

Monday, AUGUST 2

7:00 AM - 8:00 PM NO ADORATION

11:15 AM - Mary K Johnson +

Tuesday, August 3

11:15 AM Bill Ogle & Deceased & Living Members of his Family

Wednesday, August 4

11:15 AM Darrell Peterson +

Thursday, August 5

11:15 AM In Reparation of our Sins

Friday, August 6

10:00 AM Dave McKenzie - Deceased & Living Members of his Family

11:15 AM Robert Doyle + NURSING HOME

Saturday, August 7

5:00 PM Jean Pavelka +

Sunday, August 8

10:00 AM Parishioners of St. Mary's & St. Patrick's



Because of Totu Tuus this week
dailey Mass will be at 11:15
AM.

August 7 & 8

5:00 PM Vivian Stolz

10:00 AM Robert Wenger

August 14 & 15

5:00 PM Ann Schreck

10:00 AM Maddie Medvec

August 21 & 22

5:00 PM Lynn Cunningham

10:00 AM Jodie Hogan



PARISH SUPPORT July 24 & 25

ADULT CHURCH SUPPORT	\$3,005.00
OFFERTORY	557.42
VIGIL CANDLES	36.00
TOTU TUUS	135.00
RECTORY FUND	\$6,192.00

JULY DIRECT DEPOSIT FOR
CHURCH SUPPORT (41 Families) \$3,524.00

JULY DIRECT DEPOSIT FOR
BLDG MAINTENANCE (11 Families) \$614.00
IF POSSIBLE REMEMBER ST. MARY'S IN YOUR
WILL!

PASTOR'S MESSAGE

"Jesus said to his disciples, The lamp of the body is the eye. If your eye is sound, your whole body will be filled with light; but if your eye is bad, your whole body will be in darkness. And if the light in you is darkness, how great will the darkness be." Mt 6:22-23

In the scripture above Jesus is warning us to be careful about what we consume through our eyes. If our "eye is sound, your whole body will be filled with light." If we are careful about what we are taking in through our eyes then we nourish our soul with spiritually healthy things. The eye is like the mouth. If we are careful we will make sure we are eating healthy things, but if we get lazy and give in to our cravings for unhealthy things, we will do harm to our body. The same goes for our eyes and soul.

Television and the internet are two big areas to be very careful with. There is a tremendous amount of filth and evil on TV. Some of it is obvious and some of it is subtle. We must be very careful about keeping evil at a distance. Whether we realize it or not, there is a message being preached on TV and the Web that is directly opposed to the gospel of Jesus Christ. The answer is to talk to Jesus in prayer about what we are watching and let him guide us and teach us about what to reject and what is ok.

God Bless, Fr. Fasnacht

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ

I am asking our Catholic Community in the Diocese of Winona-Rochester to support the efforts to retain the Hyde Amendment, which prevents the use of taxpayers funds for abortion. Efforts are underway in Congress to pass legislation that would exclude the Hyde Amendment and fund abortion by the federal government. Abortion is a direct attack on human life.

Please watch the 30 second video about the Hyde Amendment from the United State Conference of Catholic Bishops. I encourage all people to watch and sign the petition at www.notaxpayerabortion.com and make known this important pro-life effort through your personal social media accounts.

Sincerely in Christ
Most Rev. John M. Quinn
Bishop of Winona-Rochester

The 30 second video can also be accessed through Facebook & Twitter:
Facebook: <https://fb.watch/6MjLVsfkxY/>
Twitter: <https://twitter.com/usccbprolife/status/1415733147103285253>

Additional opportunity to take action - send a message to President Biden
<https://www.mncatholic.org/action-alert-prevent-taxpayer-funded-abortion/>

QUOTE FROM MOTHER THERESA.....



It is easy to smile at people outside your own home. It is so easy to take care of the people that you don't know well. It is difficult to be thoughtful & kind & to smile & be loving to those you live with day after day. This is especially true when we are tired & in a bad temper or bad mood. We all have these moments & that is the time that Christ comes to us.

Live life beautifully. You have Jesus with you, & He loves you. If we could only remember that God loves us, & we have an opportunity to love others as He loves us. Not in big things, but in small things with great love, then your country will become a haven of peace & a burning light of love in the world.



Council of Catholic Women

Ladies there will be a CCW meeting on Monday, August 9th, 7:00 PM in the hall. We will be discussing the Fall Festival.



KC MEETING.... Tuesday, August 10, starting with the Rosary at 6:20 PM. Meeting will follow in the hall.



SAVE THE DATE!!!

St. Mary's Fall Festival is on Sunday, September 12th. Planning is already underway. We are asking for your help in making this a fun parish fundraiser. The tasty Chicken Dinner will return, available in the Dining Hall or as take out. Start planning now with your creative donations to the huge Silent Auction & Bucket Raffle.

Fresh garden produce will be available.

Always popular; the Bake Shop will provide goodies for every sweet tooth!

Games & activities will entertain the kids.

Your talent & support are needed in all these areas. Please consider volunteering your time, talent & treasure to make this a spectacular day for our Parish!

Call the parish office 651-345-4134 to volunteer or with questions.

Watch for future bulletins for more details.

Coming soon, Fall Raffle Tickets will be available in the Gathering Space, as well as sign up sheets for volunteering.

**THE FALL FESTIVAL IS BACK! LET'S
ENJOY !IT TOGETHER!**



CONFIRMATION DATES.....

FAITH FORMATION

- 1. PRESENTATION CLASS -** Wednesday, September 9th from 5:30 - 8:30 PM. Potluck supper bring a dish to pass.
- 2. FINAL CLASS -** Sunday, November 7th, 11:15 - 1:30 PM
- 3. CONFIRMATION PRACTICE & CONFESSION** (To be determined)
- 4. CONFIRMATION** will be on Saturday, December 4th, 2021, St. Mary's Church at 5:00 PM.



TOTUS TUUS.... Call Rachel if you want to join us. (651-345-4134)

Supper Wednesday, August 4th at 5:00 PM is open to the parish.

Supper is hosted by the CCW.



The Church of St. Paul Council of Catholic Women (CCW) will hold their 28th Annual Salad Luncheon which will be held on Wednesday, August 11, 2021 from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm.

There will be delicious assorted salads, cheese trays, deviled eggs, french bread and beverages.

Adults, \$10; children 6-12, \$4; 5 & under free. Take outs are available, please call 732-5347. We hope to see you there!



Goal Reached! We reached our fundraising goal for the new rectory! Thank you everybody for your generosity! We are now in the process of interviewing contractors and will soon choose one to build the rectory. God is really blessing us! Thanks again! Fr. Fasnacht

Rectory Fundraising, update: As of 7-30-21 we have raised **\$371,536.**

Remember to thank all of the sponsors who make our bulletin possible. They appreciate your business and we appreciate their support.