays acoustic guitar and mandolin and sings pop, rock, and country.**

\* Everyone is welcome, but you must pre-register. Sign-up forms can be found in the YAH Newsletter, or call Shirley Sobczak at 414-281-0654. Registration closes on the Saturdays prior to the luncheons.

### **Other Upcoming Trips and Events**

*Please sign up soon to guarantee your place!*

**Friday November 19, 8:00 am to 4:00 pm**

#### **Christmas Market in Kohler**

with 100 vendors and three-course luncheon  
\$73 members, \$76 non-members

**Thursday, December 9**

#### **11:00 am Social Hour**

**Noon Annual Young At Heart Luncheon and Entertainment**  
**Tuckaway County Club**

\$39 members, \$42 non-members

**Sunday, January 23, 10:30 am to 5:00 pm,**

#### **"4 Weddings and an Elvis"**

**Sunset Playhouse in Elm Grove**

with lunch (three options) at the Machine Shed in Pewaukee  
\$75 members, \$78 non-members

If you have any questions about the trips, call Jo Beauchamp at 414-422-1123 or Polly Oldenburg at 262-894-6450. More information is also found in the Young At Heart Member Newsletter. If you are not a member, consider signing up today! Contact YAH Board Members, Jerry or Mary Mudlaff, at 414-425-2441.

### **The 14th Annual Women of Christ® Conference**

**Saturday, November 6**

**Washington County Fair Park • West Bend**

This year's theme, "Let Him In", inspires us to invite Jesus into our hearts. Hear captivating talks from the duo Sisters of Life and Fr. John Burns, Patty Schneier, Fr. Leo Patalinghug, and Fr. Nick Baumgardner. Confession and Adoration will be available. Archbishop Jerome Listcki will celebrate closing Mass at 4:00 pm. Vendor Market will be open until 3:00 pm.

Please register at [womenofchrist.net](http://womenofchrist.net). For more details, call 262-689-9725 or email [womenofchrist@gmail.com](mailto:womenofchrist@gmail.com). You may also contact local liaison and parishioner, Mary Forecki at 414-529-9663. Note: Mask wearing and social distancing will not be guaranteed at the conference.

## General Parish Information

**Parish Office Phone: 414-425-2174**

**Parish Website: [www.stmaryhc.org](http://www.stmaryhc.org)**

### General Liturgical Schedule

**Saturday: 4:00 pm Mass**

**Sunday: 7:15 am, 9:00 am, and 11:00 am Masses**

**Monday through Friday: 8:15 am Mass**

#### **Eucharistic Adoration**

Monday evening, 4:00 to 9:00 pm

#### **Rite of Reconciliation**

Thursday evening, 5:00 to 6:00 pm, or by appointment

### Parish Office Hours

**Monday through Thursday: 8:00 am to 4:00 pm**

**Friday: 8:00 am to 12:00-noon**

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### **Parish Membership**

New-to-the-area families and individuals are welcome and invited to join St. Mary Catholic Faith Community. Young adults should join as members on their own. You may register online by emailing the Parish Office or in person at the Parish Office during our regular office hours. Registration is required for Baptism, First Reconciliation, First Eucharist Preparation, Confirmation, Marriage, and enrollment in Catholic Formation (religious education) programs.

### **Infant Baptism**

Baptisms are celebrated generally on the second and fourth Sundays of the month at 1:00 and 2:00 pm (four families per time slot). Please contact the Parish Office during the first trimester. Baptism preparation work is required for parents.

### **The Sacrament of Matrimony**

The Sacrament of Matrimony may be celebrated most Fridays and Saturdays of the year, with the exception of the Seasons of Advent and Lent. The bride or the groom or both must be registered as members of the parish and are expected to be attending Mass regularly. Weddings must be scheduled at least nine months before the actual wedding date. For more details or to schedule a wedding, please contact the pastor.

### **Pastoral Care Ministry**

If you are going to have surgery or if you suddenly take ill and would like a priest to anoint you, please call the Parish Office and let the administrative assistants know you would like the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. Also, Pastoral Care ministers can call and pray with you if you are ill or as you recover; again, please call the Parish Office staff to set up a connection with a Pastoral Care minister.

### **St. Vincent de Paul Outreach**

St. Mary St. Vincent de Paul Society is available to serve those who need food or other resources. If you need assistance, call the Parish Office at 414-425-2174 and at the voice prompt, enter extension 310. A St. Vincent de Paul representative will call you back to discuss your needs.

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