



## **Church of St. Mary**

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### **CHURCH OF ST. MARY WEEKEND MASSES**

Saturday – 5:00 p.m.

Sunday – 8:00 a.m.

Sunday – 10:30 a.m.

12:30 p.m. – Spanish Mass

### **SACRAMENT OF PENANCE**

Tuesday 8:00 p.m.

### **WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE**

#### **FOR CLUSTER PARISHES**

Church of St. John, Meire Grove

8:00 P.M.

Church of Michael, Spring Hill

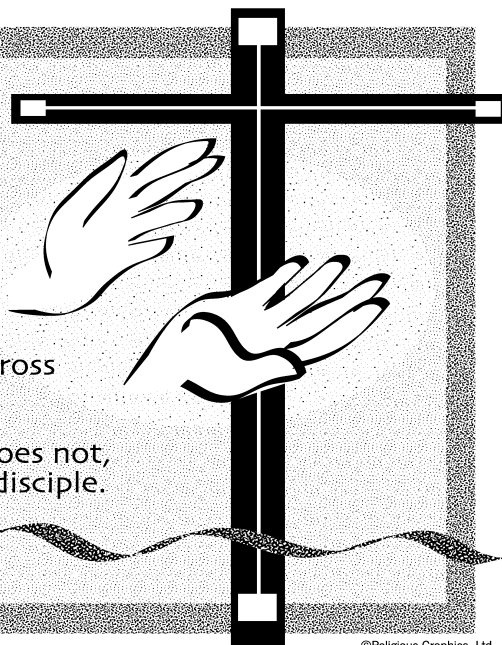
Sun. 8:00 am.

Church of St. Andrew, Greenwald

Sun. 10:00 a.m.

Who knows  
God's counsel,  
or who can  
conceive  
what the  
Lord intends?

Take up your cross  
and follow me,  
says the Lord.  
Anyone who does not,  
cannot be my disciple.



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***New Parishioners are always welcome at St. Mary's.***

### **PARISH STAFF**

Fr. Marvin Enneking—Pastor

Fr. Mitchell Bechtold—Parochial Vicar

Ernest Kociemba—Deacon

Dawn Carrillo—Faith Formation/Religious Education/  
Music-Liturgy Director

Ruth Klaphake—Youth Director/Faith Formation Asst.

Jean Ritter—Parish Administrative Assistant

Sheryl Braun—Bookkeeper

Robert Doyle—Principal

Colleen Butte—School Administrative Assistant

Allan Wiechmann, Amanda Theiler, Gary Ettel —  
Custodians

Caroline Jacobs—Parish Nurse

Ray Primus, Rosie Athmann—Trustees

### **PARISH COUNCIL MEMBERS**

Ron Heinen, Mary Rieland, Rick Klaphake, Doug Welle,  
Therese Herdering, Bill Kemper, Diane Budde

**MASS SCHEDULE SEPT. 8 - 14**

**Monday - Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

Micah 5: 1-4a; Matthew 1: 1-16

7:30 a.m. Word & Communion Service

**Tuesday - St. Peter Claver**

1 Corinthians 6: 1-11; Luke 6: 12-19

7:30 p.m. †Jolene Wieling

**Wednesday**

1 Corinthians 7: 25-31; Luke 6: 20-26

7:30 a.m. †Lucille Raeker

**Thursday**

1 Corinthians 8: 1b-7, 11-13; Luke 6: 27-38

7:30 a.m. †Doris R. Braegelmann

**Friday - The Most Holy Name of Mary**

1 Corinthians 9: 16-19, 22b-27; Luke 6: 39-42

8:30 a.m. †Tony Ellering/**All School**

**Saturday**

2:00 p.m. Kieshia Trisko & Chris Negen/ Nuptial Mass

**Sunday Schedule**

**Saturday**

5:00 p.m. †Duane Mueller

**Sunday**

8:00 a.m. For the People

9:00 a.m. †Angeline Deters/**Pine Villa**

10:30 a.m. †Dick Anderson

Ervin & Virginia Klaphake/ 65th Anniv.

12:30 p.m. Mass in Spanish

**Perpetual Help Devotion Tuesday**

7:00 p.m. - rosary; 7:15 p.m. - devotions; 7:30 p.m. - Mass

**Sacrament of Penance** - Tuesday evenings at 8:00 p.m.

**Baptized in Christ** - Ashlynn Theresa Pflipsen

**Banns of Marriage III**- Kieshia Trisko & Chris Negen

**Banns of Marriage II** - Mindy Revermann & Alex Roering

**Banns of Marriage I** - Alexandra Kociemba & Brandon Arnzen

**Parish Council** - meet Sept. 11, 6:30 p.m., in the church basement meeting room.

**Finance Council** - meet Sept. 11, 5:30 p.m., in the church basement meeting room.

**St. Bernard/St. Elizabeth Society** - meet Sept. 14, at 8:00 p.m.

**NCSE** - meeting, Sept. 8, 7:30 p.m., at the Melrose City Center.

**Interested in becoming Catholic or know someone who is ?**

All non-Catholics are invited to join RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults). This Rite is a journey through the Catholic Faith. Those who participate are not obligated to become Catholic, but if you have ever thought of becoming Catholic or know of someone who is, this is a way to get a glimpse at the faith. Catholics are welcome to come to classes in order to grow in faith. Contact Deacon Ernie, RCIA Coordinator for details @ (320)-256 4207.

<b>Regular Adult Offering</b>	5,228.74
Automated Fund Transfers	1,797.25
Assumption	75.00
<b>Total Regular Offering</b>	<b>\$7,100.99</b>

**Additional Gifts Received**

Loose	917.50
Children	25.00
Sponsor a Child	60.00
<b>Total Additional gifts received</b>	<b>1,002.50</b>

<b>Total Regular Offering</b>	<b>\$7,100.99</b>
<b>Budgeted Regular Offering</b>	<b>\$8,654.00</b>
<b>Shortfall YTD (8/25/14-8/31/14)</b>	<b>-3,319.40</b>

**Capital Campaign Update**- Thanks to all who supported the Capital Campaign that was initiated in October 2012. The total amount paid / and or pledged is now at \$235,716.93. If we remember, the goal of the Capital Campaign was set at \$300,000 and if we could get closer to that amount that would be great. If you have not yet made a contribution to the Campaign or would consider adding to the amount you have already given it would be very much appreciated. The Campaign ends October 2014. Thank you!

**CALENDAR RAFFLE 2014**

- 08/31 Dave & Cindy Hemmesch - \$25
- 09/01 Doris Frieler -\$50
- 09/02 Melissa Stommes- \$25
- 09/03 Lyn Klaphake - \$25
- 09/04 Doris Stueve - \$25
- 09/05 Amy Prodinsky - \$25
- 09/06 Steve Borgerding- \$25

**SPONSORS THIS WEEK: CORNERSTONE  
KRAEMER LUMBER CO. INC.**

**Healing Hearts Suicide Loss Support Group** will hold its annual memorial service at 8 pm on Tuesday, Sept 16 at St. Mary's Parish. All are invited to attend, especially those whose lives have been touched by suicide. Please gather initially in the church basement; refreshments to follow service.

**To: ALL WOMEN IN THE ST. CLOUD DIOCESE:** Please SAVE THE DATE of OCT. 11, 2014 for the "Catholic WOMEN'S 2014 Conference" at Holy Angels Performing Arts Center, St. Cloud, MN. Keynote speaker will be Patty Schneier. More information will be forthcoming. Contact: Office of Marriage & Family, 320-252-4721.

**Notice:** The Food Shelf will no longer accept egg cartons, please recycle. Thank you!

**ST. MARY'S SCHOOL NEWS**

At St. Mary's School we are looking for magazines that students can read in their book boxes. If you have any children's magazines sitting around that you would be willing to part with please bring them to the school. Some examples of magazines are: Sports Illustrated for Kids, American Girl, Zoobooks, Highlights, Ranger Rick. Thanks!

As you are cleaning out your closets and drawers this fall save your treasures for St. Mary's School garage sale that will be held in spring. The money we make at this garage sale goes towards apps that are used on the classroom iPads. We will be collecting items in spring. Thanks.

**Lake Wobegon Trail Ride** which benefits the Catholic Charities St. Cloud Children's Home will be on Sat. Sept. 13 with kickoff at 9 a.m. in St. Joseph. It ends at the Sauk Centre Fairgrounds winding its way through communities along the Lake Wobegon Trail. This event promises to draw hundreds of riders to our Central MN communities for a day of family fun, exercise, benefitting a great cause helping kids who need a little help on the right trail. For more info download and complete a registration form from [www.ccstcloud.org](http://www.ccstcloud.org) or call Chuck Rieland at 763-571-9661.

**TO ALL WOMEN IN THE ST. CLOUD DIOCESE:** The St. Cloud Diocesan Council of Catholic Women invites you to attend the 61st Annual Fall Conference on Sept. 20, 2014, beginning at 8:00 a.m. It will be held @ St. Marcus Church, 8701 Main St., Clear Lake, MN. The theme is "THE JOY OF THE GOSPEL". The conference includes: morning refreshments, business meeting, keynote speaker Bishop Donald Kettler, Mass, lunch, afternoon speakers, prayer and door prizes. As a service project we are collecting "Caps of Love" to recycle (all hard plastic caps from almost anything, no metal, paper inserts removed) - please bring along to the conference or see contact info below. Registration fee is \$15.00 by Sept. 16th (\$20.00 after). Mail registration to: Kathy Moeller, 2272 120th Ave., Clear Lake, MN 55319. For info call: Julie Moorhead/Miller at 320-243-3891

**Centracare Health-Sauk Centre Hospice** -What is a Hospice Volunteer? Our volunteers visit our Hospice clients in their home, Nursing Home or hospital. Hospice serves Sauk Centre and the surrounding areas. For more info Call Deb Johnson at 320-351-1798.

**Musicians Sept. 13/14**

5:00 p.m. - Parish Choir 8:00 a.m. - Cantor 10:30 a.m. - Cantor

**Servers Schedule**

Tue. 7:30 p.m. Brittany Sand, Donna Sand  
Sat. 5:00 p.m. Allison Pohlmann, Diana Nathe  
Sun. 8:00 a.m. Bud & Pat Moening  
Sun. 10:30 a.m. Shelby Anderson, Laura Thompson  
Weekdays - Sept. 10 & 11- George Traeger

**FAITH FORMATION**

Have you registered for Faith Formation classes for your child? Our Opening Night Mass and Open House takes place on Wednesday, September 17 at 6:00 pm. Please call Dawn or Ruth in the Parish Center to get registered!

All catechists are reminded of our Catechist Training this Wednesday, September 10 at 7:30 pm in St. Mary's School. We are looking forward to an amazing year of growth and discovery with all of you! Thank you for serving God and our parish with your gift of faith!

**LITURGY:**

Parish Choir rehearses on Wednesday, September 10 at 5:00 pm.



Local gift cards including Dairy Queen, Subway and Burger King are available for immediate pick up at St. Mary's School, or you can always choose from 100's of national brands on line. It's easy to order directly at [www.shopwithscrip.com](http://www.shopwithscrip.com). First time users enter our enrollment code 79CL78L733L72.

**Youth Ministry**

Join other 9-12 grade students from area parishes every 3rd Sunday of the month in setting the world ablaze for Christ! Kickoff Sunday, September 21 at St Paul's Church, Sauk Centre. 5:30 p.m. doors open, welcoming music, 6:00 p.m. activities, speakers, small groups and more! 7:30 p.m. Mass. Everyone Welcome. Contact Ruth for more info at 256-4207 or 256 4258 or 256 3498.

**YOU ARE INVITED**

**St. Mary of Mt. Carmel Parish, Long Prairie** - Festival, Sun. Sept. 7. Dinner served 11:00 - 1:30 p.m., music, raffle & entertainment for the whole family.

**Camphill Village MN** - Fall festival & Open House, Sun. Sept. 7, 12:30 - 4:00 p.m. Featuring music, picnic, hay rides, tours and much more. Look for balloons on Hwy. 71 between Sauk Centre & Long Prairie. For more info call 320-732-6365 or email [cvmn@realalp.com](mailto:cvmn@realalp.com)

**Melrose City Center** - "500" cards, Sept. 7. 1:30 p.m.

**St. Michael's Parish, Spring Hill** - Matching Grant breakfast, Sun. Sept. 14, serving 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m., in the church basement.

**St. John's / St. Andrew's School** - Matching Grant breakfast, Sun. Sept. 21, serving 9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m., in the St. Andrew's School, Greenwald.

**Forever Young Phase III Chorus** - concert, Melrose High School Auditorium, Sept. 7, 2 p.m.; First Lutheran Church, Sauk Centre, Sept. 11, 7 p.m.; Our Savior's Lutheran Church, Sept. 14, 7 p.m.

**Albany Pioneer Days** - Sept. 12, 13, 14 at the Stearns County Pioneer Club Show grounds just north of Albany. This is a very good educational family entertainment that teaches children heritage.

**Boy Scout & Cub Scouts** - will be holding a **School Night To Join Scouting** on Thurs. Sept. 18, at the Melrose Public Elementary School cafeteria from 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.