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The Year of St. Joseph

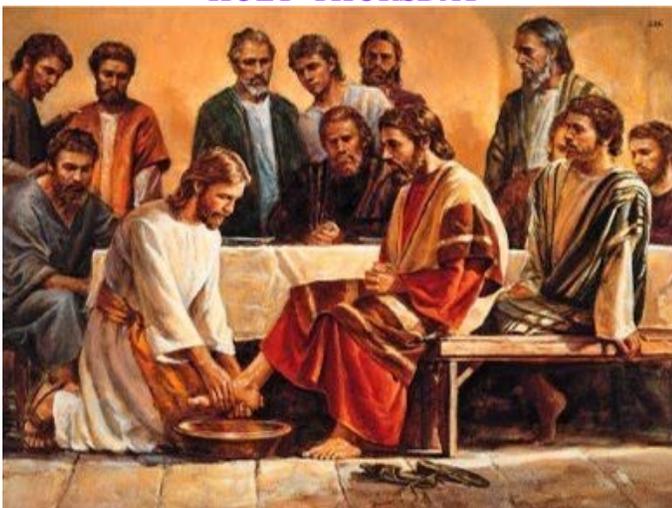
(The following is a synopsis of a much longer article that I wrote for the March 21st bulletin.)

You may have heard or read that Pope Francis has proclaimed a special “**Year of St. Joseph.**” This jubilee year officially began December 8, 2020 and concludes on December 8, 2021. Here in the Archdiocese, our celebration of this Jubilee Year began on Friday, March 19, when the Church celebrated the Solemnity of St. Joseph, Husband of Mary.

Why did Pope Francis choose the Year of St. Joseph? In celebration of the 150th anniversary of Blessed Pope Pius IX’s declaration of St. Joseph as Patron of the Universal Church, Pope Francis has proclaimed this Jubilee Year. It is a wonderful opportunity to increase our love for and knowledge of St. Joseph, and “to encourage us to imitate his intercession and to imitate his virtues and his zeal.” This is from “*Patris Corde*,” the name of the Apostolic Letter written by Pope Francis which offers the Pope’s thoughts on St. Joseph.

There are three basic activities that are a part of every Jubilee celebration: Reflect (study / read) on the subject matter, in this case, St. Joseph – Pray – Make a pilgrimage to a holy place. For this Jubilee, those designated places are the Cathedral Basilica, the Old Cathedral, or one of the 12 Parish Churches in the Archdiocese who have chosen St. Joseph as their patron. Additional information on the Jubilee can be found on our parish website.

HOLY THURSDAY



PARISH COUNCIL CHAIRMAN

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HE IS RISEN !!! HAPPY EASTER !!!

You probably have heard the request to possibly increase your donation to the Major Projects Fund by \$10 a month, or if you are like me, to begin to donate to the Major Projects Fund. I always assumed that by giving to the General Fund, I was also providing for projects. I was wrong.

The General Fund money is used for running the parish, which includes maintenance of items that do not exceed \$5,000. Again, you probably have heard we are looking at new HVAC units (the heating went out three times this winter), new roofs for the church and Reilly Center buildings, and paving of the parking lot. These expenses are estimated to occur within the next five (5) years. The total cost for these projects is in the \$450,000.00 neighborhood. The General Fund cannot handle these costs. Thus, there has been a request for increasing contributions to, or begin contributing to, the Major Project Fund. If we can now begin accumulating the funds, it won’t feel as catastrophic when the need occurs. Please, consider this increase, or become a new contributor, to the Major Project Fund.

One of the differences between these two funds is that when we donate to the General Fund, 10% of that money is tithed. When we donate to the Major Project Fund, 100% of the money goes toward the major projects. Please, do not misunderstand; I am very much in favor of tithing. Further, to my knowledge the Parish Council never has and never will consider disbanding our tithing program. My intention here has been to explain some of the differences about the funds and the fact that both are important and needed.

As always, if you have any questions please call me at (314) 707-3134.

PARISH COUNCIL ADULT BALLOT

MUST BE AT LEAST 18 TO VOTE

VOTE FOR 3 CANDIDATES

BIOGRAPHIES ON PAGE 2 & ON PARISH WEBSITE.

VOTE THROUGH SUNDAY, 3/28, BY NOON. VOTE

ONLINE. FOUND ON “HOME” PAGE OF WEBSITE-

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Several changes were made to the Parish Council starting with the term for the new members who begin in June, 2021.

First, the length of the term was increased from 2 years to 3 years. This was done so that we could retain the knowledge and experience of the members. It takes a year to get familiar with the commission you represent and to get to know the other Council members. Year two is when you become comfortable and collaborate with the other commissions. Additionally, a three-year term is the standard for parishes.

Second, the Parish Council members have “staggered” terms. This means that three or four members will rotate off the Council each year. When moving from two-year to three-year terms, several Council members elected in 2019 agreed to stay on for another year and all the Council members elected in 2020 agreed to stay on for another year.

Third, a new position of “Advisor” was added to the Council. This new position will assist the Chairperson and Vice Chairperson in administrative matters and assist in welcoming new parishioners.

PARISH COUNCIL CANDIDATES

MATT CLANCY

Status: Married to Maria; 4 children
High School: Bishop DuBourg
College: Hickey Accounting
Employment/Type of Work/Skills: Glazier/construction
Special interests/Hobbies: Sports full attention.”
Parish Involvement: ACTS Retreat, Hospitality Minister, Eucharistic Minister
“I can bring to the Parish Council—good ideas, my full attention.

JOAN CRAWFORD

Status: Single, 6 children
High School: Sophia Barat, St. Louis, MO
College: Community College
Employment/Type of Work/Skills: Accounting, Mobile Notary
Interests/Hobbies: Real Estate Broker, Budget
Involvement at this or other parish: None
Community involvement: None— mostly family
“I can bring to the Parish Council...commonsense options for a variety of issues, optimism, age, life experience, helping people be more optimistic in everyday life.

LANDY KELLY

Status: 1 child
High school: Villa Duchesne. St. Louis, MO
College: Forest Park Community College
Other Education: UMSL-Bachelor Degree in Nursing
Employment/Type of Work/Skills: Registered Nurse

LANDY KELLY (continued)

Interests/Hobbies: Dancing, skating, baking
Involvement at this or other parish: Previously involved with ACTS retreat, Help to organize Sunday evening Rosary; Previously have helped with Children’s Liturgy and plan to continue when it’s available.
Community/Civic Involvement: Co-leader for my daughter’s Girl Scout troop at Assumption
“I can bring to the Parish Council: a desire to serve in a way that helps others.” “I envision a parish to be ..
Missionary in its call to bring the Gospel to others.”

STEVE MAURER

Status: Married to Chris
High School: Vianney H. S., St. Louis, MO
College: St. Louis University
Employment/type of Work/Skills: Self-employed
Property Manager
Interests/Hobbies: Golf, Fishing, BBQ
Parish Involvement: Prayer Groups, “Rock Church”
Food Delivery, Hospitality Ministry
“I can bring to the Parish Council... continued community involvement.”

LOIS SCULLY

Status: Married to John
High School: St. Elizabeth’s Academy
College: St. Louis University
Graduate Studies: Webster University
Employment/type of Work/Skills: Former kindergarten teacher—Mehlville School District; Former Director, Group Sales, Ohio Race Track; former VP/Sales Manager, real estate company
Interests/hobbies: travel, quilting, gardening
Parish Involvement: Planning team 3 years for MMOC Book Fair; Co-manager MMOC Holiday House Tour; Liturgy-Environment Coordinator(11 years); Send a Card Coordinator(3 years); Auction –managed Silent Auction Baskets; Member church renovation team;
Community Involvement: Volunteer coordinator, Feed My People; Client Interviewer St. Trinity Food Pantry
“I envision our parish to be.. a warm, welcoming, great place to join together in expressing our Love for God and each other.”

PAULA MARI WILLENBRINK

Status: Consecrated Virgin
High School: Cor Jesu Academy
College: Webster University, BA Psychology
Graduate Studies: Webster U., MA Gerontology
Employment/Type of Work/Skills: Parish Secretary, St. Anthony of Padua, High Ridge, MO
Interest/Hobbies: book club, genealogy, getting together with friends
Parish Involvement: Lector, Eucharistic Ministry, Cornerstone Bible Study(2020), Sensational Seniors(2020), ACTS retreat(2019)
Community Involvement: Secular Franciscan Order, supporting Mother Cabrini Grade School
“I can bring to the Parish Council: my faith and enthusiasm that I feel for this parish. I want to give back all that Mary Mother has given to me. Having been a former ActivityDirector, I would welcome the opportunity to serve on the Social Committee.”

PARISH COUNCIL SECRETARY

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Parish Council Minutes - January 28, 2021

November minutes—approved.

Follow-up from discussions/presentations at previous meetings

1. General Discussion and Vote: Keep Pro-Life title or change the title to Respect Life Apostolate. The Pro-Life members don't feel that they are able to expand the responsibilities at the current time. Maybe if we change the name, it can expand the group. Respect Life would be a change in name only; the same work would continue with this name change. More conversation is needed. Change Various Justice Issues to Peace and Justice Ministry. Other commission organizations are approved. Christian Formation will be reviewed next month and for approval.

2. Dave, Kim, Jeanne > Results of Zoom meeting with Rock. Main priority will be to connect as individuals. The Rock will be hosting events in February which Mary Mother will be invited to attend. See notes below for more information. Zoom meetings will continue to plan events.

COMMISSION REPORTS

Administration/Finance: future major expenses that the parish will be facing (5 years or less): Replacement of church roof, Church/Vestibule Heating and Cooling, St. Anne Room Heating and Cooling, Reilly Center Main Roof, Remove and reinstall solar panels, Asphalt Parking and Driveways. The potential total expenses will range from \$409,663 to \$460,705. This will be presented to the parish in the bulletin and the Update. The parish needs to know the issue. A hard copy of what is needed should be distributed.

Christian Formation: Ecumenical Outreach zoom event. Pray for Unity.

Christian Service: Conversations with the "Rock Church" about how to move our relationship forward. There is consensus for a zoom activity between the parishes this spring and an in-person activity by the end of the summer. As a Redemptorist parish, the "Rock Church" would like to help us celebrate our Golden Jubilee.

Health Ministry: GriefShare: Start on February 1 and will continue through April, every Monday. Welcome Meeting 2021: We will look into doing something later this spring.

Liturgy: Children's Liturgy of the Word coordinator position vacant. New banners and vestments needed.

Comments from Cheryl Degenhart, Director of Faith Formation: 86 people on Formed. First Reconciliation just happened; Confirmation Blessing and meeting; PSR is both in person and homeschool.

Comments from the Vice-Chair: Positions for 2021 election are: Vice Chair, Social, Health, and Youth; 2021 election will start the staggered three-year term; Election from 3/13 - 3/28; Election concludes on 3/28; ballots in pew and on-line; 3/29 - ballot count; 3/30 - Vice Chair notifies new members

and invites them to 4/22 Parish Council Meeting. No Festival of Ministry this year. Christmas signs were successful.

Reflections/Updates from the chairman: Update on the review of the by-laws; will be reviewed at the next meeting. Mike Jarvis contacted and took fish to Feed my People and St. Anthony.

Reflections/Updates from Fr. Chuck: Our Parish ACA goal for this year is a challenge goal of \$90,004, which was pledged last year. Our second goal is 28% participation - 67 new donors. Update on Jubilee Planning. Parish memories will start running in February. Things are happening behind the scenes but we're at a holding pattern. Silhouette Status continuing to work on this project.

What's the Buzz in the Parish/Neighborhood: Should there be a statue or picture of Mary and Joseph in the church? What about devotional candles?

**BRING A CHILD
UP IN THE WAY
OF THE LORD.**

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Happy Easter!

Faith is a lifelong journey. Mary, Mother of the Church is grateful and privileged to have the opportunity to share this journey with you, and to partner with you in the faith formation of your children. PSR registration for the 2021-2022 school year will begin soon.

Save the date - July 12-16 for Rocky Railway VBS-Jesus' Power Pulls Us Through! Send your kids/grandkids on a mountaintop adventure! At Rocky Railway VBS, kids discover Jesus' power can pull them through life's ups and downs. Kids discover how to see evidence of God in everyday life.

Our 8th grade Confirmation candidates and 2nd grade children are continuing their preparations to receive the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist. The 2nd grade will celebrate their First Communion on April 25. The Most Reverend Mitchell T. Rozanski, Archbishop of St. Louis, will be conferring the Sacrament of Confirmation to the 8th grade on May 13.

May the Resurrection of Our Savior be a constant reminder of His love and promise of eternal life.



DIRECTOR OF LITURGY AND MUSIC

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*Exult, let them exult... let the trumpet of salvation sound
aloud our mighty King's triumph!*

These opening words of the sacred Exsultet prayer are heard at the beginning of the Holy Vigil Mass of Easter. Amid a darkened church filled with candles, this chant invites the whole Church to enter into the mystery of our Lord's Resurrection.

The inclusion of the Exsultet prayer into the Easter Vigil dates back to the 5th century, although words have changed a bit throughout the years. It includes sections asking the Angels to join in the song and imploring God to bless the evening. But one of the most beautiful moments happens when the presider recalls the meaning of the night: when the debt of sin is paid and we are led out of sin, as the Israelites were led out of Egypt. The flame of the Easter candle banishes the dark of night and Christ rises victorious over death. *"O truly blessed night, when things of heaven are wed to those of earth, and divine to the human."* May we all live these words through the Easter season.

SOCIAL COMMISSION

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We're looking ahead to fun and fellowship! Here's what we have planned:

May 23: Pentecost Celebration- Farewell party for Ed Lew, Ken and Mary Ann after 11am Mass.

July 12-16: Rocky Railway Vacation Bible School

July 31: 50th Jubilee Mass with the Archbishop and Dinner. Our first parish Mass was on Sunday, July 31st, 1971.

October 10: Pasta Dinner

October 16: HOMECOMING EVENT- Church picnic and big party to celebrate our 50th Jubilee! We are hoping this will be like a Mary Mother Reunion. Spread the word to all those who used to be a part of our community!

October 23: Trunk-or-Treat

October 29: Bunko

December 3: Advent Glow

December 12: Happy Birthday Jesus Party

January 29, 2022: Progressive Dinner

God bless you all!

MISSIONARY DISCIPLESHIP COMMISSION

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We've all heard the phrase "Everything old is new again" at some point in our lives. I'd like to use my space in this UPDATE to highlight an old 'friend' that I have rediscovered while staying at home over this last year. I'm referring to the **Liguorian** magazine, published by the Redemptorists. Their website promotes the magazine as offering hope, inspiration and spiritual guidance. The goal of their articles, columns and other features (they have a crossword puzzle, a Bible quiz and funny stories in every issue) is to assist readers as you "grow in your relationship with Christ through timely pastoral messages on matters of faith, Catholic practices, Christian living and social justice." If you have never been a subscriber or if you have let your subscription lapse, I recommend you check it out. A subscription is only \$25 a year which includes both a digital and a print version of the magazine. I try to read at least one article each month and often end up reading it from cover to cover!

You can sign up by calling them at 1-866-848-2492 or via the website here <https://www.liguorian.org/subscribe-today/>



ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE COMMISSION

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Hello Mary Mother!

Here are some of the highlights from our meeting on March 16, 2021.

Some of the repairs that were on the Major Projects list have been deferred until a later date. These repairs were considered not absolutely necessary at this time. These repairs include the Annex "water" project along with the drywall replacement and floor replacement in the Youth Room. Also on the list was a new laptop and projector for the church and have been pushed back to potentially next year.

There has been an increase in the Faith Direct contributions. Hopefully, this trend will continue. RMD's (Required Minimum Distribution) will be required again for 2021.

Seating in the church has been increased to 100. As more parishioners become vaccinated, it is hopeful they will feel more comfortable returning to church.

Easter signs have raised \$465 so far.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to reach out to me.

EVENTS IN MAY

MAY 9: MOTHER'S DAY
MAY 13: CONFIRMATION
MAY 16: ASCENSION
May 16: UPDATE ARTICLES DUE
MAY 22—23: "ROCK CHURCH" FOOD COLLECTION
MAY 23 PENTECOST
MAY 23: FAREWELL PARTY FOR
 ED LEWANDOWSKI, KEN BARNES, MARY
 ANN BLACKENSHIP
MAY 24: FEAST OF MARY MOTHER OF THE
 CHURCH

YOUTH COMMISSION

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I hope you all had an amazing St. Patrick's Day and were able to do something fun! Youth Group has begun to feel a little more normal and back to what it used to be before Covid, which is amazing! In late March, we began to have our Wednesday night Prayer Group in the Youth Room instead of having it on Zoom. It has been great to finally see everyone in the flesh and bone instead of through a screen. On April 11th, the Youth Group is having an Outdoor Rosary on Mary Mother's parking lot for our spiritual night. On April 18th, for our Social Night, we are continuing to have our monthly sign language classes. During the last month, we learned how to sign the whole Hail Mary prayer! On April 25th, we are making signs for Long Term Care/ Retirement Facilities. Have an amazing and blessed Easter!



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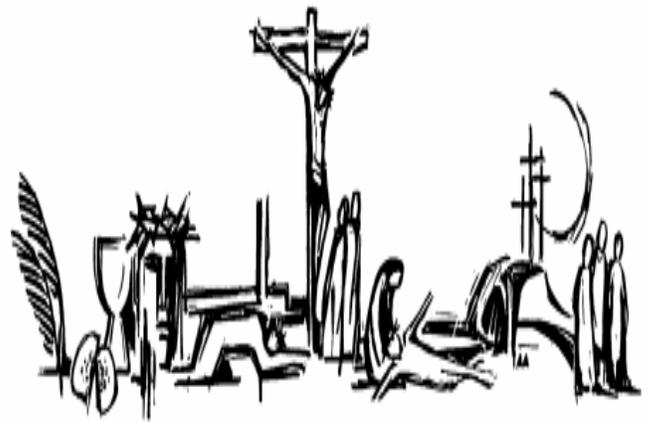
Mary Mother of the Church has a new ministry! Parish Council has approved a new group called Peace and Justice Ministry that will work within the Christian Formation Commission. The purpose of the group will be to provide educational and spiritual events that foster personal growth around many different topics included under the seven Principles of Catholic Social Teachings. We hope to sponsor events quarterly and provide "food for thought" weekly in the bulletin. We are planning a book study for late spring or early summer. Stay tuned for more information.

And in case you're wondering, here are the seven principles:
 Life and Dignity of the Human Person;
 Call to Family, Community, and Participation
 Rights and Responsibilities
 Preferential Option for the Poor and Vulnerable
 The Dignity of Work and the Rights of Workers
 Solidarity
 Care for God's Creation

CHRISTIAN SERVICE COMMISSION

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The members of the Christian Service Commission are optimistically planning for the return of in person events. We would like input from you. What Christian Service events/missions would you like to see? We would encourage to think fresh, while we would love to bring back our longstanding missions. We would also like to add a wide variety of new missions for the coming year and beyond. One benefit of our isolation and lack of normalcy is the time for prayer and reflect and get creative where those new missions are concerned. We are looking forward to your ideas! Please email at service@marymother.org.



LITURGY COMMISSION

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Being on a Liturgy Enhancement Team is a fun thing to do!! Every team adds a new dimension to the seasons of Lent, Holy Week, Advent or Christmas. There is also the Respect Life celebrations and Anointing of the Sick in October; and this year is an opportunity to bring some great new ideas to our traditional liturgies.

Sourcebooks and other resources are provided. You pick your team members; and you pray together on a theme of your choice. You present your ideas to the Liturgy Commission; and they give feedback. You also report back so that we know what worked and what can be improved upon for the next time.

All of our parish communities are called upon to be stewards for their own parish liturgies. We would love to see new people contribute and participate in the teams. The teams have the full support of the Planning Teams Coordinator (Jane Goeke), the Art and Environment Coordinator (Barb Foley), as well as the rest of the Liturgy Commission members and other support persons. It is an easy way to make new friends and influence parishioner worship in your own unique way. Please don't hold your gifts back. We need you *and* your family and friends!

TITHING

February 2021 – 4 Sundays
\$1,300 each agency

- 1) **Sisters of Divine Providence (LaPosada)** – Provides housing and shelter for indigent immigrants in San Benito, Texas.
- 2) **CHADS Coalition** - Raises awareness, provides education and counseling to identify and prevent depression and suicide, saving young lives in the St. Louis area.
- 3) **North Grand Neighborhood Services** - Promotes the dignity of low-income persons and their community by developing affordable housing, employment and training opportunities for youth, and other community initiatives.
- 4) **Institute for Peace and Justice** – Provides alternatives to violence in family, school and community.
- 5) **Birthright of Hillsboro** – Provides love, support and hope to women facing unplanned pregnancies, including information, referrals and resources to assist them.
- 6) **Kwasha Kids, Inc.** – Provides free education for all students at the Kwasha Molya Community School in Zambia, Africa, including a school lunch program that is designed to promote good health habits and enhance each student’s ability to learn.



SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL (SVDP)

The Scrap Metal reclamation program began in September of 2009 to preserve the environment and raise funds for SVDP neighbors in need. Since its inception, the program has raised over \$140,000 and continues to generate approximately \$1000 each month. This revenue not only supports our Mary Mother conference but also other SVDP parish programs including St. Andrews, St. Anthony Padua and St. Stephen Protomartyr. In addition to revenue generated from the scrap recycling, other ministries have benefitted. Bike Works, for example receives about a dozen bikes every 3 or 4 months. Habitat for Humanity receives various construction tools and hardware. Furthermore, the Scrap Metal ministry donates working appliances to other parishes with neighbors in need. We now even have our own pickup truck to transport the metal scrap to the recycler. A sincere thanks goes to the many workers who help to make this ministry possible including, Len, Dan, Ron, Jim, Mike S., Dick, Rob Tom, Mike J., Paul, Bob, Carol D. and Carol M. who donate their time to allow this ministry to flourish. If you have questions about the program, call Dick or Carol at 314-849-8788.

A Prayer to St. Joseph

(From Patris Corde – “With a Father’s Heart”)

*Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer,
Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary.
To you God entrusted his only Son;
in you Mary placed her trust;
with you Christ became man.*

*Blessed Joseph, to us too,
show yourself a father
and guide us in the path of life.
Obtain for us grace, mercy and courage,
and defend us from every evil. Amen.*



RESPECT LIFE COMMITTEE

Leslie Najjar

Walk with Moms in Need – Support our parish **Baby Shower for Birthright of Hillsboro**. It will run from April 10 through April 18. Unwrapped gifts may be placed in the play pen in the vestibule. These are the items most needed at this time – diapers sizes 3, 4 and 5 (do not need other size diapers) – diaper wipes – baby lotion – baby shampoo – bottles – sippy cups – rattles – burp cloths – receiving blankets – socks size 18 month – girls summer pajamas sizes 12 month and 18 month – boys summer pajamas sizes 6-9 months and 12 month - boys’ summer outfits size 0-3 month – (no onesies are needed). If you aren’t getting out, you may shop online and ship your gift to Birthright of Hillsboro, 407 3rd Street, Hillsboro, MO 63050. Or you may mail a check to Birthright of Hillsboro, PO Box 35, Hillsboro, MO 63050.

Go to www.mocatholic.org/resources/covid-19-resources for **letters of objection to the use of abortion-derived cell lines** in the production and/or testing of the COVID-19 vaccine.

Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
<h1 style="color: #e91e63;">April 2021</h1> <p>* For more details, go to: www.marymother.org/calendar-1</p>			Apr 1 HOLY THURSDAY 8:30am Morning Prayer 7pm Mass of the Lord's Supper 8:30pm Adoration until 10 PM	2 GOOD FRIDAY (OFFICES CLOSED) 8:30am Morning Prayer 3pm Stations of the Cross 7pm Evening Liturgy	3 HOLY SATURDAY 8:30am Morning Prayer 8:00pm Easter Vigil	4 EASTER 9am Easter Mass 11am Easter Mass
5 12:30pm Pickleball 6:30pm Pickleball 7pm Men's Prayer Group	6 9am Adoration 9am Quilting 9am TOPS ? 9am Walking/PAC 7pm SVDP Mtg 7:30pm Youth Comm Mtg	7 9am Adoration 9:30am Cornerstone 9:30am Tai Chi 12:30pm Pickleball 6:30pm Gr 1-5 PSR 7pm ProLife Comm 8pm Youth Prayer Grp	8 9am Walking/PAC 4pm Adoration 7pm Prayer Group	9 6:30pm Pickleball	10 Birthright baby shower - vestibule 12:30pm FE Retreat 3:30pm Confessions 4:30pm Mass	11 2nd Sunday of Easter/Divine Mercy Sunday 9am Mass 10am Gr 6-8 PSR 11am Mass 6:30pm Rosary
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*Some of the above are still virtual - see the meeting coordinator for more information

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UPDATE

NEW PARISHIONERS:

Sr. Sandra Straub
Martin & Sharon Barron
Tony & Lisa Cusumano
Sr. Kate Regan

DEATHS:

Harry Schlotte (2012)
Toni Albrecht (2019)
George Riebold

***FAREWELL:**

Gregory/Patrice Kirkpatrick	Eric & Katie Hochmuth
Lisa Brenton Family	Pat Bartuce
Geraldine McLaughlin	Donald Murabito Family
Jeff & Annette Koberman	Jeanine Pocilujko
Daniel Weger Family	Lisa Brenton Family
Tim & Martha Dement	Geraldine McLaughlin
Larry Reed	Jeff & Annette Koberman
Elmer & Nancy Rosenthal	Daniel Weger Family
Desi & Terri Kirchhofer	Tim & Martha Dement
Harry & Carol Dunsford	Larry Reed
Wm & Brenda Neill	Elmer & Nancy Rosenthal

**Farewells are not necessarily recent, but we learned of them as a result of returned mail and responses from the "Mary's Calling Brigade."*

