The Faith Communities of
Remsen - Marcus - Oyens

28th Week of Ordinary Time

For the Weekend of October 9 & 10, 2021

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www.mostholynameofmary.org

Grouping Notification Sign up Link:
marykate.flocknote.com

Prayer Chain

Baptism: Call parish office for arrangements - pre-baptism class required.

Marriage: Engaged couples are to begin preparations at least 9 months prior to their wedding. Reservations of weddings subject to use fee of $250 at St. Mary’s. Payment due within one month of scheduling wedding date.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Communal penance services during Lent and Advent seasons. Individual Reconciliation, one half hour prior to weekend Masses or by appointment.

Anointing of the Sick: Please contact the Parish Office.

From the Pastor

Many thanks for the prayers that were offered up for a successful Diocesan Priest Convocation this past week. It was an enjoyable time for all the active Diocesan priests (some of our retired brother priests joined us too!) to gather and pray together, enjoy long delayed fraternity due to COVID-19, and listen to some wonderful presentations about the challenges of the Church and “The Parish as Center for Missionary Formation.” We, clergy and the laity, have work to do. We need to continue to evangelize and proclaim the Good News welcoming new parishioners to our parish families and encouraging those who have not come back to the Church to share their concerns and together we can reconcile our differences, misunderstandings, and yes, apologize for our mistakes.

Next weekend, October 16/17, we begin the worldwide Diocesan participation in Pope Francis’s recently announced Synod, For a Synodal Church: Communion, Participation and Mission. This Synod’s purpose is to lead the whole Church into a deeper understanding of our mission in the world. Bishops, priests, and deacons will organize and attend meetings in every diocese around the world with the purpose of listening to the concerns, the joys, the frustrations, the ideas and even the anger of the faithful related to the Catholic Church today and where they suggest it should move toward tomorrow. More details to come in the upcoming weeks.

Blessings on your week!
Please pray for the following people: Hannah Harpenau, Eli Biezuns, Jameson Heidesch, Linda Harris, Rosemary Wibe, Mike Thiel, Nathan Galles, Barb Brady, Quinn Goodburn, Sue Petersen, Gloria Treinen, Eleanor Dreckman, Mary Vaske, Callie Beeck, Eleanor Lafleur Garlitz, Marge Schiltz, Dave Plathe, Marge Sanow, Doug Schiltz & all those who serve our country.

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### Liturgical Schedule

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### Liturgical Ministry

**Saturday, Oct 16, 4:00 PM, Remsen, St. Mary’s**
- **Lector:** Erin Schroeder
- **EMHC:** Luke Homan, Judy Keffeler, Greg Schroeder
- **Altar Servers:** Aiden Homan, Kinnick Mohning, Alex Schroeder
- **Gift Bearers:** Joe & Kristine Mohning

**Sunday, Oct 17, 8:00 AM, Remsen, St. Mary’s**
- **Lector:** Duane Majeres
- **EMHC:** Vicki Heeren, Roger & Donna Hestermann
- **Altar Servers:** Austin Klein, Sidney Krier, Colby Penning
- **Gift Bearers:** Fran & Roxanne Galles

**Sunday, Oct 17, 10:00 AM, Marcus, Holy Name**
- **Lector:** Robin Jenness
- **EMHC:** Robin Jenness, Barb Rosener
- **Altar Servers:** Isabella Olson, Aleah & Brielle Lux
- **Gift Bearers:** Tim & Margie Erdman
- **Ushers:** Larry Alesch, Denny Brady, Tim Erdman

### Prayers Please

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### Stewardship

**RSM**
- Adult Support: $15,991.00
- Loose: $597.00
- World Mission: $20.00
- Weekly Income: $16,608.00

**MHN**
- Adult Support: $4,456.00
- Loose: $142.00
- Donations: $300.00
- Candles: $6.00
- Grain Donation: $1,752.00
- Weekly Income: $6,656.00

### Faith Formation Coordinator

The Marcus & Remsen St. Mary’s Parish grouping is seeking an individual(s) who will be responsible for coordination and implementation of the faith formation of the public and home-schooled youth (TK/Kindergarten – Grade 10), parishes’ RCIA program, and other continuing education young adult and adult programs (i.e., Bible Studies, Theology on Tap, and presentations of speakers as catechesis opportunities present themselves) within the parish grouping. All tasks to be completed in collaboration with the pastor. If interested and desire a more detailed job description, or any additional questions, please contact Fr. Tim Pick at pickt@scdiocese.org.

### Special Mass Celebrations at Remsen St. Mary’s

**Fr. Loyd Fiedler, Celebrant**

**October 24, 2021**
- **2:00 pm**
- 50th Anniversary of Priesthood Ordination and 50 Years as a Divine Word Missionary in the Philippine Islands
- (Ordination Date – Dec. 19, 1970)
- Open House Immediately After Mass
- St. Mary High School Cafeteria

**October 31, 2021**
- **2:00 pm**
- Filipino Mass
- Fellowship Following Mass at American Bank, Remsen with Filipino Marienda
Parish News

Sunday, October 31, at 2 PM, a Mass in the Filipino language will be celebrated in St. Mary’s Church. Filipinos and friends are invited to Celebrate 500 years of Christianity in the Philippine Islands (1521-2021). Also, to be celebrated are 50 years of Priesthood and missionary service in the Islands by Rev. Fr. Loyd G. Fielder, SVD, a Divine Word Missionary, 1971-2021.

Do you know of someone who is interested in joining the Catholic Church? We would like to begin to offer RCIA - (The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) in October. This group would meet once a week, time and place to be determined by the group. The program concludes at the Easter Vigil where the parties are welcomed into the Church. Please contact either parish office or Fr. Tim at pickt@scdiocese.org, for more details.

“America Needs Fatima: Rosary” - This rosary rally will begin at 12:00 Noon on Saturday, October 16, outside of the Marcus Case’s Junction. If rainy weather, the rally will be held at Holy Name Church. Please bring a lawn chair if needed. This rosary has the support of the Holy Father, Pope Francis, and USCCB to consecrate Russia to the Immaculate Heart of Mary as our Lady of Fatima. The intentions of the rosary are to save America from today’s chaos, immorality, and social upheaval.

Holy Name Parish

Catholic Daughters will meet Monday, October 11 in Holy Name Church hall. Rosary will be at 5:45, with a luncheon to follow. The program will be about St. Joseph. Guests are welcome!

PRAYING THE ROSARY - In the Catholic Church, October is known as “Rosary Month.” We encourage parishioners to gather and pray the rosary on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 8 AM at the Holy Name Church during this month. Pray for us, O Holy Mother of God!

Holy Name Parish would like to honor and pray for parishioners on Veterans Day who have served in the military or who currently serve. We would like to display a picture of your loved one(s) in the front entrance of the Church. Please provide the following to the rectory office before Wednesday, October 20. You may use the drop box at the rectory.

1. MILITARY PICTURE (if available) in a protective cover, (preferably 4X5 or smaller) that can be pinned to the bulletin board accompanied by the following typewritten or handwritten information

2. NAME including rank/title/distinction

3. CHILDREN OF:

4. BRANCH: ARMY, AF, Marines, Navy, Coast Guard

5. WHERE/WHEN serving or served or length of service if retired.

6. BRIEF SUMMARY of service if possible.

The picture will be returned.

St. Mary’s Parish and Schools

CONGRATULATIONS to Tessa Bohnenkamp, daughter of Todd and Jodi Bohnenkamp and to Wes Galles, son of Barry and Melissa Galles, who were crowned queen and king at RSM’s Homecoming Coronation last week Friday, October 1.

RSM Senior Class of 2022 sub pickup will be Friday, October 15, from 3 - 6 PM in the MS/HS cafeteria. The class is also selling superfine salt through Friday, October 29. The salt is available in 50lb bags and are available in either pellets or crystals for $7/bag or $8/bag for a pallet, which is 49 bags. Delivery will be the first weekend in November.

RSM Activity Club will be hosting their last tailgate, Friday October 15! WesTel will be grilling square burgers with chips for $5. Sponsors are WesTel, Glassmaker Construction, Gengler Feed, Barry’s Electric and Beer City. Go Hawks!

Mark your calendars for RSM Activity Club’s chicken supper. This event will be held Sun., Oct. 17. Carry outs and local delivery only will be from 4-6:30 PM. The meal will consist of broasted chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, corn or green beans, cole-slaw, dinner roll and dessert for $12/meal. Please call 786-1433 for delivery or call ahead for pick up at St. Mary’s MS/HS.

RSM Jr High and High School students will be having their 2nd annual fall service clean up day on Wednesday, October 27. The student body will rake leaves, bag them and haul them away. Priority will be given to the elderly and those who are unable to do the work themselves. Please call 786-1433 to get your name on the list by Tuesday, October 19.

Keep saving those Coke Rewards. St. Mary’s Schools has received $300.25 from Coke. You can turn in your rewards to Rosie at the grade school.

Scrip profit was $228.03. Tuition earned was $79.71 and Scrip proceeds netted $148.32. You can stop in the rectory office to get Scrip on hand. Scrip can also be purchased and used instantly on your mobile device with MyScripWallet.com. Call the rectory office for the enrollment code.