
MASS SCHEDULE: JANUARY 21-27, 2012 A.D.

- Mon. Jan. 21 8:30 A.M. Guttenberg - "St. Agnes"
Ronald Ashline
- Tue. Jan. 22 8:30 A.M. Garnavillo Tower Living Center
[Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children]
Mary Agnes Muller
- Wed. Jan. 23 8:30 A.M. Guttenberg
7th Grade School Mass
Glenn & Gladys Orcutt
Al & Bernie Kennicker
- Thur. Jan. 24 8:30 A.M. Guttenberg River Living Center
"St. Francis de Sales" Special Intention for Mel Villa
- Fri. Jan. 25 [No Mass Scheduled] Conversion of St. Paul
- Sat. Jan. 26 Vigil of Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
4:00 P.M. Garnavillo - Ray & Mae Berns
5:30 P.M. Guttenberg - People of the Parish
- Sun. Jan. 27 Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:30 A.M. N. Buena Vista
Clarence Ludovissy (M. Mind)
10:00 A.M. Guttenberg
Memorial Mass for Betty Leliefeld

UPCOMING PARISH MEETING

- Mon., Jan. 28 St. Mary of Guttenberg (in rectory)
7:00 P.M. Finance Council
8:00 P.M. Parish Council

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK is Jan. 28th-Feb. 3rd. St Mary School celebrates Catholic Schools Week with Youth Mass & Book Fair on Saturday, February 2nd and Sunday, February 3rd. Saturday night dinner following mass: soup, salad, bread sticks and dessert. Serving from 5-7pm Sunday, February 3rd will have a KC breakfast, and the Book Fair will be open!

CHOIR PRACTICE will be on *Wed.*, Jan. 23rd, at 7 P.M.

FROM NOW ON, IF YOU WISH TO BRING UP GIFTS DURING MASS, please tell the ushers before the mass begins.

POPE BENEDICT XVI STARTED THE "YEAR OF FAITH" on November 11, 2013. This would be an excellent time to consider the **CEW (Christian Experience Weekend)**. The weekend spiritual retreat for the women, February 1-3, 2013, and the men, March 1-3, 2013, is at the Clayton Ridge School in Guttenberg. **CEW** is a unique experience for adults to focus and reconsider their Christian responsibilities in the everyday world that we live in. You will come to understand that Jesus Christ does fit into our everyday lives at church, home, and work. There are information and registration forms in the entryway of church or call Wendy Shea, 252-1264, for further information.

COME JOIN US AT THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BREAKFAST on February 3, from 7:30-11:15 A.M. We will be serving biscuits and sausage gravy, smoked sausage, eggs, hashbrowns, fruit, rolls and drinks. Carryouts are available. Freewill donations are invited (\$6.50 is suggested).

REMINDER - the movie, "**October Baby**," is being presented this Sunday, St. Mary's Brinkmann Hall, after the 10 o'clock Mass with a **FREE** luncheon prior to the movie starting approximately at 11:30.

HAVE YOU EVER WONDERED WHEN SPECIAL EVENTS ARE HAPPENING AT OUR SCHOOL OR OUR THREE LINKED PARISHES? Type in www.maryicjoseph.org on your web browser. (It appears that *Bing* is a search engine that is having trouble finding our site), and while you are at the home page of our website, scroll down to *Dates to Remember*. Please give us feedback at 252-3553.

FALL FESTIVAL CHAIRPERSONS ARE ASKED TO ATTEND AN ORGANIZATION MEETING THIS SUNDAY after the 10:00 A.M. Mass. The meeting will be in Brinkmann Hall.

WANT TO TELL SOMEONE THEY ARE SPECIAL?

SEND THEM A VALENTINE'S DAY COOKIE – St. Mary IC School is taking orders for 6 inch heart-shaped, decorated cookies that can be picked up at St Mary IC School or can be delivered to St Mary IC School, Clayton Ridge Schools and within the Guttenberg city limits on Valentine's Day Feb. 14. The cookies are only \$3.00 each. Call **563-252-1577**, or pick up an order form at the St Mary IC School office, or on our website **www.maryicjoseph.org**. Order Deadline is Fri. Feb. 9th.

JOIN US FOR LONG RANGE PLANNING -The St. Mary IC School Board will be offering a forum for parents and parishioners where you will receive information about our Catholic School and provide important input to assist us as we develop a long-range plan. All adult Catholics registered in parishes of St. Mary's, St. Joseph, and Immaculate Conception and parents of St. Mary IC Catholic School are encouraged to attend.

After an introduction, there will be small discussions at tables of 8-10 people, randomly assigned to create diverse groupings. There will be a series of questions to brainstorm, discuss, and give feedback. At the conclusion of these discussions, participants will be encouraged to complete a written survey.

Please note, this evening session will not be an open forum to ask questions. Rather it is an opportunity to allow everyone to give us valuable input, in a small group setting. This data will help the St.Mary IC Board to continue its work to build a plan that will steer the direction of our school over the next several years.

Please join us on **Wednesday, January 30th from 7 – 8 p.m.** Brinkmann Hall in the St. Mary Church basement. Babysitting will be provided at the school.

HUMOR; Famous Quotes – “A bank is a place that will lend you money if you can prove that you don't need it.” - Bob Hope
“I know that there are people in this world who do not love their fellow man, and I hate people like that!” - Tom Lehrer