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January 31, 2021
Fourth Sunday
in Ordinary Time

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Office Hours

St. Mary - Monday & Wednesday 8:30 am to 4:30 pm
 St. Theresa - Tuesday & Thursday 8:30 am to 4:30 pm

Bulletin deadline is Wednesday at noon.

Email bulletin announcements to the parish office.

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Listen to Meade County Catholic Radio
WLHN 95.3 FM

Website: www.meadecountycatholicradio.com

Parish Councils

St. Theresa Parish Council

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Dustin Humphrey, Chair	270-863-2260
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Reception of Sacraments

(Parish Registration is required for Sacraments of Initiation and Marriage)

Sacraments of Initiation—Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation: Please contact the parish office: St. Mary's at 270-496-4333 on Monday & Wednesday or St. Theresa at 270-496-4362 on Tuesday & Thursday.

Sacrament of Marriage: Please contact the parish office: St. Mary's at 270-496-4333 on Monday & Wednesday or St. Theresa at 270-496-4362 on Tuesday & Thursday.

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick: Contact Fr. George at 502-718-7106 or e-mail: gillikkal@gmail.com

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Before the weekend Masses: Saturday at St. Mary from 5:15 to 5:45 pm and on Sunday at St. Mary from 7:45 to 8:15 am and at St. Theresa following the 10:30 am Mass, upon request.

Responsorial Psalm: "If today you hear His voice, harden not your hearts."

Ministers for February 6th & 7th at St. Mary

Lectors

Sat 6:00 pm Teri Dugan
Sun 8:30 am Cheryl Harley

At this time we will not be scheduling Eucharistic Ministers or Altar Servers.

We are asked not to have Children's Church until further notice. The weekly worksheets used for Children's Church are available in the back of church for the children to take home.

Fatima Statue



January 31 - David & Teri Dugan

February 7 - Kenny & Lois Fackler

**St. Mary Friday Bingo
February 5, 2021**



There will be no bingo on Friday, February 5, 2021 - There is interest in starting bingo back up but volunteers are needed to work. Please call the parish office if you can help.



Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday, 6:00 pm at St. Mary
 (January through June)
 6:00 pm at St. Theresa
 (July through December)
Sunday, 8:30 am at St. Mary
Sunday, 10:30 am at St. Theresa

Ministers for February 7 at St. Theresa

Lectors

Sun 10:30 am Volunteer

Attention Lectors: I'm not sure who is attending each week due to COVID. Please take a minute and sign up for the Sunday of your choice January through June. There is a sign up sheet in the vestibule. Thank you!

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Fatima Statue



January 31 -

February 7 -

The new sign up sheet for 2021 is now available in the vestibule at St. Theresa. Sign-up for the dates of your choice to have the Fatima Statue in your home.

St. Mary Magdalen of Pazzi Church

Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday 8:30 a.m. Lawrence, Joe & Bernadette Pike
 Ralph, Margaret, Wade & James Kullman +
 Wednesday 6:30 p.m. John & Mary Ann Hesler +
Saturday 6:00 p.m. St. Mary & St. Theresa Parishioners
Sunday 8:30 a.m. Alberta Beavin +

St. Theresa Church

Mass Intentions for the Week

Tuesday 8:30 a.m. Deceased of John & Viola Elder Family +
 Thursday 8:30 a.m. Linda J. Mattingly +
Sunday 10:30 a.m. Tubb, Stella, & Ricky Redmon +

Stewardship of Treasure

St. Mary Weekly goal	3,684.00
January 17th collection	3,224.00
Opportunities for Life	663.00
The Record	31.00
Feast of Mary	4:00
January 24th collection	2,209.00
St. Theresa Weekly Goal	3,076.00
January 17th collection	2,564.00
Opportunities for Life	143.00
Christmas	40.00
January 24th collection	434.00

*Thank you for your stewardship sacrifice...
it IS appreciated!*

What's Happening this Week

Sunday, January 31st

8:30 am **Mass** at St. Mary
 10:30 am **Mass** at St. Theresa

Monday, February 1st

8:30 am **Mass** at St. Mary
 9am-1pm, 5pm-9pm **Eucharistic Adoration** at St. Mary
 7:00 pm **St. Mary Parish Council Meeting** in St. Mary Hall

Tuesday, February 2nd

8:30 am **Mass** at St. Theresa

Wednesday, February 3rd

6:30 pm **Mass** at St. Mary

Thursday, February 4th

8:30 am **Mass** at St. Theresa

Saturday, February 6th

7:30 am **Men's Prayer Group** at St. Mary Gathering Space
 6:00 pm **Mass** at St. Mary

Sunday, February 7th

8:30 am **Mass** at St. Mary
 10:30 am **Mass** at St. Theresa

**Food Drive Next Weekend
Requested for February - Bottled Juice**



Our Sympathy



Our sympathy to the family of **Bonnie Jean Wardrip** who passed away on January 21st, and was buried in St. Mary Cemetery on Thursday. Please remember her and all the faithful departed in your prayers.

Upcoming Parish Meetings



February 1st - 7:00 pm **St. Mary Parish Council Meeting**

February 8th - 7:00 pm **St. Theresa Parish Council Meeting**

February 9th - 7:00 pm **St. Mary Finance Council Meeting**

February 9th - 8:00 pm **St. Theresa Finance Council Meeting**

Improvement Fund



Three times per year, there are special offering envelopes in your packets marked "**Improvement Fund**". The next one coming up is February 6th & 7th. The donations collected in these envelopes are specifically earmarked for unexpected expenses that might not normally be in the annual budget or major improvement projects needed at our parish. Thank you!

Discussions



Meade County Catholic Radio-WLHN 95.3 FM has a local talk show "**Discussions**" featuring a different guest each month. Tune in and listen! The show airs six days a week:

5:00 p.m. on Mondays & Fridays

9:00 a.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays

11:00 a.m. on Wednesdays & Saturday

Our discussion shows will **hi-lite shows of the past**. And you can always listen to previous guest speakers on the Discussions shows on You Tube. Search Meade County Catholic Radio and the monthly guests can be found.

2020 Catholic Services Appeal



Thanks to those who have already responded with a gift to the 2020 Catholic Services Appeal. There is still plenty of time to respond with a gift. Gifts to the 2020

Catholic Services Appeal can be made online at www.ArchLou.org/CSA.

St. Mary - \$16,910 of \$19,700 goal (86%)
Participation goal - 48 of 47 families (102%)

St. Theresa - \$12,045 of \$11,600 goal (104%)
Participation goal - 35 of 35 families (100%)

Bad Weather Policy



Just a reminder: For the safety of our parishioners, if there is no school or if school is delayed in Meade County because of bad roads, then there will not be 8:30 a.m. Mass at St. Mary or at St. Theresa. On Wednesdays, if there is no school in Meade County, then there will not be 6:30 p.m. Mass at St. Mary, R.C.I.A or Religious Ed. Classes that evening but if school is only delayed and the roads clear, then we will have classes and Wednesday evening Mass. Always listen to WMMG 93.5 FM for the latest closings.

Please Wear Your Mask



Mask wearing at Mass is required, not optional. The only exception to a parishioner wearing a mask would be a medical issue that precludes that individual from wearing one. Masks are available in the vestibule/Gathering Space if you don't have one.

New Trees for Church Grounds

We had five new trees planted in front of the old school building at St. Theresa. If you would like to make a donation in memory of a loved one to help cover the cost (or part of the cost of a tree), we were able to get the trees at the cost of \$175 each. Please email Kathy at sttheresa@bbtel.com if you would like to make a donation.

Prints of St. Mary Church & Rectory

Peggy Greenwell had the picture of the old St. Mary Church & Rectory printed that is on display in St. Mary Church. She has additional copies available if anyone would like to buy one - \$10 for an 8 x 10 and \$15 for an 11 x 14. Call Peggy at 270-496-4338, leave message if no answer and she will get back with you.

Attention St. Theresa Lectors

There is a sign up sheet in the vestibule to sign up for the dates you would like to read. With the COVID, I am not sure who is attending weekly Mass and who is not. Please take a minute to sign up for the Sundays of your choice through June 2021. Thank you!

Safe Environment Training

The Archdiocese of Louisville is committed to ensuring that children and youth who worship, study or participate in church sponsored activities can do so in the safest and most secure setting possible. In an effort to fulfill this commitment, **all employees or volunteers who have contact with children or youth** (18 and under) for ANY length of time are required to participate in one of the 2-hour Safe Environment Training Workshops. **At this time, the trainings are limited to 25 individuals. All trainings are first come/first served. No advance registration is necessary.** The next scheduled are:

February 4 - 6:30 p.m. St. Gabriel, Gymnasium, 5505 Bardstown Road, Louisville, KY 40291

February 8 - 6:30 p.m. Incarnation, Gymnasium, 2229 Lower Hunters Trace, Louisville, KY 40216

February 16 - 6:30 p.m. St. Albert, Parish Life Center, 1395 Girard Drive, Louisville, KY 40222

March 8 - 6:30 p.m. St. Gabriel, Gymnasium, 5505 Bardstown Road, Louisville, KY 40291

March 18 - 6:30 p.m. Incarnation, Gymnasium, 2229 Lower Hunters Trace, Louisville, KY 40216

March 23 - 6:30 p.m. St. Albert, Parish Life Center, 1395 Girard Drive, Louisville, KY 40222

Please note: Masks are required. Participants must wear a mask for entry into the training. Masks will be available if you don't have one. It is advisable to arrive at least 15 minutes before training to complete paperwork. No one under the age of 17 are allowed to attend these meetings, including infants.

For the latest schedule of training or for more information, go to:
<https://www.archlou.org/about-the-archdiocese/archdiocesan-policies-guidelines-and-handbooks/restoringtrust/safe/>

READINGS FOR SUNDAY, JANUARY 31

Deuteronomy 18:15-20
 1 Corinthians 7:32-35
 Mark 1:21-28



READINGS FOR SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 7

Job 7:1-4, 6-7
 1 Corinthians 9:16-19, 22-23
 Mark 1:29-39

Internet Site for Liturgy Readings:
www.nccbuscc.org/nab



**Prayer Intention
 for the Week**

For the Church: that the authoritative teachings of Jesus will guide and challenge us as we seek to be more authentic disciples

**HOSPITAL AND HOMEBOUND MINISTRY
 PARISH DISPATCHERS**

St. Mary: Brenda Knott 270-497-4418

St. Theresa: Brenda Redman 270-496-4329



If you know someone who is ill, been admitted to the hospital, in need of a home visit or food, you are asked to notify our dispatcher. Likewise, **volunteers are needed** to visit those in the hospital, make home visits, send cards or prepare or deliver food. Please contact the dispatcher listed above or call the parish office, if you would like to help. This ministry is not simply for our parishioners but also for all in our community.



Please remember those in the hospital, the homebound and those in need of our prayers!

Special Prayer Request for.....

Edd Pike, Diann Shireman, Pat LaChance, Adam Barr, John Hellhake, Danny Hardesty, Doug Swink, Dawn Snider, Olivia Barr, Jason Rhodes, Dale Vessels, Johnny Vessels, Sheila Mattingly, Judy Miller, Marissa French, Jane Williams, Phillip Cooper, T.R. Rhodes, Mattie Yates, Frances Vaughn, Skip Knapp, Fran Fischer, Audrey Stull, Rita Barr, Eddie & Shelly LaTondress, Mike & Diane O'Bryan, Tanki Hoody, Michael Miller, Margie Stull, Marty Webb, Eddie Shelman, Charlene Stull, Tenley & Adley Ward, Kathy Shacklett

Note: Prayers cards are available in the back of church with a complete list of the sick and homebound in need of our prayers. Please call or email Kathy at the parish office to have names put on or taken off of the prayer list.

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

"The people were astonished at his teaching, for he taught them as one having authority and not as the scribes." Mark 1:22

Listening to the authority of Jesus' teachings helps us not be confused by the perceived 'wisdom' of the world. The world focuses only on self, while the authority of Jesus teaches a steward is to think of others rather than oneself.

Upcoming Retreats at Mount St. Francis



RETREAT

A Day for Couples: Friendship in The Lord - Saturday, February 13, 10 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. - Presenter: Fr. Vincent Petersen OFM Conv. - This day is designed for couples (both married and not) who wish to grow in their relationship with God and one another. The day will include times for prayer, reflection, fun activities and sharing, lunch and will end with a festive meal. (2 meals) Cost \$100 per couple.

Longing for God: The Grace of Lent - Ash Wednesday, February 17th, 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. - Presenters: Judy Ribar and Fr. Vincent Petersen. - Rather than focusing only on the fasting, abstinence, and rules of Lent, why not begin a Lenten season of silence, stillness, and quiet inner joy. Spend some time this morning resting in the Grace of Lent to make this Lenten journey special, possibly creating some new habits this season to deepen your personal spiritual life. The morning will include Mass and distribution of ashes and will end with a simple meal of soup, salad, and bread.

Lenten Letting Go Series (Thursdays of Lent - Feb 18, 25, March 4, 11, 18, 25) 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. on Zoom - Presenter:

Judy Ribar - Letting go is hard, but sometimes hanging on is harder. Take some time this Lent, amid the anxieties of each day, to consider what might be getting in the way of a deeper, more peacefully balanced life. Each week will explore one of our attachments to our physical, mental, and emotional "stuff" which keep us from truly living the spiritual life we desire. In addition to our physical clutter of possessions, our mental attachments to habits or beliefs that weigh us down, and emotions that add to our stress and anxiety, we will explore some practices for freeing up space for the Spirit to work within us this Lent. Cost \$100, Six sessions, Zoom only.

Women's Retreat: Are You Martha or Mary? Saturday, February 27, 9:00 am to 4:00 pm - Presenter: Judy Ribar Using material from the book and study guide "Having a Mary Heart in a Martha World", join other women who long to slow down the busyness of life and find deeper intimacy with God. A variety of presentations and exercises throughout the day will encourage women to slow down and find their true center. Whether a young adult, mother, grandmother, working or retired, gift yourself with a day of retreat at Mount St. Francis. This can be just the right way to journey during Lent with others, as well as have quiet time on your own, with labyrinth and Stations of the Cross options available. Cost is \$50 and includes lunch. Cost for Zoom \$40. Overnight private room and evening meal, an additional \$75 (option to stay either Friday or Saturday night)

We have plenty of room to be well-spaced, following all CDC guidelines. Register online: <https://www.mountsaintfrancis.org/retreats> or call 812-923-8817.