

# April 24, 2022 Divine Mercy Sunday



*St. Mary  
Farmersville*

*310 Noble Street  
Farmersville, Illinois  
62533  
217-227-3349*



*St. Maurice  
Morrisonville  
706 E. Fourth Street  
(P.O. Box # 45)  
Morrisonville, Illinois  
62546  
217-526-3363*



*St. Raymond  
Raymond  
306 S. McElroy Street  
Raymond, Illinois  
62560  
217-229-4435*

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Please contact Father John if a family member is in the hospital or otherwise needs to see a priest. Please let him know of family members that are homebound or in a care facility.  
If you have a scheduled medical procedure, let him know or see him after Mass to receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick.

**BAPTISM:** Call Parish Priest at least 6 weeks prior to desired date. (Must Be Registered)

**WEDDINGS:** Call Parish Priest 6 months prior to the desired date (Must be Registered)

**BULLETIN DEADLINE:** Noon Monday - email Kateri Marten at [kmarten@stmr.org](mailto:kmarten@stmr.org)

**Diocesan Child Abuse Reporting and Investigation Number—217-321-1155 or [www.dio.org](http://www.dio.org)**

Dear Parishioners,

**WELCOME HOME to Meg Goettsch, and Aidan Groves** who made a Profession of Faith in our Catholic Church, were Confirmed and received First Holy Communion at the Easter Vigil!

**Today, the Octave Day of Easter, we celebrate the Divine Mercy offered us in Jesus.** Mercy sums up the mission of Jesus and His Church. The Gospel of today takes place on the first Easter evening,

“Jesus said to them again, “Peace be with you.

As the Father has sent me, so I send you.”

And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them,

“Receive the Holy Spirit.

Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them,

and whose sins you retain are retained.” John 20:21-23

This is our mission as well. Bringing God’s mercy and forgiveness to those around us.

**The operative word in the Gospel of John is “Believe.”**

Are we able to say with Thomas, “My Lord and my God.”

What might our lives look like if we “really” believed?

**Many Thanks to all who made our Easter Triduum celebrations so beautiful and to all who attended them!**

**Thanks to** Mary Jane and Rose at St. Mary’s, to Mary and Julie at St. Raymond, and Claire and Craig at St. Maurice for all their help and hard work, not only this time of the year, but all year long!

**Thanks to** Donna, Barbara the combined choir for their hard work and beautiful music!

**Can you hear me now?** The new sound system is in at St. Maurice. This is possible because of the many parishioners who have been so generous with their time, and a parishioner who funded it. **Thank You!**

**Special thanks to all the volunteers who gave so generously of their time doing the install of the many moving parts:**

Gerry Goebel and his crew, Dave Armentrout, Craig Moore, Larry Goebel, Dan Johnson, Sean Goebel, Bill O’Connell, Ed Goebel, John Bergschneider, Dale Brockamp and Rick Karasch.

**Thanks to Bob Karasch for being our sound Engineer!**

Please continue to pray for Bob as he battles cancer.

**Thanks to Mike Wortman from Decatur for spending two days setting up the system!**

**Please continue to pray** for those who are suffering in Ukraine, for the brave soldiers and citizens who are defending their people, for a change of heart by President Putin, for those we left behind in Afghanistan, and those whose lives are touched by the Pandemic.

**For good information from a Catholic point of view on what is going on in Ukraine** these websites are helpful.

[www.cruznnow.com](http://www.cruznnow.com) [www.catholicnewsagency.com](http://www.catholicnewsagency.com)  
[www.catholicworldreport.com](http://www.catholicworldreport.com) [www.ncregister.com](http://www.ncregister.com)

**May God’s Mercy surround you and your family!**

**You are in my daily prayers, please pray for me.**

God bless you, Fr. John C. Burnette

## Agencies helping the people of Ukraine

### Knights of Columbus

The Knights of Columbus will be working with our Councils in Poland as well as the Latin and Greek Catholic Churches in Ukraine to provide the help needed. 100% of your donation goes directly to support humanitarian aid in Ukraine.

<https://www.kofc.org/en/what-we-do/charity/ukraine.html>

or by mail:

Knights of Columbus Charities Inc.

P.O. Box 1966

New Haven, CT 06510-1966

### Aid to the Church in Need

ACN has supported the Church in Ukraine for more than 70 years. With the help of our faithful donors, we will not abandon her now.

[www.churchinneed.org](http://www.churchinneed.org)

### Catholic Near East Welfare Association

We are collaborating with our partners on the ground to serve those who are at are in need—as we have for 70 years.

[www.cnewa.org/campaigns/ukraine](http://www.cnewa.org/campaigns/ukraine)

### Catholic Relief Services

CRS and Caritas partners on the ground are in Ukraine and in bordering countries, providing safe shelter, hot meals, hygiene supplies, transport to safe areas, counseling support and more.

[www.crs.org](http://www.crs.org)

### A Prayer

Lord, you teach us that you will bring good out of everything we place into your care. Help us to see the good you will bring from the great suffering of the people of Ukraine.

Jesus, I trust in you!

FOR YOUR  
MARRIAGE

After forty days of fasting and penance, celebrate the Easter season with your family! Fix a favorite dinner, eat a special dessert, or have a date night.

And remember: Easter lasts for fifty days!

[www.ForYourMarriage.org](http://www.ForYourMarriage.org)

**It's time for Loving Arms Pregnancy Center's  
annual Walk For Life fundraiser!**

Held on Sunday, April 30th at both the Chautauqua  
Building at Manners Park in Taylorville and at  
Kitchell Park in Pana, from 8:30 am to 10:00 am.

For registration and information call: 217-824-7200

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**Reconciliation Times**

Morrisonville: Saturday 3:00 pm –3:30 pm

Farmersville: Saturday 4:00 pm—4:30 pm

Raymond: Sunday 7:00 am—7:30 am

**Join us in praying for life**

Every Friday afternoon at 1:00 pm  
in the St. Raymond parish chapel

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**Sacred Heart Church, Virden  
Fried Chicken Dinner**

Drive Thru Only  
at the K of C Hall - 1320 N. Dye, Virden  
Sunday, April 24, 2022  
Beginning at 11:00 am (while supplies last)  
1/2 Fried Chicken, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy,  
Green Beans, and Cookie  
\$12.00.

**PRAYER CORNER**

Carrie Alkire, Margaret Angle, Wayne Angle, Ralph Bawden, Helen Beckmier, Kathy Beckmier, Carrie Beeler, Martha Beeler, Ivan Benning, Kathy Bergschneider, Larry Bergschneider, Amy Bethard, Cooper Bethard, Helen Boehler, Monte Busen, Kathy Caraway, Tammy Carter, Susie Carter, Gaye Catlin, Bert Clark, Raymond Coatney, Ruth Coatney, Jean Cole, Ron Cole, Georgetta Dean, Gerald Dean, Aaron Dejaynes, Jason Fark, Joyce Fesser, Mary Lou Fleigle, Susan Fleigle, Briar Gard, Derek Gatton, Dale Gudgel, William Gudgel, Bobbie Harker, Elayna Harker, Cameron Harmon, Gail Hartman, Richard Haynes, Gary Held, Ben Hobson, Sarah Hopf, Clarrissa Hupp, Angie Janssen, Gary Jones, Lori Johanson, Bob Karasch, Joan Keller, Larry Lanter, Scott Lindquist, Drake Lucas, Peter Luczak, Chad Lush, Christine Lush, Valarie Lush, Debbie Marten, Mike Martin, Alan McFarlin, Erma McKinnie, Frances Meyer, Jonathon Millburg, Boggy Miller, Dan Miller, Deanna Miller, Heather Miller, Chris Mizera, Hans Mizera, Missy Mizera, Shirley Mizera, Alta Mundhenke, Marilyn Murphy, Bodhi Niewinski, Janet Nolan, Rose Ann Olinger, Trevor James Oller, Millie Olsen, Brenda Ouelette, Ron Painter, Randy Patterson, Diane Pitchford, Michael Poleon, Mary Ann Robinette, Gary Ronchetto, Mike Sheedy, Rita Sloan, Dan Smith, Lenora Spencer, Tracy Stephens, Greg Stewart, Teresa Todt, Mary Frances "Toots" Walch, Larry Weber, Brant Weitekamp, Bev Weitekamp, Ed Weitekamp, Greg Weitekamp, Jodi Weitekamp, Steve Weitekamp, Shirley Wempen, Pat Whalen, Jenny White, Larry Williams, Sandy Williams, Mary Zueck

To add or remove someone on the prayer list, please email Kateri Marten at: [kmarten@stmr.org](mailto:kmarten@stmr.org)

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**HOPE Spring Eternal  
Fine Arts and Craft Show**

Sunday, April 30th 10am - 3pm  
Christ the King Parish Center  
1930 Barberry, Springfield

Entry - \$5 Under 18 - Free

Fundraiser for HOPE-Helping Other People Excel  
[clinicforhope.org](http://clinicforhope.org)

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**Special Collections:  
Catholic Home Missions**

"Through the Catholic Home Missions Appeal, parishioners share their blessings with fellow Catholics in places with small Catholic populations dispersed over wide and remote areas or in areas with many Catholics but few financial resources." said Bishop W. Shawn McKnight of Jefferson City, chairman of the USCCB's Subcommittee on the Catholic Home Missions. "I want every Catholic to know the great good that is done through their gifts. Your generosity allows people to see that Jesus continues to bring love, hope and healing through the Church that he founded."

# St. Mary

## Liturgical Schedule

### Saturday, April 23rd

5:00 pm The Parishioners of  
St. Mary, St. Maurice & St. Raymond  
By: Fr. John Burnette

### Tuesday, April 26th

8:00 am Mary Brown  
By: Larry & Debbie Lucas

### Saturday, April 30th

8:00 am Pat Clarke  
By: Velma Langen

### Tuesday, May 3rd

8:00 am Edith & Bill Bedinghaus  
By: Velma Langen

## Lector Schedule

April 23 - Carol Hupp  
April 30 - Mary Jane Fuchs  
May 7 - Tony Krager  
May 14 - Kathy Rovey  
May 21 - Carol Hupp  
May 28 - Mary Jane Fuchs

## Eucharistic Minister Schedule

April 23 - Mary Jane Schmidt  
April 30 - Bea Leonard  
May 7 - Mary Ann Rimini  
May 14 - Glenn Rovey  
May 21 - Patty Clarke  
May 28 - Mary Jane Schmidt

## Finance Council

Bob Wagahoff  
Patty Clarke  
Donna Krager  
Bill Brown  
Fr. John Burnette

Your Sacrificial Offerings	April 9th	Good Friday	Easter
Envelopes & Loose	\$2,065.00	\$400.00	\$1,450.00
Seminarians	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$420.00
Good Friday	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$50.00
Easter Flowers	\$20.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Weekly Offering	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$80.00
Perpetual Care St. Martin Cemetery	\$200.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Maintenance Fund	\$40.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
<b>Total Collection:</b>	<b>\$2,125.00</b>	<b>\$400.00</b>	<b>\$2,000.00</b>



## Titles of Mary: Mother of Mercy

Mother of Mercy is a fitting title for Our Lady because she brought forth for us Jesus Christ, the visible manifestation of the mercy of the invisible God. Jesus Christ is truly the mercy of God made flesh, and so Mary is truly the "Mother of Mercy."

# St. Maurice

## Liturgical Schedule

### Sunday, April 24th

10:00 am Howard & Rita Fishburn  
By: Fishburn Girls & Families

### Friday, April 29th

8:00 am Sr. Leola Brown  
By: Darlene O'Brien

### Sunday, May 1st

10:00 am The Parishioners of  
St. Mary, St. Maurice & St. Raymond

By: Fr. John Brunette

### Friday, May 6th

8:00 am Ed & Nita Brockamp  
By: Velma Langen

## MINISTRY SCHEDULE

### April 24th

LECTOR: Dereke Dunkirk  
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER: Dale Brockamp  
USHER: Mark Langen, Bill O'Connell,  
and Matt Wells  
ALTAR SERVERS: Adelaide and Gentry Dunkirk

### May 1st

LECTOR: Larry Goebel  
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER: Ed Goebel  
USHER: Mark Langen and Diane McWard-  
Sullivan  
ALTAR SERVERS: Lucas and Noah Grundy

### May 8th

LECTOR: Catherine O'Connell  
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER: Gerry Goebel  
USHER: Mark Langen and Diane McWard-  
Sullivan  
ALTAR SERVERS: Nathaniel and Nicholas  
DeBrun



## THE FOOD DRIVE WAS SUCCESSFUL!

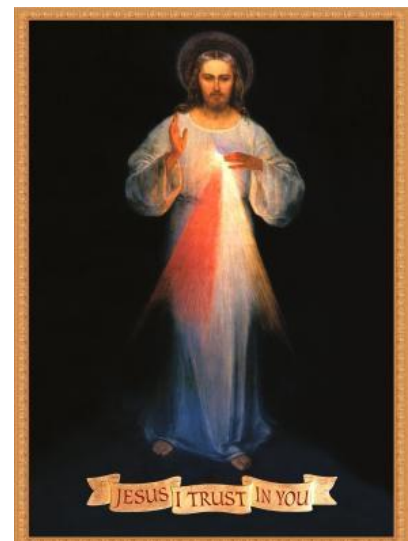
The Lenten food drive held by the Morrisonville Knights of Columbus - Council 1151 had the theme of 40 cans for 40 days. We knew our parish was known to be generous and you did not disappoint!

The final count was 129 cans, plus many non-perishable items for a grand total 206 pounds. All items have been donated to the Morrisonville – Palmer food pantry. Thanks again!

## Finance Council

John Fleigle	Deb Forbes
Brenda Deardorff	Charlie Golitko
Dale Brockamp	Fr. Burnette

Your Sacrificial Offerings	April 10th	Easter
Envelopes & Loose Cash	\$1,425.00	\$905.00
Church Improvement Fund	\$500.00	\$210.00
Candle Fund	\$0.00	\$0.00
Altar and Rosary Dues	\$0.00	\$0.00
Seminarians	\$0.00	\$335.00
Good Friday– Holy Land	\$35.00	\$50.00
Rice Bowl	\$50.00	\$95.00
<b>TOTAL COLLECTIONS</b>	<b>\$2,010.00</b>	<b>\$1,595.00</b>



# St. Raymond

## Liturgical Schedule

### Sunday, April 24th

8:00 am Greg Lyons

By: Larry & Dianne Meisner

### Wednesday, April 27th

8:00 am Mary Terrant

By: Unknown

### Sunday, May 1st

8:00 am The deceased members of  
the Weitekamp Family

By: Greg & Raquel Weitekamp

### Wednesday, May 4th

8:00 am Greg Lyons

By: Dick & Sharon Lyons

## Finance Council

Bill Held  
Marlene Marten  
John Barto  
Allen Poggenpohl  
Fr. John Burnette

## April Ministry Schedule

LECTOR Christine Meisner

CANTOR Tim Mizera

HOSPITALITY Bill Held

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER Dianne Hampton

MINISTER TO THE HOMEBOUND:

April 24th - Noller/Morehouse

## May Ministry Schedule

LECTOR Linda Hocking

CANTOR Deb Held

HOSPITALITY Phil Borgic

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER Jerry Wagahoff

MINISTER TO THE HOMEBOUND:

May 1st - Mary & Julie Krager

May 8th - Dick Lyons

May 15th - Carl Marten

May 22th - Noller/Morehouse

May 29th - Dick Lyons

Your Sacrificial Offerings	April 10th	Easter Vigil
Envelopes and Loose	\$2,815.00	\$1,580.00
Seminarians	\$650.00	\$50.00
Good Friday	\$95.00	\$200.00
Ukraine Relief	\$100.00	\$0.00
Rice Bowl	\$0.00	\$141.75
Catholic Relief Services	\$40.00	\$0.00
Catholic Home Missions	\$20.00	\$25.00
Candle offering	\$47.00	\$0.00
Bell Tower Repair	\$0.00	\$100.00
Building Fund	\$0.00	\$0.00
<b>Total Collections:</b>	<b>\$3,767.00</b>	<b>\$2,096.75</b>



“You can come to me at any moment,  
at any time; I want to speak to you  
and I desire to grant you grace!”

-Jesus to Sr. Faustina