

Thoughts from the Deacon

September 1, 2020

Confirmation is scheduled for September 24, at 6 PM, at St Mary so we can live stream/record for family members who cannot attend. Please contact Ali Smeltzer with any questions (ali.smeltzer95@yahoo.com or 740-270-5478).

Regarding Fr. Franks, cards or notes can still be placed in collection or given to the office, and they will be forwarded to Father. I ask again that we respect the privacy of the Franks family and not try to contact Father personally at this time. We are planning on a reception at later date to celebrate Father's retirement and thank him for his service.

This Friday is First Friday and we will be having Holy Hour Exposition and Divine Mercy Chaplet, at 6PM at St Mary. Come and offer glory to Our Lord, and offer reparation for our sins and all the sins of the world. Jesus Christ is waiting for to come receive his overabundant graces, that He pours on those who come and offer adoration!!

If you have not had the opportunity to see the Ave Maria sung at end of the Republican National Convention it is worth a look: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3V6X1tzOnlc> Fly the flag, and pray for our President!!

Mass Intentions are available, especially with the 2 weekday Masses. Contact Martha at the office. There is a suggested donation of \$10 per Mass.

The RCIA cycle starts again this month. If you know anyone who is interested in learning more about Catholicism or coming into Holy Mother Church, please contact the office (740-754-2221) or talk to Sheryl House (740-704-0131), or Elaine Mitchell (740-624-0107).