

October 9, 2022 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time



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Farmersville*

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*St. Maurice
Morrisonville
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(P.O. Box # 45)
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Raymond
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62560
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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

"Has none but this foreigner returned to give thanks to God?"

The readings of this Sunday focus on gratitude toward the generous gifts of God.

If we look at the details of the story in the Gospel of this Sunday, we notice that there is more to this apparent simple story. The Gospel of Saint Luke often puts into action people who are often oppressed and marginalized. So it comes at no surprise that this story of the cleansing of the ten lepers only appears in the Gospel of Saint Luke.

By the nature of their illness and its social implications, people with leprosy lived in exile from the rest of the community, that's why we see them in the story "standing at a distance" from Jesus as they called to Him for help. And here we see an image of Jesus establishing relationships with people who are often despised if not ignored altogether.

However, Jesus does not show only one example of inclusion. Jesus goes on to comment that only a foreigner (a Samaritan) has returned to show gratitude after being healed. It is good to remember that in the time of Jesus, Jews and Samaritans generally did not have the best relationships with each other, making it almost unheard of that a Samaritan would be the one who lauded for his gratitude.

It is even more surprising when Jesus tells the healed Samaritan, "your faith has saved you." Jesus does not simply say, "you are healed, but instead Jesus praises his faith and offers him salvation.

Our life must become ongoing gratitude for we have been graced in so many ways. We should sing our gratitude to the Lord as St Paul puts it in the second reading: "Sing to the Lord a new song, for he has done marvelous deeds".

October is respect life month

Join us in praying for life

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

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

Upcoming Turkey Bazaar

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

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.



The Friday morning “Rosary and Stations for Life” participants visited the Franciscan Motherhouse near Riverton on Friday, September 16th. We had a most enjoyable tour of the facilities, the museum, and the very beautiful St. Francis Church. Our guide Brian, shared with us the history of the sisters coming to America from Germany and starting the Hospitals with only 20 nuns. They came to this “foreign” country and did not speak our language, but through their faith, began to build the hospitals and receive young girls into their order to build up the Franciscan order that staffed the hospitals. He then took us to the church and shared information and the meaning behind some of the architecture in the church. It is such a beautiful church. We then visited the cemetery, where the deceased sisters are buried. The grounds are very beautiful and peaceful, and the facilities will

soon be home to the Norbertine Fathers where retreats and days of prayer will be held. The daughter of St. Gianni also has plans for a new “Life Center” to be constructed on these beautiful grounds. May we all continue to pray that our country will soon value life from conception until natural death.

After our tour at the Motherhouse, we went across the road to another mission of the Franciscans. The Mission Outreach Center is a mission that receives hospital supplies that are still usable but would normally be discarded by some of our American hospitals in favor of more updated supplies. They are sent to the Mission Outreach Center and sorted and packaged to be sent to other countries in need of such supplies. All the supplies are sorted and logged in on computers. Hospitals around the world are then able to see what is available and order things they are in need of. It was a very interesting tour and sounded like a much needed and appreciated service.

Those attending were Claire Weitekamp, Carol Eikhoff, Theresa Goby, Marlene Marten, Barbara Powley, Mary Marten, Mary Agnes Mizera, Father Florent, and Dorothy Dautel.

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

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

St. Mary

Liturgical Schedule

Saturday, October 8

5:00 pm Dorothy Heaton
(Dorothy Shepherd)

Tuesday, October 11

8:00 am Dorothy Heaton
(William & Marilyn Murphy)

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)

Lector Schedule

Oct 8 - Kathy Rovey
Oct 15 - Carol Hupp
Oct 22 - Mary Jane Fuchs
Oct 29 - Tony Krager
Nov 5 - Dan Martin

Eucharistic Minister Schedule

Oct 8 - Glenn Rovey
Oct 15 - Mary Ann Rimini
Oct 22 - Patty Clarke
Oct 29 - Mary Jane Schmidt
Nov 5 - Bea Leonard

Finance Council

Bob Wagahoff
Patty Clarke
Donna Krager
Bill Brown
Fr. Florent

Collection for October 1

Envelopes & Loose	\$1,593
Food Pantry	\$
Candle Fund	\$20
Maintenance Fund	\$245
TOTAL COLLECTIONS	\$1,858

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

FOR  YOUR
MARRIAGE

Many people are back in school now.
The family is a school of love; look for opportunities
every day to learn a little more how to love.



St. Maurice

Liturgical Schedule

Sunday, October 9

10:00 am Darrell Grundy
(Ramona Grundy)

Friday, October 14

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

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)

Finance Council

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

Stewardship of Treasure October 2

Envelopes & Loose Cash	\$795
Church Improvement Fund	\$575
Church in Africa	\$
Candle Fund	\$
TOTAL COLLECTIONS	\$1,370

Ministry Schedule

October 9

LECTOR: Diane McWard-Sullivan
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER: Dale Brockamp
USHER: Ed And Linda Voorhees, and
Mark Langen
ALTAR SERVERS: Lucas, Noah, and Emma
Grundy

October 16

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

October 23

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

Congratulations!

John & Kathy Bergschneider celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on October 7th. John Bergschneider and Kathy Kiefer were married on October 7, 1972 at St. Barbara's Catholic Church in Witt. May God continue to bless your marriage.

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



St. Raymond

Liturgical Schedule

Sunday, October 9

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

Wednesday, October 12

8:00 am Mia Green
(Unknown)

Sunday, October 16

8:00 am David Powley
(Barbara Powley)

Wednesday, October 19

8:00 am Colette Herrmann
(Collette Herrmann)

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

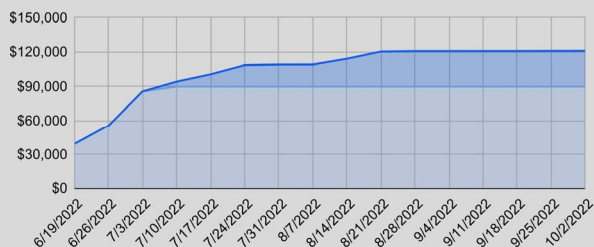
October 9 - Morgan Hampton

October 16 - Dan Held

October 23 - Jacob Mizera

October 30 - Denny Held

Bell Tower Campaign



Oct 2nd Collection	+\$60
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>

Your Sacrificial Offerings	October 2
Envelopes and Loose	\$10,342.81
Candle offering	\$21
Bell Tower Repair	\$60
World Mission Sunday	\$130
Church in Africa	\$50
Total Collections:	\$10,603.81