



**ST. MARY CHURCH
OMRO & WINNECONNE**



Mission Statement

We, the parish of St. Mary Omro, proudly proclaim the message of Jesus Christ through word and action. We joyfully celebrate the Eucharist, reach out to all with generosity & hospitality, and continue to grow as a community of love, compassion and faith.

Mission Statement

We, the caring community of St. Mary's Parish, inspired by the Holy Spirit, welcome everyone to celebrate the Eucharist, share our Catholic faith through education and example, and reach out to others with a generous spirit.

September 25, 2011 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Times Change

Next Weekend Oct. 1 & 2

<p>St. Mary Church <u>Winneconne</u> Saturday: Confession 3:30 PM Mass 4:00 PM Sunday: Mass 10:30 AM</p>	<p>St. Mary Church <u>Omro</u> Saturday: Confession 5:30 PM Mass 6:00 PM Sunday: Mass 8:30 AM</p>
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We would like to Welcome
Welcome Fr. Joseph Kandeor this weekend
to our Parishes!

Parish Director: Sr. Pamela Biehl
directorstmary@sbcglobal.net
Sacramental Ministers: Fr. Doug LeCaptain & Fr. Luke Ferris

MASS INTENTIONS**SATURDAY: October 1**

4:00PM Bill & George Lynch Jr.
Dr. Bill Keller

SUNDAY: October 2

10:30AM Gilbert Thiel

**ST. Mary Parish, 210 Pleasant Dr.
P.O. Box 487, Winneconne, WI 54986**

Parish Office: 920-582-7712/582-4601

Fax: 920-582-0181

**After hours personal/family emergencies, call the
Parish Director at 920-379-1674.**

Office Hours: Monday-Thursday

8:00AM-Noon 12:30- 5:00PM

Fridays-Closed

Pastoral Associate: Sharon Baker

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Custodian: Marilyn Bradley

Deadline for bulletin: Noon on Tuesday

E-mail bulletin announcements to:

suestmary@sbcglobal.net

Website: www.stmarywinneconne.org

Liturgy of the Word with Communion:

Monday & Wednesday: 7:30AM

**LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE
SATURDAY & SUNDAY October 1 & 2****ALTAR SERVERS:**

4:00PM 2 Volunteers

10:30AM 2 Volunteers

LECTORS:

4:00PM 1 Volunteer

10:30AM 1 Volunteer

USHERS:

4:00PM 4 Volunteers

10:30AM 4 Volunteers

COMMUNION MINISTERS:

4:00PM Sr. Pam, 5 Volunteers

10:30AM Sr. Pam, 5 Volunteers

GREETERS:

4:00PM 3 Volunteers

10:30AM 3 Volunteers

MASS INTENTIONS**SATURDAY: October 1**

6:00PM Christopher Koch, Joseph Stefanik

SUNDAY: October 2

8:30AM Fran Biehl

**ST. Mary Parish, 730 Madison Ave.
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Fridays-Closed

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abalanj@charter.net

Bookkeeper/Music Coordinator: Joni Volkert

volkertj@charter.net

Administrative Assistant: Mary Koch

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Intern Pastoral Associate: Laura Knaapen

Custodian: Katelyn Hess

Special Project Coordinator: Pam Vanden Heuvel

Deadline for bulletin: Noon on Tuesday

E-mail bulletin announcements to:

suestmary@sbcglobal.net

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Liturgy of the Word with Communion:

1st & 3rd Tuesday: 8:00AM at St. Mary, Omro
2nd & 4th Wednesday: 10:30AM at Omro Care Center

**LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE
SATURDAY & SUNDAY October 1 & 2****ALTAR SERVERS:**

6:00PM 2 Volunteer

8:30AM 2 Volunteers

LECTORS:

6:00PM 2 Volunteers

8:30AM 2 Volunteers

USHERS:

6:00PM 2 Volunteers

8:30AM 4 Volunteers

COMMUNION MINISTERS:

6:00PM 2 Volunteers

8:30AM 4 Volunteers

GREETERS:

6:00PM 1 Volunteer

9:30AM 2 Volunteers

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Mon. Sept. 26	6:15 PM Parish Council Mtg. 7:00 PM Choir Practice
Wed. Sept. 28	10:30 AM LOW w/Communion @ Omro Care Center 6:00 PM 1st Reconciliation Parent Mtg.
Thur. Sept. 29	6:00 PM Missal Launch Presentation w/Sr. Pam
Sat. Oct. 1	1:00 PM Sutter/Hazel Wedding 5:30 PM Confession 6:00 PM Mass
Sun. Oct. 2	8:30 AM Mass 1:00 PM Mass in Spanish
Sat. & Sun. Oct. 1 & 2	Omro Area Non-Perishable Food Collection

*LOW: Liturgy of the Word

Lifelong Faith Formation Crusin' the Creed

2011-2012



The Roman Missal Cruise
October 5 & 12

With changes coming the first week of Advent, we will discuss why changes were made to the Roman Missal and what responses will change. It's a good time for everyone to recharge our prayer with renewed understanding.

An engaging evening for all ages!

Stewardship of Sharing week ending Sept. 18:
 Given (envelopes & loose): \$ 2,618.37
 Given YTD: \$ 37,608.97
 Given this week last year: \$ 3,931.02
 Given this YTD last year: \$ 39,153.57
 2011-2012 Fiscal Year budget: \$264,005.00
 To meet our weekly budget we need: \$ 5,077.02

Gospel Question of the Week (The Challenge to Forgive)

Adults: When have your actions not measured up to your promises? What was the outcome?

Youth & Children: Why is it important to follow through on your promises to others?

REMINDER

**First Reconciliation Parent Meeting
Wednesday Sept. 28 at 6:00 PM**

DON'T MISS OUT ON THE FUN!!!



What? Puppet Show – *Hairy & Company*
Who? All families are invited!
When? Saturday, October 8
 Supper @ 4:30 PM
 (Hot dogs, chips, veggies, ice cream)
 Puppet Show @ 5pm
 Mass @ 6pm

Please RSVP to church office 685-2258
 or email: kochmary@charter.net by
 October 4th.

Please join us for a fun time!



In Loving Memory

Our deepest sympathy goes out to the family of Elmer Thums. Elmer was called home to our Loving Heavenly Father this past week. Please keep Elmer & his family in your prayers.

WINNECONNE

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Mon. Sept. 26 7:30 AM LOW* with Communion
 Wed. Sept. 28 7:30 AM LOW* with Communion
 6:00 PM 1st Reconciliation
 Parent Mtg.
 Thur. Sept. 29 2:00 PM Missal Launch
 Presentation w/Sr. Pam
 Sat. Oct. 1 3:30 PM Confession
 4:00 PM Mass
 Sun. Oct. 2 10:30 AM Mass
 2:30 PM Dan Jandrin Eagle Project
 Basement of Church

*LOW: Liturgy of the Word

WINNECONNE



Faith Formation Classes begin soon!

- *Elementary begins on October 5th at 3:00PM
- *Middle School begins on October 5th at 6:30PM
- *High Schools first class is October 12 at 6:30PM

Youth Group begins soon!!

- **Middle School Youth Group will be on Oct 5th at 5:15 (1st Wednesday of the Month)
- **High School Youth Group will be on October 12 at 5:15 (2nd Wednesday of the Month)

Stewardship of Sharing for the week ending Sept. 18:

Given (envelopes & loose): \$ 2,500.90
 Given YTD: \$ 49,316.39
 Given this week last year: \$ 4,409.35
 Given this YTD last year: \$ 49,712.56
 To meet our weekly budget we need: \$ 6,552.79
 Building & Maintenance Fund Bal: \$ 2,218.45



Happy 45th Wedding Anniversary

Leo & Phyllis Kinney

May God continue to bless you with happiness & love.

ATTENTION 2nd Grade Parents...

There will be a meeting for Parents & Students for the Sacrament of Reconciliation on Wednesday September 28th at 6:00 in the lower level of the church. You should be receiving a letter in the mail regarding the schedule if you do not receive the letter call the parish office at 582-7712.



LET'S SING



ADULT CHOIR STARTING SOON!

Joni Volkert, Adult Choir Director, is looking to start choir practices around mid-October. If you are interested in joining, please contact Joni Volkert at the parish office, 582-7712 or e-mail jonistmary@sbcglobal.net

2011-2012 Retreat Line –up

Retreats are very important; they present an opportunity for young people to grow in their faith, to grow in their relationships with others and to grow in their understanding of and appreciation for God's holy Word.

This year the Faith Formation Program will include retreats as part of the Faith Formation Program. The retreats will be organized by age levels. There may be a small fee charged and permission slips required. Please note these dates so you are able to plan around them. The retreats offered are for your children/youth and are part of the program so everyone's presence is vital to an overall positive retreat experience.

October 22, 2011 – Middle School Youth Jam

December 10 – 2nd grade First Reconciliation Retreat 9:30-11:00 AM

January 14, 2012 -Challenge Retreat with the Spiritus Team from Mt. Tabor. Retreat on-site. 1-5pm

January 14 is 9th and 10th grade

February 25th and 26th, 2012 – Confirmation Retreat at Camp Lakotah, Wautoma.

March 10th – 3rd, 4th, 5th grade Shine Retreat with the Spiritus Team from Mt. Tabor. Retreat on-site.1-5

March 17th – 2nd gr. First Communion Retreat 9-12

Parent volunteer opportunity: If you would like to help with set up, food, clean up please contact Andy at

582-7712.



In Loving Memory

Our deepest sympathy goes out to the family of Gene Schwaller. Gene was called home to our Loving Heavenly Father this past week. Please keep Gene & his family in your prayers.

It is time to prepare for.....

"Missal Launch November 26, 2011"

The New Roman Missal and the changes will begin on November 26, 2011. It is time for us to start preparing for the changes to occur. Let's go in full rocket speed ahead....

Plan on attending "Missal Launch November 26, 2011"

Sr. Pam will be presenting a program on the changes at St. Mary, Omro & Winneconne. They are scheduled for:

Thursday September 29th

St. Mary Winneconne at 2:00-3:15PM

St. Mary Omro at 6:00-7:15PM

Also on

Monday October 17th

St. Mary Omro at 2:00-3:15PM

St. Mary Winneconne at 6:00-7:15PM

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