

St. Mary's Church

Sunday, September 17, 2023 ~ Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time



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Masses:

Saturday- 5:00pm
Sunday- 7:30am (simple chant, no hymns) 9am Livestream and 11am
Weekday -daily at 8:30am

Office Hours:

Mon-Wed 8am-4pm
Thurs- 10:30am-4:00pm
Fri- 8am-12pm

Office Phone:

815-467-2233

New Parishioners:

St. Mary's Parish warmly welcomes

everyone to our community. Please call the Parish office to register 815-467-2233, Office@stmarysminooka.com

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturdays at 4:00pm - 4:45pm
And upon request

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

Thursdays 7:30am-8:30am
Saturdays- 4:00pm-5:00pm

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.

Anointing of the Sick - Please call the office

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VOCATION PRAYER

God our Father, You made each of us to use our gifts in the Body of Christ. We ask that You inspire young people whom You call to priesthood and consecrated life to courageously follow Your will. Send workers into Your great harvest so that the Gospel is preached, the poor are served with love, the suffering are comforted, and Your people are strengthened by the sacraments. We ask this through Christ our Lord.
Amen

Prayer for Vocations by Pope Francis

For an increase of vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and religious life, especially in the Diocese of Joliet, we pray to the Lord. Lord, hear our prayer.

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**

Classes begin on October 3

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.



Blood Drive

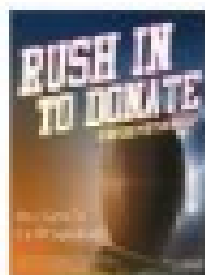
Turn a new leaf
Fall into giving 

**Saturday
September**

23

7:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Helpful tip:
Make sure to eat a healthy
meal and drink plenty of
water before donating.



**ST ANN CATHOLIC CHURCH
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS 12863**

**LOCATION: PARISH HALL
24500 South Navajo Dr, Channahon**

APPOINTMENTS PREFERRED/WALK INS WELCOME

Please book an appointment online at link below:-
<https://bit.ly/stanncatholicchurch>

OR Scan QR Code



**Rush in to donate and be entered for a chance to win
2 tickets and a VIP experience* to your favorite
hometown football team.
EVERY DONATION IMPACTS 3 LIVES**

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residents only. 18+, valid ID/ETC. 5 wks.
Averaging 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23 lbs. by blood
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versiti.org/usa/en. Sponsor: Versiti Inc., 600 N.
10th St., Milwaukee, WI 53233

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Blood Centers

Save the Date

CCW'S 2023 KICK - OFF DINNER



Thursday Sept 21st

6pm Gathering

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!

UNDY SUNDAY

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 October.

Thank you for your continued generosity."

Undies for Everyone®



Help Wanted

Faith Formation of Adults - Woodridge IL

St Scholastica Catholic Church in Woodridge is seeking to hire a part-time Director of RCIA and Faith Formation of Adults. This position will direct these ministries with considerable "hands-on": sacraments of Initiation for Adults - RCIA and ongoing Adult Faith Formation. They will maintain relevant skills through personal and Diocesan programs, and personal status in Safe Environment Program. A minimum of a Bachelor's degree in education, theology or a related field is preferred, along with hands-on experience at a parish. A collaborative approach with excellent communication and computer skills (Microsoft Office) is necessary. Since this is a formal ministerial position, candidates must be a fully initiated and practicing Roman Catholic in good standing, and must know, profess and act consistently in accordance with the doctrinal and moral teachings of the Catholic Church. If interested in this amazing opportunity, please send a resume to Fr. Norbert Raszeja, CR at frnorbert@stscholasticaparish.org

Finance Manager – Saints Peter and Paul Catholic Church, Naperville, IL

Saints Peter and Paul in Naperville is seeking to hire a finance manager. This individual is responsible for managing and directing all financial aspects of the parish and school including but not limited to financial reporting and analysis, accounting, payroll, accounts payable, budgeting, internal controls, insurance, human resources, and legal matters. Will also be responsible for managing the finances of the parish and school in accordance with the accounting and reporting policies of the Diocese of Joliet, generally accepted accounting principles and when applicable, state, and federal laws and related reporting. To view a complete job description, visit: [The Roman Catholic Diocese of Joliet in Illinois](http://www.dioceseeofjoliet.org). To apply for this wonderful opportunity, interested candidates should send cover letter and resume to Thomas Boler, Interim Finance Manager, at financemanager@sspeterandpaul.net

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
Joe Overbeck

Jerry Moreno
Connie Hamilton
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 16	5:00pm	Leonard & Winona Bols	The Family
		Lorraine & Jerry Davidson	The O'Hagan Family
Sunday, Sept 17	7:30am	Don Ruettiger	Pat Ruettiger
	9:00am	Dave Stafford	Judy & Bill
		Jenevra Yunker	Sydney & Family
		Jean Marion	Sydney & Family
	11:00am	Andy Carr	Carr Family
		Robert & Sandra Masterson	Cyndi & Mark Carrington
		Rob Tonarelli	Denise Tonarelli
Monday, Sept 18		No Mass	
Tuesday, Sept 19		No Mass	
Wednesday, Sept 20		No Mass	
Thursday, Sept 21		No Mass	
Friday, Sept 22	8:30am	Von Thompson	The Family
Saturday, Sept 23	5:00pm	Mr. & Mrs. Victor Kunke	The Family
		Dave Stafford	Dennis Furto
Sunday, Sept 24	7:30am	Gloria Maxwell	Peg Francisco
	9:00am	Simon & Wilhelmina Ditsch	JoAnn Dollinger
		Don & Eleanor Bersano	Family & Friends
	11:00am	Colleen McEvilly Kapsch	The Family



Special Intention
Von Thompson

Police &
Firefighters

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



Altar Servers

Eucharistic Ministers

Lectors

Saturday, September 23 5:00pm	Volunteer	Jeanne Rapp	Pete Quirk
Sunday, September 24 7:30am	Xander Esquivel	Rose Ruettiger Mary Ann Lofky	Terry Danek
Sunday, September 24 9:00am	Volunteer	Alice Mayr Meagan Galloway	Mike Schramm
Sunday, September 24 11:00am	Teagan Saelens	Jessica Folsom Glenda Smith	Mike Folsom

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.



Collection Totals for the Weekend of:

September 2/3, 2023

	Collected	Online	Total
Weekly Offering	\$6,591.00	\$3,313.00	\$9,904.00
Foundation for Faith	\$214.00	\$75.00	\$289.00
Major Maintenance	\$227.00	\$78.00	\$305.00
Needy in Community	\$460.00	\$148.00	\$608.00
YTD Weekly Offering Collected	\$88,084.00		
YTD Weekly Offering Needed	\$88,823.50		



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

PLEDGE REPORT:
9/10/2023

Parish Goal: \$46,100.00
Amount Pledged: \$ 40,395.00
Balance Due: \$ 2,785.00

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.

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