

October 16, 2022 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time



*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 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



Father's Corner

PRAYING WITH PERSISTENCE.

Very often, children bother their parents for something they want when, for example they see a toy advertised on TV or their favorite junk food on the grocery store shelf. By their persistence they hope to change their parents' minds about what they need and think is good for them. The same is often true with our prayer. We often pray, hoping to change God's will, that is, we pray for what we think we need or want and we hope we can convince God to give it to us.

In the Gospel of this Sunday, Jesus does encourage persistence in prayer. However, he wants us to understand that true persistence is not trying to tease God for what we want. True persistence in prayer springs up from a deep faith and brings out the hope that leads us to the longer view and broader vision of Jesus himself. Our persistence in prayer (even for what we need now) brings us to new and eternal life.

Persistence in prayer is not relentlessly nagging and annoying God for what we want. Rather, prayer inspired by deep faith in God is openness to what God wants for us, which always leads us to a greater good than we can now know or even imagine. Jesus assures us that we can count on God. But then the question is, can we unrelentingly seek God's will; can God count on us for that?



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

On October 23, World Mission Sunday, we join Catholics worldwide in this annual Eucharistic celebration for the Missions of the Church. Pope Francis reflects on this year's theme: "You shall be My witnesses" (Acts 1:8). He emphasizes the call to every Christian to bear witness to Christ, to participate in a mission of universal evangelization, and to seek strength and guidance from the Holy Spirit. Beginning in 1822, the universal fund of the Society for the Propagation of the Faith provided some \$7 million in help to the new and growing Churches in the United States. Your prayers and generous support today sustain priests, religious and lay pastoral leaders in more than 1,100 mission dioceses in Asia, Africa, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe as they proclaim the Gospel, build the Church, and serve the poor. Blessed Pauline Jaricot began this work 200 years ago. As Pope Francis reminds us, "She accepted God's inspiration to establish a network of prayer and collection for missionaries so that the faithful could actively participate in the mission 'to the ends of the earth.'" Her vision would lead to World Mission Sunday, which helps the Pope support missionary activity. When you contribute to the World Mission Sunday collection, you make it possible for the Holy Father to provide for the formation of our seminarians and religious men and women. You assist in building the schools and orphanages that care for children in places few visit. Missionaries can build churches in areas with scarce resources. Priests and religious Brothers and Sisters can buy food and the bare essentials that make it possible to proclaim the Gospel and celebrate the Sacraments. I encourage your generosity on World Mission Sunday, especially in this bicentennial anniversary year. Your prayers remain your greatest gift, and your financial support is life-giving to our brothers and sisters in the world's most vulnerable communities. Thank you, and God bless.

Sincerely yours in Christ,
Most Reverend Thomas John Paprocki
Bishop of Springfield in Illinois

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

October is respect life month

Join us in praying for life

Every Friday morning at 9:00 am
in St. Raymond's main church

Help our local Crisis Pregnancy Centers help Moms.
Items can be dropped off in the vestibule of any of
our three parishes.

Items needed:

Diaper bag	6 baby whips
1 baby lotion	1 pair mittens
2 baby powder	11 blankets
2 baby shampoo	2 pair of socks
3 baby bath soap	1 bottle gift set
1 crib sheet	7 pkg diapers
5 sleepers	1 pkg of bibs
1 pkg of wash cloths	1 book
1 sippy cup	6 baby food
1 set of hat and gloves	1 head wrap and booties
2 hanging outfits	13 onesies

Music Trivia and Halloween Costume Contest

Saturday, Oct. 29 at the Nokomis Parish Center
Doors open at 6 PM and Trivia will start at 7 PM.

The Deb Sarsany Team with The Real Estate Group Inc. will be hosting a Music Trivia to support Ayden's AVM Army! Proceeds to go to AVM research in memory of Ayden O'Malley, who lost her life to an undiagnosed arteriovenous malformation in 2018.

There are up to 8 people allowed per team with a total of 25 teams. All ages are welcome-music will be of various genres and decades. The cost is \$160.00 per team. Feel free bring your own beverages and snacks.

There will be a \$100 cash prize for the winning trivia team! Costume is optional, BUT there will also be cash prizes for costumes.

There will be a raffle and 50/50 drawing.

Please message or text 217-710-2815 to get your team signed up or for any questions!

S.L.Y.M.E. Fall Party

Sunday, Oct. 16 starting at 5:30 pm
At the Fesser home
8339 Possum Trail, Fillmore
Open to all youth 7th - 12th grades
Hayrides, wiener roast, and games
Food and drinks provided

PRAYER CORNER

Carrie Alkire, Margaret Angle, Wayne Angle, Ralph Bawden, Speed Beaty, Kathy Beckmier, Carrie Beeler, Martha Beeler, Ivan Benning, Kathy Bergschneider, Larry Bergschneider, Amy Bethard, Cooper Bethard, Helen Boehler, Harold Bruntjen, Monte Busen, Kathy Caraway, Tammy Carter, Susie Carter, Gaye Catlin, Raymond Coatney, Ruth Coatney, Jean Cole, Ron Cole, Georgetta Dean, Gerald Dean, Aaron Dejaynes, Carl Durbin, Adam Edwards, Jason Fark, Joyce Fesser, Mary Lou Fleigle, Susan Fleigle, Pat Forbes, Briar Gard, Derek Gatton, Joe Grundy, Dale Gudgel, William Gudgel, Bobbie Harker, Elayna Harker, Cameron Harmon, Gail Hartman, Harold Haslett, Richard Haynes, Gary Held, Ben Hobson, Sarah Hopf, Clarrissa Hupp, Angie Janssen, Gary Jones, Lori Johanson, Bob Karasch, Joan Keller, Larry Lanter, Scott Lindquist, Janet Locander, Ron Lowe, Drake Lucas, Peter Luczak, Brad Lush, 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, Rose Ann Olinger, Trevor James Oller, Millie Olsen, Brenda Ouelette, Ron Painter, Randy Patterson, Diane Pitchford, Michael Poleon, Doc Prose, Roy Prose, Mary Ann Robinette, Gary Ronchetto, Larry Saxe, 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, Pat Whalen, Jenny White, Larry Williams, Sandy Williams, Mary Zueck

St. Mary

Liturgical Schedule

Saturday, October 15

5:00 pm The Parishioners of
St. Mary, St. Maurice, & St. Raymond
(Fr. Florent)

Tuesday, October 18

8:00 am Dorothy Heaton
(Dave & Bea Leonard)

Saturday, October 22

5:00 pm Ruthie Aherin
(Rose & John Cawthon)

Tuesday, October 25

8:00 am Dorothy Heaton
(Dorothy Shepherd)

Lector Schedule

Oct 15 - Carol Hupp
Oct 22 - Mary Jane Fuchs
Oct 29 - Tony Krager
Nov 5 - Dan Martin
Nov 12 - Kathy Rovey

Eucharistic Minister Schedule

Oct 15 - Mary Ann Rimini
Oct 22 - Patty Clarke
Oct 29 - Mary Jane Schmidt
Nov 5 - Bea Leonard
Nov 12 - Glenn Rovey

Bake Sale!

for the Revitalization Committee
Saturday, October 22 at 8:00 am
in front of Bank and Trust
Baked goods and your patronage appreciated

Finance Council

Bob Wagahoff
Patty Clarke
Donna Krager
Bill Brown
Fr. Florent



Upcoming Turkey Bazaar

Please mark your calendars for the annual St. Maurice Turkey Bazaar. It will be held as DRIVE THRU ONLY on Sunday, November 6, 2022 serving from 2:00 to 4:00 at the K of C Hall.

Meal is \$15 for turkey, dressing, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, slaw, and cranberry salad (no substitutions).

Solicitors will be contacting parishioners for cash donations. Your donations can be placed in the collection and marked "Bazaar" or can be mailed to:

St. Maurice Parish; Attn: Bazaar;
PO Box 45; Morrisonville, IL 62546

Your generosity is appreciated.
If you have questions, contact Kendra at
217-899-8741 or 217-526-3458.



Collection for October 8

Envelopes & Loose	\$2,640
Candle Fund	\$5
Maintenance Fund	\$
TOTAL COLLECTIONS	\$2,645

St. Maurice

Liturgical Schedule

Sunday, October 16

10:00 am Lester & Bernetta Curvey and
Kenneth Curvey II
(The Curvey Family)

Friday, October 21

8:00 am Tootie Fleigle
(NCSF # 743)

Sunday, October 23

10:00 am Kayla and Alli Bethard
(Gloria Sheedy Mahan and Brian Sheedy)

Friday, October 28

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

St. Maurice Parish - Morrisonville is in need
of an organists or pianists.
Are you able to play the organ or piano?
Would you consider playing at least one
Sunday Mass a month?
If so, contact Fr. Florent.

Blood Drive

Wednesday, October 26th
2:00 pm – 7:00 pm
Morrisonville American Legion Hall
607 Ricks Street
Masks and appointments required
To schedule call 800-747-5401
or online at www.bloodcenter.org

FOR  YOUR
MARRIAGE

Pope Francis calls “I’m sorry” one of the magic words of
marriage. Be quick to offer these healing words when you harm
your spouse or children, no matter how small the offense.

Ministry Schedule

October 16

LECTOR: Larry Goebel
EUCHARISTIC MINISTER: Charlie Golitko
USHER: Ed And Linda Voorhees, and
Mark Langen
ALTAR SERVERS: Nathaniel and Nicholas
DeBrun

October 23

LECTOR: Catherine O’Connell
EUCHARISTIC MINISTER: Larry Goebel
USHER: Ed And Linda Voorhees, and
Mark Langen
ALTAR SERVERS: Adelaide and Gentry Dunkirk,
and Macie Ferrill

October 30

LECTOR: Rita Sloan
EUCHARISTIC MINISTER: Marietta Dunkirk
USHER: Ed And Linda Voorhees, and
Mark Langen
ALTAR SERVERS: Lucas, Noah, and Emma
Grundy

Finance Council

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

Collection for October 9

Envelopes & Loose Cash	\$935
Church Improvement Fund	\$
Church in Africa	\$
Candle Fund	\$
TOTAL COLLECTIONS	\$935

St. Raymond

Liturgical Schedule

Sunday, October 16

8:00 am David Powley
(Barbara Powley)

Wednesday, October 19

8:00 am Colette Herrmann
(Collette Herrmann)

Sunday, October 23

8:00 am Lucille Beeler
(Linda Poggenpohl)

Wednesday, October 26

8:00 am Vince & Anne Walch
(Unknown)

October Ministry Schedule

LECTOR Linda Hocking

CANTOR Verne Pinkston

HOSPITALITY Allen Poggenpohl

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER Marlene Marten

MINISTER TO THE HOMEBOUND:

October 2 - Mary & Julie Krager

October 9 - Dick Lyons

October 16 - Carl Marten

October 23 - Noller/Morehouse

October 30 - Dick Lyons

SERVERS:

October 2 - Avery & Luke Pope

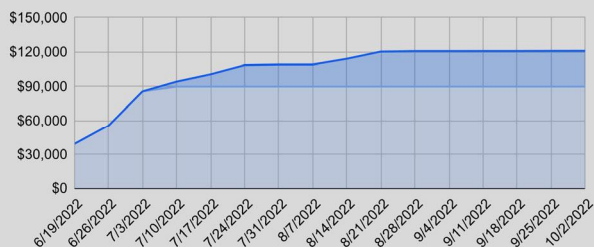
October 9 - Morgan Hampton

October 16 - Dan Held

October 23 - Jacob Mizera

October 30 - Denny Held

Bell Tower Campaign



Oct 9th Collection	+ \$0
Total	\$121,102

Thank you for your ongoing generosity
as we replenish our savings!



Finance Council

Bill Held
Marlene Marten
John Barto
Allen Poggenpohl
Fr. Florent

Knights of Columbus Charities Disaster Relief Fund

Help support the relief efforts of the Knights of Columbus for those impacted by the recent hurricanes. 100% of your support will go directly to those impacted by natural disasters.

Donate by visiting:
<https://bit.ly/3Ec3KsR>

Collection for October 9

Envelopes and Loose	\$1,968
Candle offering	\$22
Bell Tower Repair	\$
World Mission Sunday	\$75
Church in Africa	\$20
Total Collections:	\$2,085