

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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February 23, 2020

✠ Mass Intentions ✠

Saturday Feb. 22 St. J 4:00 PM

Gerry McNally by Bernadette McGrath

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

In Celebration of Our 60th Wedding Anniversary by George & Mary Long

St. M. 10:30 AM

Rosa Connell by Paula Shoup

Tuesday: Feb. 25 HMC. 4:00 PM

Larry Noreuil by Walt & Austine Dare

Wednesday: Feb. 26 St. M. 8:00 AM

Austine Dare by Scott & Kathleen Lowery

St. J. 5:30 PM

Dotsy McNally by Bernadette McGrath

Thursday: Feb. 27 St. M. 8:00 AM

Dec. Family by Sharon Weems

Friday: Feb. 28 St. M. 8:00 AM

Harold & Leona Jennings by Jim & Kay Ruschau

Saturday: Feb 29 St. J. 4:00 PM

Marietta Bangert by Lorayne Rossi

Sunday: March 1 St. J. 8:30 AM

For the Parishioners

St. M. 10:30 AM

Rafael Vanegas by the Wallace Lee family

Last Weeks Collection

St. Joseph \$1575.00

St. Mary \$1307.00

Altar Servers

St. Mary: March 1 Lydia & Megan

St. Joseph: Feb. 29 Aidan & Alex
March 1 Alayna & Matthew

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Ash Wednesday Mass Schedule:

8 AM. St. Mary's

5:30 PM St Joseph's

Confessions heard Wednesday nights
at 6:30 starting March 4 @ St.

Mary's.

St. Mary's will have server training on March 1st after the 10:30 Mass. Requirements: received 1st Communion and completed 3rd grade CCD this spring. Any older children who are interested and welcome and encouraged, adults who wish to serve are welcome!

Stations of the Cross will start on the 28th of February at St. Joseph @ 7PM.

St Mary's Altar & Rosary News: On Tuesday, March 4th, we will visit Christ Child Society located in the Family Resource Center in Peoria. Their Mission is to provide layettes to newborns in need. Since 2014, our A&R has donated 444 items to be included in the layettes. The most special items being the quilts made by the talented ladies of our Parish. **We will leave from St. Mary's at 11:45.** For more info contact Kay Ruschau or Becky Kendregan.



In the back of church there is a sign up sheet for volunteers to provide Altar Flowers

Men's Club is sponsoring a bus trip to a Cub/ Cardinal game at Busch Stadium on July 26. Bus will travel round trip from Delavan High School parking lot with a stopover in Litchfield both ways. Seats will be in section 435 under a roof, and one section closer to home plate than last year. 55 tickets are available at \$100 per person, includes bus cost and game ticket. Contact Walt Dare or Tom Brewer to purchase tickets.

FYI: Anyone who is not getting notifications for church cancellations, can contact Lisa Springer, 309-241-2957, she will send you an invitation to download an app for a group called Group Me.

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.

Ministerial Lenten Services Each Sunday a 6pm

March 1, 2020 at Delavan United Methodist Church, Msr Tim Nolan
March 8, 2020 at Baptist Church, with Pastor Charlie Graul
March 15, 2020 at Presbyterian Church, with Pastor Bob Nafziger
March 22, 2020 at Dillion Mennonite, with Pastor Steve Waggoner
March 29, 2020 at St. Mary's, with Pastor Andy Goewey
April 5, 2020 at Crosswalk, with Pastor Jean Sparks
6:30a.m. Easter Sunrise, April 12, 2020 At Delavan UMC, with all Pastors



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

Delavan Food pantry February's items, canned meat (Tuna, chicken, spam, etc). Thank you for your continued support.

Video Bible Study: THE EUCHARIST IN SCRIPTURE

Discover God's plan as it is expressed through the Bible and the Mass. This six-lesson study, presented by Dr. Scott Hahn, will unlock the meaning of covenant, sacrifice, and sacrament as understood in the Bible, from Genesis through Revelation. Built around three of Dr. Hahn's foundational talks: "The Lambs Supper," "The Fourth Cup," and "Consuming the Word," The Eucharist in Scripture examines the biblical foundations of the Eucharist and explores the Church's liturgy as the original context for the books of the Bible.

Beginning March 4th through April 8. 7 P.M. Wednesday nights at St. Mary's Delavan.