

Please remember in your prayers those who are ill: Father Stan Benecki, Richard Justus, Frank Fusca, Rosie Crego, Jim Shroyer, John Holoher, Deacon Rick Martin, Mary Margaret Gerlach, Pat Foley, Marianne Martin, Debbie Green Bryant, John Davis, Doris Fahrenbach, John Fahrenbach, Roger Wright, Nancy Finneran, Marilyn Greene, Christine Money, Barbara (Rhodes) Dillon, Ann Shroyer, Albert Scarpitti, Joni Dray, Janice Holtschulte, Lew Lindner, Maggie Cosgrove, Patsy Davis, Kenny Quinn, Mildred & Marlene Parsley, Tom & Helen Moore, Nichola Storey, Don & Rita Schooley, Mary Jo & Shannon Patke, Amy Manning, William Foley, Kathy Maxwell, Thomas Knight, Sue Keeler, Elizabeth Guy, Alan Wiseman, Ken Miller, Joann Colopy, Pam Moine, Dotty Kelly, Marge Foley, Nick Hayes, Marge Casey, Gene Catlett & Michelle Martin.

Please remember in your prayers those who have died, especially: Our parishioner Mary Saylor, and Robert Pusecker (father of our parishioner and school Secretary, Lisa Fulcher). May God grant peace and comfort to their families!

From the pastor...

Good news! He who was dead has risen.

Jesus Christ, the Son of God, obedient until death, our Lord and Savior, our high Priest, sits at the right hand of the Father to forever intercede for us.

Added to the Lord at the Easter Vigil through Baptism, Confirmation, and First Eucharist are Christopher Akers, Noah Hamilton-Foughty, and Shannon Seymore. Praise be to the Lord Jesus Christ.

Also joining our number through Profession of Faith, Confirmation, and First Eucharist is Joanna Hamilton. Thanks be to God.

We thank God for them and for their sponsors and their catechists.

Thanks, too, to those who contributed to our liturgies: the musicians, servers, readers, extraordinary ministers of the Eucharist, and ushers. And thanks to the Liturgy Committee who planned the season; to the scouts who prepared the Easter fire; to those who cleaned, prepared, and decorated our worship space; to those who provided the symbolic bread for Holy Thursday and who donated flowers for the church.

May all have a very blessed Easter, today, tomorrow, and throughout the Easter season.

Christ is risen! He is risen indeed!

Christos anesti! Alithos anesti!

Christos Voskrese! Voistinu Voskrese!

Christus Surrexit! Surrexit vere!

Cristo è risorto! È veramente risorto!

Le Christ est ressuscité! Vraiment Il est ressuscité!

Cristo ha resucitado! Verdaderamente, ha resucitado!

Christus ist auferstanden! Er ist wahrhaftig auferstanden!

LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

Saturday, March 31 –

Easter Vigil of the Resurrection of the Lord

No 4:00 p.m. Mass

8:30 p.m. Intention of the Celebrant

Sunday, April 1 –

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

9:00 a.m. Intention of the Celebrant

11:00 a.m. For the Living & Deceased Members of St. Mary Magdalene Parish

Monday, April 2 – Monday within the Octave of Easter

8:15 a.m. Hal McClaine – Nancy Birtcher

No 7:00 p.m. Mass

Tuesday, April 3 – Tuesday within the Octave of Easter

8:15 a.m. Albert Scales – Stephanie, Kim, Amy, Dianna & Marjorie

Thursday, April 5 – Thursday within the Octave of Easter

8:15 a.m. Brooke Thompson – Sue & Ron Thompson

Friday, April 6 – Friday within the Octave of Easter

8:15 a.m. Donato Grilli – Fred & Betty Kletrovets

Saturday, April 7 –

Vigil: Second Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy)

4:00 p.m. Bea Elgin – Kevin R. Elgin

Sunday, April 8 – Second Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy)

9:00 a.m. Special Intention of Dobias Family – Montgomery Family

11:00 a.m. For the Living and Deceased Members of St. Mary Magdalene Parish

Liturgical Ministers Schedules

Servers for Weekday, April 2-6

Paul Martello, Wilmer Pacheco, Luis Villgran Abarca

Saturday, April 7 – 4:00 p.m.

Servers: Need volunteers

Readers: Roberta Lindner, Danny Hamilton

Greeters: Gloria Angelo, Tony Swaneck, Ken Miller

Eucharistic Ministers: * John & Shelley Hamilton, Gloria Angelo, Tamara Francone

Sunday, April 8 – 9:00 a.m.

Servers: Cade, Cael, Cullen, Conlan Dent

Readers: Pat Foley, Carole Marsh

Greeters: Rick Schirtzinger, David Creighton, Patrick Stumpp, David Doane

Eucharistic Ministers: *Greg Smith, Cade Dent, Brian Montgomery, Dick RAmmel, Jan Ries, Davis & Jamie Doane, Kathy Puccetti, Jim Stumpp

Sunday, April 8 – 11:00 a.m.

Servers: Tony Puccetti, Wesley Rowe

Readers: Charles Rowe, Nancy Smith

Greeters: Joe Regan, Charles Rowe, Joanne Davis

Eucharistic Ministers: * Joe Regan, Karin Carrier, Jack & Nancy Smith, Paul & Tony Puccetti, Andrew & Charles Rowe, need volunteer

Servers for Weekday, April 9-13

Allison Perez Santamaria, Wesley Rowe,

Brillante Baires Flores

Counters: Martindale, Hammonds, Bricker

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Sunday, April 1

No Bible Study
 No Coffee & Donuts
 Food Pantry Sunday

Wednesday, April 4

7:30 p.m. Adult Choir

Thursday, April 5

No ESL
 No PREP

Friday, April 6

First Friday – Communion to Our Shut-ins

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| Parish and School Expense (net of tuition and cost reimbursement) | March 17 & 18 \$6,516.00 |
| Regular Sunday Collection – Number of Envelopes: <u>97</u> | \$4,459.00 |
| Online Giving | \$----- |
| Children Sunday Collection – Number of Envelopes: <u>8</u> | \$ 7.00 |
| Other Parish Income | \$ 88.00 |
| Net | -\$1,962.00 |
| Net Month-to-date | -\$ 91.00 |
| Net Fiscal Year 2017-2018-to-date | +\$7,218.00 |

SMM FOOD PANTRY – The next collection for the SMM Food Pantry is Easter weekend, March 31 and April 1. The Pantry needs the following items: pork & beans, canned tuna, mac & cheese, ravioli, peanut butter, jelly, mustard, catsup, salt and pepper. Thanks to each of you for your support of our Food Pantry. A Blessed Easter to each of you.

Message from Terrie Wurst... I am having knee replacement on April 9th (prayers would be appreciated). While I am off, Cindy Oddi will be doing the bulletin. Please send requested bulletin items by Monday morning; she will do the bulletin on Monday afternoons. Still send to twurst@saintmarymag.org. She will be checking there. Any questions, call me 614-274-1121.

Congratulations to St. Mary Magdalene’s Conlan Dent, who won The Knights of Columbus State free-throw Championship in the 11-year-old Boys division. On March 17th, Conlan was representing our SMM K of C Council 13581. He defeated competition from the Diocese of Cleveland, Toledo, Cincinnati, Youngstown, and Steubenville.

Come Discover a Deeper Relationship with the Holy Spirit! The Wild Goose is Loose – Wednesdays: April 11, 18, 25, May 2, 6:30-8:30 p.m., at St. Elizabeth Catholic Church, 6077 Sharon Woods Boulevard, Columbus, OH 43229. To register, go to <http://www.ccrccolumbus.org> or call 614-500-8178. Childcare will be available upon request.

For more information, contact Dan Canlas at 614-989-7890; Ruth Shaner at 614-882-7387 or 740-507-6123. This seminar is sponsored by the Columbus Catholic Renewal and hosted by Loaves and Fishes Prayer Group. Bring a friend and share the blessings you will receive in this seminar!

Next Sunday’s Readings

Acts of the Apostles 4:32-35
 I John 5:1-6
 John 20:19-31

Divine Mercy Sunday

On Sunday, April 8, St. Aloysius Parish will celebrate

Divine Mercy Sunday.

3:00 p.m. –

Chaplet of Divine Mercy

3:20 p.m. –

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament ~ Confessions

The Saint Mary Magdalene Yard Sale will take place on Saturday, June 23rd, the same day as the Westgate neighborhood Garage Sales and the Historic Hilltop Bean Dinner at Westgate Park. Please gather your gently used household goods, furniture, tools, toys, baby and toddler items, bicycles, small kitchen appliances and holiday decorations to donate to our sale. (No clothing, please.) Look for future bulletin articles for details about donation drop-offs and volunteer opportunities. For more information, please contact Jack and Nancy Smith at (614) 871-3248.

Movers and Drivers Needed – As you may already know, the parish has rented a storage unit so that we may accept donations of furniture and other large items prior to our June 23rd SMM Yard Sale. Because we anticipate many more such large-scale donations, we would like to increase our pool of volunteers who we call to pick up the items. If you would be willing to help us with future furniture donation moving days (and perhaps have a pick-up truck as well!), we would be happy to add you to our list and call when the need arises. Anyone interested, please call Jack and Nancy Smith at (614) 871-3248.

Our Knights of Columbus Council 13581 will again be selling their annual Super Cash BONANZA tickets at the doors of church on Sunday, April 8th. Tickets are only \$5.00. Cash or checks made payable to SMM K of C will gladly be accepted. Drawing will be held on May 19th. Cash prizes totaling over \$108,000.00 will be awarded to 25 ticket holders! We need everyone’s help buying and selling tickets to reach our Council’s goal of 400 tickets sold. If you have tickets, you have bought or sold, please turn them in at this sale or before that to any Council member or the Church Office. Thanks for your support.

Catholic Men’s Luncheon Club Event – Friday will feature a talk about the ARCH (Accompanying Returning Citizens with Hope) Ministry by Jerry Freewalt, Diocese Director for Parish Social Concerns Ministry and Rural Life. The luncheon is sponsored by the Catholic Laymen’s Retreat League. Please join us Friday, April 6, at St. Patrick Church, Columbus. Mass begins at 11:45 a.m., followed by lunch and the presentation by Mr. Freewalt. No reservations are necessary. \$10.00 covers the lunch and meeting. Bring a friend! For information on Catholic Men’s Luncheons, visit www.catholicmensministry.com/cmlc or contact George Harvey, CMLC President, at GLHarvey56@gmail.com.

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