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Mission Statement
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Mass Schedule
Saturday Anticipation 5:00 pm
Sunday 8:00 am and 10:30 am
Weekday Tuesday and Thursday at 5:30 pm
Wednesday and Friday at 8:30 am

5th Sunday of Lent ● April 7, 2019
For all those living in assisted living and nursing homes, also Liz Boyd, Peggy Cave, D.J. DesJarlais, Rita Fritsch, Jim Goldman, Dick Griffith, Bud Harvey, Tom Konechnik, Kelsea Kushner, Debbie Little, Anthony Martinez, Jenifer Mundy, Felicia Osmialowski, Goldie Parsons, Rex Parsons, Katie Portwood, Katie Reynolds, Betty Rittmiller, David Roche, Robert (Mario) Rodriguez, David & Dee Sheets, Mary Schmitt, Helen Schweizer, Lois Staresina, Debbie Such, Gene Trapp, Harold Walliser, and Mary Williams. We ask that the Lord heal them and restore them to good health.

Prayer Line
If you know of someone who needs the special healing power of prayer, or to become a part of this ministry, call Fran Strauss at 317-745-5640.

Monday, April 8
No Mass.

Tuesday, April 9
11:30 a.m. For Sipriana Bussing on her 90th birthday.

Wednesday, April 10
8:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Shannon Parsons.

Thursday, April 11 St. Stanislaus
12:00 p.m. For the women of Mary Queen of Peace both living and deceased.

Friday, April 12
8:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Juanita Rose Gerhardt.

Saturday, April 13
5:00 p.m. † In loving memory of Paul Tax.

Sunday, April 14 Palm Sunday
8:00 a.m. Missa Pro Populo.
10:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Joe Massner II.

During the solemn season of Lent there will be no flowers placed before the statues of Mary, the Sacred Heart or St. Joseph. The flowers will return at Easter. Your contribution for flowers to remember or honor someone will be accepted throughout Lent, and used after Easter.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS
Every Friday 6:00 p.m.

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Congratulations and welcome to the newest member of our parish family.

Chase Edward, son of Edward and Annemarie Krawiec

Jillian Michelle, daughter of Cody and Cindy Parrinello

Early Bulletin Deadlines
The publisher for our Sunday bulletin is requiring an earlier submission deadline for Easter Sunday. In order to meet this deadline all articles for the Easter Sunday bulletin must be submitted by Friday, April 12. Thank you for your cooperation.

Forever Young Group Gathering
"April showers bring May flowers!" Or at least that is how the old saying goes. Join the Forever Young group on Tuesday, April 9, starting with Mass at 11:30 a.m. and luncheon immediately following. Linda Rollins plans on chili for our entree that day. Please come and bring a covered dish of your choice, i.e. salad, dessert, vegetable, whatever your specialty is. We look forward to seeing you. Come join us for fun and fellowship.

Lenten Disciplines
Abstinence from meat is to be observed by all Catholics 14 years and older on Ash Wednesday and on all Fridays of Lent.
Fasting is to be observed on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday by all Catholics who are 18 years of age but not yet 59. Those who are bound by this may take only one full meal. Two smaller meals are permitted if necessary to maintain strength according to one’s needs, but eating solid foods between meals is not permitted.

By the threefold discipline of fasting, almsgiving and prayer, the Church keeps Lent from Ash Wednesday until the evening of Holy Thursday, which is on April 18.
+Dear Friends,

Traditionally, **PASSION-TIDE** begins with this Fifth Sunday of Lent.

The statues are covered as a visible means of the holy and glorious being withdrawn as our Lord faces the heart of His Passion and ultimate death. On the Fifth Sunday of Lent, St. Augustine contrasts the writing of the Law of Moses with what our Lord writes here on the ground. At Sinai, the Law was written on tablets of stone. Stone is excellent for recording...we still speak of something "set in stone," for example. It speaks of permanence and durability.

Stone, however, also possesses the hint of death; think of headstones in a cemetery, for example. Stone can be used to kill. We see in this reading of the Gospel the intention of the people to stone Jesus. So, Jesus writes on the ground. Unlike stone, earth has the ability to bring forth life and produce good fruit. Stone can identify and make permanent a record of our sins; in a metaphorical sense of the word. Jesus desires to write of Divine Mercy on our hearts, that we might produce good fruit.

Today Jesus gives the adulterous woman a chance to turn away from sin and turn back to God. A remarkable part of the encounter is that she admits her sin; we often do not. We have a tendency to blame others; either personally or societal, for OUR sins. Jesus today offers us the same opportunity He offered the adulterous woman. Shall we take it?

Perhaps your personal Lent hasn’t been that great. Has it? **Passion-tide is an excellent time to “reignite” and prepare for the glory of Easter.** Use these last precious weeks of Lent to truly prepare for the Holy Triduum of Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and the Easter Vigil!

On Tuesday, April 16, the priests of the Archdiocese join with Archbishop Thompson at the Cathedral at 2:00 p.m. to celebrate the annual CHRISM MASS. At the Mass, the Holy Oils for next year’s usage will be blessed and the priests renew their promises of ordination. It is always a beautiful Mass and I encourage any of you who may wish to attend! Pray for your priests!

May God, Who has begun this good work in us, bring it to completion!

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**5th Sunday of Lent**

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**Elementary RE:**

Earn your reward for learning your scripture verse by heart! Either Micah 6:8 or the verse your class has chosen. Let Mr. Fallon hear it when you come to class next week!

While you have been on spring break there are people who continue to be hungry and homeless. Read their stories in the narthex display and keep donating what you may to your rice bowl. We will collect these **the week after Easter.**

You may also win a cash prize in the K of C Easter poster contest! Information and registration forms can be found on the stairwell and RE bulletin boards. Not many entries yet so your odds are good! Entries are due to Matthew Fallon on Palm Sunday.

**Adult RE:**

All sections of our study of the Book of Acts continue. If you cannot be at a class you may keep in step by viewing the videos online, and still be synchronized with the class!

This summer we will read two books and share our thoughts and learning together. In June the book will be, 'In the Beginning,' by then-Cardinal Ratzinger (now Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI), and we'll meet on the 29th. For July we will meet on the 27th to discuss Fr. James Mallon's book, 'Divine Renovation.'

If you are able to host this gathering, please contact Matthew to plan it. Thank you!

**General Interest**

If you are not able to attend the communal Stations of the Cross devotional prayer on Friday evenings, you can pray the Stations in the RE building between the Sunday Masses. The building will be open with stations and prayers posted on the walls of the hallway.

Putting our faith into action with **Catholic Relief Services - Rohingya Refugee Crisis:** Some 628,000 Rohingya people are living in Bangladesh in the largest and most dense refugee camp in the world. There has been much debate about whether they will be forcibly returned to Myanmar, from which they fled genocide. CRS is supporting more than 263,000 Rohingya refugees with shelter and settlement, water and sanitation, protection for children and vulnerable groups, and disaster risk reduction within the camp. Visit crs.org, enter "March/April 2019 Global Emergency Update" in the search box.

This week we encounter Waisa and Kumba in Sierra Leone: Things are changing in Sierra Leone. When Waisa was a girl, no one thought girls should attend school. But now the value of education to all people to their country (after a 10-year civil war) is appreciated. Waisa works a large garden to help send her granddaughter to a CRS-sponsored school. The school includes a nutritious lunch so students can concentrate on their studies instead of their hunger. Kumba wants to study to become a nurse, so that people in her community won't have to travel long distances to receive health care when they become ill. Visit crsricebowl.org/photos or /stories to find out more.
Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Weekend of April 13 & 14

**MASS COORDINATORS**
5:00 p.m. Kathy Stamper
8:00 a.m. Charlotte Pell
10:30 a.m. Mary O’Brien

**MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY**
5:00 p.m. Alex Earl, Tonya Earl
8:00 a.m. Susan Bliss, Todd Deno
10:30 a.m. Adam Bratt, Matthew Bratt

**READERS**
5:00 p.m. Miriam Orelup, Kathy Stamper
8:00 a.m. Nick Schmutte, Michelle Pritchett
10:30 a.m. Carra Origer, Mary Kay Hood

**SERVERS**
5:00 p.m. Amy Earl, Andrew Earl
8:00 a.m. Leslie Pell, Olivia Pell
10:30 a.m. Hollan Wray, Not Filled

**EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION**
5:00 p.m. George Juza
8:00 a.m. Charlotte Pell
10:30 a.m. Mary Lovejoy, Gina Perry

Liturgical Meditations

Monday, April 8, 2019
Psalm 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [4ab]/John 8:12-20

Tuesday, April 9, 2019
Numbers 21:4-9/Psalm 102:2-3, 16-18, 19-21 [2]/
John 8:21-30

Wednesday, April 10, 2019
Daniel 3:14-20, 91-92, 95/Daniel 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56
[52b]/John 8:31-42

Thursday, April 11, 2019
Genesis 17:3-9/Psalm 105:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [8a]/
John 8:51-59

Friday, April 12, 2019
Jeremiah 20:10-13/Psalm 18:2-3a, 3bc-4, 5-6, 7 [cf. 7]/
John 10:31-42

Saturday, April 13, 2019
Ezekiel 37:21-28/Jeremiah 31:10, 11-12abcd, 13
[cf. 10d]/John 11:45-56

Sunday, April 14, 2019
Luke 19:28-40/Isaiah 50:4-7/Psalm 22:8-9, 17-18,

Dining Out for the RE Program

Beautiful art can help draw people into the beauty of the faith. The RE department would like to procure poster prints of famous sacred art to hang in our classrooms. To help reach this goal we are holding a "Go Out For Dinner" night at Los Patios restaurant on Thursday, April 18. The RE department will receive a portion of the cost of every meal!

Mother’s Day Tea

Save the date!
Sunday, May 5, 1-3:00 p.m.
Women’s Club Tea! Inviting all women of the parish to a Cinco de Mayo Fiesta Tea!

Please keep coming to support our youth!!
mqpyouthgroupbeth@yahoo.com or (317) 709-6765

At-A-Glance Parish Schedule

Sunday, April 7
9:00 a.m. Religious Education Classes
9:00 a.m. Confirmation Class
9:00 a.m. Adult Education Class - Acts

Monday, April 8
7:30 p.m. Adult Education Class - Acts

Tuesday, April 9
11:30 a.m. Mass followed by Forever Young pitch-in luncheon
6:30 p.m. Rosary with Women’s Club in church
7:00 p.m. Women’s Club Meeting
7:00 p.m. RCIA - Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

Wednesday, April 10
10:00 a.m. Adult Education Class - Acts
7:00 p.m. Choir Practice

Thursday, April 11
4:30 p.m. Fish Fry sponsored by the Youth Group
6:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross

Friday, April 12

Saturday, April 13

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