

Church of St. Mary

Delavan, Illinois

DIocese of Peoria

Mission of St. Joseph

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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January 12, 2020

✠ Mass Intentions ✠

Saturday Jan. 11 St. J 4:00 PM
For the Parishioners

Sunday: Jan. 12 St. J. 8:30 AM
Robert & Maureen Perez by Brad & Linda Long
St. M. 10:30 AM

Angelina Crea by Kitty & Ted Yontz
Tuesday: Jan. 14 St. M. 8:00 AM

Larry Noreuil by donna Weighorst
Wednesday: Jan. 15 St. M. 8:00 AM

Catherine Connell by Anna Fisher
Thursday: Jan. 16 St. M. 8:00 AM

Keith & Amy Rummel by Dee Rummel
Friday: Jan. 17 St. M. 8:00 AM

Christy Hartzler by Debbie Rummel
Saturday: Jan. 18 St. J. 4:00 PM

Curt & Jenny Lovins by Fern Lovins
Sunday: Jan. 19 St. J. 8:30 AM

Frank Alfred Hough Jr. by Brad & Linda Long
St. M. 10:30 AM

Special Intention by Dee Rummel

Last Weeks Collection

St. Joseph \$1858.00

St. Mary \$1358.00

Thank you

Altar Servers

St. Mary: Jan. 19 Grace & Ben

St. Joseph: Jan. 18 Aidan & Alex
Jan. 19 Alayna & Matthew

FYI: Pictures of the Christmas Eve Children's Mass are available on line @ stmarydelavan.org. Under events & News click on Photo Albums.

Please get your requests for your **2019** contributions to Gayle if you would like them mailed to you. Thank you

Please sign up for the Fourth Monday meal on Jan 27.

This year the Angel Tree collected \$330 for the St. Mary Cemetery. Thank you

PRAY FOR AUSTRALIA: Lord we pray for all those who are affected, for all those who are helping control the fires. For the souls of those who lost their lives, for the injured and for the recovery of the ecosystem. Amen.

St. Mary's Men's Club is selling tickets to the **Bradley – Illinois State basketball game on Wednesday, January 22, 2020. Tickets are \$12 each. See or call Walt Dare at 309-840-2073.**

Saint Joseph: is collecting food pantry items for the Hopedale food pantry. There is a box in the back of Church.



Delavan Food pantry January's items, dried pasta, boxed meals, hamburger helper etc.

Thank you for your continued support.

Prison Ministry Box: Please drop off your hotel size personal care products in the box in the back of church. Remember, no toothbrushes, combs or hairbrushes with rat tails, no makeup or mouth wash with alcohol.

Sanctity of Human Life Sunday: January 19, 2020 is the Sunday on which Churches in our nation make a special effort to remember unborn children and women in difficult pregnancies. Let each of us declare God's message on this special Sunday and throughout the year.

Sanctity of Human Life Rally Tuesday, Jan. 21, 2020 Prayer Walk 6:30 PM Meet at Riverside Church and walk around the block containing the Federal Courthouse. Rally @ 7PM Refreshments after rally. Speaker Rebekah Hagan, her career in Pro-life movement was fueled by firsthand experience.

\$174. was collected for the Baby Food for Life. Thank you

Christmas baskets: \$970 was collected for the community Christmas baskets. Thank you

The Bessette Center of the Catholic Diocese of Peoria has monthly need of donations Diapers, formula, baby wipes, new blankets and new or gently used baby clothing are needed in the St. Gianna Baby Pantry; gently used furniture is needed in the St. Joseph Furniture Bank; canned goods, bottled water and fresh garden surpluses are needed in the Fulton Sheen Food Pantry as well as in the St. Andre Bessette Soup Kitchen. Donation drop-offs are Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 1-4pm at 1825 NE Adams, Peoria IL 61603. Convenient direct shipping Amazon donation purchasing and monetary donations can be made on-line at: CDOP.org/Catholic-Charities

Marriage Mass and Date Night – Feb 15 Make sure and sign up for our Marriage Mass and Date Night. We have GREAT entertainment this year. Eric Genuis will be performing this year. The evening begins with Mass at the Cathedral celebrated by Bishop Daniel R. Jenky, C.S.C. then the Candlelight Dinner and Entertainment is one block down at the Spalding Pastoral Center. Space is limited and you may register here: <https://cdop.org/datenight/>

Rachel's Vineyard Retreat Had an abortion experience that has left you feeling empty and alone? Rachel's Vineyard Retreat is available in our diocese for any man or woman who has struggled with the emotional and spiritual pain of abortion. This healing weekend is for singles or married couples, mothers, fathers, grandparents, siblings or anyone suffering the effects of an abortion loss. If you are searching for peace and inner healing from an abortion experience, this retreat is for you. Register now for the February 7-9, 2020 retreat by calling 309-264-1489 or e-mailing rvpeoria@gmail.com. All communications are strictly confidential. For more information please visit <https://cdop.org/offices/respect-life/rl-programs-resources/rachels-vineyard/> or the national Rachel's Vineyard website at <https://www.rachelsvineyard.org/>