

Please remember in your prayers those who are ill:

Father Stan Benecki, Terrie Wurst, Mary Margaret Gerlach, Marion Morrison, Richard Justus, Frank Fusca, Rosie Crego, Jim Shroyer, John Holoher, Deacon Rick Martin, 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, 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.

BANNS OF MARRIAGE: Greg Toczec and Alyssa Zag (SMM), May 26 at 1:30 p.m. Please pray for the happy married life of the couple!

From the pastor...

I hope you are enjoying the bright lights in the Church Hall and in the church itself. It is so easy to read at Mass now, that I may even postpone cataract surgery! We are grateful to all who contributed through legacies and donations. However, you may not be aware that the Mechanical Rooms, the Electric Distribution Room, the Boiler Room, the staircases, and the elevator lobbies are also now bright. This is thanks to a \$4,000.00 grant from the Catholic Foundation, the same ones who paid for the industrial sump pumps in the outside stairwells. The Foundation has been continuously generous to our parish, and to our school as well. Over the years, they have paid for roofs, security systems, and other maintenance expenses. Along with the parish grant for lighting, they awarded us about the same amount for plastering in the school. Unfortunately, that project is delayed until we get metal covers on the parapets of SMM Hall. The Foundation has always been there for us.

While Terrie is out, please call ahead before coming to the office to make sure Carol is here. Office hours are Monday-Friday, 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. You can always call and leave a voice mail, which is checked throughout the day. **Reminder to send bulletin articles by Monday.** Cindy Oddi will do the bulletin on Monday afternoons.

Next Sunday's Readings

Deuteronomy 4:32-34, 39-40

Romans 8:14-17

Matthew 28:16-20

LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS**Saturday, May 19 – Vigil: Pentecost**

4:00 p.m. Albert Scales – Mary Smith

Sunday, May 20 – Pentecost

9:00 a.m. Delores Harrison – Bea & Greg Smith

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

Monday, May 21 –**St. Christopher Magallanes & Companions**

8:15 a.m. Joe Bennett – K of C #13581

7:00 p.m. One year Anniversary of Death (5-19-17)
Jim Steger**Tuesday, May 22 – St. Rita of Cascia**

8:15 a.m. Eugene Jaquay – The Francis Family

Thursday, May 24 – Weekday

8:15 a.m. Ronald Dembinski – Lana Smith

Friday, May 25 – St. Bede the Venerable

8:15 a.m. Ethel Fitzer – Dan & Steve Fitzer

Saturday, May 26 – Vigil: The Most Holy Trinity

1:30 p.m. Toczec–Zag Wedding

4:00 p.m. Joann Swaneck – Tony Swaneck

Sunday, May 27 – The Most Holy Trinity

9:00 a.m. Jane Mitchell – Delores Quinn

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

Liturgical Ministers Schedules**Servers for Weekday, May 21-25**Paul Martello, **Need Volunteer.****Saturday, May 26 – 4:00 p.m.**Servers: Gabby & Cheyenne BlackburnReaders: Sue Carrova, Julia BrickerGreeters: Tony Swaneck, Elaine Bennett, Bobbi LindnerEucharistic Ministers: *Gloria Angelo, Rocco Fumi,
Gabby Blackburn, Ken Miller, Sue Thompson**Sunday, May 27 – 9:00 a.m.**Servers: Lauren Wright, Dominic & Mary TokarReaders: Paula Tokar, Linda HenryGreeters: Rick Schirtzinger, David Creighton,
Patrick Stumpp, David DoaneEucharistic Ministers: *Bruce Tokar, Julius Palazzo,
Dominic Tokar, Janet & Rick Schirtzinger,
Julie & Racey Morris, Karen Harrison**Sunday, May 27 – 11:00 a.m.**Servers: Mila Gerardi, Michael BushReaders: Rose Hamilton, Paul PuccettiGreeters: Joe Regan, Julie MarmonEucharistic Ministers: *Ron Sexton, Dee Sexton,
Alice Carrier, Leonard Shroyer, Brian Regan,
Diana Wright, Diane Puccetti, David Rose,
Need Volunteer**Servers for Weekday, May 28-June 1**

Wesley Rowe, Amy Vanegas

Counters: Regans & Schirtzingers

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Sunday, May 20

- Baptism Instructions
- Bible Study
- Yard Sale Meeting after 11:00 a.m. Mass
- 7:00 p.m. Committee Meeting for
Father's Retirement Party at
Bishop Campbell Hall

Tuesday, May 22

- 7:00 p.m. K of C

Wednesday, May 23

- 9:00 a.m. School Awards Assembly
- 7:30 p.m. Adult Choir

Thursday, May 24

- 6:00-8:00 p.m. Last ESL

Parish and School Expense	May 12-13
(net of tuition and cost reimbursement)	\$ 6,516.00
Regular Sunday Collection –	
Number of Envelopes: <u>102</u>	\$ 4,203.00
Online Giving	\$ 3,869.00
Children Sunday Collection –	
Number of Envelopes: <u>8</u>	\$ 9.00
Other Parish Income	\$ 76.00
Net	+\$ 1,641.00
Net Month-to-date	+\$ 1,020.00
Net Fiscal Year 2017-2018-to-date	+\$ 7,967.00

THANK YOU!

BAA: We are off to a good start toward our parish goal of \$41,178.45. Thank you to those who have already made their pledge or one time gift. To date we have 36 pledges for \$9,836.00. If you have not yet made your gift to this year's appeal, please consider doing so in the days ahead. Please pray for the success of the Appeal and remember no amount of giving is too small. Also, remember that any amount received over the target amount will be returned to the parish.

Accepting Yard Sale Donations in June! The Saint Mary Magdalene Yard Sale is a little over a month away, on Saturday, June 30th, the same day as the Westgate neighborhood garage sales and the Bean Dinner at Westgate Park. Please continue to gather your gently used household goods, furniture, tools, toys, baby items, small kitchen appliances and holiday decorations to donate to our sale. (No clothing, linens or children's car seats, please.) *Especially desired items are power and hand tools, furniture, Little Tikes & Fisher Price toys, bikes, Legos, Lincoln Logs, washers/dryers, small kitchen appliances, Corelle dishes, Pyrex and Corning products.* We will begin accepting these items before and after all weekend Masses in June. There will also be lots of volunteer opportunities for people of all ages, interests and skill levels. For more information, please contact Jack and Nancy Smith at (614) 871-3248.

BIMONTHLY MASS OF HEALING – MAY 21, 6:30 P.M.,

SAINT JOSEPH CATHEDRAL. During this Marian month of May the Mass of "Mary, Health of the Sick" will be celebrated as the bimonthly Mass of Healing and Healing Service at Saint Joseph Cathedral. Following the Mass, the Healing Service will begin with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Veneration of relics of the True Cross. Each person then will then have an opportunity to speak individually with one of several priests present to discuss their particular situation and receive a prayer of healing; the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick will also be available. The Healing Service will conclude with Benediction. All persons who seek Christ's healing are invited – especially those who suffer with physical illness and infirmities (e.g. cancer and other debilitating diseases and conditions), in addition to those in seek emotional and spiritual healing. All caregivers, family members, and members of the medical community are invited as well. Bimonthly Healing Masses take place at the Cathedral on the third Monday of the month; during the remainder of 2018 Masses are scheduled for: July 16, September 17, and November 19. Secured parking is available off East Gay Street; handicap elevator access to the Cathedral is located off the Broad Street Courtyard. Saint Joseph Cathedral is located at 212 East Broad Street; for more information call (614) 224-1295.

Summer baseball-softball forms are due in by May 25. There are some forms at entrances to church.

St. Aloysius, the Church on the Hilltop, 2165 W. Broad Street, announces a coming program of guest speakers. On May 20th at 1:30 p.m., our guest will be Sarah Reinhart. Sarah is a regular columnist for the *Catholic Times*, a Blogger on Catholic Motherhood, an author and editor of several books. She will speak about her devotion to the Blessed Mother. On June 24th, Patrick Madrid, noted Catholic Apologist and author, will speak on reaching out to fallen away Catholics and those with questions about the faith.

Western Irish Players is currently accepting applications for football coaches for the 2018 fall football season. Those interested in coaching should contact St. Cecilia Athletic Director Bob Kapala at rka1375@gmail.com or Our Lady of Perpetual Help Athletic Director Rich Green at richard.c.green.1977@gmail.com. We are also looking to for a Head Coach and Assistant Coaches to build for our incoming 4th grade class.

THIS WEEKEND

- Baptisms
- Bible Study
- Yard Sale Meeting
- Committee Meeting for Fr. Stan's Retirement Party