

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

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May 15, 2022 - Fifth Sunday of Easter

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SCHEDULE OF MASSES FOR MAY 14 - MAY 22

ST. MARY'S

Saturday	4:00 p.m.	+Ken Garrison
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	+Marge (Witt) Conyers
Monday	8:15 a.m.	Rosary & Communion Service
Tuesday	6:30 p.m.	For the health of Charlotte Sloan
Wednesday	8:15 a.m.	+Lillian Heese
Friday	8:15 a.m.	+Edmund Fenske
Saturday	4:00 p.m.	For St. Mary's 8 th Grade Graduates
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	For High School Graduates

ST. AGNES

Tues.	8:30 a.m.
Thurs.	8:30 a.m.
Sun.	10:30 a.m.

EVENTS OF THE WEEK:

Tuesday, May 17
Wednesday, May 18

PCCW Meeting at 7:00 p.m. in the C.R.
Memorial of Saint John I, Pope & Martyr
LAST DAY OF CLASSES FOR PSR 6:15 p.m. to 7:15 p.m.
Memorial of Saint Christopher Magallanes, Priest and Companions, Martyr
3:00 p.m. St. Mary's School 8th Grade Graduation then after 4:00 p.m. Mass will be a reception
High School Graduation Mass with reception to follow

Saturday, May 21

Sunday, May 22

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Monday, May 23
Wednesday, May 25

8:15 a.m. Rosary and Communion Service
8:15 a.m. Mass
St. Mary's School Board Meeting at 6:30 p.m. in the C.R.

Thursday, May 26

Memorial of Saint Philip, Neri, Priest
Last Day of School Dismiss at 12:00 p.m.

Friday, May 27

8:15 a.m. Mass

OUR GIFT TO GOD LAST WEEK: Collection Counters in May: Joe & Denise Crowell

Our weekly budget is \$7,800.00 Last Week's Collection: \$ 3822.00

UPDATE TUCKPOINTING PROJECT: We are still short \$12, 222.00 short of making our goal of \$65,000.00. We cannot schedule the work until we meet our goal, and the longer we have to wait our cost could go up to have the tuckpointing done. 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.

DDF: To date our parish has given \$9,907.00 toward our \$21,950.00 goal. Thank you! If you have not yet made your pledge, please make a sacrifice, whatever the amount, in unity with those who have already given by returning a pledge card. We ask everyone to participate, as you are able.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

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

DONATIONS NEEDED FOR HAMBURGER STAND 1 gallon hamburger dills, 3lbs white onion, 4 cases of water, 1 case kraut, cash donations accepted too.

CONGRATULATIONS ST. MARY'S 8th GRADERS: The following students will graduate Saturday, May 21, 2022.

Addison Avondet Maverick Grimsley Savanna Haselwood

CONGRATULATIONS HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS: The following students will graduate Sunday, May 22, 2022.

Kendra Abramovitz Hugh Chapman Levi Cooper Claire Eaton Ava Golubski Riley Gripka Cole Parrigon

NOTES FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK:

Join us Saturday, May 21st at 3:00 to recognize the newest graduates of St. Mary's Catholic School. The graduates will then help with 4:00 Mass, followed by a reception for them in the gym.

APPOINTMENTS

If you are unable to make your appointment, please find a replacement

Saturday, May 21 4:00 p.m. Mass

Readers: St. Mary's School Children

E.M.: Richard Ceselski

Ushers: Doug Witt, Bryan Stellwagen

Sunday, May 22 8:30 a.m. Mass

Readers: High School Graduates

E.M.: Joe Crowell, Denise Crowell (Choir)

Ushers: Dereck Washam, Rick Washam, Darren Borwn, Dustin Avondet

2022 Picnic Worklists Please work in your shift or find a replacement.

COUNTRY STORE – Veronica Carder – 737-2813 / Rachele Brown – 489-8378

11-1	Sheryl Parrigon	Joe Boman	Pam Boman
1-3	Cari Caddell	Jenifer Graves	Loretta Gasser
3-5	Tootie Knott	Jessica Butts	Jennifer Brown
5-close	Veronica Carder	Rachele Brown	Adelyn Brown

RAFFLE TICKET SALES – Mellanie Carder – 737-2812 / Frances Boman – 693-0174

Inside of GYM

Raffle Sales

11:00-1	Baleigh Eaton and Brenden Kleiboeker
1-3	John and Karen Sweeney

Outside of GYM

Raffle Sales

11-1	Deidre Brown and Leslie Jones
1-3	Roxanne Hill and Debbie Goodman
3-5	Terry and Kaye Campbell
5-7	Dick and Madeline Ceselski
7-close	Frances Boman and Mellanie Carder

TRASH AND TREASURE AND PURSE & JEWELRY sales COMBINED

Frances Boman 417-693-0174 Chairperson

NO CLOTHING OR SHOES----Please have all your items in by Friday, June 3rd at 12:00 noon. Gym doors will open from 10:00am to 6:00pm to drop items off starting on Tuesday May 31st through Friday June 3rd at 12:00 noon. We will start pricing at 1:30pm Friday. All help will be appreciated to price items starting at 9:00am on Saturday June 2nd. Please bring all purses and jewelry clearly marked to what you feel they are worth. If you feel a minimum price should be charged for any of your items, please price before you bring it in. Call me at the number above if you need more information about this booth. Leave items on the tables or floor on the north wall of gym by the basketball goal. **DO NOT LEAVE ITEMS OUTSIDE BY DOORS.** Call me if you need a special drop off time because you cannot come during the stated times. Make sure all items are clean and presentable before you bring them.

Thank you so much for your support of this booth at our picnic! Even though our picnic begins on Sunday, we will be open after Mass Saturday as well as all day on Sunday.

Saturday, June 4nd, 2022 Doors will close when no more shoppers

After Mass	4:45 to ??pm	Frances Boman	Danny Boman	Teresa Boman	Adam Boman
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Sunday, June 5, 2022

After 8:30 Mass	Frances Boman	Danny Boman	Emerie Brown	
11:00-1:00	Darrell Brown	Danny Boman	Shawn Brown	Marcella Cooper
1:00-3:00	Tracy O'Hara	Kenny O'Hara	Barbara Glouse	Rachele Brown
3:00-5:00	Beverly Phillips	Jennifer Brown	Emerie Brown	Janice Bowen
5:00 to close	Frances Boman	Danny Boman		

IF ANYONE IS AVAILABLE TO HELP PACK ITEMS UP AT CLOSING, WE CAN USE YOUR HELP. We will finish packing Monday morning and take items away.

2018 BINGO WORKLIST, Jim Larkin, Chairperson 476- 2436

**Bingo has been a place where we have a considerable number of no-show workers.
Please!!!! work in your shift or find a replacement.**

12:30-2:30

Caller: Debbie Seufert

Mark Rakoski	Fred Chapman	Adam Boman	Andrew Eckhart
Leonard Bauer	Mark Elbert	Dustin Avondet	Sarah Elbert
Phil Gollhofer	Greg Brown	Stephanie Brown	David Elbert
Joe Parrigon	Debbie Parrigon	Darren Brown	

2:30-4:30

Caller: Claire Eaton

Dan Kristek	Mike O'Hara	Shirley O'Hara	Jim Randall
Mike Rakoski	Joe Fenske	Dan Witt	Jim Barchak
Larry Carver	Debbie Parrigon	Blake Chapman	Hugh Chapman
Tom Cahalan	Melissa Cahalan	Deidre Brown	
Joe Cahalan	Baleigh Eaton	Brenden Kleiboeker	

4:30-6:30

Caller: Ellis Motley

Jason Chapman	Dena Chapman	Brenda Kennedy	Marty Kennedy
Rick Bellm	Harold Gripka	Steve Jackson	Ian Brottlund
Joe Crowell	Denise Crowell	Rex Cooper	Doug Sloan
Janet Eck	Travis Eck	April Ellis	Jenna Pearce
Pat Sperry	Marla Sperry		

6:30-8:30

Caller: Dale Witt

Greg Chapman	Eric Chapman	Kimberly Marrow	Mark Chapman
Bill Seufert	Rita Seufert	Brenda McCracken	Keith McCracken
Sharon Blackburn	Randy Witt	Julie Witt	Steve Chapman
Grace Parrigon	Pat Parrigon		

Hamburger Stand Work List June 5th, 2022

12-2

Bryan & Shelly Stellwagen
Jessica & Bobby Butts
Cody & Katie Lathem
Jennifer Brown
Leslie Jones
Jerika Brown

2-4

Bryan & Shelly Stellwagen
Jason & Kristi Barchak
Brian & Logan Abramovitz
Matt Jo Parrigon
Grace Parrigon
Chrishna Paul
Pat Parrigon
Danny Boman

4-6

Bryan & Shelly Stellwagen
Joe & Pam Boman
Randy & Melissa Ballay
Ralph & Mary Abramovitz
Ken & Peggy Heidlage
Carrie & Andy Hogenmiller
John & Angela Supplee

6-8

Cathey & Daryl Brown
Jason & Andrea Ehrhardt
Kevin & Gina Debes
Devon & Jenna Debes
Garrett Schmitz
Tom & Tootie Knott
Gary & Guessie Pierce

5th Sunday of Easter

Acts 14:21-27
Ps 145:8-13
Rev 21:1-5a
John 13:31-35

Monday May 16
Acts 14:5-18
Ps 115:1-4,15-16
John 14:21-26

Tuesday May 17
Acts 14:19-28
PS 145:10-13,21
John 14:27-31a

Wednesday May 18
Acts 15:1-6
Ps 122:1-5
John 15:1-8

Thursday May 19
Acts 15:7-21
Ps 96:1-3,10
John 15:9-11

Friday May 20
Acts 15:22-31
Ps 57:8-10,12
John 15:12-17

Saturday May 21
Acts 16:1-10
Ps 100:1b-3,5
John 15:18-21

If you knew you were about to die, what wisdom would you impart to your loved ones in your final moments? What's most important for them to learn from you?

In the Gospel reading, Jesus knows his time is short. The first thing he says to his friends are words of praise for God (the Father) while equating himself with God. He even calls his friends "children" as if he himself is God the Father! In so doing, he makes it clear that he is one with the Father; so totally that the lines between Father and Savior are blurred. And he does it humbly, glorifying his Father.

Glory is the radiating light of God's presence: his love, his joy, his holiness, his peace, his wisdom, his creativity, and everything else that he imparts on those who want to

bathe in his glory. When we glorify God, we are reflecting back to him this same glory. How much of this glory is illuminating your life?

After describing the exchange of glory between Father and Son, Jesus imparts to his disciples the highest wisdom of the universe: The key to successfully joining Jesus in the glory of God is to love as he loves.

Love is not love unless it unselfishly gives itself to others. Jesus unselfishly gave himself to us completely, even in death. Followers of Jesus are not true follow-



ers, disciples are not true disciples, priests are not true priests, lay leaders are not true leaders, unless they serve with love, in love, and through love.

The glory of God is love that gives itself completely, even sacrificially. Why does the Gospel reading give us a scene from the Passion of Christ while we're celebrating the season of Easter? The other readings are full of Easter: "Behold, I make all things new" (Rev. 21:5a). And yet here is Jesus preparing for betrayal, torture, and death. Why?

This Gospel reading is Jesus imparting to us today the key to continuing the mission of sharing God's glory, which Jesus began and now calls us to do. By loving one another in a spirit of sacrifice, we are showing the world that Jesus is real, he is risen, and he is alive in us.

Reflect & Discuss:

1. Whom do you not love?
2. If you were able to give that person a gift of yourself as an act of love for the glory of God, what would that gift be?
3. How do sacrificial acts of love glorify God?
4. Name a good deed you did recently. How was it self-giving (sacrificial)? How was it also a gift from Jesus, a sign that he was working through you?