

# 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:

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

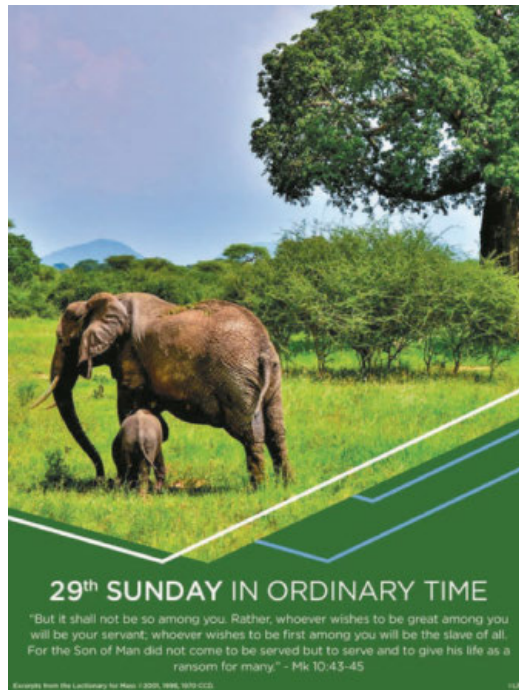
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### 29<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"But it shall not be so among you: Rather, whoever wishes to be great among you will be your servant; whoever wishes to be first among you will be the slave of all. For the Son of Man did not come to be served but to serve and to give his life as a ransom for many." - Mk 10:43-45

#### 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 16TH AND 17TH, 2021**  
**29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

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

## THANK YOU!

A special thank you to the KC's, KCLA, St. Mary's Altar Society, St. Ann's CCW, and all parishioners who donated to the Alzheimer's Association. Your generosity and support is greatly appreciated! Our Holy Family Catholic Community has raised \$1,990.50 so far. Donation updates will be noted in future bulletins.



**2021 Alzheimer's Walk**

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### Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time 17 October 2021

Isaiah 53:10-11. Psalm 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22.  
Hebrews 4:14-16. Mark 10:35-45.

What Do You Wish? We go to Jesus all the time, asking, pleading, wanting. We ask to be healthy; we plead to be safe; we want this, that, and the other for ourselves and for those we love. In our going to him, Jesus asks: "What do you wish me to do for you?" Then he listens. Sometimes our asking is right on. Sometimes it is pushy, overly ambitious, seeking top-dog status. Then Jesus says, do not be a bad king or queen; instead, act like a slave, be a servant. Grasping the cross is the way to the Kingdom of God.

.. What honor or prestige do I want that I really do not need?

.. When next I ask Jesus for what I wish, what needs of others will I also add to the list?

.. How will I serve and when will I serve others this week?

## MASS INTENTIONS

October 16th and 17th, 2021

**St. Mary-Harrisburg:** *Danny Ragan, Duane Rathbun*

**St. Mary's-Eldorado:** *Donna Koester, Hattie Ruiz*

## WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

October 19th-22nd, 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.

**October 17th** – "I was born in Chihuahua, Mexico, the home state of St. Pedro Maldonado, a martyr and Knight of Columbus. Almost every parish had a portrait of St. Pedro. His serene countenance and Padre "Chalio", our local parish priest, together became the face of the priesthood for me as a boy. When I was 11, we immigrated to the United States. I still wanted to be a priest but I later put this desire aside to pursue my version of the American dream. I went to college and planned for successful career in industrial engineering. Upon graduating, however, I came to a moment of honesty and clarity: I was not the happy man I had once dreamed of being. I then decided to put everything aside and try seminary. The rest is history."

Fr. Maricio Carrasco; Diocese of Little Rock;  
*Columbia Magazine*

## LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

for the weekend October 23 & 24, 2021

5:00pm Saturday, St. Mary's, Eldorado

Lector: Kay Barrow

Eucharistic Minister: Nancy McGuire

Ushers: David McGuire, Mike Scoffio

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

10:30am Sunday, St. Mary, Harrisburg

Lector: Nancy Lambert

Eucharistic Minister: Greg Price

**Collections**  
**October 9 & 10, 2021**  
St. Mary's Eldorado  
Envelopes: \$285.00 Loose: \$121.00

St. Mary Harrisburg  
Envelopes: \$593.00 Loose: \$136.00  
Building/Roof Repair: \$620.00  
Candle Money: \$5.00

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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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**UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS:**

- Oct. 17th-Holy Name Society-Meet after mass HB
- Oct. 17th-Community Church Picnic 3-6pm HB Park
- Oct. 18th-Parish Council Meeting HB
- Oct. 20th-Mass/Council Meeting 5:30pm Vienna
- Oct. 20th-KCLA Meeting 6pm HB

Debbie Smith



**Roof Collection**

St. Mary Harrisburg has received pledges of \$79,160 of the estimated \$70,000 needed for our new roof. We have collected \$67,585 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.

**COMMUNITY PICNIC**

A Community Picnic for local churches will be held on Sunday, October 17 from 3-6pm at the main stage at the Harrisburg Park.

There will be no charge to attend.

**Birthday Greetings**

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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    |



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