



*May 2, 2021
Fifth Sunday
of Easter*



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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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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: "Let all the earth cry out in joy to the Lord."

Ministers for May 8th & 9th at St. Mary

Lectors

Sat 6:00 pm Teri Dugan
Sun 8:30 am Aaron Pierce

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



May 2 - Alliene Stull

May 9 - Earl & Shirley Roach

St. Mary Friday Bingo May 7, 2021



There will be no bingo on Friday, May 7, 2021 - There is interest in starting bingo back up but volunteers are needed to work. The proceeds from bingo each year, help meet the budget. We earn approximately \$800-\$1,000 per week from bingo. 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 May 9th at St. Theresa

Lectors

Sun 10:30 am Janette Schmidt

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Fatima Statue



May 2 - Ralph & Elaine Miller

May 9 - Ralph & Elaine Miller

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. Communion Service
 Wednesday 6:30 p.m. Communion Service
Saturday 6:00 p.m. St. Mary & St. Theresa Parishioners
Sunday 8:30 a.m. Mary Ann Hesler +

St. Theresa Church

Mass Intentions for the Week

Tuesday 8:30 a.m. Communion Service
 Thursday 8:30 a.m. Communion Service
Sunday 10:30 a.m. JoAnn Webb, Carissa, Rance & Adie Foushee +

Stewardship of Treasure

St. Mary Weekly goal	3,684.00
April 25th collection	3,051.00
OVER/UNDER minimum weekly goal	633.00
Improvement Fund	220.00
Rice Bowl	52.00
Holy Lands	22.00
The Record	8.00
St. Theresa Weekly Goal	3,076.00
April 25th collection	3,020.59
OVER/UNDER minimum weekly goal	55.41
Improvement Fund	250.00

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

Sunday, May 2nd
 8:30 am *Mass* at St. Mary
 10:30 am *Mass* at St. Theresa
 11:30 am *Fr. Knott Jubilee Planning Meeting* in Johnson Hall

Monday, May 3rd
 8:30 am *Communion Service* at St. Mary
 9am-1pm, 5pm-9pm *Eucharistic Adoration* at St. Mary

Tuesday, May 4th
 8:30 am *Communion Service* at St. Theresa
 6:30 pm *Bible Study* in Meade-Breck Center

Wednesday, May 5th
 6:30 pm *Communion Service* at St. Mary followed by **Religious Ed.** for grades 4 - 9 - Topic: **The Saints & Mary** - Susan McCoy
 6:30 pm **Confirmation & First Communion Classes** in St. Mary Hall

Thursday, May 6th
 8:30 am *Communion Service* at St. Theresa

Saturday, May 8th
 7:30 am *Men's Prayer Group* at St. Mary Gathering Space
 6:00 pm *Mass* at St. Mary

Sunday, May 9th
 8:30 am *Mass* at St. Mary
 10:30 am *Mass* at St. Theresa

I am the vine,
 you are the branches.
 John 15:5

Fr. Ron Knott's Jubilee



We will celebrate the 50th Jubilee of Father Ron Knott on Sunday, May 23rd, at the 10:30 a.m. Mass at St. Theresa. The celebration was postponed last year due to COVID restrictions. Fr. Knott was ordained May 16, 1970. There will be a planning meeting in Johnson Hall after the 10:30 a.m. Mass today.

Religious Ed. News



Grades 4 through 9 - Lessons will be held in St. Mary Church directly after the 6:30 p.m. Mass on Wednesday evenings for the students and any parents that would like to attend. Upcoming schedule of classes below with presenters in parenthesis.

May 5 - **The Saints and Mary** - (Susan McCoy)

Confirmation and First Communion - The Confirmation and First Communion students meet in St. Mary Parish Hall at 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday evenings. First Communion Day is Sunday, May 16th at the 8:30 a.m. Mass at St. Mary and the 10:30 a.m. Mass at St. Theresa. Confirmation will be on Saturday, May 29, at the 6:00 p.m. Mass at St. Mary.

Graduation Mass



We will be having our Graduation Mass on Sunday, June 6th, at both parishes. We will be honoring last year's graduating class of 2020, this year's upcoming graduating class of 2021, as well as graduating college students. We will need bio forms filled out and returned by May 26th. Forms will be in the gathering space at both churches.

70th Anniversary of Priesthood

Fr. Albert Wilson, former pastor at St. Theresa, was ordained on May 19, 1951 and will celebrate his 70th anniversary of priesthood this year. If you would like to send him a card, his address is: Nazareth Home, 2000 Newburg Road #312, Louisville, KY 40205-1803.

Kroger Community Rewards

Do you shop at Kroger? St. Mary and St. Theresa are both participating in the Kroger Community Rewards program. It doesn't cost you anything and by simply scanning your REGISTERED Kroger Plus card when you shop, our churches receive quarterly donations based on what you spend. If you have not already done so, please go online at www.krogercommunityrewards.com and click on sign in/register and then click on SIGN UP TODAY & follow prompts. If you need help in enrolling or if you would like to enroll in the program but do not use a computer, please call 1-800-576-4377, Option # 3, for assistance.

St. Mary Magdalen of Pazzi number is EG238

St. Theresa number is LU282

Thanks to the families that are participating in this program. From your purchases made at Kroger between November 28, 2020 and February 28, 2021 our churches received the following from the Kroger Community Rewards program:

St. Mary received \$185.81 (25 families participating)

St. Theresa received \$149.54 (33 families participating)

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.

Adult Bible Study - The Gospel of Mark



Please join us as we explore the Gospel of Mark, starting Tuesdays, June 1 through July 27, 6:30 to 8 p.m. We will be meeting somewhere at St. Theresa, actual location to be determined depending on the size of the group. No cost, but donations are gratefully accepted! To register, call or text Susan Sears at 270-272-4802.

Mowing Season



Please note during mowing season at both St. Mary and St. Theresa Cemeteries, no benches, flower arrangements, statues, or any other objects are permitted on the ground that will interfere with mowing or weed-eating of the cemetery. Shepherds hooks are acceptable only if they are placed right next to the monument and the arrangements hanging on them don't interfere with mowing/weed-eating. Small statues or any other objects placed on the base of the monument must be glued to the base so they don't end up on the ground. Please note with flower arrangements get blown off due to high winds, we have no way of knowing which grave they belong to.

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

This month's show features **Fr. David Farrell** from St. John the Apostle with his story about how he fell in love with Jesus. You can hear any past guest on You Tube. Search Meade County Catholic Radio and the monthly guests can be found.

Employment Opportunities in Catholic Schools



Catholic schools in the Archdiocese of Louisville are hiring talented teachers, teacher assistants, and office personnel. Teachers must be certified by the Kentucky Department of Education. For job openings in Catholic schools, go to www.archlou.org/school-job-openings. This site includes an employment application for teachers and substitute teachers and a listing of job openings for all positions. Teachers or subs should complete and forward the application found on this page. Those interested in other school positions should contact the school directly. Questions? Call or email the Office of Catholic Schools, 502-585-3291 or lweiter@archlou.org.

READINGS FOR SUNDAY, MAY 2

Acts 9:26-31
1 John 3:18-24
John 15:1-8



READINGS FOR SUNDAY, MAY 9

Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48
1 John 4:7-10
John 15:9-17

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

Prayer Intention
for the Week

For the Church: that we may continually draw life from Christ and bear a rich harvest of virtues and Gospel values for God's glory

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, Danny Hardesty, Doug Swink, Dawn Snider, Olivia Barr, Jason Rhodes, Dale Vessels, Johnny Vessels, Sheila Mattingly, Judy Miller, Marissa French, Jane Williams, Phillip Cooper, Mattie Yates, Audrey Stull, Rita Barr, Shelly LaTondress, Tanki Hoody, Michael Miller, Marty Webb, Charlene Stull, Tenley & Adley Ward, Karen Benock, Terri Nevitt, Hazel Hardesty, Shirley Price, Tucker Hall, Dean Bradley, Hassell Amburgey, Benji Stull, Marilyn Vessels, Tonya Claycomb, Bonnie Miller

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.

Fifth Sunday of Easter

"I am the vine, you are the branches. Whoever remains in me and I in him will bear much fruit, because without me you can do nothing."

John 15:5

We cannot produce abundantly without a deep prayer life, without living in God. A woman with a full time job and four children was once asked how she possibly had time to pray. She replied: "I am too busy not to pray! If I didn't take time to be with God, I would be swallowed up in chaos."

A Day with Mary



Saturday, May 8, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. - Join us at Mount Saint Francis as we spend a day with Mary during her month and so close to Mother's Day: listening, praying and walking. Judy Ribar will facilitate the day which will include presentations on Mary's words in the scriptures, excerpts from ***Walking with Mary***, time for quiet reflection on the Magnificat, praying together, walking the Stations of the Cross from the voice of Mary, and walking the Franciscan Crown (the seven Joys of Mary) outside on the grounds of the property. Cost is \$50 and includes a box lunch. For more information visit: <https://www.mountsaintfrancis.org/retreats> or call 812-923-8817.

May Church Cleaners

St Mary - Shirley Beavin, Greg Beavin, Malana Begley, Janet Pike, Cindy Biddle, Susan Staples, Carrie Schutt

St Theresa - Brenda Redmon, Marie Ray

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 50 individuals. All trainings are first come/first served. No advance registration is necessary.** The next scheduled are:

April 29 - 6:30 p.m. St. Albert, Parish Life Center, 1395 Girard Drive, Louisville, KY 40222

May 10 - 6:30 p.m. Incarnation, Gymnasium, 2229 Lower Hunters Trace, Louisville, KY 40216

May 19 - 6:30 p.m. St. Gabriel, Gymnasium, 5505 Bardstown Road, Louisville, KY 40291

June 1 - 6:30 p.m. St. Gabriel, Gymnasium, 5505 Bardstown Road, Louisville, KY 40291

June 14 - 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/>