

Sunday, May 5th – The Third Sunday of Easter

9am Mass: open intention

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Readings: Acts 5:27-32, 40-41, Revelation 5:11-14, John 21:1-19

Lector – *Natalie Soltysiak*

Greeters – *Jeanette Chambers & Barbara Bogzevitz*

Collectors – *Pete Moritz & Pete O'Connor*

- Coffee Hour & SOCL takes place after 9am Mass
- No Benediction/Exposition today (attend May Devotions for them)
- Love of God Sodality Meets after 9am mass
- 2pm – Polish Parade – see announcement

The Week Ahead

MONDAY, May 6th

9am: Holy Mass of the Day

7pm: Polish Language Class

TUESDAY, May 7th

7pm: Polish Genealogical Society Meets – all are welcomes

WEDNESDAY, May 8th

5:30pm: Bible Study begins promptly at 5:30

7pm: May Devotions (Polish) to the Blessed Virgin Mary

THURSDAY, May 9th

Noon: Holy Mass of the Day

7pm – Women's AA Meets

FRIDAY, May 10th

9am: Holy Mass of the

6pm: Polish School Meets

SATURDAY, May 11th

8-9pm – Parma Saturday Meets

SUNDAY, May 12th – Good Shepherd Sunday- 4th Sunday of Easter

9am Mass ONLY: Confirmation Holy Mass

Readings: Acts 13:14,43-52, Revelation 7:9,14-17, John 10:27-30

Lector – *Bruce Bogzevitz*

Greeters – *Mary Ann Kasperczyk & Claire Hunek*

Collectors – *Bob Samelson & Gene Stepanik*

- Sacrament of Confirmation bestowed at 9am Mass
- Breakfast to honor Mothers and Confirmands follows Mass

Announcements

EASTER – The Easter Season begins with the Resurrection of Jesus on Easter Sunday and lasts 50 days, until the day of Pentecost, this year on June 4. The length of the celebration reminds us of the importance of this season and the importance of the Resurrection event in the story of our salvation. Please keep your Easter spirit strong over these next few weeks, as we remain standing throughout the Eucharistic Prayer of the Mass, as we add extra “alleluias” throughout the liturgy, and as our lilies and Easter decorations stand out in our church proper.

POLISH PARADE – The parade for Polish Constitution Day is today, and our delegation from St. Mary's will be marching. If you (and your canine friends) are interested in marching with the group of our parishioners and friends, please see JoAnn Long.

CANON/EUCHARISTIC PRAYER – Today, and for the entire month of May, we use the 1st Eucharistic Prayer on page 77.

MAY DEVOTIONS – May Devotions to the Blessed Virgin Mary will be celebrated each Wednesday in May. Please consider attending these Eucharistic Devotions in honor of the Blessed Mother, patroness of our Parish. It is an opportunity to see one of the unique liturgies of the church: Litany, Exposition, a short procession, all in about 30 minutes.

AVAILABLE – As was announced at last week's Potluck – there are 3 freezers available and one commercial double-door refrigerator. These units have been in our downstairs hall and are no longer needed now with our addition of the walk-in units. Please see 1st Vice Chair Steve Fesz if interested or if you have any questions/would like to reserve.

CONFIRMATION – The Sacrament of Confirmation takes place next Sunday, May 12. There is only one Mass that morning at 9am. As it is Mother's Day, the breakfast/brunch afterward will honor all women of the parish as well as our confirmands. Very Rev. Jerry Rafalko serves as

Prime Bishop's emissary for the Sacrament.

POLKA EVENT – Sunday, May 19, we are hosting a springtime Polka event, featuring “Those Guys”. Doors open at 1pm, with music from 2-6pm. Admission is \$11, with a cash bar and light fare available to eat. For info, call Mary Ann 216-409-4254.

MEN'S RETREAT – The Men's Retreat takes place May 16-18 at Spojnia Farm in Waymart, PA. The theme this year is “Defeating Evil in Your Life: Finding

UPCOMING

May 12 – Mother's Day
May 12 – Confirmation Day
May 16-18 – Men's Retreat
May 19 – Closing of SOCL
May 19 – Walker's Baptism
May 19 – Polka Dance!
May 20 – Parish Comm. Meets
May 22 – Next Bible Study
June 5 – Next Food Ministry
June 7-9 – Bowling Tourney
June 23 – Semi-Annual Meeting
July 4-13 – Kurs Encampment

Truth.” The cost is \$100 per person and covers food, room, & board. Transportation is provided –see Fr. Jason if interested or grab a packet.

NURSERY HELP – As the calendar is changing towards summer, we are looking for help and input on how to staff the nursery room during 9am Mass on Sundays. We are asking for adult volunteers to help out the mothers on a weekly basis – see Fr. Jason if interested.

FOOD MINISTRY – Thank you to all who donated some time to serve this past week’s monthly Food Ministry. Over 70 meals were served.

Prayer List

Please pray for these St. Mary’s parishioners:

Barbara Baranowski	Patti Dotson	John Spilka
Bill & Joan Kastak	Marty Bengela	Ralph & June Zaun
Johanna Markiewicz	Anna Dawidziuk	Barb Bogzevitz
Bill & Pat Glatzer	Mary Ann Loschelder	Tom Petrie
Helen Budney	Polly Gajda	Len Pryer
Chester & Ann Warzala	Tom Putynski	Louise Cygan
Craig Atherton	Millie Dominik	Amy Dreger
Jack Spilka	Elizabeth Starnawski	Elaine Repede
Marlane Oleniacz		

Please pray for family and friends of St. Mary’s:

Wanda Clark	Beth Chihill	Keith Reynolds
Helen Cummings	Jane Hunter	Paul S.
Jay Grabowsky	Pam Chesar	Rose Petrosky
Donna Kidd	Emma Freshwater	Jennifer Kmitt
Laina Dachtal	Anthony Soltysiak	Paulette Lilli
Cherise Pacanovsky	Bp. John Swantek	Cecelia Hall
Charlotte Williamson	Fr. Gus Sicard	Chris Minch
Bob Phipps	Edna Samelson	Daniel Morgan
Wanda Heffner	Bryson Dzuoff	Ricky Koehler
Rich Dombrowski	Linda Duffy	Diane Black
Sylvia Kowalski	John Michalczyk	Courtney Austin
Sharon Seitz	Caroline O’Connor	Barbara Thome
Marcus Vaughn Jr.	Marilyn Girard	Jennifer Kless
Stephanie Milla	John Clark Sr.	Mary Cawley
George & Linda Makovicka	Shannon Alberino	Bill Hinton
Loretta Baldwin	Julia Badarzynski	Kate Stallbaum
Jim Giles	Michael McGivern	

ALL WHO ARE IN NURSING HOMES OR ASSISTED LIVING

ALL ACTIVE & RETIRED CLERGY NEEDING HEALING

ALL SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN AROUND THE WORLD

Bless them, O Lord.

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The 3rd Sunday of Easter



May 5, 2019

WELCOME! We are so thankful for you to be with us today in worship of our Lord and God and His gift of His Son, Jesus Christ. St. Mary’s offers Mass to the Glory of God, the priest together with the congregation. God bless you, and may your worship be reverent this day.