

St. Mary University Parish

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Office Hourse: Monday - Friday 9 am - 5 pm

Mass Schedule: Sunday - 10:15 am and 6:00 pm
Weekday - Tuesday 9:00 pm
Wednesday 6:00 pm
Thursday 6:00 pm

Reconciliation: Wednesday 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm
Saturday 11 am - 12:00 pm
Sunday 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

PASTOR.....Fr. Patrick M. Jankowiak, frpmj@stmarycmu.org
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PARISH BOOKKEEPER.....Anne Swift
MAINTENANCE SPECIALIST..... Lucas Felton

Matrimony: Please contact Fr. Patrick before setting a wedding date.

Infant & Child Baptism: Preparation is required. Contact Fr. Patrick.

Anointing of the Sick: Contact the Parish Office or Fr. Patrick for anointing.

Interested in Becoming Catholic? Contact Fr. Patrick for more information.

APRIL 7TH, 2019 • 5TH SUNDAY OF LENT

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

March 31st, 2019:

Total..... \$469.00

We need volunteers to help count the Sunday collections. If you are available to help, please speak to Caleb Brereton or contact the parish office.

Thank you for your stewardship!

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"It is impossible to lead, without the aid of prayer, a virtuous life."

- St. John Chrysostom

ROOMS AVAILABLE

If you would like to reserve a room for an activity, please speak to Caleb Brereton at the parish office. He can be reached by phone at (989) 317-4674 or by email at cbrereton@stmarycmu.org

DAILY READINGS

MON (04/08)

Daniel 13: 1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62;
John 8:12-20

TUE (04/09)

Numbers 21:4-9;
John 8:21-30

WED (04/10)

Daniel 3:14-20, 91-92, 95;
John 8:31-42

THUR (04/11)

Genesis 17:3-9;
John 8:51-59

FRI (04/12)

Jeremiah 20:10-13;
John 10:31-42

SAT (04/13)

Ezekiel 37:21-28;
John 11:45-56

SUNDAY (04/14)

Luke 19:28-40;
Isaiah 50:4-7;
Philippians 2:6-11;
Luke 22:14-23:56

GRADUATION MASS

We will be having a special Mass for graduating students on April 28. Please let Caleb Brereton know by April 10th if you would like to participate and whether you would prefer for the Graduation Mass to be at the 10:15am or 6pm Mass. Even if you cannot attend, please confirm that you are graduating so that we can include your name in the list of graduating students.



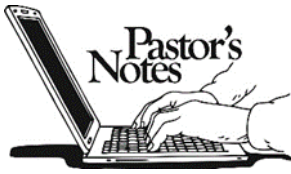
RISE FUNDRAISER

The Thylikos Household is hosting a bake sale fundraiser to support R.I.S.E. Advocacy Women's Shelter in the Mt. Pleasant area. The sale will take place on Sunday, April 14th, and baked goods can be purchased after the 10:15 Mass or at Sunday Supper. An assortment of treats will be sold - all for only \$1!



THIS WEEK AT THE PARISH

- MON (04/08)** - Tables & Donuts - Outside the Church - 1pm-2:30pm
- Apologetics - Parish Library - 6:30pm-8pm
- Conference Room Reserved - 7pm-8pm
- Rock Climbing - Finch 112 - 8pm-9pm
- Parish Library Reserved - 9pm-10pm
- TUE (04/09)** - Weekly RCIA Meeting - Conference Room 6:30pm-8pm
- Parish Library Reserved - 7pm-8pm
- Praise and Worship in the Church - 8pm-8:45pm
- No Daily Mass Today
- WED (04/10)** - Weekly AA Meeting - Conference Room - 12pm-1pm
- Parish Library Reserved - 5pm-6pm
- Daily Mass - 6pm
- Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament - 6:30pm-9pm
- Confession - 7pm-8:30pm
- Night Prayer/Benediction - 9pm-9:30pm
- Conference Room Reserved - 9pm-10pm
- THU (04/11)** - Parish Library Reserved - 5pm-6pm
- No Daily Mass Today
- Corpus Christi Talk & Social: Evangelization in College - 7pm-9:30pm
- FRI (04/12)** - Student Sports - 1pm-3pm
- SAT (04/13)** - Confession - 11am-12pm
- SUN (04/14)** - Sunday Mass - 10:15am
- Rise Bake Sale Fundraiser - After Mass
- Confession - 4:30pm-5:30pm
- Sunday Mass - 6pm
- Sunday Supper - Parish Lounge - 7:15pm-8:30pm
- Rise Bake Sale Fundraiser - After Mass



Sunday April 7th, 2019

Catholic Relief Services: Last Sunday we had a special collection for Catholic Relief Services, but not everyone is familiar with this organization. Catholic Relief Services (CRS) is a Catholic organization founded in 1943 by the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops. CRS operates in more than 100 countries on 5 continents. It is governed by a board of bishops, religious and laypeople, and works to alleviate human suffering by not only providing direct assistance, but also by enabling people with their own development. It is an official agency of the Catholic Church, but helps people based on their need, not on their beliefs. Below are some of the main areas of their work.

Emergency Response and Recovery
Agriculture and Farming Projects
Health and Disease Treatment/Prevention
Education and Schooling
Safe Drinking Water
Orphaned or Vulnerable Children



Holy Week Schedule: Our schedule for Holy Week is mostly the same as last year, with a couple differences.

Palm Sunday: Be sure to take a palm as you arrive, because the blessing of the palm branches takes place at the very beginning of Mass. Palms will be at all entrances.

Holy Thursday: We won't be having a Seder meal this year, so the Mass of the Lord's Supper begins at 6 pm. Those in the RCIA and their sponsors will be having their feet washed, but there will be four other chairs with white towels on them (on the main aisle) so anyone seated there will have their feet washed. It's a very powerful experience and I encourage you to think about it.



Good Friday: We'll pray the Stations of the Cross at 12 noon, and the Passion Service will begin at 1 pm.

Easter Vigil: It has to begin after sunset, so it will start at 9 pm.

Easter Sunday: Because so many students go home for Easter, we're having Mass on Easter only at 6 pm.

The Next Four Thursdays... will not have regular daily Mass for a number of reasons. This Thursday I'll be in Shepherd for Confirmation. April 18th is Holy Thursday, so we'll have the Mass of the Lord's Supper. On April 25th I'll be out of town (I always take the week after Easter off). And on May 2nd I'll be in Maple Grove for Confirmation.

The Missing Package... did turn up, but it's still something of a mystery. A Postal worker came and delivered it, but DHL indicated that *they* had delivered it a week earlier. DHL even posted a photo of the signature of the person who had signed for it. So we do have it, but how the Postal Service came to be in possession of a package that DHL says they had already delivered remains unknown.



Fa. Peth