

Then a cloud appeared and enveloped them,
and a voice came from the cloud:
“This is my Son, whom I love.
Listen to him!”
Mark 9:7



Mission Statement of Saint Mary's Parish

We, the people of Saint Mary's Roman Catholic Church in Warren, Ohio, are a community of believers, pilgrims on a journey, expressing the presence of Jesus Christ in our unity. Existing to celebrate God's presence and share our faith, we reach out to all people in the spirit of love, thereby furthering the kingdom of God.

**St. Mary's
Warren, Ohio
February 28, 2021
Pastor: Rev. Frantisek Katrinak**

MASSES: **Saturday Evening** 4:00PM
Sunday 11:00AM
Eve of Holy Day/Holy Days Consult the bulletin.
Weekdays Monday, Wednesday and Friday: 12:05PM. Tuesdays and Thursdays No Mass at St. Mary

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE: In the Church Hall on Saturdays at 3:15PM before Mass, or you may call the Rectory (330) 393-8721 and make an appointment.

DIVINE MERCY ADORATION: All Fridays of each month, beginning at 12:30PM.

MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA: Mondays after 12:05PM Mass.

BAPTISM: Third Sunday of each month at the 11:00AM. Mass and every Sunday after the 11:00AM. Mass. Call Rectory Office to arrange Baptism (330) 393-8721.

MARRIAGES: Make arrangements at the rectory six months in advance.

FUNERALS: Make arrangements at the rectory before news publication.

SICK CALL: Please call the Rectory at any hour. (330) 393-8721 Never wait until the last moment. When being admitted into Trumbull Memorial Hospital, please indicate St. Mary's Parish.

CCD CLASSES: Pre-school (age 4) through 8th grade are held on Sunday mornings 10:00AM to 11:00AM at SJPII

**ST. MARY'S MASS SCHEDULE
AND MASS INTENTIONS**

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2021

4:00PM Robert Politsky (Joyce Persing)

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2021

11:00AM Margaret Sullivan
(Roseann & Mark Carnahan)

MONDAY, MARCH 1, 2021

12:05PM Leonard & Jean Batcha
(Mary & Kathy Batcha)

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3, 2021

12:05PM Sam Durr Sr. (Family)

FRIDAY, MARCH 5, 2021

12:05PM Thomas Mohr (Family)

SATURDAY, MARCH 6, 2021

4:00PM Fred Smith

SUNDAY, MARCH 7, 2021

11:00AM JoAnne Ondrejko (Colson Family)

THE MASS INTENTION BOOK FOR 2021 IS NOW FULL. Masses for 2022 are available. If you would like to reserve a mass intention for a loved one, you may call the Rectory Office and the form can be filled out for you.



STATIONS OF THE CROSS will be held every **Friday night at 6:00PM** during Lent. Please plan to join us on this pilgrimage as we move from station to station, recalling and meditating on each specific event from Christ's last day.

RESTORATION & RENOVATION Please continue to support the work currently being done on our windows. Thank you for your continued support.

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS ENVELOPE It is important that we continue to support the JFK Lower and Upper Campuses, the Catholic School in our area.

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HALLOW We are excited to share with you a new prayer resource that will hopefully be useful in your prayer lives and those of your families this Lent.

Hallow is a Catholic prayer and meditation app that helps users deepen their relationship with God through audio-guided contemplative prayer sessions. The app launched 2 years ago and is already the #1 Catholic app in the world. We have a number of parishioners who are already using the app and loving it. Great for praying alone or together with your spouse or family, Hallow truly has something for everyone, no matter what you are going through. The prayers are audio-guided and come in multiple lengths, usually 5, 10, or 15 minutes long. There is a male and female prayer guide option and over 1,000 individual meditations. Specifically for Lent, Hallow has put together a “#Pray40 Challenge” featuring daily Lenten meditations with multiple length options that work for every schedule and experience level. In honor of Pope Francis declaring 2021 as the “Year of St. Joseph,” the #Pray40 meditations will focus on growing in the virtues of the patron of the Universal Church, including humility, hiddenness, obedience, chastity, justice, and love of the poor. Hallow is free to download and has a substantial amount of permanently free content, as well as a premium subscription, Hallow Plus, that goes toward supporting their team. To get started, you can scan the QR code on the banner in the entrance to the church, take one of the handouts, or search “**Hallow**” in the app store.

GOSPEL MEDITATION How is your Lent going? By now you ought to have a sense of whether you're really “into it” this year and something transformational is happening. For many, it's only the stuff on the outside that changes for a few weeks and then they return to business as usual. For others, there are some real inner changes happening that are deepening their relationships with God, others, self, and creation. If we are serious about moving to a new place and radiating with the presence of new life and joy, then we have to clear the way to listen for God's call. Then, there is God's request to change things up a bit and order our lives differently. After realizing we have been called and given a mission, we have to trust that this is where we need to be. And then, after all of this hard work we are asked to act. The fruit that is revealed will indicate whether our journey is authentic. The brilliance of conversion will begin to shine on our faces as we contemplate the One to whom we are asked to listen.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL COLLECTIONS

Baskets will be on the radiator covers by the opened doors of the church **this weekend and every Sunday during Lent**. Collection for the First Sunday of Lent was \$202.00. Thank you for your continued generosity!

ST. MARY'S 400 CLUB May the Luck of the Irish be with you for the March drawing! Available numbers for purchase are: 024, 040, 047, 051, 060, 061, 067, 081, 092, 093, 096, 098, 102, 103, 105, 109, 139, 143, 159, 165, 167, 168, 173, 174, 189, 196, 199, 203, 209, 210, 211, 219, 226, 243, 259, 271, 272, 287, 294, 295, 297, 303, 321, 330, 342, 364, 366, 371, 379, 380, and 394.. Please contact St. Mary's Rectory at #330-393-8721 to purchase tickets. Thank you for always supporting St. Mary Parish.

THANK YOU to everyone who has made a commitment to the 2021 Annual Bishop's Appeal. However, we need the support of all members of our parish if we are to be successful in reaching our parish goal of **\$35, 300**. If you have not yet responded to the 2021 Annual Bishop's Appeal, please do so at this time using the commitment envelopes available in the church or by sending your commitment to the parish office. Parishioners who have not responded yet will be contacted soon about making a commitment. Bishop Bonnar is counting on the support of every parish family to meet our parish goal. Thank you for your support!

PLEASE JOIN US for the Miraculous Medal Novena after the 12:05PM daily mass on Mondays and the Divine Mercy Adoration after the 12:05PM daily mass on Fridays. All are welcome!

PIROHY SALE St. Elizabeth Ann Seton 175 Laird NE, Warren is sponsoring a pirohy sale on Friday, March 12th. Two varieties will be offered: potato and sweet cabbage The cost is \$6.00 a dozen. Haluski (cabbage and noodles) is \$3.75 for a quart bag. Advanced orders can be placed by calling #330 393-0781 on Monday and Tuesday. Please leave name and number with order or it will not be filled. Pick up is on Friday from Noon until 4:00PM. In addition, Nut, Apricot, and Poppyseed Kolache will be for sale on March 19th. Each roll is \$10.00. Easter Bread will be sold on March 26th from Noon to 4:00PM. Cost is \$5.00. Orders for Kolache and Easter bread may be placed when picking up Pirohy, or by calling #330-393-0781. Please leave your name and phone number when placing order or the order will not be filled. Thank you for your continued support.

ALTAR & ROSARY MEETINGS VIA ZOOM If you would like to attend the Altar & Rosary meetings, but would prefer not to come in person, you can still attend via a Zoom meeting hosted by member Nancy J. Contact her at nancyjohnson8793@gmail.com and she will send you an invitation to the next meeting. We want to see you!

GOOD FRIDAY LENTEN MEAL As we all know, Lent is a time of renewal, a time of promise and new beginnings. The Altar & Rosary Society is trying something new this year. We will be offering a Pierogi, Mac n' Cheese, and Cole Slaw meal for \$10.00. As this is a new endeavor and we are still following a Covid-19 protocol we will only be taking 50 orders. Contact Cathy Mazzi at #330-856-6159 or Sandy Pavlic at #330-469-9902 beginning March 1st to place your orders. Meals will be picked up on Holy Thursday between 1:00PM and 2:00PM. Thank you for your continued support !

EACH LENT, Catholic families across the country unite to put their faith into action through prayer, fasting and almsgiving. Through CRS Rice Bowl, families learn about how our sisters and brothers across the globe overcome hardships like hunger and malnutrition, and how through Lenten alms, we have the power to make the world a better place for all. Rice Bowls can be found at the rear of the church. Thank you for your generosity.

SEMINARIAN FEEDBACK: Our seminarian, Bob England, needs our assistance as he continues his studies to become a priest. One of the elements of his formation for priesthood is feedback, especially from the parishioners. Feedback pertaining to his Reflections, teaching, or general comments about his ministry are requested. Bob welcomes positive or challenging feedback based on how he has been observed. Please include your email and he will be happy to answer questions or respond to your comments. You may leave feedback at:

www.percorso.app/givefeedback/rengland

PARISH EMAIL: Readings, Homily, and Bulletin are sent out every Monday morning. Please contact the Rectory if you would like your email added to the list.

MASKS ARE NOW MANDATORY as per Governor Dewine. Please remember to take your bulletin and Mass sheets home. Please do not leave them in the pews after Mass. Thank you.

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