

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday (January 18)

4:00PM Albert & Juliana Van Auwelaer by Bill & Marcia Jacobs

5:30 PM Bob Tholl by Rosie Tholl **MOLOP**

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time (January 19)

8:30AM Mark Sottos by Dennis & Jean Fair **MOLOP**

10:00AM Dale Langel by John & Barb Kratt

Tuesday (January 21) MOLOP

8:00AM Joseph Marshall by Rosary Makers

Wednesday (January 22)

9:00AM Marilyn Cronkleton

Thursday (January 23) MOLOP

8:00AM Faithfully Departed by Joel & Bonnie Newman

Friday (January 24)

9:00AM Kathy McOmber

Saturday (January 25)

4:00PM Mary Piper Reedy by Keith & Nancy Hamerlinck

5:30PM Deb Gainey by Mike & Linda Leonard **MOLOP**

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time (January 26)

8:30AM Stephanie Jones by The Family **MOLOP**

10:00AM Marilyn Cronkleton

Reconciliation Saturdays 3-3:30 or by Appointment
Call Fr. Tony at 309-581-2923

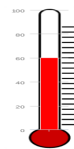
The Parish Office will be closed Monday, January 20th.



It's that time of year again to think about getting your taxes ready. If you need a Donation Statement from St. Maria Goretti, please call the office at 309-799-3414.

ADA UPDATE

ADA Goal	\$36,301
Amount Pledged	\$28,135
Shortage	\$5931



Number of Parishioners 244
Number of Donors 79

Thank you to all who have given. If you have not yet, please consider helping us to reach our goal.

Something to Think About.....

"The ultimate measure of a man is not where he stands in moments of comfort and convenience, but where he stands at times of challenge and controversy."

— Martin Luther King, Jr.



Walk With One

There is someone in your life right now whom Jesus longs to call to himself. He wants to spark a relationship with them and bless them with his sacraments. In this Year of Mission, Catholics across the U.S. are saying "yes" to a special form of heart-to-heart accompaniment called the Walk With One initiative. This is your opportunity to be God's instrument in the life of another person. To learn about what God is calling you more go to:

<https://www.eucharisticrevival.org/walk-with-one>



Bible Trivia Question

What miracle did Jesus perform at the marriage in Cana?



PRAYER REQUESTS

Those in need of healing at St. Maria Goretti...

Sr. JT McNulty, Cheryl Alleruzzo, Marge Behn, Dave & Sandy Bledsoe, Patrick Bredeck, Fred & Lois DeCoster, Gwen Escajeda, Lorraine Gengler, Dave Gorge, Velda Grief, Lee Kimball, Cullen John Jamieson, Gene Mourisse, Kathy Mosley, Rex & Julie Shake, Flip Shemek, Maureen St. Clair, Charles Stone, Marolyn Tope, Dcn. Bob Vogelbaugh, Richard Wilks

Those who are Homebound or in Healthcare Facilities...Jan Seibert

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, and Tom Schulenberg

Prayers have also been asked for ...

Adam, Jason Bauer, John Baumunk III, Kyle, Scott Bowerman, Brie Bredeck, Jason Ferguson, Patrick Fons, Kevin Francescon, Carolyn Ghezzi, Hailey Hall & Caleb, Lucas, Glenn Meeker, Vonna Quick, Megan Severson, Claire Strayer, Dcn. Robert & Ann Viviano and family, Matt Wadlow, Bernie Weidner, Jerry Wilcox

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

JANUARY 2025

LECTOR/READERS

Saturday 4:00p.m. Debbie Washburn
Sunday 10:00a.m. Karen Scott

USHER/GREETER

Saturday 4:00 p.m. Carol Cullor, Rick & Marilyn Nesbitt
Sunday 10:00 a. m. Dale Witzel, Sue Fournier, Celia Riesebieter & Connie Fink



NEWS AND EVENTS

GRIEF SHARE: This is a faith based program that provides support after the death of a loved one and helps you to rebuild your life. The program will start on January 21st Tuesday evening 6pm-8pm. Will go for 13 weeks with meetings at the Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish Hall. Sign up by calling Katrina in OLG office at 309-792-3867 ext 3. Cost is \$20 per participant booklet. (families can share a book if they want) Don't let the cost be a limiting factor, we won't turn you away. Just sign up. Participants who are 12 years old or older are welcome. Remember there is no "right way" to grieve, Grief cannot be rushed, and finding support is crucial. Healing from the loss of a loved one is a journey, you don't have to do it alone.

"Counting Our Blessings"

The Annual Winter Snow Ball Fundraiser will be held Saturday, February 1st, 2025 at the Believers Together Community Center (3209 60th Street, Moline, IL.) The Believers Together Center is home for the area Cursillo, Teens Encounter Christ, and Special People Encounter Christ programs, along with Christ the King parish.

The evening will include a cash bar, a complimentary dinner catered by the Philoptochos Society of Assumption Greek Church, a "Counting Our Blessings" presentation, a silent auction, raffle items, and dancing with music provided by a D.J. An opportunity to make a financial gift to support the Believers Together Center will be extended at the event. Extend the invitation to a friend or two! Or host a table for 8 people.

YES! There is no charge to attend, but registration is required. Please register by January 27th.



Pro-Life Rosary
Sunday, February 2nd, 2025, at 2:00 p.m.
Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church
Silvis, Illinois

Please make a visit to Blessed Sacrament any time between now and then.
Questions? Call Marc Possin (309)714-3735

SCRIPTURES READINGS

Sunday Is 62:1-5; Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10; 1 Cor 12:4-11; Jn 2:1-11
Monday Heb 5:1-10; Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4; Mk 2:18-22
Tuesday Heb 6:10-20; Ps 111:1-2, 4-5, 9, 10c; Mk 2:23-28
Wednesday Heb 7:1-3, 15-17; Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4; Mk 3:1-6
Thursday Heb 7:25—8:6; Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17; Mk 3:7-12
Friday Heb 8:6-13; Ps 85:8, 10, 11-12, 13-4; Mk 3:13-19
Saturday Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Mk 16:15-18
Sunday Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15; 1 Cor 12:12-30 or 1 Cor 12:12-14, 27; Lk 1:1-4, 4:14-21



2nd Sunday of Ordinary Time

"To each individual the manifestation of the Spirit is given for some benefit." - 1 CORINTHIANS 12:7

St. Paul tells us that God has blessed each of us for a reason. How has God blessed you? Are you using your gifts according to God's plan? How are you helping to build God's kingdom here on earth? Remember that if you don't do the work God planned for you, no one else can do it. Live the life God has intended for you. Take time to discern your charisms (gifts from the Holy Spirit). Experience the supernatural Peace and Joy God desires for each of us.



Benet House Retreat Center at St. Mary Monastery

The Benedictine sisters at St. Mary's Monastery offer many programs, prayer groups, and retreats. Some are "on site" at the Benet House in Milan, and some are Virtual "online" meetings. They have something for everyone. Please check the bulletin board for the latest offerings of programs.

Did you Know?

Your child can attend a Catholic School Financial Assistance Is Available

Tuition assistance scholarship grants from the endowment fund established as a result of the Diocese of Peoria ROOTED IN FAITH Campaign and named in honor of Archbishop Spalding, the first Bishop of Peoria, will be available for the 2025-2026 school year for students enrolled in or intending to enroll in grades Kindergarten through 12 in any Catholic school located in the Diocese of Peoria whose families are active members of a Catholic parish in the diocese. All grants will be based on financial need objectively assessed. Information about the grants and application materials may be obtained from any Catholic elementary or secondary school in the Diocese of Peoria or on the Diocesan website www.cdop.org under Catholic Schools and then under John Lancaster Spalding Scholarship. Consult the detailed protocols and procedures and checklist at the bottom of the webpage for all requirements necessary to be eligible for an award. Parents must apply online at: online.factsmtg.com/aid. Families of students currently receiving grants are reminded that all grants are for one year only, and anyone seeking to renew a grant for the 2025-2026 school year must reapply. Deadline date for the completed application is April 25, 2025. Notification of grant awards will be made in June of 2025.

Bible Trivia Answer: Water into wine (John 2:1-11)