

HOLY ANGELS CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. Robert J. Stellini, Pastor

APRIL — Month of the Eucharist

April 22, 2018 — 4th Sunday of Easter (B)

“The stone rejected by the builders has become the cornerstone.” —Ps 118:1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29

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Youth Group Minister

Sarah Alley

Pastoral Council

Rev. Robert Stellini, Rev. Mr. Bill Winston,

Pete Hinkel, Sarah Jean, Terry Piskorski,

Moe Sims, Carrie Beld, and Sarah Alley.

Members: (15/18) Beth Bell, Gertrude

Cayabas; (16/19) David Cohen, Lara

Freidhof, Ed Sumara; (17/20) Judy

Boehmler, Joseph McGowan

Welcome & Registration

We welcome any visitors, including those who may not be of our Catholic faith. We pray that our celebration of the sacred liturgy today was a meaningful one for you.

If you are a new member in the parish, complete a census form and return it to the church office. Census forms can be found in the foyer. To date we have 243 families and 673 members.

Mission Statement

Holy Angels is a Catholic community of faith joining past, present, and future members on a journey with Christ to the Father. Through worship, stewardship, evangelization, and works of charity, we strive to more perfectly image God, who is love.

Online Giving is now available. Simply click on the online giving button under Quick Links on our website homepage.



To Notify the Parish of a Seriously Ill Family Member

If a family member has been admitted to the hospital or is ill at home and wants it to be announced at the Masses so our parish community can pray for their intentions, please contact the parish office and let us know. We will only do this with the permission of the sick person or a member of his/her family.

Sacraments

Eucharist - Sat Vigil: 5:00 p.m.; Sun: 8:00 a.m. & 10:45 a.m.; Daily Mass: M, W, Th, F at 12 noon; First Saturday ONLY is at 8:00 a.m.; (Holydays - See special announcement in bulletin)

Penance - Sat: 4:30-4:45 p.m.; Sun: 7:30-7:45 a.m. & 10:15-10:30 a.m. (and by appt.)

Baptism - A preparation class is required of the parents requesting Baptism for their first child. Parents and godparents are encouraged to attend the class before the baby's birth. (Scheduled as needed.)

Confirmation - Confirmation is celebrated in the spring with students who are at least in the 8th grade and have completed the requirements for the preparation process in our PRE program.

Matrimony - Couples planning to marry should contact the Pastor at least 5 months prior to the proposed date so all parish and diocesan requirements may be completed.

Holy Orders - If you feel called to a vocation in the priesthood or religious life, please contact the pastor.

Anointing of the Sick - If you wish to receive this sacrament, contact the pastor. If there is an emergency situation, an immediate family member should contact the pastor.

Bulletin Announcement Deadline

Announcements for the bulletin must be received in writing by 12 noon on Monday to be printed in the following Sunday's bulletin.

Protecting God's Children

The Diocese of Memphis, encourages all victims, or parents of minors who are victims, of sexual abuse by a priest, deacon or diocesan employee or agent, to report such abuse by phoning any of the following numbers: Tennessee Child Abuse Hotline (1-877-237-0004) or Victim Assistance Coordinator (901-652-4066). All reports will be treated in a confidential manner. The Diocese of Memphis offers a program of psychological and spiritual assistance to abused victims in need. (2/15/2017)

Year End Financial Statements

Year end financial statements showing financial contributions to Holy Angels will only be prepared for those parishioners who request them. Please call or email the parish office and put your name on the list if you want to receive one.

Funerals

When planning a funeral for a loved one, please call the pastor before making any arrangements with the funeral home regarding the date and time of visitation, the funeral Mass or service at the funeral home.

Hospitality Committee

Holy Angels will provide a luncheon after a funeral Mass if the family of the deceased requests one. The Hospitality Committee consists of several women from the parish who volunteer to host the luncheons. Someone from the committee will be calling on you for food and help when the need arises.

Church Bulletin by Mail

If you know of a Holy Angels parishioner who is homebound and would like to receive the church bulletin by mail, please contact Cathi Shea in the parish office.

Nursery

The nursery is located in the classroom next to the kitchen in the parish hall. The nursery is open to children birth to 4 years.

NEW Church Website: www.holyangelscc.com

Collection Report for 4/15/18	
Reg. Coll.:	\$4,223.00
Online donations:	\$565.00
Votive Candles:	\$77.00
Social & Fundraising Rev	\$16.25
Mother's Day:	\$180.00
Father's Day	\$20.00
Catholic Home Missions	\$20.00
Seminarian Educ Fund	\$20.00
Cath Comm Camp	\$20.00
Total Reg. Coll.:	\$5,141.25
Reg. Disbursements:	\$6,832.34
B/M Collection:	\$95.00
B/M Disbursements:	\$0.00

Attendance (225 families)
4/15 32-80-91 203

PRE attendance for 4/15/18
Present: 73 of 93 (78%)
Excused: 0 Absent: 20
REMEMBER that you must call/email excuse into Pete Hinkel in Parish Office

2nd Collections for April
4/1 1) Building Maintenance
2) Seminarian Education Collection
4/29 Catholic Home Missions
Special April Collection
Mother's Day Remembrance Envelope

Anniversaries Apr 22nd – 28th
4/22 Bill & Cathy Bona 24
4/26 Alfredo & Elida Martinez
Birthdays Apr 22nd – 28th
4/23 Allison Morgan, Karina Sanchez
4/24 Jerome Betonio
4/26 Richard Spence
4/27 Jeremy Krulik
4/28 Kerrie Heckethorn, Elyse Mischler, Caesar Serquina

Alb Care Volunteers
Apr – Carri Stegeman
May – Janette Pepito
Altar Linen Care Volunteers
Apr – Charlotte Haslett
May – Linda Epley

Votive Candles Small, 10-hour votive candles are 50¢ and large, 6-day candles are \$3. Payment envelopes are available at the candles alcove. Drop envelope in the collection basket. Candle money must be in a candle envelope to be properly posted to the candle fund.

Vocations — 4th Sunday of Easter On this Good Shepherd Sunday we celebrate the World Day of Prayer for Vocations. Pray for vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, and consecrated life, especially for our diocese. If you are considering such a vocation, you can reach Fr. Patrick Gallagher at 901-373-1243 or visit www.memphiscovations.com

MINISTERS SCHEDULE for NEXT WEEK (submitted by Steve Stanionis)

April 29, 2018		5:00 PM	8:00 AM	10:45 AM
Greeters		Jim Pickard	Jamie McGowan	George Yarbrow
		Connie Van Vickle	Rylee Rud	Kathy Yarbrow
Lector		Denise Hinkel	Jamie McGowan	Carol Thompson
Extraordinary	1	Peter Hinkel	Jennifer Ebelhar	Tanya Larraga
Ministers	2	Sue Hurst	Aaron Boone	Ken Schwarz
of Holy	3		Jamie McGowan	Elizabeth Schwarz
Communion	4			
Servers	1		Sarah Isbell	Leo Bona
	2		Jake Ebelhar	Matt Pepito
	3		Kate Ebelhar	Zade Hunsley
Ushers	1	Michelle Piskorski	Tim Bruewer	Reed Bona
	2	Corey Piskorski	Joseph Durbin	Ken Dunn
Honor Fam		Joan Fisher	Ben Morgan Family	Pepito Family
Sacristan			Debbie McAndrew	Anna Maddox
Min of Sick				Ashley Piskorski

Remember it is your responsibility to get a replacement if you are unable to serve. Please contact Steve Stanionis at dadionis@cablone.net or 693-6254 two weeks before the end of the current schedule if you will not be available.

MASS SCHEDULE for THIS WEEK

Week of April 22nd – 28th			
			Sanctuary Candle – Memory of Clover & Vincent Recker by Barbara Johnson Bread & Wine Flowers – Easter Flowers
4/22	Su	8:00 am 10:45	People of Holy Angels Memory of Eileen Jackson by the Pinkowski Family
4/23	M	Noon	Memory of Marvin Schultz by Rod & Charlotte Haslett
4/25	W	Noon	Memory of Bill & Beth Haynes by Charles & Sandra Haynes
4/26	Th	Noon	Memory of Doreen Melton by her children
4/27	F	Noon	Memory of Don Fisher by Joan Fisher
4/28	Sa	5:00 pm	Memory of Mary Emery Jetton by Donna Emery

MEETINGS & SCHEDULED EVENTS

4/23	M	6:00 pm	Finance Council - 1 st Budget Meeting - Conf Room
4/26	Th	6:00 pm	Emergency Preparedness Program in Parish Hall
4/30	M	6:00 pm	Finance Council - 2 nd Budget Meeting - Conf Room
5/3	Th	7:00 pm	Knights of Columbus Meeting in Parish Hall Grand Knight, Terry Piskorski 731-285-6638
5/4	F	Noon	First Friday Mass/Devotion
5/5	Sa	8:00 am 9:30 am 10:30 am	First Saturday Mass/Devotion 1 st Communion Practice 1 st Communion Mass followed by reception in the Parish Hall for 1 st Communicants, their families and guests
5/6	Su	10:45 am 11:45 am	May Crowning <i>Cinco de Mayo Party</i> in the Parish Hall and special recognition to our new RCIA candidates
4/23	M	6:00 pm	Finance Council - 1st Budget Meeting - Conf Room

Check out the new parish website: www.holyangelscc.com

Parents of Graduating Seniors Each year, we like to recognize the graduating seniors in the parish. If you have a student graduating, please email us their name, institution from which he/she is graduating and his/her future plans. We will announce the Holy Angels graduating seniors and their future plans in the June 3rd bulletin.

2018-2019 PRE Registration Information

1. The Discount Deadline for the 2018-2019 PRE Registration is 3:00 pm on July 5, 2018. Tuition on or before July 5, 2018 is \$25 for the first child, and \$5 for each remaining child in the family. Tuition after July 5, 2018 is \$30 for the first child, and \$10 for each remaining child in the family.
2. 2018-2019 PRE Registration Deadline is 3:00 pm on July 25, 2018. The only registrations that will be accepted after this deadline will be for newly registered families moving into the area.
3. Classes begin on Sunday, August 12, 2018. ***Note: All PRE classes are held on Sunday morning.**
4. 2018-2019 PRE Registration Packets can be found on the shelves in the foyer under the bulletin board and on the website. **A completed PRE registration form, a Medical Release Form and a Media Permission Form are required EACH year for EACH student** registering for PRE. All three forms are included in the registration packet. ****Note: If your child has received a sacrament (Baptism, 1st Penance, 1st Communion, Confirmation) or has made a Profession of Faith in a Catholic Church other than Holy Angels, please attach a copy of the sacramental certificate to the registration packet.**
5. 1st Penance/1st Communion Registration Packets will be handed out and discussed with the students and their parents at the **MANDATORY** Parent/Student Meeting on Sunday, August 19, 2018 at 9:30 a.m. in the parish hall
6. Confirmation Registration Packets and Service hour information will be handed out and discussed with the 7th and 8th grades students and their parents at the **MANDATORY** Parent/Student Meeting on Sunday, August 26, 2018. The meetings will be held in the 7th & 8th grade classrooms.
7. Also, keep in mind the diocesan requirement that students registering for a sacrament (1st Penance, 1st Communion, Confirmation) must have attended PRE here or somewhere else the prior year in order to register for the sacrament. These students must also provide a copy of the certificate for all sacraments already received.
8. Service Scholarship applications can be found on the PRE bulletin board in the PRE hall at the canopy entrance and on the website.
9. **All PRE registrations packets and sacramental class registration packets are to be turned in to Mr. Pete Hinkel in the parish office.** For your convenience, registration packets/tuition can be dropped off at the parish office, mailed to the parish office or dropped in either of the secure drop boxes provided. (1. On the wall next to the mailbox outside, or 2. On the wall next to Pete Hinkel's office.)

Bible Study meets on Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m. in the 5th-6th grade classroom. The current study is "The End: A Study of the Book of Revelations" by Scott Hahn. If you are interested in joining us or would like more info, contact Judy Boehmler at 731-589-6773 or boehmler@cableone.net. **NOTE: When the schools are on break there is NO bible study.**
--Judy Boehmler, Bible Study Coordinator

Youth Group meets on Wednesday nights, 6:00-7:30 p.m. except during school breaks and doctor visits for me. *--Sarah Alley, YG Director*
2018 Youth Group Calendar

- Apr 25 Devotion time; games & fun
- May 2 Make posters for Mission Blitz
- May 5 Mission Blitz Service Day with all youth in Dyer County
- May 9 Devotion time; games & fun
- May 16 End of year Pool Party

Ministry to the Sick Eucharistic ministers bring the comfort of Christ in the form of the Eucharist to those who cannot come to church; they bring the Church to people. In this way the sick and homebound are united to the Body of Christ present in our community. If you know of any parishioner who would like a visit by one of our Ministers to the Sick, please contact Cathi Shea in the Parish Office.

2018 Bishop's Annual Appeal Thanks to all our parishioners who have made their gift to the 2018 Bishop's Annual Appeal. As of April 8th, Holy Angels has collected \$3910 which is 21.2% of our goal of \$17,500 and our parish participation is 15.1%. If you have not yet made a pledge, please complete the pledge card you received in the mail, indicating your gift or pledge to our diocesan church. It is important for all of us to participate in supporting our diocesan church. If you cannot make a financial gift at this time, you can still participate by marking the box "I pledge my prayers for the Church" located at the bottom of the commitment card. We would like to reach 100% participation!

Mother's Day Envelopes Remember to submit your Mother's Day Remembrance Envelope listing your mother and any other significant women who have enlivened your heart and soul anytime during the month of April so it will be on the altar for Mother's Day, Sunday, May 13th. By submitting your envelope, you will provide them with the priceless gift of prayer for their particular needs. You will be asking God to shower his love and blessing on them and to strengthen them and reward them for their love and care for you. The envelopes will be on the altar the entire month of May.

April 23rd — Budget Meetings The Finance Council will begin Budget Meetings starting Monday, April 23rd at 6:00 p.m. in the Conference Room.
Budget Meeting #1 – Monday, April 23rd
Budget Meeting #2 – Monday, April 30th
Budget Meeting #3 – Monday, May 7th

Apr 26th — Emergency Preparedness Program In light of recent events here at home and abroad, Jeremy Krulik, Holy Angels' Emergency Preparedness Coordinator, Mark Grant from the City of Dyersburg Emergency Operations Center, and the Dyersburg Police Department will present a program on how to handle natural disasters and active shooter incidents. This will take place on Thursday, April 26th at 6:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. I invite all of our parishioners to attend this session which has the potential to save lives in case of an emergency. Light refreshments will be available.

Apr 26th — Senior Citizens Day This retreat day is a special event for Senior Citizens at Our Lady Queen of Peace Retreat Center, to celebrate the spring season. This day begins with a staff welcome at 11:00, followed by Morning Prayer in the Chapel. Our culinary team, who specialize in hospitality, will serve an excellent home-cooked lunch. Musical entertainment will be provided by Terry Starr with a raffle drawing after the meal. The day concludes at 1:30 p.m. with a prayer of thanksgiving. Suggested offering: \$15. You may register on line at olqpretreats.com or email debbie.voyles@olqp.cdom.org or call 731-548-2500.

Apr 29th — The VIRTUS Touching Safety Program will be taught to the 7-12th grade PRE classes.

Apr 29th — The Catholic Home Missions Appeal Help strengthen the Church at home! Your generosity will provide catechesis, seminarian education, lay ministry training, and other pastoral programs in needy dioceses across the United States

May 5th — First Communion

1st Communion Practice is Saturday, May 5th at 9:30 a.m.

1st Communion Mass is Saturday, May 5th at 10:30 a.m.



There will be reception in the Parish Hall immediately after for all of our 1st Communicants, their families and guests.

Congratulations

Maria Lupita Bocanegra Medina, Erika Bocanegra, Owen Bona, Juan Carlos Garcia Ponce, Caden Meador, Erick Olvera, Caroline Beauvais Pugh, Farnsworth Eugene Pugh IV, Clara Adelaine Salinas Serquina, Luis Ernesto Vazquez Gonzalez Rosas, and Tania Vazquez

May 6th — The VIRTUS Touching Safety Program will be taught to the K-6th grade PRE classes.

May 6th — May Crowning will take place at the 10:45 Mass.



May 6th — SAVE THE DATE / Cinco de Mayo Party

featuring authentic Mexican food and homemade tamales after the 10:45 Mass. More details to come and sign-up sheets too!!! Special recognition will be given to Madison Cooper and May Stuart. During the Easter Vigil, they made a profession of faith, were confirmed and received their first Communion. Congratulations to Madison and May as they have been fully initiated into the Catholic faith.

May 13th — Mother's Day



May 20th — Last PRE class for the 2017-2018 school year will be Sunday, May 20th. Please make sure you get your kids registered for the 2018-2019 school year before the deadlines.

4th Sunday of Easter (B) April 21/22, 2018

APRIL – Month of the Holy Eucharist

The 4th Sunday of Easter is traditionally referred to as *Good Shepherd Sunday*. Hearing the Shepherd's voice, followers recognize and know it is their God. Safe in the knowledge that they cannot be taken from the hand of the Shepherd, those who hear his voice follow as faithful believers willing to go where God calls and sends them. When all the clamor of false voices and seductive distractions threaten to overwhelm, we have only to listen carefully to be led to do the work of the Father.

FIRST READING (Acts of the Apostles 4:8-12) Peter clearly explains to Jewish leaders and elders that the healing of a cripple was done in the name of Jesus, the Nazorean. Accusing them of having crucified Jesus, Peter asserts that God foiled their plan by raising Jesus from the dead. Quoting Psalm 118, Peter claims that God made Jesus, the stone they rejected, the cornerstone of God's building, the stone that holds the whole building together. As a result, "there is no other name under heaven...by which we are to be saved." Salvation is assured to anyone who lives and acts in the manner of Jesus, the cornerstone of God's building.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM (Psalm 118:1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29) Peter quotes the psalm refrain to show how Jesus, the stone rejected by others, has been raised by God and made the cornerstone. This psalm of trust and confidence images God as good and full of mercy, whose loving kindness and covenant love endures forever. God is our savior, who answers us in time of need and restores all those who have been rejected and abandoned. Such wonders that God does on our behalf can only elicit praise, thanksgiving and blessing of God now and always. Easter Time calls us to praise and bless God always.

SECOND READING (1 John 3:1-2) By God's gracious gift in Christ Jesus, we are now children of God. This gift is ours, despite the refusal of the world, the place of unbelief, to acknowledge us as such. What we shall be when the end time comes, we shall know, see and be like the Lord always. This is our Easter hope and prayer.

GOSPEL (John 10:11-18) On this Good Shepherd Sunday, we hear one of Jesus' clean "I AM" statements, "I am the good shepherd." Shepherds are scripturally understood to be the leaders who are to model for others the care and concern that God has for all people. As the Good Shepherd, Jesus contrasts himself with the hired hand, other leaders who work for pay and are not concerned for the sheep. He is the good shepherd because he cares for the sheep even to the point of laying down his life for them. Jesus desires all to be one, loving and caring for one another the way he freely and willingly loves and cares for us. All this is exactly the will of the Father and Jesus models that life perfectly.

REFLECTION Many people have never seen a real sheep. Sheep are pictured as cute, clean little lambs—an adorable pet. In reality, sheep are not very bright and they need a lot of care including someone to guide them, shear them, care for hoofs and dock their tails. For many children involved in programs like 4-H, the sheep is a "starter animal." Instinctually, sheep will follow each other and try and stay together. If they are separated, they will work desperately to return to the flock. When we hear the parable of the lost sheep, it may not dawn on us that the lone sheep may have been trying to find his way back to Jesus, the Good Shepherd. There is a picture that floats around the internet of "Shrek the Sheep" who was lost in the rocks and crags for over six years. He was almost unrecognizable and could barely see, because he was so overgrown. When sheered, his wool weighed sixty pounds compared to the average ten. It is a powerful metaphor for what happens when we become estranged from God for a long time and burdened with our sins. Reconciliation serves us as a good sheering.

Readings: 4th Week of Easter (B)

Su	4/22	Acts 4:8-12 • Ps 118:1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28-29 • 1 John 3:1-2 • John 10:11-18
M	4/23	Acts 11:1-18 • Ps 42:2-3; 43:3-4; • John 10:1-10
Tu	4/24	Acts 11:19-26 • Ps 87:1-7 • John 10:22-30
W	4/25	1 Peter 5:5-14 • Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17 • Mark 16:15-20
Th	4/26	Acts 13:13-25 • Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25, 27 • John 13:16-20
F	4/27	Acts 13:26-33 • Ps 2:6-11 • John 14:1-6
Sa	4/28	Acts 13:44-52 • Ps 98:1-4 • John 14:7-14