

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

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April 10, 2022 - Palm Sunday - The Passion of the Lord

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SCHEDULE OF MASSES FOR APRIL 9 - APRIL 17

ST. MARY'S

Saturday	4:00 p.m.	+Mark Strick
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	+Francis & Mildred Witt
Monday	8:15 a.m.	Rosary & Communion Service
Wednesday	8:15 a.m.	+Ronnie Landoll
Good Friday	7:00 p.m.	
Holy Saturday	7:00 p.m.	St. Mary's Parish Family
Easter Sunday	8:30 a.m.	St. Mary's Parish Family

ST. AGNES

Tues.	8:30 a.m.
Holy Thurs.	7:00 p.m.
Good Friday	3:00 p.m.
Easter Sunday	10:30 a.m.

EVENTS OF THE WEEK:

Sunday, April 10	Palm Sunday - The Passion of the Lord
Monday, April 11	8:15 a.m. Rosary and Communion Service
Wednesday, April 13	8:15 a.m. Mass PSR Classes 6:15 p.m. to 7:15 p.m.
Thursday, April 14	Holy Thursday
Friday, April 15	Passion of the Lord - Good Friday Special Collection: Holy Land Day of Abstinence (No Meat)
Sunday, April 17	Easter Egg Hunt for the kids after Mass. Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Monday, April 18	8:15 a.m. Rosary and Communion Service
Wednesday, April 20	8:15 a.m. Mass PSR Classes 6:15 p.m. to 7:15 p.m. 6:00 p.m. Mass St. Mary's Parish Council Meeting at 6:30 p.m. in the C.R.
Friday, April 22	8:15 a.m. Mass
Sunday, April 24	Special Collection: Catholic Home Missions Appeal

OUR GIFT TO GOD LAST WEEK: Collection Counters in April: Tim & Patty Osterloh

Our weekly budget is \$7,800.00 Last Week's Collection: \$ 3604.00

The Mirror: We have received the bill for The Mirror subscriptions from the diocese and it is for 190 subscriptions at \$14 each. Our bill is \$2,660.00. At this time 65 Families have paid 920.00 for their subscription to The Mirror. Thank you. If you have not paid yet there is still time. **The Diocese strongly recommends that every family receive The Mirror. We ask that everyone pay for their subscription so that the church does not have to pick up that expense. Thank You.**

TUCKPOINTING PROJECT: To date our parish has \$52,758.00 toward our \$65,000.00 goal. Thank you! If you have not yet made your pledge, please add your gift, whatever the amount, in unity with those who have already given by mailing or putting your pledge in the collection marked tuckpointing. We are still short \$ 12,242.00 of meeting our goal.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS Tom Cartmell, Tom Knott, Louise Bellm, Charlotte Sloan, Andrea Kristek, and all the sick and shut-ins of our parish.

OUR PRAYERS AND SYMPATHY GO TO JUDY FLEHMER AND JAMES LANDOLL AND THEIR FAMILIES ON THE DEATH OF THEIR DAD RONNIE LANDOLL.

May he be living with God and may his family feel his peace.

THANK YOU: St. Mary's Parish Family thank you for all the cards, phone calls and support during the sickness and passing of my dad Ronnie Landoll. Your support and wonderful thoughts and prayers and kindness and sympathy was very much appreciated. Thank you for being there for us. We are very grateful to have this parish family in our lives. Judy Flehmer Family

CAMP RE-NEW-ALL: Camp is open to campers going into 5th -9th grade in the fall, high school staff going into 10th -12th grade, and adults are invited to apply for a volunteer staff position. Brochures are in the back of church.

NOTES FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK:

Our Spring Hanging Basket Sales will begin soon. Order forms will be in the back of the church if you are interested in purchasing. Orders will be due to the school office by April 27th. Orders will be available for pickup on Friday, April 29th and Sunday, May 1st, during the Art Show after Mass.

Our Diocesan writing competition is underway. We have 48 total entries for students in the 3rd through 8th grades from the West side of the Diocese.

On behalf of Home & School, I would like to thank Monroe, Andy, and the Knights for their help with the Fish Fry Friday evening.

****PICNIC UPDATES****

We are still accepting monetary donations towards the raffle prizes. A few options to get us your donation: 1) Put this in the church collection – mark the envelop “raffle donation”, 2) Mail it to the rectory, 3) Drop it off at the rectory, or 4) Contact Mellanie Carder 417-737-2812 or Frances Boman 417-693-0174, we can pick it up!

We should have the raffle tickets ready for distribution soon. Be watching for another bulletin announcement for what weekend we will have them available after Mass. Any tickets not picked up will be mailed.

We are excited to announce the return of TRASH AND TREASURES, The Country Store, and the Cake Walk to the festivities this year. Many of the old favorites – Bingo, Duck Races, Hamburger Stand, Beer Garden, Potato Twister, Funnel Cakes, Home-made Ice-Cream and the Chicken/Roast Beef dinner – will all be there too!

An early reminder, but as always, we will be asking each family to contribute (3) items to the Country Store, a cake for the Cake Walk, and pie/dessert for the dinner. All to be dropped off the day of the picnic.

Once we get closer to time, instruction on when/where to drop off for the Trash and Treasures booth will be announced. We will not accept clothing, shoes, or electronics! Again, be watching for more information on drop off instructions in the coming weeks.

There is still time to volunteer to make the picnic an even bigger success – whether it is a booth idea or asking to be put on a work list. The more the merrier. Reach out, please. You may contact Mellanie Carder or Frances Boman at the numbers listed above.

OUR PCCW, as well as the others in our region, has a service project for this Spring. We are collecting items to send to Mother's House in Hayti, MO. This is an outreach center that is ran by Sr. Sharon Miller and her community. They provide children's clothing and baby items to young mothers and grandparents who find themselves raising their grandchildren. The following are items we are collecting. Please leave any items marked Mother's House in the back of church by the coat rack. The deadline for collecting will be April 17, 2022. Thank you.

Items needed:

Children's clothing and P J's, summer and winter, sizes newborn to size 7, but especially toddler sizes

Diapers-especially sizes 4 and up

Baby wipes

New bottles and sippy cups

Children's shampoo, lotion, body wash, toothbrushes, and toothpaste

Hats, gloves, and lightweight outerwear

Baby blankets

Laundry detergent –free of perfumes and dyes

Gift cards to Walmart

Monetary donations-checks made to DCCW with memo line indicating “Mother's House, Hayti, MO”

Emergency donors-include name and phone number