St. Mary's Church

Sunday, September 3, 2023 ~ Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Masses:

Saturday- 5:00pm Sunday- 7:30am, 9am Livestream and 11am Weekday -daily at 8:30am

Office Hours:

Mon-Thurs 8am-4pm Fri- 8am-12pm Office Phone: 815-467-2233

New Parishioners:

St. Mary's Parish warmly welcome everyone to our community. Please call the Parish office to register.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturdays at 4:00pm - 4:45pm

Adoration of the Sacrament:

Thursdays 7:30am-8:30am

Sacrament of Baptism:

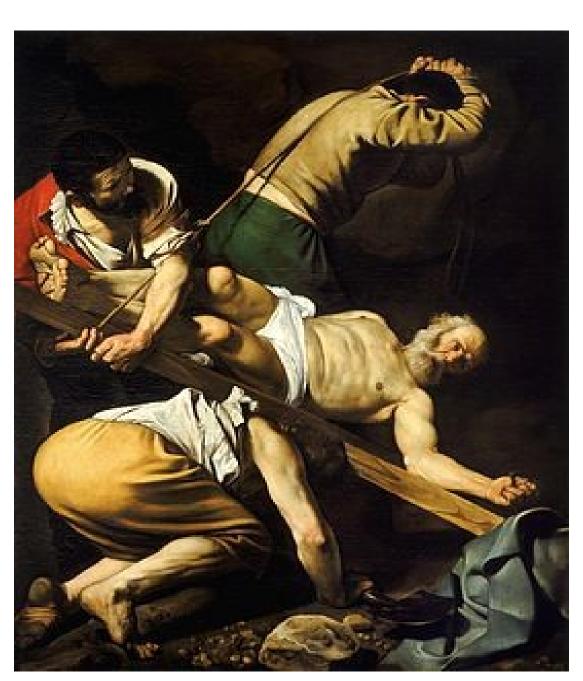
2nd & 4th Sunday of each Month

Sacrament of Marriage:

Six months preparation required. Visit the website for more information

Sick, Homebound, Hospital Visits:

Contact the parish office if you would like communion, if you need someone from St. Mary's to visit you in the hospital, or if we can help you in any other way. Privacy policies do not permit the hospital to contact us directly.



The Crucifixion of Saint Peter (Italian: Crocifissione di san Pietro) is a work by Michelangelo Merisi da Caravaggio, painted in 1601 for the Cerasi Chapel of Santa Maria del Popolo in Rome.

A note from Fr. John

We are Hiring!!

St. Mary's Catholic Church is seeking a Director of Evangelization. The Director of Evangelization will assist and work with the Pastor in the implementation of an evangelical vision, be the Director of Religious Education and the Director Youth Ministry. The full job description is available on our website www.stmarysminooka.com

For any inquiries or to submit a resume, please send an email to office@stmarysminooka.com

Join Rite of Christian Initiation

Are You Looking to Become Catholic?

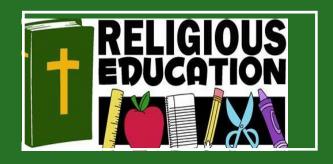


Are you an adult who wants to become part of the Catholic Church?

Or perhaps you were baptized but didn't receive any other sacraments but wish to?

Classes start this Fall for adults who are looking to come into full communion with the Catholic Church!

Please contact the Parish office or email: Pastorsdesk@stmarysminooka.com



RE Registration forms
and schedules
for the 2023-2024 school year
are available on the front porch of
the rectory
and also on our website.
www.stmarysminooka.com

As a reminder, all registrations and payments must be turned into the rectory not the RE Office.

Please return by August 25th.

Thank you.



St. Mary's CCW is sponsoring
Donut Sunday,
Sept 17
from 8:00am-Noon.
Everyone is invited!

Adult Faith Formation

AFF will begin on September 18, one week after the golf outing.

We still plan to meet at 4:30 in the Parish Center each Monday.

We'll be discussing the Liturgy of the Word from the previous Sunday.

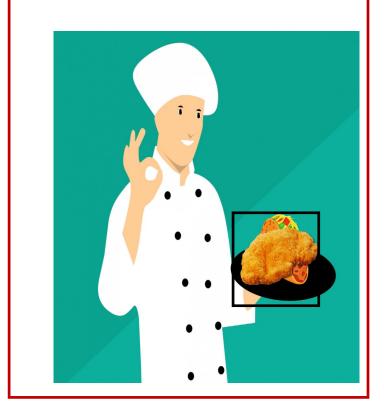
We'll discuss the Old

Testament Reading, the New Testament Readings (emphasizing the Gospel), and the Responsorial Psalm.



MINOOKA SENIOR LUNCH IS RETURNING!!!

WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 20TH
ST. MARY'S PARISH CENTER
DOORS OPEN AT 11:30
LUNCH SERVED AT 12:15
RESERVATIONS REQUIRED
WE WILL BEGIN TAKING RESERVATIONS
SEPTEMBER 1ST
PLEASE CALL 815-467-2322 TO
RESERVE A SPOT



Save the Date

CCW'S 2023 KICK - OFF DINNER



Thursday Sept 21st

6:30pm Catered Dinner
At the Parish Center

Come and join us to meet new friends, reunite with old friends

See what CCW has planned for 2023/2024

Following the dinner we will have introductions, a short review of upcoming events and a few business items

We will conclude the evening with delicious homemade desserts
Please call/text or email Robin White
by Friday Sept 15th if you will be joining us
EMAIL Robin at taramom1@aol.com or CALL/TEXT at 815-671-6008

We hope to see you there!

A Heartfelt thank you to everyone!

Our food pantry passed out brown bags the weekend of August 19th and 20th and asked for them to be returned the following weekend with particular items in them that the pantry was in need of. Between August 26th and August 27th 150 bags of food, personal care and cleaning items were returned for our Food Pantry!!! We also had some monetary donations which would make that number higher and will be used to purchase additional items. Thank you all for your support. The families who come to the pantry are very thankful.

Who benefits from your donations? We have thirty families of varying sizes who are residents of Minooka and Channahon. They qualify for your support from We Care and the churches notification.

Thank you again from The Pantry Team and families for this generous and very successful food collection.

Our shelves are full!



LEARN ENGLISH

Learn, Visit and Practice

Starts, August 24- Thursdays, 9:00-10:30 a.m.

ST. MARYS PARISH CENTER

Basic Lessons to learn to speak English.

Lecciones básicas para aprender a habler inglés



Directions

St. Mary's Parish Center is at the southwest corner of St. Mary's Street and Massasoit Streets. Please, to register, call Jean (815) 467-5006 or (Spanish) Elsa (815) 582-0950.

UNDY SUNDAY

is coming! It will be the weekend of October 14-15. Catholic Charities has asked St. Mary's to collect packages of NEW underwear and socks in sizes 3T-5T and feminine hygiene products such as tampons and pads. They are grateful for ALL donations to UNDY SUNDAY. There will be bin at the back of church to drop off

donations starting in Octo-



Please Pray For the Sick of our Parish Family

Denise Tonarelli Kimberly Gaydula Paul Thien Phu Ken Fosen Tim Kilroy Sara Lovell Wren Wagoner Baker Family Bayley Webb Lorenzo Benitez Marlena Benitez Judy Stafford Ruth Kesselring Olivia Arenella Lisa Pelton

Robert Fonck Marilyn Wilkens Gerald Magolan Paisly Schad Bill Wizorek Joe Overbeck

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Jerry Moreno Connie Hamilton Pat Smania Thanh Tran Katelyn Latta Jim Novotny

If you would like to add a name to our prayer list, please email office@stmarysminooka.com or call the parish office at 815-467-2233.

Weekly Mass Intentions

Date	Time	Intention	From
Saturday, Sept 2	4:00pm-4:45pm	Confession	
	5:00pm	Raymond Noel	The Family
		Irene and Jack Davidson	Dan & Marie O'Brien
Sunday, Sept 3	7:30am	Don Ruettiger	Mickey & Bob Ruettiger
	9:00am Walter Hulbert	Walter Hulbert	The Family
		Scott Tezak	The Family
	11:00am	Joanne Thompson	Pat & Al Smania
		Jane Harris	Cheryl Nelson
Monday, Sept 4	8:30am	Gloria Maxwell	JoAnn Dollinger
Tuesday, Sept 5	8:30am	Helen Hucik	Family
		Bill Stafford	Judy & Family
Wednesday, Sept 6	8:30am	Parishioners	
Thursday, Sept 7	8:30am	Walter Hulbert	The Family
Friday, Sept 8	8:30am	John Gaydula	Sharon Gaydula
Saturday, Sept 9	4:00pm-4:45pm	Confession	
	5:00pm	Fr. Mark Fracaro	The Kimble Family
Sunday, Sept 10	7:30am	Audrey Tierney	The Family
	9:00am	Francis R. Dollinger	St. Mary's Church
		Angelo Paone	
		(101st Birthday Remembrance)	The Family
	11:00am	Marie Starks	The Family



Special Intention George Schmal Police & Firefighters

If you would like a candle lit outside for a Special Intention, please call the Parish Office 815-467-2233.



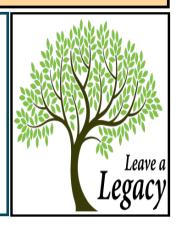
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Worship Team			
9/9/2023 @ 5:00pm	Brooklyn Lehner	Jeanne Rapp	Pete Quirk
9/10/2023 @ 7:30am	Bridget Phillips	Rose Ruettiger Marie Moretti	Terry Danek
9/10/2023 @ 9:00am	Keighera Fleming	Alice Mayr Sydney Yunker	Chris Gregory
9/10/2023 @ 11:00am	Teagan Saelens Alex Folsom	Jane Spray Kathy Williamson	Cathy Fouts

Thank you for your financial support to St. Mary's

Please Remember St. Mary's in your will or trust

As Catholics. We are called to plan ahead and share the blessings of our lives with our loved ones and future generations. To help you be a steward of everything God has entrusted to your care, the Diocese of Joliet is sharing free, online will writing tools. It is cost-free and takes 20 minutes or less to protect your family and your assets and create a gift to pass the Catholic faith onto future generations.

Get started at FreeWill.com/DioceseofJoliet.





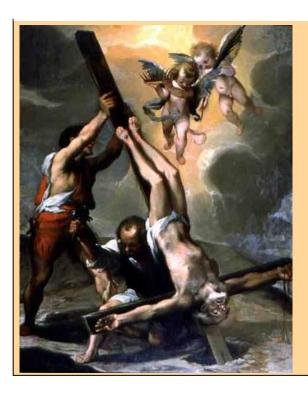
Thank you for your financial support to the good works of our Diocese.

PLEDGE REPORT:

8/27/2023

Parish Goal: \$46,100.00 Amount Pledged: \$38,140.00 Balance Due: \$3,540.00

Please continue to make your 2023 pledge payments. Once we have reached our goal in paid pledges, 70% of the additional funds received will be returned to the parish for our use.



The crucifixion of St. Peter (1567/8 - 1613)

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Confession- Saturday's 4pm-4:45pm

in the Church

Anointing of the Sick - Please call the office