



Feast of St. Mary (The Assumption)
August 15



Feast of St. Raymond Nonnatus
August 31



Feast of St. Maurice
September 22

THE PARISHES OF

ST. MARY

310 Nobbe St.
Farmersville, IL 62533

ST. RAYMOND

306 S McElroy
Raymond, IL 62560

ST. MAURICE

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Morrisonville, IL 62546

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End of Monday
Parish Website:
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Diocesan Child Abuse Reporting
and Investigation: (217) 321-1155

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5

5:00 pm St. Mary: Kathryn Murphy

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6

8:00 am St. Raymond: Richard Uhrig
10:00 am St. Maurice: The People of Our Parishes

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 8

8:00 am St. Mary: Margaret "Peggy" Keller

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9

8:00 am St. Raymond: Louis & Sharon Kern

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11

8:00 am St. Maurice: Marge Held

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12

5:00 pm St. Mary: The People of Our Parishes

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13

8:00 am St. Raymond: The Tucker Family
10:00 am St. Maurice: Reno & Grace Yattoni

RECONCILIATION

SATURDAYS

3:00-3:30 pm St. Maurice
4:00-4:30 pm St. Mary

SUNDAYS

7:00-7:30 am St. Raymond

ADORATION

ST. RAYMOND

8:30 am Wednesday - 8:00 am Thursday

ST. MAURICE

8:00 am - 10:00 pm Wednesday

SAINTS OF THE WEEK

- October 6: St. Bruno of Calabria, Priest
October 7: St. Mark, Pope
October 8: St. Pelagia, Virgin and Martyr
October 9: St. John Henry Newman
October 10: St. Paulinus, Bishop
October 11: St. Philip, Deacon
October 12: Blessed Virgin Mary,
Mother of the Church

FATHER'S COLUMN

Jesus told them,
"from the beginning of creation,
God made them male and female.
For this reason a man shall leave his father and mother
and be joined to his wife,
and the two shall become one flesh."

When we look around, we see how surrounded we are by seriously ruptured relationships: many family members are not talking to each other for years, divorce occurring frequently, long time friendships falling apart because of a single hurtful word or incident.

Fortunately, we also are surrounded by healthy and enduring relationships: some adult children becoming best friends with their parents, some aging couples approaching their golden wedding anniversary, some friends reconciling after years of separation.

In order to grow and endure, relationships require hard work, openness to growth, forgiveness, love, and grace. "From the beginning of creation" as Jesus reminds us, all was created good. Our openness of heart to each other makes visible that divinely created good by which God embraces and blesses us.

Enduring relationships are not dependent upon any human laws or conditions, but they are a gift of God whose grace helps us embrace the goodness of the other. By receiving, embracing, and blessing the children, Jesus showed us what is needed for relationships to endure. Having healthy, loving relationships does not imply that there are no struggles. Very often difficulties strengthen a relationship by softening our hearts, bringing us to better communication, more openness to the other, and greater willingness to forgive both the other and ourselves. In such openness of heart God is present, and the kingdom of God is among us.

To add a name to the prayer list,
please email Kateri at kmarten@stmm.org and
specify how many weeks you'd like that name to
appear for (1 week up to a maximum of 12 weeks).

You're always welcome to re-add the name at the
end of this period if the need for prayer is still present,
but this will help keep the list focused and fresh.

If you know of a parishioner that you'd like added to
Father's visitation list, please let him or Kateri know.

Thank you!

MINISTRY SCHEDULES

ST. MARY

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

Saturday, Oct 5:
Emily Martin
& Mary Jane Schmidt

Saturday, Oct 12:
John &
Mary Jo Brown

Saturday, Oct 19:
Mary Ann Rimini
& Emily Martin

Saturday, Oct 26:
Patty Clarke
Mary Ann Rimini

Saturday, Nov 2:
Mary Jane Schmidt
& Patty Clarke

LECTORS

Saturday, Oct 5:
Tony Krager

Saturday, Oct 12:
Dan Martin

Saturday, Oct 19:
Kathy Rovey

Saturday, Oct 26:
Carol Hupp

Saturday, Nov 2:
Mary Jane Fuchs

ST. RAYMOND

OCTOBER

LECTOR Lindsay Wagahoff
CANTOR Verne Pinkston
HOSPITALITY Allen Poggenpohl
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

Linda Hocking
Neil Wagahoff

HOMEBOUND MINISTER:
Oct 6 - Hocking/Krager
Oct 13 - Dick Lyons
Oct 20 - Carl Marten
Oct 27 - Noller/Morehouse

SERVERS:
Sun, Oct 6 - Denny Held
Sun, Oct 13 - Avery & Luke Pope,
Austin Nicol
Sun, Oct 20 - Avery & Luke Pope
Sun, Oct 27 - Dan Held

ST. MAURICE

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6

LECTOR Ed Goebel
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS
Catherine O'Connell
John Bergschneider
Gerry Goebel
USHERS Mark Langen
Richard Grundy
Ed & Linda Voorhees
SERVERS Macie Ferrill,
Adelaide and Gentry Dunkirk

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13

LECTOR Rita Sloan
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS
Charlie Golitko
Marietta Dunkirk
Dale Brockamp
USHERS Mark Langen
Richard Grundy
Ed & Linda Voorhees
SERVER
Lucas, Noah, and Emma Grundy

COLLECTION TOTALS FOR SEPTEMBER 28/29

St. Mary: \$2,289

St. Raymond: \$1,835

St. Maurice: \$2,119

OUR PRAYER LIST

Katrina Cunningham, Glenn Rovey, Enriqueta Hernandez, Brandi Malutinok, Debbie Lucas, Drake Lucas,
Tanner Martin, Cindy Sale, Chuck Sale, Martha Beeler, Janet Locander, Alan McFarlin, Raymond Coatney,
Georgetta Dean, Brant Weitekamp, Trent Boston, Jim Weitekamp, Mike Sheedy

Remember to pray for our Pope, Bishop, priests and seminarians, and for the increase of
vocations to priesthood and religious life.

St. Raymond Monthly Service Project for Food Pantry

Today after Mass there will be totes available to take home and fill with food for our local food pantry. Please bring your filled tote back to the church by next Sunday, October 13.



Baby Bottle Fundraiser

In observance of October as Respect Life month, our parishes will be participating once again in the baby bottle fundraiser to support the Loving Arms Pregnancy Center in Taylorville. Loving Arms supports unexpected mothers by providing pregnancy consultations, parenting classes, baby supplies, and more. Bottles for donations are available at each church.

Pro-Life Prayer Meeting

Friday mornings 9:00 am at St. Raymond

Farmersville KC Monthly Sunday Breakfast

October 20, 7:30 am to Noon at the KC Hall

Farmersville KC Trivia Night

Saturday, October 26 at the KC Hall
Doors open at 6:30 pm
Money prizes awarded for 1st, 2nd & last place!

Tables are set for teams of 8, \$15 per person
Admission includes chili and hot dogs
Bring your own beverage of choice
You are welcome to dress up for Halloween!

For more info or to sign up, call:
Al Rimini 217-825-3948 or Rory Rossi 217-306-0094

St. Maurice Family Fun Night

Come enjoy a fall evening of fun including a wiener roast and activities for the kids!

Saturday, October 26 beginning at 5 pm
On the triangular lawn across the alley from Montgomery's house. *(In case of inclement weather, festivities will take place at the Fuller Street Building)*

Hot dogs, chips, smores, and drinks provided.
Please bring a lawn chair. Everyone is welcome!

Calling All Teens! Sign Up Now for VENTURE Bible Study!

In just 8 weeks you can understand the story of salvation history, from Genesis to Revelation!

Sign up now via the sheets in the vestibule, or by contacting Claire Weitekamp at 714-204-1300 or clairemarie810@gmail.com

Starts Wednesday, October 16
Each Wednesday for 8 weeks
Inside the St. Maurice parish rectory
Pizza at 6 pm, session starts at 6:30 pm



Family of Faith Registration Due and First Class

Please turn in your registration forms for Family of Faith by end of Today (Sunday, October 6).

The first session of FOF is on Wednesday, October 16 at the Fuller Street Building (old KC Hall) in Morrisonville starting at 6:00 pm.

Parish Unit Study on The Gospel of Matthew

Starts Tuesday, October 15
Each Tuesday with 2 options for location/time:
- 10:00 am in Farmersville
- 6:30 pm in Raymond

Study books are \$15 each. Money can be dropped in the collection basket with a note, or brought to the first class.

If you didn't register but would still like to come, we would love for you to join us in learning more about Jesus and His kingdom through the Gospel of Matthew!

Email Bulletin

If you would like to receive our weekly email bulletin, please let Kateri know at kmarten@stmrm.org