

May 8, 2022
Fourth Sunday of Easter
Happy Mother's Day!



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

Father John C. Burnette, Parish Priest
Phone/Text: 217-836-0250
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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
Diocesan Child Abuse Reporting and Investigation Number—217-321-1155 or www.dio.org

Dear Parishioners,

Happy Mother's Day!

Throughout our lives we not only are blessed by the gift of our mother—but those who love us like a mother. **We give thanks to God for them all for them all!**

Below are some quotes about mothers.

St. Thérèse of Lisieux: *"The loveliest masterpiece of the heart of God is the heart of a mother."*

St. Gianna Beretta Molla: *"Look at the mothers who truly love their children: how many sacrifices they make for them. They are ready for everything, even to give their own blood so that their babies grow up good, healthy, and strong."*

Of Note: "Dr. Gianna Emanuela Molla, the daughter of Italian saint, St. Gianna Beretta Molla (1922-1962) and Pietro Molla, will establish the St. Gianna Beretta Molla and Pietro Molla International Center for Family and Life (in Springfield), which will be a peaceful place of prayer, learning, study, and spirituality for pilgrims." www.dio.org

St. Augustine, son of St. Monica: *"And now thou didst 'stretch forth thy hand from above' and didst draw up my soul out of that profound darkness [of Manicheism] because my mother, thy faithful one, wept to thee on my behalf more than mothers are accustomed to weep for the bodily deaths of their children....And thou didst hear her, O Lord."*

Alice von Hildebrand: *A "woman by her very nature is maternal – for every woman, whether married or unmarried, is called upon to be a biological, psychological, or spiritual mother – she knows intuitively that to give, to nurture, to care for others, to suffer with and for them – for maternity implies suffering – is infinitely more valuable in God's sight than to conquer nations and fly to the moon."*

Our Lady of Guadalupe, to St. Juan Diego: *"Do not be troubled or weighed down with grief. Do not fear any illness or vexation, anxiety or pain. Am I not here who am your Mother? Are you not under my shadow and protection? Am I not your fountain of life? Are you not in the folds of my mantle? In the crossing of my arms? Is there anything else you need?"*

Many thanks to Dorothy Dautel for all her great work in making our church even more beautiful.

Yes, it is official, On July 1st I will be retiring and Fr. Florent will become the Pastor of our three parishes. I invite you to welcome him back and work with him so he can become the Pastor you need.

While not over for two months, my time here among you has been a great gift to me! Thank you!

May is the month of Mary. We ask her intercession for us.

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 are 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

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

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

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.

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

"Be subordinate to one another out of reverence for Christ." Ephesians 5:21

www.ForYourMarriage.org

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

Graduation Mass at St. Maurice

will be Sunday, May 22nd at the 10:00 a.m. Mass. Jr. High, High School and College graduates of all three parishes will be honored. If you have a graduate especially college graduates, please contact Deb Forbes ((217) 825-3129-(call or text)

Cemetery Spring Clean-up

for
St. Raymond, St. Martin, and St. Maurice

Please remove all decorations so our cemeteries can be mowed and cleaned-up for spring.

Adult Confirmation

Bishop Paprocki will celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation for adults who have been catechized but have not yet been Confirmed on Sunday, June 5, 2022 at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Springfield. If you missed Confirmation as a youth and would like to receive this Sacrament, please contact Fr. John Burnette ASAP.

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 Gattton, Joe Grundy, 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

Thank you to all of our parish volunteers for giving of your time and talent!

Thank you to each of you who have renewed your background check and/or taken the PGC training, helping us keep in compliance with the diocese safe environment requirements. If you received a letter and have not yet completed the required background check and/or training, please do so as soon as possible and notify Kateri Marten (kmarten@stmr.org), Deb Forbes, or Marlene Marten.

Join us in praying for life

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

Mid-life Singles

Are you looking for a renewed sense of purpose & belonging? Register today for a life-changing REFLECT weekend retreat at King's House Retreat Center, Belleville, IL (20 min from downtown St. Louis), on June 3-5, 2022. Take a chance and get involved... you won't regret it! Cost is \$215 including meals and a single room.

Visit www.ReflectRetreat.com,
e-mail reflect.stlouis@gmail.com,
or call (314) 283-0044 for details.

St. Mary

Liturgical Schedule

Saturday, May 7th

5:00 pm Mary Brown
(Mr. & Mrs. Frank Schwarts)

Tuesday, May 10th

8:00 am Fr. Zimmerman
(Marge Millburg)

Saturday, May 14th

8:00 am Fr. Charles Olshefeský
(Fr. John Burnette)

Tuesday, May 17th

8:00 am Mary Brown
(Ralph Langhauser)

Lector Schedule

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

Eucharistic Minister Schedule

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 30th
Envelopes & Loose	\$975
Seminarians	\$50
Good Friday - Holy Land	\$20
Easter	\$20
Catholic Home Mission	\$75
Rice Bowl	\$50
Candle Fund	\$17
Maintenance Fund	\$55
Total Collection:	\$1,262



Titles of Mary: Mother of the Church

When Mary was called during the Annunciation, she gave her consent to the coming messianic kingdom, which would ultimately be the formation of the Church. She was also present with the apostles praying in the upper room when the Holy Spirit descended on them, giving birth to the new Church here on Earth. Each member of the of the Body of Christ is a part of her Son, and she wraps us in her mantle and protects us from evil.

St. Maurice

Liturgical Schedule

Sunday, May 8th

10:00 am Tootie Fleigle
(Ronda Gowin)

Friday, May 13th

8:00 am Janice Sloan
(Rita Sloan)

Sunday, May 15th

10:00 am Amanda Deardorff
(Brenda Deardorff)

Friday, May 20th

8:00 am The Parishioners of
St. Mary, St. Maurice & St. Raymond
(Fr. John Burnette)

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

May 8th

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

May 15th

LECTOR: Pat Wolf
EUCHARISTIC MINISTER: Charlie Golitko
USHER: Mark Langen, John Bergschneider and
Diane McWard-Sullivan
ALTAR SERVERS: Adelaide and Gentry Dunkirk

May 22nd

LECTOR: Dale Brockamp
EUCHARISTIC MINISTER: Marietta Dunkirk
USHER: Mark Langen, John Bergschneider and
Diane McWard-Sullivan
ALTAR SERVERS: Lucas and Noah Grundy

Finance Council

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

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!

Bob Karasch plans to be here in June to fine tune the system.

Your Sacrificial Offerings	May 1st
Envelopes & Loose Cash	\$1,548
Church Improvement Fund	\$520
Candle Fund	\$
Rice Bowl	\$90
Seminarians	\$50
Good Friday- Holy Land	\$
Catholic Home Missions	\$
TOTAL COLLECTIONS	\$2,208

St. Raymond

Liturgical Schedule

Sunday, May 8th

8:00 am The Parishioners of
St. Mary, St. Maurice & St. Raymond
(Fr. John Burnette)

Wednesday, May 11th

8:00 am Ruth Leith
(Unknown)

Sunday, May 15th

8:00 am Peggy Shea Weitekamp
(Larry & Nancy Weitekamp)

Wednesday, May 18th

8:00 am The Louis & Sharon Kern Family
(Louis & Sharon Kern)

Finance Council

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

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

SERVERS:

May 1st - Dan Held

May 8th - Jacob Mizera

May 15th - Morgan Hampton

May 22th - Avery & Luke Pope

May 22th - Denny Held

Your Sacrificial Offerings	May 1st
Envelopes and Loose	\$1,515
Seminarians	\$3
Holy Land	\$3
Rice Bowl	\$35
Retired Priests	\$50
Catholic Home Missions	\$
Candle offering	\$9
Bell Tower Repair	\$100
Building Fund	\$
Total Collections:	\$1,715

