

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

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March 3, 2024 Third Sunday of Lent

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SCHEDULE OF MASSES FOR MARCH 2 - MARCH 10

ST. MARY'S

Saturday	4:00 p.m.	St. Mary's Parish Family
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	+Dwight Severs Birthday Remembrance
Monday	8:15 a.m.	Rosary & Communion Service
Wednesday	8:15 a.m.	Justice and Peace
	7:30 p.m.	Special Intentions L.W.
Friday	8:15 a.m.	+Poor Souls in Purgatory
Saturday	4:00 p.m.	+Terry Campbell
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	+Jim & Carolyn Witt

ST. AGNES

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

EVENTS OF THE WEEK:

Monday, March 4

Wednesday, March 6

8:15 a.m. Rosary & Communion Service

8:15 a.m. Mass.

PSR Classes from 6:15 p.m. to 7:15 p.m. All children K-12th.

All adults are welcome to join the adult faith formation group on Wednesday nights from 6:15- 7:15pm in the St. Mary's School computer lab. We will be starting an exciting new series called "My Father's Father" with Fr. Dave Pivonka. We concluded our study on Jesus and the Eucharist with great benefit for all who were able to attend. We hope to see you there!

7:30 p.m. Mass

Knights of Columbus Meeting at 8:00 p.m. in the C.R

Lenten Penance Service at Shell Knob at 1:00 p.m.

8:15 a.m. Mass

Day of Abstinence

Fish Fry 5-7 p.m. Adults \$10 Kids \$5 (6-12) 5 & under Free. Dine in or carry out. Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus

Stations of the Cross at 7:00 p.m. Lead by Volunteer

St. Mary's All School Mass

Fellowship Gathering after Mass

Day Light Saving Time Begins

Special Collection for catholic Relief Services

Fellowship Gathering after Mass

Lenten Penance Service St. Mary's at 4 p.m.

Thursday, March 7

Friday, March 8

Saturday, March 9

Sunday, March 10

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Monday, March 11

Wednesday, March 13

8:15 a.m. Rosary & Communion Service

8:15 a.m. Mass.

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Lenten Penance Service at Mt. Vernon at 6:00 p.m.

Lenten Penance Service at St. Agnes at 6:30 p.m.

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Lenten Penance Service at St. Joseph at 4:00 p.m.

Thursday, March 14

Friday, March 15

Sunday, March 17

OUR GIFT TO GOD LAST WEEK: Collection Counters in March:

Our weekly budget is \$7,800.00

Last Week's Collection: \$3061.00

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.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS: Regina (Jasumback) Jung, Maura Sparks, Loretta Graskemper, Gus Fenske, Melissa (Campbell) Culp, Pat Kaiser, Judy (Conley) Litril, Erin (Gasser) Carnes, Mary Catherine Miller, Brenda (Wroblewski) Buchanan, Melissa Cahalan, Andrea Kristek, and all the sick and shut-ins of our parish.

COME EVERYONE TO OUR 2ND (FELLOWSHIP GATHERING) sponsored by our Pastoral Outreach Committee.
March 9th after 4:00 mass & March 10 after the 8:30 mass!

****Such a lovely time to spend quality time with fellow parishioners, making our church a welcoming place to learn about Christ and become closer to him.

Giving to others through action or words is always the driving purpose of church and community!

Hope to See you there!!!

**The Parish Pastoral Council has completed the 1st Draft of our Parish Pastoral Plan. Please join us at our monthly Fellowship Gatherings after mass to hear about the plan, answer questions, and discuss opportunities to become more involved in the mass and parish.

THE OVER 65 DINNER will be held on Sunday, March 24, 2024. This dinner will be held in the cafeteria/gym. There is a sign-up sheet in the back of church. You may also sign up by calling Patty Osterloh at 540-4182 or Bonnie Parrigon at 489-3866. The deadline for signing up is March 17, 2024. For those who are shut-ins your dinner can be delivered. Please indicate when you sign up by writing deliver by your name. We hope to see you March 24th. Everyone's favorite game of bingo will be played.

PCCW: Our annual Spring Assembly will be held in Cape Girardeau on April 19-20, 2024. The charity we are collecting items for is Lifehouse, a crisis maternity house. Following is a list of items needed. If you care to donate please leave items in the back of church marked PCCW Lifehouse. All items fall under Baby Care. Items needed include: baby wipes, bibs, bottles, bottle brushes, bottle drying stations, diapers, diaper rash cream, formula, infant nail kits, infant sleepers, lotion, nasal aspirators, onesies, pacifiers, shampoo, sheets for toddler beds and pack-n-plays, and sleepers. Gift cards are also accepted. Thank you. We will collect items until the end of March.

NOTES FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK:

We would like to congratulate all of our St. Mary's basketball teams for their efforts and growth this year. Each team made great progress throughout the season. A special Congratulations goes out to the 3rd-4th grade girls team who won the Championship last weekend! Monday we had a parent vs player game and a lot of fun to celebrate our seasons. Our next sporting venture begins this coming week as we start practice with the St. Mary's track team.

APPOINTMENTS

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

Saturday, March 9 4:00 p.m. Mass

Readers: St. Mary's School Children

Servers: St. Mary's School Children

E.M.: St. Mary's School Families

Ushers: St. Mary's School Children

Sunday, March 10 8:30 a.m. Mass

Readers: Deidre Brown, Mellanie Carder

Servers: Charlie Jones, Layla Jones

E.M.: Joe Crowell, Denise Crowell, Dale Jasumback, Jerri Jasumback (Choir)

Ushers: Dale Jasumback, Levi Cooper, Rex Cooper, Jesse Cooper