

# Saint Mary of the Assumption Catholic Church



## 5<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT

Jesus told her, "I am the resurrection and the life;  
whoever believes in me, even if he dies, will live."  
- Jn 11:25

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### Sunday, March 17th, 2024

**Saturday, March 23rd, 5:15 pm**

**Lectors:** Stephanie Worthington & Mark Jelinek  
**Minister of Holy Communion:** Deacon Tully  
**Servers:** Brielle Weeden, Eleanor Jelinek, Andrew Mata,  
Danicka Spencer  
**Ushers:** Knights of Columbus  
**Gifts:** Kevin Jelinek Family **Scrip:** Suzanne Walter

**Palm Sunday, March 24th, 8:00 am**

**Lectors:** Chay & Gregg Schmitt  
**Minister of Holy Communion:** Deacon Tully  
**Servers:** Colyns Morris, Nicholas Perna, Wyatt Mueller  
Alexander Kloehn  
**Ushers:** Knights of Columbus  
**Gifts:** Andrew Wright Family **Scrip:** Christine Schmitt

**Palm Sunday, March 24th, 10:30 am**

**Lectors:** John Tennant & Sara Schultz  
**Minister of Holy Communion:** Deacon Tully  
**Servers:** Makenna Mueller, Baylee Wertz  
**Gifts:** Donna Bodinet **Scrip:** Shelly Schmidt

### Mass Schedule

Monday, March 18th

No Mass

Tuesday, March 19th

Mass 8:15 am

† John J. Honer

Wednesday, March 20th

Mass 8:15 am

† Rosemary Leineweber

Thursday, March 21st

Mass 8:15 am **Adoration following**

† Marcella Devine

Friday, March 22nd

**Confessions 4:00 to 5:10 pm**

Mass 5:15 pm

† Pedro Felix Jr.

**Stations of the Cross 6:00 pm**

Saturday, March 23rd

Confessions 4:15

Mass 5:15 pm

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Sunday, March 24th

Confessions 7:30 am

Mass 8:00 am

Our Parish Family

Confessions 9:30 am

Mass 10:30 am

Special Intention



### Parish Calendar of Events

- 03/21 Thurs. Extravaganza meeting 6:30 pm  
03/22 Friday Mass at 5:15 pm  
Stations of Cross at 6:00 pm  
03/22 Friday St Mary's Fish Fry 4:30 to 7:00 pm  
03/26 Tuesday Chrism Mass 10:30 @ St Joseph  
the Workman Cathedral  
03/28 Thurs. Mass of the Last Supper 7:00 pm  
03/29 Friday Good Friday Service 1:00 pm  
03/30 Saturday Easter Vigil 8:00 pm  
03/31 Sunday Easter Sunday 8:00 am Mass  
No Incense  
03/31 Sunday Easter Sunday Mass 10:30 am

## **From your pastor . . .**

As we come closer to the celebration of Holy Week and what is known as the Triduum (the three great days) of Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Holy Saturday– Easter Sunday, we should be certain to prepare ourselves by participating in the Sacrament of Confession. Below appears the extended schedule for the Sacrament, and below the schedule is the Order for Making a Good Confession that you can clip and bring with you to the confessional.

### **Extended Lenten Confession Schedule:**

**Friday, March 22 – 4:00 – 5:10 p.m.**

**Saturday, March 23 – 4:15 – 5:10**

**Sunday, March 24 – 7:30 a.m. – 7:55; 9:30 a.m. – 10:25 a.m.**

**Monday, March 25 – 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.**

**Tuesday, March 26 – 5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.**

**Thursday, March 28 – 6:00 – 6:45 p.m.**

**Friday, March 29 – 12:15 – 12:50 p.m.**

**Easter Sunday, March 31 – 7:30 – 7:50; 9:45–10:20 a.m.**

### **Order of Confession**

Priest: In the Name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**Penitent: Amen**

**Penitent: Bless me Father for I have sinned. My last confession was \_\_\_\_\_ ago and these are my sins.**

(At this point you make a complete confession of your sins to the best of your recollection.) . . .

**and I am sorry for these and all the sins of my life.**

(The priest will give you words of counsel and assign your penance)

**Penitent:** (Recites this Act of Contrition or any other one they may wish to use)

**O My God, I am heartily sorry for having offended you. And I detest all my sins because of thy just punishments. But most of all because they offend you my God who are all good and deserving of all my love.**

**I firmly resolve with the help of your grace to sin no more and to avoid the near occasion of sin. Amen.**

Priest: (Recites the prayer of absolution) God the Father of mercies, through the death and resurrection of his Son has reconciled the world to himself and sent the Holy Spirit among us for the forgiveness of sins; through the ministry of the Church may God give you pardon and peace, and I absolve you from your sins in the name of the Father, and of the Son, + and of the Holy Spirit.

**Penitent: Amen.**

Priest: Give thanks to the Lord for He is good.

**Penitent: And His mercy endures forever.**

Priest: The Lord has freed you from your sins. Go in peace.

**Penitent: Thanks be to God.**

(You now leave the confessional to carry out your assigned penance.)

“ Receive Communion often, very often...there you have the sole remedy, if you want to be cured. Jesus has not put this attraction in your heart for nothing... “  
 “The guest of our soul knows our misery; He comes to find an empty tent within us– that is all He asks.”  
 St. Therese of Lisieux

## ProLife Wisconsin Social

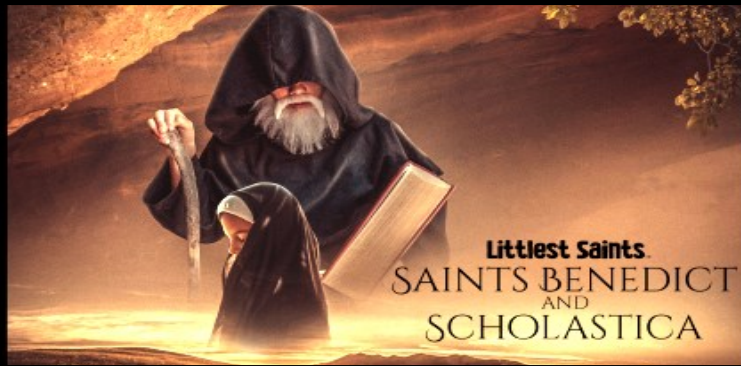
Join Pro-Life Wisconsin for a night out with fellow pro-lifers at our Spring Social on April 18, 2024 from 6pm-8pm at the **Lodge at Mauston (104 Lodge Lane Mauston) WI.** Enjoy dinner, drinks, fantastic company, and hear powerful real-life testimony from one of our faithful sidewalk counselors, Mr. Don Hudzinski. Tickets are \$40 each available through Monday, March 25. For more information and to register go to [ProLifeWI.org/spring-social](http://ProLifeWI.org/spring-social).



JOIN US FOR THE  
**STATIONS OF THE CROSS**

**Friday March 22nd  
 Mass at 5:15 pm**

**Stations of the Cross  
 6:00 pm**



## Nine Month Novena with His Eminence Cardinal Burke Marian Catechist Apostolate (Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe)

Our office would like to make you aware of a new campaign being launched by His Eminence Cardinal Burke. This will be a nine-month novena to Our Lady of Guadalupe that culminates in a consecration to her. His Eminence has committed himself to this massive campaign for the conversion of the people of the Americas to Christ through the intercession of Our Lady, because our world is in need of God's grace, and because Our Lady's intercession is among the surest ways to secure it. Each month, His Eminence will provide regular written reflections, meditations, and prayers, to aid our journey with him. The novena will begin on March 12 and continue on the 12th of each following month, with the ninth month of the novena on November 12 and the consecration on December 12, the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

You can learn more about this campaign at [novena.cardinalburke.com](http://novena.cardinalburke.com)

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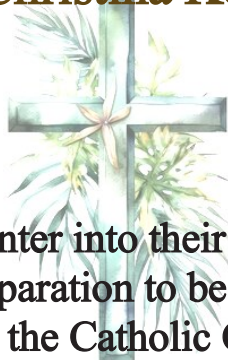
1. Visit FORMED .org
2. Click Sign In
3. Enter your email
4. Click link in email
5. You're in!

Want to create a new  
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1. Visit FORMED.org
2. Click Sign-up
3. "I belong to a Parish
4. Find St Mary's by zip
5. Enter your email, done!

Please keep in prayer  
 the following Catechumens:

**Kendra Bingham  
 Dalton Johnson  
 Christina Koch**



as they enter into their final weeks  
 of preparation to be received  
 into the Catholic Church  
 at the Easter Vigil

## Shroud of Turin Exhibit

Our Lady of Guadalupe Shrine in La Crosse  
 March 13th through March 20th, 12:00 am to 5:00 pm



## St. Mary's in Viroqua

Will be performing a production of,  
"The Passion and Death of Our Lord"  
on Friday March 29 (Good Friday) at 7pm.  
This is a realistic depiction of the suffering and death of  
our Lord so parental discretion is strongly advised for  
children under the age of reason.

### 2024 Diocesan Annual Appeal

Goal ... \$33,800.00  
Amount Received (as of 2/28/24) \$43,905.00  
Exceeding Goal ... \$10,105.00

Thankyou !



### St. Mary's Fish Fry

Father McKeivitt Council # 3492

Knights of Columbus will be holding our last  
Lenten Fish Fry on **March 22, 2024.**

This fish fry will be drive-thru only.

4:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

We will be serving baked and fried fish, cheesy and  
baked potatoes, coleslaw, applesauce, and a garlic bis-  
cuit. The cost of the meal is \$11 per meal, with the  
option to add extra fish for \$2 per piece, up to 3 pieces  
per meal.

Please enter the drive-up que on 4th Street and Central  
Avenue, turning left onto 5th Street,  
and entering the school and parish parking lot to place  
and receive your order.

Would you be interested in helping with the Fish Fry?  
We would love to have you help out with the event.  
Please follow the link to sign up to help put on the Fish  
Fry for St. Mary's School and the  
Knights of Columbus.

[https://m.signupgenius.com/#!/  
showSignUp/904044FAAA92EA46-kcst](https://m.signupgenius.com/#!/showSignUp/904044FAAA92EA46-kcst)

### Readings for the week of March 17, 2024

Sunday: Jer 31:31-34/Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 14-15 (12a)/  
Heb 5:7-9/Jn 12:20-33  
Scrutiny: Ez 37:12-14/Ps 130: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 (7)/Rom  
8:8-11/Jn 11:1-45 or 11:3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45  
Monday: Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 or 13:41c-62/  
Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6/Jn 8:1-11  
Tuesday: 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 and  
29/Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22/Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or  
Lk 2:41-51a  
Wednesday: Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95/Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56/  
Jn 8:31-42  
Thursday: Gn 17:3-9/Ps 105:4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Jn 8:51-59  
Friday: Jer 20:10-13/Ps 18:2-3a, 3bc-4, 5-6, 7/  
Jn 10:31-42  
Saturday: Ez 37:21-28/Jer 31:10, 11-12abcd, 13/  
Jn 11:45-56  
Next Sunday: Mk 11:1-10 or Jn 12:12-16/Is 50:4-7/Ps 22:8-9,  
17-18, 19-20, 23-24 (2a)/Phil 2:6-11/  
Mk 14:1—15:47 or 15:1-39

March 9/10, 2024

Adult Tithe.....	\$ 4,713.00
Offertory.....	467.00
Student Offertory.....	82.81
Easter Flowers.....	145.00
Endowment Fund.....	10.00
Total.....	\$5,417.81

02/15/2024 ACH Contributions ..... \$6,205.00

Consider ....Automatic Tithing

15th of every month

No checks to write ..Save time and money !

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Wedding Planning Information

For those seeking the Sacrament of Marriage in our Church  
please notify the pastor as soon as you are engaged,  
but not less than six months  
prior to the proposed wedding date.