

# 5th Sunday of Easter

## Saint Mary

### MASS TIMES:

**SATURDAY - 4:30PM | SUNDAY- 9:00AM**

**CONFESSIONS: SATURDAY 3:45-4:15PM**

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION** held on Saturdays 3:45pm to 4:15pm. or any time when requested.

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM** can be administered during Sunday Mass or at a private ceremony. New parents are required to attend a Baptism instruction. Recommended that this take place during the pregnancy.

**SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY**—call the Parish Office to make arrangements at least six months in advance. Marriage instructions are required.

**SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK** administered upon request to those who are sick.

**REGISTRATION**—Persons moving into our area are asked to notify the Parish Office to be registered. Notify the Parish Office with changes in contact information.

**P.S.R. CLASSES** (September—April) Grade School - Sundays: 9:00am (Mass) to 11:00am. [Next classes begin in September 2024]

**FOR ANY QUESTIONS OR TO SCHEDULE ANY OF THE ABOVE, PLEASE CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.**

**PARISH OFFICE HOURS: MON-THURS : 9AM—3 PM**

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Clyde St. Mary Catholic Church

### Mission Statement

*We, the members of St. Mary Parish, dedicated to Our Lady of Mount Carmel, are conscious of the struggles of our faith-filled ancestors. We strive to become a holy and vibrant community through personal prayer, meaningful liturgies, and opportunities to develop our faith. As God's people, we recognize the values and importance of each person and desire to reach out to all the people in our area who need God's Word, Love and Care.*

### The Diocese of Toledo

remains committed to ensuring the protection of children and providing a safe environment for all young people. If you have any knowledge of abuse that has been committed by a cleric or by any personnel of the Catholic Church, you are urged to report the abuse to your local police department, Children Services, and to contact the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator at (419) 214-4880; or to write to: Victim Assistance Coordinator  
1933 Spielbusch Avenue  
Toledo, Ohio 43604.

## SAINT MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH



*Lord, look upon me with eyes of mercy. May Your healing hand rest upon me.  
May Your life-giving powers flow into every cell of my body and the depths of my soul,  
cleansing, purifying, restoring me to wholeness  
and strength for service in Your Kingdom.*

*Amen.*

### **PRAYER LIST**

**Marge Selvey, Sandy Smith, Robert Kuhlman,  
Marcia Glick, Bob Martin, Jean Garvin, Gene Cook,  
Linda Hayman, Barb Conley,**

and everyone affected in any way by COVID-19 or any other illness or injury.

*To recommend an individual to be placed on the St. Mary Prayer List,  
please contact the Parish Office.*

*Under HIPAA guidelines, the request must be made by  
either the person or the person's representative/caretaker.*

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Visualize your family tree. Perhaps your grandparents or great-grandparents are the trunk of the tree, with branches of aunts and uncles and cousins, and smaller ones for children and grandchildren. Spouses are grafted onto the tree, with family trees of their own that they bring to your family. Through births and marriages, the family tree grows and grows. We are part of God’s family tree. We are all God’s children and in baptism we were grafted onto that one tree. This tree is a living thing, growing and producing fruit for generations to come.

We are connected to each other, like the branches of a vine. All of us are connected to Jesus as the vine itself. As the vine, Jesus gives us support and sustenance, enabling us to bear fruit. For the vine is a living thing, designed to grow and develop. We help the vine do this when we put our faith into practice, when we sacrifice ourselves for the least of our sisters and brothers, for they too are connected to the vine. In doing so, we nurture the vine and, as Jesus told his disciples, we glorify God.

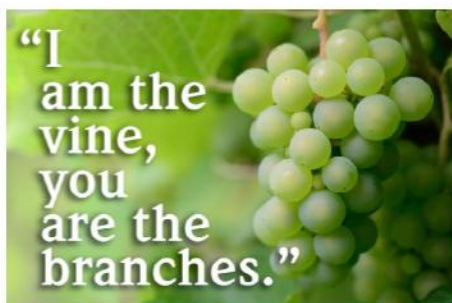
Saul was in a very difficult place after his conversion. By immediately boldly speaking in Jesus’ name, he stirred up murderous feelings in the Hellenists, who were probably Greek-speaking Jews living outside Judea. But most of the disciples still feared him, for he had just been persecuting them, even presiding over Stephen’s stoning. Barnabas saves the day—and Saul’s skin. Convinced of Saul’s sincerity, Barnabas vouched for him to the disciples. In a way, Barnabas was like a node on the vine, allowing Saul to be grafted onto it and accepted by the other branches. Not even Barnabas could have guessed then that Saul—renamed Paul—would go on to bear fruit like no other branch of the vine, adding branches of the vine all over the known world. How will I bear fruit this week . . . at home, at work or school, and in my community?



**Scripture Readings**

**For the Week of April 28, 2024**

- 29— Mon**      Memorial of Saint Catherine of Siena,  
Virgin and Doctor of the Church  
Acts 14:5-18; Ps 115:1-2, 3-4, 15-16; Jn 14:21-26
- 30—Tue**      Acts 14:19-28; Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 21;  
Jn 14:27-31a
- 1—Wed**      Acts 15:1-6; Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5; Jn 15:1-8
- 2—Thu**      Memorial of Saint Athanasius,  
Bishop and Doctor of the Church  
Acts 15:7-21; Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 10; Jn 15:9-11
- 3—Fri**      Feast of Saints Philip and James, Apostles  
1 Cor 15:1-8; Ps 19:2-3, 4-5; Jn 14:6-14
- 4—Sat**      Acts 16:1-10; Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 5; Jn 15:18-21
- 5—Sun**      Sixth Sunday of Easter  
Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48; Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4; 1 Jn  
4:7-10; Jn 15:9-17



**Mass Intentions**

- 4—Saturday**      † Leo/Kate/Martha Meyer  
**4:30 pm**            † Parishioners
- 5—Sunday**      † Geraldine Hill  
**9:00 am**            † Irene Darr (30-day)

**Liturgical Calendar**

**April/May:**

- 28—Orthodox Palm Sunday (Julian Calendar Palm Sunday)
- 29—Memorial of St. Catherine of Siena
- 30—Optional Memorial of St. Pius V  
Last Day of Passover
- May 1—Optional Memorial of St. Joseph the Worker  
International Workers’ Day
- 2—Memorial of St. Athanasius  
National Day of Prayer
- 3—Feast of Ss. Philip and James  
Orthodox Good Friday (Julian Calendar Good Friday)  
First Friday
- 4—First Saturday

**What's Goin' On at St. Mary Parish?!**

**Sacrificial Giving for FY 23-24**

**April 21, 2024**

Offertory Collection:	\$4245.85
Offertory needed per week:	\$3,600
Over <Under>:	\$645.85
Over <Under> for FY 23-24:	\$3,107.60

**St. Mary Bingo**

**April 16, 2024**

# Players:	78
Proceeds	\$1,530

**Parish Week at a Glance:**

Week of: April 28, 2024

MON			
TUE	<b>Bingo</b>	6:30 pm	Parish Hall
WED			
THU	<b>Adoration</b>	6:30 pm	Church
FRI			
SAT	Rosary	4:00 pm	Church
	Mass	4:30 pm	Church
SUN	Rosary	8:30 am	Church
	Mass	9:00 am	Church
	<b>PSR</b>	9:00 am	School

**BINGO WORKERS NEEDED!**

Volunteers are needed each Tuesday to help run St. Mary's Bingo! Can you spare a couple of hours? Various "jobs" are available. Bingo begins at 6:30 pm each Tuesday and is normally finished around 9 pm. If interested, please see Deacon José or call the Parish Office at (419) 547-9687.

**ADULT SERVER TRAINING**

For any adults volunteering to be an Altar Server, please come to the church on **Wednesday, April 1<sup>st</sup>** at **6:00 pm**. Individuals and couples are encouraged

**LITURGICAL ROLES.....**

**MAY 4 / 5**

**ALTAR SERVERS**

Saturday 4:30 pm	Sophia Burner	Ella Piasecki
Sunday 9:00 am	Trenton Brown	Cole Dymond

**USHERS**

Saturday 4:30 pm	Ken Hoffman	Rita Hoffman
Sunday 9:00 am	Paul Kerlin	Paul Swartz

**LECTORS**

Saturday 4:30 pm	Erin Miller
Sunday 9:00 am	Jeremy Stokes

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS**

Saturday 4:30 pm	Rita Hoffman	Deborah Kuns
Sunday 9:00 am	Mary Kay Oakleaf	Paul Swartz

**MONEY COUNTERS**

<b>Week 1</b>	Mindy Stokes	RaeAnn Nobles
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**ACA NEWS**

Goal—\$10,594  
Pledged & Paid:  
**\$9,845**

Need: **<\$749>**

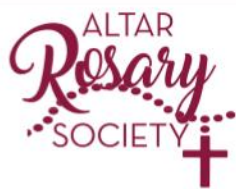
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As of: 4/22/24

**St. Mary Parish Important Information**

**2024 KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SCHOLARSHIP**

Available to any Clyde St. Mary Parish high school senior to apply for the non-renewable Dick & Margaret Karr \$1,000 Scholarship. All high school seniors who are active and involved members of St. Mary Parish are eligible to apply. Applicants are encouraged to pick up the packet early as there is some work involved. Applications are available in the Parish Office and are due no later than April 30, 2024. Recipient will be notified at the student's Senior Awards Assembly and will be coordinated with the school. Please direct any questions to the Parish Office—(419) 547-9687.



**ALTAR ROSARY SOCIETY**

**ANNUAL RUMMAGE SALE!!**

Start saving your treasures NOW to donate to the Altar Rosary Society Rummage Sale. The sale will take place the last weekend in July, during the Clyde Community Garage Sales. Watch the bulletin for more details! Any questions, please call Joni Wasserman at (419) 202-2009.



**SAVE THE DATE:**  
**"LUNCH 'n LISTEN":**

The next "Lunch 'n Listen" is on the books! Call (419) 547-9687 to sign up for the no-cost next **LUNCH 'n LISTEN** on **Wednesday, May 15<sup>th</sup>** at **12:00 pm**

Presenter: **Fr. Matt Frisbee**



*If an error or omission occurred, call the parish office for correction.*

**Birthday Blessings for the period April 29—May 5, 2024:**

- 29—Thomas Beier, Kylie Larimer;
- 30—Amber Wagner;
- May 1—Joanne Crockett;
- 2—Samantha Hernandez, Alexander Kauble;
- 3—Anthony Moser;
- 4—Ava Wettrich;
- 5—Joseph Wagner

**ST. TERESA of CALCUTTA AWARD**

The Toledo Diocesan Council of Catholic Women had their Volunteer Recognition Award Luncheon last week. Deborah Kuns from Clyde St. Mary was one of the St. Teresa of Calcutta award recipients. Congratulations, Deborah!! Her children and grandchildren attended as well: Fr. David from Arizona, Mollie from Ireland, Elizabeth from Her Hampshire, and Caroline from Huron, and of course, Deborah’s grandchildren!



**KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS**

The St. Mary Knights of Columbus, Council #1175, recently completed a “clean-up” of Co. Rd. 236 (by Impact Credit Union) all the way to Limerick Rd and collected various trash and



disposed of it correctly. The road has been “adopted” by the guys in KofC and they periodically go out and clean it up. Led by Paul Kerlin, this group takes on various projects—he has no problem getting his fellow Knights to pitch in and help out.

Hats off to the Knights and their willingness to simply jump in to help our community, our Parish, our neighbors! Job well-done, gentlemen!

*Would you like to be a part of this group? If so, contact Paul Kerlin, any current member, or call the Parish Office (419) 547-9687.*



# Happenings Around the Diocese...

## JUBILEE CARD SHOWER for Sr. PAT MEYER

Sr. Pat Meyer was a very much loved and respected member of St. Mary Parish, as well as principal of St. Mary School. Sr. Pat will be celebrating her Jubilee (60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary) of being a nun. Since Sr. Pat now resides in the Mother House in St. Louis, her family is asking St. Mary Parishioners to “shower Sr. Pat” with cards sent to the facility.



Sister Patricia Ann Meyer

Sr. Pat Meyer, OSF  
 Mother of Perpetual Help Residence  
 7609 Watson Road  
 St. Louis, MO 63119



For any questions, contact the Parish Office or  
 Sr. Pat’s family—Sandy Meyer Moore  
 (419) 346-1691



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**Lights, Camera, AUCTION!**

Thank you to all volunteers, attendees, committee members, donors, sponsors, students and staff who had any part in the BHCS 2004 Dinner Auction. This fundraiser has a significant impact for our school community. This year was a huge success and we could not have done it without all of you!

**Naderer Sports Complex Reverse Raffle** will be held this year at Sacred Heart on May 11, at 6pm.

SJCC is asking parishioners to donate desserts for this event. Sign up sheets will be at St. Ann and St. Joseph Church entrances.

Please drop off desserts at SJCC on Friday, May 10

**BELL CHOIR CONCERT**

SUNDAY, APRIL 28  
 3:00 PM

SACRED HEART CHURCH

**SJCC ALUMNI & FRIENDS ASSOCIATION**  
*Heritage Award Induction Banquet*

**SATURDAY, MAY 4TH**

**St. Joseph Central Catholic High School Cafeteria**

5:15 Cocktail Hour  
 6:00 Dinner

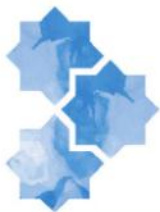
Award Ceremony will follow Dinner

We will be honoring this year's inductees:

★ *Robert & Michelle (Herring) Foster '87,*  
*Michael Gabel '78,*  
*& Monica Ramirez '95* ★

Tickets are \$35 person/\$10 child

Please contact Jenny Freeh at 567-280-1261 or by e-mailing jfreeh@bishop-hoffman.net if interested in attending or to make a nomination for 2025



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