



March 10-11
 2nd Collection
 Catholic Relief Services



Ministry Schedule: March 10 & 11, 2018: TEAM 2

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

USHERS & GREETERS

J. Borgman & K. Ullrich R. Armbruster & B. Ullrichs K. Packard & D. Waller
 C. & C. Diener T. Lewis & B. Beckman M. Weber & J. Cigolotti

EXTRAORDINARY EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

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| S. Alwin | J. Tyler | F. Schmits |
| R. Brayshaw | R. Tyler | J. Schuler |
| M. Yoe | J. Neff | T. Simms |

LECTORS

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| M. Borgman | M. L. Minning | R. Kelnhofer |
| | E. Beckman | |

ALTAR SERVERS

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| Eli, Noah, & Sarah Bruce | VOLUNTEERS NEEDED | Ben Zigan Steven Zigan |
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COFFEE & DONUTS

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| 03/11/18 | 8:30 | Groves | 11:00 | Yauchs |
| 03/18/18 | 8:30 | Vincent's | 11:00 | Oles |

COUNTERS

03/05/18 Team 1: L. Weber, C. Deville, D. & T. Fedroff
03/12/18 Team 2: M. Waldon, Dottie Svava, Jim Waldon, Joanne Groh

The following parishioners have volunteered to substitute for the counters: Pat McKenna, Clara Lewis, Jan Schuler, Jerry and Pat Cleeter. Please call on these folks when you cannot be present. Their phone numbers can be found in the Parish Directory. Thank you!

March 3-4, 2018

Third Sunday of Lent

Saturday, March 3rd

4:00 pm Reconciliation / 4:30 pm Rosary
 5:00 pm Mass (Intention: †Daniel Schuler)

Sunday, March 4th

8:30 am Mass (Intention: Lucas Robert Cady)
 10:30 am Rosary
 11:00 am Mass (Intention: For Our Parish)

Monday, March 5th

8:30 am Mass (Intention: †Leonard Bauer)

Tuesday, March 6th

5:15 pm Mass (Intention: †Linda Rogers)
 7:30 K of C Mtg.

Wednesday, March 7th

8:30 am Mass (Intention: †Jeanne Heller)
 6:00 pm St Mary School Open House

Thursday, March 8th

5:15 pm Mass (Intention: †Marcella Heilig)

Friday, March 9th


8:30 am Mass (Intention: †Patricia M Armacost & family)
 7:00 pm Stations of the Cross

Saturday, March 10th

4:00 pm Reconciliation/4:30 pm Rosary
 5:00 pm Mass (Intention: For Our Parish)
 6:00 pm Parish Family Lenten Program-activity center

Sunday, March 11th- Fourth Sunday of Lent

8:30 am Mass (Intention: Dan & Kay Rager & Family)
 10:30 am Rosary
 11:00 am Mass (Intention: †Nancy T Brown)
 12:00 pm UC27 meeting



Prayer Requests *Dena McCarter; *Patti Grow; *Diana Moore; *Debby Grubbs; *Aloisia Mattl, *Louis Hill, Jr., *Dorothy Maness, *Vernon Myers; *Jodi Jerger, *Ray Steinmetz, *Travis Miller; *Chan Mattingly, *Becky Meyer Clark, *Michael Pottner; *Rusty Turner, Rick Strzynski, Rose Donk & Family, Renee Brayshaw, Jax York, Nolan Lange, Lainie Grog, Louie, Patty Johnson, B. Richardson, *J. Rom, Rick Zoz and family, Sara, Braden Ickenroth, Kim P.

Please remember our Troops and their families in your prayers.



“O God our Creator... give us courage in making our voices heard on behalf of the rights of your Church and the freedom of conscience of all people of faith.”
 USCCB, “Prayer for the Protection of Religious Liberty”

St. Mary's Lenten Fish Fry

211 Fourth Street – Aurora, IN

March 9 and 16 from 4:30 -7:30pm

March 30th Good Friday from 4-7:30 pm.

Adults - \$10. Seniors (+60) - \$9 – Kids (6-10) \$5 Kids 5 and under Free

Fish, breaded, hand-dipped or baked. Grilled Cheese, Drinks, Large Variety of Side Dishes and Desserts Including St. Mary's Apple Crisp!

Parish Budget Information – Wk 34– 02/25/2018

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| Weekly Collection | \$6257.00 | Envelopes | 98 |
| Weekly Budget: | 8,100.00 | Attendance | 350 |
| Weekly Variance: | - 1,843.00 | St. Vincent | \$ 359.00 |
| School | \$ 90.00 | Rel Ed | \$ 20.00 |
| Black & Indian Mission | \$ 25.00 | Right to Life | \$ 5.00 |



LENTEN REFLECTIONS

Upcoming EVENTS

Third Sunday of Lent – March 3/4

This week we hear a familiar Gospel story of Jesus' cleansing of the Temple. The prophets Jeremiah, Zechariah, and Malachi prophesied that when the Kingdom of God was at hand, the Temple would be cleansed of all activities unworthy of an encounter with God. Christians are often referred to as "Temples of the Lord." As stewards of a "Holy Temple" God has entrusted to each one of us, what are we doing to be cleansed of activities unworthy of an encounter with the Lord? This week, reflect on one thing you can do to cleanse the Temple God has given you so that it becomes a more inviting home for Christ Jesus.



Please Pray for all our parishioners who are preparing to receive the sacraments of First Communion and Confirmation this Spring. **RCIA:** Saturday, March 31, 2018
Confirmation: Saturday, April 21, 2018
First Communion: Sunday, May 6, 2018

Bible Study Groups:

2nd & 4th Wednesdays @ 9:10 am—Studying St. Peter
Thursday's @ 6:00 pm—Studying the Bible Timeline
All are welcome

Confirmation Preparation Sessions

March 4, 11, and 18th.
6:00 pm in the Parish Office.

SAVE THE DATE

Vacation Bible School June 24-29, 2018
The Joyful Mysteries

Getting to the Heart of Lent

Join us Saturday March 10 @ 6:00pm Make this Lent more meaningful for your whole family. Join your fellow parishioners for "Getting to the Heart of Lent," an opportunity for adults and children together to grow in their understanding of the three disciplines of Lent: prayer, almsgiving, and fasting. An interactive presentation and prayer service are followed by activities to help you create a prayer center for your home. Spend time with your family and your faith community learning how to live Lent more fully. Please contact us by March 5th at **812-926-0060** or **connie.powers@mystmarys.com** if you are planning to attend and provide us with the total number of attendees from your family. We look forward to seeing you there!

For more information on Religious Education Programs, Contact Connie Powers, 812-926-0060 or connie.powers@mystmarys.com.



Save the date! 8th grade Spaghetti Dinner is April 14th!

St. Mary's School currently has an ad running on station 99.3 during the month of March. The radio will run the ad as follows: Twice between the hours of 6-9am and once between 2-5pm, if you would like to take a listen.

Tuesday, March 6 at 7:00 pm. The Aurora Ecumenical Church Association Monthly prayer meeting will be held at Mt. Sinai United Methodist Church on US 50.

Wednesday, March 7 – St. Mary's Open House at 6:00 pm. Event for any incoming students for 2018/2019 school year. Contact 812-926-1558 with any questions.

Wednesday, March 7, 6-7:00 pm. Aurora First United Methodist Church Lenten Fellowship dinner. \$8.50 per meal. Contact Dennis at 812-744-7072 for information.

Saturday, March 10. Indiana Catholic Women's Conference. 500 Ballroom of the Indiana Convention Center. Hosted by Marian Center and Archdiocese of Indianapolis. Please check out www.indianacatholicwomen.com to register. You may also call 317-888-0873 for more information.

Sunday March 11, at 9:30am. Interested in joining Daughter's of Isabella? Please join us for the membership breakfast at St. Lawrence. Contact, Regent, Suzanna Jameson at 812-560-8293, or Sandy Schmits, past Regent, at 812-926-0943, for more info.

Sunday, March 11. St. Louis (Batesville)

Super Sunday Bingo

Cash Raffle * Door Prizes * Pull Tabs

Play ALL Day for \$45. Includes paper games, door prizes, raffle ticket and famous fried chicken or pulled pork meal! Reserve Online: www.StLBingo.org or Call: (812) 93-BINGO
IGC Permits - Bingo: #144711 & Raffle: #144712

March 16-18th 2018. St. Vincent DePaul Bundle Sunday. Accepting items for donation. Small appliances, (good condition), clothing, toys. Drop off times: 16th and 17th 4:00-6:30pm. Sunday, March 18th, 8:00am-12:00pm. Please call with questions 812-926-1637.

March 17, 4:00-7:30pm. St Peter's Ladies Sodality Fried Chicken Dinner. \$12 for adults, \$6 for children (12 and under). Carryout also available. For more info call 812-623-2878.

Calling all social workers! Did you know there is a Catholic Social Work National Association? If interested please visit www.cswna.org for more details.

Congratulations to St. Mary Aurora graduate **Justine Stenger** who won one of fifteen awards from the Girl Scouts of Western Ohio for a program she proposed, coordinated and organized for upper classes at Oldenburg Academy. Entitled "The Reality Store" the program replicates real-life situations to teach money-management and decision-making skills to students. This program will be continued in the years to come at the Academy. **Again, congratulations Justine!**

Prayer Shawl Ministry is in need of more yarn and wrapping ribbon. We would appreciate any donations. May leave donations in the back of church with "Prayer Shawl" written on the bag. Thank you