

Sunday Bulletin

St. Mary's Church

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Bulletin for the Week of April 19, 2009



Masses for the week of April 20 - 26

Friday, April 24, 8:30 a.m. Mary Catherine Ornelas

Sunday, April 26, 10:00 a.m. Clem Rethman

Commentator: Connie Huerter

Lector: David Huerter

Eucharistic Ministers: Arlene and Leon Holthaus;
Eugene Fangman

Servers: Kyle Haverkamp, Blake Mohney, Zachary Bradley

Gift Bearers: Brent and Jenny Heiman Family

Ushers: Rupert Rethman, Cy Roggenkamp

Rosary Leader: Ken Schmitz

Music: Katrina Sudbeck

Song Leaders: Kayla Sudbeck; Kelsey Bradley

Please remember those who have health concerns: Gene Holthaus, Theresa Rettele, Julie Glissman, Marsha Wessel Grossnickle, Gene Holthaus, Elijah James Ruegge, Caroline Strathman, Donna Hulsing.

Call to Share: Only 57% of the parishioners (85 donors) have contributed \$8,180 to this year's campaign. There was a calculation error in the accounting which leaves the parish short of the goal at this time.

First Communion will be on May 10 at the 10 a.m. Mass at St. Benedict. Practice will be on Wednesday, April 29 at 7 p.m. First Communion will be held at Baileyville on April 26 at 8:30 a.m.

Grotto Beautification Project: Donations towards the improvements of the Grotto are welcomed. Make the donation to St. Mary's Parish and place a note on your check or with the donation "For Grotto". Donations in excess of what will be used at the Grotto will be held in reserve for future improvements. A listing of donors will be maintained.

Bounce House and more ... If you are interested in sponsoring an activity like the Bounce House at our Annual Picnic, contact Shirley Schmitz to discuss prices as well as choices the rental company has to offer. The "Bounce House" was a success last year and provided another activity for the children. Call Shirley Schmitz at 336-0258.

Fiscal Support: April 5: \$1350; Parking Lot: \$50; Grotto: \$50; Holy Land: \$50

Prints of St. Mary's Church (interior and exterior) are available for purchase on the registration stand and also through the Parish Web site at www.stmstb.org. The (\$10 cost) proceeds will be used for parish projects.

See the **Upcoming Events** on www.stmstb.org for St. Mary's Parish and area events.

The cafeteria is reserved for these dates: April 5, 12, 18, 19; May 3, 9, 10, 18, 30; June 7: June 20, 22-28; July 5, Aug. 2; Sept. 26-27, Dec. 19, 20.

A cook book is being planned by the Celebration Committee to mark the celebration of the 150th anniversary of the parish. Families are encouraged to submit two or three recipes by April 15. Give to Lee Ann Rottinghaus at United Bank; Staci Haug at Teresa's Styling in Seneca or email to Mary Beth Haverkamp at tahaverkamp@bbwi.net. Questions? Call Mary Beth at 336-2870.

Life Care Center of Seneca is holding an appreciation at 1:30 p.m., April 23.

Welcome Reception: Sunday, April 26, in parish hall following 10 a.m. Mass. Welcome to:

Kevin, Tina and Gage Palic
Bob and Sara Kramer
Scott and Heidi Holthaus
Nate and Mandy Sudbeck
Michael, Amy Carter and Zoey Sudbeck
Brian and Deanna Wullschleger

Altar Society Meeting, Sunday, May 3, after Mass.

Glassware is needed for the Summer Church Picnic, June 28.

Virtus Training for anyone who works with children will be held on Sunday, May 3 from 2 to 6 p.m., Sts. Peter and Paul School cafeteria. Class is mandated by the Archdiocese.