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St. Mary's Grand Ridge + St. Patrick's Ransom  
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## MASS TIMES

### Monday - Thursday

8:00a Earlville

### Tuesday - Friday

7:15a Marseilles

8:15a Seneca

### Saturday

4:00p Seneca

4:00p Marseilles

5:30p Grand Ridge

### Sunday

7:00a Earlville

7:30a Ransom

8:30a Earlville

9:00a Seneca

10:30a Grand Ridge

11:00a Marseilles

## COMMUNION SERVICE

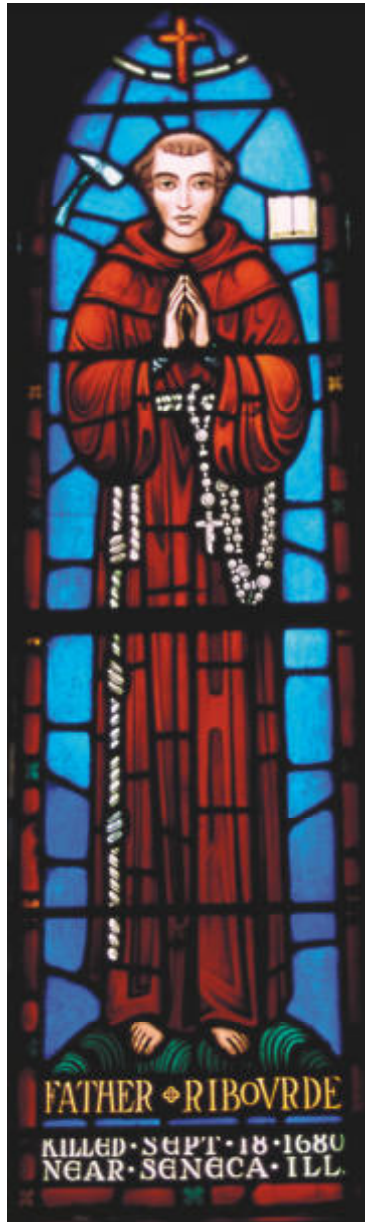
### Monday

7:15a Marseilles

8:15a Seneca

### Friday

8:00a Earlville



## CONFESSIONS

### Saturday

3:00-3:45p Seneca

3:00-3:45p Marseilles

### Sunday

8:00a-8:20a Earlville

## CLERGY

*Pastor*

Fr. Alexander Millar

*Parochial Vicar*

Fr. Ghislain Inai, SMA

*Parish Deacon*

Dcn. Ron Wackerlin

## COMBINED OFFICE

St. Joseph's in Marseilles

### Office Hours

Mon-Thurs 9:00a-2:30p

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**JULY 11, 2021**

**FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

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# ST. MARY'S CHURCH

## Mass Intentions for the Week

| ST. MARY'S CHURCH |   |
|-------------------|---|
| Sat. July 10      | 5:30 pm Peggy Olson<br>By: Bill & Carol Olson               |
| Sun. July 11      | 10:30 am William Kummer Sr.<br>By: Diane & Bill Kummer, Jr. |
| Sat. July 17      | 5:30 pm Dode Brown & Sheila Rawlins<br>By: James D. Brown   |
| Sun. July 18      | 10:30 am William Kummer Sr.<br>By: Diane & Bill Kummer, Jr. |

## Eucharistic Minister, Lector, Altar Servers

**Saturday July 17 5:30 pm**  
Lector: Pat Durdan  
**Sunday July 18 10:30 am**  
Lector: Marc Cheffer  
Servers: Raymond/Aly Hladovcak

## Weekly Collection ~ St. Mary

| July 4, 2021                               | Stays in Parish |                 |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|
| Sunday Collection                          | \$              | 950.00          |
| Loose Cash                                 | \$              | 53.00           |
| School                                     | \$              | 10.00           |
| Online Donation                            | \$              | <u>200.00</u>   |
| <b>Total</b>                               | <b>\$</b>       | <b>1,213.00</b> |
| Peter's Pence \$25.00, St. Vincent \$20.00 |                 |                 |
| SMA Mission Appeal \$50.00                 |                 |                 |
| Capital Improvement \$20.00                |                 |                 |

## LECTORS & ALTAR SERVERS

Altar Servers and Readers needed. Adults may volunteer to serve also!

Monica Leskanich may be contacted by email: [mmsoulsby@yahoo.com](mailto:mmsoulsby@yahoo.com) or call/text at 815-257-5058



## PARISH BULLETIN

If you have information or announcements that you want in the bulletin, we ask that you send all information to this e-mail address:

**[parishgroup3@gmail.com](mailto:parishgroup3@gmail.com)**

by **12:00 Noon** on the Monday prior to the Sunday you want the information in the bulletin. This includes the weekly information of collection totals, Eucharistic Ministers/Lectors/Altar Servers.

# ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

## Mass Intentions for the Week

| ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH |   |
|----------------------|---|
| Sat. July 10         | 4:00 pm Jerry Einhaus<br>By: Karen Einhaus Family                     |
| Sun. July 11         | 9:00 am Missa Pro Populo<br>By:                                       |
| Mon. July 12         | 8:15 am *Communion Service  |
| Tue. July 13         | 8:15 am Richard Anderson<br>By: Nadine & Les Maierhofer               |
| Wed. July 14         | 8:15 am William Mitchell<br>By: Jim Claggett                          |
| Thr. July 15         | 8:15 am Bob Heath<br>By: Gail Heath                                   |
| Fri. July 16         | 8:15 am In Thanksgiving for the Bryja Family<br>By: Katherine Bartkus |
| Sat. July 17         | 4:00 pm Joan Newman<br>By: Joe Newman                                 |
| Sun. July 18         | 9:00 am Missa Pro Populo<br>By:                                       |

## Eucharistic Minister, Lector, Altar Servers

**Saturday July 17 4:00 pm**  
Eucharistic Minister: Annette Olson  
Lector: Robert Mitchell  
Altar Servers: Ella/Chace Sterling  
**Sunday July 18 9:00 am**  
Eucharistic Minister: Tracy Ellis  
Lector: Kathy Baker  
Altar Servers: Elliott Geier, Brady/Jackson Fort

## Weekly Collection ~ St. Patrick

| July 4, 2021   | Stays in Parish |                     |
|--|-----------------|---------------------|
| Sunday Collection  | \$              | 2,125.00 ( 49 env.) |
| Loose Cash   | \$              | 329.00              |
| Online Donation  | \$              | <u>525.00</u>       |
| <b>Total</b>   | <b>\$</b>       | <b>2,979.00</b>     |
| Capital Improvement \$509.00, Peter's Pence \$187.00, SMA \$1,285.00 |                 |                     |

## ST. PATRICK WINDOW CROSS

As one might expect, repair work on an old building always reveals unexpected problems. During cleaning and sealing, it was revealed that the cross that serves as the keystone above our great stained glass window needs to be replaced. Because of where it sits and the complexity of the stone, it will cost approximately \$5,000 to replace. If anyone would be interested in dedicating this work for a loved one or contributing to the cost of repair, please contact the parish office.



# ST. THERESA CHURCH

## Mass Intentions for the Week

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|----------------------|--|
| <b>Sun. July 11</b>  | <b>7:00 am</b> Leo Graham<br>By: Candy Graham<br><b>8:30 am</b> Deceased members of the Krukowski Family<br>By: Janis & Mark Dunklau |
| <b>Mon. July 12</b>  | <b>8:00 am</b> Dorothy & Albert Squatrito<br>By:   |
| <b>Tues. July 13</b> | <b>8:00 am</b> Leo Graham<br>By: Dale & Joan Graham  |
| <b>Wed. July 14</b>  | <b>8:00 am</b> Leo Graham<br>By: George & Lori Ralph   |
| <b>Thur. July 15</b> | <b>8:00 am</b> Leo Graham<br>By: Barb Lane   |
| <b>Fri. July 16</b>  | <b>8:00 am</b> *Communion Service  |
| <b>Sun. July 18</b>  | <b>7:00 am</b> Elsie Donato<br>By: Dan & Joanna McConville<br><b>8:30 am</b> Russel & Beth Wackerlin (Anniversary)<br>By:            |

## Eucharistic Minister, Lector

**Sunday July 18 7:00 am**

Minister: Joe Stralka

Lector: Wally Cwikla

**Sunday July 18 8:30 am**

Minister: Jack Cantlin

Lector: Paula Wold

## Weekly Collection ~ St. Theresa

| July 4, 2021      | Stays in Parish  |
|-------------------|------------------|
| Sunday Collection | \$ 485.00        |
| Loose Cash        | \$ <u>92.00</u>  |
| <b>Total</b>      | <b>\$ 577.00</b> |

Peter's Pence 150.00, Cemetery \$30.00

\*\*The above collection is from the 7:00am mass only.

The 8:30am collection will be included in next weeks bulletin.

### ST. THERESA MASS INTENTIONS

Mass Intentions are available for the following dates: July , 19, 21, 28, and most days throughout the rest of August. Requests may be made by calling the office at 795-2240, putting your requests, with offering, in the Sunday collection basket with your phone number and also by emailing

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### DIOCESAN 25TH & 50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

If you are celebrating 25 or 50 years of marriage in 2021, notify the parish office. Each couple will received a personal invitation this summer from the Bishop to attend a Mass on September 26 at 3:30pm in your honor.

### ST. PATRICK, SENECA MASS INTENTIONS

Mass Intentions are available for the following dates: July 27, 28. Requests may be made by calling the office at 795-2240, putting your requests, with offering, in the Sunday collection basket with your phone number and also by emailing the main office at: [parishgroup3@gmail.com](mailto:parishgroup3@gmail.com).



### ST. THERESA, EARLVILLE

- **REMINDER:** Please fill out a poll for the Air Conditioning Project. We need your input to move forward. You can find a poll in the vestibule, put the completed poll in the basket or on the table or in the collection basket.
- The Earlville Police will host the 11th Annual Picnic with the Cops at 1:00pm in Dodge Park on Saturday July 24th. Hotdogs and hamburgers will be served to all the kids in the community.
- Next American Legion Blood Drive will be on Thursday August 19, 2021 at the Immanuel Lutheran Church from 1:00pm - 6:00pm.

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### **Homebound**

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### **Sacrament of Baptism**

Please contact the parish office to schedule. Parents should be registered members or have permission of proper pastor.

### **Sacrament of the Sick**

In an emergency, please call (815)780-9366. Otherwise please contact the parish office.

### **Sacrament of Marriage**

Couples should contact the parish office 8-12 months prior to their desired date. Please contact the parish before making other wedding arrangements.

### **Parish Registration**

To join the parish or update your information, please contact parish office or complete form in the back of each Church. Forms can be returned to office or placed in the collection basket

### **EXTRAORDINARY FORM LATIN MASS OSF ST. ELIZABETH**

Fr. Michael Driscoll, pastor of St. Mary's in Utica, offers a Latin Mass at the hospital chapel in Ottawa on the first Friday of each month at 11:30 a.m. The public is welcome.



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### **EUCCHARISTIC HOLY HOUR**



St. Mary's in Utica invites all Catholics from our area to attend the weekly Holy Hour at their parish. They are held on all Tuesdays at 7:00pm. There is time for silent prayer, adoration, and confession. The evening concludes with the chaplet of St. Michael the Archangel and Benediction.

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### **CATHOLIC CHARITIES**

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### **EMMAUS DAYS 2021 DATES:**

|                               |                     |
|-------------------------------|---------------------|
| Session III                   | Session IV          |
| 9th & 10th Grade Men          | 7th & 8th Grade Men |
| July 18-21                    | July 21-23          |
| Peoria Notre Dame High School |                     |



## BACKGROUND OF THE GOSPEL READING

This week's Gospel and the one for next week describe how Jesus sent the disciples to minister in his name and the disciples' return to Jesus afterward. These two passages, however, are not presented together in Mark's Gospel. Inserted between the two is the report of Herod's fears that Jesus is John the Baptist back from the dead. In Mark's Gospel, Jesus' ministry is presented in connection with the teaching of John the Baptist. Jesus' public ministry begins after John is arrested. John the Baptist prepared the way for Jesus, who preached the fulfillment of the Kingdom of God.

While we do not read these details about John the Baptist in our Gospel this week or next week, our Lectionary sequence stays consistent with Mark's theme. Recall that last week we heard how Jesus was rejected in his hometown of Nazareth. The insertion of the reminder about John the Baptist's ministry and his death at the hands of Herod in Mark's Gospel makes a similar point. Mark reminds his readers about this dangerous context for Jesus' ministry and that of his disciples. Preaching repentance and the Kingdom of God is dangerous business for Jesus and for his disciples. Mark wants his readers to remember that we, too, may find resistance as we choose to be disciples of Jesus.

Mark's Gospel tells us that Jesus sent out the Twelve. These twelve were selected from among Jesus' disciples and named by Mark in chapter 3. Mark notes that these twelve are also called "apostles." The word *apostle* means "one who is sent." The number twelve is also a symbolic number, representing the twelve tribes of Israel. By naming twelve apostles, Jesus shows his mission to be in continuity with the mission of God's people, Israel.

Jesus' instructions to the apostles are very specific. He repeats the mission that they are sent to preach and to share his authority to heal and to drive out demons. Jesus sends them in pairs, establishing his mission as a communal endeavor. Jesus also instructs them to travel lightly, without the customary food, money, and extra set of clothes. These instructions mean that the Twelve will be dependent on the hospitality of others, just as Jesus depended on others to provide for his needs.

Jesus continues to send us into the world as his disciples. But like the first disciples, we are not sent alone. Jesus has given us the community of the Church, which strengthens our life of discipleship. The Christian message can only authentically be proclaimed in and through the community of faith that is the Church. In our work with others, we build this community of faith and can invite others to share in it.





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