

St. Mary's Catholic Church

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September 3, 2017

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday	Sept 2	5:00 PM	Jacqueline Plugge (Special Intention-Toni Plugge)
Sunday	Sept 3	9:00 AM	Welfare of our Parish, Living & Deceased
Monday	Sept 4	7:30 AM	Eugene Post (Louise Ritter)
Tuesday	Sept 5	7:30 AM	Deceased Monks
Wednesday	Sept 6	6:00 PM	Deceased Members Knights of Columbus
Thursday	Sept 7	7:30 AM	Melinda DeGregory (Phillip & Debbie Mayeu)
Friday	Sept 8	7:30 AM	Beatrice Tate (Gene & Janie Dahlem)
Saturday	Sept 9	6:00 PM	Deceased Siblings of Donor
Sunday	Sept 10	9:00 AM	Welfare of our Parish, Living & Deceased

SERVICES

Mon-Tu, Th- Fri	7:30 AM
Wednesday	6:00 PM
Saturday	5:00 PM
Sunday	9:00 AM
EXPOSITION OF BLESSED SACRAMENT--7:00 AM	
Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri	
RECONCILIATION	
30 minutes prior to Mass or by appointment	

EMERGENCY COLLECTION**in response to the catastrophic flooding, loss of life and damage that Hurricane Harvey has left in its wake to those in Texas, The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops has asked each diocese to take up a special collection at all Masses this weekend Sept. 2-3.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BLOOD DRIVE**September 6 at Lawrence Hall, 1:30 PM-6. Contact David Tencleve to schedule.

GAME WATCH PARTY/SPAGHETTI DINNER** Saturday, September 9, a fundraiser for the trip to Branson for MOSES.

Tea, lemonade and popcorn will be provided for the watch party. Bring potluck snacks and your own personal drinks. **Mass will be at 6:00 PM this Saturday only.** The dinner will be by donation. Menu is spaghetti with sauce, garlic bread & salad and Sophie Peas. Questions or to volunteer call Dan 468-4945.

CCD**A new CCD year starts Sunday, September 10, 2017! We are excited about a new year and the learning opportunities for our youth of the parish. Thanks to our teachers and volunteers for their work and sacrifice for our parish!

ADULT THEOLOGY DISCUSSION**following Mass on Sundays starts Sept. 10. As well as continuing our conversation with God, this is a great way for parents to spend time while children are in CCD. Adult parishioners will meet in the Parish Hall for coffee and round-table discussion on that Sunday's readings and homily.

MOSES**Parish trip to Branson planned for October 7, 3:30 PM show time. Children's tickets will be paid by the parish and donations. Adults, \$47.71. Provide your own transportation. If you cannot afford to go and need assistance or a ride, please contact Dc Brian 209-4726 or Vickie 209-0709. Fill out your form/drop in the collection basket. At this time--6 seats for CYM, contact Debra Lynn 264-2196. 2 adult seats with Val Faught. And 7 more seats available.

REFLECTION ON THE READINGS:

Jesus said: Whoever wishes to come after me must take up their cross and follow me. St. Augustine said in the 400s: Hold out, be steadfast, endure, bear the delay, and you have carried your cross.

PRAYERS FOR ALL IN NEED

Margie Aich	Darlene Morris
Beck Avra	Rita Nehus
J. C. Darius	Don Neumeier
Penny Evans	Dennis Nichols
Theresa Eveld	Alan Pinter
Jodi Hayes	Sonita Pledger
Garrett Hodges	Eli Robinson
Marcella Holloway	James Rofkahr
Jim Ivey	Sylvia Schell
Joan Leding	Tom Sexton
Geraldine Leding	Greg Standridge
Jerome Minahan	Ceil Taylor
Jody Moenning	Tom Trimble
Terry Mayeux	Glenda Warren

COLLECTION

August 27	Donations	Visitor	Collections
Regular Collection	\$3,091	\$81	\$3,172
Number of Envelopes	63		
Restoration Fund	\$195		\$195
Number of Envelopes	9		
Weekly Expenses			\$4,817

CLEAN CHURCH** Trish Alston & Debra Lynn Post

