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ENTERED, THEY DID
NOT FIND THE BODY
OF THE LORD JESUS.
- LK 24:3

EASTER SUNDAY

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Welcome to St Mark Parish & Happy Easter!

Mass Schedule

Daily Mass

Monday thru Friday 6:30AM and 7:45 AM - Chapel

Saturday 8 AM - Chapel

Weekend Mass

Saturday Vigil 4PM - Church

Sunday 7:30 AM, 9 AM, 11 AM and 5 PM - Church

**MASS WILL BE CELEBRATED ON
DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY AT 3PM NOT 5PM**

Reconciliation

Saturday 8:30-9:15 AM - Chapel

Saturday 3-3:45 PM - Church

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Monday thru Friday 6:50-7:40 AM - Chapel

1st Fridays 9AM-6PM - Chapel

ENCOUNTER 3rd Thursdays 7PM - Chapel

HEALING MASS last Sundays 5PM - Church

OUR CHAPEL IS OPEN DAILY 6-6 FOR PRIVATE PRAYER



Grounded, fortified and nourished by the Eucharist, the members of St. Mark Church share with all the unconditional love of God through active witness to the Gospel of Jesus Christ by learning, living and loving our faith.

Thank you for joining us in worship today! May you walk forward in the solid truth of Our Lord's intimate love for you!

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A NOTE FROM OUR PASTOR

Dear St. Mark Parish Family,

Christ is risen! Indeed He is risen!

This hope is echoed in the words we so often proclaim at Mass, "Christ has died, Christ is risen, and Christ will come again! In the years left to them the apostles preached this belief and this hope. They preached a message of hope to people who had never seen Jesus. They told all who would listen to them: "Your sins are forgiven by Jesus who is alive and with you. Your hearts are comforted by the love of Jesus who is alive and with you. Your minds are enlightened by Jesus who is alive and with you. Your struggles with yourself are no longer yours alone but you have Jesus alive and with you."

We believe and recognize that the continued action of the Risen Christ brings us a new energy, a new excitement, a new desire for what is good, and holy, and right, and just into the present moment of our lives, even when we continue to experience difficulties or disappointments.

As a result of the action of the Risen Christ in our hearts, our lives are no longer dull, or ordinary, or even worse. Through faith in the saving power of Jesus Christ and his death and resurrection, our lives are filled with joy, and courage, and real hope. We realize that we are not alone in what we need to do every day. Jesus, the Risen Christ shows Himself to us. Just to have that much of a sight, a sound, or a taste of his living presence is all the action that we need to keep us going.

As we celebrate this Easter, this joyful observance of the best action story that continues to impact and change our lives, I rejoice especially for young people and those not so young who search for the same truth. As it says in the Gospel, "Why are you weeping?" or "Why do you search for Jesus here? He has been raised." Jesus our Risen Savior teaches us that He will raise us up and He urges us to raise up others through our prayer and our good works done in His name. The Resurrection of Jesus Christ; that's an action story that we need to keep telling! Alleluia!

"I am the resurrection and the life; whoever believes in me, even if he dies, will live, and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die. Do you believe this?" (John 11:25)

With prayerful best wishes and Easter blessings,
Fr. Santhosh George O.S.S.T.

You're invited to consider joining our Pastoral Council, which will be formed and begin meeting this coming July. This consultative body will be one to offer support and consideration to Fr. Santhosh in his position as the head of our Parish Family.

Call Ona in the Parish Office for more information and to submit your name for the election, which will be held after Easter.



JOIN THE MEALTRAIN TO FEED OUR PRIESTS! They feed our souls, let's feed their bellies!

This is an ongoing gift to our priests, and the calendar is filled through March but there are many opportunities in April to bless them with a meal! Thank you!
<https://www.mealtrain.com/trains/rqldwl> or call the office for help!



READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 17

Sun: Acts 10:34, 37-43/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23/Col 3:1-4/
Jn 20:1-9
Mon: Acts 2:14, 22-33/Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-11/Mt 28:8-15
Tue: Acts 2:36-41/Ps 33:4-5, 18-22/Jn 20:11-18
Wed: Acts 3:1-10/Ps 105:1-9/Lk 24:13-35
Thur: Acts 3:11-26/Ps 8:2, 5-9/Lk 24:35-48
Fri: Acts 4:1-12/Ps 118:1-2, 4, 22-27/Jn 21:1-14
Sat: Acts 4:13-21/Ps 118:1. 14-21/Mk 16:9-15

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, 4/18 6:30 AM Pro Life Ministries
7:45 AM Andrea Besok
Tuesday, 4/19 6:30 AM St. Mark Homebound Ministry
7:45 AM William (Burch) Harmon
Wednesday 4/20 6:30 AM St. Mark Homeschool Ministry
7:45 AM Gertrude Sakowski
Thursday 4/21 6:30 AM St. Mark School Family
7:45 AM Those Celebrating Birthdays this Month
Friday 4/22 6:30 AM St. Mark Girl & Boy Scouts
7:45 AM St. Mark Social Justice Committee
Saturday 4/23 8:00 AM St. Mark Liturgical Ministers
8:00 PM Charles P. Gailunas
Sunday 4/24 7:30 AM Margaret Kauffman
9:00 AM Kathy Camac
11:00 AM Edward J. Slunt
3:00 PM Robert Igbanugo

PRAYER LIST

Pat Antlitz - Jerry Arnold - Sandy Barrasso - James Bruno
Jeanne Cooper - Melissa Cramer - Pat Ferruso - Mary Ann Fleming
Betty Gerlach Carol High - Charles Howard - Henry Huber
Rita Jones - John Kaehler, Jr. - Thomas Kelly
David Linantud - Bob Lohrfink - Bonnie Lowe - Carol McCanna
Peter McDevitt - Neil Middleton - Mary Beth Miller
Andy & Karen Moan - Kathleen Murray - Matthew Murray
Jessica Poleman - Sam Prestianni -Edward Rehkemper - Nora Reiter
Todd Richardson - Dr. Adrian Sanchez John Schaefer - Jim Shreve -
Charlotte Stedd Jim Sullivan - Ellen Thompson -Dianne Whitehair
Woman in Parish - Leslie Zuga

*To submit a prayer request visit stmarkchurch-catonville.org or call the Parish Office.

****OUR PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON EASTER MONDAY****

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THERE WILL BE NO TUESDAY RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES ON APRIL 19 IN OBSERVANCE OF THE OCTAVE OF THE EASTER SEASON.
Our last class will be held on Tuesday April 26.

First Eucharist Rehearsal: Saturday April 30th 9-11:30AM CHILDREN ONLY

First Eucharist Celebration Saturday May 7th 10AM-12Noon St. Mark Church

Please continue to pray for our First Eucharist candidates over the next several weeks. They are: Gracie Allen, Thomas Allen, Luke Bartlett, Eleanor Beale, Emily Bray, Christopher Via Delatorre-Burgum, Brody Church, William Diffendale, Nicholas Ferraioli, Oona Flanigan, Camden Gaeta, Solden Hall, Olivia & Sophia Hart, Emmett Jackson, Camden Keelan, Fintan Kelly, Elin Knight, Miranda McDonnell, Brigid McNulty, Rowan Meehan, Jack Mohler, Aria Nelson, Abby Reardon, Grace Reed, Bryn & Brody Salkaukas, Rose Stevens, Molly Stone, Gregory & Thomas Tesch, Lorenzo Viray, and Kyra Witte.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD (CLOW)

Children grades K-5 are invited to attend a kid-focused teaching during the readings and homily during all 9AM Masses

ST. MARK YOUTH MINISTRY Coordinator: Sally Rico - stmarkyouthministry21228@gmail.com

MIDDLE SCHOOL May 15th at 6PM in the Coakley Room **HIGH SCHOOL** April 24 at 6PM in Youth Room

RCIA Coordinator: Jennifer Juzwiak - jennifer.juzwiak@archbalt.org 410-747-6560 x227

Happy Easter from the Christian Initiation Team!

If you're visiting or have been away from the church for a while, are interested in the Catholic faith or just have questions, call us!
We'd love to help you in whatever way we can.

MONTHLY EVENTS

EVENING ROSARY AT ST. MARK

Monday Evenings • 6:00pm in Mary's Prayer Garden

Please join us on Monday April 18 to pray the Rosary in Mary's Prayer Garden. This Monday, we pray in thanksgiving for all those entering the Church during the Easter Vigil Services. We pray that they continue on their journey of Faith and are a witness to others in their lives.

EXPERIENCE THE LOVE OF OUR EUCHARISTIC LORD

ENCOUNTER April 21st - 7pm in the Chapel

Eucharistic Adoration and prayer through praise & worship music.
Every 3rd Thursday of the month at 7PM.

HEALING MASS Sunday May 29th - 5pm

Contemporary worship. Confessions and Adoration begin at 4:30.

5PM Mass will not be celebrated April 25;

**join us for Mass at 3PM to celebrate Divine Mercy
with recitation of the Chaplet at 2:45**

First Friday Eucharistic Adoration May 3rd 9am-6pm



DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY April 24

Masses at 7:30, 9 and 11AM

2PM Confessions * 2:45PM Chaplet of Divine Mercy * 3PM Mass

NO 5PM MASS

ST MARK SCHOOL NEWS

**We are currently accepting applications
for Grades PreK3 - 8th for the 2022-2023 School Year**

To Schedule a tour, please email kstover@stmark-school.org or call 410-744-6560 x2. Spaces are filling up, so do not delay!



ST MARK HOMESCHOOL MINISTRY

Join other homeschooling families on the 2nd Friday of the month in the Chapel at 3PM for Confessions with Adoration, followed by Mass at 3:30. For more information contact Angela Sinclair 314-719-9885 or angiegassstl@yahoo.com



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ST. MARK SOCIAL JUSTICE COMMITTEE NEWS

FROM YOUR ST. MARK SOCIAL JUSTICE COMMITTEE...Each and every day we are called on to become closer to God. We can answer that call without actions and our prayers. This Lenten Season take a step closer to the Lord by feeding the hungry and sharing the Spirit through prayer. This is what the St. Mark Social Justice Committee does with your support. To learn more about how you can make a difference please visit the Social Justice Committee page on the St. Mark website stmarkchurch-catonville.orgJOIN US TO HELP MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

PLEASE JOIN US FOR OUR NEXT MEETING!

The St. Mark Social Justice Committee will be meeting in the Parish Center Coakley Room at 7PM on May 2nd. Please enter through the Coakley Room door on the church side of the building. We encourage our parish family to attend our meetings...to share, to care, to be there...for OUR PARISH, OUR SCHOOL, OUR COMMUNITY AND ONE ANOTHER!

THE NON-PERISHABLE FOOD COLLECTION IS IN THE VESTIBULE..."One does not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes forth from the mouth of God". Through your continued support and donations to of food that nourishes the body and lifts the spirit! Your grocery donations continue to be needed! Please check expiration dates when donating you non-perishable food each weekend in the bins in the vestibule of the Church. We are also collecting toiletries in the special bins in the vestibule. Your support of those in need is a blessing. You are a witness to Christ's love in our world!

MARYLAND CATHOLIC CONFERENCE - TAKE ACTION: Continue to be a voice for hope and justice! Join the Catholic Advocacy Network by visiting mdcatholic.org. The 2022 Session of the Maryland General Assembly is over on April 11th. Thought it may be over, it is important to be a part of the Catholic Advocacy Network to learn and take action on proposed legislative activity, elections...the future.

SPRING GROVE CLOTHING DRIVE SATURDAY 4/30 9AM-NOON IN THE COURTYARD OF OUR CAMPUS

The Spring Gove Hospital Center is the largest residential mental health facility in Maryland providing care for approximately 400 men and women. Most individuals come to Spring Grove without personal funds and with only the clothes they are wearing. A donation of new or gently used clothing would greatly benefit these men and women. An acknowledgement letter will be provided to you, and can be used for income tax purposes.

Needs for adults: Jeans/slacks/sweatpants WITHOUT drawstrings, summer clothing, sweaters/sweatshirts, jackets, coats, knit caps, gloves, shoes WITHOUT shoestrings.



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Calling all Knights of Columbus - we are in need of Brother Knights who are able to help with several on-campus projects at St. Mark. Regardless of skill -set as many things are simple clean up, etc.; many hands make light work. If you are interested and able to volunteer or want to be a KofC member, please contact John Hart johnvhartiii@gmail.com.

The Patapsco Council of the Knights of Columbus needs your help in supporting the St. Mark Parish community. We are Catholic men who lead and serve, whether we are giving out Coats for Kids, helping those in need in the parish or community, or supporting local pregnancy centers by donating ultrasound machines. Find out more about what we do at www.kofc1960.org/join-our-council/.

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