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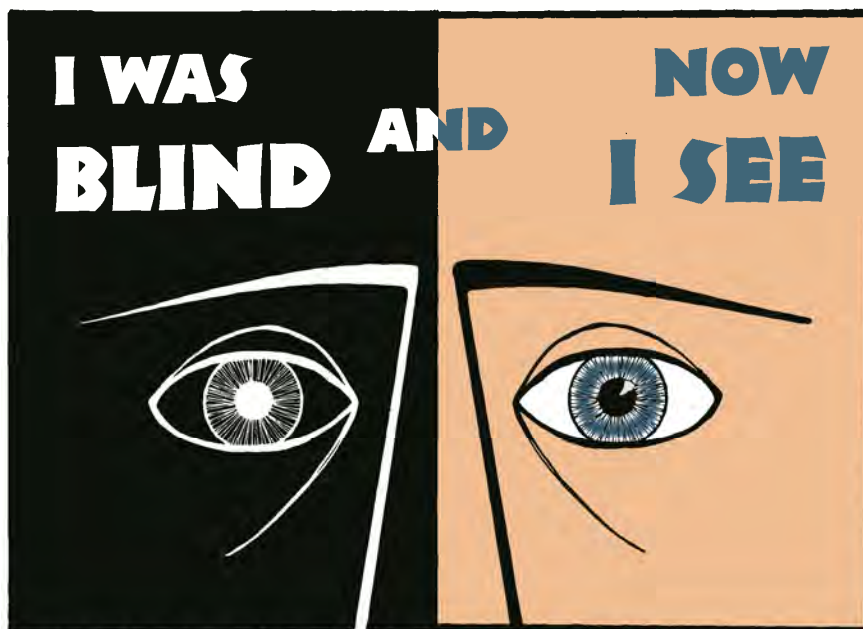
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**Fourth Sunday of Lent
April 3, 2011**

Mass Schedule**Weekend Masses**

Saturday: 4:30pm
 Sunday: 7:00am, 8:30am, 10:00am, 11:30am

Weekday Masses

Monday - Friday: 6:30am, 8:00am
 Saturday: 8:00am

Reconciliation

Saturdays 3:30-4:15pm
 First Tuesday after 8:00am Mass
 or by Appointment

Prayer to St. Margaret Mary

Dear St. Margaret Mary, permitted by the Sacred Heart of Jesus to become a caretaker of its divine treasures, obtain for us, we ask You, from that Adorable Heart all the graces we need. We ask for them with boundless confidence; may the Divine Heart be willing to grant them to us through Your intercession, so that once again He may, through You, be glorified and loved. Amen.

PARISH GUIDE BOOK & DIRECTORY Update Membership Information

It is time for us to update our database with any changes, additions or deletions that may have occurred in YOUR family over the past year.

Have you changed your phone number? Have you moved? Are you preparing to move soon? Do you want your record published in the parish Guide Book & Directory?

It would be extremely helpful if you would contact us with any changes you feel we may not be aware of so that the information in the Guide Book & Directory is correct. Feel free to drop a note in the collection basket, mail the information, send it by way of email to sbrandt@smmaparish.org, or call us at the Parish Office with your updates, 487-2522, ext. 201. Thanks for your help!



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LENTEN SCHEDULE

Daily Masses

during Lent are as follows:

Monday - Friday: 6:30 & 8:00am

Monday - Thursday: 7:00pm

Stations of the Cross

on Fridays at 1:45pm with the school children and at 7:00pm.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Reconciliation also will be offered two evenings a week per schedule below from 7:30pm until all are heard:

April 5 & 7 April 11 & 13 April 19

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Wednesday of Holy Week

Tenebrae Service - 7pm

Holy Thursday, April 21

Mass - 7pm

Good Friday, April 22

Living Stations of the Cross - 1pm

Passion & Veneration of the Cross - 7pm

Holy Saturday, April 23

Easter Vigil - 8pm

Easter Sunday, April 24

Masses - 7, 8:30, 10:00 and 11:30am

NIGHT AT THE MOVIES TRIVIA NIGHT For Middle Schoolers

Please join us in SMMA's cafeteria for a Trivia Night for 5th, 6th & 7th graders on Friday, April 29 from 7 - 9:30pm (doors open at 6:30pm). Cost is \$12.00 / person with an **Early Bird Registration** by April 20th for only \$10.00. Drinks and pretzels provided, extra snacks available for a small fee.

Call Linda Ederle, 487-1054 or Lisa Sinak, 487-8643 to register.

Sponsored by the Girl Scouts of Eastern Missouri, Troop 1003.

SMMA'S THIRD ANNUAL SCHOOL MUSICAL "...AND THAT'S GRACE"

Come see a brand new musical at SMMA! Our grade school kids have prepared the musical "...And That's Grace".

It's about two girls becoming friends, and a boy who gets in the way. It is also about the greatest love of all, "Laying down ones life for another," which combines the fun of Grease, the musical, and the friendship in Wicked, the musical!

April 15th & 16th in SMMA Gym. Doors open at 7:00pm - play begins at 7:30pm.

You can buy tickets after all Masses this weekend and next (while seats last). Remember this is a fundraiser for our school and the kids have worked very hard, they would love to show you!

Tickets are \$8 for general admission and \$12 for reserved seating.

55+ CLUB MEETING April 10, 1:30pm in the Cafeteria

If interested in our overnight trip to the San Damiano Retreat and Good Shepherd Shrine on the Ohio River in Southern Illinois' Shawnee Forest on Monday, May 16 and returning on Tuesday night, May 17 you must get your registration form in to Golden Frontier Tours 30 days prior to the trip. Cost is \$97. For registration brochure call Cathy at 894-2675.

Our next event will be a "Picnic in the Park" on Friday, June 17. Accepting payment at the April and May meetings. We will have breakfast at the Science Center, will see a special show at the Omnimax theatre and have some time afterwards to explore the Science Center on our own, and then go to the Highlands Golf Club for lunch. Bus leaves SMMA at 8am. Cost \$59.

Come to our April 10th meeting. Bring your spouse, a friend, or neighbor, or make new friends. Our group is growing. It's a fun group. Don't miss out, join us, you'll be glad you did.

Live Love Laugh

ADORATION CHAPEL New Coordinators Sought

Our year will soon be ending and we are looking for another pair of volunteers to experience the blessings of being Chapel Administrators. Two



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administrators work together in creating the weekly schedule on the computer and communicating via email and phone. It's a great way to meet other parishioners, make new friends and be inspired by life's everyday miracles.

Call to learn more about this wonderful ministry. Cheryl, 487-2475 or MaryLee, 892-1693.

A word from _____ _____ your Pastor...

Once again your generosity is inspiring. Our second collection for Japan's Disaster Relief amounted to \$8,457.68. I'm sure part of the upcoming Catholic Relief Services collection will also help the suffering people of Japan. May the Lord bless you for your generosity to the less fortunate!



You'll see the heading, ENSURING THE FUTURE, in the bulletin's "weekly offering" report where the Gold Envelope heading used to be. The April Gold Envelopes still say "Debt Reduction" but all funds donated go to our Ensuring the Future Fund (supporting our grade school and all parish capital improvements). Beginning in May the Gold Envelopes will say "Ensuring the Future."

Hopefully you've heard about the Archbishop's Mission Advancement Initiative for Catholic Schools in the Archdiocese called, *Alive in Christ*. "I want all our Catholic schools to be Alive in Christ! I want them to demonstrate a vibrant, hope-filled spirit that proclaims to the whole world that Christ is alive and active – in our homes, in our parishes and school communities and in our world... carrying out the teaching ministry of Jesus in ways that are visible, transformative and service-oriented." We are so fortunate to have a Catholic Elementary School here at our parish that is very much indeed, *Alive in Christ*.

Maintaining a quality Catholic Grade School of course involves financial challenges, especially for the families paying tuition. Granted Catholic Schools cost a lot, but they are definitely worth it! The value of investing in the faith and spiritual welfare of your children is great indeed, one could even say "eternal". Join me in asking God's blessings on our Catholic School and a prayer of gratitude for all those who support our schools.

Welcome to April!

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Alive

in Christ!



THE MISSION ADVANCEMENT INITIATIVE FOR CATHOLIC SCHOOLS IN THE ARCHDIOCESE OF ST. LOUIS

Catholic Schools look to the Future with Hope

by Archbishop Robert J. Carlson

Catholic schools have been an integral part of the culture and history of St. Louis for nearly 200 years. In 1818, one of my predecessors, Bishop Louis DuBourg, established St. Louis College (now St. Louis University). Two years later, in 1820, St. Rose Phillippine Duchesne opened the first free school west of the Mississippi River. The rest, as they say, is history. And what a history it's been!

I have long believed that to truly fulfill their mission, Catholic schools must be vibrant and growing.

Today, our schools are vibrant—academically, spiritually and in their contributions to the communities they serve—but they are not growing in numbers. Changing demographics, the movement of Catholic households and changes in the way young Catholic families understand and practice their faith have all contributed to a 40-year decline in Catholic school enrollment and the rising cost of a Catholic school education.

Today, two thirds of our Catholic elementary-aged children attend Catholic elementary schools or Parish Schools of Religion; one third of our high-school-aged Catholic youth are in Catholic high schools. This presents a significant challenge for us to reach out to all our Catholic youth and to others—especially those who live in poor areas—and invite them to join us as we grow our Catholic schools. Fortunately, I believe this is a challenge that Catholics in St. Louis are uniquely qualified to address!

A year ago, I shared with Catholics in the Archdiocese of St. Louis my vision and priorities for Catholic schools. Borrowing a phrase from Pope Benedict XVI, I said that our Catholic schools must be “Alive in Christ!” My vision is that our schools need to be vibrant and growing in three main areas: Catholic identity, enrollment and finances. Our schools must have a strong Catholic identity in order to carry out their mission to educate the whole person—mind, body and spirit. Catholic schools are at their best when they help students to know, love and serve God by learning what our Church teaches and by discovering who God is through knowledge of science, history, literature and all the academic disciplines.

During the last year, I have listened to nearly 3,000 parents, educators, pastors and administrators discuss our challenges and offer their suggestions for growing Catholic schools. My seven-year initiative, called Alive in Christ 2018, aims to promote growth in Catholic identity, enrollment and finances. To accomplish this vision for the future, I have established four goals: catechesis and academic excellence, evangelization, social justice and stewardship.

It is crucial that we place a high priority on excellence in catechesis and academics. Proper catechesis in our Catholic schools will provide a foundation on which children can grow spiritually, while strengthened academics will prepare them for rapidly-changing cultures and economies.

As Catholic schools in St. Louis grow, so will our Church and our community outreach. I hope that as a result of this initiative, the Archdiocese of St. Louis will be recognized as a leader in the Church's spiritual renewal and in its commitment to social justice, including the protection of the dignity of human life, the importance of strong families, the basic human right to work, serving the poor and stewardship of God's creation.

I hope that within seven years, Catholics all over the world will recognize the Archdiocese of St. Louis as a model of stewardship. I hope we will be able to help guarantee the financial stability of parishes, schools and church ministries. In fact, I hope that in 2018 there will be no empty seats in our schools, and no child will be denied a Catholic education simply because of an inability to pay for it.

My vision for Catholic education is that we will be a Church that is not simply managing the decline, but is improving our ability to hand on the faith to future generations.

This is not something that can be accomplished by one person, one school or one parish. It can only be accomplished by our entire archdiocese, fully unified and Alive in Christ.

I urge all Catholics in St. Louis and in all the communities we serve to respond without hesitation and with full confidence that Our Lord Jesus Christ is with us as we seek to do His will. I also invite all our friends and neighbors to help and support us through your prayers and your good will.

In 2018 I hope our Catholic schools will be vibrant, growing and Alive in Christ so that we can continue to serve the people of this region for at least 200 more years!

To read Archbishop Robert J. Carlson's pastoral letter on handing on the faith to the young Church, go to archstl.org/archstl/page/pastoral-letters or see your pastor.

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REMINDERS

Early bulletin deadline for Easter weekend. All articles for 4/24 bulletin must be turned in by Friday, April 8th. Articles for 4/17 due now.

Fish Fry every Friday during Lent from 4 - 7pm in the cafeteria. Carry-outs available.

Palm Sunday Concert performed by our SMMA choirs on April 17 at 3:00pm in Church.

Adult Confirmation on June 12, Pentecost Sunday, 2:30pm at the Cathedral Basilica of St. Louis. Contact Msgr. Norb for more information, 487-2522, ext. 228.

Knights of Columbus Golf Tournament on May 14th. Call Bob Smith, 487-8181 or Al George, 845-9932 for info.

CELEBRATING THE SACRAMENTS

We offer our prayerful support and ask God's blessings on the following couples who will be celebrating the sacrament of Holy Matrimony this month:

Danny Lenihan & Stacy Ederle
Andrew DuCharme & Lindsey Barnes
Chris Saucier & Lisa Buccholz
Brian Mee & Kathleen Humphrey

We thank God for all the children baptized here at SMMA during the past month. We ask for God's blessings on these families as they continue to grow in their faith.

Dominic Alfonso Munaco, child of Alfonso & Brandi
Finley Michael Guentz, child of Andrew & Kara
Eileen Ann Reynolds, child of Douglas & Dorothy
Noella Rose Lohse, child of Lucas & Shannon
Jeffery Jordyn Luster, child of Jeffery & Kristina

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

We thank God for the blessing of the following new families who have become members of our parish during the past month. Welcome to our parish family!

Matt & Laura Chartrand Family Lucas & Shannon Lohse
Bryon & Kristy Derleth Family Gary & Kimberly Martin Family
Joe & Marilyn Himmelberg Family Jeff & Kathy Janson Family
Steve & Laura Lato Family

WOMEN'S INSPIRATIONAL NETWORK

Next Meeting April 6th



Our April meeting will be a baby shower for the Nurses for Newborns and Our Lady's Inn. We will play baby shower games, listen to fairy tales, and eat lots of food. Please bring an **unwrapped gift** such as: Nursing breast pads, nursing bras, (all sizes), digital thermometers, size 4, 5, and 6 diapers, clothes, toys, nightlights, pull-ups (disposable training pants sizes 4, 5, 6, Large and XL), kids music CD's and nursery rhymes, disinfectant sprays and disinfectant wipes. We will meet on Wednesday, April 6th at 7pm in the cafeteria. We hope to see you there.

LADIES - HAVE YOU BEEN PUTTING OFF YOUR MAMMOGRAM?



Over the course of a lifetime, one in eight women will be diagnosed with breast cancer. Women age 40 and older and/or those with risk factors are encouraged to undergo a screening mammogram each year.

WIN has arranged for Digital Mobile Mammography Services from the Breast Health Care Center at Missouri Baptist Medical Center to come to SMMA on Monday, April 11th. Getting your mammogram couldn't be any easier!

The Van will be parked in our lot from 9am-3pm. Please call 996-5170 to schedule your appointment, or ask any questions.

Please check with your insurance provider to verify your benefits and eligibility. Bring your insurance card, physician's name/number, and ID to your appointment. If you don't have insurance coverage, call to find out if you may be eligible for services at no charge. Don't put it off any longer - make your appointment today!

ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION NEWS

www.smmasports.org

Athletic Association Raffle Tickets for 2011 / 2012 On Sale Now

Each parish family should receive in the mail an invitation to participate in this year's SMMA Athletic Association raffle slated to begin May 1st.



Raffle tickets cost just \$10 each and will ensure your entry in the daily raffle for a \$100 prize. A total of 370 winners will be drawn for a total payout of \$37,000. Plus, winning tickets are returned into the bucket and are eligible to win again and again. Proceeds from the raffle are used to buy new uniforms and sports equipment for the grade school athletes and to maintain the fields, a most worthy cause.

Your \$20 donation to buy the two tickets mailed to your home could not only win you some money, but will help ensure the continued success of the SMMA CYC program. Thank you for your continued support.

\$100 Weekly Raffle Winners

04/02 Dave Page	04/06 Pat Steinkiste
04/03 Sister Elaine Besand	04/07 Marty Pike
04/04 Kimberly Larson	04/08 Tina Schaeffer
04/05 Matt Rekart	

Summer Soccer Camp at SMMA

Camp is open to boys and girls ages 5 - 14. Cost is \$80 (includes t-shirt) and will be held on SMMA fields from July 18 - 21st from 6 - 8pm. For more information or to register, call 393-1164 or go to www.loufuszsoccer.com.

Baseball/Softball Mandatory Meeting

Baseball / Softball Managers must attend the mandatory meeting on Sunday, April 3rd, 7:00pm at Assumption parish, or have a representative there in your place.

Women's Softball

Leagues are now being formed for women's softball and we are in need of players. Games are one hour and played on Sunday nights at SMMA. Weather permitting, play will start in late April. You do not have to have a team assignment, we can place you on a team. We especially want to extend the invitation to new parishioners. This is a great way to meet others and have fun. All talent levels are welcome. If you are interested in playing, contact Jill Vaughn at 845-9246 or jjvon@earthlink.net.

Adult **FAITH** Formation
Ongoing  Lifelong

Why are the forty days called "Lent"?

They are called Lent because that is the Old English word for spring, the season of the year during which they fall. This is something unique to English. In almost all other languages its name is a derivative of the Latin term, or "the forty days."

The word "lent" means "lengthen" and stands for that time in spring when the days grow longer.

WHO'S COOKING FOR SMMA?

Our next fundraising partners will be Frankie G's Bar & Grill and Bill Gianino's Restaurant. On Tuesday, April 12 and Wednesday, April 13 these two restaurants will donate to SMMA School a portion of the proceeds from any purchases you make in their restaurants. Watch next week's bulletin for more details.

PRO-LIFE ACTION DAY Jefferson City, MO

This Tuesday, April 5th plan to attend the Pro-Life Action Day in Jefferson City from 9:00am to 2:00pm in the state capital rotunda. This event is sponsored by Missouri Right to Life.

MRL supports and urges passage of the "Pain-Capable Unborn Child Protection Act" to prohibit abortion after 20 weeks gestation. Let your representative see and hear from you on this important legislative priority.

Also, Abby Johnson, Planned Parenthood Director turned Pro-Life Advocate and author of UnPlanned, will address the rally at noon.

For further information about buses leaving from various St. Louis locations that morning please call MRL at 434-4900 or email mrl.eastern@yahoo.com. Buses will return approx. 4:30pm.

A.C.T.I.O.N. Achieving Christ in Our Neighborhood

The next gathering of this group that offers social activities for our developmentally disabled adults will be held on Saturday, April 9th from 10am - 2pm in the school cafeteria.

A delicious fried chicken lunch, fun games and prizes will be offered.

Please call with your reservations or questions: Carmen Alivernia, 892-0040, Judy Ryan, 892-6329, Judy Burns, 894-1268.



Walter Knoll Fundraiser Cards

This weekend, the youth group will begin their sale of the Walter Knoll Fundraiser Cards for \$10. These cards offer incredible deals and discounts including free bouquets, free roses, and SO much more! To purchase your card find any high school teen or contact Betsy. The fundraiser begins today and will end on April 24, so act quickly!

TEENS: See the website for order forms and more information to begin your sales!

Steubenville Conference



July 8-10 at Missouri State University. Cost is \$265. Forms are online.

Steubenville is a conference for teens already in or entering high school. It is a weekend filled with great speakers, prayer and entertainment. It is definitely a great way to experience Christ! Spaces are limited and will only be held on a first-come, first-served basis.

DIVINE MERCY The Spark That Is Setting The World Aflame!

During a dedication Mass in the shrine of divine Mercy in Krakow, August 17, 2002, Pope John Paul II announced: "Today, therefore, in this shrine, I wish solemnly to entrust the world to Divine Mercy."

The Divine Mercy devotion, though humble in origin, offers nothing less than the promise of salvation and peace to all mankind. Efforts on many different fronts are furthering the hope that Catholics everywhere will soon know of the extraordinary graces promised by Our Lord to those who follow his simple call to mercy and trust.

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The Divine Mercy Novena

On Good Friday 1937, Jesus dictated the intentions for a Novena that He wanted Saint Faustina to say before the Feast of Mercy. By means of a special prayer, she was to bring to His Heart a different group of souls each day: "I desire that during these nine days you bring souls to the fountain of My Mercy." (*Diary, 1209*)

The Sacraments of Mercy

The Sacraments of Penance and Eucharist are special fountains of mercy which should be received frequently with great trust and love. (*Diary, 914, 1602*)

To emphasize the importance of these two great "miracles of mercy," Our Lord made their reception a condition for obtaining His promise for the Feast of Mercy: "The soul that will go to confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment." (*Diary, 699*)

It is important to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation during Lent.

Works of Mercy

God expects us to let His mercy flow through us to others. His words to Saint Faustina are unmistakably clear: "I demand from you deeds of mercy, which are to arise out of love for Me. You are to show mercy to your neighbors always and everywhere." (*Diary, 742*)

Divine Mercy Sunday is Sunday, May 1st!

There are CD's and literature in the back of church.

PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Italicized names are new names added for the week.

Diane Antonacci	Justin McCloud
John Bernstetter	Harold McLaughlin
Joann Friganza	Layla Rose Miller
Don Groebl	Marilyn Preston
Julie Hudson	Robert Schlitt
Sadie Kaspar	Cathleen Taylor

John Anthony Marino

The sick and suffering of our parish and our extended families and friends

The men & women of our parish who are residing in nursing homes

HOSPITAL VISITS

If you or someone you know would appreciate a pastoral visit, phone call, or get-well greeting, please contact the Parish Office (487-2522, ext. 201). Even when a hospital stay is short we want to be present to our parish family members during what can be a stressful and difficult time

MILITARY PRAYER LIST

Please pray for these military men and women of our parish that are away from home serving our country and securing our freedoms, until they return to us safely once again.

Lt. Michael S. Alvarez
 1st Lt. Gregory Bennett-US Army
 (CSM) Roger Daigle - Army
 Sgt. Steve Dudak
 Ensign Leslie Fiala, R.D.
 Lt. Col. Timothy Greminger-USAF
 Lt. Col. Christopher A. Grice
 Cpl Nicholas Niedbalski
 Senior Airman Samuel O'Hanlon
 Spc. Julie Stallis
 1st Lt. Chris Warm - Air Force

If you would like your loved one added to this list please contact Joanne Kohne: jcubakohne@yahoo.com or mail to 5608 Chalet Manor Ct 63129

Weekly Offering



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Special Collections

Black & Native America	81.00
Catholic Home Missions	25.00
Catholic Charities - Japan	8,457.68
Catholic Relief Services	75.00
Church in Eastern Europe	65.00
Holy Land	25.00
Regina Cleri	30.00
St. Vincent De Paul	1,575.00

Offertory

Children's	20.29
Loose	786.80
General Fund 548 Env. Avg. \$39.54 / Env.	21,669.04
TOTAL OFFERTORY	22,476.13
OFFERTORY GOAL	(26,500.00)

New YTD Above (**BELOW**) Goal 7/1/10-3/27/11 **(22,162.38)**

Thank you for your generosity.

Ensuring the Future

Ensuring the Future 24 Env. Avg. 51.67/Env.	1,240.00
ENSURING THE FUTURE GOAL	(4,000.00)
New YTD Above (BELOW) Goal 3/15/11-3/27/11	(4,643.20)

Tuition Fund

Tuition Fund 3/21/11 - 3/27/11	110.00
New YTD 7/1/10 - 3/27/11	52,265.00

Grocery / Bucks Certificates

Profit from the week of 3/21/11 - 3/27/11	85.51
New YTD 7/1/10 - 3/27/11	20,02.04

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION



We have to do the works of the one who sent me while it is day." -

John 9:4

It is important to note that Jesus uses the plural "we" in this statement and not the singular "I." By saying, "We have to do the works..." Jesus commands all of us to participate in the work of God. It is not enough for us to simply know God's will.

We must also do God's will, which means helping and serving others.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

- Mon.: Legion of Mary, 9:00am - Conference Room
Athletic Assoc. Bd. Mtg., 7:30pm - Aide's Room
Ladies CRHP, 7:30pm - Science Lab
AA, 7:30pm - Rectory Basement
- Tues.: Widow & Widower's Dinner, 6:00pm, Parish Center
Parish Council, 7:00pm - Teacher's Lounge
Confessions, 7:30pm - Church
- Wed.: W.I.N. Mtg., 7:00pm - Cafeteria
- Thur.: SVDP Mtg., 7:00pm - Aide's Room
RCIA, 7:30pm - Teachers' Lounge
Confessions, 7:30pm - Church
- Fri.: Fish Fry, 4 - 7pm - Cafeteria
Stations of the Cross, 1:45pm & 7pm - Church
- Sat.: A.C.T.I.O.N., 10am - Cafeteria
Confessions, 3:30pm - Church
Quilters' Sale after Masses in Foyer
- Sun.: Youth Group, 12:30pm - Youth Room
Quilters' Sale after Masses in Foyer
55+ Club, 1:30pm - Cafeteria

QUILTERS' SPRING SALE

Our SMMA Quilters will have a Spring / Easter sale in the church foyer next weekend, April 9 / 10. We invite everyone to come and check out our new items after all the Masses.



BULLETIN ADVERTISERS

Each week we like to highlight our advertisers. This week we'd like to thank, **South County Heating & Air Conditioning**, for supporting our bulletin.

As you check out the bulletin at our parish website you will see that as we upload the bulletin, we will also have the ability to upload the advertising pages so that it will provide easy reference to enable you to support our advertisers when possible.

REPOSE OF THE SOUL

Please pray for Stephanie Kohler, daughter of our parishioners, Jeff & Linda Kohler; for Father Edward R. Goldian, S.J., a priest of our archdiocese; and for all of the faithful departed. May they rest in peace.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday Is 65:17-21 Ps 30:2,4-6,11-12a,13b Jn 4:43-54
- Tuesday Ez 47:1-9,12 Ps 46:2-3,5-6,8-9 Jn 5:1-16
- Wednesday Is 49:8-15 Ps 145:8-9,13c-14,17-18 Jn 5:17-30
- Thursday Ex 32:7-14 Ps 106:19-23 Jn 5:31-47
- Friday Wis 2:1a,12-22 Ps 34:17-21,23 Jn 7:1-2,10-25-30
- Saturday Jer 11:18-20 Ps 7:2-3,9b-12 Jn 7:40-53
- Sunday Ez 37:12-14 Ps 130:1-8 Rom 8:8-11
Jn 11:1-45 or 11:3-7,17,20-27,33b-45

NEEDS & SERVICES NEEDS YOUR HELP

The SMMA Needs and Services *Care Giver Relief and Meals* ministry needs your help. We are looking for volunteers that can provide care for families in our parish. Please fill out this slip and place in the box marked SMMA Needs and Services in the church foyer. Thank you for your consideration.

I would like more information about providing assistance to the Caregiver Relief and Meals Ministry.

Name _____

Phone _____ Email _____

SERVERS

Mon., Apr. 4	6:30am	R. Mohesky, N. Schweppe, K. Decker
	8:00am	O. Collier, A. Dawson, M. Lengyel
	7:00pm	C. Eller, M. Esswein, E. Gallaher
Tues., Apr. 5	6:30am	M. Mulligan, A. Nieters, K. Richter
	8:00am	C. Range, D. Riggio, C. Ryan
	7:00pm	C. Doherty, T. Graf, S. Eicchorn
Wed., Apr. 6	6:30am	E. O'Toole, E. Porterfield, A. Pournay
	8:00am	V. Mohesky, S. Pugh, J. Laaker
	7:00pm	E. Hoffman, J. Jandro, B. Mastis
Thurs., Apr. 7	6:30am	J. Pugh, R. Sullivan, M. Walsh
	8:00am	N. Barrera, T. Oge, A. Dowling
	7:00pm	M. Hansen, M. Lengyel, J. Picha
Fri., Apr. 8	6:30am	C. Eller, A. French, B. Glassl
	8:00am	S. Peterson, A. Staten, M. Straszacker
	7:00pm	Stations: J. Venable, R. Zimmermann
Sat., Apr. 9	8:00am	C. Sinak, C. Wagner, M. Walsh
	4:30pm	S. Eicchorn, M. Esswein, K. Everding, J. Gauthier
Sun., Apr. 10	7:00am	C. Brogdon, A. Dowling, M. Hogan
	8:30am	E. Capellupo, J. D'Alto, K. Cassani, F. Darnell
	10:00am	J. Cariolano, TJ Cochran, D. Decker, M. Hansen
	11:30am	E. DeGreeff, Z. Ellis, L. Felts, M. Gargiula

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Sat., Apr. 9	4:30pm	J. Tiemann, A. Aubuchon, J. & B. Druhe, C. & M. Diel, R. Planthold, D. & J. Puricelli, S. Berkbigler
Sun., Apr. 10	7:00am	J. & B. Wyrsh, R. Stonich, J. Hasty, M. Christ, D. Steger, A. Van Leuven, Seminarian
	8:30am	P. Chierek, M.E. Cox, L. Ederle, S. Borisenko, C. Renz, M.A. Stoops, A. Mueller, J. Ryan, J. Sweeney, D. Buck
	10:00am	W. & C. Paruch, D. Dohle, S. Economon, Seminarian, A. Donjon, M. Antal, J. Fagas, C. Alivernia, R. Nichols
	11:30am	Youth Ministry, B. & L. Clancy, B. Westmeyer, M.A. Raftery, J. & S. Rombauer, B. & J. Cosby, Volunteer Please

USHERS

Sat., Apr. 9	4:30pm	B. & D. Zobrist, G. Funke
Sun., Apr. 10	7:00am	T. Stratman, A. Yanko, Volunteer Please
	8:30am	T. Pona, M. Redohl, G. Flens
	10:00am	J. Lipsmire, R. Miller, G. Reininger, G. Roth
	11:30am	P. Beffa, T. Neyer, S. Mueckl

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Mon., Apr. 4	6:30am	Rose Torretta
	8:00am	Raymond Puettmann
	7:00pm	Chris Vishion - Spec. Int.
Tues., Apr. 5	6:30am	Sidney Arbour
	8:00am	Dick Stolinski
	7:00pm	Tony Worcester
Wed., Apr. 6	6:30am	Joseph & Anita Dietz
	8:00am	Charles P. Shine
	7:00pm	Micki Beckerle
Thurs., Apr. 7	6:30am	Robert Stalinski
	8:00am	Maxine Johnson
	7:00pm	Sally Brewington
Fri., Apr. 8	6:30am	Walter Smith
	8:00am	Jack Norrenberns
Sat., Apr. 9	8:00am	For Religious Vocations
	4:30pm	Mary Mudd
Sun., Apr. 10	7:00am	Dan & Laura McManemy
	8:30am	Richard Bast
	10:00am	Maureen & Tom Helmer
	11:30am	People of the Parish

READERS

Sat., Apr. 9	4:30pm	G. Dyhouse
Sun., Apr. 10	7:00am	J. O'Connell
	8:30am	Seminarian
	10:00am	R. Bartnett
	11:30am	Youth Ministry

TRAVELING PILGRIM STATUE

April 6 - 12 Marilyn Boncek Family
SMMA "Our Lady of Fatima" Pilgrim Virgin Statue
Please welcome Our Blessed Mother
into your home for a week.
For reservations call: 293-1855

VOCATION ICON

April 4 - 11 John & Shawn Borisenko Family
To host the Vocation Icon in your home and
pray for vocations in our parish family
please call the Parish Office, 487-2522, ext. 201.

GROCERY / BUCKS VOLUNTEERS

Sat., April 9	4:30	M.K. Leiber, S. Gabrian
Sun., April 10	7:00	B. Hoeing
	8:30	S. Brumfield, T. Keuss
	10:00	P. Dowling, J. Kelly, D. O'Toole
	11:30	T. & S. Sapienza

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