

# 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, October 30, 2022 – Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, Oct. 31st	<b>5:00 p.m. All Saints</b>	<i>Tom Feldmann</i>
Tuesday, Nov. 1st	<b>8:45 a.m. All Saints</b>	<i>Gary Julius</i>
Wednesday, Nov. 2nd	<b>8:00 a.m. St. Mary's Mass</b>	<i>Tom, Edna &amp; David Sheehan</i>
Thursday, Nov. 3rd	<b>8:00 a.m. St. Mary's Mass</b>	<i>Steve Stein</i>
Thursday, Nov. 3rd	<b>2:00 – 7:00 p.m. Adoration</b>	
Friday, Nov. 4th	<b>8:00 a.m. St. Mary's Mass</b>	<i>Imogene Burns</i>
Saturday, Nov. 5th	<b>5:00 p.m. St. Mary's Mass</b>	<i>JoAnne Erpelding</i>
Sunday, Nov. 6th	<b>9:00 a.m. St. Mary's Mass</b>	<i>The Parish Family</i>

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

**Readings for next Sunday, November 6th: 2 Maccabees 7:1 – 2, 9 -14 (156C) 2 Thessalonians 2:16 – 3:5 Luke 20:27 – 38**

### Liturgical Ministries Schedule

*(if unable to serve, please find a replacement)*

	<b>St. Mary's Sat. 5:00 p.m. October 29th</b>	<b>St. Mary's Sun. 9:00 a.m. October 30th</b>	<b>St. Mary's Sat. 5:00 p.m. November 5th</b>	<b>St. Mary's Sun. 9 a.m. November 6th</b>
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Paul Lynch Brian Jergens	Don Evans Sara McCullough	Jim La Velle Paul Lynch	Don Evans Kelly Bentz
<b>Lector</b>	Jaime Zweibohmer	Jan Goche	Dale Heider	Ann Wittrock
<b>Servers</b>	VOLUNTEER NEEDED Jackson Heider Axel Rhead	Adalyn Laubenthal Alayna Laubenthal Brady Roth	Ella Dieleman Addison Stein Jerod Stein	Wade Carlson Sophia Harklau Dawson Sleiter
<b>Ushers</b>	Steve Ehrhardt John Ford Jim La Velle Paul Lynch	Doug Berte Tony Luft Chad Theesfeld Bob Rasmussen	Steve Ehrhardt John Ford Jim La Velle Paul Lynch	Tyler Baxter Dave Lensing Roger Nelson Tom Nostrom
<b>Children's Liturgy</b>		Traci Holm		Lillian Holm
<b>Scrip</b>	Melissa Girres	Kathie Nelson	Melissa Girres	Kathie Nelson
<b>Rosary</b>	Dottie Rusher	Allen Goche	Dottie Rusher	Sara Carlson
<b>Music</b>	Cathy McCullough Benjamin Paul	Katherine Tierney Andrea Laubenthal	Kari Evans Benjamin Paul	Melissa Caquelin Suzanne Newton

## GOOD STEWARDSHIP

<b>October 17<sup>th</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup> Collections</b>	<b>St. Mary's</b>	
Weekly Envelopes	\$9,256.78	
Online Giving	\$1,720.00	
Loose Plate	\$398.50	
Parish Needs	\$3,640.00	
All Souls	\$45.00	
Catholic Charities	\$300.00	
Cemetery Upkeep	\$200.00	
General Disaster Relief	\$500.00	
World Mission Sunday	\$325.00	
Retired Infirm Priests	\$500.00	
Religious Retirement Fund	\$500.00	
God's Gift Sunday	\$100.00	
		<b><u>ST. MARY'S PARISH &amp; SCHOOL SCRIP PROGRAM</u></b> Weekly Sales 10/17 – 10/24 \$5,460.00 Weekly Profit 10/17 – 10/24 \$223.68 Year-To-Date Sales Totals \$269,789.00 Year-To-Date Profit \$11,245.34

*SCRIP is available in the parish office. Please call ahead and we will get your order ready. Please also consider ordering E-scrip at [shopwithscrip.com](http://shopwithscrip.com) or downloading the RaiseRight app.*

### BULLETIN SPONSORS FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER:

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

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### Ignite the Faith Campaign Update

Contributions received as of October 27th - \$3,316,639.00  
Amount paid on completed work - \$3,520,590.00  
Total amount of outstanding pledges to be paid over the next 1 - 2 years - \$217,128.00  
Please visit our website (<https://nlinegiving.com/4592>) or contact the parish office for more information on how you can support our project.

### *Holy Day of Obligation*



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Tuesday, November 1<sup>st</sup> is a Holy Day, the Feast of All Saints. Mass will be Monday evening, October 31<sup>st</sup> at 5:00 p.m. and Tuesday morning at 8:45 a.m.

**Friday Mass this week** will take place at 8:00 a.m. since there will be no school Mass that day.

### **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, November 8th**

Bring a Guest! The coffee is "brewing"!

**Second Collection for October:** Our monthly second collection takes place this weekend. This month it will be used for adult faith formation assistance at St. Mary's.

### **ALL SAINTS' DAY AT SAINT MARY CHURCH**

On Tuesday, November 1st, Holy Day Mass will be at 8:45, followed by Deacon Joe Coleman from Holy Trinity Parish speaking about the Saints.

St. Mary's students in grades 4-6 will present the "Avenue of the Saints" to tell more about the life of the Saint they have chosen.

A lunch will be available in the Parish Hall.

Deacon Don Evans will then lead the Litany of the Saints and the Divine Mercy Chaplet. This day of reflection will conclude by 1:30.

All are welcome to attend and to learn about the Saints the students are presenting. You may also walk around the Parish Hall and hallways to learn more about the Saints pictured and the life of that Saint.

To plan for the lunch, please text your name and the number attending the lunch to 515.890.7133

*Thank You*

The St. Mary's choir would like to thank Dottie Rusher for the monetary gift given on behalf of Darrell Rusher who sang bass in the adult choir for many years. These funds will be used for future music needs. May God bless Dottie for her generosity.

### **Coming soon: Monthly Coffee and Fellowship after Sunday Mass:**



The first Sunday of the month we will begin having a coffee and fellowship time after Mass. These will be sponsored each month by the different groups in the church. It will be a great opportunity to get to know some of our newer members as well as give our newer members a chance to meet the members of some of our groups. Please join us! Our first coffee will be sponsored by the Women of the Spirit and will actually be held on November 13<sup>th</sup>, but beginning in December they will be held on the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday. If your group has a month in mind to sponsor please let the parish office know. Thank you!

**Bishop Nickless** is asking for help with recent natural disasters. If you would like to give, put a donation in an envelope with the indication that it's for natural disasters, and put in the collection any time in the next few weeks.

### **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 November 3rd**



**Eucharistic Adoration:**

2 – 3 p.m. – Traci Holm

3 – 4 p.m. – Eleanor Childress

4 – 5 p.m. – Pam Tecklenburg

5 – 6 p.m. – Don Evans

6 – 7 p.m. – Don Evans



**Calling out to all of our faithful voices**

**for the Christmas Masses!**

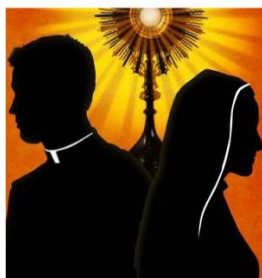
Starting on Wednesday, Nov. 2nd the Christmas Choir will meet from 6:30-7:30 p.m.

in the Church balcony/Choir Loft. We will start practicing for our Christmas Liturgies! All voices are welcome to join! Questions please contact Melissa Caquelin at 515-332-2134 or [mcaquelin@stmaryhumboldt.org](mailto:mcaquelin@stmaryhumboldt.org)

# 24 hour Adoration for Vocations

You are invited to join in adoration of Christ in the Blessed Sacrament.  
This is a great opportunity...  
-to earnestly pray for an increase in strong and quality religious vocations  
-to reflect on your role in nurturing holy religious vocations

WHAT IS ADORATION?  
-TIME SPENT WITH CHRIST TRANSFORMING  
OURSELVES AND THE WORLD AROUND US  
THROUGH PRAYER, SACRED SCRIPTURE, AND  
QUIET.



"Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration with exposition needs a great push.  
People ask me: 'What will convert America and save the world?' My  
answer is prayer. We need every parish to come before Jesus in the  
Blessed Sacrament in holy hours of prayer."  
-St Teresa of Calcutta.

**Begins: Tuesday 11.8.22 @ 7 pm**  
**Ends: Wednesday 11.9.22 @ 8:15 pm**  
**St Marys Church**

- Tuesday 11.8.22 @ 7 pm: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament (Deacon Don Evans)
- Tuesday 11.8.22 @ 7:30 pm: Vespers (Deacon Don Evans)
- Wednesday 11.9.22 @ 6:00 am: Lauds (Deacon Don Evans)
- Wednesday 11.9.22 @ 8:00 am: Mass
- Wednesday 11.9.22 @ 6:00 pm: Vespers (Deacon Don Evans)
- Wednesday 11.9.22 @ 7:00 pm: Praise Time (Scott Weimers, Cathy McCullough, Katherine Tierney)
- Wednesday 11.9.22 @ 8:00 pm: Benediction & Reposition (Deacon Don Evans)

**PIC•COLLAGE**



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.

## Happening This Week:

**Nov. 1st** - All School Mass @ 8:45  
Avenue of the Saints for  
Grades 4, 5 and 6 - 9:50 - 11:00  
All Saint Day Parish Pilgrimage

**Nov. 2nd** - Ag in the Classroom Grade 1

**Nov. 3rd** - Report Cards go home

**Nov. 4th** - No Student Mass

## Looking Ahead:

**Nov. 23, 24, & 25** Thanksgiving Break

**Dec. 1st** - Saint Mary Christmas Program

## SAVE LOCAL LIVES

Humboldt Community Blood Drive

Monday, November 7th, 2022

1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Faith United Methodist Church

Fellowship Hall

107 N 4<sup>th</sup> St

Set up your lifesaving appointment TODAY:

Text: LIFESERVE to 999-777

Call: 800-287-4903 or

Visit: [www.lifeservebloodcenter.org](http://www.lifeservebloodcenter.org)



11/7/22 14:22

SAVE THE DATE  
**St. Mary's Spring**

*Gala*  
A NIGHT OF  
INSPIRATION  
**March 11, 2023**

The Zion Lutheran Church Family  
is hosting a Benefit  
for sweet baby, "Vinny Wilson"!

(Vinny is the son of DCE Thomas & Lisa Wilson)  
(Helping his family with Medical/Travel Expense!)

Free-will offering Salad Bar Supper  
With Sandwiches and Desserts

Silent Auction also with bidding ending at 6:30 p.m.

Sunday, November 6, from 5:00-7:00 p.m.

Zion Fellowship Hall, Humboldt, Iowa

Hope to see everyone there!

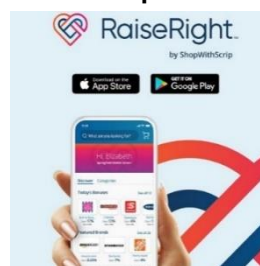
THANK YOU!

If you are unable to attend but would like to make a  
donation, you may send it to Zion Lutheran Church,  
1005 11 th Ave. N., Humboldt, IA 50548.

(Please put Benefit in the memo of your check.)

## Now is the perfect time to buy SCRIP if you aren't

already using it. For every  
order placed in the month of  
October 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!






Monsignor Lafferty Tuition Foundation

## Donating Grain

Yields significant tax benefits for farmers

Grain donations are being accepted **now** for the 2022 Msgr. Lafferty Tuition Foundation (MLTF) campaign. Again this year, enjoy a 75% state of Iowa tax credit of the value of your grain donation.



Generally, donors avoid recognizing the income from the sale of the donated grain and also receive the benefit of 75% in state of Iowa tax credits of the grain value at the time of the gift.  
(Check with your tax advisor regarding your situation.) Contact the parish office for more information, 515-332-2856  
*Thank you for helping provide a Catholic choice in education for our families.*

✦ Pulse Life Advocates Presents a Pro-life Christmas Gala ✦

## THE STARS ARE BRIGHTLY SHINING

\$75/person  
\$700 for a table of 10

Cocktails ✦ Dinner ✦ Auction ✦ Entertainment ✦ Keynote

### You're invited to a Pro-Life Christmas Gala on November 19<sup>th</sup>!

Pulse Life Advocates will host a pro-life Christmas Gala, **THE STARS ARE BRIGHTLY SHINING**, on November 19<sup>th</sup> at the Meadows Event Center in Altoona, IA. The evening consists of a cash bar, a delicious dinner, Christmas auction items, and sensational Christmas entertainment featuring top talent including Gina Gedler and Eric Sharp backed by the Saints & Sinner Band. The Sisters of Life will speak on the importance of the pro-life movement. Tables of ten/\$700; \$75/seat. Order online today: [PulseForLife.org](http://PulseForLife.org)


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## APPLICATIONS TO ADOPT A FAMILY

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Through November 23<sup>rd</sup>

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**You are invited to attend "Seasons of Hope,"** a 6-week journey through Scripture, faith sharing and prayer. This study will help us discover healing in Holy Scripture, with Jesus as our guide through any loss that we may have experienced.

Seasons of Hope is for anyone who has wondered where God was in their pain and sorrow, or for someone who is seeking to learn more about the healing comfort Jesus has in store for us in all our difficult moments.

God is here to console you and heal you. We will explore mourning through the eyes of Jesus in the Bible. Come and travel with Jesus in this group study. He is always with us.

### Please join us!

Beginning: Wednesday, October 26, 2022.  
Where: St. Mary's Parish Hall, in the Sacred Heart Room  
When: 8:00 Mass (optional)  
8:45 - 10:00 Group study  
10:00 - 10:30 Optional sharing & fellowship time.  
Bibles are available at the study, or bring your favorite Bible.  
Feel free to bring your own water bottle, etc.  
Questions: Contact Cathy Heider, 515-890-3151, or to register.  
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