

Mass Intentions

Saturday, Apr. 20 - St. Mary
Mass 8:20 p.m

For RCIA Candidates

Sunday, Apr. 21 - St. Ann
Mass 9:00 a.m.

For the increase of Vocations

Sunday, Apr. 21 - St. Mary
Mass 11:00 a.m

Barbara Mendelson

by Peggy & Sherry Dinan

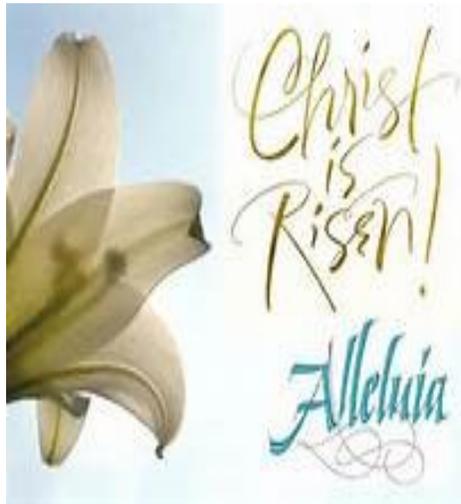
Monday, Apr. 22 - St. Mary
Mass 7:30 a.m.

Jan & Mary Ann Nestleroad

by Children & Grandchildren

Tuesday, Apr. 23 - Genesis Chapel
Mass 7:15 a.m.

For All those serving our Country
 in the Military



Mass Readings for Next Sunday, April 28, 2019

Acts 5:12-16

Revelation 1:9-11, 12-13, 17-19

John 20:19-31

CHURCH OFFICE HRS

Tues. 8:30 a.m. — 12:30 p.m.

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Mass Intentions Mark an envelope "Mass Intentions" and drop it in the collection basket with the name for whom the Mass is to be offered and include your name.

Catholic Education

Families who wish the opportunity of Catholic Education are encouraged to remain in or join parishes that sponsor Catholic Schools and to be active, registered and contributing members and faithful to Sunday Mass. Our sister parishes that have excellent faith and educational experiences are: Zanesville - Saint Thomas and Saint Nicholas; Newark - Blessed Sacrament and Saint Francis de Sales; Coshocton - Sacred Heart. Saint Ann (1889) - Saint Mary (1856) have not sponsored the subsidy since our beginning and will continue this policy.

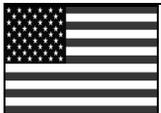
Families are always welcome at our Masses, however we encourage you to support the parish that will subsidize you.

Saint Ann-Saint Mary Administration
 Finance Council

PLEASE REMEMBER THE FOLLOWING IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Vivian Grady, Ted Paulus, Pat Powers, Peggy Franks, Christine Wagner, Tracy Beale, Margarie Reeves, Sue McClanahan-Pepper, Jodi Morrison, Rose Fohrman, Edyn Dickson, Becky Fouts, Wesson James, Teresa Daughtery, Clarice Durtschi, Nick Durtschi, Tom Lockhard, Marty Watson, Karen Miller, BJ Angelo, Charlotte Jones, Ellen Alheim, Rylee Warner, Gretchen Boerner, Eli Murphy, Ron Miller, Amara Larrison, Teagan Welen, Sara Hopper, Melody Purkey, Clark Watson, Lynn Seward, Steve Woytko, Craig Harple, Kevin Kenily, Dakota Miller, Robert Thomas, Sarah Ludinich, Kristi Larimer, Michelle Merry, Bob & Ann Smeltzer, Jerry McGee, Cheryl Trego, Lisa Adornetto, Greg Steinmetz, Don Nichols, Sue Lawler, Charles Jones, Emma Berry, Ava Winner, Gary Wilson, Tom Clawson, Jeffrey M. Schiele

Refresh them Lord, with your healing grace.
Please submit names of those who need our prayers. As health improves, let us know to remove the name.



PRAYER FOR OUR MILITARY

Let us pray for our brothers and sisters as they go forth with courage and determination to face the forces of violence, weapons of destruction and hearts filled with hate. We pray, Lord, that you preserve the members of our Army, Navy, Marines, Coast Guard and Air Force from all harm. *Amen.*

HALLELUJAH!

Easter Sprinkling of Holy Water

Water is the sign of new life. In Baptism we die to ourselves and rise to Jesus Christ.

During the Easter Vigil the assembly is sprinkled with Holy Water to remind us of our Baptism and the renewal of our baptismal vows.

The sprinkling of the assembly also is done at all Masses on Easter Sunday.

Some families bring holy water containers to Mass on Easter so they can take home some Easter water, which is blessed during the Easter Vigil, to bless their homes.

Stewardship Report



Year July 1, 2018 - June 30, 2019

April 6 & 7, 2019

TOTAL COLLECTION: \$ 3,159.00

East-
 er Flowers \$ 20, Candles \$ 7

WEEKLY GOAL	\$ 2,400.00
ACTUAL COLLECTION	\$ 3,159.00
Variance	+ \$ 759.00
Year to Date Goal	\$ 96,000.00
Actual Year to Date	\$ 116,458.87
Year to Date Variance	+ \$ 20,458.87

Heartbeats is in need of Size 4 diapers, wipes, shampoo, baby wash, lotion, sippy cups

You may bring any of these items to either St. Mary or St. Ann.

Leave donations in the back of the churches. Phyllis Vensil will deliver or if you prefer to donate money, items will be purchased with your donation

Thank you from the unborn.

Divine Mercy Novena, nine days of prayer, began on Good Friday and continues to its completion on the Sunday after Easter.

You may choose to pray the intentions of the day with the chaplet in your home, with others in prayer groups or view it on EWTN
 Mon., April 22 thru Sat., April 27.

Promises of Jesus to those who say the Divine Mercy Chaplet

Jesus said, "Say unceasingly the Chaplet that I have taught you.

Whoever will recite it, they will receive great mercy at the hour of death. Even if there were a sinner most hardened, if he were to recite this chaplet only once, he would receive grace from My infinite mercy".

"At the hour of their death, I defend every soul that will say this Chaplet as I do my own glory. When this Chaplet is said by the bedside of a dying person, God's anger is placated and His unfathomable mercy envelopes the soul".



Divine Mercy Novena completion is Sunday, April 28 at 3:00 pm at St. Mary.

We will have Eucharistic Adoration, Rosary and Divine Mercy Devotions. The graces and indulgences attached to this novena are many.

This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad.



Easter Lilies

symbolize hope and new life, also purity, virtue and innocence — the spiritual essence of Easter.

Many stories exist about the Easter lily, which is often called the "white-robed apostle of hope."

Legend says that lilies were found growing in the Garden of Gethsemane after Christ's agony.

Tradition also says that beautiful white lilies sprang up where drops of Christ's bloody sweat fell to the ground in his final hours of sorrow and deep distress.

Churches often continue this tradition at Easter by banking the altars and surrounding the crosses with

masses of Easter lilies, commemorating the resurrection of Jesus Christ and symbolizing our hope of life everlasting.



Easter Sunday Prayer

God our Father, by raising Christ your Son you conquered the power of death and opened for us the way to eternal life. Let our celebration today raise us up and renew our lives by the Spirit that is within us.

Grant this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Why did Jesus fold the burial cloth after His resurrection?

The Gospel of John (20:7) tells us that the napkin, which was placed over the face of Jesus, was not just thrown aside like the grave clothes.

The Bible takes an entire verse to tell us that the napkin was neatly folded, and was placed at the head of that stony coffin.

Then Simon Peter arrived and went inside. He saw the linen wrappings lying there, while the cloth that had covered Jesus' head was folded up and lying to the side.

Was that important? Absolutely!

Is it really significant? Yes!



In order to understand the significance of the folded napkin, you have to understand a little bit about Hebrew tradition of that day.

The folded napkin had to do with the Master and Servant, and every Jewish boy knew this tradition.

When the servant set the dinner table for the master, he made sure that it was exactly the way the master wanted it.

The table was furnished perfectly, and then the servant would wait, just out of sight, until the master had finished eating. The servant would not dare touch the table until the master was finished.

Now if the master was done eating, he would rise from the table, wipe his fingers, mouth, beard and then wad up that napkin and toss it onto the table. The servant would then know to clear the table. For in those days, the wadded napkin meant, 'I'm done'.

But if the master got up from the table, folded his napkin, and laid it beside his plate, the servant would not dare touch the table, because.....

The folded napkin meant, 'I'm coming back!'

He is Coming Back!!