

Sunday, April 6th, 2025 – Fifth Sunday of Lent

Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, April 7th	No Mass		
Tuesday, April 8th	7:00 a.m. St. Mary's Mass	<i>Denny Stalzer</i>	
Wednesday, April 9th	8:00 a.m. St. Mary's Mass	<i>Francis & Evelyn Erpelding & family</i>	Stations of the Cross - 8:30 a.m.
Thursday, April 10th	8:00 a.m. St. Mary's Mass	<i>Harold Passow</i>	
Thursday, April 10th	2:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Adoration		
Friday, April 11th	8:45 a.m. St. Mary's Mass	<i>Hattie Walloch</i>	Stations of the Cross - 5:30 p.m.
Saturday, April 12th	5:00 p.m. St. Mary's Mass	<i>Lori & Bob Merrill</i>	
Sunday, April 13th	9:00 a.m. St. Mary's Mass	<i>Judy Miller</i>	

***The Rosary is prayed approximately 20 – 25 minutes before each St. Mary's Weekend Mass*

Readings for next Sun., April 13th: Isaiah 50:4 - 7 (38ABC) Philippians 2:6 - 11 Luke 22:14 - 23:56

Liturgical Ministries Schedule (if unable to serve, please find a replacement)

	St. Mary's Sat. 5:00 p.m. April 5 th Msgr. Kevin McCoy	St. Mary's Sun. 9:00 a.m. April 6 th Msgr. Kevin McCoy	St. Mary's Sat. 5:00 p.m. April 12 th Fr. Francis Makwinja	St. Mary's Sun. 9:00 a.m. April 13 th Fr. Francis Makwinja
Eucharistic Ministers	Deacon Don Evans Samantha Eastman Melissa Caquelin	Wendy Lensing VOLUNTEER NEEDED Sarah McCullough	Paul Lynch Tonya Heier Mike Heier	Deacon Don Evans Allen Goche Valerie Jergens
Lector	Susan Blanchard	Dave Lensing	2 VOLUNTEERS NEEDED	Ann Wittrock VOLUNTEER NEEDED
Servers	Colten Caquelin Meri Heider Jackson Heider	Matt O'Hern Megan O'Hern Mickey O'Hern	Emmett Detrick VOLUNTEER NEEDED Ethan Nedved	Henry Kramer Samuel Kramer Carter Stalzer
Ushers	Tyler Baxter Dakota Broderick John Ford Paul Lynch	Robert Ford Jim Murray VOLUNTEERS NEEDED	Steve Ehrhardt John Ford Paul Lynch	VOLUNTEERS NEEDED
Gift Bearers	TBD	Children's Liturgy of the Word	TBD	Children's Liturgy of the Word
Scrip	VOLUNTEER NEEDED	Mindi O'Hern	Patty Godfrey	Melissa Girres
Rosary	Samantha Eastman	Sara Carlson	Lisa Frideres	Allen Goche
CLOW		Christy Vitzthum		Traci Holm
Tabulators-MONDAY		TBD		TBD
Music	Kari Evans Wendy Becker	Wade Carlson Scott & Katherine Wiemers	Katherine Tierney Melissa Caquelin & Adult Choir	Katherine Tierney Adeline Reynolds



Mar. 24 - Mar. 30 Collections	St. Mary's	ST. MARY'S PARISH & SCHOOL SCRIP PROGRAM
Weekly Envelopes	\$4,034.00	Weekly Sales 3/24 - 3/30
Online Giving	\$1,610.00	Weekly Profit 3/24 - 3/30
Loose Plate	\$312.80	Year-To-Date Sales Totals
Easter Lilies	\$325.00	Year-To-Date Profit
Parish Needs	\$1,695.95	

SCRIP is available in the parish office. Please call ahead and we will get your order ready. Please also consider ordering E-scrip at raiserright.com or downloading the RaiseRight app.

BULLETIN SPONSORS FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL:

Please patronize all of our bulletin sponsors. Their sponsorship makes our bulletin possible!
Ubben-Lentz Funeral Home - Bank Iowa

Brew & Brotherhood Scripture Study

6:00 a.m. every other Tuesday
in St. John's Conference Room –



St. Mary's Parish Center

Next Gathering:

Tuesday, April 15th

Bring a Guest! *The coffee is "brewing"!*



**Stations of the Cross will
begin at 5:30 p.m.
every Friday evening
during Lent.**



The St. Mary's Knights of Columbus

will be holding a Lenten Fish
Fry each Friday night through
April 11th. **Dine in will be**

available in the St. Mary gym and drive
up will still be available on the north side.
Serving will be 5 p.m. - 7 p.m. or until sold
out. \$13 for adults and \$8 for children.



**St. Mary's Church cleaning is scheduled for
Sunday, April 13th, after Mass.**

**Please bring pails and rags,
upright or handheld vacuums, extension
cords & 3-prong adapters.**



Scholarship Applications

Scholarship applications are now available for high school
seniors. We have applications available in the parish office
and on our website at www.humboldtareacc.org.

Scholarships are available from St. Mary's Women of the
Spirit, the Knights of Columbus, St. Mary's School Board
and the John B. and Margie Martin Scholarship Fund.

Application deadline is May 1st

There are only 2 application forms that need to be filled
out this year. There is a combined application form for
the KCs, the Women of the Spirit and the John B. and
Margie Martin Scholarships and a separate application
for the St. Mary's School Board scholarship.



St. Mary's Members are invited to
purchase an Easter Lily in memory of a
loved one for \$25. Donations may be
placed in the collection basket and
marked for this purchase.



Monday, April 14th

11:00 a.m. Chrism Mass, Cathedral of the Epiphany,
Sioux City

Tuesday, April 15th

7:00 a.m. St. Mary's Mass

Wednesday, April 16th

8:45 a.m. St. Mary's Mass

Holy Thursday, April 17th

7:00 p.m. St. Mary's Mass

Good Friday, April 18th

12:00 p.m. St. Mary's Good Friday Service

Holy Saturday, April 19th

8:00 p.m. St. Mary's Easter Vigil Mass

Easter Sunday, April 20th

9:00 a.m. St. Mary's Mass



The Women of the Spirit
will meet at noon on
Monday, April 7th
in the Parish Center



Knights of Columbus

April Meeting

April 14th, 6:00pm
Miller's Landing

St. Mary's Eucharistic Adoration

Weekly on Thursdays.

Understood simply, Eucharistic Adoration is adoring or
honoring the Eucharistic Presence of Christ. During Eucharistic
Adoration, we "watch and wait", we remain "silent" in His
Presence and open ourselves to His Graces which flow from
the Eucharist.

**Stop in for a few minutes or stay for an extended
time.**

"Come to Jesus, just as you are."

Guardian Schedule for April 10th

Eucharistic Adoration:



2 – 3 p.m. –

3 – 4 p.m. – Jerry Haverly

4 – 5 p.m. – Leann Hildreth

5 – 6 p.m. – Kathie Nelson

Thursday adoration hours are 2-6 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation will be offered from 5-6 pm

Liturgy of the Hours (Vespers) will be at 5:40 pm

(To see prayers: Download "Ibreviary TS Plus" from the App Store or
use "Christian Prayer" books at St Mary's)

Reposition will be at 6 pm

PILGRIMAGE TO POLAND AND EASTERN EUROPE: Come along Nov. 3-14, 2025, to some of the most historical and sacred places in all of Europe. We'll visit the Shrine of Divine Mercy, visit Czestochowa's Black Madonna, walk through Auschwitz Concentration Camp and so much more. We'll have Mass each day in great Churches and Cathedrals along the way. Cost is \$4,299 with departure from Omaha. For a brochure and more information, contact Fr. Dan Guenther, 276 Country Club Drive, Lake Park, Iowa 51347 or call 712-899-6870 or email frdanquenther@gmail.com



Natural Family Planning

Do you want to better understand your menstrual cycle and fertility in the way God designed? The Marquette Method can help you track your hormones with a daily urine sample to better appreciate your health and confidently avoid or achieve pregnancy. It is USCCB approved and effective for all life situations including: young adults, breastfeeding, PCOS, irregular cycles, and perimenopause. Make an appointment with Dr. Paul at UnityPoint Clinic to learn. (515) 332-2015

Illuminating Catholics
PODCAST

Shedding light to understand the modern church.

Father Collison

Father Schrad

AVAILABLE NOW – Podcast co-hosts Dawn Prosser and Karmen Bower interview guests Father Craig Collison and Father Meriin Schrad, retired priests of the Diocese of Sioux City, about their past assignments and continued service in the diocese.

Kiwanis Roast Beef Dinner is Thursday, April 10
The Humboldt-Dakota City Kiwanis Club will be hosting its annual roast beef dinner fundraiser Thursday, April 10 at the Zion Lutheran Church, 1005 11th Ave. N., in the fellowship hall. Serving will be from 4-7 p.m. There will be dine-in or drive-through meals available. The meal will consist of a hot roast beef sandwich, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, coleslaw and a dessert bar/brownie. Dine-in customers will have a choice of beverages. All tickets are \$15 and are available from any Kiwanis member or at the door, or call Kent at (515) 890-9993. Proceeds go to support club activities that benefit children and families.

Creating Wealth Beyond Money

Creating Wealth Beyond Money: It is pleasing to God when we care for the financial needs of our parents. "But if a widow has children or grandchildren, let these first learn to perform their religious duty to their own family and to make recompense to their parents, for this is pleasing to God." 1 Timothy 5:4. Provided by Catholic United Financial. *Not intended as tax or legal advice.*

WISE WELLNESS INITIATIVE FOR SENIOR EDUCATION

Begins 04/01/2025 at 2pm

PROGRAM OUTCOMES:

- Improved Health Behaviors ✓
- Mental Health Awareness ✓
- Healthy Lifestyle Strategies ✓
- Knowledge of Aging Process ✓
- Healthy Aging ✓

PROGRAM TOPICS & SCHEDULE:

- Changes and Aging 1 04/01
- Aging Sensitivity 2 04/08
- Valuing Diversity 3 04/15
- Medication and Older Adults 4 04/22
- Addiction and Older Adults 5 04/29
- Enhanced Quality of Life 6 05/06

Our Saviour's Lutheran Church

Interested in the program or more information? Contact: Ramona Kick, Prevention Specialist
ramonak@cfrhelps.org 515.667.0183



The annual parish garage sale will be here before you know it. The dates for this year are as follows: Friday, June 13th, 9 am - 6 pm. and Saturday, June 14th, 8 am until Noon. You may bring items to the school gym on Thursday, June 5th and Friday, June 6th, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm and again on Monday, June 9th, Tuesday, June 10th and Wednesday, June 11th, 9:00 am - 4:00 pm. Thursday, June 12th the gym will be closed for pricing and flowers!! More information on items accepted will be in the bulletin later. Keep saving all of "the good stuff" for our sale. Thank you in advance for helping our school. Jenean Smith and the Garage Sale Ladies.



GROTTO PILGRIMAGE

APRIL 23, 2025
9:00AM - 2:00PM
WEST BEND, IA

About Our Event

We welcome everyone to participate in this special pilgrimage day at the Grotto of the Redemption with Mass, Confession, Adoration, and guided tours of the Grotto. Whether you are seeking spiritual renewal, gaining an indulgence in the Jubilee Year of Hope, a moment of peace, or simply a chance to admire the beauty of this sacred site, there is something for everyone. Families and individuals of all ages are welcome to experience the tranquility and inspiration found within this unique pilgrimage.

- Area 4th, 5th & 6th Graders will be attending
- Please bring your own sack lunch

Event Highlights

9:00am ◀
Welcome by Msgr. Ed Girres

9:15am ◀
Mass at Sts. Peter & Paul Church

10:15am ◀
Nominated as Pilgrimage Site by Sioux City Diocese

10:25am ◀
History of the Grotto

11:00am - 1:20pm ◀
Confessions, Tours and Lunch
(Kids by group, Adults on their own)

1:30pm ◀
Living Rosary lead by St. Mary's 6th Graders / Conclusion

There will be additional opportunities to participate in a pilgrimage this summer and fall.

Contact us 515.887.2371 Website <https://www.westbendgrotto.com>

Parents and parishioners are invited to attend this pilgrimage to the Grotto on April 23rd!
St. Mary's 6th graders will be leading a Living Rosary at 1:30 p.m.
Please join us for this special day

Stations of the Cross

St Mary Church

Holy Week:
Wednesday April 16th
@ 7:45 pm

Led By: Faith Formation

PIC•COLLAGE

The application for the Students First Education Savings Account will open at 8:00 a.m. on Wednesday, April 16th, 2025. All TK through grade six families attending Saint Mary School will need to apply.
<https://educate.iowa.gov/pk-12/educational-choice/education-savings-accounts>



WE ARE HIRING!

Job Opportunity for 2025 - 2026 School Year

We are hiring a Kindergarten classroom teacher for the 2025 - 2026 school year.

For more information please contact Sara Bormann at Saint Mary School 515-332-2134 or send a resume to sbormann@stmaryhumboldt



The mission of Saint Mary School is to provide a Catholic education in a Christ-centered environment, which enables students to attain religious and academic excellence

Thank you for complying with our earlier start time of 8:00 a.m. We appreciate your extra effort and flexibility with our new schedule! Our last day of school will be extended to Tuesday, May 27th due to our missed hours throughout the winter. The last day for our 3 and 4 year old Rising and Shining Stars will be Friday, May 23rd.

This week:

Friday, April 11th - 8:45 a.m. - Student Mass led by Grade 5

Upcoming:

Wednesday, April 16th - Student Mass led by Grade 4
 Thursday, April 17th - Due to snow days there **WILL** be school this day.
 Friday, April 18th - Monday, April 21st - No school - Easter break
 Wednesday - April 23rd - 4th - 6th grades - Pilgrimage to the Grotto
 Thursday, May 1st - 6:30 - Spring Music Program for all students at High School Auditorium.