Blessed Trinity Parish

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St. Francis of Assisi Parish

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Office Hrs: Mon 8:30-2, Wed 8:30-3, Thurs 8:30-3

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Mass Schedule/Intentions						
Sun. 8/6	8:00 am Brussels - Deceased Priests of Diocese					
	9:30 am Hardin - Curt Robeen Sr.					
	5:00 pm Hardin - For the People					
Mon. 8/7	7:00 am Hardin - Ed Herter (1 Yr. Anniv.)					
Tues. 8/8	6:00 pm Meppen - Dorothy Sagez (Month's Mind)					
Wed. 8/9	8:30 am Hardin - Memorial Association					
Thu. 8/10	7:00 am Hardin - Susie Denton					
	9:30 am Nursing Home - Steve Woelfel (Month's Mind)					
Fri. 8/11	8:30 am Brussels - Elmer & Miriam Held					
Sat. 8/12	8:00 am Batchtown - Mary Presley					
•	4:00 pm Brussels - Edmund & Florence Friedel					
	6:30 pm Michael - Ed Klunk & Marie Woelfel					
Sun. 8/13	8:00 am Batchtown - Rodney Wallendorf					
•	9:30 am Hardin - Roger Pohlman					
	5:00 pm Hardin - For the People					

The Sacraments and Our Parish Life

Pastor: Rev. Don J. Roberts

Rectory: 883-2309

<u>Parish Membership</u> We would like every adult to be properly registered in the parish. Please call the parish for the registration form. Please let us know if you change your address.

<u>Matrimony</u> Couples should contact Fr. Roberts no less than 6 months prior to the anticipated date. One person in the couple must be a registered parishioner and a practicing Catholic.

<u>Baptisms</u> <u>Baptisms</u> should be received within a month after your child's birth. Baptisms can be celebrated after Mass on any Sunday of the year. A sacramental preparation program for parents is held prior to baptism. These classes are held quarterly. Please register to attend this class prior to the birth of your child. It is necessary for both parents to participate. <u>Anointing of the Sick/Home Visits</u> If you or a loved one is in need of this sacrament or in need of a visit and Holy Communion, please contact the church office or Fr. Roberts.

<u>Eucharistic Adoration</u> Eucharistic Adoration is held in St. Barbara's Church in Batchtown. 24 Hour Adoration begins at 7:00am Tuesday and concludes on Friday at 9:00pm.

<u>PSR Enrollment</u>—Families new to PSR should contact Angie Goode at 618-410-9152 or Kari Fraley at 653-4440.

Confessions

Mon- Fri.: One half hour prior to Mass; continuing for 15 minutes Saturday: 3:15-3:30 pm - Kampsville and 5:30-6:00 pm - Brussels

Monday - 6:30 am - 6:45 am; Thursday 6:30 am - 6:45 am; Tuesday 5:30 pm - 5:45 pm; Friday 8:00 am - 8:15 am; Wednesday 8:00 am - 8:15 am; Saturday 3:15 - 3:30 pm;

Parish Staff & Boards

Deacon - Dcn. Mike Hagen, 576-8009, mikehagen73@yahoo.com **Office Managers** -

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BT Finance Council - Dale Hagen - 2nd Tuesday 8:00 pm

BT Pastoral Council - Mike Wrigley - 2nd Tuesday 7:00 pm

St. Mary Advisory Board - 4th Tuesday 7:00 pm

SFA Finance Council - Dick Lieber - 3rd Tuesday 8:00 pm

SFA Pastoral Council - Brad Vacca - 3rd Tuesday 7:00 pm

St. Norbert's Advisory Board - 1st Tuesday 7:00 pm

Please pray for

Annette Alberson, John Baalman, Norman Baalman, Philip Baalman, Liam Batten, Lester Benz, Charlie Bichsel, Rosemary Bick, Tanner Bick, Tim Bick, Grace Elizabeth Brady, Geneva Breden, Norma Bright, Ray Brundies, Marissa Buchanan, Parker Calbreath, Kennedy Cooper, Jackson Craig, Dennis Droege, Patty Friedel, Danny Fuller, Roberta Fuller, Sarah Funk, Jim Godar, Norbert Godar, Penny Gress, Herman Hagen, Elda Hayn, Chalah Hagen Henderson, Cindy Herrmann, Tom Hill, Paul Hoemmen, Christine Hornberger, Debbie Ilges, Gary Jackson, Susan Jansen, Allen Johnson, Katelyn Johns, Mary Kallal, Mike Kinder, Shelley Kinder, Rosemary Klemme, Ellen Klocke, Alfred Kronable, Chuck Lorsbach, Short Lorsbach, Jean Lorton, Brian Marshall, Elizabeth McCasland, Shirley McCauley, Paul & Betty McGinnis, Kim Meyer, Hayley Miller, Michelle Montonage, Todd Mueller, Samantha Niezgodski, Lane Oden, Sara Orf, Mary Ann Patton, Harvey Phillips Sr., Cheston Pickett, Debbie Pluester, Paul Pluester, Rheta Poore, Rick Randazzo, Raymond Remrey, Otto Retzer, Eleanor Robeen, Noah Rogers, Carter Rose, Jordan Roth, Kurt Roth, Catherine Schleeper, Elizabeth Eberlin Schleicher, Don Schneider Jr., Darlene Seiferman, Jerry Siemer, Rosemary Siemer, Bob Sievers, Alice Snyders, Jo Ann Snyders, Paige Snyders, Mike Stelbrink, Dave Stenbeck, Eleanor Tepen, Mary Tepen, Helen Vetter, Bernie Wallendorf, Gus Wallendorf, Gary Watson, Margaret Wester, Ed Whitehead, Cindy Wieneke, Bruce Williams and for those for whom we have promised to pray.

Upcoming Events

August 5 & 6 - St. Joseph's Picnic, Meppen

August 12 & 13 - St. Mary's Picnic, Brussels

August 17 - SMS Pre-K Registration & Orientation, 7pm

August 21 - SMS & SNS first day of school

August 23 - SMS Meet the Teachers for Grades 1-8

September 1 - SMS Trivia Night, Brussels Legion

September 16/17 - Discipleship w/ Fr. Chuck Edwards

September 24 - SMS Quilt Game Day, Brussels Legion, 1pm

Stewardship of Treasure July 22 & 23, 2017

Blessed Trinity	Actual	Budget		
Reg. Collection	\$1959.00	\$3903.85		
Year to Date	\$11457.02	\$15615.40		
Amount Under/	Weekly	(1944.85)		
Over Budget	Year to Date	(4158.38)		
School Support \$40.00	Envelopes Sent	355 Used 64		
St. Francis of Assis	i Actual	Budget		
Reg. Collection	\$2089.00	\$3295.04		
Year to Date	\$9537.00	\$13180.16		
Amount Under/	Weekly	(1206.04)		

Year to Date

Envelopes Sent 362

Over Budget

School Support \$0.00

(3643.16)

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

<u>St. Mary School is looking for a Preschool Teacher</u>. Illinois teaching certification required. If interested, call school at 618-883-2124.

St. Francis of Assisi FUNDRAISER DRIVE Update As of 7/30/17, we have collected \$14,955 of our \$30,000 goal. To clarify, there will NOT be an upcoming picnic or spring dinner. This fundraiser drive substitutes those events.

<u>St. Norbert's Altar Society</u> will met on Monday, August 7 at 1pm. Joyce Simon will be hosting.

<u>St. Barbara's Altar Society</u> will meet on Monday, August 7 at 7:30pm. Hostesses are Vera Droege and Sharon Friedel.

St. Mary's Picnic Reminders Each family is asked to donate 5 ring toss prizes. They should fit within a 6" ring or quart jar. Prizes can be dropped off at the BT office or at the ring toss stand the night of the picnic. Also, jelly jars are needed; if you have to some to give away, please leave on the porch at the BT office. Please pick up your Grand Raffle tickets in the back of St. Mary Church and Chicken & Beef Donations are still being accepted.

Blessed Trinity Stewardship & Discipleship Update An open meeting will be held on Wednesday, August 16 for all parishioners and Blessed Trinity parish leaders. The meeting will be held at St. Joseph's Hall at 7pm. The purpose of the meeting is to update you on the Stewardship & Discipleship Initiative of the Diocese and inform you of the progress of the Fourth Diocesan Synod. Some of the Synod proposals would introduce significant changes to both the catechetical and financial operations of our school and parish. The Bishop would like parishioners to be informed about the specific proposals under consideration in order to solicit feedback for his continued discernment of these very important issues. If you cannot attend, but would like to read the synod proposals, they can be found on our diocesan website at www.dio.org.

St. Francis of Assisi now provides Online Giving - a convenient and safe way to make a one-time or recurring donation. Getting started is easy... just visit our website, www.sfacalhoun.com, and click on the Online Giving link.

FOUND: a digital camera near the large storage shed at St. Mary's. Call the parish office at 883-2400 to identify.

St. Mary's Church in Brussels is having their annual picnic on Saturday & Sunday, Aug. 12 & 13. Turtle Soup, fish and beef sandwiches will be served on Saturday evening beginning at 5pm. A chicken & beef dinner with dumplings and many other side dishes will be served family style on Sunday from 11am to 3pm in an air-conditioned dining room. Both days will offer lots of games for the whole family and music entertainment. A grand raffle will top off the picnic on Sunday evening.

Stewardship & Discipleship

Some of you may already be aware of the diocesan emphasis on Stewardship & Discipleship. Look for more information on this effort in the coming months, along with detail on the 4th Diocesan Synod (opened in April, 2017). From the diocesan web site, (www.dio.org), the following is there mission and purpose:

Mission

As faithful disciples of Jesus Christ, we are called to build up the people of God in the diocese of Springfield in Illinois in holiness and joy through works of love.

'As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another as good stewards of God's varied grace.' (1 Peter 4:10) **Purpose**

To serve our pastors and parish leaders in their role of forming parishioners to become Christian stewards.

- Keeps alive the stewardship message in our diocese by promoting the spirituality of stewardship and conversion.
- Helps pastors and lay leaders articulate the stewardship message by providing training and ongoing formation for implementing the spirituality of stewardship in concrete and practical ways.
- Provides the means for each parish and parishioner to renew their commitment to be a grateful disciple through stewardship as a way of life, especially in the parish annual stewardship commitment (renewal).
- Helps pastors and parish leaders recognize and receive the gifts of parishioners, and provides opportunities for them to share these gifts in love of God and neighbor.
- Helps pastors and parish leaders communicate the value of the United Catholic Stewardship in meeting parish, diocesan and universal needs of the Church.

We welcome your questions, thoughts, ideas and concerns... Contact either parish office by phone or email (see front of bulletin for contact information).

"A Community of Faith Praying For Our Troops"

St. Mary School will again be wearing our "Red Prayer Shirts" in support of our troops every Friday during the school year. We are inviting our parish and community to join us. Order forms can be found in the back of each of our parish churches. Please return your order form and payment to St. Mary School, P.O. Box 39 Brussels, IL. 62013 by Sept. 8, 2017. The cost of the shirt is \$15 and all of the profits will be used to purchase and mail care packages to our troops. If you would like to make a monetary donation in lieu of or in addition to ordering a shirt we would welcome that also. Thank you in advance for supporting this worthy cause.

SANCTUARY LIGHTS

The votive intentions for the week of August 6

St. Joseph's - Darleen Twichell



School News

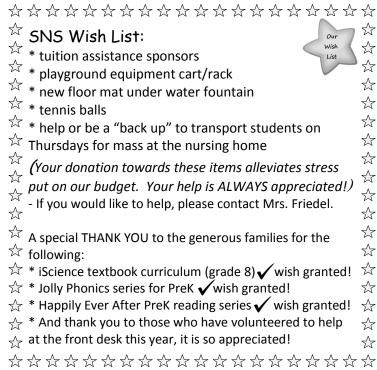
St. Mary's School

- * St. Mary School is looking for a Preschool Teacher. Illinois teaching certification required. If interested, call school at 618-883-2124.
- * The school office will be open during the summer on Tuesdays from 8-12. Messages can be left on the answering machine. We will return the calls as soon as possible.
- * Pre-K Orientation and Registration is set for August 17 at 7pm in the auditorium. Students and parents should attend. Please bring information about insurance, Dr. telephone numbers, etc. to fill out required forms. Your first tuition payment and registration fees are due on that day.
- * Meet the Teachers for Grades 1-8 will be held on Wednesday, August 23. First grade will meet at 6:30pm. Grades 2-8 will have two half-hour sessions starting at 7pm and 7:30pm. Any questions please call the school.
- * SMS Trivia Night is Friday, September 1 at the Brussels American Legion.
- * SMS Quilt Game Day is Sunday, September 24 at the Brussels American Legion. Doors open at 1pm, games start at 2pm. Food and Drinks will be available to purchase. If you would like to donate a quilt or prizes for the multiple winners please let Angie Willman know at 396-2206.
- * SMS Wish List: 8- plastic trash cans (about 13 gallon size) for umbrellas to be stored in the classrooms.

SMS is hosting a Trivia Night on Friday, September 1st at Brussels American Legion. Teams should consist of 8 people at \$100 entry fee. 1st place wins-\$200, 2nd wins-\$150, and 3rd wins-\$50. We will be selling loaded nachos (chicken or beef) and hot dogs. We will also have a 50/50 raffle and drop buckets. For those unable to attend, raffle tickets will also be available for purchase at the Bank of Kampsville in Brussels prior to event. We will be playing "Let's Make a Deal" between trivia rounds for a grand prize of over \$500 in restaurant/grocery gift cards. Must be present to win "Let's Make a Deal". You can bring you own snacks. Please contact Rachel Wilschetz-Hartman if you are wanting to sign-up a team. Message her on facebook or call at 618-623-8803. All teams should pay their \$100 entry fee as a team upon arrival.

St. Norbert's School

- * Open house for grades K-8 will be August 10 beginning at 7pm in the gym and dismissing to classrooms.
- * Open house for Children's House will be August 17.
- * Registration is still being accepted for K-8. Please contact Mrs. Friedel at rfriedel@snswolves.com.
- * First day of school is August 21.



LITURGICAL SCHEDULE								
	4:00 pm August 12 BRUSSELS	6:30 pm August 12 MICHAEL	8:00 am August 13 Batchtown	9:30 am August 13 Hardin	5:00 pm August 13 Hardin			
Servers:	Emma Vogel, Francis Vogel, Mary Vogel	Volunteer	Bryce Eilerman, Chandler Sievers, Trevor Pohlman	Cory & Nick Baalman, Auggie Squier, Josie Hoagland	Volunteer			
Lectors:	Yvonne Nolte	J. Clendenny	Kenneth Sievers	Julie Godar	Volunteer			
Ushers:	Cliff Nolte, Gregory Nolte	Bill Klunk, Ralph Becker	Jim Twichell, Greg Barczewski	Tom Lorsbach, Curt Peters	Volunteer			
Offertory:	M/M Everett Meyer		M/M Bill Tepen	Alan Shofner Family	Volunteer			
Extra- Ordinary Ministers:	Kim Vogel, Lisa Vogel, Joan Held	J. Clendenny, J. Baltisberger, M. Gilman	Debbie Eilerman, Pat & Vera Droege	L. Kallal, T. Shofner, J. Wieneke, D. Lieber, B. Ellis	Volunteer			

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