

St. Mary's Catholic Church

**WELCOME! WE ARE
DELIGHTED TO WELCOME
YOU TO WORSHIP WITH US.**

Whether you are a parishioner, friend, or visitor, your presence enlivens our celebration and community. Please consider sharing in what we have to offer. Our parish aims to assist all who wish to know God more deeply. We serve the community through outreach, education, social activities, sacramental preparation, and comfort to those who mourn and are sick.

Please call us at 515-332-2856.



**Weekend Masses:
Saturday 5:00 pm
Sunday 9:00 am**

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NEW PARISHIONERS

Please register after weekend mass or contact our Parish Office.
WE WELCOME YOU!

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please call the Parish Office to make an appointment for class and to schedule your child's baptism.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Please contact the Pastor at least nine months in advance of marriage.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

One half hour before weekend Mass times or anytime by request.

SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please call the Parish Office in the event of illness or hospitalization.

Communal celebrations in the
Fall & Spring.

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please call or e-mail the Parish Office
by 2pm on Wednesdays.

To reach a priest in case of an emergency, and Fr. Dan Guenther is gone, please call Fr. Thomas Hart at 515-341-7810

Sunday, February 5th, 2023 – Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, Feb. 6th	No Mass	
Tuesday, Feb. 7th	7:00 a.m. St. Mary's Mass	<i>Nick & Kate Wagner Family</i>
Wednesday, Feb. 8th	8:00 a.m. St. Mary's Mass	<i>Ann Morrissey</i>
Thursday, Feb. 9th	8:00 a.m. St. Mary's Mass	<i>Roger Anderson</i>
Thursday, Feb. 9th	Adoration 2:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	
Friday, Feb. 10th	8:45 a.m. St. Mary's Mass	<i>Steve Stein</i>
Saturday, Feb. 11th	5:00 p.m. St. Mary's Mass	<i>Audrey Haverly & the Parish Family</i>
Sunday, Feb. 12th	9:00 a.m. St. Mary's Mass	<i>Judy Miller & Ray Erpelding</i>

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

Readings for next Sunday, February 12th: Sirach 15:15 – 20 (76A) 1 Corinthians 2:6 – 10 Matthew 5:17 – 37

Liturgical Ministries Schedule

(if unable to serve, please find a replacement)

	St. Mary's Sat. 5:00 p.m. February 4th	St. Mary's Sun. 9:00 a.m. February 5th	St. Mary's Sat. 5:00 p.m. February 11th	St. Mary's Sun. 9:00 a.m. February 12th
Eucharistic Ministers	Steve Ehrhardt Valerie Jergens	Kelly Bentz Don Evans	Susan Blanchard Andrew Theesfeld	Don Evans Sara McCullough
Lector	Jan Olson	Jan Goche	Jaime Zweibohmer	Ann Wiltrock
Servers	Carter Stalzer VOLUNTEER NEEDED VOLUNTEER NEEDED	Wade Carlson Maggie Lensing Matt O'Hern	John Blanchard Lucas Olson Natalie Riesselman	Mickey O'Hern Matt O'Hern Brady Roth
Ushers	Steve Ehrhardt John Ford Dean Kruger Jim La Velle	Jason Dodd Jackson Dodd Lance Fischer Dave Lensing	Steve Ehrhardt John Ford Dean Kruger Jim La Velle	Jason Dodd Jackson Dodd Lance Fischer Dave Lensing
Children's Liturgy		Lillian Holm		Katie Legvold
Scrip	Melissa Girres	Kathie Nelson	Melissa Girres	Mindi O'Hern
Rosary	Dottie Rusher	Sara Carlson	Dottie Rusher	Allen Goche
Music	Katherine Tierney Benjamin Paul	Kari Evans Cathy McCullough	Kari Evans Suzanne Newton	Katherine Tierney Mike Terwilliger



January 23rd – 29th Collections

St. Mary's

Weekly Envelopes	\$2,809.00
Online Giving	\$1,570.00
Loose Plate	\$134.00
Parish Needs	\$1,080.00
Briar Cliff	\$5.00
School	\$50.00

ST. MARY'S PARISH & SCHOOL SCRIP PROGRAM

Weekly Sales 1/23 – 1/29	\$6,336.00
Weekly Profit 1/23 – 1/29	\$359.50
Year-To-Date Sales Totals	\$23,699.00
Year-To-Date Profit	\$1,052.48

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

BULLETIN SPONSORS FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY:

Please patronize all of our bulletin sponsors. Their sponsorship makes our bulletin possible!

Harmony Animal Hospital - Larry's Pharmacy - Mason Lindhart Funeral Home



Prayer Chain Requests can be made by calling the parish office at 332-2856 or email - parishsecretary@stmaryhumboldt.org

If you have time to pray for those on the prayer chain you may also contact the parish office to be added to our Prayer Chain Group and you will be contacted when new prayer requests are made.

Ignite the Faith Campaign Update

Contributions received as of February 3rd: **\$3,368,239.00**
Amount paid on completed work - **\$3,520,590.00**
Total amount of outstanding pledges to be paid over the next 1 - 2 years - **\$171,666.00**

Please visit our website:

(<https://www.osvhub.com/humboldtareacc/giving/funds>) or contact the parish office for more information on how you can support our project.



Knights of Columbus
February Meeting
February 13th, 6:00pm
716 Main



The Women of the Spirit will meet Tuesday, February 7th at Noon in the parish center.

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, February 14th

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

Monthly Coffee & Fellowship after Sunday Mass



This Sunday the monthly coffee and fellowship time after Mass will be sponsored by the St. Mary's Faith Formation students that are planning to travel to Steubenville in July. Come and visit with the students about this exciting trip and help support their transportation costs.

St. Mary's Eucharistic Adoration

Weekly on Thursdays

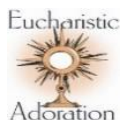
Understood simply, Eucharistic Adoration is adoring or honoring the Eucharistic Presence of Christ. During Eucharistic Adoration, we "watch and wait", we remain "silent" in His Presence and open ourselves to His Graces which flow from the Eucharist.

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

"Come to Jesus, just as you are."

Guardian Schedule for February 9th
Eucharistic Adoration:

2 – 3 p.m. – Jim La Velle
3 – 4 p.m. – Jerry Haverly
4 – 5 p.m. – Leann Hildreth
5 – 6 p.m. – Don Evans
6 – 7 p.m. – Don Evans



Humboldt Knights of Columbus **Free-Throw Contest:**



Sunday, February 5th
St. Mary School Gym-Humboldt (enter southeast Parish Center door near southeast parking lot)
Boys and Girls ages 10-14 as of January 1, 2023
Winners advance to regional competition
Register at 12:00 pm, competition begins at 12:30 pm
Cost Free

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For More Information, Please Contact :

Father Dan Guenther

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SPACE IS LIMITED! SIGN UP TODAY!!!

The 11th Meals from the Heartland Event

will be held on Saturday, March 18th, 2023 at Our Savior's Lutheran Church Fellowship Hall. Students will be packaging meals on Friday, March 17th. It is sponsored by the Humboldt County Ministerial Association and we need your help!! Please consider making a monetary donation and/or volunteer to help package meals! You may mail a check to any committee member or send to Allen Goche at 1606 Elmhurst Avenue in Humboldt. Please call Jan Goche at 515-890-9117 if you are able to volunteer. Station hours are from 8:00 to 9:30, 9:30 to 11:00 and from 11:00 to 12:30. Thank you!



SAVE LOCAL LIVES

Humboldt Community Blood Drive

Monday, February 6, 2022

1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Zion Lutheran Church

Fellowship Hall

1005 11th Ave N

Set up your lifesaving appointment TODAY:

Text: LIFESERVE to 999-777

Call: 800-287-4903 or

Visit: www.lifeservebloodcenter.org



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The St. Mary's Knights of Columbus will be holding a Lenten Fish Fry each Friday night beginning February 24th – March 31st. Dine in will be back this year 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.

Tickets are available at V & S.



Preparations for Gala 2023 - "A Night of Inspiration" are underway! We are accepting auction items for the silent and live auctions. Please drop off at the Development Office or contact us to make arrangements if needed.

We are hoping to have items by **February 15th**.

If you aren't sure what to donate, we are happy to do the shopping for you. Contact Development Director, Suzanne Newton. We have already purchased some items that can be sponsored. We also have wonderful local businesses that are happy to 'provide some inspiration' as well.

Thank you to everyone for the continued support of Gala and St. Mary School.



Bishop's Scholarship applications open Do you know a high school senior in the Sioux City Diocese? Check out the generous Bishop's Scholarship details and an online application at www.briarcliff.edu/scholarships. Deadline to apply is Feb. 20. Check out a Catholic university education option for your senior.

Now is the perfect time to buy SCRIP if you aren't already using it. Our monthly gift card drawing continues. For every order placed in the month of February you will be entered in a drawing for a \$50 gift card of your choice. It's an easy way to raise money for St. Mary School as well as save on tuition and it doesn't cost you anything extra! Gift cards make great gifts for everyone and are the perfect way to shop for all of your daily purchases such as gas and groceries! It's easy!

VALENTINE'S DAY EARNINGS

Shop with gift cards for supplies, gifts, and more

The winner of the \$50 gift card for January was Tom Nostrom!



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.

A VERY SINCERE THANK YOU to staff, students, families, alumni, parish, St. Mary's PTA, Women of the Spirit, and anyone else who had a part in making Catholic Schools Week such a wonderful week as we celebrated everything that makes our Saint Mary School not only a place to receive a great Christ-centered education but a special family as well.

This Week:

Feb. 10th - Student Mass planned by Grade 4 students - 8:45

Looking Ahead:

Feb. 17th - No School

Feb. 21st and Feb 23rd - Conferences

Feb. 24th - No School

Feb. 25th - Daddy Daughter Dance - "Light Up the Night"



Share the Warmth. Make an Impact. Support Our Ministries. This winter, act generously and experience the joy of giving. Help sustain our church regardless of the weather. We offer Online Giving as an additional option to strengthen our church's community and support our ongoing mission and ministries. We value this spiritual home, which relies on our **time, talent, and treasure.**

Online Giving helps support our church by allowing you to make donations, payments, and pledges via your mobile phone, smart device, or computer.

SIGN UP TODAY BY VISITING OUR CHURCH WEBSITE!



- open the built-in camera app
- point the camera at the QR code
- tap the banner that appears on your smartphone or tablet
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LIGHT *up the* NIGHT

FEBRUARY 25, 2023 FROM 6-8:30PM

Daddy Daughter Dance

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