

# Holy Family

## Catholic Community



### St. Mary's

1158 North Second Street  
Eldorado, IL 62930

Mass: Saturday - 5 pm



### St. Mary

2000 West Poplar Street  
Harrisburg, IL 62946

Mass: Sunday - 10:30 am

**Confessions: 30 minutes before weekend Masses or by appointment.**  
**The Rosary is recited at each Mass 20 minutes before the Mass time scheduled.**

## PRIEST:

### FR. CHRISTIAN IWUAGWU

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**St. Mary Harrisburg & St. Mary's Eldorado**

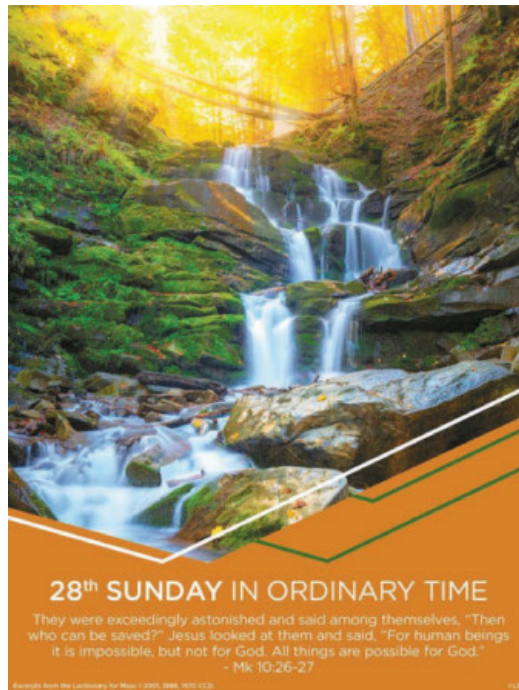
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### 28<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

They were exceedingly astonished and said among themselves, "Then who can be saved?" Jesus looked at them and said, "For human beings it is impossible, but not for God. All things are possible for God."  
- Mk 10:26-27

#### FUNERAL POLICY

Please contact our parish priests before any arrangements are made with the funeral home involving the priest and the church.

#### OUR HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS

**Rosary Guild** meets 1st Sunday of each month at 3:00 pm at St. Mary's Eldorado Parish Center.

**Holy Name Men's Society of St. Mary's Eldorado**, meet 2nd Monday of each month in the St. Mary's Parish Center in Eldorado at 7:00 pm from March thru October 6:00 pm from November thru February.

**St. Mary's Altar Society of St. Mary's Eldorado**, Meet the 4th Monday of the months March, April, May, September, October & December at 6:00 pm in the St. Mary's Parish Center in Eldorado.

**Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary** meet 3rd Wednesday of each month at 6:00 pm in the St. Mary Parish Center in Harrisburg.

**Knights of Columbus** meet 2nd Wednesday of each month at 6:00 pm in the St. Mary Parish Center in Harrisburg.

**Holy Name Men's Society of St. Mary Harrisburg**, 3rd Sunday of each month following 10:30 Mass.

#### Gift Shop

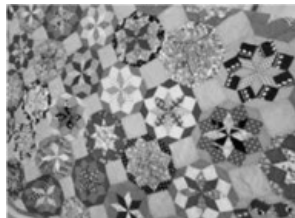
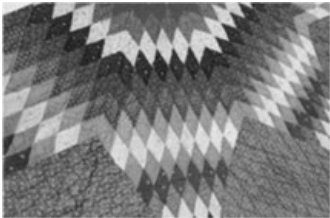
St. Mary's gift shop is open before and after Mass at the main entrance of St. Mary's Eldorado Church.  
Contact Mona Edwards at 618-926-0390.

**OCTOBER 9TH AND 10TH, 2021**  
**28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Website address: <http://www.holyfamilycatholics.com>

## QUILT RAFFLE

St. Joseph's Council of Catholic Women is holding a Quilt Raffle. Two beautiful handmade quilts (one being over 80 years old) were donated by parishioner Ms. Freda Siener whose mother and grandmother made the quilts. The quilts are on display in the Elizabethtown Parish Hall and tickets may be purchased after Mass in the hall until Dec 5 (or until limited tickets are sold). Please see or call Debbie Soward (285.3585) if you would like to purchase a ticket. **Tickets are \$10 each and only 100 tickets will be sold for each quilt.** One of the group's major fundraisers, the Fall Bazaar, was canceled last year and again this year, so the Quilt raffle will help us contribute to various local organizations and needs such as the Pope-Hardin Senior Citizen Nutrition Sites, Shawnee Development Food Pantry, fire victims, nursing home residents, school Snack-Pak Program, and more. Drawing will be held after Mass on Sunday, Dec 5. Need not be present to win. Thank you for helping our women's group continue to help our local community.



### Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time 10 October 2021

Wisdom 7:7-11. Psalm 90:12-13, 14-15, 16-17.  
Hebrews 4:12-13. Mark 10:17-30.

**Living for Eternal Life.** Let us put ourselves into the gospel story today. All of us want to "inherit eternal life." All of us strive to do what God commands, to do what is right and just. All of us strive to not let the things we have possess us. But it is hard going – impossible without reliance on God. This eternal life for which we long, this Kingdom of God in which we live now, is begun already in us and is fulfilled in completeness when we see God face-to-face for ever.

What gets in my way of gaining eternal life – things, attitudes, behaviors?

What mercy work will I do that lets me share what I have with someone in need?

How will I follow Jesus more closely this week?

## MASS INTENTIONS

October 9th & 10th, 2021

**St. Mary-Harrisburg:** *Parish Family*

**St. Mary's-Eldorado:** *Mary Ellen Mosby  
Kenneth "Bud" Schimp*

## WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

October 12th-15th, 2021

Tuesday 6:00 PM St. Mary Harrisburg  
Wednesday 8:00 AM St. Mary's, Eldorado  
Thursday 7:00 AM St. Mary Harrisburg-  
Adoration 6:30 AM  
Friday 8:00 AM St. Mary's Eldorado - Adoration 7:30

## UPDATED GUIDANCE ON MASKS DIOCESE OF BELLEVILLE

Based on the new State of Illinois mask mandate taking effect Monday, August 30, 2021, all individuals, regardless of their vaccinations status, age two and older, are required to wear a mask while indoors. This includes weekday and weekend Masses, Eucharistic adoration, children's liturgy of the Word, PSR, nursery, etc. Masking is also required at all indoor parish social events.

## Announcing the 104th Anniversary

### 2021 PUBLIC ROSARY RALLY CRUSADE

**What:** The Holy Rosary

**Where:** St. Mary Church Front Lawn

**When:** October 16, 2021 @ 12 Noon on Saturday

Bring your lawn chairs and join us. We should have ProLife Rosaries for you. We are praying for the conversion of our country. For info call 618-841-7810.

## LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

for the weekend October 16 & 17, 2021

5:00pm Saturday, St. Mary's, Eldorado  
Lector: Delores Grisham  
Eucharistic Minister: Charles Boulds  
Ushers: Kim Edwards, Eric Stricklin

8:00am Sunday, St. Paul's Vienna

10:30am Sunday, St. Mary, Harrisburg  
Lector: Carole Schneider  
Eucharistic Minister: Linda Scherrer

**Collections**  
**October 2 & 3, 2021**

St. Mary's Eldorado

Envelopes: \$3,338.00 Loose: \$100.00  
Guatemala: \$305.00

St. Mary Harrisburg

Envelopes: \$2,498.00 Loose: \$318.00  
Building/Roof Repair: \$995.00  
Alms: \$286.00

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**RCIA PERIOD OF INQUIRY**

How someone comes to consider joining the Catholic Church is unique to each individual. Years of marriage to a Catholic spouse, conversations with a Catholic friend or co-worker, or even something written or viewed in the media can move adults toward membership in the Catholic Church. The inquiry period is a time to seek, to ask questions, to begin to learn about the Catholic Church. There are no commitments made or asked during this time. Inquiry is designed for attendees' questions and to begin to feel comfortable with the Catholic community. If you know of anyone outside our Catholic community that has strayed away from the faith or has questions about the faith, please share this information. Let's grow our numbers. Classes will start September 7th at 6:30 p.m. at St. Mary parish hall.

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\*There will not be any masses Oct. 4-7 as Fr. Christian will be at Convocation.

**UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS:**

- Oct. 10th-CYO Meeting 6th grade & up 3-5pm HB
- Oct. 11th-Holy Name Men's Society Eldorado 7PM Eldorado
- Oct. 13th-Knights of Columbus 6PM HB
- Oct. 16th-Public Rosary Rally Crusade, Noon HB



Debbie Smith

**Roof Collection**

St. Mary Harrisburg has received pledges of \$79,060 of the estimated \$70,000 needed for our new roof. We have collected \$66,965 of the pledged amount. Thank you to all who have donated so far!

Those who still want to contribute to this capital campaign can place donations or pledge cards in the collection basket or bring/mail them to the parish office. We appreciate you.

**WANTED:** Men and women who like to sing! St. Mary Harrisburg is in urgent need of a choir in order to fully celebrate the Liturgy of the Eucharist. Kindly reply asap by calling 253-7408 or emailing stmaryhb@frontier.com and leaving your name and phone number. You will be contacted regarding practice dates and times.

**Sexual Abuse Hotline:**

Anyone wishing to report an allegation of sexual misconduct by a priest or other diocesan personnel, please call the hotline: 800-640-3044.

**PRAYER**

"Lord, thou hast won, at length I yield;  
My heart, by mighty grace compell'd,  
Surrenders all to thee;  
Against thy terrors long I strove,  
But who can stand against thy love?  
Love conquers even me."

(Lyrics by John Newton, 1779)



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| 10/1 Abbey Elders    | 10/13 David Molinarolo |
| 10/1 Jeff Whiting    | 10/13 Pat Schmitt      |
| 10/2 Diane Kovach    | 10/15 Paula Lindsey    |
| 10/9 Donald Etienne  | 10/17 Betty Dick       |
| 10/10 Jeanette Bond  | 10/21 Savi Wood        |
| 10/10 Oliver Marks   | 10/22 Joanne Lesinski  |
| 10/11 Diane Grisham  | 10/24 Mary Helen Cook  |
| 10/11 John Schmitt   | 10/25 Carla Pritchett  |
| 10/12 Jensen Hughes  | 10/29 Joey Etienne     |
| 10/12 Nolan Milligan | 10/31 Teresa Hughes    |





Knights of Columbus  
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age 18 or older are invited  
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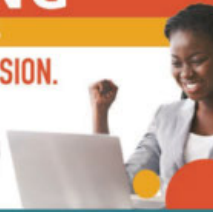
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