

Saint Mary of the Assumption Catholic Church



The Most Holy Trinity Sunday June 4th, 2023

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and
to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now,
and will be forever. Amen

Saturday, June 10th 5:15 pm

Lector: Candace McGrath

Minister of Holy Communion: Deacon Tully

Servers: Andrew Mata, Danicka Spencer,
Brielle Weeden

Ushers: Knights of Columbus

Gifts: Steve Bauer Family **Scrip:** Coleen Pulvermacher

Sunday, June 11th 8:00 am

Lector: Mark Jelinek

Minister of Holy Communion: Deacon Tully

Servers: Emma Jelinek, Alexander & Carter Kloehn
Avery Kepler

Ushers: Knights of Columbus

Gifts: Gregg Schmitt Family **Scrip:** Fran Wilkinson

Sunday, June 11th 10:30 am

Lector: Gloria Joseph

Minister of Holy Communion: Deacon Tully

Servers: Conner & Laura Stoltz,
Brayden & Tristan Arms

Ushers: Knights of Columbus

Gifts: Jeffrey Joseph Family **Scrip:** Shelly Schmidt

Mass Schedule

Monday, June 5th **St. Boniface**
No Mass

Tuesday, June 6th **St. Norbert**
Mass 8:15 am
† Marvin Jelinek

Wednesday, June 7th
Funeral Mass 11:00 am

Thursday, June 8th
Mass 8:15 am **Adoration following Mass**
† Richard Ziaja

Friday, June 9th **St. Ephrem**
Mass 8:15
† Jim and Lorraine Cosgrove

Saturday June 10th
Confessions 4:00 to 4:50 pm
Mass 5:15 pm
† Leo Triggs

Corpus Christi Sunday
The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ
Sunday June 11th

Confessions 7:30 to 7:50 am
Mass 8:00 am
Rachel Hall SP.I.

Confessions 9:30 to 10:20 am
Mass 10:30 am
Our Parish Family

Parish Calendar Events

06/05 Monday, PCCW meeting at Eunice Keeper Shelter
Krouskup Park, 6:00 pm Potluck Picnic

06/10–06/11 Knights of Columbus Tootsie Roll Drive ...
Helping people with Intellectual Disabilities

06/08 Finance Council meeting 6:30 pm

06/11 Sunday KC Meeting 7:00 pm

06/24 Saturday, Ordination, to the Priesthood, 10:00 am
at St Joseph the Workman Cathedral in La Crosse.

06/26–06/30 Monday thru Friday ... Vacation Bible School

From your pastor . . .

In this column we continue with the presentation by Father John A. Hardon, S.J., founder of the Marian Catechist Apostolate on the Holy Eucharist as it appears in his Catechism on the Real Presence. Father Hardon refers often to the encyclical letter *Mysterium Fidei*, The Mystery of Faith, written by Pope Saint Paul VI. This catechesis on the Holy Eucharist is being done to correspond with the National Eucharistic Revival that is taking place throughout all the Diocese in the United States.

13. *How was the introduction by Pope Paul VI a prelude to what follows in Mysterium Fidei?*

It was a prelude to the deep concern of the Pope about the rise of errors regarding the Holy Eucharist. He foresaw that the Catholic liturgy would be only as glorifying to God and as beneficial to us as it preserves the truth about the Blessed Sacrament. Moreover, he looked forward to greater benefits than ever from the Holy Eucharist, provided that the development of Eucharistic doctrine remains consistent with the Church's unchangeable Eucharistic teaching (MF 9).

14. *What are some of the Pope's concerns?*

He is concerned about what some professedly Catholic writers and speakers are saying regarding:

- Masses which are said in private, that is, without a congregation.*
- the dogma of transubstantiation, solemnly defined by the Council of Trent.*
- devotion to the Holy Eucharist apart from the Eucharistic liturgy.*
- ignoring the Church's unchangeable definitions about the Blessed Sacrament.*
- interpretations of Catholic doctrine that weaken the genuine meaning of the Church's teaching on the Holy Eucharist. (MF 9)*

15. *Does the Pope encourage what is called 'communal Masses' to the disparagement of private Masses?*

No. Just the opposite. It is not allowable, he says, to emphasize what is called the 'communal' Mass to the disparagement of Masses celebrated in private. Behind this mistaken emphasis is the error of claiming that a congregation is essential for the valid and fruitful celebration of the Sacrifice of the Mass. There is such widespread emphasis on "togetherness" in the Eucharistic liturgy that the essence of the Sacrifice of the Mass is either forgotten or even denied. This essence is Christ offering Himself to His Heavenly Father, which is signified by the double consecration. Christ is really offering Himself in the Mass, no less truly than He offered Himself on Calvary. The presence and participation of the Faithful at Mass is certainly beneficial to the participation., but their presence is not essential for the Eucharistic sacrifice. (MF 10)

16. *How important is the sacramental sign in the Holy Eucharist?*

It is certainly important as a means of signifying that the Eucharist is a sacrament. The danger is that people will come to identify the external symbolism with the internal reality.

17. *Can the mystery of transubstantiation be discussed without reference to the teaching of the Council of Trent?*

No. The council of Trent gives us the most authoritative and definite teaching on the meaning of transubstantiation. According to the Council of Trent, transubstantiation is the change of the whole substance of bread and wine into the whole Christ. The exact words of the Council could not be more clear: "It was always the conviction of the Church, and this holy Council now declares again that by the consecration of the bread and wine there takes place a change of the whole substance of the bread into the substance of the body of Christ our Lord and of the whole substance of the wine into the substance of His blood. This change, the holy Catholic Church has fittingly and properly called transubstantiation."

With graduations now completed and extended congratulations to all graduates, we pray for a safe and enjoyable summer. Until I write again, may God bless you and all the parishioners of Saint Mary's Parish.

Monsignor Roger J. Scheckel

Eucharistic Revival

2022-2025

“Never neglect to satiate yourself with the food of the angels”
Saint Pio Pietrelcina

“Take; this is my body”
Mark 14:22



The presence of
Christ in the
Eucharist is real,
true, and substantial

Eucharist “makes
present the one
sacrifice of Christ the
Savior.” (CCC, no. 1330)

We Give Thanks to God!
Monsignor Roger J. Scheckel
celebrated his 39th Anniversary of his
Ordination to the Priesthood
on Friday, May 26th
&
Birthday on Friday, June 2nd
May God Bless You!
Your St. Mary Parish Family

We lift up in prayer
Jared Nicholas Clements, Alex Scott Kren
Isaac John Pecha, John Patrick Zweber

Transitional Deacons who will be ordained to the
Priesthood on Saturday, June 24th, 2023
at St. Joseph the Workman Cathedral at 10:00 am.

Eucharistic Congress 2023 | Saturday, June 10 with Bishop Robert Barron.

Open to All: The Diocese of Winona-Rochester is hosting a Eucharistic Congress in Mankato, MN, on Saturday, June 10th. This day-long celebration of Christ made present in the Eucharist will be an inspiring event to prepare for the Feast of Corpus Christi.

For a schedule, list of speakers and to register, click eucharist.dowr.org or use your smartphone’s camera to scan the QR code to the left. Bring a carload of family and friends with you for this profound celebration of the Gift of the Holy Eucharist. Spanish Track is also available.



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Scrip News

The St. Mary Scrip program now offers Kwik Trip Grocery Only gift cards. They are available in \$25 and \$100 denominations. The rebate on these cards is 15%. They are for inside use only at all Kwik Trip/Kwik Star locations and not eligible to be used on fuel, tobacco, alcohol, lottery or stamps. The regular Kwik Trip gift card with a 5% rebate can be used for fuel AND inside purchases. Questions? Contact your scrip coordinator at scrip@stmarysrc.com.

St. Mary’s Parish VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

“The Olympics of Catholicism!”
June 26th – June 30th, 8:00 am - Noon
Kindergarten to Fifth Grade
Cost \$5—Registration is due June 1st

**The Eucharist and the Most Holy Trinity –
Father, Son and Holy Spirit**

Jesus gave His life for us so that our sins can be forgiven and we can be united in a relationship of love with the Father, Son and Holy Spirit. We refer to the Father, Son and Holy Spirit as the most Holy Trinity – three Persons in one God. When we receive the Eucharist, in reality, we are not only receiving the Body and Blood of Jesus, but all three Persons of the Blessed Trinity.

Let's pray this right now and every day this week:

“The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with all of you” (Paul’s Letter to the Corinthians 13:13)

Picture of the Blessed Trinity: Jesus is a Divine Person with a Divine nature and human nature and so in Sacred Art, He is depicted in His human nature – as a man. Our Heavenly Father and the Holy Spirit are Persons. They are pure spirits and do not have bodies, and so in Sacred Art, our Heavenly Father is represented by a grandfather and the Holy Spirit is represented by the Biblical image of a dove.



May 27/28, Stewardship

Adult Tithe.....	\$2,175.00
Offertory.....	510.00
Student Offertory.....	17.97
Pastoral Care.....	354.00
Festival.....	1.00
Total.....	\$3,057.97

May (ACH) Automatic Contributions \$5,550.00

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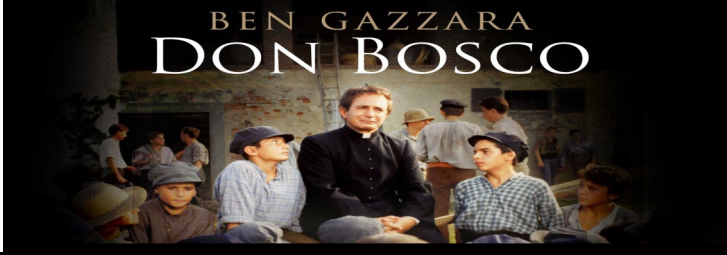
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Readings for the week of June 4, 2023

- Sunday:** Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9/Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56 (52b)/2 Cor 13:11-13/Jn 3:16-18
- Monday:** Tb 1:3; 2:1b-8/Ps 112:1b-2, 3b-4, 5-6/Mk 12:1-12
- Tuesday:** Tb 2:9-14/Ps 112:1-2, 7-8, 9/Mk 12:13-17
- Wednesday:** Tb 3:1-11a, 16-17a/Ps 25:2-3, 4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8-9/Mk 12:18-27
- Thursday:** Tb 6:10-11; 7:1bcde, 9-17; 8:4-9a/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4- 5/Mk 12:28-34
- Friday:** Tb 11:5-17/Ps 146:1b-2, 6c-7, 8-9a, 9bc-10/Mk 12:35-37
- Saturday:** Tb 12:1, 5-15, 20/Tb 13:2, 6efgh, 7, 8/Mk 12:38-44
- Next Sunday:** Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20 (12)/1 Cor 10:16-17/Jn 6:51-58

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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.