

# Blessed Trinity Parish

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# St. Francis of Assisi Parish

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Mass Schedule/Intentions		The Sacraments and Our Parish Life																																	
Sun. 9/3	8:00 am Batchtown - Susan Eilerman 9:30 am Hardin - Curt Robeen Sr. 5:00 pm Hardin - For the People	<b>Parish Membership</b> 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.																																	
Mon. 9/4	7:00 am Hardin - Gene Simon	<b>Matrimony</b> 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.																																	
Tues. 9/5	6:00 pm Meppen - Charles & Kevin Pohlman	<b>Baptisms</b> <i>Baptism should be received within a month after your child's birth.</i> 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. <i>Please register to attend this class prior to the birth of your child.</i> It is necessary for both parents to participate.																																	
Wed. 9/6	8:30 am Hardin - Garrett & Jeanine Hagen	<b>Anointing of the Sick/Home Visits</b> 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.																																	
Thu. 9/7	7:00 am Hardin - Donald Toppmeyer 9:30 am Nursing Home - Gene Simon	<b>Eucharistic Adoration</b> 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.																																	
Fri. 9/8	8:30 am Brussels - Henry & Virginia Burch	<b>PSR Enrollment</b> —Families new to PSR should contact Angie Goode at 618-410-9152 or Kari Fraley at 653-4440.																																	
Sat. 9/9	8:00 am Batchtown - Mary Lee Funk Merkle 4:00 pm Kampsville - Jason Sagez 6:30 pm Brussels - Oscar F. Haug																																		
Sun. 9/10	8:00 am Batchtown - Lawrence & Sally Bick Family 9:30 am Hardin - Deceased Priests in our Diocese 5:00 pm Hardin - NO MASS																																		
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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		Annette Alberson, John 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, Kim Clowers, 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 Lorsche, Short Lorsche, 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, Catherine Wieneke, Cindy Wieneke, Bruce Williams and for those for whom we have promised to pray.																																	
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		Stewardship of Treasure August 19 & 20, 2017																																	
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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Second Collection** Over the past several days, all of us have been following the historic flooding in southeast Texas. Hurricane Harvey has created an unprecedented and catastrophic weather event of immense proportions. The Bishop asks, in union with dioceses in the country, that a collection be taken up next weekend, September 9-10.

**St. Francis of Assisi FUNDRAISER DRIVE Update** As of 8/27/17, we have collected \$17,510 of our \$30,000 goal. To clarify, there will NOT be a picnic or spring dinner. This fundraiser drive substitutes those events.

**St. Francis of Assisi Parish Leaders Meeting** Father Roberts and the Pastoral Council are holding the third "SFA Parish Leaders Meeting" at 7:00-8:30pm on Thursday, September 21, at St. Anselm's Hall. The intent of the meeting is twofold: 1) To communicate the status and recommendations of the on-going Bishop's Diocesan Synod efforts; and 2) To continue our quarterly parish meetings to increase communication and cooperation between the Finance Committee, the Pastoral Council, the School Board, the Altar Society, School Teachers, PSR Teachers, and Office Staff. Parishioners are also highly encouraged to attend as well. Refreshments will be served. A PowerPoint Presentation will be shown detailing the recommendations of the Bishop's Diocesan Synod. The Bishop has asked the parish representatives to communicate these recommendations to parishioners and to report back to him with those comments. Please call Brad Vacca 314-608-9302 if you have questions or recommendations.

**St. Barbara's Altar Society** Due to the Labor Day holiday, St. Barbara's Altar Society will not meet in September. Next meeting will be October 2.

**Memorial Plaques at St. Mary's** The memorial plaques for the sponsorship and donors for St. Mary's Restoration Project are temporarily on display in the church's accessible entrance hallway. They will be permanently placed later. There are still items and pews available for purchase if you are interested in making a donation in memory of or in honor of someone. Information sheets are available or you can call Sarah at the church office: 883-2400. Thank you to all who have already made a contribution.

**St. Mary Church Picnic: Successful Year** St. Mary Church picnic was blessed with wonderful weather this year. Many thanks to all the parishioners and non-parishioners that came out during the week prior to the picnic and throughout the weekend to help set up and work. All your hard work is greatly appreciated. It would not be a success without you!! Also, thank you to all the businesses and individuals who donated to the picnic in any way and advertised for us. Your continued support means so much to the success of this picnic. We couldn't do it without you! A special thank you to Sarah Kinder for everything you did for us in the office prior to the picnic and after. Your help is

## ANNOUNCEMENTS (continued)

greatly appreciated!! Finally, thank you to everyone for coming out and enjoying the weekend with us. We hope to see you again next year! Thanks again! -- 2017 St. Mary Church Picnic Committee.

**Thank you** to the family of Norman Baalman for the donations to Blessed Trinity Memorial Fund and St. Mary's School Memorial Fund.

**RCIA** Do you know someone not baptized or baptized in a non-Catholic Christian tradition, who wants to know what it means to become Catholic? Know someone already Catholic but has not yet received Communion & Confirmation? The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a place to ask questions & seek understanding. Father Roberts will be starting new RCIA classes on Thursday, October 5 at 7pm. Please contact either church office to sign up. Anyone already Catholic is welcome to attend any class or all classes to refresh their knowledge.

### **Fidelis - Woman's Retreat**

All women 18+ are invited to the upcoming Fidelis retreat:  
**"ABUNDANT LIFE"**

Saturday, September 30 @ 9:00-11:30am  
St. Boniface Parish

110 North Buchanan St., Edwardsville IL 62025

Come experience a dynamic retreat that will help you live authentic joy. Retreat is offered FREE to all women.

*If you feel like your life could have more joy, purpose and peace, we invite you to attend this upcoming women's retreat. Have your heart's questions answered.*

Fidelis - seeks to remind women of all ages of the dignity of their femininity while helping them grow in intimacy with God and authentic friendship with each other.

Call 618-656-6450 to register. [fidelisonline.org](http://fidelisonline.org)

### **Fall Bible Study**

Eucharist: Discovering the Mass in the Bible  
Monday evenings 7-8pm

Sept 11-Nov 13 @ St. Mary's Hall

NO prior bible study is necessary. NO cost to you, except your time. NO workbooks are necessary, but are available free online, if you want to supplement your study. Come try it out for a week or two. There's no obligation to continue. Have questions? Want to register? Contact Joyce Vogel at 618-980-4433 or [vogelj85@yahoo.com](mailto:vogelj85@yahoo.com)

### **SANCTUARY LIGHTS**

The votive intentions for the week of September 3

**St. Joseph's** - Darleen Twichell

**St. Norbert's** - Curt Robeen Sr. and

Doug, Mike & Baby Michael Robeen




\* Welcome to all our new families who have students in Pre-k and 1<sup>st</sup> grade! We also want to welcome our new Pre-k teachers, Mrs. Rachel Wilschetz-Hartman and Mrs. Melissa Nolte!

\* Thank you to the Hardin Senior Center for the school supplies. The Pre-k were very happy with the new markers, crayons and glue sticks! The boxes of pencils will be sharpened on the NEW pencil sharpeners that the school purchased over the summer.

\* SMS will host a Scholastic Book Fair starting on September 5 and ending on September 15, 2017. It will be in the school library. If you would like to visit please call the school. The book fair should be open before and after school.

\* SMS Quilt Game Day is Sunday, September 24 at the Brussels American Legion. Doors open at 1pm, games start at 2pm. *A quilt will be given away to one winner for each game.* *If more than one wins, a card draw will determine the quilt winner and the other(s) will receive a prize from the table.* 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.



\* St. Mary School is selling tickets for the Mega Money Raffle. There will be a monthly early bird draw of \$100.00 September through January. In February we will draw for the grand prizes at the annual St. Mary dinner/auction. Tickets are 1 for \$10, 3 for \$25 or 15 for \$100. Many parents have tickets or you can contact St. Mary School at 618-883-2124 or Lynnette Macauley at 618-883-2269.

*South Calhoun Library will be adding new hours starting September 1: Mon.-Wed. 9:30am to 4pm, Friday 10am to 2pm, and Saturday 9am to Noon. Please call the library if you have any questions 618-883-2522.*

- \* No School September 4 - Labor Day
- \* Come see fair displays.
- \* Dismiss at 11:30am on September 15
- \* September 27-29, grades 6-8 field trip to Chicago.

**SNS Wish List:**

- \* tuition assistance sponsors
- \* playground equipment cart/rack
- \* help or be a "back up" to transport students on Thursdays for mass at the nursing home

*(Your donation towards these items alleviates stress put on our budget. Your help is ALWAYS appreciated!)*

- If you would like to help, please contact Mrs. Friedel.



## **“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.



## Banns of Marriage

Ashley M. Wieneke &amp; Cody W. Kiel

## LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

	<b>4:00 pm Sept. 9 Kampsville</b>	<b>6:30 pm Sept. 9 Brussels</b>	<b>8:00 am Sept. 10 Batchtown</b>	<b>9:30 am Sept. 10 Hardin</b>	<b>5:00 pm Sept. 10 Hardin</b>
<b>Servers:</b>	Volunteer	Emma Hoemmen, Shane Macauley, Hope Odelehr	Chandler Sievers, Trevor Pohlman, Paige Snyders	Kyle Robeen, Joe Stein, Chase Ralston, Kate Zipprich	Volunteer
<b>Lectors:</b>	J. Clendenny	Carol Hiatt	Jim Twichell	Alan Shofner	Volunteer
<b>Ushers:</b>	Bill Klunk, Ralph Becker	Greg Klaas, Don Moennig	Bernard & Vincent Johnes	Roger Hagen, Eric Hagen	Volunteer
<b>Offertory:</b>		M/M Don Moennig	M/M Mark Friedel	Shirley Gansz & JoAnn Holland	Volunteer
<b>Extra- Ordinary Ministers:</b>	J. Baltisberger, J. Clendenny, M. Gilman	Lisa Vogel, Barb Toppmeyer, Pat Jacobs	Debbie Eilerman, Pat & Vera Droege	L. Kallal, T. Shofner, J. Wieneke, D. Lieber, B. Ellis	Volunteer

# Memorial Association

Jeanette Angel  
Gale & Marilyn Aulabaugh  
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Paul Baalman  
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Carolyn Buchanan  
Ray & Gertie Cappel  
William Droege Family  
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Ray, Dorothy & David Eberlin  
Clarence & Elizabeth Ewen  
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Joe, Norma, and Barney Fortschneider  
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Edmund & Florence Friedel  
Henry & Dorothy Fuhler Family  
Cletus & Esther German Family

Bill & Irene Godar Family  
Norbert & Mary J. Godar  
Norbert Gotway & Todd Gotway  
Henry, Mary & Laura Hagen Family  
Jacob Hagen  
Leroy, Tim & Bret Hagen  
William G. "Bill" Hagen  
William R. & Kathryn Hagen  
Elmer & Miriam Held  
Henry Held Family  
Louis Held  
Clem & Irene Hillen  
Paul & Helen Hoemmen  
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Harrell & Frances Miller

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Robert Siemer  
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Ferdinand & Caroline Sievers  
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Gene Simon  
Conrad "Connie" Snyders  
Raphael & Phyllis Snyders  
Vincen, Agnes & Otto R. Snyders  
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Matt & Irene Telkamp  
& Bobby Hoemmen  
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Lucas & Margaret Tepen Family  
Norman Titus  
Barney Toppmeyer Family  
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