

MASS INTENTIONS**Saturday (August 19)**

4:00PM Tom Gemignani by Don & Jan Britton

5:30PM Phyllis Haars by Kathy Roegiers **MOLOP****20th Sunday of Ordinary Time (August 20)**8:30AM Mark Sottos by Jean Sottos & Family **MOLOP**

10:00AM Kenneth & Donna Frels by Edwin & Linda Johnson

Tuesday (August 22) MOLOP

8:00AM Lynn Conklen by Tim Larson

Wednesday (August 23) SMG

9:00AM Bob Kratt by John & Barb Kratt

Thursday (August 24) MOLOP

8:00AM Germaine Sammons by Kathy Roegiers

Friday (August 25) SMG

9:00AM Special Intention

Saturday (August 26)

4:00PM BJ Keegan by Joe & Crystal Arnold

5:30PM Greg Colmone by Frank & Barb Colmone **MOLOP****21st Sunday in Ordinary Time (August 27)**8:30AM Deb Gainey by Mike & Patty Roegiers **MOLOP**

10:00AM Our Parish Families

Reconciliation Saturdays 3-3:30**NATIONAL
Eucharistic
Revival****Monday is the Day**

SMG will host the Pilgrimage

Monday, August 21

Mass - 6:30 p.m.

Talk - 7:00 p.m.

Refreshments following.



The Pilgrimage has been planned to help us all grow in our love of JESUS.

Please attend as many of these as possible.
Bring family and friends!**Eucharistic Question:** Does Christ die again at every Mass?

1. Yes 2. No

**August 21st RIVER PILGRIMAGE
6:30 P.M. Mass**

Help our Parish make the after Mass fellowship a success by donating your time for kitchen help or baking a light snack such as cookies or brownies. Sign up sheets are in the foyer.

PRAYER REQUESTS**Those in need of healing at St. Maria Goretti...**

Sr. JT McNulty, Dave & Sandy Bledsoe, Patrick Bredeck, Donna Davis, Fred DeCoster, Gwen Escajeda, Lorraine Gengler, Dave Gorge, Velda Grief, Sarah Hallas, Bill Jacobs, Lee Kimball, Dale Langel, John McAlister, Kathy McOmber, Flip Shemek, Carolyn Slavish, Maureen St. Clair, Sandy Witzel, Mary Ziemkowski

Those who are Homebound or in Healthcare Facilities...

Yvonne Sherlock, (Hope Creek), Donna Frels, Jan & Richard Siebert, Jean Teerlinck

Those in need of healing at Mary Our Lady of Peace...

Brian Carlson, Pat Dzekunskas, Jim Hamerlinck, Owen Hink, Alice Isaacson, Janet Jacobson, Debbie Jones, Ryan Jones, Gabe Laleman, Ava Lawson, Joel Newman, Jan Oliver and Tom Schulenberg

Prayers have also been asked for...

Kriss Andrews, Jason Bauer, John Baumunk III, Brie Bredeck, Kevin Faucett, Patrick Fons, Ron & Elaine Fof, Kevin Francescon, Lynn Gunnare, Nadine Kelly, Susie Lopez, Liam Matheson, Glenn Meeker, Bobbie Millwood, Charlie Parks, Vonna Quick, Fr. George Remm, Stacie Ringier, Daniel Rowell, Matthew Sieffert, Claire Strayer, Rowena Vincent, Bernie Weidner, Jerry Wilcox, & Kim Woods

Eucharistic Question Answer: No

NEWS AND EVENTS**Mark Your Calendar: Fall Festival, September 10!**Our 3rd annual Fall Festival will be Sunday, September 10, 4 to 7 p.m. at the Rock. Once again we will have a pulled pork dinner with sides and dessert. Ticket prices are \$12 for adults, \$7 for children 10 and under, free for 2 and under. **In order to make the festival a success, we need your help.** Look for our volunteer sign-up sheets in the foyer. Food tickets will be for sale after Mass. There will be raffle baskets, silent auction items, and 50/50 raffle. If you would like to donate raffle baskets or silent auction items, we will begin collecting them starting August 7. The festival is always a fun way to join parishioners with food and fellowship. Please consider helping with our only parish fundraiser and also join us for the fun event.**Eucharistic Ministers are Needed**

The Precious Blood will be again available at Communion soon! We need our Eucharistic Ministers and people who would like to become a Eucharistic Minister to sign up. Training will start soon so please sign up in the vestibule, or call the parish office at (309) 799-3414.

The Sacred Heart (Moline) Thursday Bible Study classes invite you to join us for "MARK: The Gospel Through the Eyes of Peter" as we sit with Mark and experience Peter's retelling of the life of Jesus. This 19 week class will be hosted by both Dr. Michael Pakaluk and Fr. Patrick Winslow. There are 3 ways to participate: An AM class, a PM class, or Individual study at home. Registration forms are required for all options in order to access the streaming videos and to get the book. Classes begin Thursday, Sept. 14th. We will break for the Holidays, and then resume January 11th. Registration & Book fee is \$35. DEADLINE for registration is Thursday August 31st (prior to Labor Day). Location and other information are on the Registration forms which are available by the Church doors, at Blessings Gift Shop, on the parish website, and at the Parish office. Be prepared for a fun class of discussion, friends, and prayer support!! Questions? Contact Betty Thomm at (309) 269-3705.

St. Malachy Parish in Geneseo will be holding an informational meeting on Sunday, Aug. 27 from 3-4 pm in the parish hall for anyone interested in attending the Eucharistic Congress in Indianapolis July 17-21, 2024. All are welcome to join us on the bus. Attending the informational meeting does not obligate anyone to attend. For more information contact Kimberly Souba at 309-944-5393 Ext. 110 or by email ksouba@stmalgeneseo.org.**This Week's Gospel Reflection****20th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

"For the gifts and the call of God are irrevocable." - ROMANS 11:29

God has a special mission in mind for each of us. He has given us the gifts we need to accomplish that mission. We are called to be good stewards by using those gifts to do the work that He has planned for each of us. If we deny our gifts or fail to use them as God calls us to use them, then some part of His work will be left undone. Each of us has a part in God's salvation plan.

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Sun	Is 56:1, 6-7; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8; Rom 11:13-15, 29-32; Mt 15:21-28
Mon	Jgs 2:11-19; Ps 106:34-35, 36-37, 39-40; 43ab & 44; Mt 19:16-22
Tues	Jgs 6:11-24a; Ps 85:9, 11-12, 13-14; Mt 19:23-30
Wed	Jgs 9:6-15; Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Mt 20:1-16
Thurs	Rv 21:9b-14; Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18; Jn 1:45-51
Fri	Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22; Ps 146:5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a, 9bc-10; Mt 22:34-40
Sat	Ru 2:1-3, 8-11; 4:13-17; Ps 128:1b-2, 3, 4, 5; Mt 23:1-12
Sun	Is 22:19-23; Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 6, 8; Rom 11:33-36; Mt 16:13-20

LITURGICAL MINISTERS**AUGUST 2023****LECTOR/READERS**

Saturday 4:00p.m. Bill Dukes

Sunday 10:00a.m. Kathy Sommers

USHER/GREETER

Saturday 4:00 p.m. Camy & Lilly Stone

Sunday 10:00 a.m. Ruben Escajeda

Roberto & Cheryl Alleruzzo

**RCIA****Considering Catholicism?**Do you know someone who is considering becoming Catholic? Have you not received all three Sacraments of Initiation in the Catholic Church (Baptism, Eucharist, and Confirmation) and want to learn more about becoming fully initiated? RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) classes for those interested in learning more about the Church will begin on **Wednesday, September 13th at 6:00 PM** at Mary Our Lady of Peace. To learn more about the process, contact Father Tony at (309) 799-3414.**Save the Date!!**

Come and share donuts with your parish family, Sunday August 27th after 10:00am Mass.

Something to Think About.....

"I want my children to have all the things I couldn't afford. Then I want to move in with them."

—Phyllis Diller