

September. 4th – 5th, Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, Sept. 4th, Vigil: 23rd Sunday

4pm Confessions 4:30pm Rosary
5:00 pm Mass (Intention: Fred & Catherine Wunderlich)

Sunday, Sept. 5th, 23rd Sunday

8:30am Mass (Intention: Larry James Powers)
9:30 – 11:00 a.m. Confirmation Mtg.
10:40 Rosary
11:00 Mass (Intention: For Our Parish)

Monday, Sept. 6th - Labor Day (Parish Office closed)

8:30am Mass (Intention: Yvonne Johnson)

Tuesday, Sept. 7th

5:15 pm. Mass (Intention: Richard Mattingly)
6:15 E.R.E.
8:00 pm. Knights of Columbus

Wednesday, Sept. 8th

8:30am Mass (Intention: Carl Witte)
Call Jim Waldon for information at 926-0944
No Choir Practice
6:30 pm. Youth Ministry Formation Mtg. – P.O.

Thursday, Sept. 9th

5:15 pm. Mass (Intention: Sister Karen Vanoli)
Noon – Mary Makers – P.O.

Friday, Sept. 10th

8:30am Mass (Intention: Dan & Jan Schuler)
2:45 pm Girls Club – a/c
7:00 pm. Boys Club

Saturday, Sept. 11th – 24th Sunday

4pm Confessions 4:30pm Rosary
5:00 pm. Mass (Intention: Mae Powers)

Sunday, Sept. 12th, Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30am Mass (Intention: Chrissy Strautman)
11:00am Mass (Intention: For Our Parish)

**Sat. Sept. 11th
St. Mary's 1st
Annual Oktoberfest
4-11 pm.
German Food, Beer,
Music
Volunteers
Needed.
926-0060**

STEWARDSHIP IN ACTION –SHARING YOUR TIME AND TALENT!

Ministry Schedule Team 2, Sept. 11th – 12th, 2010

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

USHER – GREETERS

K. Ascherman & K. Ullrich R. Armbruster & B. Hinrichs K. & R. or J. Packard
M. & J. Jarman & J. Borgman TBA J. Cigolotti, C. Kent

EXTRAORDINARY COMMUNION MINISTERS

R. Brayshaw M. Neff T. Hetzer
B. Chrisman J. Neff/D. Rechten S. Sattler
J. Hill R. Tyler F. Schmits

LECTORS (1 or 2)

M. Borgman M.L. Minning S. Ullrich
E. Beckman B. Ullrich

ALTAR SERVERS

Adam Hill Clay Tyler Weston Taylor
Coleman Yauch Austin Alley Hunter Kent



**Coffee & Donuts 09/12/10 - 8:30 T. Vincent 11:00 – Simons
09/19/10 - 8:30 Groves 11:00 – S. Berning-Davis**

**Counters: Sept. 07 Team 1 - J. Ullrich, C. DeVille, D. Fedroff, T. Fedroff
Sept. 13 Team 2 – R.M. Kern, M. Waldon, D. Svara, P. Gerke**



Respect Life News

Every human being, at every stage and condition, is willed and loved by God. For this reason, every human life is sacred. To deprive someone of life is a grave wrong and a grave dishonor to God. Because we are created in the image of God, who is Love, our identity and our vocation is to love. Pope Benedict has called this “the key to our entire existence.” -- USCCB Respect Life Program 2010.

Rachel's Network – Sept. 18 and Oct. 16

Rachel's Network meets for prayer, reflection and fellowship from 10 a.m. to noon on the 2nd Saturday of every month. Members are post-abortive women and men who have participated in Rachel's Vineyard Retreats. Rachel's Network fosters ongoing religious formation and support for those who have experienced abortions in their lives. For more information call 317-236-1521. All calls are confidential.



Please Pray for:

*Dena McCarter; *Patti Grow; *Diana Moore; *Nanciann Whisman; *Connie Webb; Lou Schipper; Caroline Seaver; Robin Palaima; Skippi Robbins; Helen Diener; Nancy Rile; Charlie Tedesco, Sr.; Barbara; Eileen Coyle; Julie; Christy Upton; Julie Erfman; Ellie Strohmier. Please contact the parish office to update prayer list or email kelly.rose@mystmarys.com or Beth Marting at imarting@seidata.com. Please also email Beth if you would like to be included in the email prayer chain.

Support Our Troops: Please pray for our troops and their families: Benjamin P. Nickell; Derek C. Meyer, USN (grandson of Tom & Carol Schweitzer) and Tony Cotto; Steven Deamron (National Guard) & Aaron Deamron (Afghanistan). Please call the parish office to add a name to our list of military.

Parish Budget Information Wk. 10 – Aug. 28th – 29th, 2010

Weekly Parish Collection: \$9,126.87 Budget: \$9,241.38
St. Vincent de Paul: \$ 307.00 Variance: -114.51 ☺

White Violet Farm Alpacas - Sisters of Providence

Celebrate National Alpaca Farm Days 2010 with an open house 1-3 pm. on Sunday, Sept. 26 at Saint Mary-of-the-Woods, Ind. See the alpacas up-close, talk with staff members, see fiber demonstrations, and purchase alpaca fiber and alpaca items such as handmade rugs, hats, scarves, gloves/mittens, and socks. For more information: 812-535-2930 and www.whiteviolet.org.

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

Our Prayers and Condolences

Tony Ross & Family

&

Richard “Dick” Lewis and Family

A human life is a story told by God.

~Hans Christian Andersen



September 5, 2010 – 23rd Sunday

“Anyone who does not renounce all his possessions cannot be my disciple.”
-- Luke 14-25-33

“Ah, Jesus, can’t I just keep my IPOD?” Jesus might point out that He said **renounce** (from the Latin words *re = back / nuntiare = tell, meaning: to give up a claim, right belief, practice, way of living, feeling, etc.*). He might add, “You may use that IPOD, but you may not claim that it, or anything else you think you own, actually belongs to you. Everything you **think** you possess comes from God and belongs to God, who wants you to have what you need to enjoy life, but not if that means others must do without the necessities of life.” That is a hard concept for people in the United States, who cling doggedly to the right to property, to understand and accept. As stewards of all we have, God expects us to work out how much we need for ourselves and those for whom we are responsible, and how much we should share with others in need. So Jesus would probably say, “Enjoy **My** IPOD and let others enjoy it too.”

Youth Ministry Formation Mtg.

There will be a meeting in the parish office on **Wed. Sept. 8 at 6:30pm.** This meeting is for any parish adult (ages 21 to 121!) that would like to be involved in a volunteer Youth Ministry Program (Grades K-8) (Grades 9-12). Please call Kelly at the parish office to sign-up.

High School Retreat Planning Meeting (Grades 9-12)
September 12th at 8:30 a.m.

Announcing: St. Mary’s Girls Club!

A new club/activity designed for **girls grades K-8.** A great place to meet new friends and learn about virtues and Saints.

When: Every Friday that school is in session
Time: 2:45-4:45 **Where:** St. Mary Activity Center
Cost: 50 cent dues (which will be earned from the parent by doing a special task! **For Info. Call:** Anna Townsend 926-2832
Chrissy Meek 926-1060

St. Mary School PTO Officers:

Kris McGraw, President 926-2643 (kmcgraw715@gmail.com)
Jenn Ruter, VP 537-2425 (jennruter@comcast.net)
Chris Couch, Treasurer 744-1032 (ccouch4@comcast.net)
Marianne Weir, Secretary 926-2686

2nd Annual Bishop’s Bash – Young Adults
Sun. Sept. 19th

Residence of Archbishop Daniel Buechlein
Mass at 4:30 followed by a cook-out
For all young adults and college students in the
Archdiocese- feel free to bring a friend!



Stewardship & the Sunday Readings

September 5th – (from Letter to Philemon)

“I did not want to do anything without your consent, so that the good you do might not be forced but voluntary.”

Stewardship includes identifying the opportunities to live our baptismal call and the gifts or natural abilities that God has given us to exercise this call. When our gifts or natural abilities do not fit the ministry or opportunity, our response may feel forced. When our gifts or natural abilities fit the ministry or opportunity, we experience the joy of giving.

Seek the Joy

Community Events

Mon. Sept. 6th – St. Peter Church 90th Labor Day Festival - Brookville, IN. - Country-style food; chicken dinners, crafts, raffles, and more. Old fashioned hospitality in a country setting!

Sat. Sept. 11th - Oldenburg Fransican Center – Lessons from a Modern Day Mystic. 9:00 – 11:30 a.m. \$20.00. Teilhard de Chardin, SJ (1881-1955), modern day mystic whose life can teach us to hold the world in prayer. His life inspires! Presented by: S. Barbara Leonhard, OSF.

Sat. Sept. 11th - Oldenburg Fransican Center – “Coffee Talk” After 9:30 Liturgy. Pastry & Coffee. Freewill offering. Presented by: Sr. Sharonlu Sharidan, OSF.

Sun. Sept. 12th - Aurora K of C #2111. 20th Annual Golf Scramble. Dearborn Co. Country Club. 9:00 a.m. tee time. \$60.00 per person includes golf, cart, skins pot, chicken dinner, drinks and door prizes. Limited to 20 teams. Proceeds to benefit K of C charities. RSVP: Mike Peters at 926-1593 or 584-0202.

Sept. 16th - Deanery Meeting at St. Josphe’s in St. Leon – 10:30 a. Mass at 11:00. Lunch at noon. Cost - \$8.00. Speaker: Sr. Shirley Gerth. Call Debbie Yeager (812) 637-5501 or Teresa Horan (812) 663-0876 by Sept. 11th to make reservations.

Wed. Sept. 15th – Blood Drive - Aurora Moose Lodge, noon-5:30. Walk-ins welcome. For information or appointment, call Marilyn Faber at 926-2263. **Give the Gift of Life!**

Sat. Sept. 18th – St. Teresa’s from 5-11pm. – Beer, Mike “Elvis” Davis impersonator; beer garden; Harley Davidson Raffle, Food & Rides.

Sun. Sept. 19th – St. Louis Fall Festival Chicken & Roast Beef Dinners. \$9.00 Adults / \$4.00 Children. Raffles, Crafts, Weberding Carvings, Auctions, Music.

St. Mary’s Campaign 2010 - Week 14

Pledges to Date - \$47,993
Goal - \$100,000

St. Mary Makers’ Resume . . .

Thursday, Sept. 9th at noon in the parish office. Dessert and time for Bingo!