



Saint Mark
the Evangelist Catholic Church

Father Joseph Culotta, Pastor

HAPPY LABOR DAY!!

MASS ON MONDAY, SEP. 4 AT 9:00AM

Masses:

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 P.M.
 Sunday: 7:45 A.M. and 10:30 A.M.
 Holy Days: 7:00 A.M. and 6:00 P.M.

Confession:

Saturday: 2:30-3:30 P.M. or by appointment

Weekday Mass (Chapel):

Wednesday: 6:00 P.M.
 Thursday and Friday: 8:30 A.M.
 First Saturday: 9:00 A.M.

Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 3, 2017
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 The Church office closed on Monday.
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Chapel Open for Prayer

Monday through Thursday: 6:00 A.M. – 7:00 P.M.
 Friday: 6:00 A.M. – 3:30 P.M.
 Sunday: 12 Noon – 7:00 P.M.
 First Friday Exposition: 9:00 A.M. – 12:00 Noon

Marriage Requirements at least six months in advance:

Meet with Father Culotta @ 980-1810, ext. #2
 Visit wedding link on Website prior to meeting

Baptism Requirements & Preparation Class:

Contact Anne Hane 410-0692 or ahane@bellsouth.net

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✠ PRAYER LIST

Howard Bayless	Kathy Hix	Cecilia Ragusa
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Sam Culotta	Kathy Matuszak	Gertrude Sgroi
Paula Culotta	Jim Meggs	Vita Stamba
Hope DeFalco	Bobbie Mitchim	Don St. Denis
Carol Gaffney	Marietta Molay	Jackie Tevendale
Tim & Mary Jo Gill	Georgeann Moseley	Annie Tomburello
Carlos Godinez	Rosalie Nabilolo	Charles&Sharon Varano
Joseph Guenther	Mark Newton	Santo Vizzina
Gary Haworth	Jean Purner	Jeanne Welsh
David Howard		Stephen Wilkens

Mass Intentions

- Mon. Sep. 4- 9:00 A.M. Jean Funk*
Mon. Sep. 4- 10:30 A.M. at Somerby Retirement
Wed. Sep. 6- 6:00 PM - Craig Monson
Thurs. Sep. 7- 8:30 A.M. - Josephine Romano
Fri. Sep. 8 - 8:30 A.M. - Brian & Sara Rygiel
Sat. Sep. 9- 4:00 P.M. - Paulette Curry
Sun. Sep. 10- 7:45 A.M. - Elizabeth M. Young
Sun. Sep. 10- 10:30 A.M. - People of the Parish

Weekly Readings

- 4 Mon** - 1 Thes 4:13-18/Lk 4:16-30
5 Tue - 1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11/Lk 4:31-37
6 Wed - Col 1:1-8/Lk 4:38-44
7 Thu - Col 1:9-14/Lk 5:1-11
8 Fri - Rom 8:28-30/Mt 1:1-16, 18-23
9 Sat - Col 1:21-23/Lk 6:1-5
10 SUN - Ez 33:7-9/Rom 13:8-10/Mt 18:15-20

Financial Information

	<u>Week of 8/27/17</u>
Weekly Offertory	\$ 8,055
Building Fund	\$ 6,668
Holy Days	\$ 25
	\$ 14,748
	<u>Year to Date</u>
Weekly Offertory	\$ 526,618
Building Fund	\$ 671,599
Holy Days	\$ 11,926
Total Collected	\$ 1,210,143
Budgeted	\$ 1,103,124

Sympathy

Let us pray to the Lord for all who have died, especially
...Tim Roach, son of Bill and Pat Roach
...Stanley Burczyk, brother of Dolorene Sackman
...Nick Marino, father of Nick Jr. and Lisa and son of
Sal and Jean Marino

Supper Club

St. Mark's Supper Club is open to all adults. We meet at a local restaurant for dinner and socializing. It's a wonderful way to meet your fellow parishioners and share a meal. Our upcoming supper will be held at Carrabba's on 280. We'll meet at 5:15 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 9. Each person is responsible for paying for their own meal. Contact for reservations is Cathy Johnson, at pilgrimmta@att.net, or call 266-9685. Deadline for reservations is Thursday, Sept. 7.

RCIA

RCIA: Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Have you, or someone you know, thought about joining the Catholic Church?

Have you, or someone you know, not received the Sacraments of Initiation:

Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist?

Then RCIA is the beginning of the answers!

RCIA will begin on Monday, Sept. 18 at 7 PM in the PLC.

There is no preregistration necessary.

Please join us!

If up have any questions please call Phil at 205 541 5625 or email

pfboettcher@att.net<mailto:pfboettcher@att.net>

Knights of Columbus

Our next meeting will be on Sunday **Sept. 10th** (not Sept. 3) at 7:00 pm in the Parish Life Center.

All Members are encouraged to attend to discuss upcoming events, celebrate the success of our most recent events, and for fellowship.

If you are not currently a member but wish to join or have questions about the Knights of Columbus, contact us kofc13446@aol.com

Adult Education Program



Biblical Walk through the Mass

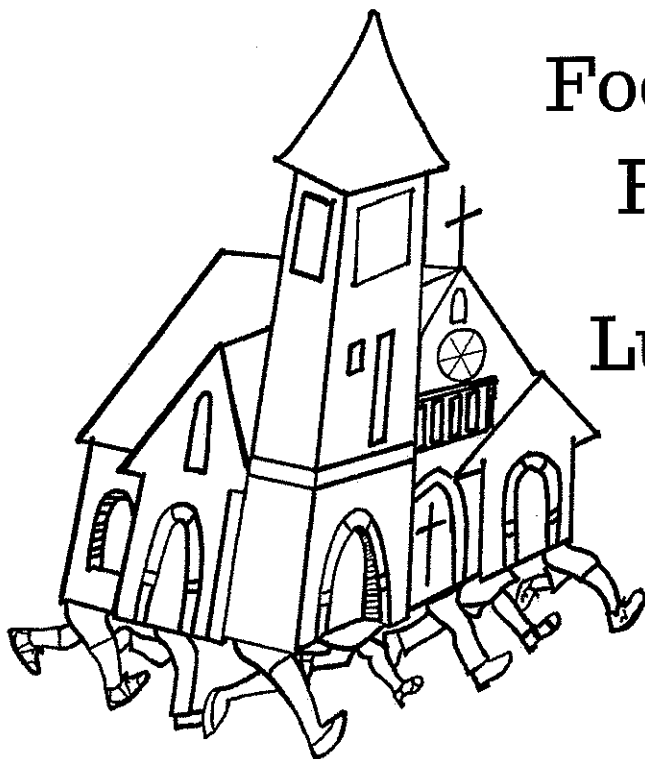
The program will begins on Wednesday evening
6:45-8 PM

& Thursday morning 9:15 - 11 AM
in the Parish Center

ALL ARE WELCOME

SAINT MARK CELEBRATES

Our Parish on the Move



**Food, Fun, and
Fellowship**

**Lunch and Speaker
Presentation**

**Entertainment
for the Kids**

**Commemorating our
Past, Present, and Future**



Join us for our Anniversary Celebration

Sunday, September 17

Immediately following 10:30 Mass

**Hamburgers and Hotdogs
provided by Knights of
Columbus**

**Special Guest:
Joe Paprocki**



Have a Good Marriage? Want to have a Great, Exciting & Romantic One?

Why settle for merely good when you can have the exciting and romantic relationship you both dreamed about just a few years ago? Now is the time to reach out for more and attend a **Worldwide Marriage Encounter** weekend. The next weekend in the diocese is scheduled in Huntsville, Oct. 13-15 at the **DoubleTree Hotel-South**. You can register online today at www.ALFL-wwme.org or by calling Bob & Joy Hernandez at **678-985-0125**.

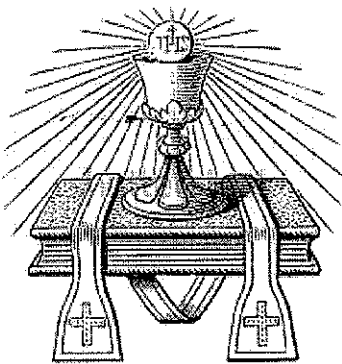
The Confraternity of Christian Mothers will hold its next meeting on Thursday, September 14, 2017, at the Cathedral of St. Paul. Adoration and Confession begin at 6pm, followed by Holy Mass at 7pm. **This month we welcome families to join us as we enroll new members.** Following Mass we will celebrate with a potluck dinner in the Cathedral Life Center. Open to all Catholic women who are striving to grow in holiness and lead their families to Heaven! For more information, contact Lori Donellan at ccmbham07@gmail.com.

Prayerful Study of Scripture *Lectio Divina*



Tuesdays beginning September 12th
9-10 am in the Parish Social Hall.
Reflection of the Sunday readings
with Sr. Terry -- bring your Bible

Kick Off Mass and Cook Out



BLAST and JCREW

Sunday, September 10, 2017
5:00 pm in the Chapel
Saint Mark Youth Choir

Join us for Mass and a cookout in the courtyard immediately following. Parents and youth are invited. Please let us know if you are planning to attend at stmarkyouth@bellsouth.net. We want to make sure we have plenty of hamburgers, hotdogs, and fixins' for s'mores!

Liturgical Schedule	Saturday September 9, 2017 4:00	Sunday September 10, 2017 7:45	Sunday September 10, 2017 10:30
Extraordinary Minister of Communion	Sharon Zaleski, Cathy Johnson, Charles Varano, Beverly Huddleston, Tom Huddleston, Leonard Mueninghoff	Theresa Romano, Jose Marrero, Theresa LoMonaco	Susan Webb, Joe Scotch, Theresa LoMonaco, Rosemary Johnson, Geri Elkourie, John Elkourie, Heidi Swanson, Bonnie Murphy
Ushers	Ray Morin, Giovanni Garza, Thom Berry, Brandon Moseley	Sammy Romano, Michael Rall, Amos Mitchim, Francis Dsa	Rob Haley, Paul Jones, Jay Aycock
Lector	Ree Morin - 1 Dolorene Sackman - 2	Jim E. Smith Jr. - 1 Nancy Ladshaw - 2	Bill Webb - 1 Teresa Palmer - 2
Mass Coordinator	Leonard and Heidi Mueninghoff	Joe and Cindy Evans	Tom and Mary Ann Stith
Altar Server	Jonathan Zaleski, Elizabeth Zaleski, Levi Hardegree, Ella Sciara	Kristy Gray, Cooper Gray, Delaine Coleman, Laura Valderrama, Mary Caroline Gray, Tanner Gray	Maria Schaffer, Julianna Perrigo, Jared Schaffer, Jackson Shields, Mason Perrigo, Addison Miller
Greeters	Denisse Perez, Rae Sarver, Connie Bailey	Ken and Marie Lorek	Myrna Scotch, Laura Hughes, Kate Seifert
Altar Linens	Diane Stith		
Cantors	Allison Creel	John Floyd	Kathryn Garaca

TRAVELING VOCATION CHALICE



Be who God meant you to be and you will set the world on fire!" ~Saint Catherine of Siena
What is God calling you to do with your life? How can you live out your vocation daily?

The answer is in prayer!

If you would like to host the Vocation Chalice in your home, or have questions about the program, please contact Kristin Sessions (205)529-6356 or kprs205@hotmail.com

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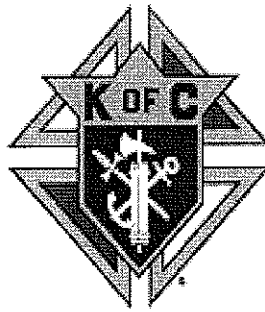


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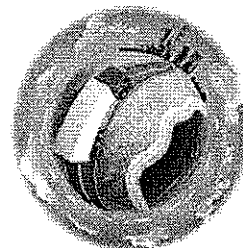
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