

ST. MARY

CATHOLIC CHURCH

St. Mary Parish is a Catholic community centered around the Eucharist, striving to learn and live our faith, and share it joyfully with others

April 19, 2015

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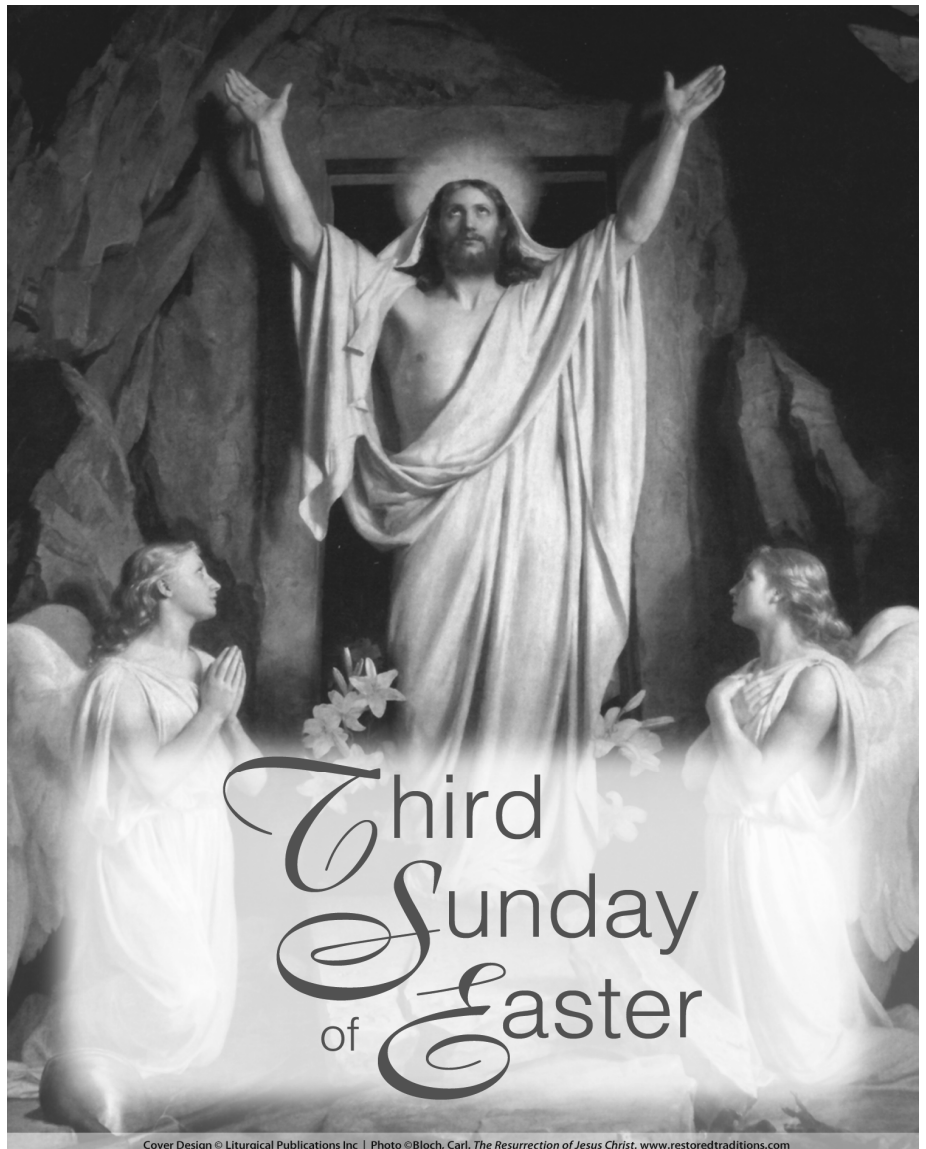
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OPEN ADORATION HOURS

Sunday1:00 AM
Monday.....1:00 AM
Thursday.....12 Noon
Saturday.....2:00 PM



SUNDAY MASSES
Saturday-5:30pm
Sunday-8:30 & 10:30am

Parish Events

Scheduled This Week

Lifesaver Weekend

Legion of Mary Curia: Sun. 3 PM @ Parish Center

FPU: Mon. 7 PM @ Parish Center

RCIA: Tues. 7 PM @ Parish Center

Children's Choir: Wed. 3:30 PM @ Parish Center

PSR: Wed. 6:30 PM @ School

CYM: Wed. 6:30 PM @ Parish Center

Legion of Mary: Wed. 6:30 PM @ Sacristy

Adult Choir Practice: Wed. 7:00 PM

Social Justice: Thurs. 7 PM @ JPll RM

Family Home Rosary: Fri. 7 PM @ Herdler Home

TMIY: Saturday 6:30 AM @ Parish Center Last Mtg.

School Auction: Sat. evening @ Gym

Lord's Pantry Next Sunday - Families from S-Z

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

The following individuals were received into the Church at the Easter Vigil: Ben Abel, James Cox, Chris Farrar, Dave Henning, Steve Jantz, Dustin Miner, Signe Rogers, Shaylan Smith and the Willingham family which includes Cristy, Dagan, Mark & Max.

A warm welcome to you all from our parish family.

The third series of TMIY is quickly coming to a close. Our last session will be Saturday April 25th. We want to invite all alumni of this program who participated in either of the first two series to consider coming to this last session. The breakfast will be the casseroles prepared by the current core team. The opportunity for fellowship will be priceless. Please consider joining one last time at 6:30 AM on Saturday April 25th in the Parish Center. God bless you all.

Attention High School Seniors - It is again time to apply for a \$500 scholarship to be awarded by the Pastoral Council of St. Mary. Applications are available at the Parish office if you didn't already receive one at CYM. Deadline is May 11 to the Parish office. There will be 2 awarded this year. One each to a boy & girl.

Stewardship Message-April 19, 2015

"The Joy of the Gospel: Faith Working Through Love"

Third Sunday of Easter

You are witnesses of these things! After Jesus' resurrection he appeared to his disciples to comfort them and to finish preparing them for their earthly mission. Scripture had foretold how the Christ would suffer and die at the hands of the people. As the Lord explained the Word to them, the disciples came to understand the purpose of Jesus' sacrifice, to atone for the sins of mankind. The church was established to spread the Good News that our sins will be forgiven if we repent and obey God's commandments. May we recognize our Savior in our encounters with God's children on earth.

New CD from Lighthouse



The Fourth Cup

Well-known Catholic theologian Dr. Scott Hahn explains Christ's Paschal Sacrifice on the cross as the fulfillment of the traditional fourth cup used in the celebration of the Jewish Passover meal. He draws a symbolic parallel to the Last Supper and Christ's death on Calvary. Through

his scholarly insights and important biblical connections, Mass will come alive for you as never before!

Parishioner Comments

Thank you! This put all the pieces of the puzzle together concerning the Holy Eucharist. The Mass has come alive for me and my family!

Joe - Kettering, OH

We now have a deeper understanding of the institution of the Eucharist and its deeply-rooted nature in the Passover.

Kent - Mena, AZ



Today's reflection focuses on both last week's Gospel involving Thomas's doubt and this week's readings. As Vincentians we are frequently filled with doubt, doubt whether we have the strength and love to carry out our mission, doubt as to if we can

see Jesus in our constituents and doubt as to whether we will have the resources to assist our constituents. This doubt could erode our faith were it not for the words of Jesus to the pair "Peace be with you". We know that accepting this peace is all we need to conquer our doubts. While we always go on our visits in pairs, we know there is a third party with us. Jesus is there. We continue to thank you for your prayers and support. They make our mission possible.

Dillon's Community Rewards

Did you get your Plus Shoppers Card registered on line to benefit your parish? Points started adding up on Feb. 1st. To date only 147 parishioners have signed on. It is never too late to begin. Better late than never. What an easy way to help your parish.

Our Gifts to God & Parish

Fiscal Year July 2014 - June 2015

Collections for April 12, 2015

Envelopes & Loose Cash.....	\$9,790.90
Children's collection.....	\$ 45.00
Total	\$9,835.90

Extra Efforts: Easter Collections \$590.00

Building Fund Receipts

Capital Improvement Fund \$ 45.00

Budget per week is..... \$14,443.00

Collections year to date compared to budget
Through April 12, 2015 \$(1,282.26)

April 12-18

National Volunteer Week

It's National Volunteer Week!

We want to extend a huge thank you to all of the special people who choose to spend their time with us!

We're so very thankful for our church teams and their leaders, as well as our pool of volunteers who aren't affiliated with any of our team churches.

Thank you for your support and dedication to our ministry!

You are all amazing!



Legion of Mary:

The Legion of Mary would like to wish everyone a Happy Easter! With the announcement of a possible Holy Year on the horizon, it is an exciting time for Catholics. This is an ideal time to think about a HOME ENTHRONEMENT. A Plenary Indulgence is attached under the conditions outlined in the Manual of Indulgences.

In May, after all Masses, there will be sign-up sheets and information about a home enthronement, what it is and how it is a daily blessing, along with the promises Our Lord attached to the Home Enthronement.

The Legion will set up a table by the Baptismal Font. Please stop by, get information, and prayerfully consider the Home Enthronement. Those on the list from last year, will be first on the list.

TESTIMONIALS: After my home enthronement, my home business started to go better. I started getting more business and the business transactions went very smoothly.

After my home enthronement, I started praying more, and felt the presence of the Holy Spirit.

APRIL: Liturgical month of the Blessed Sacrament--The Legion is blessed to have our meetings in the Sacristy, which has been the meeting place of the Legion of Mary since 1976. We are literally, just a few feet from the Blessed Sacrament. Please consider a membership, whether it be active or auxiliary.

There is a special feeling having a prayer meeting within a few feet of the Blessed Sacrament, and a prayer meeting in which the Spiritual Director tries to make everyone of them. We meet every Wednesday evening, 6:30 pm in the Sacristy. If interested, please call Fr. Jim Mainzer, 282-0459, or Linda M. Bennett, 587-5337. We also will be hosting the monthly Curia meeting for the Legion of Mary, April 19th, in the Parish Center, JP II Rm. Meeting starts at 3:00pm. All are invited to attend.

Readings for the Week of April 19, 2015

Sunday: Acts 3:13-15, 17-19/1 Jn 2:1-5a/Lk 24:35-48

Monday: Acts 6:8-15/Jn 6:22-29

Tuesday: Acts 7:51--8:1a/Jn 6:30-35

Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8/Jn 6:35-40

Thursday: Acts 8:26-40/Jn 6:44-51

Friday: Acts 9:1-20/Jn 6:52-59

Saturday: 1 Pt 5:5b-14/Mk 16:15-20

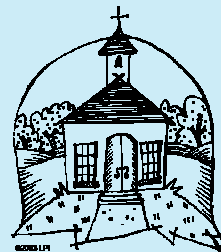
Next Sunday: Acts 4:8-12/1 Jn 3:1-2/Jn 10:11-18



Parish Information

Communion to the Sick

If you are unable to attend Mass due to age, illness, or are recovering from surgery, call the parish office so that Communion may be brought to you.



Parish Office Hours

9:00am - 4:30pm Mon. through Fri.

Bulletin Deadline

Must be submitted in writing no later than noon on Tue.

Religious Education Class Times (PSR)

Grades Kdgn thru 8 - Wednesday 6:30 - 7:45pm

Catholic Youth Ministry (CYM)

Grades 9-12 - Wednesday 6:30 - 7:45pm

Perpetual Adoration of Blessed Sacrament

Chapel is located at Our Lady of Guadalupe Church, 415 S. Ash. If interested in a permanent hour call one of the coordinators listed on the front of the bulletin.

Rosary Prayer Line

To activate, call Elesa Garcia or if she is not available call both Barbara & Alice to activate both prayer lines. Their phone numbers are listed on the front of the bulletin.

Welcome/Registering

Welcome to St. Mary's Catholic Parish. Please register by calling or dropping by the parish office. Please keep us informed of changes of names, addresses, phone numbers, etc.

Interested in the Catholic Faith

A warm invitation is extended to non-Catholics to attend any of our religious services. They are particularly invited to learn more about the beliefs and practices of the Catholic Church. Call the parish office for more information.



Parish Religion Bowl 2015

Wednesday night, April 29th starting at 6:30pm in the school gym, will be the 5th annual Parish Religion Bowl. ALL are welcome to attend this exciting evening and watch and learn about our Faith! Teams of different parish ministries will fight through a single elimination bracket to win the coveted Religion Bowl Trophy! All spectators will also be welcome to enjoy the evening with an **ice cream sundae bar in the cafeteria!** Come out for what is sure to be a fun evening with your Parish Family. Sign up your tem (of at least 4 people) in the back of church and pick up a study packet to prepare.

Mass Intentions

Mon. 04/20 8:00am † Phyllis Steinkirchner
Tue. 04/21 5:30pm † Gloria Morin
Wed. 04/22 8:00am † Norine Younger
Thur. 04/23 5:30pm † Bill Stuhlsatz
Fri. 04/24 8:00am † Greg Sadowski
Sat. 04/25 5:30pm † L. Thane Frazier
Sun. 04/26 8:30am † Marcella Ford
Sun. 04/26 10:30am People of the Parish

Liturgical Role

Altar Servers

Mon. 04/20 8:00am Leslie Warren, April Vidacs
Wed. 04/22 8:00am Alex Littlejohn, Mikey Parga
Fri. 04/24 8:00am Eli Blaufuss, Rickey Parga
Sat. 04/25 5:30pm Zach, Nate & Rachel Zogleman
Sun. 04/26 8:30am Brynn Joshston, Grace Graham, R. Ring
Sun. 04/26 10:30am Alex Daily, Brooke Peterson, A. Salas

Greeters & Gift Bearers

Sat. 04/25 5:30pm Philip Blaufuss Family
Sun. 04/26 8:30am Michael & Diane Bonczuk
Sun. 04/26 10:30am Todd & Brigitte Loescher

Cantor/Accompanist

Sat. 04/25 5:30pm M. Frazier - L. Curiel
Sun. 04/26 8:30am K. Schwarzenberger - S. Koerner
Sun. 04/26 10:30am E. Stabler - R. Littlejohn

Lectors

Sat. 04/25 5:30pm Karen Ferguson, Karen McAnulty
Sun. 04/26 8:30am David Englestad, Lisa Littlejohn
Sun. 04/26 10:30am Roger Mick, Nealee Johnston

Sacristans

Daily Masses April 20-24 Kathleen Morris
Sat. 04/25 5:30pm Rita & Clayton Sadowski
Sun. 04/26 8:30am Paula Blann
Sun. 04/26 10:30am Janet Daily

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

Daily Mass April 20-24 Philip Stutey
Sat. 04/25 5:30pm Linda & Mike Smith, Lynne Vigil
Sun. 04/26 8:30am *Phyllis Prouty, Linda Bennett, Elesa Garcia
Sun. 04/26 10:30am Deb Henning, Jerry Pomeroy, Janet Daily

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist to Hospital

April will be covered by Our Lady of Guadalupe

Ushers

Sat. 04/25 5:30pm Marvin Kratky, Larry Cornwell, Kevin & Jenifer Ensminger
Sun. 04/26 8:30am Charles Casey, Rodger Graham, Ben Holub & Dale Kaiser
Sun. 04/26 10:30am Schulte Family

Church Cleaners

Apr. 24: Sharon McCall, Doris Regier & Sharon Erwin



You're Invited!

What: HCNS Volunteer Appreciation Reception

Where: First United Methodist Fellowship Hall (basement)

When: April 25, 2015 from 3:00-4:00p.m.

Why: To thank those who volunteer at the homeless shelter

Please come for cake and ice cream and chances to win a gift certificate or a prize.

HCNS will also share some updates on the shelter.

New to the Parish?

Welcome to St. Mary's Parish, we are pleased to have you join us in worship. If you would like to join the parish please complete the information below and return it to us in the collection basket, or by mail. We will send you registration information or you may come by the parish office and register.

Welcome and God Bless!

Name _____

Address _____

Zip _____ Home Phone _____

Work Phone _____

E-mail Address _____

Our advertiser of the week is

Welcome to

CP's Pancake House

Open 7 Days a Week

Please check their ad on the back of the bulletin.

