
MASS SCHEDULE: SEPTEMBER 5 - 11, 2016 A.D.

- Mon. Sept. 5 [No Mass Scheduled] "Labor Day"
- Tues. Sept. 6 8:30 A.M. Garnavillo Tower Living Center
For Religious Sisters with illness
- Wed. Sept. 7 8:30 A.M. Guttenberg School Mass
Arnold & Regina Bries
- Thur. Sept 8 8:30 A.M. Guttenberg River Living Center
"Nativity of BVM" People of the Parish
- Fri. Sept. 9 [No Mass Scheduled]
- Sat. Sept. 10 **Vigil of Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Time**
4:00 P.M. Garnavillo - Bernadette Stroschein
5:30 P.M. Guttenberg - Herman & Theresa Mueller
- Sun. Sept. 11 **Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**
8:30 A.M. North Buena Vista
Phil & Lynn Ludovissy/Celly & Kathy Ludovissy
10:00 A.M. Guttenberg - Mildred Burr (Anniv.)
Festival Polka Mass with German Band

**BAPTISM INTO THE FAMILY OF GOD & OUR
COMMUNITIES OF FAITH**

Sun., Sept. 18 Immaculate Conception of N. Buena Vista
After Mass – Noah Lynn Ludovissy, son of Ben & Lacey
[Bailey] Ludovissy

CONFIRMATION FOR YEAR II is set for Saturday, April
22, 2017 at St. Mary's of Guttenberg at 5:30 p.m. for all 3-
linked parishes with Archbishop Jackels.

SUICIDE PREVENTION PROGRAMS

Friday, September 9 - 9:00-10:00 A.M.- Clayton Ridge Gym
students/teachers/public. 12:30-1:30 p.m. – Guttenberg
Municipal Hospital (lunch with employees)

HUMOR; Good thoughts • The best vitamin for a Christian is
B1. • Don't wait for the hearse to take you to church.
• Don't give up. Moses was once a basket case.

EVENTS IN THE AREA

Sun., Sept. 4 "Buenie" Family Picnic –Menu: deep fried
chicken & ham with buttered noodles and dressing.
COST: still \$10/adults; children 5-10/\$5 & preschool/Free.
Serving from 10:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Vendors, silent auction,
white elephant sale, kids tent and games for entire family.

Sun., Sept. 11 St. Mary of Guttenberg "Fall Festival
Chicken by Far Fry with ham, corn, mashed potatoes & gravy,
salads & desserts. Serving 10:15 a.m.-3:30 p.m.
COST: Adults/\$10; children 5-12/\$5 and children under 5/Free
Polka Mass at 10 a.m. with Guttenberg's very own German
Band. Children's activities & game tent. New this year
"Bounce House."

Fri., Sept. 16 Immaculate Conception - Wexford "Fish Fry"
MENU: fish, potato salad, baked beans, dinner roll, salad bar &
desserts. Serving 4 – 8 p.m. Adults/\$10; children 5-12/\$6 and
under 5/free.

**Sun., Sept. 18 St. Charles of Cassville, Wisconsin "Fall
Festival** Buffet style BBQ Chicken dinner with all the trimming
Serving from 11 a.m. 2 p.m. COST: Adults/\$10; children 6-
10/\$5 and 5 & under/free Many activities with evening bingo at
4:30 p.m.

**Sun., Sept. 18 Holy Family "Fall Bazaar" at St. John's of
Prairie du Chien, Wisconsin.** Charcoal broiled chicken dinner
serving from 11 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. Homemade chicken noodle
soup & chicken salad & ham sandwiches from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m.
COST: Adults/\$9.50; children 5-11/\$4 & under 5/Free.
Fun for the whole family

ST. MARY'S SCRIPTURE STUDY will continue with the
final 6 lessons of "**Isaiah: Prophetic Book of the Old
Testament.**" The lessons will start on Wednesday, September
21, 9:15 A.M., and Thursday, September 22 at 7 P.M. All are
invited to sit in on the study to see if you might be interested in
joining. For further information, please contact Jerry Balk, 252-
2361.

CHOIR PRACTICE with the German Band for St. Mary's Fall Festival Polka Mass will be on Wednesday, Sept. 7th, 7 P.M.

THE CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS will be serving lunch for all the volunteers workers who are setting up for the Fall Festival. The lunch will be on Fri., Sept. 9th, from 11:20 until 12:15. Anyone wishing to bring a casserole or salad is welcome.

PARISH MISSION AT DECORAH – St. Benedict Catholic Church at 307 West Main Street in Decorah is having a parish mission on Sunday and Monday (11 & 12 September). Join best selling author Christopher West as he shares how Pope John Paul's Theology of the Body is a healing balm for our misery. Christopher will be joined by national touring musician and podcast host Mike Mangione.

THE GO-TO SAINT FOR YOUR MEDICAL NEEDS

There's a doctor-saint in heaven that has successfully interceded for several of my medical related intentions, Anabelle Hazard, July 22, 2016. He promptly answered my request for finding a compassionate pediatrician, helped find treatment to mysterious symptoms, and even obtained a cure for our family.

Born in Italy in 1880, Saint Giuseppe Moscati practiced medicine in the early twentieth century. He was a well-loved and renowned "doctor of the poor" who treated poor patients *pro bono* and sent them home with a prescription and a fifty-lire note. A brilliant scientist, his research led to the discovery of insulin as treatment for diabetes. He risked his own life by saving would-be victims of the volcanic eruption of Mt.

Vesuvius. St. Giuseppe's extraordinary holiness stemmed from his ardent love for daily Eucharist and devotion to Our Lady.

Aside from teaching science to his students, he taught and modeled spirituality. To his colleagues, he summed up his lifelong understanding of the medical profession as a "sublime mission," reminding them:

"...suffering should be treated not as a twitch or a muscular contraction, but as the cry of a soul, to whom another brother, the doctor, runs with the ardent love of charity."