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Third Sunday of Lent

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Second Collection There will be a second collection taken up next weekend, March 10-11, for Catholic Relief Services. **St. Norbert's Altar Society** will meet on Monday, March 5 at 1pm. Janet Lorschbach will be the hostess.

St. Barbara's Altar Society will meet March 5 at 7:30pm. Hostesses are Suzanne Kamp & Angeline Klaas.

Thank you to the family of Charles Nolte for the generous donations to St. Mary's School and St. Mary's Rebuilding Funds in memory of Charlie.

St. Mary's Support Club would like to thank all who donated time, prizes, and attended the successful dinner benefit. All efforts were greatly appreciated, especially those who were responsible to coordinate the event. The net profit was approximately \$30,000. Job well done!

New Addresses If you receive a new 911 address, please write your new address on your collection envelope or send to your parish office by phone or email.

Found: A children's Garmin watch was found in St. Norbert's Church, if it belongs to you, please call or stop by the parish office.

2017 Contribution Reports are ready and available. If you would like to have yours, stop in or call your parish office.

St. Francis of Assisi FUNDRAISER DRIVE Update As of 2/25/18, we have collected \$23,585 of our \$30,000 goal. To clarify, this fundraiser drive replaces the 2017 picnic and 2018 spring dinner.

LENTEN SCHEDULE

STATIONS OF THE CROSS: Fridays, 6:30pm at Hardin & Brussels.

PENANCE: Mon-Fri: beginning one half hour prior to Mass, continuing for 15 minutes. Saturday: 3:15-3:30pm at Kampsville and 5:45-6:00pm at Brussels.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:

All are invited to visit our dear Lord in the Blessed Sacrament at St. Barbara's Church in Batchtown every Tuesday beginning at 8am and continuing through Friday until 9pm.

March 16 - Brussels Legion Fish Fry
March 23 - Brussels Legion Fish Fry



Financial Peace University Class Beginning March 4!

We are getting ready to launch another Financial Peace University class!! This time, no pre-registration necessary. **THE FIRST CLASS, SUNDAY, MARCH 4, 6:30-8:30pm, IS FREE TO ALL!!** Come check it out. If you want to continue with 8 more sessions, you'll simply pay \$75 after class for your kit valued at \$100. (*Note: If you have attended Pre Cana in the diocese within the last 3 years, FPU is free for all 9 weeks!*) Contact Maria Carmody at 576-2662 for more detail. Class will be held at the Hardin parish office.

Seven Deadly Sins, Seven Lively Virtues

—a 4 part DVD series

"Where sin increased, grace overflowed all the more."
(Rom 5:20)

In his unique and engaging style, Bishop Robert Barron challenges us to discover the sin that stands in the way of the life that we were meant to live and the virtues that assure us of that freedom. A great opportunity for Lenten reflection!

March 1, 8, 15, and 22nd from 7-8pm at St. Mary's Hall.

No registration necessary. No fee.

Calhoun County Koinonia #21
Come enjoy some community fellowship during our March 9-11 Koinonia. This weekend renewal will take place in Meppen, IL, in St. Joseph Hall. We begin Friday evening with a meal at 5:30pm, and each night you will return to your own home. For a complete schedule, please pick up a registration form in the backs of all churches or in our church offices. You may also download a form at www.sfcalhoun.com. For questions, please call Maria Carmody, 576-2662 or Roger Hagen, 576-2350. We would love all forms to be turned in by March 1 so that we may plan meals accordingly.

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Searching for a deeper sense of purpose in life? Tired of just surviving? Dynamic Catholic's Matthew Kelly will inspire you to find the genius in Catholicism and the path to greater joy in life. **Saturday, April 28, 2018 at the Family Arena in St. Charles, MO from 7-10pm.** Tickets are \$39 and available online at dynamiccatholic.com/stlouis. Additional details of the event and a Matthew Kelly trailer also can be found at that website.

For inspiration during the Lenten season listen to Catholic radio on **KHOJ AM 1460**. Listen to daily Holy Mass, the Rosary, and the Divine Mercy Chaplet along with other inspiring programs. For a program schedule and a free CD, please call 314-752-7000.



ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI DINNER AUCTION

Saturday, March 3rd, 2018
KC Hall - Hardin IL

Doors open at 5:30 Meal at 6:30

\$15 in advance • \$20 at the door
includes buffet-style dinner

**Silent and live auction, door prizes,
balloon pops, card deck raffles,
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Tickets or Questions?
Call the SFA Parish Office 618-576-2628

Thank You For Your Support

School News

St. Mary's School

* SMS students (Pre-K to 8) are being asked to donate 1 canned good item each Friday during Lent for our "Feed My People" program. Our hope is to build a pyramid with the donated items, as a way to illustrate the generous spirit of the Blessed Trinity Parish/St. Mary School Community. A box will be left in St. Mary Church in case anyone else would also like to donate. Food items can also be left off at school during the week.

* Everyone is welcome to join the students for the Stations of the Cross every Monday afternoon during Lent at 1:15pm in St. Mary's Church.

MARCH 4, 2018 "WHO ARE YOU FOLLOWING?"

Third Sunday of Lent In today's Gospel, we see the rare occurrence of Jesus' anger; He is angry at how the people have defiled His Father's house. In light of this reading, the baptized stewards should not only consider their own use of the church building, but also the use of the other "temples" in their lives. Have we defiled the domestic church? Perhaps our homes are filled with so much technology and "noise" that we can't begin to find God there. And what about the temple that is the human body -- how many ways do we tend to misuse it?? Perhaps this Lent is the perfect time for us to cleanse our various "temples," making them perfect homes for our Lord.

SANCTUARY LIGHTS

The votive intentions for the week of March 4

St. Anselm's - Norbert Gotway Jr.
St. Mary's (a) - Special Intention



Stations of the Cross

During all the Fridays of Lent, Blessed Trinity and St. Francis of Assisi will have the Stations of the Cross at 6:30pm at St. Mary's Church and St. Norbert's Church.

St. Norbert's School

* Each Friday during lent, SNS will take part in Stations of the Cross at 9:30am in St. Norbert's Church. Everyone is welcome to attend!

* March 5 - No School (Casmir Pulaski Day)

* Thank you to everyone who has donated towards our technology fund. Our Promethean Boards are in but we still have not quite yet met our goal. We will then continue this fund for future technology needs as well. Donations can be made by mail, dropped off at school or placed in the collection basket marked as so. These donations are tax deductible! Contact Mrs.



Lent stimulates us to let the word of God penetrate our life and in this way to know the fundamental truth; who we are, where we come from, where we must go, what path we must take in life.

Pope Benedict XV1, Into the Deep, Feb./Mar.. 2014, Reprint by permission of www.stoneswillshout.com/wp

Lenten Regulations

1. Abstinence—Everyone 14 years of age and over is bound to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday and all the Fridays of Lent.

2. Fast—Everyone 18 years of age and under 59 is required to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. On these two days of fast and abstinence, only one full meatless meal is permitted. Two other meatless meals sufficient to maintain strength may be taken according to each person's needs, but together these two should not equal another full meal. Eating between meals is not permitted, but liquids (including milk and fruit juices) are allowed.

3. To disregard completely the law of fast and abstinence is seriously sinful.

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

	4:00 pm March 10 Kampsville	6:30 pm March 10 Brussels	8:00 am March 11 Meppen	9:30 am March 11 Hardin	5:00 pm March 11 Hardin
Servers:	Volunteer	Francis, John Paul, & Mary Vogel	Hope Smith, Trevor Pohlman, Cade Sievers	Ava Hurley, Joy Hurley, Will Hurley	Volunteer
Lectors:	J. Clendenny	Carol Hiatt	Kathy Sievers	Alan Shofner	Volunteer
Ushers:	J. Ewen, J. Stelbrink	Mike Wrigley, Joe Caselton	Clint Pluester, Shawn Sievers	Tom Lorsche, Curt Peters	Volunteer
Offertory:		M/M Roger Rose	Clint & Cheslie Pluester	Shirley Gansz, JoAnn Holland	Volunteer
Extra-Ordinary Ministers:	J. Baltisberger, J. Clendenny, M. Gilman	Lisa Vogel, Rita Hagen, Pat Jacobs	Duane & Kate Sievers, Janet Droege	L. Kallal, T. Shofner, J. Wieneke, D. Lieber, B. Ellis	Volunteer

March 4, 2018

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