

# St. Mary's Parish

900 Central Ave., Coon Valley, WI 54623



## HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!

*Fr. Matt Marshall, Pastor*

*12th Sunday in Ordinary Time—June 21, 2020*

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**St. Mary's, Coon Valley**

**Weekend Masses (beginning May 30/31, 2020):**

- 4:00 PM Saturday (limited to 30 people)

- 8:00 AM Sunday (limited to 30 people)

- 10:30 AM Sunday (limited to 30 people)

**Weekday Mass:**

Held privately by Fr. Matt, please contact him if you wish to attend.

**Local Parishes—Mass Times**

**Annunciation of the BVM, Viroqua**

Sat. 5:15 PM and Sun. 8:00 and 10:30 AM

**St. Joseph, St. Joseph Ridge**

Sat. 4:00 PM and Sun. 8:30 AM

**St. Peter, Middle Ridge**

Sat. 8:00 AM and Sun. 10:30 AM

**Holy Day Mass:** Please check the bulletin for times.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Before Mass on Saturday; other times as announced or by appointment, request appointment by calling Fr. Matt or via our website under the Sacraments tab. <https://www.stmarycv.org/sacraments>

**New Parishioners:** Welcome to our parish! Please introduce yourself to Fr. Matt and contact the parish office for registration and information. <https://www.stmarycv.org/visit-us>

**Sacrament of Baptism:** Please submit a Baptism registration by mail, or e-mail to both [stmarysev@mwt.net](mailto:stmarysev@mwt.net) AND [frmattmarshall@gmail.com](mailto:frmattmarshall@gmail.com). You will be contacted by the parish office to finalize your requested date. The registration form can be found at: <https://www.stmarycv.org/sacraments>.

**Sacrament of Anointing / Visitation of the Sick:** Please contact the parish office when someone you know is in need of either the sacrament or a pastoral visit, or call Fr. Matt. Requests may also be made from our website under the Sacraments tab. <https://www.stmarycv.org/sacraments>

**Mass Intentions:** Please use the Mass Intention envelopes available in the back of church and at the side door.

**Book of Prayer Requests:**

Located in the back of church. Feel free to add your own prayer requests. The requests will be included in the Mass intercessions.

*St. Mary's Parish, Coon Valley, WI*  
*12th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

**SUNDAY, JUNE 21, 2020**

- 1) Jeremiah 20:10-13
- 2) Romans 5:12-15
- 3) Matthew 10:26-33

**FOCUS:** God knows even the hairs on our heads – we need not be afraid of anything.

Jesus exhorts: *Do not be afraid. Do not be afraid. Do not be afraid.* He calls us to proclaim his words *on the housetops*. We know that we are never left alone, and that through God's care and the help of the Holy Spirit we can testify to him by whose death and resurrection we are saved. Courage is a gift of the Holy Spirit.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

Jeremiah, the prophet, praises the Lord in the midst of terror and persecution, trusting God's power to save. In his Letter to the Romans, Paul teaches that death came through Adam's sin, but Jesus brings the grace of God as a gift. In the Gospel, Jesus encourages the Twelve to *not be afraid*, even under persecution, trusting their Father who counts even the hairs on their heads.

**Televised Masses:**

WXOW CH 19 La Crosse – Sunday: 9:30 AM  
EWTN (cable/sat.) – Sunday: 7 AM & 11 AM  
Daily: 7 AM & 6 PM  
FOX 25-48 Winona Diocese—7:00 AM

**Catholic Broadcasting:**

EWTN Catholic Cable Television Vernon  
Telephone Cable – Chan. 143  
MediaCom Chan 15 – Coon Valley  
Chan 74 – La Crosse also available via satellite

**Online:**

La Crosse Diocese: <https://diolc.org/sacredworship/televised-mass/> or live <https://diolc.org/live> . Daily at 8 AM, Sunday at 9:30 AM

<b>Giving Last Week</b>		<b>Week 24</b>	<b>6/14/2020</b>
Adult Env.	\$940.00	Needed Weekly	\$1,900.00
Offertory	\$410.00	Received This Week	\$1,350.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,350.00</b>	Run. Tot. Needed	\$45,600.00
		YTD Received	\$45,949.89
21 Adult Env		Difference	349.89

**Upcoming Events/Calendar**

- Streaming Live on Facebook— our 8:00 AM Mass— <https://www.facebook.com/StMarysCoonValley>

**New Mass Time Schedule**

- Saturday 4:00 PM (limited to 30 people)
- Sunday @ 8:00 AM (limited to 30 people)
- Sunday @ 10:30 AM (limited to 30 people)
- **Weekday Mass** is being held privately by Fr. Matt, if you would like to attend, contact him prior to the date for a time.
- **Church will be open for private prayer Tuesday through Friday from 9AM until 7 PM and Sunday Noon to 7 PM** (please practice good social distancing and Maximum of 10 persons)
- June 24th at 6:00 PM—Finance Council Meeting

**Intentions**

Weekday intentions will be prayed for privately by Father Matt on the day scheduled, please add these intentions to your own, in your prayers from home.

<b>June 20 ~ 4:00 PM - Woody and Rose Roningen</b>
<b>June 21 ~ 8:00 AM - †Deceased members of the Fleming and Ollendick Families</b>
<b>June 21 ~ 10:30 AM - Owen and Zach Brenson</b>
June 23 ~ †Edward Kerska
June 24 ~ †Ronald Hammes
June 26 ~ †Lucille Kumm
<b>June 27 ~ 4:00 PM - †Don Kammel</b>
<b>June 28 ~ 8:00 AM - †Willard and Mina Kubal</b>
<b>June 28 ~ 10:30 AM - †Robert Welsch</b>

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## From Fr. Matt

- Bishop Callahan turned 70 years old on Wed. Please remember to pray for our Bishop daily. Happy Birthday Bishop!

- **Happy Father's Day** to all the men who have encouraged and nurtured us along the way in life. God bless you! We love you!

- **We have moved to a new platform**, I hope that you have found Jitsi and our At Home Prayers helpful. Instead, we will now be recording our 8 AM Mass on **Facebook Live** each week during COVID-time. It can be viewed live during the 8 AM hour each Sunday morning, or can be viewed later as a recording on our Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/StMarysCoonValley>

- **Reminder:** Contact Fr. Matt each week to let him know when intend to come to Mass so we may stay within the guideline numbers.

- Sad news for our Diocese and Viroqua neighbors. Fr. Charlie Richmond is being investigated for sexual assault of a child in Chippewa County. Fr. Richmond was immediately removed from ministry and will remain out of ministry until the investigation is concluded. During this time I will be serving as Administrator of St. Mary's Viroqua. Fr. Dhein and Msgr. Kunz will cover Masses there. Please pray for all those affected, especially our neighboring parish. Local news will continue covering this story as it unfolds. Our Diocese will give updates as able. Feel free to ask me questions and please pray for healing to come regarding this heart-breaking situation.

- Use our online service at: [diolc.org/st-mary-coon-valley](http://diolc.org/st-mary-coon-valley) (a 3% fee will be assessed by the provider of the giving portal, your contribution will be recorded for the full amount).

### Staying Connected

- The parish bulletin will continue to be available on our Website—[www.stmarycv.org](http://www.stmarycv.org)
- We are mailing the bulletin to those over the age of 80 (if their age is recorded in our database)
- Copies of the bulletin will also be available in the church for pickup during private prayer times.
- **If you know of someone who does not have internet and could benefit from having the bulletin mailed to their home, please contact the parish office with the person(s) name(s).**

Annual Appeal 2019-2020		
As of 06/17/2020	Total Pledged	Total Payments
Pledged/Paid	\$15,547.50	\$15,047.50
Target Amount	<u>\$11,755.00</u>	<u>\$11,755.00</u>
<b>Over Target</b>	\$3,792.50	\$3,292.50
Percent Pledged: 132.26%, Percent Received: 127.67%		
Number Contributing:	41	

### Diocesan Annual Appeal Ends June 30th

This year we again exceeded our target! If you haven't given, **NOW IS THE TIME**, because **all the money given before June 30th will be returned directly to the Parish untaxed** (funds not calculated in quotas or future Appeals) **by the Diocese**.

The quickest way to contribute in online at: <https://diolc.org/donate-online> Under DESIGNATION, choose 2019 (445) St Mary Parish.

Otherwise, use the card in today's bulletin and mail it along with your payment directly to the Diocese.

Diocese of La Crosse—Annual Appeal  
PO Box 4004  
La Crosse, WI 54603-4004

*Thank You again for supporting the Appeal and your parish!*

## Parish Announcements

### Lenten Mite Boxes and Rice Bowls

We are still accepting the boxes. You may be drop off at the church during private prayer time or add to the collection during Mass. Thank you for supporting the Missionary Childhood Association and Catholic Relief Services.

### Parish Financial Support Options

- US Postal Service: mail directly to the parish office.
- Bill Pay through online banking, add St. Mary's as contact (if possible, use your envelope number as the account number).

## Diocesan/Local Announcements

**Cathedral Live Stream Mass Schedule** [diolc.org/live](http://diolc.org/live)  
Live Daily Mass (Monday-Saturday) from the Cathedral  
Mass in English – 8:00am  
Mass in Spanish – 8:30am  
Live Sunday Mass from the Cathedral Mass in  
English – 9:30 a.m. Mass in Spanish – 10:30 a.m.

**A Virtual 50th Jubilee Anniversary Celebration**—The in-person 50th wedding anniversary Masses have been canceled. But a special Mass with Bishop Callahan will be held this year via live-stream at 1:00 pm on Sunday,

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## Diocesan/Local Announcements Continued

July 12 from the Cathedral. You will be able to view the live stream or recording by visiting <https://diolc.org/marriage/> on and after July 12.

### Queen of the Americas Guild Annual Conference

July 31-August 1, 2020 at the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe. Join us for this two day conference/retreat examining Our Lady of Guadalupe's relationship to Human Life and Its Cradle in the Family Formed by Marriage. Enhance your faith and learn more about the miracle of Our Lady of Guadalupe, and the history of our Faith. Visit: [queenoftheamericasguild.org](http://queenoftheamericasguild.org), call 630-584-1822 or email [staff@queenoftheamericasguild.org](mailto:staff@queenoftheamericasguild.org). Flyers are also in the back of church.

### Chrism Mass live stream

This year the Chrism Mass will be celebrated privately on Friday, June 26 at 10 a.m. The Mass will be live streamed at [diolc.org/live](http://diolc.org/live) and on the [diocesan Facebook](#).

### Religious Freedom Week June 22-29

Religious Freedom Week, proclaimed annually by the U.S. Bishops, begins on June 22, the feast of St. Thomas More and St. John Fisher, two great saints martyred for upholding their Catholic faith and consciences. For information and resources, visit <http://www.usccb.org> and click on Religious Freedom Week 2020.

### UPDATE - Adventure Camp Canceled

After much discussion, thought, and prayer we have decided to make the decision to cancel Adventure Camp this summer due to ongoing concerns with the COVID virus. We had originally moved our date to late July to give us the best chance of holding Adventure Camp, but there are still too many unknowns and parish staff, families, and camp staff need time to make plans accordingly. Please know that you, the families whom you serve, and your ministry remain in our prayers.

### The National Federation for Catholic Youth Ministry (NFCYM) Free Associate Membership

The National Federation for Catholic Youth Ministry (NFCYM) Free Associate Membership until July 1, 2020. The NFCYM states, "The National Federation for Catholic Youth Ministry (NFCYM) seeks to empower young people to be missionary disciples. That's why we equip you – pastoral leaders, youth ministers, parents, and others – as you accompany youth to be Christian witnesses in their daily, and ever-changing lives. NFCYM is a national network of youth ministry leaders who support each other and share ideas and struggles. Community and collaboration drive us to go beyond our individual efforts and innovate to make a bigger impact on the youth we serve. Join NFCYM to develop your skills with training and resources, be 'in the know' on all things youth ministry and connect with your peers in a new way. But, most importantly, you can help bring more young people to Christ throughout the United States." Please go to <https://nfcym.org/members/>

[associate-membership/](#) learn more about the benefits of being an Associate Member of the NFCYM. If you apply for Associate Membership by July 1, 2020, you will have a full year of free membership to the NFCYM.

### Save the Date: August 29th Witnesses for Christ Conference – Virtual

Amidst the ongoing concerns of spreading the COVID-19 virus, the Witnesses for Christ Conference on August 29th will be VIRTUAL! Fr. Timothy Gallagher will present on "Overcoming Spiritual Discouragement." Learn to find freedom from one of the greatest obstacles in life – the "cage" of everyday discouragement we all experience. This is such a timely topic in light of the current state of affairs, so we are moving forward with a Virtual Conference. The presentations will be live-streamed by ZOOM webinar. Participants may engage as individuals or groups. Further details to follow.

**Diaconate ordinations** of Mr. Arturo Viguera Estrada, Mr. Michael Kamrowski, Mr. Martin Kulak, Mr. John McDonnell, Mr. Gordon Ruplinger and Mr. Kurt Zakrzewski will be on Tuesday, June 23, at 10 a.m. The private Mass will be live streamed at [diolc.org/live](http://diolc.org/live).

### The Importance of St. Joseph

God the Father chose Joseph, from among all men, to take care of and nurture Jesus – the Son of God! One significant way is to undertake a 33-day consecration, which involves 15 minutes of compelling reading about St. Joseph during those days. This is available in a new book entitled Consecration to St. Joseph: The Wonders of Our Spiritual Father, by Fr. Donald Calloway, MIC. If you are interested in forming a parish group to embark on this initiative, visit [consecrationtostjoseph.org](http://consecrationtostjoseph.org) for information and to purchase a book and speak with your pastor. For further assistance, you can also contact diocesan curia staff members Ann Lankford [alankford@diolc.org](mailto:alankford@diolc.org) or Christopher Ruff [cruff@diolc.org](mailto:cruff@diolc.org).

## Week of June 21st Readings

<b>Sunday:</b>	<b>1) Jeremiah 20:10-13 2) Romans 5:12-15 3) Matthew 10:26-33</b>
<b>Monday:</b>	1) 2 Kings 17:5-8, 13-15a, 18 2) Matthew 7:1-5
<b>Tuesday:</b>	<b>1) 2 Kings 19:9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36 2) Matthew 7:6, 12-14</b>
<b>Wednesday:</b>	1) Isaiah 49:1-6 2) Acts 13:22-26 3) Luke 1:57-66, 80
<b>Thursday:</b>	<b>1) 2 Kings 24:8-17 2) Matthew 7:21-29</b>
<b>Friday:</b>	1) 2 Kings 25:1-12 2) Matthew 8:1-4
<b>Saturday:</b>	<b>1) Lamentations 2:2,10-14,18-19 2) Matthew 8:5-17</b>
<b>Next Sunday:</b>	1) 2 Kings 4:8-11, 14-16a 2) Romans 6:3-4, 8-11 3) Matthew 10:37-42