

# St. Mary University Parish

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**Summer Open Hours:** Sunday - Saturday 9:00 am - 6:00 pm

**Summer Office Hours:** Monday - Friday 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

**Summer Mass Schedule:** Sunday - 6:00 pm

**Summer Reconciliation:** Saturday 11:00 am until all are heard  
Sunday 5:00 pm - 5:30 pm

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**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.

**MAY 19TH, 2019 • FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

## PARISH STEWARDSHIP

April 28th, 2019:

Total..... \$699.55

We need volunteers to help count the Sunday collections over the summer. 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

“Our own evil inclinations are far more dangerous than any external enemies.”

- St. Ambrose

## 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](mailto:cbrereton@stmarycmu.org)

## DAILY READINGS

### MON (05/20)

Acts 14:5-18;

John 14:21-26

### TUE (05/21)

Acts 14:19-28;

John 14:27-31A

### WED (05/22)

Acts 15:1-6;

John 15:1-8

### THUR (05/23)

Acts 15:7-21;

John 15:9-11

### FRI (05/24)

Acts 15:22-31;

John 15:12-17

### SAT (05/25)

Acts 16:1-10;

John 15:18-21

### SUNDAY (05/26)

Acts 15:1-2, 22-29;

Revelation 21:10-14, 22-23;

John 14:23-29

## HOW HIRING!



Position: Maintenance Specialist

Status: Part-time, Hourly, Non-Exempt

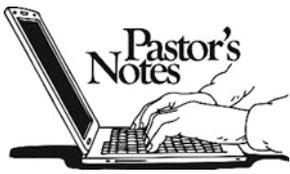
Reports To: Pastor

The parish's Maintenance Specialist position has recently opened up, so we are looking to hire a new person for this position. The job is part-time, hourly, and will involve providing general maintenance and repair work for the buildings and grounds of the parish. We already have a lawn care business contracted to handle mowing the grass, so the job wouldn't involve a lot of mowing. Copies of the complete job description are available in both vestibules. If you are interested, please take a copy home, and if you'd like to apply you can either email a resume to Fr. Patrick at [FrPMJ@stmarycmu.org](mailto:FrPMJ@stmarycmu.org) or drop it off at the parish office.

## DID YOU KNOW?

Did you know that the chapel where St. Joan of Arc is believed to have prayed after meeting with King Charles VII is now located in Wisconsin? Originally built in Chasse, France, Chapelle de St. Martin de Seyssuel was purchased by Gertrude Hill Gavin in 1926 and transported piece by piece to her estate on Long Island. Gertrude renamed the chapel in honor of St. Joan of Arc and later received written permission from Pope Pius XI in 1933 for Mass to be said in the chapel. Years later, in the 1960's, after changing ownership, the chapel was eventually gifted to Marquette University where it has remained to this day.





**What is CSA?** The three letters stand for Catholic Services



**MANY PARTS; ONE CHURCH**

**CSA** | Catholic Services Appeal  
Diocese of Saginaw

Appeal, and it takes place once a year in the Diocese of Saginaw. Actually, it takes place in every diocese, although the name for it may differ. Parishes have weekend collections but our Diocese has CSA. The theme for CSA this year is "Many Parts, One Church."

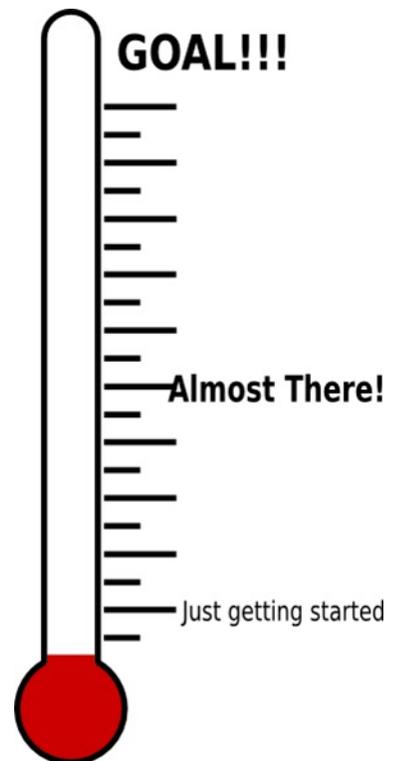
Every parish in the Diocese is given a specific dollar amount, a "goal" so to speak, to raise through pledges. The formula for determining each parish's goal includes things like the size of the parish, the number of envelope-holders in the parish, the average income of the area as given by the most recent U.S. Census and so forth. The goal for St. Mary University Parish this year is one thousand dollars.

CSA is more important than many Catholics realize. For example, did you know that CSA pays for the cost of all annulments? There's no fee for an annulment in our Diocese, and there hasn't been for some time. Because of CSA, no one in need of an annulment ever has to worry about cost. (That's not the case in every diocese.) CSA also pays to educate and train young men studying for the priesthood. To be ordained a priest requires a Master's degree, which means that seminary is graduate school. Room and board in a seminary, tuition, and textbooks all add up. (There are three young men being ordained as priests for our Diocese on May 31<sup>st</sup>.) But it's not just the training of priests that's involved, there's the training of men to be permanent deacons and the training of commissioned lay ministers (and we have a parishioner being trained for this). The ongoing education of priests, religious education catechists, and Catholic school teachers, as well as counseling programs and outreach services, helping expectant mothers who are alone, programs for youth, conferences and seminars, and the funding of the many offices of the Diocese that serve as resource centers for almost every parish activity imaginable.

And not only that. CSA also supports the work of the Holy Father. Some of you may remember that there used to be a lot of second collections throughout the year. We still have a few, but there used to be a great many of them. Remember Peter's Pence? Or the special collection on Good Friday for the Holy Land? Several of these special collections are now part of CSA. That means CSA does good work not just here in our Diocese, but in the U.S. Church and around the world as well.

But CSA funds are NEVER used for the legal defense of clergy sexual abuse. Our Diocese undergoes auditing by an outside firm, and there are severe penalties for any diocese that misuses monetary offerings.

On the bulletin board in the main vestibule is a large poster showing our progress towards reaching our goal of \$1000.00. There are brochures and donation envelopes there as well. You can also make a secure CSA pledge online at [www.saginaw.org](http://www.saginaw.org).



*Fa. Peth*

