

July 17th – 18th, Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, July 17th, Vigil: Sixteenth Sunday

4pm Confessions 4:30pm Rosary
5:00 pm Mass (Intention: John & Katherine Hughes)

Sunday, July 18th, Sixteenth Sunday

8:30am Mass (Intention: For Our Parish)
10:40 Rosary
11:00 Mass (Intention: Viola & Christopher Powers)

Monday, July 19th

▶ **NO 8:30am Mass**

Tuesday, July 20th

5:15 pm. Mass (Intention: Doris Dilts)
7:00 pm. Parish Finance Committee Mtg.

Wednesday, July 21st

8:30am Mass (Intention: Prayers of Thanksgiving)
Call Jim Waldon for information at 926-0944
▶ K of C - Hoxworth Blood Drive from noon-8 in the activity center
7:00 pm Parish Choir Practice

Thursday, July 22nd – St. Mary Magdalene

5:15 pm. Mass (Intention: The Edwin Campbell Family)

Friday, July 23rd

8:30am Mass (Intention: James Renner Family)

Saturday, July 24th Vigil: 17th Sunday

4pm Confessions 4:30pm Rosary
5:00 pm. Mass (Intention: For Our Parish)

Sunday, July 25th, 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30am Mass (Intention: Chrissy Strautman)
11:00am Mass (Intention: Donna Teaney)

STEWARDSHIP IN ACTION –SHARING YOUR TIME AND TALENT!

Ministry Schedule Team 4, July 24-25, 2010

5:00pm 8:30am 11:00am Mass

USHER – GREETERS

J. Borgman & S. Alwin C. DeVille & M. McCabe T. Segrist & T. Brown
C. & C. Diener T. Vincent & B. Martini R. & S. Turner

EXTRAORDINARY COMMUNION MINISTERS

S. Hollingsworth C. Vincent L. Schuler
Jessica Oles C. Schweitzer J. Schuler
Joyce Oles T. Schweitzer K. Strasser

LECTORS (1 or 2)

R. Brayshaw A. Downey R. Kelnhofer
D. Rechten F. Schmits

ALTAR SERVERS

Josh Hollingsworth Brad Miller Laurel Kelnhofer
Nate Hollingsworth McKenzie Downey Jeremy Kelnhofer



Coffee & Donuts 07/25/10 - 8:30 Martings 11:00 – Kelnhofers
08/01/10 - 8:30 Hydes 11:00 - Walters

Counters: July 19 Team 6 - J. Groh, D. Manford, B. Tyler, M. Faber
July 26 Team 1 - J. Ullrich, D. DeVille, D. & T. Fedroff

NEW MINISTRY SCHEDULE The new schedule is being drawn up at this time. Please contact Jim Waldon at 926-0944 if you would like to change the way you are scheduled.



Please Pray for:

*Dena McCarter; *Patti Grow; *Diana Moore; *Nanciann Whisman;
*Connie Webb; Cyndi Strzynski; Suzanne Skidmore and her niece;
Ann, Fran, & Joan; Bill; Marilyn; Theresa;; Sonny Mix; Brent Casebolt;
Betty Tyler; Mike Barnet; Al Mattl; Diane Land; Paula Brennan; Barb
Jedding; Paul Brinker; Sue Sattler's co-worker; Nancy Jones; Kenny
Engle; Cindy Wood & daughter; Roger, Karen & Family.

Please contact the parish office to update prayer list or email
kelly.rose@mystmarys.com or Beth Marting at
jmarting@seidata.com. Please also email Beth if you would like to be
included in the email prayer chain.

Parish Budget Information Wk. 2 – July 10-11, 2010

Weekly Parish Collection: \$8,568.25 Budget: \$8,850.00
St. Vincent de Paul: \$ 236.00 Variance: -281.75



Stewardship & the Sunday Readings
July 18th – from the Letter to the Colossians

“...I am a minister in accordance with God's stewardship given to me to bring to completion for you the word of God....”

The ministry of proclaiming and teaching, blessing and forgiving – the very ministry of Paul – continues to come to us. We are called to respond as we go in peace from Mass to love and serve the Lord. Stewardship presents a unique way to love and serve the Lord not so much in what we do, but rather in how we do it. We have the opportunity to live the very same stewardship God gave to Paul in our own unique and wonderful way.



Respect Life News

I do not mean to say that caring for the elderly and others is *not* a burden. It can be, sometimes significantly so. I am saying that bearing this burden is so central to being human that if we run from the burden, we not only disrespect the elderly and vulnerable, we dehumanize ourselves. – William E. May, “On Being a Burden to One's Family,” *Culture of Life foundation Briefs* (3/26/10).

Together We Can Make A Difference to Protect and Respect Life!



Support Our Troops: Please pray for our troops and their families: Benjamin P. Nickell; Derek C. Meyer, USN (grandson of Tom & Carol Schweitzer). Cards for Derek may be sent to: Ship 14 Div 273, Recruit Training Command, 3410 Sailor Dr., Great Lakes, IL. 60088-3570. Please call the parish office to add a name to our list of military.

D.R.E. Updates:

ELEMENTARY RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Registration forms and session schedules for grade school level religious education have been mailed. The sessions are on scheduled Tuesday evenings in the school. Any second grader preparing for First Communion who is not enrolled in St. Mary School must attend the religion classes. Classes begin on August 31. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Meyer at 926-0060 or carolyn.meyer@mystmarys.com.

R.C.I.A.

The welcome session for anyone interested in joining the Catholic Church and learning about the RCIA process is Wednesday, August 11 at 6:30 p.m. in the parish office. This is an informal session that provides an overview of RCIA and opens discussion time for any questions.

If there are any parishioners interested in sponsoring a candidate this year, please contact Carolyn Meyer at 926-0060 for more information. A sponsor must be at least 18 yrs. old and a Confirmed, practicing Catholic.

Around Town Events

July, 23-25 - Holy Family Church, Oldenburg – Rummage Sale. Friday, Saturday – 9-6, Sunday 9-3. Fill up a brown bag for just \$2. Benefits to to the Religious Ed. Dept. For more information or to donate call: 934-3013.

Sat., Aug. 7th - Oldenburg Franciscan Center – 9:30 – 11:30

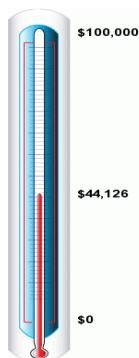
"The Journey Toward An Undivided Life: Wholeness & Balance"
Are you growing in peace? S. Olga Wittekind, OSF Presenter. \$45.00 includes lunch.

St. Mary's Parish Family Picnic

Sunday, Aug. 1st, 12:15 pm. at Aurora Park and Pool
Planning Committee members and volunteers needed!
Please call Kathy Strasser at (812) 744-5465 or the parish office to volunteer!

Volunteers NEEDED!

St. Mary's Campaign 2010 - Week 8



Thanks to our wonderful parishioners for their support of Campaign 2010!

Pledges Received-To-Date	\$ 44,125.65
<u>Pledge Monies Received</u>	<u>\$ 31,309.00</u>
GOAL	\$100,000.00



Christ in the House of Martha and Mary, Johannes Vermeer, before 1654-1655, oil on canvas (National Gallery of Scotland, Edinburgh) - Mary is seated at the feet of Jesus

July 18th - 16th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Luke 10:38:42

"Martha, Martha, you are anxious and worried about many things."

Martha is doing what was expected of a good Jewish woman of her day – preparing food for her family and guest. Her sister Mary, also a good Jewish woman, plops herself down at the feet of Jesus and absorbs every word He says. Martha finally confronts Jesus, "Lord, make her help me!" Jesus knows that Martha is not doing anything wrong. She is doing what she believes is expected of her. And she is doing it very well. Jesus suggests she should not be so concerned about what others expect of her, but should spend time to discern what God expects of her. What God expects of us can be quite different than what the world expects of us. We discern God's will for us in prayer – prayer that is not about what we say to God, but about what we are willing to hear from God. **Fr. Hacker Fagot, S.J. {d. 1/5/10} admits that "Too often my prayer is not God, thy will be done! But God, thy will be changed!" Do we pray? What is our prayer?**

Thinking about Separation or Divorce?

Is your marriage or that of a relative or friend heading for divorce? Retrouvaille is designed to help troubled marriages regain their health. It helps spouses uncover or re-awaken the love, trust, and commitment that originally brought them together. The program is highly successful in saving hurting marriages, even bringing reconciliation to couples who have already separated or divorced. For information about or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on Aug. 6-8 call 317 – 489-6811 or visit the web site at www.register@RetroIndy.com or on the web at www.HelpOurMarriage.com.

Sisters of Our Lady of Grace Monastery & Benedict Inn Presents:

The Saint John's Bible

August 6 through 29, 2010, 9:00 - Noon, Mon. – Sat. Sun . 1-4pm.

www.benedictinn.org

Sr. Amy - Good Shepherd Mission Church, KY
Sr. Amy and the Good Shepherd Mission is in desperate need of summer clothes for her "folks." Please help by bringing your donated items to St. Mary's Parish garage packed in 13 gallon plastic garbage bags and labeled with sizes and gender. It helps on this end in packing for transporting the clothes etc. to KY and then it is easier to unload at Sr. Amy's Thrift Shop. If anyone would like to drive to Campton, KY call Suzanne Ullrich at 537-1936 or Joyce Palmer at 926-3091.

Thanks to all for your continued support of this project.