

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

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April 9, 2023 Easter Sunday The Resurrection of the Lord

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SCHEDULE OF MASSES FOR APRIL 8 – APRIL 16

ST. MARY'S

Holy Saturday	4:00 p.m.	St. Mary's Parish Family
Easter Sunday	8:30 a.m.	St. Mary's Parish Family
Monday	8:15 a.m.	Rosary & Communion Service
Wednesday	8:15 a.m.	+Robert, Rose Ann, Bob, Ronnie & Tom Knott
Friday	8:15 a.m.	+Teresa Heeter
Saturday	4:00 p.m.	+Charlotte Sloan Wedding Anniverary
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	For the First Communion Children

ST. AGNES

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

EVENTS OF THE WEEK:

Sunday, April 9

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

Easter Egg Hunt after Mass Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus

8:15 a.m. Rosary and Communion Service

8:15 a.m. Mass

PSR Classes 6:15 p.m. to 7:15 p.m.

St. Mary's Pastoral Council Meeting at 6:30 p.m. in the C.R.

8:15 a.m. Mass

1st Communion

Monday, April 10

Wednesday, April 12

Friday, April 14

Sunday, April 16

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Monday, April 17

8:15 a.m. Rosary and Communion Service

St. Mary's School in Session

8:15 a.m. Mass

PSR Classes 6:15 p.m. to 7:15 p.m.

8:15 a.m. Mass

Wednesday, April 19

Friday, April 21

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

Our weekly budget is \$7,800.00

Last Week's Collection: \$ 4678.00

THE MIRROR subscription is due. The Diocese wished that all families receive The Mirror. Please help defray costs by paying the \$14 toward your subscription. Checks should be made out to St. Mary's. So far we have only collected \$ 848.00 toward our \$2142 Mirror bill, so if you have not yet paid for your subscription please do so now. Our if you would like to make a donation to help pay for someone that may not be able to pay that would be greatly appreciated.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS: Guessie Pierce, Linda Cochran King, Melissa Cahalan, Jack Parrigon, Andrea Kristek, and all the sick and shut-ins of our parish.

1st COMMUNION: The following children will be making their 1st Communion on Sunday, April 16 at the 8:30 a.m. Mass. Lilly Boman, Ben Brown, Ivy Cole, Sarah Elbert, Cade Flehmer, Eli Hogenmiller, Elias Prescott, Liam Rivera, Gabriel Romo, Jax Welters. Please keep all of these children in your prayers as they prepare for this day.

THANK YOU: What a wonderful time was had by all at the Over-65 dinner!!!! The decorations were beautiful again (thank you Szydloski girls). ***A hugh thank you to all my help: Gary & Lora Saffer, Cathy Chapman, Jeri Jasumback, Austin & Nicole McCracken, Monroe Rosebrough, Andy Parrigon, Trish (Whitman) Bachert, Tootie Knott and last but not least my husband Tim Osterloh.

**A very special thank you to our young members for their help: Clayton O'Hara, Brock Flehmer, Levi Cooper, Claudia Crowell and Carder Eaton. This is what church community is all about! Many hands make light work!!! "My cup runneth over" Love to all Patty Osterloh

PICNIC PLANNING FOR JUNE 2023 ---OUR 36th YEAR ---ARE UNDERWAY!!!

Plans are moving forward for our 2023 Old Fashioned Church Picnic which will be held on Sunday, June 4th, 2023.

It is not too late for donations towards raffle prizes! Cash or items are welcome! Make monetary donations with a check payable to St. Mary's. If you would like to donate, please call the rectory at 417-476-2827, Mellanie Carder at 417-737-2812, or Frances Boman at 417-693-0174 and we can help.

Donations and prizes need to be finalized no later than April 9th to allow time to get the tickets finished up for printing and distribution.

Chairperson(s) - First, thank you! Second, please be polishing up your work lists and get those sent to me by May 1st. You can email me: melcarder@live.com or leave them in an envelope in the back of church marked accordingly.

NOTES FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK:

Happy Easter!! Gather with your family and celebrate all of the good things Our Lord had done.

PS-PK is underway. If you have a kiddo for the three year old program or the four year old program, let us know. Contact the school to register, 417-476-2824 or jason.kramer@stmarys-piercecity.org

SPONSORSHIP REQUESTS to cover costs for the 7th/8th grade mission trip to Camp Barnabas. If you would like to donate you can see students after mass or contact Melissa Brown at 417-393-0990 Students are also providing a 50/50 raffle during Friday night Fish Fry during lent. Winner will be drawn at home and school fish fry on March 31st.

APPOINTMENTS

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

Saturday, April 15 4:00 p.m. Mass

Readers: Beverly Miller, Madeline Ceselski

Servers: Blake Landoll, Carly Landoll

E.M.: Richard Ceselski

Ushers: Doug Sloan, Michael Sloan, Tom Cahalan, Tommy Cahalan

Sunday, April 16 8:30 a.m. Mass

Readers: 1st Communion Children

Servers: Molly O'Hara, Hadley Barchak

E.M.: Rachelle Brown, Mellanie Carder (Choir)

Ushers: Levi Cooper, Jesse Cooper, Dereck Washam, Rick Washam

A PRAYER FOR OUR COUNTRY

Almighty God, bless our nation and make it true to the ideas of freedom and justice and brotherhood for all who make it great.

Guard us from war, from fore and wind, from compromise, fear, confusion.

Be close to our president and our statesmen: give them vision and courage, as they ponder decisions affecting peace and the future of the world.

Make me more deeply aware of my heritage: realizing not only my rights but also my duties and responsibilities as a citizen.

Make this great land and all its people know clearly Your will, that they may fulfill the destiny ordained for us in the salvation of the nations, and the restoring of all things in Christ. Amen.

**HAPPY
EASTER!!**