

**HOLY GHOST PARISH OF JERSEYVILLE
ST. MARY'S PARISH OF FIELDON**

Rev. William Hembrow (Pastor)
498-3416 (Rectory)

Holy Ghost School
498-4910

St. Francis School
498-4823

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS: Mon- Wed, and Fri: 8:30 to 3:00 p.m.

CHURCH E-MAIL: hgchurch@gtec.com Website: holyghostjerseyville.com

RITE OF RECONCILIATION: Saturday: 4:30p.m. - 5:25 p.m.

WEDDINGS: Plans are to be made by appointment with the parish priest

Eucharist Adoration: March 4, 2015, in Holy Ghost Church 9am-3pm

MASS INTENTIONS – HOLY GHOST

Mon., March 2nd 8:30am: Edwarda Kallal
Tues., March 3rd 8:30am: Communion Service
Wed., March 4th 8:30am: Gerald Kallal
Thurs., March 5th 8:15am: Ben and Pearl Kallal
Fri., March 6th 8:30am: Elsie Fink
Sat., March 7th 8:30pm: Bob and Dana Kadell
Sun., March 8th 8:00am: William Lynch
10:00am: George and Rose Woelfel Family
11:15am: Dorothy Klockenkemper

MASS INTENTIONS – ST. MARY'S

Sunday, March 8th 9:00am: Rita Klaas

Contribution Reports: **Holy Ghost:** Envelopes: \$8,060.00, Loose: \$1,393.51, School: \$41.00,
C. Times: \$15.00, Fuel: \$105.00, Europe: \$256.00, **Total: \$9,870.51**

Holy Ghost E-giving: Sunday Offering: \$1,100.00, **Total: \$1,100.00**

St. Mary's: Envelopes: \$1,584.00, Loose: \$186.00, C. Times: \$15.00, Europe: \$41.00, **Total: \$1,826.00**

Choir Notice: The choir will be practicing for confirmation on Wed. March 4 at 7 pm at Holy Ghost Church. Confirmation is Sat. March 7th at 10 am at Holy Ghost. We could use help in singing for this occasion so please come and join us.

DCCW Deanery: The next Jacksonville Deanery Meeting is Thursday, March 19, 2015 at Blessed Trinity Parish (St. Mary's) Brussels. Mass at 9:30 am followed by registration, meeting and lunch in the church hall. Program: the Underground Railroad Quilt. All women of the parish are invited.

Altar Society: There will be an Altar Society Meeting on Tuesday, March 10th at 7 pm in the Rectory. We will be finalizing our spring events.

2015 Catholic Women's Breakfast: The Women's Breakfast is being held at St. Boniface Church in Edwardsville. The event includes Mass at 8 am followed immediately by breakfast and spiritual presentation. Fee to attend is \$15.00 and covers all expenses. RSVP is required by March 13. See flyers at the church doors for registration form.

Jerseyville, K. of C. Friday Fish Fries: at 307 N State will be serving all you can eat catfish filet & buffalo fish dinners **each Friday** during Lent. Fish sandwiches & side items will also be available. Serving will be from 5 – 8pm each Friday evening. Carryouts will be available. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Madison County Catholic Charities: is hosting its 15th annual dinner/dance fundraiser "Help On The Move" on Saturday, April 11, 2015 at the Holiday Inn in Alton, 6pm to 11pm. Additionally, MCCC is conducting its \$10,000 raffle in conjunction with its annual fundraiser. Tickets for the fundraiser are \$30 per person that includes dinner, beer/wine/soda, and dancing to Marcel Strong and the Apostles. Limit 300 attendees. Raffle tickets are \$25 each. All tickets will be available after all Masses at Holy Ghost Church on March 15th, March 29th and at St. Francis Xavier Church on March 22nd. Dinner tickets and raffle tickets are available now by calling Andy Macias 498-6044 or by e-mailing armacias@gtec.com. Please see www.jerseyville2000.com/mccc for more information.

ST. BALDRICKS: Save the date: March 6th @ 12:30 @ Holy Ghost. This event helps raise funds for Childhood Cancer Research. Every child shaving this year will have to register online at Friends and relatives can then go online www.stbaldricks.org < <http://www.stbaldricks.org/> > to sponsor your child. Companies that offer matching programs can donate. If interested call Deb Wittman 535-7075 or Lisa Wargo 946-4145.

Confirmation Practice: St. Francis and Holy Ghost on Wed. March 4th starting at SF at 6:00 and HG at 6:30pm.

Needed: SF/HG is currently searching for an individual, preferably multiple individuals, to serve as track coaches for the 2015 Track season (and beyond). Track is a coed sport that typically has athletes from 6th-8th grade. There may be anywhere from 25- 40 student/athletes participating. We utilize the track at Illini Middle School for practice. A typical season is 6-10 meets, along with the IESA Sectional Meet and possibly the IESA State Meet, should we have any qualify. We have had multiple qualifiers over the past 4-5 seasons.

Promise of Our Lady of Fatima: "I promise to help at the hour of death, with graces needed for salvation, whoever 1) on the first Saturday of 5 consecutive months, shall confess and receive Holy Communion, 2) recite 5 decades of the Rosary, and 3) keep Me company for 15 minutes, while meditating on the mysteries of the Rosary with the intention of making reparation to My Immaculate Heart." Everyone who seeks graces to enter into heaven can practice this devotion. The 5:30pm Mass on Saturday can be consider a 1st Saturday Mass as long as you attend another weekend Mass to be counted as your Sunday obligation. If you would like to know more about Our Lady's request of the children of Fatima, please pick up a pamphlet in the back of church.