

‘BULLETIN COPY – ST. MARY CHURCH – GROVEPORT, OHIO - SUNDAY, April 3 – USE CUT # 2-B

Saturday	5:00 p.m.	For the Parish Family
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	Dick Krauss by Mike Krauss
	11:00 a.m.	Brice Metzger by Al Roehrenbeck
Monday	8:30 a.m.	Novena & Rosary
Tuesday	8:30 a.m.	Phyllis Richards by Irene & Bob Fagan
Wednesday	8:30 a.m.	Betty Verbance by David Verbance
Thursday	8:30 a.m.	Mike & Lee Nowak by Linda & Gerald Casey
Friday	8:30 a.m.	David Hetterscheidt by Family
Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Doug Elzey by Dick & Judi Matz
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	Carrie Billiter by Her Parents
	11:00 a.m.	For the Parish Family

THIS WEEKEND

SERVER SCHEDULE

Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Brian Ropchock, Frank Trammer, Blair Williams
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	Jonathan Maier, Branson Cline, Sharon Merritt
	11:00 a.m.	Connie Brown, Sandro Nuakey

NEXT WEEKEND

Brian Ropchock, Frank Trammer Blair Williams
Colleene Weiser, Jonathan Maier, Marita Surry
Connie Brown, Sandro Nuakey, Eli Nuakey

LECTOR SCHEDULE

Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Sydney Blain, Sandy Williams
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	JoEllen Stebelton, Colleene Weiser
	11:00 a.m.	Joanne Myers, Noreen Reeves

Sandy Trammer, Laura Slaby
Dave Solack, Ken Koebel
Mayellen Fowler, Patricia Raynak

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER SCHEDULE

Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Judi Matz, Marilyn O’Linn, Sandy Trammer, Blair Williams, Regina Courey
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	Christine Boucher, Mark Dorion, Irene Fagan, Pat Jenkins, Ken Koebel
	11:00 a.m.	Jan Gale, John Kinch, Marie Kujawksi, Noreen Reeves, Bill Reeves

Sandy Williams, Regina Courey, Phil Feldmeier, Pam Gerardi, Shawna Gentile
Mary Slone, JoEllen Stebelton, Carolyn Veit, Rosemarie Watters, Christine Boucher
Nancy Scholl, Carl Scholl, Jean Bobst, Dorothy Carter, Jan Gale

CANTOR SCHEDULE

Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Debra Smith
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	Susan Howell
	11:00 a.m.	Kathy Frank

Debra Smith
Bob Fagan
Jeff Buffer

From The Pastor’s Desk

Readings: In Acts, you will notice that the Apostles do what Jesus did in the flesh, which shows that Christ is alive and truly risen. The community of believers is growing. The response is a hymn of joy and the stone rejected has become the cornerstone.... The vision in Revelation is of the risen / resurrected Lord (the first and the last) who was dead and now is alive.

In the Gospel, we have the giving of the Holy Spirit to the Apostles on Easter Day, and some still not believing.

We wish to welcome Kacey Blaine Limbach, Houston Michael Palmer and Alyssa Simone Tackett, who at the Easter Vigil were Baptized, Confirmed, and received Holy Eucharist.

We also welcome Kristy Anna Benedetti, Lisa Marie Leonard, Cody Scott Limbach and Tiffany Simone Limbach who were received into Full Communion.

The Easter Season is a traditional time when homes may be blessed. Fr. Metzger will be available to bless the home of anyone who would wish the blessing. Please call the Parish Office at 614-497-1324, or send an e-mail to stmarygroveport@hotmail.com to make arrangements for a home blessing.

Holy Water that was blessed at the Easter Vigil may be taken for home use. It is there as a reminder of our Baptism and our new life in the Lord.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, April 3 – Acts 5:12-16 / Rv 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19 / Jn 20:19-31

Monday, April 4 – Is 7:10-14, 8:10 / Heb 10:4-10 / Lk 1:26-38

Tuesday, April 5 – Acts 4:32-37 / Jn 3:7b-15

Wednesday, April 6 – Acts 5:17-26 / Jn 3:16-21

Thursday, April 7 – Acts 5:27-33 / Jn 3:31-36

Friday, April 8 – Acts 5:34-42 / Jn 6:1-15

Saturday, April 9 – Acts 6:1-7 / Jn 6:16-21

Sunday, April 10 – Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41 / Rv 5:11-14 / Jn 21:1-19 or 21:1-14

OUR GIFTS TO GOD AND CHURCH

March 20 – Sunday Offering - \$4,841.00

Easter Flowers - \$445.00

March 27 – Sunday Offering - \$4,788.63

Easter - \$1,681.00 Holy Land - \$828.00

God bless you for your continued support of St. Mary Church!

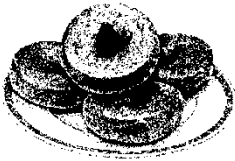
Rice Bowl Donations can be turned in at any time. Please place your donations in the basket in the P.S.R. Office at the back of the church.

Next week, we will take up the Collection for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe. This collection supports Catholic organizations that provide affordable shelter and training for seminarians in a region that still struggles from the effects of Soviet rule. By providing pastoral care,

catechesis, and funding for building renovations, your donations help restore the Church and build the future in the region. Please give generously to the collection next week.

Help Your Marriage Be Anything But Ordinary: On a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend, you'll learn to make your relationship central, and extraordinary. The next two weekends are April 22-24 and August 5-7, both in Central Ohio. For more information or to register, contact Paul & Marilou Clouse at 614-834-6880 or visit our website at www.wwmecolumbus.org.

St. Ladislav Parish, 277 Reeb Avenue, Columbus, will be having its Annual Spaghetti Dinner from 12:00 noon to 5:00 p.m. on Sunday, April 17. The dinner includes spaghetti, meatballs, salad, bread, dessert and beverage, all for the cost of \$8.00 for Adults, \$5.00 for Children/Seniors. Carry-outs will be available.



Help is needed to take care of the church grounds through the year! This includes mulching, weeding, watering, and deadheading the flowers. You will be trained if needed and this could be a shared project if we could get 3-4 to help. If you are interested, please call Deborah New at 614-795-2467.

St. Mary Prayer Line is always open for new participants and for your special prayer intentions. All that is asked of you is to pray! Please feel free to e-mail prayerline99@hotmail.com or call **Nancy Scholl at 614-836-2537**. Your email is kept private, but you do not have to be online with email to participate in the prayer line. There is a mailing to those without email every week.

The PSR 5th, 6th and 7th Grade Classes will be making 500 sandwiches for St. Lawrence Haven to feed the hungry of Columbus this Sunday, April 3.

St. Vincent de Paul

The St. Vincent de Paul has a food basket in the vestibule for the Groveport Food Pantry. For the month of April, they are requesting **canned meat and/or pasta sauce**. The next SVDP meeting will be on Sunday, April 10 at 12:00 p.m.

Thank you to all who donated baked goods, or helped prepare and serve the Meal for the Homeless last week!

The SVDP clothing/household furniture truck will be here next weekend, April 9th & 10th. The truck holds a lot; let's fill her up!

St. Vincent de Paul Youth Group

Krispy Kreme Donut Sale sponsored by the SVDP Youth, will be held this weekend, April 2 & 3 after each Mass. Plan to pick up a quick snack or breakfast!

Kroger Rewards renewal time! If you are a current supporter of the St. Vincent de Paul Youth group through Kroger Rewards, it is that time of year to renew your commitment to our youth group. Just log-in to your Kroger account, go to "my account" and at the bottom update your Kroger Rewards to "SMSVDP YOUTH" #80217. If you are **not** a current supporter, now is a great time to sign up! For more instructions, please take an info sheet off the bulletin board in the vestibule or call Christine Boucher at 614-563-9540.

The Forever Young Club will meet Tuesday, April 5 at 1:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. All seniors are welcome!

The Men's Club will meet on Wednesday, April 13 at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

Date change! Please save the new date! The Mother/Child luncheon will be on Sunday, May 1 from 1:00-3:00 in the Parish Hall. Details to follow!

Hugs and Prayers – Please remember in Prayer those of our Parish family and friends who at this time are hospitalized, ill, or recovering: Rosa Alonzo, Ann Arnett, Virginia Bauman, Mary Jo Borghese, The Brothers Family, Tom Bryan, Chris Burkhart, Kathy Daw, Al Elizondo, Dominic Elizondo, Giuseppe Fazio, Shirley Jo Fraley, Ben Garrison, Mary Getreu, Audrey Hall, Cody Hetterscheidt, Tara Hetterscheidt, Bill & Agnes Hillis, Austin Hosfeld, Steve Howell, Jake & Maureen Jajczyk, Mary Jones, Mary Kampf, Barb Kellenbarger, Evelyn Kelley, Tim Leddy, Lisa Leonard, Julie Litsinberger, Msgr. Bob Metzger, Mike Metzger, Rita Martini, Dick Matz, Maria Mayes, Wanda Mennetti, Mary Jo McKinney, Maxine & Tom McLoughlin, Renee Parlin, Joseph C. Ramsey, Fr. Reichert, Matthew Riordan, Gene Schrader, Lucy Snyder, Bernie Sokolowski, Virginia Theado, Dave Verbance, Howard & Rosemarie Watters, Caroline Weiland, Jeanne West, Virginia Whittemore, and Jim, Cathy Williams & Family.

Please pray for the soul of Donna Barrett, whose funeral we celebrated last week. Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and may the perpetual light shine upon her. May she rest in peace. Amen.