

Liturgical Ministries Schedule

	Saturday 6:00 PM July 3	Sunday 8:30 AM July 4	Sunday 10:30 AM July 4
Extra-Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Susan Sundlin Mary Brandt Jean Mohr	Mary Emgarten Susan Lynn John Huigens	Pam Wingert Shawna Ditsworth Michella Koppen
Lectors	Phyllis McKeown	Sharon Crowley	Catherine Straus
Altar Servers	Carter Trautman Miles Wasson	Mackenzie Bennett	Emma Straus Wes Walz
Hospitality Ministers	Dale Vortherms Gayle Eral	Bob Emgarten Vince Elser Jim Leinbaugh Ron Crowley	Anne Straus Alan Ditsworth Brian Koppen Kim Kirschbaum
Music Ministers	Donna Davis Laura Murray	Angela Olsen Gaylene Rolling	Sandra Tiefenthaler Gaylene Rolling
Videographer	Lisa Odendahl		

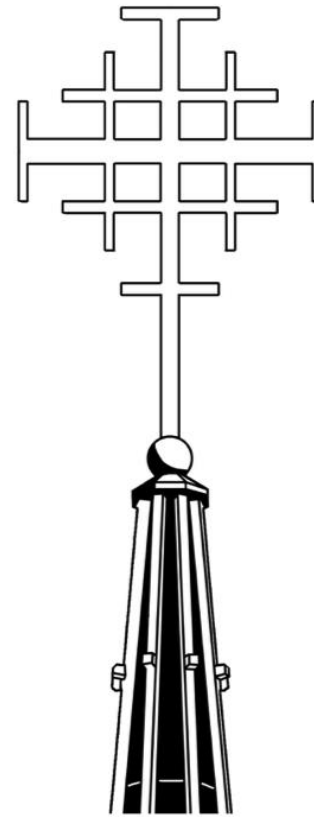
Liturgies and Events This Week

Monday, June 28 No Mass	Wednesday, June 30 12:00 Noon Mass	Thursday, July 1 7:30 AM Mass +Karen Arnold	Saturday, July 3 6:00 PM Mass +Dee Hauber & David Hauber
Tuesday, June 29 5:30 PM Mass +Cliff Garvey	12:30-4:00 Adoration +Marlyn & Joyce Lonneman	Friday, July 2 12:00 Noon Mass +Lisa Galm	Sunday, July 4 8:30 AM Mass +L. & D. Members of St. Mary's 10:30 AM Mass +James Sieh

The sanctuary lamp burns this week for Mike Hawn and Ryan Ochoa .

Stewardship for June 20, 2021 Adults: \$4,764.20 Online: \$ 381.00 Guatemala: \$792.33 Dollar: \$ Special:	<i>Your will can benefit your family and St. Mary's!</i>
--	--

St. Mary's Parish



1005 Hill Avenue
P.O. Box 354
Spirit Lake, Iowa
712.336.1742 office
712.336.1013 fax
www.stmarysspiritlake.org

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 27, 2021

Parish Staff

Pastor

Rev. Paul Kelly

pastor@stmarysspiritlake.org

Parish Secretary

Donna Williams

secretary@stmarysspiritlake.org

Director of Religious Education
& Youth Ministry

Mary Brandt

youth@stmarysspiritlake.org

Assistants

Danette Tolan

Lisa Odendahl

info@stmarysspiritlake.org

Director of Music
& Technology

Cain Junkman

music@stmarysspiritlake.org

Baptism – Contact the office to inquire about pre-baptismal class.

Marriage – Contact the office at least six months before date of wedding.

Confessions – Wednesday 3:30PM, Saturday 5:15PM, Sunday 10:00AM.

Eucharistic Adoration – Wednesday 12:30PM – 4:00PM.

We Need You

Please, we need your help at our weekend Masses. We need lectors, servers, ushers and gift bearers. If you were on the schedule prior to covid and would like to put back on, please call the office. If you would have never done any of the ministries, and would like to, please call the office. Also, let Donna know what mass time would be best to schedule you.

Peter's Pence Collection

The annual Peter's Pence collection will be taken up on June 26/27, at all Masses for the 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time. We are taking up this collection to be part of the Church's efforts to heal the wounds of sin throughout the world, by the power of Christ's love, alive in us, His faithful disciples. Your support makes it possible for the Holy Father to carry out his charitable works around the world. To help victims of the pandemic, war, natural disasters, and other difficult situations, as the first step in proclaiming the love, mercy, and hope of our Lord Jesus Christ. By supporting this collection with your prayers and your gift, you join the Holy Father in bringing a little more mercy into the world.

Mass Schedule for the Summer

The summer schedule for St. Joseph's and St. Mary's will be as follows: Saturday evening Masses: St. Joseph's-4:00PM, St. Mary's-6:00PM. Sunday morning Masses: St Joseph's 7:00AM. 9:00AM & 11:00AM, St. Mary's 8:30AM & 10:30AM.

Mass Time Change

Please take note that effective July 8th the daily Thursday Mass time will change from 7:30AM to 5:30PM.

Stained Glass Project

A contract has been signed with Reinarts Stained Glass in Winona, Minnesota, for the creation of stained glass for St. Mary's Church. The windows affected will be the set of three upper windows on the south side of the altar, the set of three upper windows on the north side of the altar, and the set of three in the narthex. We are grateful for the donors who have made this project possible: the Donohue family, Mary Ellen Kisting, and an anonymous donor. The process includes final approval of the window design, the fabrication and painting of the glass, the leading of the pieces, and the installation. The goal of this project was to beautify the interior of the church using selected windows while still retaining the natural lighting provided by the clerestory and ground level windows.

Bake Sale July 3 & 4

The Steubenville kids will be at it again the weekend of July 3 & 4 with awesome baked goods for sale after all masses. All items are a freewill donation and benefit the students in funding their trip to Steubenville Rochester in July. Many thanks in advance for your support as well as those who have supported our scholarship fund! Your generosity is a blessing to youth ministry at St. Mary's.

Please Keep in Your Prayers

All Confidential Prayer Chain requests may be directed to Jean Mohr, our Prayer Chain Coordinator at 712-336-2559 or 712-320-5433. Prayer intentions may be entered in the Prayer Request book, which can be found in the narthex of the church.

Thank you VBS Volunteers

What an awesome week of CatChat VBS's Birthday Blast event! Over 65 kids in grades PK-5 joined in the fun and excitement of learning about how we should protect, respect and cherish life in all stages. To our youth leaders, thank you so much! We could NOT have done it without you Josh Wavra, Liz Schacherer, Hannah Schacherer, John Carr, Izzie Wycoff, Andrew Marhula, Mackenzie Engler, Mikayla Mingus, Catherine Straus, Jenny Dykema, Alicia Brandt, Melika Smith and Mackenzie Bennett were amazing. Our adult volunteers were a great blessing to the week as well. Thank you Karen Schwaller, Rachel Wavra, Jenny Marhula, Jamin Trautman, Liz Sandy, Lisa Odendahl, Kerry Bennett, Rose Marie Vasquez, Marilyn Fleming, Kristen Lalumendre, Susan Sundlin, Teresa Garvey Donna Williams, Greg Rolling and Fr. Kelly.

High School Youth Group Every Week This Summer

St. Mary's high school youth group will be meeting every Wednesday this summer beginning at 8:00PM. Current eighth graders are invited to join the group now that you have officially entered high school! We always have snacks, a good time and support for one another! You don't have to be a "talker" to join us. All are welcome! Our goal is simply to help one another through our faith journeys in the same spirit as the disciples. Come and bring a friend with you!

Fortnight for Freedom

"Fortnight for Freedom" is a two-week campaign to defend religious liberty called for by the United States Council of Catholic Bishops (USCCB). Beginning Monday, June 21, we will recite the Litany for Liberty after each weekday Mass except Wednesday, when we will recite it before noon Mass, at 11:50AM. At the conclusion of the two weeks we will pray the Patriotic Rosary on Saturday, July 3rd at 5:30PM, preceding the 6:00 Mass at St. Mary's. This Rosary includes a Hail, Mary for each state with a short inspiring reading and a patriotic hymn between each decade. All are welcome! Please join us to pray for the protection of our gift of religious liberty. Copies of the Litany for Freedom will be available at the baptismal font so all can participate from home as well.

Mother Teresa

Meditations from A Simple Path

We must grow in love and to do this we must go on loving and loving and giving and giving until it hurts-the way Jesus did. You must give what will cost you something. Then your gift becomes a sacrifice, which will have value before God. Any sacrifice is useful if it is done out of love.

This giving until it hurts-this sacrifice-is also what I call love in action. Every day I see this love-in children, men, and women,

Liturgical Ministries Schedule

	Saturday 5:00 PM March 13	Sunday 8:30 AM March 14	Sunday 10:30 AM March 14
Extra-Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Eileen Skogerboe Jed Skogerboe	Susan Lynn Mary Emgarten	Mary Brandt Michella Koppen
Lectors	Jean Mohr	Danette Tolan	Karen Fergen
Altar Servers			
Hospitality Ministers	Dale Vortherms	Ron Crowley Sharon Crowley	Brian Koppen Jason Kirschbaum
Music Ministers	Cain Junkman	Cain Junkman	Angela Olsen Gaylene Rolling
Videographer	Carter Trautman		

Liturgies and Events This Week

Monday, March 8 No Mass	Wednesday, March 10 12:00Noon Mass	Thursday, March 11 7:30AM Mass +Cliff Garvey	Saturday, March 13 5:00PM Mass
Tuesday, March 9 5:10PM Stations of The Cross 5:30PM Mass +Henry & Mildred Bibow	12:30-4:00Adoration + Edwin & Mary Catherine Duffy Families	Friday, March 12 12:00Noon Mass +Buck & Joan DeWitt	Sunday, March 14 8:30AM Mass + Mary Shaffer
			10:30AM Mass +Fr. Al Grendler

The sanctuary lamp burns this week in memory of cancer victims.

Stewardship for February 28, 2021 Adults: \$10,073.31 Online: \$ 1,021.00 Guatemala: \$ Special: \$	<i>Do you know who your heirs will be?</i> <i>Is St. Mary's an heir?</i>
--	---

Middle School Bible Study

Middle school students in grades 6-8 are invited to join together for a bible study on Sundays at 11:15. We will be using ENCOUNTER, a series designed specifically for middle school students. We will meet April 25 and May 2. This study includes a workbook that students will be able to keep.

Celebrate the Easter Season with FORMED

Don't forget that St. Mary's has thousands of amazing Catholic podcasts, documentaries and feature films for all ages to enjoy. The best part is that these resources are free and can be accessed anywhere! If you haven't enjoyed FORMED before, it's easy to create an account. Simply log into FORMED.org and use our parish code to access your free account. St. Mary's parish code is N2MPXZ.

Stay Updated with the MyParish App

It's a great time to enjoy all the resources available to you through the MyParish App! Daily reflections, the Rosary, diocesan announcements and a host of other features keep parish information at your fingertips! Find it in the App Store for download and then find St. Mary's, Spirit Lake to keep up to date.

Covid Related Changes for Church

According to the diocesan instructions, churches can open up all pews for seating beginning on Palm Sunday. Thus we have removed the ribbons that had been on every other pew throughout the church, except in the area directly south of the altar, which will continue to have ribbons on every other pew for those who prefer a bit more spacing when they come to mass. Beginning on Palm Sunday, the priest can process in from the back and servers are allowed.

Please Keep in Your Prayers

All Confidential Prayer Chain requests may be directed to Jean Mohr, our Prayer Chain Coordinator at 712-336-2559 or 712-336-20-5433. Prayer intentions may be entered in the Prayer Request book, which can be found in the narthex of the church.

Mother Teresa Meditation

Every Act of Love is a Prayer

It is not how much you do but how much love you put into the doing and sharing with others that is important. Try not to judge people. If you judge others then you are not giving love.

Parish Secretary
Donna Williams
secretary@stmarysspiritlake.org
Assistants
Danette Tolan
Lisa Odendahl
info@stmarysspiritlake.org

1005 Hill Avenue
P.O. Box 354
Spirit Lake, Iowa
712.336.1742 office
712.336.1013 fax

www.stmarysspiritlake.org

Third Sunday of Lent

March 7, 2021

Parish Staff

Pastor

Rev. Paul Kelly
pastor@stmarysspiritlake.org

Director of Religious Education
& Youth Ministry

Mary Brandt

youth@stmarysspiritlake.org

Director of Music
& Technology

Cain Junkman

music@stmarysspiritlake.org

Baptism – Contact the office to inquire about pre-baptismal class.

Marriage – Contact the office at least six months before date of wedding.

Confessions – Wednesday 3:30PM, Saturday 4:00PM, Sunday 10:00AM.

Eucharistic Adoration – Wednesday 12:30PM – 4:00PM.