

Linda Bregel

Spouse - Mike; Children - Amanda 21; Matthew 21



27 years ago I went through the RCIA program at St. Joseph in Hopkins. We became members of St. Mary's 17 years ago. When the kids were going through Catechism, I was an assistant catechist for 7 years.

Bob Livingston

I have been attending St. Mary of the Lake for sixteen years, ten of those as a registered member. I am married to Melissa Falb. We have no children but we do have four cats. I am active in three ministries. I am a Greeter, an Usher, and a Eucharistic minister. Melissa is in the bell choir. I hope to represent our parish on the council. Bringing any concerns or input from our parishioners to Father Lybarger's attention.



David Nelson

I have been a member of St. Mary of the Lake my entire life - 26 years.

My family: mom, Jean; dad, Wayne and sister, Grace are also members of our Church.



I graduated from the University of Wisconsin-Stout and work full time for my employer as a graphic designer and developer of interactive media. I am fortunate that I was able to attend Catholic School at both Sacred Heart and Totino Grace. The experiences and education I received cemented my Catholic faith.

I currently serve as a member of the Call to Ministry Committee. I am also a Eucharist Minister at St. Mary's and will continue that service. I believe that it is both an honor and responsibility to serve our parish community. I am hoping to continue to do so by being elected to the Parish Council and contributing to the continued growth of St. Mary of the Lake in any way that I can.

2021 St. Mary of the Lake Candidates for the Pastoral Council Election Oct. 23/24. Vote for 3 candidates.

Silvia Daly

Husband: Robert F. Daly;
3 Children; 4 Grandchildren



I have been a member of St. Mary of the Lake for 21 years. For 7 of those years, I volunteered as catechist for St. Mary's Elementary Religious Education and have recently assisted in the training of mass servers. I have found it to be a very fulfilling way of serving our parish.

I am Hispanic and as a member of the Church Council I would not only bring diversity but I would also provide our parish with insight into how to further develop an increased sense of community in our parish.

I consider it an honor to have been nominated for the Church council and look forward, if chosen, to further serve St. Mary of the Lake.

Brian Wilkerson

Years in Parish: 15 or so
I regularly volunteered for Families Moving Forward, typically with the clean up. I also carried the cross-standard during the 11:00 AM mass for a good while.



"One of my favorite hymns is "All are Welcome". I love its lyrics and melody. It is a beautiful expression of how the church is a place of love, community, and acceptance. I want to do my part so that St. Mary of the Lake is always a place everyone truly feels welcome.

The phrase "all are welcome" is a way that we can put "God is love" into practice. That is more than just open doors. It takes open hearts. It takes empathy and understanding. It takes getting out of one's own head and into someone else's, and trying to see things the way they do. It took me a long time to learn that, and perhaps my experience will prove helpful in the Parish Council.

I'm also pretty good at reading, listening and taking notes."