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# **PASTORAL PONDERINGS**

This coming Wednesday the Church celebrates All Saints Day which is a holy day of obligation. The Church defines a saint as a person in heaven (officially canonized or not) who lived a heroically virtuous life, offered their life for others, or were martyred for the faith, and who are worthy of imitation.

When we pray the Apostles Creed, we say, "I believe in the communion of saints." The communion of saints is made up of men and women who have placed their hope in Jesus Christ, and through baptism, are his adopted sons and daughters. The communion of saints includes the living and the deceased, whether they are with God in heaven or undergoing a process of purification. In a very special way on the solemnity of All Saints, not only can we pray to our favorite saints, but we can also

call upon our departed brothers and sisters whom we believe are already with God.

One of the great traditions and practices associated with the solemnity of All Saints is going to Mass; the source and summit of our faith. During Mass we remember the saints in a special way in the Eucharist. Prayer as the bread and wine are changed into the body and blood of Jesus. Another tradition on this day is to read and learn about saints, especially one's confirmation saint, and ask for their intercession so that we too might become saints.



When we go to Mass this Wednesday, we will hear the beautiful gospel message of the Beatitudes. The Beatitudes sum up Jesus' teachings about the foundations for a life of authentic Christian discipleship and the attainment of ultimate happiness here and in heaven. When we do our best to live out the beatitudes, we contribute to the building up of the Kingdom of God here on earth. On All Saints Day, we pray in a special way to the saints that they continue to help and guide us along our path of life.

God bless you and your family.

Deacon Paul Vidmar

Don't forget to turn your clocks back Saturday, Nov. 4 so that you make it to Mass on Sunday.



# LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Memorial Service for All the Deceased November 2, 6:00pm at St. Mary, Omro

People from both our parishes are invited to share in songs, scripture, prayer, reflections and memorial stones that will unite us in memory with all the dead.

Participants are encouraged to bring pictures of your deceased loved ones. Please extend a welcome invitation to any of your family and friends to attend, regardless of their religious affiliation.





# Bring a Friend to Mass and Packer Party



When: Sunday, November 12, 2023

Where: St Mary Winneconne

What: Celebrate 10:30am Mass, which is the best thing we

can do before all Packer games. Then head to Kaudy Hall for a tailgate get together.

Enjoy the Green Bay Packer game against the Pittsburgh Steelers on the big screen TV.

Area for children with crafts and games with babysitting available.

\$5.00 for Tailgate Style Meal Children under 5 free Veterans – free meal and 5 free raffle tickets Veteran appreciation ceremony at half time

50/50 raffle, Packer merchandise raffle Free Friend raffle for chance to win Green Bay Packer blanket!

Sign up at:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050545ADAA2AA7F58-44819901-bring









#### Winneconne



November 5 & 19 Children's Liturgy at the 10:30am Mass

# St. Mary's Catholic Church Ladies Night Out Group



### Christmas Crafts! Join the fun!



When: Monday, November 13, 2023 at 6:30pm

What: Make several Christmas crafts,

sing carols and socialize

Where: Kaudy Hall



Cost: \$10.00 fee for supplies, food and drinks

Come join us for a night of making several cute

Christmas crafts, fellowship and fun.

If you want to share your favorite Christmas cookies,
bring 1 dozen cookies to share along with the recipe.

To register, use the QR Code or Sign up Genius link or email Tanya at jonya830@gmail.com.



St Mary's Ladies Night Out: \*\* Ladies Night Out \*\* November 13, 2023 (signupgenius.com)

# **Weekend Honoring Our Veterans**

# November 11, 3:50pm, St. Mary, Winneconne

3:50pm Procession of Veterans and Presentation of the colors. All veterans are invited to assemble in the gathering area of church prior to 3:50pm.

### November 12, 11:30am, Kaudy Hall, Winneconne

Packer Tailgate Party. We will have food, raffles and cheer on the Packers. There is a special "half-time" honoring all the Veterans present.



# WINNECONNE NEWS

### St. Mary, Winneconne Calendar

Mon. Oct. 30 7:00am LOW\* w/Communion

6:00pm The Chosen—KH

Tue. Oct. 31 1:30pm Bible Study-Kaudy Hall

6:00pm Bible Study-KH

Wed. Nov. 1 7:00am Mass

3:10pm Faith Formation

3:45pm Mass w/ Decade of Rosary

6:30pm Middle School FF

4:30pm Confession

6:30pm The Chosen

Thurs. Nov. 2 2:00pm Rosary

6:0pm Prayer Service-Omro Corporal Works of Mercy

Sat. Nov. 4 3:30pm Confession

4:00pm Mass

Sun. Nov. 5 9:30am Confirmation Class

10:30am Mass w/ CLOW\*\*
11:30am Youth in Action

#### **Thirty First Sunday in Ordinary Time**

\*LOW: Liturgy of the Word
\*\*Children's Liturgy of the Word

Mark your calendars for PMP Fellowship Sunday, November 5. We will be serving baked goods and refreshments in the vestibule after 10:30am Mass.



### Christian Action Ministry (CAM)



# **Collection for Turkeys**

CAM will have boxes at the entrances to collect money the weekends of November 4/5 & 11/12.

The monies will go to purchase 50 turkeys for Winneconne Area Assistance Center.

Thank you for helping make it a

Happy Thanksgiving.



# November 1 Elementary Classes

3:05-4:30pm

Rosary 3:35 and Mass 3:45pm

#### **Middle School Class**

6:30-8:00pm in Kaudy Hall



Join us at 3:35pm as we pray a decade of the rosary.



You are invited to join us for Mass on

**November 1, 3:45-4:30pm.** All are invited. St. Mary young Catholics will help lead parts of the Mass.

See you at Mass!

Middle School and High School Youth

#### Faith in Action November 5th

Following Mass we will gather in Kaudy Hall to work together to feed the hungry.

Watch email to RSVP.

#### STEWARDSHIP OF SHARING-Winneconne

Given Week ending 10/22/2023 = \$ 5,496

WEEKLY GOAL: \$6,550

# **OMRO NEWS**

#### St. Mary, Omro Calendar

Mon. Oct. 30 Noon The Chosen

6:00pm Rosary

Tues. Oct. 31 4-7pm Trick or Treat w/ Dcn. Paul

Wed. Nov. 1 4:30pm FF Grades 1-6

4:45pm Latino Bible Study

6:00pm Mass

6:30pm FF Grades 7-10 Corporal Works of Mercy

Thurs. Nov. 2 6:00pm Prayer Service

Sun. Nov. 5 8:30am Mass (KC's)

10:00am Confirmation Class

**Thirty First Sunday in Ordinary Time** 

Omro Area Non-Perishable Food Collection

#### STEWARDSHIP OF SHARING-Omro

Given Week ending 10/22/2023 = \$4,969

WEEKLY GOAL: \$3,941

# **November Corporal Works of Mercy**

The November sign up boards are out in the gathering spaces. Make a difference in someone's life this holiday season by volunteering. Sign up in person or on line at:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E45A4AC2BABFEC70 -44688192-corporal for November events

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E45A4AC2BABFEC70 -44874907-corporal for December events

Kids, make sure you stop by church on Halloween, between 4-7pm, to get a treat from Deacon Paul. Rumor is that he also has a treat for parents who stop by with their children.







#### **Wednesday November 1st**

Grades 1-6 4:30-5:45pm

Grades 7-10 6:30-8:00pm

#### **Sunday November 5th**

**Confirmation Class** 10:00am-1:00pm

St. Mary will be participating in the Omro Holiday Parade, Saturday, December 2.

The theme this year is "Candyland."

If you would like to be a part of the fun, let us know. We are in need of help with decorating, candy to give away and items to use on the float as decoration.



For questions and details, contact Heidi Seaman at 920-685-2258 or Heidi.seaman@stmarychurches.org

# **COMMUNITY NEWS**

#### Readings for the Week of October 30

Monday: Rom 8:12-17/Lk 13:10-17 Tuesday: Rom 8:18-25/Lk 13:18-21

Wednesday: Rev 7:2-4,9-14/1 Jn 3:1-3/ Mt 5:1-12a

**All Saints** 

Thursday: Wis 3:1-9/Rom 5:5-11/Jn 6:37-40

All Souls' Day

Friday: Rom 9:1-5/Lk 14:1-6

Saturday: Rom 111-2a,11-12,25-29/Lk 14:1,7-11

Saint Charles Borromeo, Bishop

Sunday: Mal 1:14b-2:2b,8-10/1 Thes 2:7b-9,13/

Mt 23:1-12

31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### Special Mass & Service Times

#### Wed, Nov. 1 All Saints Day

7:00am Winneconne

3:45pm Elementary Mass w/ Decade of

Rosary, Winneconne

6:00pm Omro

#### Thurs, Nov. 2 at 6:00pm Prayer Service

for Remembering the Dead, Omro

# First Friday Mass Friday, November 3 at 7:15 am at St. Raphael, Oshkosh

First Friday Requirements: To meet the requirements for the First Friday Devotion, a person must, on each First Friday for nine consecutive months:

- 1. Attend Holy Mass
- 2. Receive Communion
- 3. Go to Confession





Are you grieving and overwhelmed by the chaos and unrest in our world?

Come join us in prayers of reparation for the sins of our country and world.

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> Friday evenings, 6pm-7pm Bring your rosary

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# LITURGICAL MINISTERS Wed, NOVEMBER 1 ALL SAINTS DAY

#### **Altar Servers:**

7:00am(SMW) Tim Johnson

6:00pm (SMO) Wyatt Miller, Volunteer

#### **Lectors:**

7:00am (SMW) Pat Samolinski

6:00pm (SMO) Kathy Hayes

#### **Ushers:**

7:00am (SMW) Donna Krueger, Volunteer

6:00pm (SMO) Mary Jo Hinderman, Volunteer

#### **Communion Ministers:**

7:00am (SMW) Rose Unser, Sherrie Johnson

#### Greeters:

7:00am (SMW) Donna Krueger, Volunteer

6:00pm (SMO) Mazie Miller, Liam Forster

#### Sacristans:

7:00am (SMW) Rose Unser

6:00pm (SMO) Janet Wegner

#### **Musicians:**

7:00am (SMW) Joanne Loy, Rose Luebke 6:00pm (SMO) Ron Hayes, Amy Karn

# **Deadline for the Bulletin NOON** on Tuesday

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#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

**WEDNESDAY:** November 1

For Our Parishioners 7:00am (SMW)

**SATURDAY:** November 4

4:00pm (SMW) Paul Muehlenberg

**SUNDAY: November 5** 

The Knights of Columbus 8:30am (SMO)

10:30am (SMW) Jean Kolb

#### Saturday & Sunday Nov 4 & 5

SMO-St. Mary, Omro

SMW-St. Mary, Winneconne

#### **Altar Servers:**

4:00pm (SMW) Stella Verich, Volunteer 8:30am (SMO) Ken Kranski, John Michalski 10:30am (SMW) Anna Lynch, Volunteer

#### **Lectors:**

4:00pm (SMW) Jill Verich 8:30am (SMO) Mike Jordan 10:30am (SMW) Vicky Holt

#### **Ushers:**

4:00pm (SMW) Mary Berger, Lester Brennand, Kathy Hartzheim, Steve Kuenster

8:30am (SMO) Mike Miller, Chris Seaman 10:30am (SMW) Paul, Pauline & Jeff Jandrin, Peg Benjamin

#### **Communion Ministers:**

4:00pm (SMW) Monica Lapin, Chelsy Cegielski 10:30am (SMW) Vicky Holt, Lisa Lynch

# STEWARDSHIP OF SERVING-LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE

#### **Greeters:**

4:00pm (SMW) Alex & Vivian Verich, Kathy Meinen, Chelsy Cegielski

8:30am (SMO) Steve Chistian, Mike Heller 10:30am (SMW) Shawn & Lisa Lynch, Amy & Shannon Goltz

#### **Sacristans:**

4:00pm (SMW) Monica Lapin 8:30am (SMO) Janet Wegner 10:30am (SMW) Kristin Wright



#### **Intercessory Prayer Ministers:**

8:30am (SMO) 2 Volunteers 10:30am (SMW) 2 Volunteers

#### **Musicians:**

4:00pm (SMW) Matthew Harden, John Verich 8:30am (SMO) Ron Hayes, Gail Breu 10:30am (SMW) Kristin Day, Mary Gallenberg

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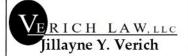


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