

November 10, 2013

St. Mary's Parish

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Eucharistic Liturgies

Weekend Mass Saturday Vigil 5:15 PM
 Sunday 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM
Weekday Mass Wednesday – Friday 7:00 AM
 Saturday 8:00 AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 4:00 – 4:45 PM

Sacrament of Baptism

We joyfully welcome all into our Church family through this sacrament. Parents are asked to please call the rectory 853-2935 to make arrangements. Baptismal preparation meetings are held with the Baptismal Team the first Sunday of the month at 9 AM at St. Mary's School.

Sacrament of Marriage

Couples planning to be married are asked to schedule an appointment with Fr. Croghan at least 6 months before the desired date. Wedding dates cannot be scheduled over the phone. One of the parties being married and/or their parents must be registered members of St. Mary's (Pre-marriage instruction is required).

Prayer Line

If you or any of your loved ones are in need of prayer, please call Margaret – 853-5280, or Pat – 853-5229.

New Parishioners

Welcome! Please introduce yourself after Mass. We invite you to become an active member of our parish community. Please call the parish office to register.

Bulletin Deadline

All announcements for the bulletin should be in writing and submitted to the parish office by Monday noon.



Saturday, November 9 - Vigil Mass

5:15 PM Mrs. Ruth M. Scarlata
by Joe & Shaun Latella

Sunday, November 10 - 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM M/M James L. Burns, Jr. by Their Family
10:30 AM Eileen Barnett by Kathy Foote

Wednesday, November 13 - St. Frances Xavier Cabrini

7:00 AM Ann Laska Moore (28th) by Her Family

Thursday, November 14

7:00 AM Jeanne Jones by Carl

Friday, November 15 - St. Albert the Great

7:00 AM For the People of the Parish

Saturday, November 16

8:00 AM All Souls Day Intentions
5:15 PM - Vigil Helen Balon (7th) by Her Family

Sunday, November 17 - 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM Ed Buckley by Mike & Terry Howard
10:30 AM Martin Hogan by Judy

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE DECEASED,
HOSPITALIZED, SICK & SHUT-INS
OF OUR PARISH**

Altar-Rosary Cleaners - 11-16

Jan Rishel & Deb Prody

Collection for Last Weekend

Ordinary Collection.....	\$7,075.50
Holy Day.....	764.00
Faith Formation.....	30.00
Memorial Fund.....	104.00
Fuel/Flowers.....	30.00
Seminary.....	703.00
Archdiocese for Military Services.....	120.00
World Mission.....	5.00

Second Collections

The annual collection for Human Development will be taken up at Masses next weekend.

Your donation for the Archdiocese for Military Services - USA is also greatly appreciated.

Thank you for your generosity!

A Family Perspective

The question of the Sadducees to Jesus is framed in a story about a family with seven brothers and their sister-in-law. Through story telling, families remember their shared past and the companionship of God in their family from generation to generation.

Christmas Fair Special Raffle Change

Please note that our Special Raffle for the Ipad 2 has been UPDATED. We will be raffling off the brand new **Ipad Air!** This is sure to be the hottest item requested for Christmas this year. Make sure you get your raffle tickets THIS weekend at the Fair on Saturday and Sunday. All drawings will begin at 1 PM on Sunday, November 10, in the school gym. Please make plans to visit the Fair this weekend. We have our famous Attic Treasures, Bakery/Candy booth, Craft/Holiday booth, Basket raffles and St. Mary's Café'. Remember, this is the Church's biggest fund raiser. We thank you all in advance for your donations, generosity and time. See you at the Fair!

NOTE: If you still need to return your tickets, bring them to the Fair - Please, don't put them in the collection.

Liturgical Ministers			
Time	Altar Servers	Lector	Eucharistic Ministers
8:00 AM (11/16)			
5:15 PM (11/16)	Madison Steates, Madeline Surace & Carina Pascucci	Mike Debraggio	Host - Ron Newman & Jim Winkler Cup - Anne Debraggio, Bill Waldron, Barb Bohrer & Pearl Gapp
8:00 AM (11/17)	Jenny Maxam, Madeline Krasniak & Georgia Zoller	Steve Clark	Host - Evelyn Micciche & Carole Byrne Cup - Kate Chute, Bob Burns, Fran & Gwen Lallier
10:30 AM (11/17)	Samantha Gaffney, Jack & Katie Sullivan	Mike Cosgrove	Host - Karen Brewer & Michele Beach Cup - Joanne Joseph, Maryalice Hogan, Don & Jane Conniff

Faith Formation

Sometimes people think that belief in Jesus will make life easier, and that blessings from Jesus will keep them from all struggle and harm. Jesus never promised a pain-free existence to his followers. Belief in Jesus did not keep the early Christians from persecution. They had to struggle, sometimes to the point of death. However, belief in Jesus gave them strength and hope. It gave them "the love of God and the endurance of Christ."

No class this Monday due to Veteran's Day Holiday
 Wednesday classes for Grades 1-8 will meet
 Grade 9 meets next Sunday, November 17th.

TGIF

We welcome many new members! Our next meeting will be a joint meeting with Annunciation parish in Clark Mills on Sunday, November 24th - watch for an email from Mr. Jeffery. For more information contact Mary Lou Lauchert.

The Country Pantry

Our Thanksgiving distribution will be held Tuesday, November 19, 10-4 PM. **We are in need of people willing and able to help carry groceries.**
 (Please call Sally Glouse at 853-6897 to volunteer.)



Our clients who receive food stamps have had their amounts reduced and many more are waiting for their requests for food stamps to be accepted. Due to these circumstances we will be giving extra food at this distribution. At present we are serving **194** families and expect more requests for help during the holidays. Therefore we ask you to consider increasing your donations during these difficult times. For those of you who are not familiar with the Pantry, there is a food box in the front entrance of the church, to the left, for your donations of canned and non-perishable food which may be left at any time. As you shop for your family for Thanksgiving, please consider picking up a can or two for the Pantry. We are in need of canned fruit (peaches, pears, mandarin oranges, applesauce and mixed fruits), cereal and canned pie fillings. Monetary donations are always welcome!

We are also in need of your brown paper grocery bags and plastic bags. We use several hundred each month to pack groceries for our clients. Thank you for all you do for the Pantry, we couldn't do what we do without your generous support. May God bless the givers and receivers!

Good News Foundation

For information on upcoming support group meetings and programs being held at the Good News Foundation, call (315) 735-6210 or visit TheGoodNewsCenter.org - Events

dear Padre

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Are eulogies supposed to be given at funeral Masses?

I was taught that eulogies are not to be given at funeral Masses. Well, I've been to many Catholic funerals, and each included a eulogy. Did the rule change?

Practice and rules vary from diocese to diocese and even from parish to parish. However, according to the 2002 *General Instruction of the Roman Missal*, "At the Funeral Mass there should, as a rule, be a short homily, but never a eulogy of any kind" (382). The *Order of Christian Funerals* says the same thing (141).

A homily is a talk about the Scripture readings that puts the focus on Jesus and his work of saving us from sin and death by his resurrection. A eulogy is a talk about the deceased person—a biography of sorts. This really isn't appropriate for a Catholic funeral Mass, which is a celebration of the deceased's eternal life with God rather than a celebration of his or her earthly life.

The *Order of Christian Funerals* allows a family member or friend to speak about the deceased after Communion (170). Often referred to as *words of remembrance*, the idea is for one person to speak for no more than a few minutes about how the deceased person lived his or her faith.

A better place for a traditional eulogy and for family and friends to celebrate the life of the deceased person is at the wake or at a postfuneral gathering.

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