ST. MARY'S VISITATION

Catholic Parish † Elm Grove, WI

OUR PARISH

MASSES

Sunday Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil 5:00pm
Sunday ..... 7:30, 9:00 and 11:00am

Daily Mass Schedule

Monday-Friday 6:30am
Tuesday & Friday 8:00am
(school days only)
Saturday 8:00am

RECONCILIATION

Friday 2:00pm-5:00pm
Saturday 8:30am
Please check the weekly bulletin for changes to this schedule. Seasonal Tri-Parish Reconciliation Services are listed in the bulletin.

HOLY DAYS

Mary Mother of God ..... Jan. 1
Assumption ..... Aug. 15
All Saints ..... Nov. 1
Immaculate Conception ..... Dec. 8
Christmas ..... Dec. 25
Mass schedules for Holy Days are announced in the bulletin.

PARISH ADDRESS

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday ... 8:30am-4:00pm
Friday 8:30am-noon

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ST. MARY'S THRIFT SHOP

262-784-6644

In Honor of the Ordination of

Fr. William Arnold and Fr. John LoCoco

May 19, 2018

MISSION STATEMENT

We are a community of believers who strive to be faithful and to teach the truth of the Roman Catholic Church. We see beauty in the sacramental life of the Church, especially in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass and in adoration of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. We promote goodness in this world, following the example of our Blessed Mother, our Lady of the Visitation, by serving the needs of others.

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TWO ST. MARY'S PARISHIONERS ORDAINED TO PRIESTHOOD

On Saturday, May 19, William David Arnold, son of David and Janis Arnold, and John Christopher LoCoco, son of Frank and Lydia LoCoco, were ordained into the Priesthood in a ceremony at the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist. St. Mary's Visitation is pleased to celebrate this joyous occasion as both Fr. Arnold and Fr. LoCoco celebrate their first Masses at St. Mary's this weekend, Fr. Arnold at 5pm and Fr. LoCoco at 11am. Please join us after each of these Masses for a celebration in the Atrium and an opportunity to receive their first blessings.

Fr. Will Arnold

My name is Fr. Will Arnold. I am not a lifelong parishioner of St. Mary's, but I started coming here with my family about seven years ago. I have been graced to find a welcoming home here and am honored to be a new priest-son of the parish. As the fourth child in my family, I have one brother, four sisters and eight nieces and nephews living in the Milwaukee area in addition to my mom and dad. Originally from Milwaukee, I grew up in the Enderis Park neighborhood and attended Catholic grade school in Wauwatosa and then high school at Brookfield Academy. In 2012 I graduated from UW-Milwaukee with a bachelor's degree in Criminal Justice. While attending UWM I grew in my faith, committing myself to a prayer regimen, frequent Mass and confession. I quietly began discerning the priesthood as I felt the Lord's nudgings and heard His call. After graduation I entered St. Francis de Sales Seminary in August of 2012 to study to be a priest for the Archdiocese of Milwaukee. After completing six years of seminary formation I, with great joy and excitement, was ordained to the priesthood of Jesus Christ on May 19th and now look forward to serving as the new associate pastor of Christ King and St. Bernard parishes (where I happen to have grown up)!

Fr. John LoCoco

Peace of Christ! My name is Fr. John LoCoco and I am a lifelong parishioner of St. Mary's Visitation. I attended the grade school, served Masses with my brothers, and have always counted it a blessing to return to my spiritual roots. After graduating from St. Mary's, I studied at Marquette University High School. From there, I began a degree in Finance at the University of St. Thomas in Minnesota where I also played football. Having discerned a call from the Lord to serve Him as a priest, I transferred to Loyola University in Chicago to study philosophy at St. Joseph College Seminary. I was then sent to the Pontifical North American College in Rome where I completed a degree in theology at the Pontifical Gregorian University. I am currently finishing a license in Dogmatic Theology at the Pontifical University of St. Thomas Aquinas in Rome. More than anything, I love the local church in the Archdiocese of Milwaukee and greatly anticipate returning for ministry. In your charity, please pray for me.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, May 21, Weekday
6:30am † George Puechner
The Sacrament of the Sick is offered after this Mass.

Tuesday, May 22, Weekday
6:30am † Mary Kurz
8:00am † Joyce Ryder

Wednesday, May 23, Weekday
6:30am † Pat Gordon

Thursday, May 24, Weekday
6:30am † Mary Zwiefelhofer

Friday, May 25, Weekday
6:30am The Memorare Society
8:00am † Tom Kasun

Saturday, May 26, Saint Philip Neri, Priest
8:00am † Audrey and Bill Dotzler
5:00pm † Clarence and Lorraine Reinders

Sunday, May 27, The Most Holy Trinity
7:30am Parishioners
9:00am † Jack Hornak
11:00am For the Intention of Bob and Pat Kalscheur

WEEKDAY MINISTERS

Sacristan: Rick Rehlinger
Lector: Mary Pat Hornak
Eucharistic Ministers: Mary Pat Hornak and Terri Maciejewski
Server: Jim Maciejewski

READINGS

Sunday: Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5/Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30 [cf. 30]/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39
Extended Vigil: Gn 11:1-9/Ps 33:10-11, 12-13, 14-15/Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b/Dn 3:52, 52, 53, 55, 56 or Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/Ez 37:1-14/Ps 107:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Jl 3:1-5/Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30 [cf. 30]/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39
Day: Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34 [cf. 30]/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Gal 5:16-25/Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 15:26-27; 16:12-15
Monday: Jas 3:13-18/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15 [9a]/Mk 9:14-29
Tuesday: Jas 4:1-10/Ps 55:7-8, 9-10a, 10b-11a, 23[23a]/Mk 9:30-37
Wednesday: Jas 4:13-17/Ps 49:2-3, 6-7, 8-10, 11[Mt 5:3]Mk 9:38-40
Thursday: Jas 5:1-6/Ps 49:14-15ab, 15cd-16, 17-18, 19-20 [Mt 5:3]/Mk 9:41-50
Friday: Jas 5:9-12/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8-9, 11-12 [8a]/Mk 10:1-12
Saturday: Jas 5:13-20/Ps 141:1-2, 3 and 8 [2a]/Mk 10:13-16
Next Sunday: Dt 4:32-34, 39-40/Ps 33:4-5, 6, 9, 18-19, 20, 22 [12b]/Rom 8:14-17/Mt 28:16-20

In your charity and prayers, please remember the souls of those who have recently died and their families.

Henry Kurz

REGISTRATION & SACRAMENTS

Parish Registration

St. Mary's Visitation is always happy to welcome new members! If you are interested in joining the parish, please call the Parish Office, 262-782-4575 or email Nora Mihm, nmihm@stmaryeg.org to make an appointment.

Baptism Preparation

Children ages 6 and under: Those seeking to have children baptized should be registered, active members of St. Mary's Visitation Parish. Parents who request baptism for a child are expected to complete a preparation class. It is offered bi-monthly. The scheduled classes for this year are:

Saturday, July 7th from 10:30-11:30am in church
Saturday, September 1st from 10:30-11:30am in church

It is generally easier if the preparation is done before the birth of the child. If you have attended a session within the last five years, it is not necessary to retake the class. To schedule a baptism, please view the baptism dates on the parish website, www.stmaryeg.org/baptism. Please contact Jenny Dascoli at 262-782-4485 or jdascoli@stmaryeg.org for more information or to register for the baptism class.

Children ages 6-12: Please contact Josh Dieterich, Director of Catholic Formation, 262-782-4575 or jdieterich@stmaryeg.org.

Adults ages 12 and up: Adults who wish to join the Catholic Church and were not baptized can participate in the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA). Please contact Josh Dieterich, Director of Catholic Formation, 262-782-4575 or jdieterich@stmaryeg.org.

The Sacrament of Matrimony

The Catholic Church takes preparation for the Sacrament of Matrimony very seriously. Generally at least 6 months should be allowed for this preparation. Engaged couples themselves should call the parish office to schedule an appointment to discuss their plans. Marriage can take place any day of the week, although Saturday is generally preferred by couples. Sunday weddings are possible, but a wedding Mass is not allowed for such occasions.

The Sacrament of the Sick

The Sacrament of the Sick is available every Monday after the 6:30am Mass. Members of the parish facing surgery or other medical procedures or tests are invited to receive this Sacrament prior to their appointment. If you know of someone who is in the hospital or who would like a visit from a member of the Parish staff, please call the Parish Office.

PARISH CALENDAR

Sunday, May 20
10am St. Mary's Playgroup, Attic
11am Deacon John LoCoco's First Mass, reception to follow, Atrium
5pm 8th Grade Athletic Banquet, Atrium

Monday, May 21
9am-4pm Thrift Shop Open
9am Centering Prayer Workshop, Senior Center
3:15-8pm Choir Rehearsals, Church
7pm Franciscans of Divine Mercy, Atrium

Tuesday, May 22
9am-4pm Thrift Shop Open
10am Good Grief Luncheon, Atrium
10am Pastoral Staff Meeting, Atrium Library
6:30-9pm Dead Theologians Society, Attic
7pm Visitation Choir, Church

Wednesday, May 23
Thrift Shop Closed

Thursday, May 24
9am-6pm Thrift Shop Open
5:30pm Baseball for 45+, St. Mary's Baseball Field

Friday, May 25
9am-4pm Thrift Shop Open
9:30am Kiwanis Golden K of EG, Senior Center
9:30am Holy Dusters, Church
2pm-5pm Reconciliation, Church

Saturday, May 26
7-8am AA Meeting, Senior Center
8:45-9:15am Reconciliation, Church
9am-1pm Thrift Shop Open

TEEN & CHILD FORMATION NEWS

SMV Vacation Bible School 2018

June 25-29, 9am-noon

VBS is a fun, faith-filled week for children entering K3-5th grade with crafts, music, acting and games. Visit smvvbs2018.eventbrite.com/ to register or to volunteer.

Register now for 2018-19 Catholic Formation Classes

Registration is going on now for K4-10th grade Catholic Formation classes for the 2018-19 school year. Please visit our website, stmaryeg.org/catholic-formation-registration for details.

II Timothy Strandt & Carolyn Hofmann

Trustee Nominations

In accordance with Wisconsin State Law, each parish has two lay trustees — the Trustee Secretary and Trustee Treasurer. They serve as the legal Board for the parish along with the Pastor, the Archbishop and the Vicar General of the Archdiocese. Each lay trustee serves a two year term, which is renewable. Fr. Peter has nominated Mr. James Carrig as Trustee Secretary for a term beginning July 1, 2018 and ending June 30, 2020. The parish charter also allows any practicing baptized and confirmed Catholic member of the parish, at least 25 years old, to be nominated in writing by ten or more parish members. Nominations need to be received in the parish offices by Friday, June 1st at noon.

Calling All Gardeners

"Many hands make light work," so the saying goes. St. Mary's volunteer gardeners welcome anyone interested in helping to spruce up our beautiful grounds and prepare them for the coming season. On Saturday, May 19th from 9-noon, the gardeners will be cleaning and prepping the flower beds. Volunteers are encouraged to bring small rakes, pruners and edging tools. On Saturday, May 26th, the gardeners will gather again from 9-noon for planting and mulching. All are welcome, please join us for either or both of these dates!

Thank you parishioners

SMV RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY

Dear SMV Parishioners and School,
Thank you for your most generous baby shower gifts to the Women's Care Center to help our moms and babies! I cannot express enough the gratitude we have for you at St. Mary's Visitation who gathered so many amazing items for our moms! You are part of our life-saving mission and we are blessed to have you!
Gratefully,
Sheryl Laird, Executive Director
Women's Care Center-Milwaukee

Memorial Day

Please note that on Memorial Day, Monday, May 28, we will celebrate one Mass at 8am. The Parish offices will be closed.

Adoration Chapel

On the feast of Pentecost which we celebrate this weekend, we commemorate the descent of the Holy Spirit upon the Apostles. The Holy Spirit is with us all days and all ways. Don't forget to call on Him for help and give thanks to Him for all His blessings, especially this weekend for the ordination of two parish members — Father Will Arnold and Father John LoCoco. Keep them in your prayers. According to the National Catholic Register: "Many vocations come from parishes that have perpetual Eucharistic adoration coupled with a strong youth ministry."

Pentecost marks the official end of the Easter season; however, prayer is always in season — and each of us has many reasons for praying! *"Prayer is the key that opens the heart of God," a*ccording to St. Padre Pio. What better place to use this key and open your heart to God than in the St. Mary's Perpetual Adoration Chapel? Jesus is there in the Blessed Sacrament 24/7 awaiting YOU! Visit Him often to offer your prayers — whether they are for adoration, thanksgiving, contrition and/or petition. Better yet — join the Adoration Program and sign up to spend a designated hour with Him on a weekly, bi-weekly, or monthly basis. You choose the day and the hour that are most convenient for you. We need your help — and we all certainly need God's help in our daily lives.

We Need Coverage:

Thursdays	2-3 am, 2nd & 4th weeks only, Call Jack Morien, 262-389-5625
Fridays	3-4am, 2nd, 4th and 5th weeks only, Call Rita Dragani, 262-796-1162
	4-5am, 2nd & 4th weeks only, Call Rita Dragani, 262-796-1162
	11pm-12am, Call Kathy Stapleton, 262-782- 2658
Saturdays	8-9pm, Call Nancy Frazer, 262-786-0617

You may also sign up online on our website, stmaryeg.org/perpetual-adoration.html.

ST. MARY'S THRIFT SHOP

Find your hidden treasure here!

Come in and be blessed by our heavenly savings!
We will have FLASH SALES throughout the store all month long.
The store will be closed on Memorial Day, May 28th.

Thrift Shop Hours:
Monday/Tuesday/Friday 9-4; Thursday 9-6; Saturday, 9-1.
Visit our website, stmaryeg.org/thrift-shop.html for more info.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Monday, May 21

9:30am	First Grade Field Trip to Miller Park
11am	DARE Graduation
5:30pm	Home & School Meeting, K3 Classroom
6:30pm	Cub Scout Meeting

Tuesday, May 22

8am	All School Mass

Wednesday, May 23
Spirit Wear Day

Thursday, May 24

9am	6th Grade Field Trip to Biz Town
5:30pm	Volleyball Parent Meeting, Gym

Friday, May 25

8am	All School Mass

SCHOOL NEWS AND NOTES

Cook Needed

St. Mary's Visitation School is looking for a cook for our Hot Lunch Program for next school year. The hours are 8am -1pm each school day. If you or someone you know would like to know more, please contact Courtney Falk at school, 262-782-7057 or email cfalk@stmaryeg.org.

After School Care Assistant Needed

St. Mary's School is looking for an assistant in our After School Care Program, two days a week from 2:30-6pm on school days. Please contact Mary Tretow if interested, 262-782-7057 or email mtretow@stmaryeg.org.

K3 Program Options

The format of our K3 Program has changed from the Mon./Wed./Fri. and Tues./Thurs. option to the ability to attend school as many days as you wish for your child. If you would like more information, please contact Mary Tretow, 262-782-7057 or email mtretow@stmaryeg.org.

K4 Program Openings

We still have a couple openings in our K4 Program for next school year, if you'd like to schedule a tour or need more information, please contact Mary Tretow, 262-782-7057 or email mtretow@stmaryeg.org.

AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

Capuchins Run/Walk For the Hungry

Friday, June 15, 6pm

Strengthen our community by assisting the Capuchin friars in feeding Milwaukee's hungry. Run or walk and enjoy sweeping vistas, harbor views, and the city skyline. Walkers will enjoy a new route through Lakeshore State Park and onto the scenic island! This is the 13th year for the event whose proceeds feed the hungry through Capuchin Community Services' two locations: St. Ben's Community Meal and House of Peace. If registered by June 3, the fee is $30 run ($20 for children) and $25 walk ($15 for children). Registration includes entrance into Polish Fest and free return to Polish Fest all weekend. On June 4 registration fees increase $5. To register, go to: www.CapuchinsRunWalkForTheHungry.org.

Nazareth Family Day at Holy Hill

Sunday, July 8, 11:30am-12:30pm

Families are invited to this special day which will begin with Mass at 12:30pm on Sunday, July 8. (Confessions will be heard from 11:30am-12:30pm). Mass will be followed by a picnic, games for all ages, face painting, music, relay races, a "bouncy house" for younger children and a rock climbing wall for older children! For questions, contact Emily Burds at burdse@archmil.org or 414-758-2213. The Basilica and the National Shrine of Mary, Help of Christians, at Holy Hill is located at 1525 Carmel Rd., Hubertus. Cost: $25.00 per family (includes meal after Mass).

Save the Dates for Theology on Tap

Tuesdays, July 17, 24, & 31, 7pm

Join us for Mass with our bishop, enjoy a craft brew and learn more about being Catholic. Free for Adults ages 20s-30s. Tuesdays at 7pm July 17, 24, & 31 in the Cathedral Atrium, 812 N Jackson St, Milwaukee. Follow us on Instagram @brewcitycatholic or visit brewcitycatholic.com for more information on TOT and other opportunities for 20 and 30 somethings!

Join Musicā Oramus in praying the last Mass in a Novena of Extraordinary Form Masses for the

Feast of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

Friday, June 8, 2018, 6:30 p.m.

at St. Mary's Visitation Parish in Elm Grove, WI

This Mass will be celebrated by
the Most Reverend Robert C. Morlino, Bishop of Madison

- Confessions 5:30-6:15 p.m.
- Praying of the Rosary and Chaplet of Divine Mercy begins at 5:50 p.m.
- Mass 6:30 p.m.
- All are invited to stay for a reception following Mass!

Let us pray for the Triumph of the Immaculate Heart of Mary and the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

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