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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.

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Fifth Sunday, April 27th and 28th, 2024.

Monday, April 29th: NO Mass.

Tuesday, April 30th: NO Mass.

Wednesday, May 1st, NO Mass.

Thursday, May 2nd, NO Mass.

12:00pm-Noon: Rosary Prayed at the Church

Friday, May 3rd, NO Mass.

Sixth Sunday of Easter, May 4th and 5th, 2024.

8:30am to 11:00am First Communion Practice in the Church.

2:00pm Wedding of José Manuel Hernández Guzmán and Ana Laura Pérez Hernández.

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

Saturday 5:30pm Mass: Intention: † Edward Kurowski.

Saturday 7:00pm Spanish Mass: Intentions: * **For the People.**

Sunday 9:00am First Holy Communion Mass: Intention: † Kathy Kleespies Blair.

Father Todd will be away from the parish from April 23rd to May 3rd, visiting Our Lady of Sorrows Monastery in eastern Ohio. Father Stan Wieser, or Father Jeff Ethen, or Father Joe Korf have agreed to be available for any funerals while Father Todd is away. Thank you for your prayers for safe travel.

First Holy Communion May 5th at the 9:00am Mass.

Saint John Paul II called Mary “The Woman of the Eucharist.” He wrote in his Encyclical Letter about the Church and the Eucharist the following reflection: “In a certain sense Mary lived her eucharistic faith even before the institution of the Eucharist, by the very fact that she offered her virginal womb for the Incarnation of God’s Word. The Eucharist, while commemorating the Passion and Resurrection, is also in continuity with the Incarnation. At the Annunciation Mary conceived the Son of God in the physical reality of his Body and Blood, thus anticipating within herself what to some degree happens sacramentally in Every believer who receives, under the signs of bread and wine, the Lord’s Body and Blood. As a result, there is a profound analogy between the *fiat* that Mary said in reply to the angel, and the Amen that every believer says when receiving the Body of the Lord.” (Ecclesia de Eucharistia, #55, April 17, 2003). We pray that the Blessed Virgin Mary, our Mother, will intercede for our children today and always.



MAAA-ACC Websites:

- *www.stmaryschokio.org
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- *stmarysmorris.org
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- *www.brownsvalleycatholic.org/

Prayer chain requests:

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Maggie Fletcher 320-589-1390.

Our Parish

May Church Monthly Cleaners

Kim Gullickson & Joanie Murphy.

“Volunteers needed to clean the church in May”

Baptism

If you are expecting your first child, please contact the office at 320-589-3003 in regards to Baptism. Father Todd will meet with you and help you prepare for your child’s Baptism.

FORMED

Our Parish is offering the **FORMED** program again to all our parishioners. If you have not yet signed-up, please take advantage of this opportunity to learn about your Catholic Faith. To sign-up as a member, please go to **FORMED.org**.

St. Mary’s School

St. Mary’s school is looking for someone to plan/lead Vacation Bible school this summer. If you are interested, please contact Mrs. Fischer at 320-589-1704 ext. 111.

Social Concerns

Assumption Parish has been asked to donate 10 loaves of bread for the Bread N Bowls dinner which is Monday, April 29th, from 5:30pm-7:00pm at the MAES cafeteria. There will be a sign up sheet on the table in the back of church if you wish to donate. Homemade bread is preferred. The bread should be on that table by 1:00pm on Sunday, April 28th so it is ready for pick up.

Cemetery Request

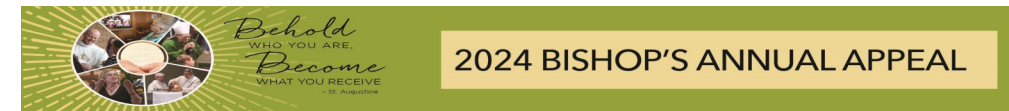
Please remove all Christmas decorations from the graves. Thank you for your cooperation!!!

Liturgy Ministers Calendar May—June

Liturgical Ministers Calendar May-June are on the back church table, please stop by and claim yours!!!

Assumption Church Spring Clean– Up

Assumption Church Spring Clean-Up will be on Saturday, May 11th starting at 7:30am please, bring rakes and gloves.



Sunday TV Mass
www.stcdio.org/mass

Bishop’s Annual Appeal

Have you attended a Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation, Wedding or Ordination? All of these Sacraments are supported through the ministries funded by the Bishop’s Annual Appeal. Help continue to support these vital milestones of our faith through a gift at: www.stcdio.org/annualappeal.

Stewardship as a Way of Life

“ Children, let us love not in word or speech but in deed and truth.”
1 John 3:18

Fifth Sunday of Easter April 28 Religious Brothers Day—May 1st

That men boldly and courageously accept Jesus’ call to religious life as a brother.

Honoring Marriage Day

Honoring Marriage Day is May 4th at Sacred Heart Parish, Sauk Rapids, MN for couples celebrating 5, 10, 25, 40, 50, 60 & 60 plus years of Marriage in 2024. Please contact your parish office to register.

June 1—Presbyteral ordinations

Deacon Daniel Ruprecht and Deacon Kevin Soenneker will be ordained to the priesthood at 10:30am at the Cathedral of St. Mary’s. St. Cloud, MN.

Liturgical Ministers
May 4th & 5th

	Saturday 5:30pm pm	Sunday 9:00am
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Servers	Kendal Fischer Kristopher Fischer	Allie Staples Flynn Copeland
Eucharistic Ministers	Deacon Stan Chalice Diane Hennen Mike Mahoney Michelle Rath ?	D. Lorenzo S. Carla Riley Chalice: Paul Rhoda Nicole Berlinger Mark Berlinger Guadalupe S.
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Greeters	Peggy Mahoney Mike Mahoney Cindy Yeager	Dick & Karla Van Moorlehem Melvin Hottovy
Music	Volunteers needed	Renew Choir
May Ushers	5:30pm Ed Larson Rick Hesse Dick Kay Pat Lanoue	9:00am Neil Feist Mark Staples Richard Bright Greg Weiler Matt Lhotka

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April 20th & 21th

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