

## Sunday, April 7<sup>th</sup>- Passion Sunday- 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Lent

9am Mass: *Rose, Walter, & Edward Franczak of. by John Spilka*

11am Polish Mass: *Open Intention*

*Readings: Isaiah 43:16-21, Philippians 3:8-14, John 8:1-11*

**Lector – Bruce Bogzevitz**

**Greeters – Maryann Kasperczyk & Claire Hunek**

**Collectors – Pete O’Connor & Greg Hodor**

- Penitential Devotions begin each Holy Mass
- Coffee Hour, SOCL & Sodality meeting take place after 9am Mass
- 3pm – Bowling at Red Circle

### *The Week Ahead*

#### **MONDAY, April 8<sup>th</sup>**

9am: Holy Mass of the Day

7pm: Polish Language Class

#### **TUESDAY, April 9<sup>th</sup>**

#### **WEDNESDAY, April 10<sup>th</sup>**

6pm: Bible Study begins with soup, bread, & dessert

#### **THURSDAY, April 11<sup>th</sup>**

Noon: Holy Mass of the Day

7pm – Women’s AA Meets

#### **FRIDAY, April 12<sup>th</sup>**

9am: Holy Mass of the Day

6pm: Bitter/Sorrowful Lamentations

6pm: Polish School begins

#### **SATURDAY, April 13<sup>th</sup>**

9am – Kielbasa Making begins

8pm – Parma Saturday meets

#### **SUNDAY, April 14<sup>th</sup> – Palm Sunday - The Sixth Sunday in Lent**

9am Mass: *Gene Mora (1<sup>st</sup> Anv.) of. by daughter Cherie Kugler*

11am Polish Mass: *Open Intention*

*Readings: Isaiah 50:4-7, Philippians 2:6-11, Passion according to Luke*

**Lector – Bob Samelson**

**Greeters – Rose Kronen & Martha Repede**

**Collectors – Pete Moritz & Bob Samelson**

- The Liturgy of the Palms takes place at 9am Mass
- BAKE SALE, Coffee Hour & SOCL take place after 9am Mass

- Parish Committee Meets after 11am Holy Mass

- 3pm – Bowling at Red Circle

### ***Announcements***

**BAKERS NEEDED!** – There will be our famous Palm Sunday bake sale next Sunday, April 14<sup>th</sup> – Bakers across the parish: please consider bringing in your top-of-the-line stuff to support the work of the church!

**PASSIONTIDE** – Passiontide begins today, the last two weeks before Easter. It commemorates the solemn turn the church takes in the Lenten Season as Christ prepares for the Passion. You’ll notice the crucifixes in church are covered, that the organ is muted at times, and that “Lord for us, your wounds were suffered” replaces “Glory be to the Father...”

**KIELBASA** – A kind reminder that Kielbasa making takes place on April 13<sup>th</sup>. Please get your orders into Chris Paulus.

**LENTEN DEVOTIONS** – Take place Friday evenings at 6:00pm. They are rotated between Stations of the Cross and the Sorrowful (Bitter) Lamentations. Please consider joining us for these short devotions.

**EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER** – Today, and for the entire month of April, we will use the 5<sup>th</sup> Eucharistic Prayer found on page 92.

**RESTAURANT FUNDRAISER** – Flyers for our next restaurant fundraiser are available near the parish mailboxes. They also are part of the newsletter mailing. The event takes place Tuesday, April 23 at the Parma Hts. Bakers Square from 7am-10pm: the perfect array of hours to eat twice! 20% of your check will return to St. Mary’s.

**PICK A NUMBER!** – This is serving to be the near “last call” for the Pick-a-Number fundraiser. There are a dwindling number of envelopes left, so please take advantage of this! A reminder: every envelope is a donation; a donation that has a chance to win something, from gift cards to scratch-off lottery tickets. Also – there are 4 envelopes out that have not been returned – please do so or let us know if you lost it!

#### **UPCOMING**

Apr 21 – Easter Sunday  
Apr 23–Baker’s Square fundraiser  
Apr 24 – Next Bible Study  
Apr 27- Hall Rental  
Apr 28 – Easter Potluck  
Apr 28 – Next bowling day  
May 12 – Mother’s Day  
May 19 – Polka Dance!  
May 16-18 – Men’s Retreat  
June 7-9 – Bowling Tourney  
June 23 – Semi-Annual Meeting  
July 4-13 – Kurs Encampment

**SODALITY** – In accord with practices across the PNCC, you’ll notice members of the Love of God Sodality approach the front pews at every Mass– this falls in line with the Sodality’s devotion to the presence of the Blessed Sacrament – the timing of the lighting of their candles coincides with the presence of Jesus Christ at Mass.

**FOOD COLLECTION** – Thanks to everyone who has donated– Items will be

brought to the Parma Hunger Center this coming week.

**READING OF THE PASSION** – A reminder that next week, we hear the Passion Account from St. Luke’s Gospel. This long, emotional gospel sets up Holy Week, and leaves no room for a homily.

**CHILDREN IN PROCESSION** –We ask that you allow your children to process in the processions of Palm Sunday (9am Mass) and Easter Sunday (7am Mass). We also ask children to be present for the service on Good Friday at 3pm

### 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 Kazinetz Jr.
Jay Grabowsky	Pam Chesar	Rose Petrosky
Donna Kidd	Emma Freshwater	Jennifer Knitt
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 Dzurhoff	Ricky Koehler
Jeremy Steinbrick	Rich Dombrowski	Linda Duffy
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
Paul S.	Michael McGivern	Diane Black

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.**

**Poblogoslaw im, O Boze**

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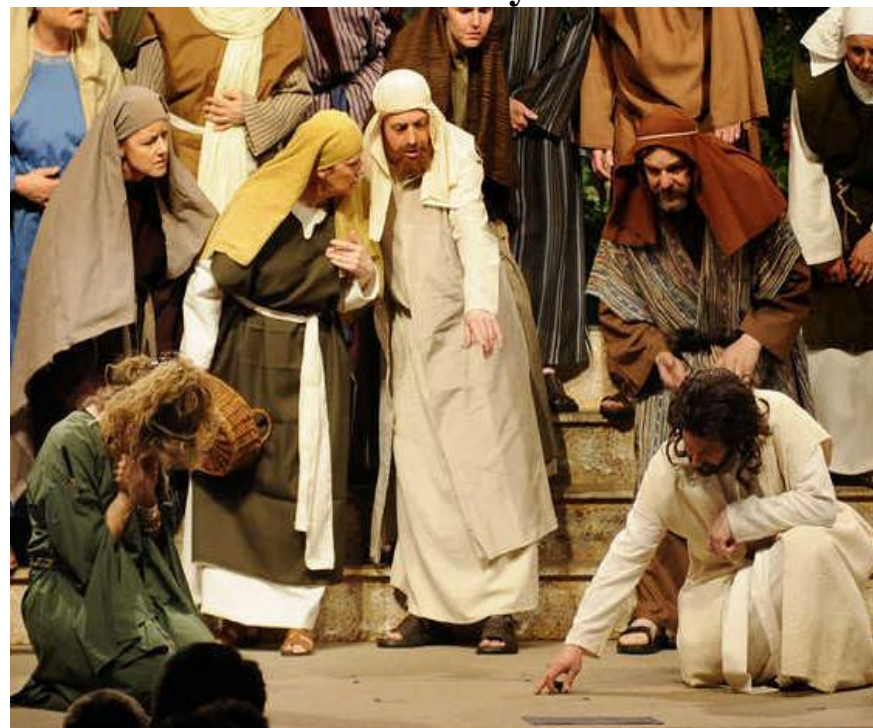
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Passion Sunday

The Fifth Sunday in Lent



April 7, 2019

**WELCOME!**-You are heartily welcomed to St. Mary’s today! Be it your first time here to worship with us or your 1000<sup>th</sup> time, we are blessed by your presence. If you believe in the True Presence of the Body & Blood of Christ in the Eucharist, please come forth to receive Communion with the congregation. Please join us after 9am Mass for refreshment in our Fellowship Hall.