

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

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Baptism and Weddings: By appointment with the priest, call the parish office for assistance.

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**MASS INTENTIONS – HOLY GHOST**

Mon, Apr. 10<sup>th</sup> 8:30am: Priests of Holy Ghost and St. Mary's

Tues, Apr. 11<sup>th</sup> 8:30am: Rev. Wm. Hembrow

Wed, Apr. 12<sup>th</sup> 8:30am: Robert V. Kallal

**Thurs, Apr. 13<sup>th</sup> 7pm:** Joe, Ruby and Dick Hansen

**Fri, Apr. 14<sup>th</sup> 3pm: Service and Stations**

**Sat., Apr. 15<sup>th</sup> 8:00pm:** David Gibbons

**Sun., Apr. 16<sup>th</sup> 8:00am:** Paul Funk

**11:15am:** Vic Tepen

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**Sun. Apr. 16<sup>th</sup> 9:30am:** Mildred Kronable

**Weekly Contribution Reports:**

**Holy Ghost:** Envelopes: \$9,708.00, Loose: \$1,476.00, School: \$305.00, Imp. Fund: \$219.00,

Cath. Relief: \$125.00, Cath. Char.: \$10.00, Easter Flowers: \$30.00, Seminarians: \$20.00, **Total: \$11,893.00**

**Holy Ghost E-Giving:** Sunday Giving: \$1,040.00, **Total: \$1,040.00**

**St. Mary's:** Envelopes: \$1,879.00, Loose: \$68.00, Catholic Relief: \$10.00, **Total: \$1,957.00**

**Baptismal Congratulations:** Coleman Anthony Kuebrich, son Paul and Ellen

Bryce Vincent Ewen, son of Chris and Amy

**Holy Ghost Easter Schedule:**

April 10<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Mon-Wed. 8:30am

Holy Thursday April 13<sup>th</sup> 7pm

Good Friday, April 14<sup>th</sup> 3pm

Holy Saturday, April 15<sup>th</sup> 8pm

Easter Sunday, April 16<sup>th</sup> 8am & 11:15am

**St. Mary's Easter Schedule:**

Easter Sunday, April 16<sup>th</sup> 9:30am

**St. Mary's Confessions:**

Wed. April 12, 6:30pm

**School Board Applications:**

are available in both offices. Requirements: Registered practicing Catholic parishioners who are in good standing and able to receive the sacraments, 25 or older, who do not hold a paid position with our school, or who are not the spouse, parent, sibling, or child of an employee at our school shall be eligible to become members. No member of the same immediate family (parent, sibling, child or spouse) shall hold a position on the Board during the same term. We will be filling two seats from St. Francis and one seat from Holy Ghost. **Due April 30 at 3pm**

**Jerseyville, KC Fish Fries:** Every Friday during Lent 5pm-7:30pm at the hall. Serving fish dinners and sandwiches. Carry outs will be available. Everyone is welcome to attend.

**Fasting and Abstinence:** Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are obligatory days of fasting and abstinence for Catholics. In addition, Fridays during Lent are obligatory days of abstinence. The norms on fasting are obligatory from age 18 until age 59. When fasting, a person is permitted to eat one full meal, as well as two smaller meals that together are not equal to a full meal. The norms concerning abstinence from meat are binding upon members of the Latin Catholic Church from age 14 onwards.

**A Reflection on Lenten Fasting**

If possible, the fast on Good Friday is continued until the Easter Vigil (on Holy Saturday night) as the "paschal fast" to honor the suffering and death of the Lord Jesus, and to prepare ourselves to share more fully and to celebrate more readily his Resurrection.

**Altar Society:** Meeting, Tues, April 11 at 7pm in Blue room next to church. All ladies of the parish are invited to attend.

**Adult Choir Practice:** Tues, April 11<sup>th</sup> at 7pm. Last practice before Easter Vigil.

**Mother's Day Altar of Roses:** Envelopes are now located at all doors. Pick up yours today and return to drop boxes or to an Altar Society member no later than Sunday, May 7th.

**St. Michael (Greenfield):** Pork Chop Dinner, Sun, April 23<sup>rd</sup> 11am-2pm Adults/\$12, child/6-12yrs/\$5. Carry outs available.

**St. Francis (Jerseyville) Spring Dinner:** Sun, May 7<sup>th</sup> in St. Francis Gym. Fried Chicken & Roast Beef, all you can eat served family style. Serving from 11am-2:30pm. Adults/\$9, Child (6-12)/\$4, Preschool and under/free.

**Upcoming Events:**

Lenten Friday's: Fish Fry, K of C  
April 11<sup>th</sup> 7pm: Altar Society April Meeting  
April 19<sup>th</sup>: SF Choir to sing at Cardinal Game  
April 23<sup>rd</sup> 11am-2pm: St. Michael, Pork Chops  
May 7<sup>th</sup>: Last day to order roses for Altar of Roses  
May 8<sup>th</sup>: St. Francis Spring Dinner 11am-2:30pm  
May 9<sup>th</sup> 7pm: Altar Society May Meeting  
June 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>: Altar Society Flea Market