

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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December 16, 2018

Mass Intentions

Saturday: Dec. 15 St. M. 4:00 PM

For the Parishioners

Sunday: Dec. 16 St. J. 8:30 AM

Mary R. Paine by Arthur Paine

St. M. 10:30 AM

Gerald Pians by Scott & Kathleen Lowery

Tuesday: Dec. 18 HMC. 4:00 PM

Dianne Rossi by Donna Weighorst

Wednesday: Dec. 19 St. M. 8:00 AM

Rosenthal family by Scott & Kathleen Lowery

Thursday: Dec. 20 St. M. 8:00 AM

Margaret Hayes by Janice Allgood

Friday: Dec. 21 St. M. 8:00 AM

Matt Rummel by John & Carol Witts

Saturday: Dec. 22 St. J. 4:00 P.M.

Frank Long by Joe & Bette Morman

Sunday: Dec. 23 St. J. 8:30 AM

For the parishioners

St. M. 10:30 AM

James & Francis Kendregan by Walt & Austine Dare

Last week's collection:

St. Joseph \$2041.00 St. Mary \$2400.00

188.00 Ret. Rel 85.00

Thank you

Altar Servers

St. Mary: Sun. Dec.23 Logan & Paul

St. Joseph: Sat. Dec. 22 Aidan & Alex

Sun. Dec. 23 Isabella & Ryan



Local Advent Penance Services: Blessed Sacrament Morton; Monday, Dec. 17 at 7 PM Holy Family Lincoln; Wednesday, Dec. 19th @ 7 PM.

Confessions at St. Mary's Delavan Wednesday Dec. 19 at 6PM

Christmas Schedule 2018/19

Christmas Eve: 4 PM @ St Mary 7 PM @ St. Joseph



Christmas Day: 7:30 AM @ St. Joseph 9:30 AM @ St. Mary

Solemnity of Mary, Holy Mother of God: Dec. 31, 4PM @ St. Mary, 9AM @ St. Joseph

FYI: This year, as in previous years, the 2018 Christmas collection will be deposited into each parishes building fund. Thank you for your generosity.



Thank you to Lisa & Jeff Springer for hosting a wonderful Pancake & Sausage supper a great time was had by all!

St. Mary's Men's Club is again hosting a trip to a Bradley University men's basketball game. We will be seeing a matchup between host Bradley and visiting Illinois State University on Wednesday, January 23rd. The game begins at 7 pm. Tickets are \$12. The deadline for ordering tickets and paying is Sunday, December 30, 2018. To order tickets, see Walt Dare or call him at 309-840-2073 or email at walt dare@sbcglobal.net We have 35 tickets reserved and hope to fill up our allotment.



This year an "Angel Tree" will be up for the deceased members of our families. We ask for a \$5. donation to have your loved one's name on the Angel wings on the tree. The proceeds will go towards the cemetery fund.

PLEASE GET YOUR CHRISTMAS FLOWER MEMORIALS IN BY DEC. 16.



FYI: there are additional copies of the parish directory available in the back of church. Feel free to take an extra one if needed for a family member.

hopeafterabortion.com Our Diocesan post-abortion toll-free phone line is 1-800-367-0702

During Advent, as we await the birth of Jesus and our spiritually adopted babies, we invite you to welcome them with a baby gift, clothing, diapers, etc. to be placed in the crib in the rear of church. On the Feast of the Epiphany the gifts will be brought to the altar and then given to new mothers in need.



Delavan Food Pantry: For December, Personal care items, such as tooth paste, tooth brushes, deodorant, shampoo bar soap, etc.

Thank you for your continued support!

Kroger Community Rewards: Become a Kroger's Plus customer, each time you swipe your card St. Mary's A&R will get a kick back. To enroll, go to www.kroger.com and log into your acct. New users will have to create an account. Under Savings & Rewards, click Kroger Community Rewards. Then, click the View Details button under I'm a Customer. On the next screen, click the Enroll button, and enter St. Mary Altar & Rosary Society in the Search box and click Enter. Then, click Enroll under the listing for St. Mary Altar & Rosary Society in Delavan, IL. Then, use your Kroger card when you check out, and a portion of your purchases will benefit our organization! Thank you! If you would like help setting up your Rewards account or have questions, call or text Jo Ellen Lohnes @ 309-696-8510

Prison Ministry Box Remember, that we cannot take anything containing alcohol; toothbrushes, no combs or hairbrushes with rat tails or sharp points shower caps, also, no makeup. There is a complete list of acceptable items posted.

