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Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday / Sábado: 5:30pm (English) & 7:30pm (Español) Sunday / Domingo: 9:00am (English) Rosary Half-Hour Before Masses/Rosario Media Hora previo al horario de la Misa.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 4:30pm.

or by appointment, please call the office to schedule a time.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesday: 4:45-5:45pm; Mass at 5:45pm.

Contact the parish office for Anointing of the Sick, communion to homebound, weddings, baptisms and new parish membership.

St. Mary's Catholic School Pre-K to Grade 6 stmarysmorris.org (320) 589-1704

Newman Center Ministries for UMM Students Ummnewman.weebly.com (320) 589-1947

assumptionofmorris.org

Mission Statement

Serving God's Family Together.

Fifth Sunday of Easter: May 6th and 7th, 2023

Monday, May 8th: NO MASS.

<u>Tuesday, May 9th: Adoration 4:45pm / Mass 5:45pm</u>. Special Intentions: * For Evelyn Guggisberg. 6:30pm Saint Mary's School Board Meeting.

Wednesday, May 10th, Mass 8:45am: Special Intentions: * Father Todd.

<u>Thursday, May 11th, Mass 10:00am at West Wind Village</u>: Special Intentions: * Father Todd. 12:00 noon-Rosary prayed at Church.

Friday, May 12th, NO Mass. Father Todd gives retreat at Abbey of the Hills.

Sixth Sunday of Easter: Saturday, May 13th and Sunday, May 14th, 2023

Father Stan Wieser is with us this weekend.

Saturday Confessions: 4:30pm to 5:20pm.

Saturday 5:30pm Mass: Intention: † Darlene Maloney.
Saturday 7:30pm Spanish Mass: Intention: * For the People.

Sunday 9:00am: Special Intention: * For all Mothers Living and Deceased.



are Welcomed.

The Mass is the greatest prayer on this side of heaven. Offering Masses for our beloved deceased, in thanksgiving for a mercy received or for special intentions are all most wonderful gifts to offer for oneself or for another. The Church teaches that, "the Mass and the sacraments remain the outstanding sources of sanctification and purification." We are encouraged by the Church to unite our good works and sufferings in the Eucharistic Sacrifice. Saints, Mystics of our faith, and our holy ancestors have often encouraged us to offer Masses for the deceased. The suggested stipend for a Mass is set by the Bishop of the Diocese. Presently the suggested stipend for Mass is \$10.00. If you would like to have a Mass offered some intention, please contact Guadalupe and a Mass date and time will be scheduled for your intentions.



MAAA-ACC Websites:

*www.stmaryschokio.org *assumptionofmorris.org

*stmarysmorris.org *ummnewman.weebly.com *www.brownsvalleycatholic.org/

Prayer chain requests:

call Denise Mahoney 320-394-2121 or Maggie Fletcher 320-589-1390.

Our Parish

Parish Office Closed on Wednesday, May 10th

Donate to Assumption

If you would like to make a donation to our Assumption church go to: **assumptionofmorris.org** "click" **Donate to Assumption**, it's easy and secure!! If you have questions, please call to the office.

Cemetery Request

Please remove all Christmas decorations from the graves. Thank you for your cooperation!!!

Southwestern Deanery Meeting—May 8th 2023, 6:30-7:30pm

All women in our parish are invited to this year's Spring Southwestern Deanery meeting. A time for fellowship with Catholic women in our area to hear what is happening in our diocese, and to share happenings of our own parishes with others in our deanery/southwest region. If you would like to attend, have questions or need a ride, please contact Cindy Riedner at 320-585-5097. Location: St. Olaf Catholic Church, 518 Division St. E. Elbow Lake, MN.

Sunday TV Mass www.stcdio.org/tvmass

Our Diocese

Bishop's Annual Appeal

Thank you to those who have already supported diocesan ministries through the Appeal. As of April 25 the diocese has raised \$952,919 in gifts and pledges toward the goal of \$1,400,000, with gifts from 5,106 households. Every dollar raised goes directly to ministries that support our Catholic faith and is not used for any other purpose. Will you help these ministries meet their funding needs? Visit: www.stcdio.org/annualappeal.

Stewardship as a Way of Life

"The stone which the builders rejected has become the cornerstone."

1 Peter 2:7

Every person has been given gifts from the Holy Spirit. These are called "charisms" and they are used to build God's kingdom of earth.

Diaconate Discernment

If you know of any men, or if you are one, interested in learning more about the permanent diaconate, please contact Deacon Richard Scheierl at Richard.scheierl@gw.stcdio.org or 320-203-0554.

June 20—22 Vocation Camp

Vocation Camp in Avon for young men in grades 7-12. Register at: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/2023VocationCamp

June 27 –29 Nun Run

Fr. Doug invites young women (rising juniors to mid-20s) who are interested in religious life to join the "2023 Nun Run." Register at: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/2023NunRun. If you have any questions, please contact the Vocation Office at 320-251-5001.

July 27—Humanae Vitae Mass & Award Reception

This event will be held at Saint Mary's Cathedral, St. Cloud. We will celebrate the 55th Anniversary of Humanae Vitae with Mass at 7:00pm with Bishop Patrick Neary presiding. A reception will follow with the presentation of the 2023 Humanae Vitae Award. All are welcome.

Emmaus Institute

Are you looking to learn more about your faith? Perhaps new skills for ministry? Then it is time for you to consider joining us at Emmaus Institute. Registration for the 2023-2024 academic year is open. For more information, please contact Kristi Bivens at 320-251-0111 or kristi.bivens@gw.stcdio.org.

Liturgical Ministers May 13th & 14th

Saturday 5:30pm 9:00am

Jane Lesmeister Paul & Barb Leonard

Kendal Fischer Anna Boyle Maecy Kleespie Allie Staples

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Melvin Hottovy

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Rick Grossman

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Volunteers needed for both Masses.

Linda Hoffman

May 5:30pm 9:00am Ushers

Ed Larson Neil Feist
Rick Hesse Mark Staples
Pat Lanoue Richard Bright
Greg Weiler

Please sign up online!

May Rose Murphy
Church Kim Gullickson
Cleaners Joanie Murphy

Volunteers needed to clean the church in May!!

Matt Lhotka

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April 29th & 30th

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St. Mary's Blue Envelope	\$ 20.00
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