

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

e-mail: stmarydelavan@gmail.com

ADA UPDATE: As of December 7, 2020

St. Joseph's total pledged \$16,695 total received \$13,710

St. Mary's total pledged \$19,591 total received \$17,191.

ADA Goals

St. Mary \$18,110

St. Joseph \$18,239



The Garden Food Pantry Hopedale, is open on Thursdays from 3:30 to 5 PM for those who need assistance. Donations can be dropped off on Sunday mornings at Living Hope Community Church located at 326 NW Jefferson in Hopedale. Donations of non-perishable items and canned goods are much appreciated. There are at least a dozen families visiting the food pantry weekly, so please make a donation if able. Questions contact 309-229-8107. Thank you for your generosity.

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INVEST IN KIDS: TAX CREDIT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM. How does it work? A tax payer donates \$1000, individual donor designates the Catholic Diocese of Peoria Schools or a specific school as the beneficiary. The \$1000 becomes a student scholarship and helps pay tuition and fees for eligible students. The taxpayer claims \$750 credit on their 2020 Illinois state income tax bill. *The taxpayer receives a credit on their state income tax bill equal to 75 % of their gift.* Children receive an outstanding Catholic education that their families previously thought was unattainable. **Step by step donation instructions are available at: <https://empowerillinois.org/donate/make-my-tax-credit-scholarship-donation/>**

Marriage Classes:

All Pre-Cana Conferences and Christian Sexuality workshops are cancelled through the end of 2020. Below is the site that you can go to and register for online courses. You must register yourselves and pay a fee.

Combined Pre-Cana and Sexuality: <https://www.catholicmarriageprep.com/> Couples who participate in this online class will satisfy both parts of the Diocesan two-part requirement for marriage preparation. **Please note: there are two versions of this class available: a "traditional" Pre Cana class for unmarried couples and designed for couples who are preparing for the convalidation of their current, non-Catholic marriage.**

<https://learnnfponlineccom/>

Or you can go to our website www.cdop.org and under Marriage there is a list of current NFP teachers in the diocese which may have classes available for you to take via in person or by Zoom.

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

New Parishioner?

Registration is now available on our web site: stmarydelavan.org.

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

TV MASS FOR THE HOMEBOUND SUNDAYS WAOE CHANNEL 59 (MY59) AT 8 A.M. OR ONLINE ANYTIME ON SUNDAYS www.HeartoftheNation.org

January 3, 2021

† Mass Intentions †

Saturday Jan. 2 St. M 4:00 PM
For the Parishioners

Sunday: Jan. 3 St. J. 8:30 AM
Austine Dare by Brad & Linda Long

St. M. 10:30 AM
Jerome & Angelina Crea by Ted & Kitty Yontz

Tuesday: Jan. 5 HMC 4:00 PM
Lorayne Rossi by Joyce & Dick Dutton

Wednesday: Jan. 6 St. M. 8:00 AM
Mike Nolan by Gayle & Doug Williamson

Thursday: Jan. 7 St. M. 8:00 AM
Watson family by Catherine Guebert

Friday Jan. 8 St. M. 8:00 AM
Anna Parkhurst by Kevin & Becky Kendregan

Saturday: Jan. 9 St. M. 4:00 PM
Daniel Williamson by Dee Rummel

Sunday: Jan. 10 St. J. 8:30 AM
For the Parishioners

St. M. 10:30 AM
Dr. David Danner by Todd & JoEllen Lohnes

Last Weeks Collection

St. Joseph \$2694.00 St. Mary \$1626.00

Thank you



If you haven't already found your BABY FOOD FOR LIFE envelope in your 2021 contribution box, you may please make your checks out to Tazewell County Right To Life. Your contribution will be used to purchase baby food and formula for the needy in our area. Thank you for your generosity.

2021 contribution envelopes are now available for pick up. St. Joseph parishioners, yours are located in the back pew on the left side. St. Mary parishioners yours are located next to the main exit on the right. If you have a neighbor or relative who has not been able to come to church, please help us to avoid the postage and pickup their envelopes. Thank you.