

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday (September 14)

4:00PM Our Parish Families
5:30PM Bob Tholl by Brian & Becky Nightingale Family **MOLOP**

Sunday (September 15)

Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30AM Deb Gainey by Peter & Sarah Nedved Family **MOLOP**
10:00AM Sandy Witzel by The Family

Tuesday (September 17) MOLOP

8:00AM John Roeigers by Kathy Roegiers

Wednesday (September 18) SMG

9:00AM Beryl Hicks by Henry & Chris Hicks

Thursday (September 19) MOLOP

8:00AM Dean Honeywell by Kay Scott

Friday (September 20)

9:00AM Marjorie Weiser by Laurie Bonjour

Saturday (September 21)

4:00PM Living & Deceased Members of the Hamerlinck Family

5:30PM Lt. Colonel Donald & Mary Ann McInnis **MOLOP** by Janet Jacobson

Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time (September 22)

8:30AM Don Gelaude by The Family **MOLOP**

10:00AM Marieta R. DePorter Holst by Fred & Lois DeCoster

Reconciliation Saturdays 3-3:30 or by Appointment

Save the Date!

Mary Our Lady of Peace's Annual Harvest Gala and Auction is October 12th. An evening of good food, fun and laughter.

**LITURGICAL MINISTERS
SEPTEMBER 2024**

LECTOR/READERS

Saturday 4:00p.m. Chris Hicks
Sunday 10:00a.m. Julie Gambon

USHER/GREETER

Saturday 4:00 p.m. Crystal Arnold & Marcia Jacobs
Sunday 10:00 a. m. Randy & Christy Jaminet
Donna Davis & Marge Bowerman

Something to Think About.....

"Actions speak louder than words; let your words teach and your actions speak."
St. Anthony of Padua



ccc1357 We carry out this command of the Lord by celebrating the memorial of his sacrifice. In so doing, we offer to the Father what he has himself given us; the gifts of his creation, bread and wine which, by the power of the Holy Spirit and by the words of Christ, have become the body and blood of Christ. Christ is thus really and mysteriously made present.
ccc1358 We must therefor consider the Eucharist as:
-thanksgiving and praise to the Father;
-the sacrificial memorial of Christ and his Body;
-the presence of Christ by the power of his word and of his Spirit.



Bible Trivia Question

What is the first thing Noah built when he came out of the ark?

DEEPEST SYMPATHY

Our sympathy and prayers are extended to the family and friends of:

Dale Langel
Mary Lorraine Reedy Piper



REST IN PEACE

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, Jeanie Gengler, Lorraine Gengler, Dave Gorge, Velda Grief, Lee Kimball, Cullen John Jamieson, Dale Langel, Kathy McOmber, 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, 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, and Tom Schulenberg

Prayers have also been asked for...

Jason Bauer, John Baumunk III, Kyle, Scott Bowerman, Brie Bredeck, Ken Clubb, Jason Ferguson, Patrick Fons, Kevin Francescon, Carolyn Ghezzi, Lucas, Glenn Meeker, Carol Nichols, Charlie Parks, Vonna Quick, Rob Robison, Megan Severson, Claire Strayer, Matt Wadlow, Bernie Weidner, Jerry Wilcox

NEWS AND EVENTS



St. Maria Goretti's Fall Festival

Our Fourth Annual Fall Festival is **this Sunday** Sept. 15 from 4-7pm at the Rock. Dinner tickets & Raffle tickets will be available at after Mass and at the Rock.
\$12 for adults, \$7 for children, 2 & under free.

Senior and Retiree Luncheon

Senior and Retiree Luncheon will be on **September 19th**. Menu includes Roast Beef, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, coleslaw, rolls & apple crisp. Please sign up today! Cost is \$10 at the door. Cash is preferred. Hors D'oeuvres at 11:30, lunch served at 12:00 noon.

St. John's Woodhull 82nd Annual Chicken Dinner Sunday September 22, 2024
Serving 11:30am-2:00pm
Drive-Thru/Carryouts starting at 11:00am
Adults \$15 Children \$8(under 10)



Mary Our Lady of Peace is looking for a 6th grade CCD teacher. If you are interested, please call MOLOP at 309-581-2923.



Come pray for the return of our children and family members to the Catholic faith. Beginning September 30, Monday evenings at Sacred Heart, Rock Island at 6:30pm.



This Week's Gospel Reflection

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me." MARK 8:34

Living a stewardship lifestyle means not only being responsible for my own life, but for the lives of others as well. We realize that our gifts are not intended for ourselves, rather they are meant to be shared with others. "Taking up my cross" means doing things when someone else needs me and not when it's convenient for me.

SCRIPTURE READINGS

- Sunday Is 50:5-9a; Ps 116:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; Jas 2:14-18; Mk 8:27-35
- Monday 1 Cor 11:17-26, 33; Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17; Lk 7:1-10
- Tuesday 1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a; Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5; Lk 7:11-17
- Wednesday 1 Cor 12:31-13:13; Ps 33:2-3, 4-5, 12 and 22; Lk 7:31-35
- Thursday 1 Cor 15:1-11; Ps 118:1b-2, 16ab-17, 28; Lk 7:36-50
- Friday 1 Cor 15:12-20; Ps 17:1bcd, 6-7, 8b and 15; Lk 8:1-3
- Saturday Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19:2-3, 4-5; Mt 9:9-13
- Sunday Wis 2:12, 17-20; Ps 54:3-4, 5, 6 and 8; Jas 3:16-4:3; Mk 9:30-37



2024 Annual Diocesan Appeal
September 7-8, 2024

"Do everything for the Glory of God."

The 2024 Annual Diocesan Appeal is now underway in our parish. Thank you to all who have already pledged to the appeal. Your gift supports ministries that help form our young people into disciples eager to share their faith with others. No gift is too small, and our parish is trying to reach 100% participation. If you have not given yet, please consider filling out a pledge card today and mail it to the Diocese or drop it in the collection basket. Additional pledge cards are in the pews/vestibule. Every dollar raised over our goal will be returned to our parish.



August's St. Joe Evening Meal Mission was provided, prepared, prayed over and served by Ann and Mark Fennel and Cheryl and Roberto Alleruzzo. 30 hungry children of God enjoyed the hot meal. Interested in being able to share your blessings with others? Call Cheryl A at 309 721-5012 or Laurie in Office 309 799 3414.

Bible Trivia Answer: Altar (Gen 8:20)