
MASS SCHEDULE: OCT. 26 – NOV. 1, 2015 A.D.

- Mon. Oct. 26 [No Mass Scheduled]
- Tues. Oct. 27 8:30 A.M. Garnavillo Tower Living Center
Phil Eulberg
- Wed. Oct. 28 8:30 A.M. Guttenberg
2nd Grade School Mass
“Ss. Simon & Jude” John/Mark/Teresa Ryan
- Thur. Oct. 29 [No Mass Scheduled]
- Fri. Oct. 30 [No Mass Scheduled]
- Sat. Oct. 31 **VIGIL OF FEAST OF ALL SAINTS**
4:00 P.M. Garnavillo Paul Kolz [1st Anniv.]
5:30 P.M. Guttenberg Gerri Spuhler
- Sun. Nov. 1 **FEAST OF ALL SAINTS**
[DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS
FALL BACK 1 HOUR]
8:30 A.M. North Buena Vista - People of the Parish
10:00 A.M. Guttenberg - Margaret Hoefler

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION - Wednesday, Oct. 28, 2015**Elementary Religious Education**

6:00 – 7:15 P.M. – Guttenberg & Garnavillo

High School Religious Education

7:15 - 8:45 P.M. Guttenberg

7:30 - 9:00 P.M. Garnavillo

EVENTS IN THE AREA

Sun., Oct. 25 “Prime Rib Dinner” at Buenie. Social 5:30 p.m. & Dinner 6:30 P.M. Reservations required: call Pam or Mary 563-870-4605 E-mail pbreitbach@hotmail.com

Sun., Nov 15 “Matching Fund Raffle & Breakfast” for playground equipment at LaSalle Catholic School in Holy Cross. Serving from 7:30 A.M. – noon. MENU: sausage, hash browns, scrambled eggs, pancakes, applesauce, toast, orange juice, milk & coffee. COST: Adults/\$9; 10 & under/\$4 & 5 & under/Free.

DEACON APPLICATION - Every other year, with the Archbishop’s approval, a new deacon formation class is formed. Applications for the Permanent Diaconate are now being accepted until March 30, 2016. The age guideline for men applying is between 32 & 58. He may be single or married. If married, his wife is invited to participate in formation with him, but it is **not** required. A day care is offered during the formation classes for those who have young children. A man considering the Permanent Diaconate must be a faithful practicing Catholic, have a committed prayer life and be acting out his baptismal call to service. An application must be requested through the applicant’s pastor. Information meetings in area: Decorah on Nov. 19 at 7 P.M. & Dubuque on Dec. 10 at 7 P.M.

MONTH OF OCTOBER is designated as “**Respect for Life**” month. There will be a playpen in front of the Blessed Virgin’s side altar for items you would like to contribute. These items will be distributed to Clarity Clinic and Birthright in Dubuque. Also, families are encouraged to say the rosary together each day for the end of abortions in the United States of America. The family that: “prays together, stays together.”

ADULT CONFERENCE ON FAMILY MATTERS on Sat., Nov. 7, 2015 held at 5 Sullivan Brothers Conference Center in Waterloo. Join us for nationally acclaimed presenters, Mass with Archbishop Jackels and a variety of exciting and interactive breakouts to inspire families in all stages of life. Registration is \$40/person. Choose workshops you are interested in. Form in e-mail www.dbqarch.org/familymatters

RITE OF ENROLLMENT - On October 25, 2015, the 10th grade candidates of St. Mary’s and St. Joseph’s will have their **Rite of Enrollment** for the Sacrament of Confirmation at the 10 AM Mass along with their sponsors followed by a lunch and retreat in Brinkmann Hall in the afternoon. Please keep them in your prayers for this special event. Confirmation is scheduled for April 13, 2016, Wednesday evening, 7 PM.

DEDICATION –The Brinkmann Hall Kitchen will be dedicated as the “Becky Pfaffly Kitchen” after the 10 A.M. Mass on November 15th. There will be a short ceremony followed by a free lunch afterwards. Everyone is invited.

“**WALKING WITH PURPOSE**” and “**LIFE’S GREATEST LESSON**” are the latest new books available for you to read from **St. Mary’s Parish Life Committee**. It can be found on the table next to CD’s of Spiritual topics. This book is **FREE** for you to read and to return so that others may read.

CHOIR PRACTICE for Christmas music will continue October 28th, at 7:30 P.M.

FALL RUMMAGE & BAKE SALE – The St Mary IC School at Guttenberg will have their Fall Rummage & Bake Sale on Friday, November 6th , 8 A.M. - 7 P.M. and Saturday, November 7th, 8 A.M. - 12:30 P.M. The sale will be in Brinkmann Hall.

THANK YOU to all the participants of the Knights of Columbus, **Living Rosary**. Mark your calendars for the next **Living Rosary** on October 31st and November 1st. The rosary will start 25 minutes before Mass and you can participate by reciting the prayer for the bead of the rosary you are holding. Remember, Pope Francis has asked us to pray for him.

NOTICE - There are just a few Church Directories left in the entryway of church. The cost has been reduced to \$20.00 each. It would make an excellent present for the coming holidays.

THE NEXT KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BREAKFAST will be on November 8th, when “**The Make a Joyful Noise SMIC Youth Choir**” sings again. This will be in honor of Veterans Day and those who have served our country.

HUMOR • Q: Why can't you trust an atom? A: Because they make up everything. • My friend is so dumb that his password needed 8 characters, so he typed “Snow White and the 7 dwarfs.”