

St. Mary's Parish

900 Central Ave., Coon Valley, WI 54623

Pancake Breakfast Sunday



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Twenty-eighth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Reading 66oB

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St. Mary's, Coon Valley

Weekend Masses:

Saturday - 4:00 PM, Sunday - 9:15 AM

Weekday Mass:

Wednesday and Friday - 8:00 AM

Area Parishes:

Annunciation of the BVM, Viroqua

Sat. - 5:15 PM, Sun. - 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM

St. Joseph, St. Joseph Ridge

Sat. - 4:00 PM, Sun. - 8:30 AM

St. Peter, Middle Ridge

Sat. - 8:00 PM, Sun. - 10:00 AM

Holy Day Mass: Please check the bulletin for times.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Before Mass on Saturday; other times as announced.

New Parishioners: Welcome to our parish! Please introduce yourself to Fr. Matt and contact the parish office for registration and information.

Sacrament of Baptism: Please contact Fr. Matt to register for Baptism preparation. Preparation should be completed before the birth of your child, if possible.

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.

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 prayer requests will be included in the Mass intercessions.

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The Campaign to Change Direction

According to the National Alliance of Mental Illness, a mental illness is a condition that impacts a person's thinking, feeling or mood, and may affect his or her ability to relate to others and function on a daily basis. Research suggests that genetics, the environment and lifestyle influence whether someone develops a mental health condition. It's often not the result of one event.

One in five American adults suffers from a diagnosable mental health disorder. It may be your parent or grandparent. Your sister or brother. Your child. Many more of us experience emotional suffering for which we rarely reach out for support.

The **Five Signs of Suffering** may mean someone is in emotional pain and might need help:

1. **Personality changes:** Their personality changes.
2. **Agitation:** They seem uncharacteristically angry, anxious, agitated or moody.
3. **Withdrawal:** They withdraw or isolate themselves from other people.
4. **Poor self-care:** They stop taking care of themselves and may engage in risky behavior.
5. **Hopelessness:** They seem overcome with hopelessness and overwhelmed by their circumstances.

As our Reading from the Letter to the Hebrews says today, nothing may be concealed from God, but we human beings don't see everything. We need to be open with those we trust, and all of us need to keep our eyes peeled for signs that people we know might be suffering alone.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2018 1) Wisdom 7:7-11 2) Hebrews 4:12-13 3) Mark 10:17-30 or 10:17-27

FOCUS: God offers us the perspective of eternity.


In a secular world, so many people today have a limited perspective, valuing and pursuing what they see before their eyes and what benefits them in this current life. God calls us, as followers of Jesus, to take the longer view – to pursue eternal values, trusting that God will also give us what we need here and now.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

In the Book of Wisdom, Solomon sees beyond the beauties and attractions of this world and chooses the eternal values of wisdom and prudence. In the second reading, we learn of the keen edge of the word of God. In the Gospel, a rich young man is hampered by his wealth from responding to the call to follow Jesus.

Next Week in Service		
If you are not able to be at the Mass scheduled below, please find a substitute. Thank you for your service to St. Mary's.		
	Saturday, Oct 20 4:00 PM	Sunday, Oct 21 9:15 AM
Servers:	Garrett Vatland	Rhianna and Jacqueline Steiger
Reader:	Nancy Peters	Carol Roesler
Communion Minister:	Mary Gajewski	John Roesler
Ushers:	Joe Roesler and Volunteer	Jim Fleming and Volunteer
Money Counters:	Willy Urbanek and Loree Nickelotti	

Giving Last Week		Week 40	10/7/2018
Adult Envelopes	\$1,003.00	Needed Weekly	\$1,400.00
Offertory	\$183.00	Received This Week	\$1,531.00
Pancake Bkft	\$345.00	Running total Needed	\$56,000.00
Total	\$1,531.00	Running total Received	\$52,090.41
39 of 115 envelopes received		Difference	(3,909.59)

Upcoming Events/Calendar			
Oct 14	7:30 AM to NOON	St. Mary's Annual Pancake Breakfast	
Oct 15	6:30 PM	PCCW Fall Deanery Meeting at St. Mary's Parish, Bangor, WI	
Oct 16	7:00 PM	Sunday Reflection Group—All are welcome to attend	
Oct 20/21		World Mission Sunday	
Oct 21	Following Mass	Religious Ed Classes	
Oct 28	Following Mass	Religious Ed Classes	
Nov 1	7:00 PM	All Saint's Day Mass	
Nov 2	8:00 AM	All Soul's Day Mass	
Nov 2	After Mass	First Friday Adoration	
Nov 3	Following Mass	<i>Special Religious Ed Class and Celebration</i>	
Nov 4		No Religious Ed Class	
Nov 5	7:00 PM	PCCW Meeting	
Nov 17	8:00 PM	Deer Hunters Mass—NO 4:00 PM Mass on this day	

Mass Intentions		
Oct 13	4:00 PM	†Eric Logemann
Oct 14	9:15 AM	†Jeannette Bell
Oct 17	8:00 AM	†Lucile Kumm
Oct 19	8:00 AM	†Dennis LeJeune
Oct 20	4:00 PM	†Mary Sedevie
Oct 21	9:15 AM	The People of God

Announcements

Pancake Breakfast

Invite your family and friends to join us for our All-You-Can-Eat breakfast, Sunday from 7:30 AM to 12:00 PM.

PCCW Information—Pancake Breakfast Info

- St Catherine Guild will run the Bake Sale
- St Rose Guild is on Kitchen Duty
- St Theresa Guild is setting up and quilt raffle
- St Cecilia Guild is on clean up

Everyone should plan on contributing \$15 worth of baked goods, garden produce, or craft item for our sale at the Pancake Breakfast.

Dec 1st is our Annual Craft Show!

Pancake Breakfast Collection Trend

2018: \$1,610 as of 10/7/18
 2017: \$1,823
 2016: \$1,745
 2015: \$2,038
 2014: \$2,165
 2013: \$2,281
 2012: \$2,256

Thank you for continued generous support!

Religious Ed Students—Pancake Breakfast

Our Pancake Breakfast is a parish wide event that we all work together to accomplish. Students we need you, too! Parents please have your students take a shift to assist with clearing and setting up places during the Breakfast. Sign up sheet is in the back of church. Thank you!

REPORTING DAMAGES TO FEMA

Please report damages both personal and business to Vernon County to help bring in FEMA relief for our area. Forms are available on the Village website: villageofcoonvalley.com. **We need to have 540 damaged households in our area to receive help.** People have not been reporting and it risks our area not receiving FEMA help. **PLEASE** report damages your property sustained for the sake of all our neighbors here in Vernon County.

Religious Ed Change in Schedule

Religious Education Class will be Saturday, November 3rd following the 4:00 PM Mass, instead of Sunday, November 4th. Fr. Matt will be having a special celebration for the students about All Soul's Day.

St. Mary's Craft Show-Crafter Registration is now open!

Are you a crafter looking to display your product or do you know someone who is? Register today for the St. Mary's Craft Show held on December 1, 2018. Forms and information may be found online at stmarycv.org under the *Craft Show* tab or contact Nancy Peters at 608-790-6034 or Pe-ters@mwt.net

Annual Appeal Kick Off Nest Weekend

Our goal this year is \$11,405.00. However, we have had two very generous donations already, making our unmet total only \$10,255.00.

Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary (St. Mary's) Viroqua-New Mass Times

Saturday: 5:15 PM
 Sunday: 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM

Scammers—Beware

Please beware e-mails that ask for monetary donations in the name of St. Mary's Parish or Fr. Matt. This is not the way that our church solicits for that help. It has come to Fr. Matt's attention that a number of scams have been popping up in La Crosse area churches with scammers asking for money in the name of a priest. Please call Fr. Matt and ask about any materials you receive in our parish's name that seem suspicious.

Boy Scout Religious Emblems

It is that time of year again to remind Cub & Boy Scouts about earning their Religious Emblems, scouts do not need to be Catholic to earn these badges, sessions are open to all scouts regardless of, or in-spite-of, religious affiliation. Religious Emblem Sessions are available Oct 14 and Oct 28 from 1-5 PM and Feb 3 and 17 from 1-5 PM at Viterbo University. See the flyer in the back of church. Contact Cindy Sjolander at 608-783-4977 or 608-792-4911 or via email at catholicscoutslacrossediocese@gmail.com.

Enjoy helping people and being of service?

The Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe is looking for someone to greet and assist pilgrims to the Shrine on weekends as a Receptionist at the Front Desk. Contact: Laura Antonie, Executive Assistant lantonie@guadalupeshrine.org, 608-782-5440 ext. 241, Application available online!

The PCCW has their Fall Assembly set for October 15th, 6:30 p.m. at St. Mary's in BANGOR, WI. Father Elias and Sister Ancilla of the Shrine, will be doing a presentation on St. Therese Avila, whose feast day is October 15th. All ladies are welcome to attend. There is no admission charge, and desserts will be served.

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Healing Through Grief Group will meet on Monday, October 15, from 5:30 – 6:30 PM, in the Dale Conference Room at the Mayo Hospital Building (800 West Avenue South). The topic will be "Grief and Wellness." Sessions include an educational topic and a time to share with others also experiencing grief. Free Confidential, one-on-one support is also available from a Franciscan Healthcare chaplain with specialized training in grief. Registration is not required, attend any or all sessions. For more information please call 608.785.0940 ext. 22218.

Annual White Mass

Tuesday, October 16 You are invited to attend the Mass at the Holy Cross Diocesan Center in La Crosse on October 16th. Mass will be held at Christ the King chapel at 6 p.m. A dinner and presentation will follow. This year's presentation, *What Men and Women Want and How the Church Can Help* will be given by Theresa Notare, PhD. Theresa is the Assistant Director for the Secretariat of Laity, Marriage, Family and Youth for the USCCB. The cost for the event is \$25/person with a special discount for College Students. Register at diolc.regfox.com/white-mass.

Annual Fall Turkey Dinner

Oct. 17, 4-7 PM at Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish (St. Mary's) Viroqua. Adults, \$10.50, Youth (5-12) \$5, Under 5 free. Carryouts available \$11. Includes turkey dinner with all the fixin's (including homemade pie!) quilt raffle will be held at 7:00 PM.

Fall Rummage Sale

Mary, Mother of the Church Parish, 2006 Weston Street, La Crosse, will be holding a Fall Rummage Sale on Friday, October 19, 11:00 - 5:00 p.m., \$6 a bag; and on Saturday, October 20, 8:00 - 11:00 a.m., \$3 a bag. Some priced individually.

Gregorian Chant Workshop

A Gregorian chant workshop will be held Saturday, October 20, 2018, at Cor Jesu Oratory (Sacred Heart Church, Edson), 31360 County Highway MM, Boyd, WI. The day will begin at 8:30 with Mass in the Extraordinary Form, followed by instruction in chant by Fr. Joseph Redfern in the Priory building (the former school). The day will conclude with a Holy Hour from 2 to 3 p.m. Breakfast and lunch will be provided. There is no fee, but a free-will offering will be taken. The Nazareth Community of the Institute of Saint Joseph is sponsoring this event. Please call (715)667-3372 or email srpet-ra@centurytel.net to make reservations.

Volunteer/Service Project Opportunity

Annual Fall Clean-up Day, AT THE SHRINE OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE **Saturday, October 20th, 9:30am - 3:30pm**. The Fall Clean Up Day will be "outdoor grounds focused." However, there will be indoor areas available for cleanup work, as well. All necessary tools and cleaning supplies will be provided. Please wear appropriate clothing. Lunch will also be offered. Let others know! Bring others along! **RSVP: Laura Antonie - (608) 782-5440, or lantonie@guadalupeshrine.org**

Roe v. Wade on the Brink? – Gospel of Life Presentation by Ben Nguyen

On Tuesday, Oct. 23, at 7 p.m., Ben Nguyen will keynote the annual [Gospel of Life Celebration](#) at Blessed Sacrament Parish Hall in La Crosse. Ben, past Chancellor of the Diocese of La Crosse, will explain what we should know about the 1973 *Roe v. Wade* ruling that is so much in the news with the Supreme Court nomination battle. Ben will answer questions like: How was *Roe v. Wade* decided? How does it square with the Constitution? Is it likely to be overturned? Bishop William Patrick Callahan will celebrate Mass at 6 p.m. at Blessed Sacrament Church preceding the talk.

Be A MAN OF THE CROSS!

It is in giving that we receive. This year's Men's Conference on Oct. 27 in La Crosse will challenge and equip men to pick up their cross in service to their family and parish! Encourage the men in your life to attend and become the man God made them to be. For more information and to register go to www.menofthecross.org. Or email mensmin@diolc.org.

Trivia Night with the Sisters!

Come, have a "BLAST from the Past" at the Mater Redemptoris House of Formation Trivia Night Fundraiser to be held on Saturday, October 27, 2018 at the Holy Cross Diocesan Center. Doors open at 6 p.m. and the Trivia starts at 7 p.m. Bring your friends and we'll provide the FUN, the appetizers and drinks. Brush up on your 40s through 90s Trivia. Categories include literature, sports, movie, inventions, Religion, and the great state of Wisconsin. *Not into trivia? Not to worry!* You can volunteer or donate a basket. For more information and registration, visit www.materredemptoris.org or call Sr. M. Mercedes at 608-788-4530.

Please continue to pray for those affected by the floods as they rebuild their lives, especially those in our parish family.



Televised Masses for Shut-ins:

WXOW CH 19 La Crosse – Sunday: 9:30 AM
EWTN (cable/sat.) – Sunday: 7 AM & 11 AM Daily: 7 AM & 6 PM

Catholic Broadcasting:

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

Youth Religion Education Program:

Classes meet after the Sunday Mass from September to May. Coordinator: Paul Thompson. Email: thom.paulrobert@gmail.com

Natural Family Planning:

Information on natural family planning can be obtained by calling 715-235-6226 or visiting the web site at [<nfp@diolc.org>](mailto:nfp@diolc.org)

Catholic Charities:

Catholic Charities offers many services in our diocese. Programs offered include: emergency services, adoption services, mental health counseling, financial counseling, HIV/AIDS ministries, immigration services, in-home support for children with disabilities, and domestic abuse services. For more information please call 1-888-212-HELP or visit [<www.cclse.org>](http://www.cclse.org).