September 13th, 2026
24th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Feast of St. Mary (The Assumption)
August 15th



Feast of St. Raymond
August 31st



Feast of St. Maurice
September 22nd

The Parishes of

St. Mary
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Farmersville, IL 62533

St. Raymond
306 S McElroy
Raymond, IL 62560

St. Maurice
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Bulletin deadline:
End of day Monday

Diocesan Child abuse reporting and investigation
(217)321-1155

Liturgical Schedule

Saturday, September 12
5:00 pm St. Mary: Debbie Lucas

Sunday, September 13
8:00 am St. Raymond: For The Parishioners of St. Maurice, St. Raymond, & St. Mary
10:00 am St. Maurice: Howard & Rita Fishburn

Tuesday, September 15
8:00 am St. Mary: Tim Murphy

Wednesday, Septemeber 16
8:00 am St. Raymond: Edward Weitekamp

Friday. September 18
8:00 am St. Maurice: Nide Grundy

Saturday, September 19
5:00 pm St. Mary: Glenn Rovey

Sunday, September 20
8:00 am St. Raymond: Margaret Jenkins
10:00 am St. Maurice: For the parishioners of St. Maurice, St. Raymond, & St. Mary

Reconciliation

Saturdays
3:00-3:30 pm St. Maurice
4:00-4:30 pm St. Mary
Sundays
7:00-7:30 am St. Raymond

Adoration

St. Raymond
8:30 am Wednesday - 8:00 am Thursday
St. Maurice
8:00 am - 9:00 pm Wednesdays

Saints of the Week

September 14: Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross
September 15: Our Lady of Sorrows
September 16: Sts. Cornelius, Pope and Cyprian, Bishop, Martyr
September 17: St. Robert Bellarmine, Cardinal, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
September 18: St. Joseph of Cupertino, Franciscan
September 19: St. Januarius, Bishop and Martyr
September 20: Sts. Andrew Kim Taego˜n, Paul Chông Hasang & Companions, Korean Martyr

Father's Column

Peter approached Jesus and asked him, "Lord, if my brother sins against me, how often must I forgive? As many as seven times?" Jesus answered, "I say to you, not seven times but seventy-seven times."

Jesus practiced forgiveness that knew no bounds. Time and time again, he forgave people who hurt him or his disciples. Jesus even forgave those who sentenced him to death, crying out from the cross, "Forgive them, Father, for they know not what they do." Today's Gospel challenges us to practice this same spirit of forgiveness, a spirit that is generous and ongoing.

Jesus presents us with a significant challenge. Forgiveness is rarely easy. The need for it only comes about because of harm inflicted on another (or many others). Forgiveness reminds us that we are far from perfect. Pain is part of our realities. Given the sensitivities surrounding forgiveness, let us consider a few key points about the type of forgiveness advocated for by Jesus.

Jesus calls his disciples to forgive their sisters and brothers "from your heart"; a practice of transformation. Forgiveness is not about forgetting. A real harm has been perpetrated. Jesus would never want a person to put themselves back in an abusive or dangerous situation. Rather, the act of forgiving frees a person to begin healing.

Forgiveness does not always happen overnight. Sometimes the response is immediate, like when the king in today's Gospel forgave the servant on the spot. But oftentimes, forgiveness is a longer process of acknowledging the harm, working through the feelings and thoughts that were provoked, and praying for God's help.

Ministry Schedules

St. Mary

September

Lectors

Saturday, Septemeber 12:
Dan Martin
Saturday, September 19:
Kathy Rovey
Saturday, September 26:
Carol Hupp
Saturday, October 3:
Mary Jane Fuchs
Saturday, October 10:
Tony Krager

Extraordinary Ministers

Saturday, September 12:
Mary Ann Rimini &
Emily Martin
Saturday, September 19:
John &
Mary Jo Brown
Saturday, September 26:
Patty Clarke &
Mary Ann Rimini
Saturday, October 3:
Mary Jane Schmidt &
Patty Clarke
Saturday, October 10:
Emily Martin &
Mary Jane Schmidt

St. Raymond

September

Lector: Lindsay Wagahoff
Cantor: Deb Held
Hospitality: Phil Brown
Extraordinary Ministers:
John Barto &
Neil Wagahoff

Homebound Ministers

Sunday Sept 6: Hocking/Krager
Sunday Sept 13: Dick Lyons
Sunday Sept 20: Carl Marten
Sunday Sept 27: Noller/Morehouse

Servers:

Sunday, Sept 6: Denny Held
Sunday, Sept 13: Freddie & Lucy Wagahoff
Sunday, Sept 20: Luke Pope
Sunday, Sept 27: Austin & Addy Nicol

October Ministry Schedule
Linda Hocking, Verne Pinkston, Jerry Wagahoff, Donna Wagahoff, Gabe Pope

St. Maurice

September Ushers
Steve Weitikamp, Jim Schneider, Dan Brockamp, & Debbie Brockamp

Sunday, September 13:
Lector: Larry Goebel
Extraordinary Ministers:
Ed Goebel,
Dale Brockamp,
& Carl Goebel
Servers: Nathanial Debrun,
Rian Deardorff,
& Abigail Grundy

Sunday, September 20:
Lector: Elaine Wagner
Extraordinary Ministers:
Catherine OConnell,
John Bergschneider,
& Linda Sheedy
Servers: Macie Ferrill
& Olivia Moore

Sunday, September 27:
Lector: Diane McWard-Sullivan
Extraordinary Ministers:
Dale Brockamp,
Kendra Brockamp,
& Brian Grundy
Servers: Adelaide, Gentry,
& Rigby Dunkirk

October Ushers
Ed & Linda Vorhees

Parish Engagement For September 5th & 6th

St. Mary
Collection : $1,660.00

St. Raymond
Collection: $3,889.00

St. Maurice
Collection: $2,384.22
Attendance: 104

Our Prayer List

Gaye Catlin, Emalie Dyer, Georgetta Dean, Quinn Broverman, Doug Bell, Jim Weitekamp, Judy Geiger, Martha Beeler, Dan Janssen, Janet Locander, Alan McFarlin, Briar Gard, Virginia Murphy, Greg Pope, for the end of all war, especially for peace in Camaroon, Fr. Florent's home in Africa, and for our Pope, Bishop, Priests, and Seminarians, and for the increase in vocations to Priesthood and religious life.

To add a name to the prayer list, please email agrundy@stmrm.org and specify how many weeks you'd like the name to appear (between 1-12 weeks). You are always welcome to re-add the name at the end of this period, if the need for prayer is still present. This will help keep our list focused and fresh. If you know a parishioner that you'd like to add to fathers visitation list, please let Father or Andrea know.

Parish and Community News & Events

Important announcement for September 22nd & 23rd

There will be NO masses for Tuesday September 22nd or Wednesday 23rd

Father will be attending his annual priests convocation in florissant, Missouri.

Masses will reconvene on Friday September 25th at St. Maurice.

St. Raymond Sunday Social September 13

Join us today September 13th after Mass for coffee, donuts & more at the KC Hall.

Bake Sale

Dont forget today Sept 13th, is our bake sale!! Before and after church! Donations are free-will based for each item you would like to purchase. As always, your help is very much appreciated. This year, the donations will be used for mass server activities. Thank you & God Bless!

The Panhandle Senior Citizens

Will meet next on September 15, at the Farmersville KC hall for lunch. The doors open at 11:30 and we eat at noon. We will indulge in answering trivia and enjoy sharing stories.

St. Maurice Senior Activity

On September 17th, 2026, we will be traveling to Kincaid, IL to eat at the Kincaid Diner. We will meet in front of the church at 11:00 am to carpool. Please join us for a fun-filled lunch with great friends and fellowship.

St. Maurice Feast day

Celebrating the feast day of St. Maurice is a special day for our church. We will honor our patron Saint. Please join us on Sunday, September 20th for Mass and fellowship after church. We will be serving cinnamon rolls and drinks for all to enjoy. Come be a part of our church celebration and bonding as a family of Christ.

St. Raymond's Ladies Social Group

We will be reconvening this September after a summer break. ALL ladies are invited and welcome to enjoy fellowship and prayer. We meet the second Tuesday of each month at 112 S McElroy St. at 10 am in Raymond. Just bring yourself and more importantly, bring a friend! Upcoming dates are Sept. 8, Oct 13, Nov 10, and Dec 8. We hope you can make it!

Eucharistic Miracles

Tixtla, Mexico-2006

During a retreat in Tixtla, a consecrated host began to bleed. Scientific analysis revealed that the bood was human and contained DNA, white blood cells, and intact red blood cells- suggesting it came from a living person. The tissue was again identified as heart muscle under distress. As with the other verified miracles, the blood type was AB.

Familes of Faith manditory meeting

We are very excited to announce; we are starting or Family of Faith teachings! We will be having a meeting to discuss everything with the parents. We encourage everyone, this week, to pick up the formed flyer, that is located in the back of the church. Follow the instructions on the back of the flyer and set up your family account.
Our meeting will take place Wednesday September 16th, 2026 at 6PM at the Morrisonville KC Hall. We will be having pizza and desserts. Please text Mrs. Claire Weitekamp to RSVP (we would like a head count) at **(714) 204-1300**. We look forward to seeing our families! God Bless!

Disciples of Mercy Ministry at St. Maurice

If you or someone you know could benefit from having meals provided while on hospice, recovering from surgery and hospitalization, or welcoming a new baby, or if you would like to join this ministry, contact:
Marietta Dunkirk 217-825-6018, Pat Christian 217-825-9811, or Claire Weitekamp 714-204-1300

Pro-Life Prayer

Friday mornings 9:00 am at St. Raymond

Email Bulletin

If you would like to receive our weekly bulletin via email, let Andrea know at agrundy@stmrm.org

St. Maurice Welcomes new member in the Holy Sacrament of

Baptism

Beau Louis Leach, son of Tyler and Alexandra Leach, was baptized on Sunday April 19th, 2026. Proud big sister Dixie is excited to welcome Beau into God's family.

Congratulations & welcome to our parish family!

We invite you to join us praying for Beau to grow in Wisdom and Grace as a child of God

Please accept our sincere apology for the missed announcement. We formally welcome Beau into our parish family and are excited to witness his growth in faith.



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The Seven Sorrows of the Blessed Virgin Mary

The Seven Sorrows of Mary is a traditional Catholic devotion featuring meditations on sorrowful episodes in the life of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Join us in prayer as we celebrate the feast of Our Lady of Sorrows.

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