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WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday.....4:00pm
Sunday.....8:00am

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday..... 6:30pm
Thursday.....8:00am

CONFESSIONS

Upon request

PARISH OFFICE

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Open most Wednesdays and Thursdays

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Coordinatorposition vacant

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

Nancy Peters (Secretary), John Mislivecek, Bryan
Berg and John Roesler (Buildings and Grounds)

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Pat Baranczyk - patbaranchurch@gmail.com
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Michelle Seichter-Grabowski - mls812@mwt.net

PCCW - Parish Council of Catholic Women

Clarice Kammel (President), Nancy Peters
(Treasurer), Linda Berg (Secretary)

ORANISTS

Mary Beth Smith, Linda Schulte, and Chris
Carskadon.

New Parishioners: Welcome to our parish! Please
introduce yourself to Fr. Matt and contact the parish office
for registration and information. <https://www.stmarycv.org/visit-us>

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Call or email Fr. Matt. You
can also use our website under the Sacraments tab: <https://www.stmarycv.org/sacraments>

Sacrament of Baptism: Please submit a registration by
mail, or e-mail to both stmaryscv@mwt.net AND
mmarshall@diolclergy.org. You will be contacted by the
parish office to finalize your requested date. The
registration form at: <https://www.stmarycv.org/sacraments>.

Sacrament of Anointing / Visitation of the Sick: Please
contact the parish office or Fr. Matt when someone you
know is in need of the Sacrament or a pastoral visit.
Requests may also be made from our website under the
Sacraments tab. <https://www.stmarycv.org/sacraments>

Mass Intentions: Please use the Mass Intention envelopes
available in the church.

Book of Prayer Requests: Located in the back of church.
Feel free to add your own prayer requests. The requests will
be included in the parish prayers.

St. Mary's Parish

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Facebook: www.facebook.com/StMarysCoonValley



The Most Holy Trinity



Fr. Matthew Marshall

Pastor

May 30, 2021

Readings: 573B

St. Mary's Parish, Coon Valley, WI

The Most Holy Trinity Sunday

SUNDAY, MAY 30, 2021

- 1) Deuteronomy 4:32-34, 39-40
- 2) Romans 8:14-17
- 3) Matthew 28:16-20

FOCUS: We are commissioned to carry the Good News to all the world.

Today's readings talk about our relationship with God: that he has revealed himself to us, provided for us, taught us, disciplined us, and given us the way to eternal life. We are led by the Spirit, and commissioned to carry the Good News to all the world.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

Moses speaks to the people and has them consider all the ways God has cared for them and revealed himself to them. That is why they must keep his statutes and commandments. Paul tells the Romans that all *who are led by the Spirit of God* are children of God and heirs with Christ. In the Gospel, Jesus tells the eleven disciples to go *and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.*

Next Week in Service — June 5/6

If you are not able to serve as scheduled below, please find a substitute. Thank you

Reader:	Saturday - Robert Kerska Sunday - Volunteer
Money Counters:	Mike Kammel and Mark Boland

DID YOU KNOW?

If you are 70 ½ or older, you can do a **qualified charitable distribution (QCD)** of up to \$100,000 a year from your **IRA directly to a charity**. The distribution won't show up in your adjusted gross income and CAN count toward your required minimum distribution (RMD). The QCD allows you to be more strategic with your RMD. Consult your tax advisor before making any decisions. If a QCD is for you, please consider St. Mary's Parish as your charity of choice.

Intentions

May 29 ~ 4:00 PM - †Leyton and Helen Stafslie
May 30 ~ 8:00 AM - †William and Rose Marie LeJeune
Jun 01 ~ 6:30 PM - †Norbert and Arlene Seichter
Jun 03 ~ 8:00 AM - †Edward and Anna Kerska
Jun 05 ~ 4:00 PM - †Deceased members of the Roskos and Roningen Families
Jun 06 ~ 8:00 AM - †Rosie LeJeune

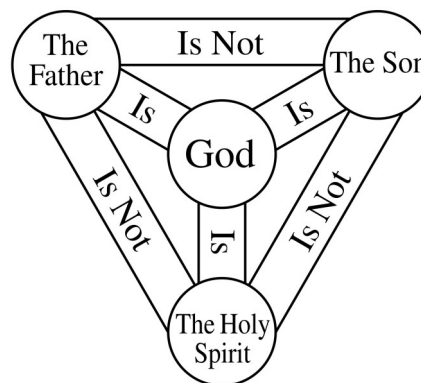
Upcoming Events/Calendar

- **May 31** ~ Memorial Day Mass at St. Mary's Cemetery following the Legion Salute at 8:30 AM
- **June 12/13** ~ Mission Coop Weekend
- **June 15** ~ Finance Council Meeting 7:00 PM
- **June 28** ~ Fr. Matt Anniversary of Ordination

Sunday Mass streaming Live on Facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/StMarysCoonValley>

Church will be open for private prayer Tuesday through Friday from 9AM until 7 PM and Sunday until 7 PM (please practice good social distancing)



Annual Appeal 2020-21

As of 05/20/2021	Total Pledged	Total Payments
Pledged/Paid	\$18,965.00	\$18,917.84
Target Amount	<u>\$12,925.00</u>	<u>\$12,925.00</u>
Over Target	\$6,040.00	\$5,992.84
Percent Pledged: 146.73%, Percent Received: 146.37%		
Number Contributing:	42	

Giving Last Week		Week 21	5/23/2021
Adult Env.(22)	\$2,542.25	Needed Weekly	\$1,900.00
Offertory	<u>\$57.00</u>	Received This Week	\$2,599.25
Total	<u>\$2,599.25</u>	YTD Needed	\$39,900.00
		YTD Received	\$41,864.78
		Difference	1,964.78

Donations: We cannot survive without your generosity! Here are some ways to contribute:

- US Postal Service: mail directly to the parish office, your 2021 Contribution envelope is postal ready!
- *Bill Pay* through online banking, add St. Mary's as contact (if possible, use your envelope number as the account number).
- Use our *online service* at: diolc.org/st-marys-coon-valley (a processing fee will be deducted from your contribution, which averages 3% for debit and credit cards and \$.75 for EFT, ACH your contribution will be recorded for the full amount).
- *Drop* your contribution envelope at either church, Coon Valley or Viroqua and the funds will be directed to St. Mary's

From Fr. Matt:

Memorial Day Mass at the Cemetery

We will be having a special Memorial Day Mass at St. Mary's North Ridge Cemetery near the intersection of Hwy 162 and Hwy 33 on Keonen Rd. Mass will begin after the Honor Guard Salute around 8:30 AM. Proceeds from the Memorial Day collection will benefit the upkeep of the cemetery and aid in the purchase of the new storage shed. Please be generous. In the event of rain, we will have Mass at the church.

Reminder: I have a **new e-mail address** as requested by our Diocese: mmarshall@diolclergy.org

Parish Announcements

New Cemetery Utility Shed

The old dilapidated shed will soon be replaced with a new building. After researching options, the Finance Council decided on an 8'x12' shed from Old Hickory Buildings in Westby at a cost of \$3,217.50. If you would like to help cover this expense your contribution would be appreciated. Feel free to include with the weekly collection in an envelope marked "Cemetery" or use your **Memorial Day Envelope** included in your contribution booklets, as all funds collected that day go exclusively to the upkeep of our cemetery.



The Food Panty at the Bethel Butikk would like to thank you for your April collection of \$90.00 We will be able purchase many groceries with your gift.

With much appreciation and grateful hearts,
The Food Pantry at the Bethel Butikk

AMAZON SMILE now on your MOBILE APP

We are happy to share that you can now use the **Amazon Shopping app on their mobile phone** to sign up for **AmazonSmile** and select "St. Mary Parish" as your favorite charity. Simply follow the instructions below to select "St. Mary Parish" as your charity and activate AmazonSmile in the app. They'll donate a portion of your eligible mobile app purchases to us.

How it works:

1. Open the Amazon app on your phone
2. Select the main menu (=) & tap on "AmazonSmile" within Programs & Features
3. Select "St. Mary Parish" as your charity
4. Follow the on-screen instructions to activate AmazonSmile in the mobile app

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You shop. Amazon gives.



Parish Announcements continued

Formation in Theology of the Body

Pope St. John Paul II's Theology of the Body provides a road map to discovering our purpose in life and resonates with the deepest desires of the heart. Catechetical leaders, deacons, catechists, parents, grandparents and all those who serve youth, join us virtually on **Saturday, June 5th** to hear an overview of the Theology of the Body by Brian Butler, the author of Theology of the Body for Middle School and High School. Visit diolc.org/tob for further details and to register for \$10. See the flyer in back, take a postcard home with you.

St. Joseph Cathedral Chicken-Que

St. Joseph Cathedral PCCW, 530 Main St. La Crosse will be holding a Chicken-Que on Friday, June 11, 2021 from 11 am - 6 pm, for pick-up only. The price is \$10 and includes a half chicken, potato salad, baked beans and a roll. Tickets will be available after weekend Masses or by calling 608-769-7965. Please enter via King St. and proceed to canopy for pick-up.

Franciscan CORE Youth Theology Institute-Viterbo Univ.

Franciscan CORE 2021 will be June 13th - 18th in a hybrid format offering virtual gatherings and a one-day on-campus immersion into Catholic Social Teaching and the life of St. Francis of Assisi as a model of service we can offer in our own communities. Franciscan CORE invites rising 10th, 11th, and 12th students to discern their call to leadership and service for the Church and the world. Investment for this amazing experience is only \$50. Registration is open! Visit their website viterbo.edu/franciscan-core for more information and a link to register.

Religious Freedom Week: June 22-29

Once again, the U.S. Bishops have declared June 22-June 29 Religious Freedom Week. We are all called to defend the God-given right of religious liberty, which faces grave threats in the U.S. and abroad. Join us, as we pray, reflect, and take action on religious freedom. Visit the website <https://diolc.org/social-concerns/religious-freedom-week/> for more information.

Virtual Conference—Witnesses in Christ

August 7, 2021 Register at: diolc.org/witness Cost: \$10.00

How Rooted Are You? You are the link in an unbroken chain of people that have shared Jesus Christ from generation to generation. As a witness, you need to know and be grounded in four keys that will help you remain faithful. Join Dr. Petroc Willey in this conference and learn the keys. Dr. Willey is Director of the Catechetical Institute and consultor for the promotion of the new Evangelization for the Vatican. See the flyer in back and take home a post card for more information.

Week of May 31st Readings

by Kieran O'Mahony, OSA

Monday 31 May - The Visitation

Zephaniah 3:14-18

The note of joy at the coming of the Lord anticipates today's Gospel, with its own note of joy at the coming of Jesus.

Luke 1:39-56

This gospel passage — like others in Luke — has inspired Christian prayer. In this case, the Hail Mary and the Magnificat.

Tuesday 1 June - St Justin

Tobit 2:9-14

The sad turn of Tobit's life continues. At the same time, his piety is rather exaggerated like that of Job. Like the wife of Job, Tobit's wife takes him on. She says, in effect, see where your piety has gotten us!

Mark 12:13-17

Jesus cleverly counteracts a trick question with a trickier one.

Wednesday 2 June - Ss Marcellinus and Peter

Tobit 3:1-11, 16-17

In our excerpt today, two stories collide.

There is the prayer of Tobit—faithful yet dispirited. There is the extraordinary situation of Sarah, whose previous seven husbands all died on the wedding night. She too prays and, like Tobit, she wishes for death itself to set her free from the shame. Raphael—named after God who heals—intervenes to bring relief to both.

Mark 12:18-27

Again, a controversy, with the key teaching: He is God not of the dead but of the living.

Thursday 3 June - St Kevin

Tobit 6:10-11, 7:1, 9-14, 8:4-9

Tobit's son Tobias makes the journey to meet his future—and very dangerous—fiancée. The marriage contract is signed, and the wedding dinner takes place. All expect the worst, going on previous experience. Very prudently, they pray before their first night as husband and wife.

Mark 12:28-34

Jesus quotes the central great prayer of Judaism, the "Shema Yisrael."

Friday 4 June - Ss Charles Lwanga and Companions

Tobit 11:5-17

After successfully surviving the wedding night, Tobias returns to his father with healing for his blindness. The dreadful sufferings are all undone and a scene of untrammelled joy opens up. Naturally, it includes a heartfelt prayer.

Mark 12:35-37

Again, a trick question is answered with a reply to silence the opponents.

Saturday 5 June - St Boniface

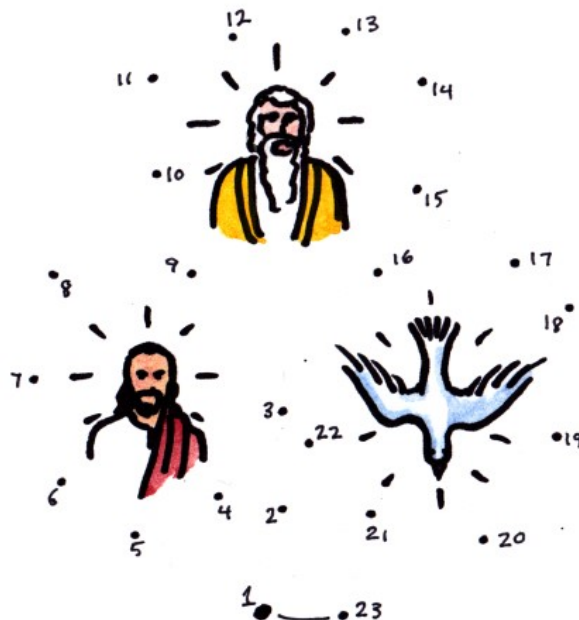
Tobit 12:1, 5-15, 20

The accompanying angel refuses reward and instead emphasizes again the deeds of piety which should make the life of the good Jews: prayer, fasting and almsgiving.

Mark 12:38-44

We hear an "example story" of great power, even today.

KIDS CORNER



There are three Persons in God:
The Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.
But there is still only one God!
Saint Patrick taught the Irish people about
the BLESSED TRINITY by showing the
people something else that is three-in-one.
What is it? Connect the dots to find out!

