

Church of St. Mary

DIocese of Peoria

Mission of St. Joseph

Delavan, Illinois

Hopedale, Illinois

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### May 12, 2019

#### ✠ Mass Intentions ✠

**Saturday May 11 St. J 4:00 PM**  
*For the Parishioners*

**Sunday: May 12 St. J. 8:30 AM**  
*Paul & Ruth Kucik by Jeff & Lisa Springer*  
**St. M. 10:30 AM**

*Gerald & Violet Rians by Scott & Kathleen Lowery*

**Tuesday: May 14 HMC 4:00 PM**  
*Larry Noreuil by Ria Rossi*

**Wednesday: May 15 St. M. 8:00 AM**  
*Dec. Mem. Of the Hayes family by Alan & Catherine Guebert*

**Thursday: May 16 St. M. 8:00 AM**  
*Margaret Hayes by Mark & Margaret Cunningham*

**Friday: May 17 St. M. 8:00 AM**  
*Dec. mem. Of the Fisher family by Sharon Weems*

**Saturday: May 18 St. J. 4:00 PM**  
*Helen Weishaupt by Melvin & Dorothy Long*

**Sunday: May 19 St. J. 8:30 AM**  
*John Rossi by Mark & Marla Rossi*

**St. M. 10:30 AM**

*Tyler Smith by Ted & Kitty Yontz*

#### Last Weeks Collection

St. Joseph \$1455.00

St. Mary \$1220.00

Thank you

#### Altar Servers

**St. Mary:** May 19 Danny & Megan

**St. Joseph:** May 18 Taylor  
May 19 Garrett & Ryan

**Please let Gayle know if you have a graduate this year so they can be recognized in the bulletin.**

**Annual Diocesan Appeal (ADA)** Thanks to the generosity of parish families, we are on our way towards our goals. If you have not yet had the opportunity, please return a pledge card with your response today. There are cards on the tables in the back of church. Every dollar raised over our goal will be kept in the parish. To those who have contributed, we are most grateful.

**St. Mary's Goal, \$21,197**  
**St. Joseph's Goal \$19,245**



#### St Mary's /St Joseph's Men's Club News:

**Cubs-Cardinals baseball game bus trip: Sunday, September 29 in St. Louis.** The game begins at 2:15 pm, there are 55 seats available, the bus will leave mid-morning from Delavan. Tickets for St. Joseph/St. Mary members are \$100 ea. That covers the trip and game and will be available thro the end of April, each person can purchase up to 2 tickets. Beginning May 1, ticket purchases will be opened to the general community. See Tom Brewer (309-369-0515), Walt Dare (309-840-2073), or Jeff Springer (309-241-2955) for tickets.

#### The Altar & Rosary

No 4th Monday meal this month.

#### Delavan Food Pantry: May's item,



Canned fruit. Delavan Food Pantry is open **Thursday 8:30 to 10:30 am**. The location is Delavan Township Building at 212 S. Locust St. (just south of Ayer Library) Thank you for your continued support.



**Hopedale food pantry** The Garden Food Pantry, located in Living Hope Community Church for those that wish to donate nonperishable items and paper goods. For those in need of the food pantry services, the pantry is open from 1-2 pm on the 2nd and 4th Thursday of each month. For more info call Denzil or Carol Cain 244-7294 or Living Hope Community Church 449-4403.

#### Illinois Right to Life's 51<sup>st</sup> Annual Banquet

Please join us on Friday, May 17, 2019, at the Carlisle in Lombard, IL. Cocktail hour begins at 6pm, followed by dinner and a program at 7pm. We hope you can join us!

To purchase tickets, go to [www.IllinoisRightToLife.org/Banquet](http://www.IllinoisRightToLife.org/Banquet) or call 312.422.9300.



**Baby Bottle Fund Raiser: A little change, changes lives... Please join in celebrating and supporting mothers in our community with our Baby Bottle fund-raiser. Take a bottle, fill it with change, or cash. Return the bottle on Fathers Day. Your support will help mothers most in need. Thank you for your support.**

#### Central Illinois Right to Life Annual 5K Run/Walk:

The race will be on July 13, at Metamora Fields Golf Course starting at 7:30 a.m. Awards are given to male and female winners in several age divisions. Contributions are needed to help purchase the awards for the run. To register: <https://raceroster.com/events/2019/21502/run-for-life-5k> more info: Greg at 208-1121.

#### A Prayer for Mothers

**All-loving God, we give you thanks and praise for mothers young and old. We pray for young mothers, who give life and count toes and tend to our every need; May they be blessed with patience and tenderness to care for their families and themselves with great joy. We pray for our own mothers who have nurtured and cared for us; may they continue to guide in strong and gentle ways. We remember mothers who are separated from their children because of war, poverty or conflict; may they feel the loving embrace of our God who wipes every tear away. We pray for women who are not mothers but still love and shape us with motherly care and compassion.**



**We remember mothers, grandmothers, and great-grandmothers who are no longer with us but who live forever in our memory and nourish us with their love. Amen.**