

May 21, 2023  
7th Sunday of Easter



ST. MAURICE

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62546  
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ST. MARY

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Farmersville, Illinois  
62533  
(217) 227-3349



ST. RAYMOND

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Bulletin Deadline: Noon Monday

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**BAPTISMS**

Contact Father at least 6 weeks prior to desired date.

**WEDDINGS**

Contact Father 6 months prior to the desired date

**ANNOINTING OF THE SICK**

Contact Father

**HOMEBOUND / HOSPITAL VISITS**

Contact Father

Diocesan Child Abuse Reporting and Investigation - (217) 321-1155

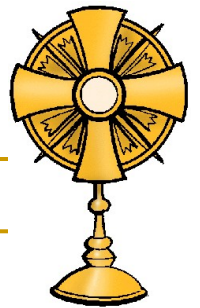
# Father's Corner

“Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations.”

There is a common tradition among the people to give a gift to someone taking leave. A gold watch seems to be a traditional farewell gift to someone retiring. A framed photo of a good time together may be a farewell gift to a cherished neighbor who is moving out of town... Very often, the gift given is not something perishable like flowers or something ephemeral like a meal, but is something lasting that will help keep memories alive for the departing person.

In the Gospel of this feast of the Ascension, Jesus gives two farewell gifts to his disciples. He gives his lasting, ongoing and powerful Presence to his disciples; he gives his disciples to the world to be his living remembrance through their baptizing and teaching of the Good News of Salvation. These gifts are not ephemeral; they are for all time and for all people.

Jesus' ascension is a farewell event during which he gives the gift of himself to us and the gift of us to the world. We experience his gift of Self to us in prayer, through the goodness of others, in the beauty of creation. And we are his gift to the world when we teach others his Good News of Salvation by the manner we live out the values of the Gospel; when we encourage others in their following Christ and keeping his commandments; when we walk with others who are burdened with sickness, suffering, discouragement, loss. In these and many other ways, Jesus' Presence is lasting and his memory alive for all time and for all people.



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-Year of the Eucharist-

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## What is the Profession of Faith or Creed?

At Mass after the Homily is complete, the faithful stand and recite the Profession of Faith, which is the Nicene Creed. By it, the faithful profess their faith in God and give assent to His Word.

The Creed is a summary of the central doctrines of our Faith and is the heart of what we believe and profess. The Creed comes from the Latin word, Credo, which means, “I believe.” So, it should not just be recited but prayed from the heart.

We profess the Creed aloud and together because our Faith and Church is one, holy, Catholic, and apostolic. We profess what we together believe and we affirm our adherence to all the truths of our Faith.

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## Reconciliation Times

St. Maurice - Saturday 3:00 pm - 3:30 pm

St. Mary - Saturday 4:00 pm - 4:30 pm

St. Raymond - Sunday 7:00 am - 7:30 am

## Pro-Life Prayer

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

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## Bible Study

Our last class is this Tuesday, May 23rd  
St. Mary at 10:00 am  
St. Raymond at 6:30 pm

## Memorial Day Masses & Prayer Service Monday, May 29th

Join us at each of our Parishes' Cemetery.  
Bring a lawn chair.

*In case of rain, services will be moved to the church.*

8:30 am	St. Raymond Cemetery	Mass
9:00 am	St. Martin Cemetery	Prayer Service
10:00 am	St. Maurice Cemetery	Mass

## Help us choose the next educational program!

Don't forget to fill out and turn in your Adult Education Survey form so that we know what you're interested in learning next and when is the best time for you to attend. More forms are available in the back of each church if you didn't get one on May 14th.

Your feedback is important in helping us serve you better!

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## Our 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, Monte Busen, Kathy Caraway, Tammy Carter, Susie Carter, Gaye Catlin, Raymond Coatney, Ruth Coatney, Mike Colbrook 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, Nide Grundy, Ramona Grundy, Dale Gudgel, William Gudgel, Bobbie Harker, Elayna Harker, Cameron Harmon, Gail Hartman, Harold Haslett, Bill Held, Gary Held, Colette Herrmann, Ben Hobson, Sarah Hopf, Clarrissa Hupp, Angie Janssen, Gary Jones, Lori Johanson, Bob Karasch, Joan Keller, Larry Lanter, Scott Lindquist, Janet Locander, 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, Dave Mullen, Alta Mundhenke, Steve Mundhenke, Marilyn Murphy, Bodhi Niewinski, Rose Ann Olinger, Trevor James Oller, Millie Olsen, Brenda Ouelette, Ron Painter, Randy Patterson, Diane Pitchford, Michael Poleon, Roy Prose, Mary Ellen Rogers, Opal Ryan, Chuck Sale, 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

**Help us keep this list up to date! To add or remove someone, please contact Kateri Marten**

## St. Maurice

### Liturgical Schedule

#### **Sunday, May 21**

10:00 am Bernard "Doc" Millburg  
(Joyce White)

#### **Friday, May 26**

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

#### **Sunday, May 28**

10:00 am Tootie Fleigle  
(NCSF Court #743)

#### **Monday, May 29 - Memorial Day**

10:00 am Deceased Members of our  
Parishes

*At St. Maurice Cemetery, in case of  
rain Mass will be at the church.*

#### **Friday, June 2**

8:00 am Joe Pete Lush  
(Paul & Cindy Tilly)

### Ministry Schedule

#### **May 21**

LECTOR Diane McWard-Sullivan  
USHER Diane McWard-Sullivan,  
Cindy Folkerts, and Albert Emery  
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS  
Larry Goebel, Dale Brockamp,  
and Catherine O'Connell  
SERVERS Macie Ferrill and  
Adelaide and Gentry Dunkirk

#### **May 28**

LECTOR Rita Sloan  
USHER Diane McWard-Sullivan,  
Cindy Folkerts, and Albert Emery  
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS  
Charlie Golitko, Marietta Dunkirk,  
and Catherine O'Connell  
SERVERS Emma, Lucas, and  
Noah Grundy

#### **June 4**

LECTOR Ed Goebel  
USHER Charlie & Jessica Golitko  
and Gary & Marietta Dunkirk  
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS  
Larry Goebel, Dale Brockamp,  
and Gerry Goebel  
SERVERS Macie Ferrill and  
Adelaide and Gentry Dunkirk

### Collection for May 14

Envelopes & Loose Cash	\$907
Catholic Home Missions (April 30)	\$
Rice Bowl (April 5)	\$
Holy Land (Good Friday)	\$
Seminarians (April 9)	\$
Church Improvement Fund	\$200
Candle Fund	\$
<b>Total Collections:</b>	<b>\$1,107</b>

### Finance Council

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

# St. Raymond

## Liturgical Schedule

### Sunday, May 21

8:00 am Dee Hocking  
(Linda Hocking)

### Wednesday, May 24

8:00 am Wanda Miller  
(Martha Zimmerman)

### Sunday, May 28

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

### Monday, May 29 - Memorial Day

8:30 am The poor souls in purgatory  
(The Weitekamp Family)

*At St. Raymond Cemetery, in case of  
rain Mass will be at the church.*

### Wednesday, May 31

8:00 am Terry Brockmeyer  
(Bob & Barb Smith)

## May Ministry Schedule

LECTOR Linda Hocking  
CANTOR Deb Held  
HOSPITALITY Phil Borgic  
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS  
Jerry & Donna Wagahoff  
HOMEBOUND MINISTER:  
May 7 - Mary & Julie Krager  
May 14 - Dick Lyons  
May 21 - Carl Marten  
May 28 - Noller/Morehouse  
SERVERS:  
May 7 - Dan Held  
May 14 - Avery & Luke Pope  
May 21 - Morgan Hampton  
May 28 - Jacob Mizera

## Collection for May 14

Envelopes and Loose	\$1,839
Candle offering	\$15
Bell Tower	\$25
Seminarians (April 9)	\$
Catholic Home Missions (April 30)	\$
Catholic Communication Campaign (May 21)	\$120
Retired Diocesan Priests (May 28)	\$250
<b>Total Collections:</b>	<b>\$2,249</b>

## Finance Council

Bill Held  
Marlene Marten  
John Barto  
Allen Poggenpohl  
Fr. Florent

# St. Mary

## Liturgical Schedule

### Saturday, May 20

5:00 pm Lefty Aherin  
(Rose & John Cowthon)

### Tuesday, May 23

8:00 am Fr. Florent  
(A grateful soul)

### Saturday, May 27

5:00 pm Dale Millburg  
(Marjorie Millburg)

### Monday, May 29 - Memorial Day

9:00 am Prayer Service

*At St. Martin Cemetery, in case of rain  
the service will be at the church.*

### Tuesday, May 30

8:00 am Roy Carter Sr.  
(Linda Carter)

## Extraordinary Minister Schedule

May 20 - Patty Clarke  
& Mary Ann Rimini  
May 27 - Mary Jane Schmid  
& Patty Clarke  
June 3 - Glenn Rovey  
& Mary Jane Schmidt  
June 10 - Mary Ann Rimini  
& Glenn Rovey  
June 17 - Patty Clarke  
& Mary Ann Rimini

## Lector Schedule

May 20 - Mary Jane Fuchs  
May 27 - Tony Krager  
June 3 - Dan Martin  
June 10 - Kathy Rovey  
June 17 - Carol Hupp

## Collection for May 13

Envelopes & Loose	\$1,010
Catholic Home Missions (April 30)	\$
"My Easter Offering"	\$
Holy Land (Good Friday)	\$
Seminarians (April 9)	\$
Candle Fund	\$
Maintenance Fund	\$
<b>TOTAL COLLECTIONS</b>	<b>\$1,010</b>

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Bob Wagahoff  
Patty Clarke  
Donna Krager  
Bill Brown  
Fr. Florent