

Church of St. Mary

Delavan, Illinois

DIocese of Peoria

Mission of St. Joseph

Hopedale, Illinois

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Web Site: stmarydelavan.org

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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October 18, 2020

✠ Mass Intentions ✠

Saturday Oct. 17 St. M 4:00 PM

Joe Laker by Chris & Mike Magarity

Sunday: Oct. 18 St. J. 8:30 AM

Al & Cheri Johnson by Brad & Linda Long

St. M. 10:30 AM

Daniel Williamson by Rick Naffziger

Tuesday: Oct. 20 HMC 4:00 PM

Lorayne Rossi by Melvin & Dorothy Long

Wednesday: Oct. 21 St. M. 8:00 AM

Neil Connell family by Dee Rummel

Thursday: Oct 22 St. M. 8:00 AM

Gene Heitkamp by Kay & Jim Ruschua

Friday: Oct. 23 St. M. 8:00 AM

Rosa Connell by Sheila Sud

Saturday: Oct. 24 St. M. 4:00 PM

Geoff & Caryn Grossman by Brad & Linda Long

Sunday: Oct. 25 St. J. 8:30 AM

Gloria Kuhn by Ben & Sally Kuhn

St. M. 10:30 AM

Last Weeks Collection

St. Joseph \$1375.00

St. Mary \$1030.00

Thank you

Please see the Sign-up Sheet in back of church to Sign-up to lead the Rosary 15 minutes before the 10:30 Mass during the month of October.



St. Joseph Parishioners... every ministry should have pray-ers... prayer warriors ... watchmen. You are needed to pray for the parents and children of our parish as they begin their Family Formation program. The prayer sheet is in the back of the church by the bulletins. Please pray for our families in your daily prayers.



Once again, I want to thank everyone for your prayers, cards, masses, memorials and kindnesses, shown to my family and me after the death of our mother. God Bless you, Fr. Tim

40 Days For Life, Sept. 23—Nov. 1

Help Save Lives, you can protect mothers and children by joining this worldwide mobilization. Through prayer and fasting, peaceful vigils and community outreach, 40 Days for Life has inspired 1,000,000 plus volunteers.

Vigil location: Outside of Planned Parenthood at 2709 Knoxville Ave. in Peoria Vigil Hrs. 7 am to 7 pm daily. Local contact Michelle Marcinak 40daysforlifepeoria@gmail.com

Respect Life Month is October:

We especially pray for the protection of **ALL LIFE** from conception to natural death.

Light For Life: The month of October, a candle will be lit on the side altar in memory of all God's children who have been aborted. Please pray that all will come to value the dignity of all life— especially our legislators and those in position of power.

Prayer requests: If you have any prayer requests, or would like to be on the prayer chain, please contact: Kitty Yontz @ 309-256-2069

The 8:30 Sunday Mass will be at St. Joseph's in Hopedale, with a maximum of 30 parishioners. The 4 pm Saturday Mass is at St. Mary's with a maximum of 50, The 10:30 Mass is at St. Mary's with a maximum of 50.

Mass is for both St. Mary's and St. Joseph's parishioners. An email will be sent on a weekly basis (or text if we don't have your email) to all parishioners who have provided their contact information. It will include a link to sign up for the Mass. Families that have been quarantined together may sit together. **Please if your plans change, go to the link and cancel you reservation so others can take advantage of the opening.**

ADA Goals

St. Mary \$18110

St. Joseph \$18239

You will be mailing your card directly to the Diocese. Please if you are unable to give this year, indicate that on your card and mail it to the Diocese in the return envelope. Thank you.

Central Illinois Agency on Aging, INC.

304 Morgan St. Peoria, IL hrs 9 am to 3:45 pm
Benefit Access/Medicare Program, This program provides: Discount on License Plates, Free Bus Pass. Must be 65 yrs or older or disabled. Application is good for 2 years income limits \$33,562 for one person, \$44,533 for 2 persons & \$55,500 for 3 persons. Call 309-674-2071 or 1-877-777-2422.

Prayer for Life

Blessed be life, I tell you it's good to be alive.

Blessed is she who bore me and tenderly nursed me.

Blessed is the fruitful seed in your womb.

Blessed is the growing embryo destined to be born this day.

Blessed is every child of God come to full term.

Blessed are all the children of the universe.

Blesses is every mother who brings her babe to birth.

Blessed be every father who supports bone of his bone—flesh of his flesh.

Blessed be every doctor who refuses to abort life, but seeks to save life.

Blessed be the miracle of LIFE and the god of LIFE who provides for every living creature.

Blessed be the Virgin Mary who did not refuse to bear the Son of God.

Blessed be the Lord Jesus who did not despise being a fetus in the sanctuary of the Womb.

Bro. Martin

"Abortion is a Terrible Evil, a Destroyer of Peace, Love and Joy" Mother Teresa