

**Monday, August 17**  
9:00 AM Ralph & Betty Miller +

**Tuesday, August 18**  
9:00 AM Joe Ryan +

**Wednesday, August 19**  
9:00 AM Darrell Peterson + Stephanie Jo Peterson  
Living Intention

**Thursday, August 20**  
9:00 AM NO MASS

**Friday, August 21**  
9:00 AM Tom Vaplon +

**Saturday, August 22**  
5:00 PM Earl & Mildred Kane +

**Sunday, August 23**  
10:00 AM Parishioners of St. Mary's & St. Patrick's

**PARISH SUPPORT AUGUST 9, 2020**

ADULT CHURCH SUPPORT \$1,720.00  
VIGIL CANDLES 48.10  
OFFERTORY 253.72  
WEDDING DONATION 150.00  
THANKSGIVING FOR SACRAMENTS 100.00  
BUILDING FUND \$735.00

AUGUST DIRECT DEPOSIT FOR  
CHURCH SUPPORT (41 Families) \$3,764.00

AUGUST DIRECT DEPOSIT FOR  
BLDG. FUND (11 Families) \$614.00

IF POSSIBLE REMEMBER ST. MARY'S IN YOUR  
WILL!

**August 22 & 23**  
5:00 PM Ann Schreck  
10:00 AM Dorothy Arendt



**August 29 & 30**  
5:00 PM Lynn Cunningham  
10:00 AM Volunteer

**CCW MEETING....** Our next meeting will be on Monday, August 31st, 7:00 PM in the dining hall. to make final arrangements for the garage sale.



Blood Drive at St. Mary of the Lake on Monday, August 24, 2020 from 1:00 PM to 6:00 PM. Please call 1-800-733-2767 or visit Red-CrossBlood.org and center: lakecitymn to schedule an appointment.

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**

Eucharistic Adoration is held at St. Mary's on Mondays from 7:00 AM - 8:00 PM. Come and spend some time with Jesus.

More volunteers are needed. Please call the church office if you are interested. (651-345-4134)

*"Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am meek and humble of heart; and you will find rest for yourselves. For my yoke is easy, and my burden light." Mt 11:28-30*

Too many times we try to shoulder all of our burdens in life. These burdens of course are too much for us. Then when we fail or fall from the load, we usually become discouraged. It is very important for us to recognize and accept the fact that we are weak and powerless. We are totally dependent upon God. Jesus says, "I am the vine, you are the branches. Without me you can do nothing" Jn 15:5. We can do nothing without God's help.

There is a great peace that comes with accepting the truth of our powerlessness and dependence upon God. We want to be independent. We want control over our life, but that is a lie and a trap. The good news for us is that God will take care of us and do all the heavy lifting if we surrender ourselves over to him and do his will.

God bless, Fr. Fasnacht

**FATHER FASNACHT'S 10:00 AM SUNDAY MASS can be viewed livestream or the recorded version on Father Fasnacht's Youtube Channel. At this time we are unable to stream on Facebook but go to Parish Website to watch.**



Market by the Lake, August 20. The bake sale is to help raise funds & bring awareness to human trafficking. Come out & help one of our students with their confirmation project. All proceeds will be going to assist Assisi Heights with their ongoing effort in the area to end human

**ST. MARY'S FALL GARAGE SALE.....**

Sale dates are Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, September 9th, 10 & 11th. Tuesday, September 8th will be set up day from 8 AM to 7 PM. Box up your treasures & bring into the hall starting on Monday, August 31st, 8AM.

**We will not take any electronics and any big items will need your name and phone number attached so that if they don't sell we will know who to call for pick up. Do not bring in big items if no one is in the office (that way we can make sure these items have names & phone numbers.)**

**No food or beverages will be available.**

**Masks must be worn & social distancing will be practiced.**

**Workers are needed, MEN & WOMEN. We need men to help with setting up tables & to carry items up from the basement on Tuesday.**

**SIGN UP SHEETS ARE ON THE TABLE IN THE GATHERING SPACE.**

**COVID-19 PROTOCOLS**

**No one is obliged to attend and the obligation to attend Sunday Mass is removed until further notice.**

**Volunteers Needed**

Please donate sanitizer wipes (purchased or home-made) to the Church. Mass goers will be asked to wipe down their seat after Mass with a sanitizing wipe provided by the church.

Help wipe down commonly used surfaces i.e., door handles, light switches, bathroom surfaces, etc. after each Mass.

Ushers & Lectors needed for Saturday & Sunday, call the office to sign up or see Father before Mass.

**General Safety Reminders:**

When coming forward for Holy Communion, please keep a 6 foot distance between each person & parishioners are asked to receive in the hand. If someone still wishes to receive on the tongue, they should be near the end of the communion line.

People are asked to not shake hands or greet each other by touching.

The Diocesan Safety Regulations advise that those who are 65 or older or have health issues to stay home but each person should make their own decision.

Please wash your hands often, use hand sanitizer and sneeze or cough into your elbow.

Due to Governor's face mask law, Minnesotan's must wear a face mask in indoor public settings unless you have an exemption or are under 5 years old. Some of our staff have a health exemption. Thank you.

**ST. PATRICK'S CATHOLIC CHURCH,**

**West Albany.** Friday, Saturday & Sunday from 9AM - 4PM, August 21, 22, & 23.

**MASKS WILL BE REQUIRED & PRACTICE SOCIAL DISTANCING. NO FOOD OR BEVERAGES WILL BE AVAILABLE.**

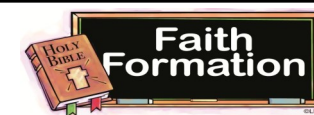


The Catholic Ministries Appeal is a primary source of funding to help sustain & expand ministries in parishes, Catholic schools, Newman Centers & countless programs & ministries of the diocesan church.

Your giving matters now more than ever. It is through the Catholic Ministries Appeal that the Church is able to **Share His Good Gifts With All.** Envelopes are available on the tables at the church entrances.

Or to make a gift online, please go to [www.catholicismn.org/catholic-ministries-appeal](http://www.catholicismn.org/catholic-ministries-appeal)

Remember in your prayers Robert Freese. His funeral was on Friday this week. May he Rest in Peace.



Email with registration have gone out. If you are new to the parish or have a 1st grader please contact Rachel Rath, 651-345-4134 or rach.raths@gmail.com. There are also extra registration forms on the table outside the office.

We are in **need** of 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, and 8<sup>th</sup> grade teachers for this coming Faith Formation year. If interested, please contact the office at 651-345-4134.



Register today for First Choice Clinic's 5K Run & Walk for Life - August 28th & 30th. Due to Covid-19 & restrictions on large group gatherings this will be a virtual event. We are asking participants to complete the 5K at their own pace & place.

Please consider inviting others to join you, abiding by all the guidelines & restrictions of course.

To register, go to [www.FirstChoiceClinicRW.com](http://www.FirstChoiceClinicRW.com) under the events tab for more information & to register or call FCC at 651-267-4357. Or go to parish website: [stmary-sandstpatricksmn.org](http://stmary-sandstpatricksmn.org)

Shirts will be available after Sept. 14th for any registrations placed between August 7th-28th.

Questions call 651-267-4357

or email [info@firstchoiceclinicrw.com](mailto:info@firstchoiceclinicrw.com)

**Ordination of a Deacon**

The Most Reverend John M. Quinn

Bishop of Winona-Rochester invites you to participate via livestream in the Ordination to the Sacred Order of Deacon on Sunday, August 23, 2020, 2:00 pm at the Basilica of St. Stanislaus Kostka in Winona, Minnesota

For access to the livestream, please visit one of the following:

<https://www.youtube.com/user/DioceseofWinona>  
<https://www.facebook.com/DioceseWinonaRochester/>

**Deacon Candidates:**

Kevin Aaker	Scot Berkley	Frank Cesario
Randay Horlocker	William Keiper	Steven Landsteiner
John LaValla	Robert Miller	Scot Schwalbe
Terrence Smith	Michael Zaccariello	

**NOVENA FOR OUR NATION**

The time is now to call upon God, through the powerful intercession of Our Lady of the Rosary, to heal our country & return it to holiness. Join the 54-Day Rosary Novena beginning August 15 & ending on October 7 - Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary. More information: <https://rosarycoastcoast.com/novena-for-our-nation/>