

# CHURCH OF ST. MARY

Third Sunday of Lent March 7, 2010



## Mass Schedule

Saturday: 4:15 PM  
Sunday: 9:00 & 11:00 AM  
Daily: 7:00 PM Monday  
8:00 AM Tuesday-Friday

Rosary Devotion: Mondays, 6:30 PM

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:30-4:00 PM  
Monday 6:30-7:00 PM

## Sacrament of Baptism

If you wish to have your child baptized at St. Mary, parents will be expected to attend a baptism class. Baptisms can be celebrated after any of the weekend Masses, or during the Mass, if you wish. Arrangements can be made by calling Deacon John Drechny (708) 747-1125.

## Sacrament of Marriage

Wedding ceremonies must be arranged at least 6 months in advance. Contact Father Tri at (708) 747-1600 or Deacon John Drechny at (708) 747-1125.

## Anointing of the Sick

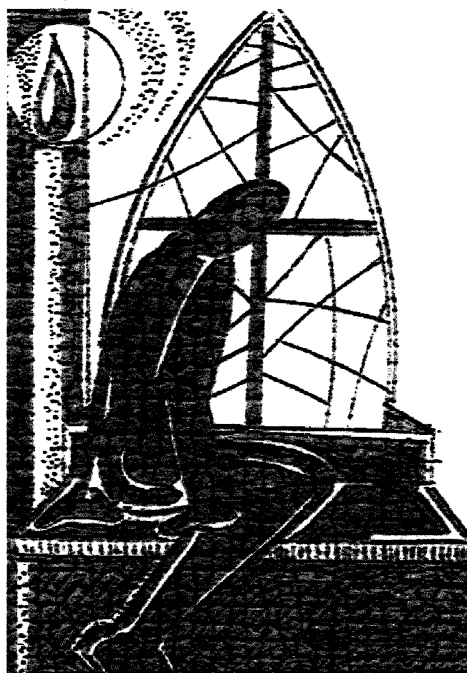
The Anointing of the Sick will be offered after all Masses on the last weekend of each month. While primarily intended for those of advanced age or those with serious illnesses, anyone who is facing surgery, medical procedures, or those with chronic illnesses are welcome to receive this special anointing.

St. James is the only area hospital that notifies us when parishioners are admitted. Please notify the rectory at (708) 747-1600 for those parishioners in other hospitals or seriously ill at home.

## Funerals

Arrangements are usually made by the funeral home or by a family member. The wishes of the family will be respected.

# REPENT



the kingdom  
of heaven  
is at hand

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## Mass Intentions



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March 8-March 14, 2010

## SEASONAL JOB OPPORTUNITY

Monday:	7:00p	Deceased Members of St. Mary
Tuesday:	8:00a	People of St. Mary
Wednesday:	8:00a	<b>Communion Service</b>
Thursday:	8:00a	Intention of the Celebrant
Friday:	8:00a	Children of St. Mary
	6:00p	Stations of the Cross
Saturday:	4:15p	Casimer & Harriet Grodzicki (Larry & Donna Hansen) Deceased Members of the Bramanti Family
Sunday:	9:00a	Mitchell Babiarz (Mary Anne Skummer)

The Diocese of Joliet is seeking to fill a few positions for seasonal cemetery workers. The job includes general cleanup of cemeteries of leaves, broken branches, and other debris, and assists with the placement and removal of seasonal grave decorations and general landscape maintenance. The complete job description is available at [www.dioceseofjoliet.org](http://www.dioceseofjoliet.org) under employment.

Qualifications: a valid Illinois drivers license and must be physically able to do lawn maintenance work. This is a seasonal job with no benefits, and a normal work week of 40 hours. Qualified and interested applicants send resume to [nsiemers@dioceseofjoliet.org](mailto:nsiemers@dioceseofjoliet.org), or to the Office of Human Resources, Nancy Siemers, Director, St. Charles Pastoral Center, 402 S. Independence Blvd., Romeoville, IL 60446-2264.

## LITURGICAL MINISTERS

March 13-14, 2010

	<b>4:15 PM SAT</b>	<b>9:00 AM SUN</b>
<b>EM</b>	Lil Kottmeyer Rob Falcioni Frank Carra	Gert Lipka Wendy Martinez Rudy Martinez
<b>LEC</b>	<b>Joan Carra</b>	<b>Sandy Drechny</b>
<b>SER</b>	Joey Kendrick Luke Kendrick	Matt LeBran Angelica Beers

	<b>11:00 AM SUN</b>
<b>EM</b>	Paula Zmuda Jackie Smith Lois Powers
<b>LEC</b>	<b>Joe Smith</b>
<b>SER</b>	Everett Stanford CJ Rosa

## CCW EASTER RAFFLE/BAKE SALE

The annual CCW Easter Raffle and Bake Sale will be held the weekend of March 21st. The Bake Sale will be after all Masses that weekend. You can purchase your raffle tickets after all Masses prior to, and including that weekend.

## STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Friday evenings at 6 PM, followed by soup and bread in Ryan Hall. The students of St. Mary pray the Stations at 1:15 PM on Friday afternoons. Parents and parishioners are invited to share this devotion with the students.

## THE MYSTERIOUS ONE

Last Sunday we gathered with Peter, John, and James at the mountain of Transfiguration and were summoned to listen to God's chosen Son. This week the scriptures draw us into the mystery of just who that God is. The first reading, perhaps one of the best known in the Bible, recounts the story of Moses and the burning bush, when the mysterious divine name is revealed. The responsorial psalm is a hymn extolling the attributes of God. Saint Paul and the Lord Jesus describe a God who judges and metes out punishment. No matter the lengths to which the scriptures go, we know that no amount of words will ever come close to capturing who God is. Our lives and our Lents are really journeys toward that mysterious One who will one day welcome us into the heavenly home that awaits those who put their trust in God alone.

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## STEWARDSHIP

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### Weekend of February 27-28th

Sunday Offertory	\$3688.00
School Support	\$233.00

**THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING  
ST. MARY PARISH!**

## APRIL SHOWERS BRING MAY FLOWERS”

The invitations, including the dinner information, for our Dinner/Auction/Raffle on Saturday, April 24th will be mailed out shortly. Please mark your calendars and plan to attend this fun evening at the Flossmoor Country Club with all proceeds going to benefit our school. The evening will include a live auction, silent auction, and raffle.

The final early bird drawing will take place on March 14th with a prize of \$100.

Some of the items that will be available at the auction are:

Brian Erlacher signed football  
Ryne Sandberg signed baseball  
Lia Sophia jewelry items

The final early bird raffle drawing for \$100.00 will be held on March 14th....please return any sold tickets in time for the drawing.

**THE NEW CHURCH ENVELOPES** have been mailed out...if you do not receive yours, please call the school office at 748-6686 and let us know as soon as possible.



St. Mary School is accepting registrations for the upcoming 2010-2011 school year. Information is available in the school office or by calling (708) 748-6686. If you know anyone who has expressed interest in our school, please pass along the information.

Thursday, March 11 from 4 PM until 10 PM will be St. Mary's night at Chicago Dough Company in Richton Park. Take the family out for pizza or order to go...tell them it is for St. Mary and our school receives 10%.

## COME TO THE FAIR.... THE MINISTRY FAIR

Have you been looking for a way to share your time or your talents with your parish? Come to our Ministry Fair after the Masses on Sunday, March 21st and find out what opportunities are available. Representatives of the various ministries will be on hand to answer any questions you have. Whether you have a lot of time or just a little time, there may something that you can do to help.



## KID'S CORNER

Your treasures shared: \$2.00



Daylight Savings Time begins next Sunday, March 14th..don't forget to change your clocks!

## MARIAN CATHOLIC MOTHERS CLUB

Presents  
"Rock the Red Carpet"

The Annual Mothers Club Senior Showcase/ Fashion Show will be held on Saturday, March 13th at 10:30 AM at Georgio's Banquets of Orland Park. The doors open early for socializing, to view raffle prizes, and purchase raffle tickets. The donation is \$50.00 per ticket or \$500 for a table of ten, with all proceeds to benefit Marian Catholic High School. Reservations are accepted on a first come basis. Last year's event was a sellout, so make your reservations early!

Contact Loretta Krydynski at (708) 403-7395.

## ONE HEART, ONE SOUL SPIRITUALITY CENTER

2041 West Rte 13, Kankakee IL

presents two offerings for Lent.....

On Tuesday, March 16th from 9 AM to 3 PM you are invited to experience the silence and solitude that can lead to prayer. Mass will be celebrated as part of this Day of Prayer, and lunch will be provided at a cost of \$10.00.

On Tuesday, March 30th, from 9 AM to 3 PM you can spend a day of searching and discerning the meanings behind the symbols of Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Holy Saturday. There will be input, reflection time and prayer as we learn to cooperate with the grace of these days. The cost is \$20 and lunch will be provided.

You may pre-register for either or both of these days by calling Sister Mary Stella Schellenberger at 815-935-0800.

## PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

St. Mary's Parish Council will meet on Wednesday, March 10th at 6:30 PM in Ryan Hall.