

Church of St. Mary

DIocese of Peoria

Mission of St. Joseph

Delavan, Illinois

Hopedale, Illinois

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Reconciliation: St. Mary: 2:30 to 3:00 P.M. Saturday | St. Joseph: 3:30 to 3:50 P.M. Saturday (Call for an appointment)

Secretary's office hours: Monday and Tuesday 9:00 - 1:00

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May 20, 2018

✠ Mass Intentions ✠

Saturday: May 19 St. M. 4:00 PM

Dorothy Funk by Mike & Chris Magarity

Sunday: May 20 St. J. 8:30 AM

Ken & Cecelia Crawford by Brad & Linda Long

St. M. 10:30 AM

Matt Rummel by Charlie & Faye Burgess

Tuesday: May 22 HMC 4:00 PM

John Hayes by John & Theresa Gschwedther

Wednesday: May 23 St. M. 8:00 AM

Ed Flesburg by Clara Mathes

Thursday: May 24 St. M. 8:00 AM

Mike Silvernail by Ted & Kitty Yontz

Friday: May 25 St. M. 8:00 AM

Fred & Mary Hartwig by Idella Lee

Saturday: May 26 St. J. 4:00 PM

For the Parishioners

Sunday: May 27 St. J. 8:30 AM

Alex, Laura & Matthew Long by Brad & Linda Long

St. M. 10:30 AM

Sandy McCrea by Ted & Kitty Yontz

Last week's collection:

St. Joseph \$1807.00

St. Mary \$931.00

Thank you

Altar Servers

St. Mary: Sun. May 27 Danny & Logan

St. Joseph: Sat. May 26 Alex & James

Sun. May 27 Madilyn & Garret

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*There are envelopes in the vestibule. Every dollar raised to make our goal supports important diocesan ministries, and every dollar raised over our goal will be kept in the parish to help our building funds. **To date, we have received: St. Joseph \$11190.00 towards our goal of \$16735 & St. Mary \$11500.00 towards our goal of \$18518.00. To those who have pledged, thank you!***

Attention Graduates! If you are graduating in 2018, either from 8th Grade or High School, notify Gayle or send the name of your graduate by clicking "About" then "Contact Us" on the new website, StMaryDelavan.org. Enter "Graduate" in the subject line. Enter the graduate's name, age and Parish in the message area. Don't forget to click "Submit"!

St. Mary's Men's Club News:

Men's Club is hosting a parish wide (St. Joseph & St. Mary) fish fry after the 10:30 Mass Sunday, July 1, 2018. Serving from 11:30 am—1 pm. Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$7 for children 12 & under.

Adult Menu: Catfish, coleslaw, potato salad, baked beans, dessert and a drink. **Children's Menu:** chicken tenders, applesauce, chips & drink.

Men's club members will be selling tickets after Mass at St. Mary's on Sundays and Jeff Springer will sell at St. Joseph's through June 17th.

June 27th has been selected for a parish outing to cheer on the Peoria Chiefs a Dozer Park when they take on Kane County at 7 pm. This Wednesday evening game is a \$1.00 hotdog night and features a fireworks display at the end of the game.

We are hoping to get a large group from St. Mary's and St. Joseph's to participate in this activity.

Group tickets including the fireworks are \$11 each. To get a rough count of the number of tickets needed, please contact **Paul Lewis 309-224-9728** or lewis4737@yahoo.com

Altar Rosary ladies made a beautiful quilt to be raffled on July 1, at the men's Fish Fry at St. Mary's. We would like every lady to sell a booklet of 12 tickets. Tickets will be a \$1 a piece or 6 for \$5. See Becki Fisher or Becky Kendregan for tickets.

A LITTLE CHANGE —CHANGES LIVES:

please join us in celebration and supporting mothers in our community with our Baby Bottle Fund-raiser. Just take a Bottle, fill it with change, cash or checks. Return the bottle on Father's Day. Your support will help provide free testing, guidance, education and material support for the mothers who are most in need. Even if the bottles are not completely filled, please return them on Father's Day. Thank you for your support.

Delavan Food Pantry: Please continue with your donations of non-perishable food items. A box is located in the back of church. Thank you

We welcome all families and individuals to St. Joseph's Hopedale and St. Mary's Delavan and encourage registration in the parish as soon as possible. Registration forms are available in back of church or at the parish office in Delavan.

Spiritual Adoption: You can still join the Spiritual Adoption Program, just say the following prayer everyday for the next nine months: "Jesus, Mary & Joseph, I love you very much. I beg you to spare the life of the unborn baby that I have spiritually adopted who is in danger of abortion."

Learn Natural Family Planning: NFP is the healthy, effective and morally acceptable family planning method. Initial classes for each series are scheduled for the following dates and locations OSF Fertility Care Center, 5114 N Glen Park, 309-683-8156 Peoria— By appointment

Prison Ministry Box. Remember, that we cannot take mouthwash, or anything containing alcohol; toothbrushes, combs or hairbrushes, shower caps, also, no makeup.

Heavenly Father, Your Son ascended in great triumph to sit at your right hand. You sent your Spirit to watch over us, guide us and teach us to be better stewards of your abundant gifts. Through your Spirit may we be inspired every day to live accordance with the Gospel, and to give witness to our risen Lord. We ask this through Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, on God forever and ever. Amen.