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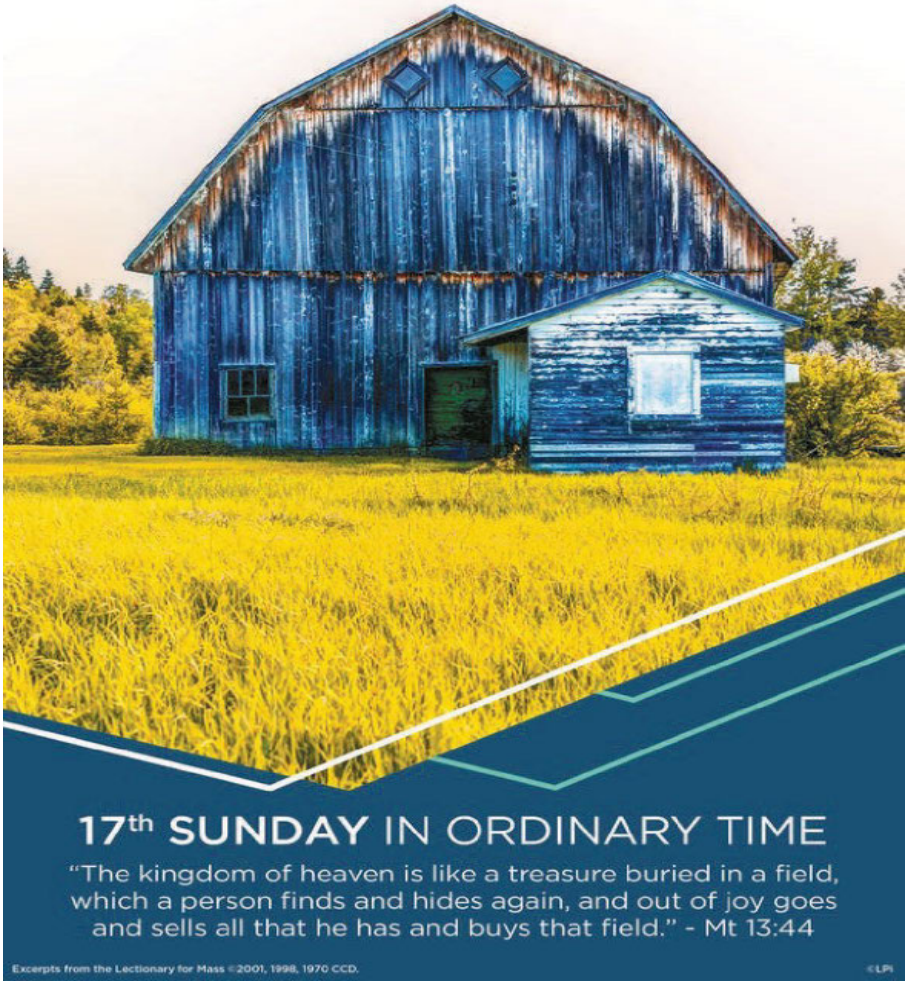
July 30, 2023
176th Sunday in Ordinary Time



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Parish Office Hours
Monday—Thursday
9 am—3 pm

St. Mary's Weekend Masses
Saturday Vigil: 4 pm
Sunday: 7:30 am & 9 am

Daily Masses
Monday: 10 am
Tuesday: 7 pm

St. Augustine's Weekend Masses
Saturday 5:30 pm
Sunday 10:30 am

Daily Masses
Wednesday 10 am
Thursday 10 am

Adoration of
the Blessed Sacrament
and Novena
on Tuesdays
9 am - 6:30 pm
Rosary, followed by Miraculous Medal Novena

Reconciliation:
Held every other week:
Tues., August 1, 5:30-6:30 pm at St. Mary's
Wed., August 9, 10:30-11am at St. Augustine's
Tues., August 15, 5:30-6:30 pm at St. Mary's

Confessions are also held at
St. Elizabeth Ann Seton's Church
on Saturdays 4—4:30 pm

This week we remember in prayer:
July 31—August 6

People of the Parish
James Pitts
requested by Sue McManus
Mason Collins
requested by Cathe Collins
Carl & Catherine Rice
requested by Michael Rice
Kathleen Shaw
requested by Henry & Barbara Green
Marjorie Hayner
requested by The O'Brien Family

SANCTUARY LAMP

The Sanctuary Lamp burns this week
in memory of: Michael Doran
requested by Peg Howard

DIVINE MERCY LAMP

*The **Divine Mercy Lamp** will burn this week*
in memory of: Angelo Zarra
requested by Red Mill Manor

Welcome to our parish! We are so glad that you have joined us today. We hope you find everything you need. Please join our parish family by going to our website and registering or by contacting the parish office at 315-635-5762.

To submit a prayer intention for the weekly Spiritual Connection, email stmarysbville@syrdio.org or call the office 315-635-5762 by Monday at 10AM. The intention will appear once, unless you submit it again.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO BURN A SANCTUARY LAMP OR DIVINE MERCY LAMP IN MEMORY OF A LOVED ONE?

For a $10.00 donation you can have the Sanctuary Lamp or the lamp in front of the Divine Mercy Image burn for one week in memory or in honor of someone special or a loved one. To arrange this, call the Parish Office to see which weeks are available.

PRIVATE PRAYER

The Church will be open for private prayer from 9am—3:00pm Monday—Thursday. Please enter through the North Door (across from the rectory).

July 16: $ 10,264.79

Weekly amount needed to meet budget: $10,137.77
Thank you for generosity and all your support!

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FAITH FORMATION SUMMER SESSION FOR STUDENTS ENTERING GRADES 6-10

Save the Date: August 7-10, 9am-12pm daily
Register now at sasmyouth.org

REGISTER FOR 2023-24 FAITH FORMATION AT SASMYOUTH.ORG!

Youth Ministry Update

"On Fire for Jesus" Middle School Retreat

Our Middle School Group had a great time at our retreat, which included Mass, Seabreeze, campfire, hiking, football with our priests, basketball, powerful talks, confession, and Adoration! Please keep them in your prayers, and may the Holy Spirit continue to light their hearts on fire!

Totus Tuus

It was one spectacular week for sure! We ended the week with paintball with several parishes participating in Totus Tuus and water games! A big thank you to the missionaries, volunteers, and all who made this week so much fun!

Quo Vadis Senior Night

Our high school seniors and their families are invited to Quo Vadis' "Senior Night" on Tuesday, August 15th at St. Mary's from 7-9 pm. Learn more at sasmyouth.org.

MASS TIMES

While traveling on vacation, visit: www.masstimes.org to find a Catholic Church in your area.

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REGISTER FOR FAITH FORMATION 2023-24!

OUR PROGRAM WILL RUN JUST AS IT DID THIS YEAR!

- Grades 1-5 will meet twice a month, either on Sundays or on Mondays.
- You are welcome to have your child attend on the opposite day than the one for which you registered any time you need!
- Students in grades 6-10 can attend events throughout the calendar year that work with THEIR schedule, for a total of 30 hours for the year. Sign ups are sent out ahead of time.
- Children receiving the sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Communion attend five workshops throughout the school year (these meet on Sunday nights from 5:30-7:30pm), as well as attend their biweekly Faith Formation classes.
- Students who will be receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation must reach their 30 hours of Faith Formation before their Confirmation in May or June of 2024.
- Living the Lessons are sent out monthly and count towards Faith Formation hours for all grades!
- Sign up at sasmyouth.org!

WE ARE NOW OFFERING A PRE-K AND KINDERGARTEN PROGRAM!

- This will be a home/church hybrid program.
- Children will work at home with their parents for their weekly lessons (books will be provided), but will join in with all the other Faith Formation students for any and all activities, parish events and celebrations, as well as completing the monthly Living the Lessons!
- Email Mrs. Mackey with any questions!

Vocations

We hear in the Gospel today of a person finding a "pearl of great price" and then going to sell everything he has to buy it. The great pearl is a metaphor for the kingdom of God. Priests and consecrated religious give their life completely over in service to God and His people because they recognize God is the most important person in their life. Do you feel called to completely give your life over to God and His people? If so, call Father Jason Hage (315) 470-1468, or write: vocations@syrdio.org.

PILGRIMAGE TO THE NATIONAL SHRINE OF DIVINE MERCY IN STOCKBRIDGE, MA

The Epiphany Parish Confraternity of the Rosary is sponsoring a pilgrimage to The National Shrine of Divine Mercy in Stockbridge, MA on Saturday, September 9th.

The group will depart from the upper parking lot of the St. Joseph the Worker Campus at 6:30 AM and will return around 9:30 PM. Pilgrims will be responsible for their own lunch and beverages, as well as payment for dinner (we will stop at Cracker Barrel on the way home).

Cost of fare is $65 per person and must be paid in full for registration to be confirmed.

Space is limited to the first 45 pilgrims to register and submit payment. Once all 45 spaces are filled, interested persons will be placed on a waiting list.

Check should be made payable to Epiphany Parish with "Stockbridge Pilgrimage" noted in the memo.

Questions? Contact Terry Wellenzohn at 315-457-4630.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

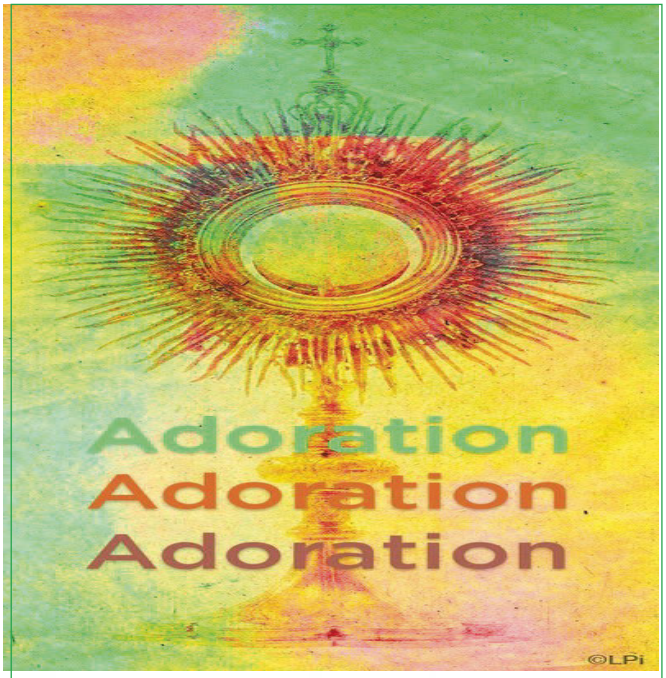
Children's Liturgy of the Word is every Sunday at the 9:00 AM Mass. Children will have the opportunity to attend the children's version of the Mass. Children will be called forward after the opening of the Mass and proceed to Conference Rm 1 (old nursery) for the Scripture Readings. They will return to their parents prior to Communion. All children are welcome to participate.

Gospel Meditations

Our culture seems more polarized and divided than ever. Into this wounded situation, our Catholic faith has a healing remedy to offer: the gift of wisdom. When the Lord offers to give King Solomon anything the monarch desires, he requests "an understanding heart" (1 Kings 3:9). In his polarized situation, the King doesn't ask for power to defeat his enemies. He asks for a wise and understanding heart to judge right from wrong. This wisdom is elevated and fulfilled in Jesus who teaches us to bring forth "both the new and the old" (Matthew 13:52).

In our fractured society, we Christians should stop pining for political power to crush our perceived enemies. That often just makes things worse. Rather, it's much more useful to beg for the grace of true wisdom which transcends both sides of the aisle. This places us in a fresh position from which we can help our culture see what is true and good all across the ideological spectrum. Sometimes we'll look like liberals (e.g., in our love for the poor and marginalized) and other times like conservatives (e.g., in our sexual ethics and views on religious freedom). Because this wisdom is free from ideological narrowness, it will help to heal these painful fractures. Lord Jesus, this week, pour into us your healing wisdom.

— Father John Muir ©LPi



ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT in the Church on Tuesdays

9:00 am—6:45 pm Adoration
3:00 pm Divine Mercy Chaplet
6:30 pm Rosary
7:00 pm Mass

"Spend as much time as possible in front of the Blessed Sacrament and He will fill you with His strength and His power."
— Mother Teresa

BUILDING BETTER MARRIAGES

The Third Option is an ongoing group program to build better marriages. For some it provides enrichment, for others it helps them move beyond misunderstandings, hurt and difficult issues. The program combines learning new skills with group support and inspiring testimonials, all in a warm and caring environment.

Build your marriage from the comfort of your own home. All are welcome! Contact Stephanie Steward for more information or to join the meeting at sstewart@syrdio.org or 315-472-6728.

PRAYING THE ROSARY

Please join us in praying the rosary on Tuesday evenings at 6:30 pm at St. Mary's Church. Also, the First Saturday Rosary will be prayed in the Chapel at St. Augustine's Church at 4:45 pm.

On the first weekend of each month, we will be collecting non perishable food items for the local pantry. Please place your food items on the shelves in the South Hall. Thank you!

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: 1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12/Ps 119:57, 72, 76-77, 127-128, 129-130 (97a)/Rom 8:28-30/
Mt 13:44-52 or 13:44-46
Monday: Ex 32:15-24, 30-34/Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23/Mt 13:31-35
Tuesday: Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28/Ps 103:6-7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13/Mt 13:36-43
Wednesday: Ex 34:29-35/Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 9/Mt 13:44-46
Thursday: Ex 40:16-21, 34-38/Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a and 8a, 11/Mt 13:47-53
Friday: Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37/Ps 81:3-4, 5-6, 10 -11ab/Mt 13:54-58
Saturday: Lv 25:1, 8-17/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8/Mt 14:1-12
Next Sunday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9/2 Pt 1:16-19/Mt 17:1-9

OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday: St. Ignatius of Loyola, Priest
Tuesday: St. Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
Wednesday: St. Eusebius of Vercelli, Bishop; St. Peter Julian Eymard, Priest
Thursday:
Friday: St. John Vianney, Priest
Saturday: The Dedication of the Basilica of St. Mary Major
Next Sunday: The Transfiguration of the Lord

FORMED

To sign up on FORMEDF (a free gift from the parish) Go to: http://signup.formed.org/. Enter your parish zip code/name. Enter your name and email. This week on FORMED:
FORMED: St. Ignatius of Loyola (7/31)
Watch: Youth: Study: YDisciple: Called, Session 2: What is Discernment?
Read: The Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius of Loyola
Listen: Discerning Hearts: Discernment of Spirits
Listen: Heroes of the Catholic Reformation
Watch: Extraordinary Stories for Children (7/31 Death of Blessed Solanus Casey, stories from his life)

Parish Directory

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Friday: Office Closed

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Ryan Schaffer, *Director of Music*	Ext. 112

Information:

Baptism: Please call the Parish Office (ext. 100) to make arrangements.

Marriage: Please call the Parish Office at least six months in advance to make arrangements.

Anointing of the Sick: If a family member is hospitalized or homebound, please call the Parish Office. Privacy laws may prevent a hospital from telling us your loved one is there.

Reconciliation: 5:30 – 6:30 pm in the Reconciliation Room. See schedule below, or call the Parish Office for an appointment.

If you are moving: Please call or email the Parish Office with your new address and phone number or to let us know if you will be leaving our parish.

Word of Life

"A woman with an unexpected pregnancy may have any number of fears and challenges: facing judgment from her friends and family, losing her job or housing, or being abandoned by the father of her child. Following Mary's example, we can ask ourselves how to better know these mothers, listen to them, seek understanding, and help them obtain the necessities of life for themselves and their children." UUSCCB

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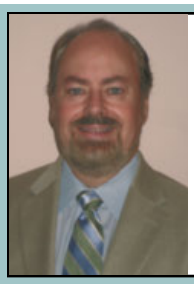

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