



ST. MARY'S VISITATION PARISH  
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### Mission Statement

*We are a community of believers who strive to be faithful and to teach the truth of the Roman Catholic Church.*

*We see beauty in the sacramental life of the Church, especially in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass and in adoration of Jesus Christ in the Blessed Sacrament.*

*We promote goodness in this world, following the example of our Blessed Mother, our Lady of the Visitation, by serving the needs of others.*

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### MASSES

Sunday .....7:30 am, 9:00 am, 11:00 am  
 Anticipated Mass ..... 5:00 pm (Saturday)  
 Monday thru Friday ..... 6:30 am  
 Tuesday and Friday, school days only..... 8:00 am  
 Saturday ..... 8:00 am

### RECONCILIATION

Friday ..... 2:00pm - 5:00 pm  
 Saturday ..... 8:30 am

Please check the weekly bulletin for changes to this schedule.  
 Seasonal Tri Parish Reconciliation Services are listed in the bulletin.

### HOLY DAYS

Mary Mother of God ..... January 1  
 Assumption.....August 15  
 All Saints ..... November 1  
 Immaculate Conception ..... December 8  
 Christmas ..... December 25  
 Mass schedules for Holy Days are announced in the bulletin.



*you must  
Be a light  
to the world*

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## MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, August 14, Saint Maximilian Kolbe, Priest and Martyr  
6:30 am Bob Giese Family  
Sacrament of the Sick available after Mass

Tuesday, August 15, The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary  
6:30 am † Bridget Moen  
8:00 am † Rhoda Boos  
6:00 pm Parishioners

Wednesday, August 16, Weekday  
6:30 am † Norman Payleitner

Thursday, August 17, Weekday  
6:30 am † Jerry Sullivan

Friday, August 18, Weekday  
6:30 am † Ralph Dropp

Saturday, August 19, Weekday  
8:00 am † Jayme Niemeier and Ted Pyrek  
2:30 pm Wedding: Charles Hannon and Christina Trunzo  
5:00 pm † Thomas O'Neil

Sunday, August 20, Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
7:30 am Parishioners  
9:00 am † Noy G. Pittman  
11:00 am † Mary and Alex Bozmoski

## *The Family Rosary*

5:00pm August 13 Church

The Family Rosary will take place  
the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of every month at 5:00pm.

## Summer Weekday Mass Schedule

*There is no 8am Mass Monday – Friday  
during the summer months.*

**Thru Monday, August 28**

Monday thru Friday 6:30 am  
Saturday 8:00 am

**Parish Office Hours**

Monday thru Thursday 8:30am - 4pm  
Friday 8:30am - noon



## Wedding Banns

III Charles Hannon and Christina Trunzo  
II Andrew Merkel and Ashley Polomis

## Ministers of Hospitality Needed

We have an immediate need for Ministers of Hospitality at our 9am Sunday Mass. Ministers of Hospitality are the first to welcome people to worship, help with the collection, the communion procession and other needs of the community. The Ministry of Hospitality is open to all ages, young children are encouraged to participate as able with their families. If interested in helping out at the 9am or any of our Mass times, please contact Jenny Dascoli at the parish office, 262-782-4485, [jdascoli@stmaryeg.org](mailto:jdascoli@stmaryeg.org), or sign up via the website, <http://www.stmaryeg.org/liturgical-ministries.html>.

## Adoration Chapel

On Monday, August 14 we celebrate the feast of St. Maximilian Mary Kolbe. He gave his life so that the life of a young father would be spared. In his words, *"The essence of the love of God will always consist not in feeling good, not in remembering or thinking or understanding or imagining, but exclusively in fulfilling God's will at every moment of our lives and submitting ourselves completely to this will."*



Tuesday, August 15 is the feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. She said "Yes" when God called upon her. May we also accept God's will for us and obey His commandments so that one day, we, too will be taken up to Heaven. St. Louis De Montfort exhorts us, *"Rest assured that the more you turn to Mary in your prayers, meditations, actions and sufferings the more surely you will discover Jesus."*

Celebrate these two feasts by visiting Jesus in the St. Mary's Perpetual Adoration Chapel. Visit the Chapel often and entrust your cares to the Lord. The rewards are everlasting!

*We Need Coverage:*

*Please note, any and/or all coverage appreciated!*

Sundays 1-2 am Call Colleen Schwarz, 414-795-3153

Wednesdays 1-2 am, Call Joleen Gordon, 262-719-6974

Thursdays 2-3 am, 2nd & 4th weeks only, Call Jack Morien, 262-389-5625

10 am, Call Jack Morien, 262-389-5625

Fridays 3-4 am during August and September, Call Rita Dragani, 262-796-1162

*You may also sign up online on our website,  
[stmaryeg.org/perpetual-adoration.html](http://stmaryeg.org/perpetual-adoration.html).*

## Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary ~ Tuesday, August 15

### Area Parishes Mass Schedule

St. Mary's Visitation	6:30am	8:00am	6:00pm
St. John Vianney	7:00am	noon	7:00pm
St. Joseph	7:00pm (Mon.)	8:15am	12:10pm
St. Dominic	4:30pm (Mon.)	8:30am	12:10pm 6:30pm



**Please Note:** The St. Mary's Visitation Parish Office will be closed on August 15.

## New St. Mary's Pictorial Directory

St. Mary's is partnering with Lifetouch Photography for this important project. Our new pictorial directory will become a lasting record of our current membership and will enhance fellowship by helping parishioners connect names with faces.



Lifetouch is providing the directory to us at no cost. Every family photographed will receive a complimentary 8x10 portrait and directory. All photography and portrait viewing will take place in the Atrium. You will have a variety of poses taken, one pose will be selected for the directory. In addition to your complimentary 8x10 portrait, you will have the opportunity, if you wish, to purchase additional portraits on the day of your session.

Be sure to take advantage of this opportunity to have a professional portrait taken. Lifetouch offers so many ways to capture the memories. Your portraits are sure to become treasured family keepsakes.

Military families are encouraged to submit existing photos of those currently serving our country. These pictures will be included in our pictorial directory. Please submit these photos to the Parish Office with full name and service title.

### Photography Dates in the Atrium

September 26-29 (Tuesday through Friday) 3 to 8 pm

### Schedule Your Portrait Session

**Online:** <https://booknow-lifetouch.appointment-plus.com/y1x6nz9c/>

**Phone:** Parish Office, 262-782-4575

## St. Mary's Thrift Shop

Find Your Hidden Treasure Here!!



### August's Feast Day Special:

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Aug. 15  
In honor of Our Lady we will have 50% off the entire store

Loads of designer clothes, purses, shoes, come in and see!

We have our "Divine Light" specials throughout the store, just look for the blue light!

### Thrift Shop Hours:

Monday & Tuesday, 9-4; Thursday 9-7; Friday, 9-4; Saturday, 9-noon.

Visit our website, [stmaryeg.org/thrift-shop.html](http://stmaryeg.org/thrift-shop.html) for more info.

## St. Mary's Couples Bridge

St. Mary's Couples Bridge begins in September and plays once a month, individually arranged, through April. If interested, please call Bob or Lois Dittus, 262-827-0365.



## St. Mary's Class of 1967 Reunion

Are you a member of St. Mary's Class of 1967? Please join us for a reunion on Saturday, September 16, 2017 at 6pm at O'Donoghue's Irish Pub, 13225 Watertown Plank Road in Elm Grove. Please RSVP to [RichardGroh@gmail.com](mailto:RichardGroh@gmail.com).

## St. Mary's Senior's Group

St. Mary's Visitation's Senior's Group is looking for a candidate for president for the coming year. Anyone interested in this position should call Dan Matthews at 262-786-3813 to discuss. It is imperative that we fill this position by September in order that the club can continue to flourish. We are also looking for a person to take over the job of preparing coffee and scheduling the cakes volunteered and prepared by members for the enjoyment of all at our meetings. Thank you for your consideration of these opportunities.



## School Office Summer Hours

**Beginning Monday, August 14**  
8am to 3pm

### St. Mary's Visitation Parish School's Mission Statement

St. Mary's Visitation Catholic Parish School exists to direct children toward God and toward Christian service to society through Catholic religious formation, academic challenge and continuous improvement.



In your charity and prayers, please remember the souls of those who have recently died and their families.

John Steigerwald  
Diana Waslicki

### Readings for the Week of August 13, 2017

Sunday: 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-13a/Ps 85:9-14/Rom 9:1-5/Mt 14:22-33  
Monday: Dt 10:12-22/Ps 147:12-15, 19-20/Mt 17:22-27  
Tuesday: Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2/Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14/1 Cor 15:54b-57/Lk 11:27-28  
Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/Ps 45:10-12, 16/1 Cor 15:20-27/Lk 1:39-56  
Wednesday: Dt 34:1-12/Ps 66:1-3a, 5, 8, 16-17/Mt 18:15-20  
Thursday: Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17/Ps 114:1-6/Mt 18:21--19:1  
Friday: Jos 24:1-13/Ps 136:1-3, 16-18, 21-22, 24/Mt 19:3-12  
Saturday: Jos 24:14-29/Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-8, 11/Mt 19:13-15  
Next Sunday: Is 56:1, 6-7/Ps 67:2-3, 5-6, 8/Rom 11:13-15, 29-32/Mt 15:21-28

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### Weekday Ministers ~ The Week of August 13

Server	Bernie Fenelon
Sacristan	Rick Rehlinger
Lector	Sr. Dorothy
Eucharistic Ministers	Sr. Dorothy and Ron Szymanski

### St Mary's Ladies Bridge Marathon

The St. Mary's Ladies Bridge Marathon for 2017-2018 is currently being organized. All ladies who play bridge are invited to join the parish bridge marathon. We play monthly, September to May. It is a great way to make new friends!! Call Mary Troglia, 262-782-0366 if you are interested.



## Parish Calendar

Sunday (8/13): Family Rosary, 5pm+

Monday: Thrift Shop Open, 9am-4pm

Tuesday: The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary; Masses at 6:30am, 8am and 6pm

- Thrift Shop Open, 9am-4pm
- Parish Offices are Closed

Wednesday: Thrift Shop Closed

- Catechist Meeting 5:30-8:30pm, St. Dominic's

Thursday: Thrift Shop Open, 9am-7pm

Friday: Thrift Shop Open, 9am-4pm

- Kiwanis Golden K of EG. Coffee served until 9:30am mtg; SC (visitors are welcome)
- Holy Dusters; 9:30am, +
- Reconciliation; 2-5pm, +

Saturday (8/19): AA Meeting, 7-8am, SC

- Reconciliation 8:45-9:15am+
- Thrift Shop Open, 9am-noon

## Altar Server Training for New & Returning Servers



Thursday, August 24  
in the Church Atrium

New server training: 5-6 pm  
Returning server training: 6-7 pm

New server training is for incoming 6th graders and anyone who has not served before. New servers are **required** to attend this training as it is the only server training for this school year.

Returning server training is for those moving to Acolyte #1 (incoming 7th graders) and Crossbearer (incoming 8th graders). Servers who have already been trained as Crossbearer (those going into high school) are also encouraged to attend the training.

Please register at this link:

<https://goo.gl/forms/l4tOZXkSWqOaUHK02>

Contact Jenny Dascoli at the parish office, 262-782-4485 or [jdascoli@stmaryeg.org](mailto:jdascoli@stmaryeg.org) with any questions.



## St. Mary's Visitation School Welcomes New Staff Members

CATHOLIC SCHOOL  
Elm Grove

### *Mrs. Maggie Lewis — K3 Teacher*

My name is Mrs. Maggie Lewis and I am happy to introduce myself as the new K3 teacher at SMV. This will be my third year teaching K3. I started the K3 program at Holy Apostles and have been teaching there the past two years. In addition to being an SMV parish member and being a parent of children in the school, I look forward to being a part of the SMV community in a new way this year as a teacher. I earned my B.S. from UW-Madison and my teaching certificate from Mount Mary University. I love teaching K3 and working with children! I believe the goal of K3 is learning through play and I am excited to help provide the opportunity for children to begin their education in a play-based, child-centered, Catholic environment in the K3 program at St. Mary's Visitation School.



### *Ms. Annaleise Pospyhalla — Middle School English and Language Arts Teacher*

Hello! My name is Annaleise Pospyhalla and I am thrilled to be the new Middle School English/Language Arts teacher at St. Mary's Visitation Parish School! I cannot wait to meet all of the students and families here and join the St. Mary's community. I have recently graduated Magna Cum Laude from the University of Wisconsin-Whitewater in Elementary and Health Education. Growing up, I went to a Catholic school and it helped shape who I am today, so I am excited to start my teaching journey here at St. Mary's Visitation and I look forward to meeting everyone!

### *Señora Zielinski — Spanish Teacher*

¡Hola! I am thrilled to be the new Spanish teacher at St. Mary's Visitation School! I live in Muskego with my husband, Ryan, and two kids, Sawyer and Zoey. We have three dogs and spend a lot of time together outside. I have seven years of experience teaching elementary and middle school Spanish. I adore the middle level and can't wait to get to know your middle schooler! I graduated with honors from the University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh, double majoring in Spanish and Education. I also completed my Master's degree at the University of Wisconsin-LaCrosse in Professional Development. I look forward to sharing my passions for the Spanish language and Latino culture with my students!



### *Julie Swietlik — K3 Aide*

My name is Julie Swietlik. I grew up in Middleton, Wisconsin and moved to the Milwaukee area in 1995 with my husband Andy. In my spare time I like to read, create in the kitchen, take long walks, and explore the great outdoors. Five of our 10 children attend St Mary's so I am looking forward to walking to school with them and starting our day together as the new K3 assistant to Maggie Lewis. Children are a beautiful gift from God and I am honored to be able to spend the morning with these little ones!

### *Joan Hinchcliffe — After School Care*

My name is Joan Hinchcliffe, and I will be assisting with the After School Program at St. Mary's School this school year. I have been an Elm Grove resident and member of St. Mary's for 46 years. For several years I have been a Eucharistic Minister and a Minister of Hospitality, usually at the 11am Sunday Mass. My background is in education, I have an undergrad degree from UW-LaCrosse, with majors in physical education and English. My Master's Degree was in education and kinesiology from the U. of N. Colorado. I have taught all grade and age levels - elementary to university. At Marquette University, I taught elementary prep courses in physical education and health and supervised student teachers in their field work placements. I am looking forward to working with your children as part of the After School Program.

## Courtesy Announcements

### *Save the Date: St. Francis de Sales Seminary Dinner September 22*

Save the date for the 15th Annual St. Francis de Sales Seminary Dinner, Friday, September 22 at The Wisconsin Center. A cocktail reception will be held at 5:45pm followed by dinner at 7pm. The cost is \$150/person, \$1500 for a table of ten. For more information or to register visit <https://www.sfs.edu/AnnualDinner>.

### *Pope Francis Wants Young Adults' Opinions*

Pope Francis has asked that young people across the world (whether they are Catholic, practice another faith, or have no faith) be surveyed to discover how their needs and desires are being met by the Catholic Church. If you are 16-39 please complete his survey at [www.brewcitycatholic.com](http://www.brewcitycatholic.com). If you are not a young adult, please help us by passing the word!

### *St. Mary's Hales Corners Young at Heart Group*

Join the St. Mary's Hales Corners Young at Heart group on Tuesday, September 19<sup>th</sup> as they spend the morning at 10 Chimney's, enjoy high tea at the Schuster Mansion, learn a bit about Milwaukee's Original Three Settlements and finally enjoy dessert at the Irish Pub known as County Clare. Only a few spots still available – contact Polly Oldenburg at 262-894-6450 for complete details and registration.

## *Good Grief*

### **A 12 Week Bereavement Support Group**

Losing a loved one can be one of the most difficult, painful things we experience in our lives.

To help people through their grief journey, St. Mary's offers a 12-week "Good Grief" Support Group led by Certified Grief Counselor, Deacon Tom Binder. Previous participants have experienced significant healing and have rediscovered peace, joy and love in their lives.

If you're ready to move forward in your grief journey and smile again, why not join our Good Grief Support Group? Perhaps you could suggest Good Grief to a relative or friend.

**Wednesday mornings, September 6 – November 29, 2017**

**10-11:30am, Atrium Library**

Class size is limited. Registration is required. Contact Mary Sue at the Parish Office, 262-782-4575 or [msprotz@stmaryeg.org](mailto:msprotz@stmaryeg.org).

## *Tri Parish Summer Service Series*

*Upcoming Events – Service Spots Available!*



This service series, sponsored by St. Dominic, St. John Vianney, and St. Mary's Visitation, gives people a chance to participate in service with others whose life circumstances are very different from their own. Register online, [www.signupgenius.com/go/5080F48ADA62DA6FE3-summer](http://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080F48ADA62DA6FE3-summer), or contact Janlyn Carvalho at St. John Vianney, [janlync@stjohnv.org](mailto:janlync@stjohnv.org), 262-796-3944, ext. 1127 for more information.

**Thursday, August 17, 4:30-7:00pm, Saint Vincent de Paul Meal Program, 931 W. Madison, Milwaukee.** Learn about their meal program. Meet at the meal program at 4:30 for prayer, then serve beverages and/or food to guests. Join them for dinner and conversation. Children 14 and younger must be accompanied by parents. Please bring 2 gallons of 2% milk or bleach as donation. Leader: Mary Janowak.

**Wednesday, August 23, 1:30-3:00pm, School Sisters of Elm Grove Ice Cream Social, 13105 Watertown Plank Road, Elm Grove.** Volunteers will serve ice cream to the School Sisters of Notre Dame and their local community. This is a family-friendly event. Children of all ages are welcome if accompanied by an adult (includes babysitters 18+). Leader: Kathy Smith.