
MASS SCHEDULE: APRIL 11 - 17, 2016 A.D.

Mon. April 11 [No Mass Scheduled] "St. Stanislaus"

Tues. April 12 8:30 A.M. Garnavillo Tower Living Center
Vocations to Priesthood & Religious Life

Wed. April 13

8:30 A.M. Guttenberg 7th/8th Grade School

Mass

Arnold & Regina Bries

7:00 P.M. Guttenberg Confirmation

People of the Parish

[Social following in Brinkmann Hall]

Thurs. April 14 8:30 A.M. Guttenberg River Living Center
Gerri Spuhler

Fri. April 15 [No Mass Scheduled]

Sat. April 16 **Vigil of Fourth Sunday of Easter**

4:00 P.M. Garnavillo Lee Smith (Anniv.)

5:30 P.M. Guttenberg Living & Deceased of
Catholic Daughters of Americas

Sun. April 17 **Fourth Sunday of Easter**

8:30 A.M. North Buena Vista

Althea Bauer//Clarence Ludovissy

10:00 A.M. Guttenberg Living & Deceased of
Catholic Daughters of Americas

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION - Wednesday, April 13

[No Faith Formation classes at Garnavillo & Guttenberg due to Confirmation.] High School 9th, 11th & 12th Grades invited to Mass and social afterwards in basement of Brinkmann Hall.

Classes resume Wednesday April 20.

THE NEXT KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BREAKFAST will be on April 17th, from 7:30-noon, at St. Mary Church in Brinkmann Hall. **"The Make a Joyful Noise SMIC Youth Choir"** will be singing on April 17 at 10 A.M.

CONFIRMATION CLASS OF 2016**St. Mary's of Guttenberg**

Clayton [Michael] Boeke, Natalie [Rita] Domeyer, Isabel [Joan] Feudner, Madison [Cecilia] Freeland, Haley [Catherine] Heitman, Conner [Jerome] Krapfl, Breanna [Bernadette] Meyer, Dani [Cecilia] Miller, Morgan [Christina] Tujetsch, Elayna [Ana Tolia] Simon & Blake [Anne] Smith

Immaculate Conception of North Buena Vista

Mitchell [Joseph] Breitbach, Emma [Joan] Brimeyer & Terry [Matthew] Hefel

St. Joseph of Garnavillo

Amelia [Ulphia] Berns, Sophia [Lelia] Berns, Kole [Francis of Assisi] Brandel, Eric [Luigi Scrosoppi] Ihde
Jesus [Adrian] Morales, Nicole [Vitus] Schaefer & Andrew [Januarius] Stroschein

SPRING REGISTRATION - St. Mary IC School is holding spring registration for the 2016-2017 school year for grades PreK-8. Prospective families are invited to check out the SMIC website www.marvicjoseph.org Parents can also schedule a school visit by calling 563-252-1577 or contacting eschmelzer@smic.pvt.k12.ia.us

WE NEED YOU! St. Mary's Parish is always in need of parishioners that would consider helping by being a **greeter**, a **reader**, or an **usher**. If you would be interested in helping Sat. or Sundays, please contact Deacon Jim Pfaffly at 252-3553.

MONTH OF APRIL COLLECTION AFTER

COMMUNION - The Iowa Catholic Daughters of the Americas designate April as "Domestic Abuse Prevention." Domestic violence programs across the state are continuing to see increases in services to victims. Weekend of April 16 & 17 for Guttenberg & N. Buena Vista. Sat., April 23 for Garnavillo.

JOIN US ON JUNE 4, 2016 St. Mary Immaculate Conception Alumni Committee wish to invite all who ever attended St. Mary High School and St. Mary Immaculate Conception Grade School to the annual ALUMNI BANQUET. With pride and joy we invite you to browse the Heritage Room @ 4:00 pm attend Mass @ 5:30 pm. Social Hour and Dinner (\$10.00) follow Mass in St. Mary Brinkmann Hall. This year we acknowledge the classes of 1936, 1941, 1946, 1951, 1956, 1961, 1966, 1971, 1976, 1981, 1986, 1991, 1996, 2001, 2006, 2011, and the class of 2016. Special acknowledgement will be given to the class of 1916 with the presentation of memorabilia from the family of Stella Weber, a 1916 8th grade graduate of St. Mary's. Two distinguished alumni will also be recognized from those nominated. BANQUET RESERVATIONS AND NOMINATIONS ARE DUE BY: Sunday, May 29, 2016 to: Erin Schmelzer, St. Mary IC School, PO Box 100, Guttenberg, Iowa 52052, or SMIC, 563-252-1577, Beth Sadewasser 563-252-3285, Betty Evers, 563-252-1666, Phoebe Johnson 563-252-2275, Pat Kolker, 563-252-2218 Gail Broxson 563-880-2192 Austin Greve 563-880-3899, OR BY EMAIL TO: eschmelzer@smic.pvt.k12.ia.us Return when you can and stay connected by Facebook: St. Mary School or on the web at www.maryicjoseph.org

LIVING THE YEAR OF MERCY - The fourth "Spiritual Work of Mercy" is "**Comforting the Sorrowful.**" Be open to listening and comforting those who are dealing with grief. Even if we aren't sure of the right words to say, our presence can make a big difference. Lend a listening ear to those going through a tough time. Make a home cooked meal for a friend who is facing a difficult time. Write a letter or send a card to someone who is suffering. A few moments of your day may make a lifetime of difference to someone who is going through a difficult time.

HUMOR – I'm having trouble with my breathing. **Doctor:** I'll give you something that will soon put a stop to that!