



February 23, 2020
Seventh Sunday
in Ordinary Time



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Office Hours

St. Mary - Monday & Wednesday 8:30 am to 4:30 pm
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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: "The Lord is kind and merciful."

Ministers for February 29th/March 1st at St. Mary

Lectors

Sat 6:00 pm Margaret McCoy

Sun 8:30 am Cheryl Harley & Glenn Mattingly

Eucharistic Ministers

Sat 6:00 pm Bill & Brenda Knott

Sun 8:30 am Lois Fackler, Paul Fackler,
Angie Fackler, Patsy Ray

Altar Servers

Sat 6:00 pm Maggie Weick & volunteer

Sun 8:30 am Mike Harley & Gabriel Schutt

Gift Bearers

Sat 6:00 pm Children's Church

Sun 8:30 am Children's Church

Fatima Statue



Feb 23 - Margaret McCoy

Mar 1 - Tim & Lanette McMahan

4th Friday Bingo

February 28, 2020

Manager: Juanita Hall **Workers:** Darlene Livers,
Bob & Deloris Stith, Warren Shiroma, Andrew
Goins, volunteers needed

Bingo Workers Needed: St. Mary Friday Night Bingo is in
need of volunteers to work one Friday a month at our weekly
bingo. If you can help, come early and talk to the bingo
manager. Doors open at 6:00 p.m. Bingo starts at 7:00 p.m.



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 March 1st at St. Theresa

Lectors

Sun 10:30 am Chris Brown & Caleb Mattingly

Eucharistic Ministers

Sun 10:30 am Tiffany Stull & Jeff Smith

Homebound Minister

Jeff Smith

Altar Servers

Sun 10:30 am Sandy & Sara Vessels

Gift Bearers

Sun 10:30 am Children's Church

Fatima Statue

Feb 23 - Joyce Manning

Mar 1 -



If you would like to have the Fatima Statue in your home in
2020, please sign up now for the dates of your choice. The
sign-up sheet is available in the vestibule at St. Theresa.

St. Mary Magdalen of Pazzi Church

Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday	8:30 am	George, Julie, Bill, Margie & Derrick Weick and Jeff & Tucker Wimpee +
Wednesday	6:30 pm	John Hellhake +
Saturday	6:00 pm	Wayne McCoy +
Sunday	8:30 am	St. Mary & St. Theresa Parishioners

St. Theresa Church

Mass Intentions for the Week

Tuesday	8:30 am	Catherine & Joe Redmon +
Wednesday	8:30 am	Jean & Vickie Manning +
Thursday	8:30 am	Charlotte Conrey +
Sunday	10:30 am	Kaye Ray +

Stewardship of Treasure

St. Mary Weekly goal	3,200.00
February 16th collection	2,229.00
OVER/UNDER minimum weekly goal	627.00
Improvement Fund	45.00

St. Theresa Weekly Goal	2,350.00
February 16th collection	4,057.00
OVER/UNDER minimum weekly goal	1,707.00
Improvement Fund	185.00
Cemetery Fund	50.00

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

What's Happening this Week

Sunday, February 23rd

5:00 p.m. *St. Theresa Appreciation Dinner in Johnson Hall*

Monday, February 24th

9am-1pm & 5-9 pm *Eucharistic Adoration at St. Mary*

Tuesday, February 25th

6:30 pm *St. Mary Appreciation Dinner in St. Mary Hall*

Wednesday, February 26th

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

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



Thursday, February 27th

11 am to 7 pm *Youth Fundraiser at Mr. Gatti's in Brandenburg.*

Friday, February 28th

6:30 pm *Stations of the Cross at both churches*

7:00 pm *St. Mary Friday Night Bingo at St. Mary Parish Hall*

Saturday, February 29th

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

Our Sympathy

Our sympathies goes out to the family of **Arthur Byron**
"A.B." **Hurn** who passed away on February 17th with
funeral at St. Theresa on Friday. Please remember him
and all the Faithful Departed in your prayers.



Annual Appreciation Dinners



Please make plans to join us for our annual Appreciation Dinners as our thank you for sharing your gifts of time, talent and treasure with our parishes. St. Theresa's dinner will be today, **Sunday, February 23rd**, at 5:00 p.m. in Johnson Hall and St. Mary's will be **Tuesday, February 25th**, at 6:30 p.m. in St. Mary Parish Hall.

Ash Wednesday



Ash Wednesday, a day of fast and abstinence and the beginning of Lent, is **Wednesday, February 26th**. Ash Wednesday Masses will be at 8:30 a.m. at St. Theresa and at 6:30 p.m. at St. Mary. Students and teachers should go directly to church for Mass.

Youth Fundraiser



The St. Mary and St. Theresa Youth Group "Chosen" is having a gatti's pizza fundraiser on **Thursday, February 27**, from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. at Mr. Gatti's on the Bypass in Brandenburg. There are flyers in the back of both churches and the parish hall. You must provide a flyer or a picture of the flyer posted on facebook and our Youth Group will receive a percentage of the sales made that day. Good for dine-in and carry-out. Please help support our Youth Group!

Stewardship Renewal

Stewardship renewal weekend is February 29th/March 1st. You are asked to prayerfully consider how you will share your gifts of time, talent and treasure with our parish during the next year and return your Stewardship Intention card at mass next weekend.

Black and Indian Mission Collection



Next weekend, we will take up the annual Black and Indian Mission Collection. This Collection exists to help diocesan communities build the Church and preach the Gospel of Jesus among the African American, Native American, and Alaskan Native people of God. Your donations help fund parish-based catechetical programs, support teacher and catechist professional development, encourage vocations to the priesthood and religious life, and create diocesan structures, such as our own archdiocesan Office of Multicultural Ministry, that support ministry and evangelization in these diverse cultural communities. Please be generous.

Parish Council Meetings

St. Mary Parish Council will meet on Monday, March 2nd, at 7:00 p.m. in St. Mary Parish Hall.

St. Theresa Parish Council will meet on Monday, March 9th, at 7:00 p.m. in Johnson Hall.

Red Cross Blood Drive



There will be a Red Cross Blood Drive on Tuesday, March 3rd, from 3:00 to 7:00 p.m. at St. Mary Parish Hall. Give blood, help save lives! One pint of blood can help save up to 3 lives. Please call 1-800-RED-CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter sponsor keyword: **marymagofpazzi** to schedule an appointment or text Margaret McCoy at 270-668-4818.

Meade County Clothes Closet

St. Mary and St. Theresa volunteers are asked to work at the Meade County Clothes Closet the week of **March 2-7, 2020**. If you would be interested in helping that week, please call Darlene Livers at 270-496-4571.

Dynamic Catholic Programs

Some of our parishioners have received First Communion and Reconciliation sets from Dynamic Catholic and have past these on to us. These are wonderful programs for our 2nd graders but we don't have enough books for all the students. If you have received either of these programs from Dynamic Catholic that you would like to donate to our Religious Ed. program, it would be greatly appreciated.

Parish Talent Night



St. Mary is hosting a **Parish Talent Night** at 7:00 p.m. on **Saturday, March 28th**, at St. Mary Parish Hall. We invite singers, dancers & musicians to come perform their talents and everyone else to come and display their quilts, jewelry, woodworking, paintings, wreaths, honey, or ANY kind of art or other talent that you would like to share with the parish community. Please contact Diane Rogers at 270-547-1589.

Note of Thanks



The family of Jimmy Fackler would like to express their heartfelt thanks for the concern and support shown to them during his illness and passing. Thanks for the Very Much! cards, calls, visits, prayers, food, masses, and any other kindness shown to our family. A special thanks to Brother Tom Bridge who officiated at the Vigil Service, to Father Scott Murphy and the ministers and those who provided music for the funeral mass. A special thanks also to the men and women of St. Mary and St. Theresa for providing the food for, setting up and serving the funeral meal. May God bless all of you!

- The family of Jimmy Fackler

Fish Frys



Knights of Columbus - St. Teresa Council will host a Lenten Fish Fry each Friday from 4:00 to 7:00 p.m. from February 28th through April 3rd at St. John's in Brandenburg, KY. Come out and support the Knights of Columbus!

St. Martin of Tours in Flaherty will have Lenten Fish Frys every Friday during Lent, February 28th through April 3rd from 4:00 to 7:00 p.m.

Holy Guardian Angels in Irvington will have Lenten Fish Frys every Friday during Lent, February 28th through April 3rd from 4:00 to 7:00 p.m. at their parish hall in Irvington.

2019 Catholic Services Appeal



Thanks to those who have already responded with a gift to the 2019 Catholic Services Appeal. There is still plenty of time to respond with a gift to this year's Appeal. Gifts can be made through our parish office or online at www.ArchLou.org/CSA. Thanks to your generosity, St. Mary has exceeded its financial goal: As of February 14, our parishes have given:

St. Mary - \$19,930 of our \$18,500 goal (108%)
Participation goal - 45 of 52 families (87%)

St. Theresa - \$10,975 of our \$11,600 goal (95%)
Participation goal - 35 of 41 families (85%)

READINGS FOR SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 23

Leviticus 19:1-2,17-18
 1 Corinthians 3:16-23
 Matthew 5:38-48



READINGS FOR SUNDAY, MARCH 1

Genesis 2:7-9; 3:1-7
 1 Corinthians 3:16-23
 Matthew 5:38-48

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



**Prayer Intention
 for the Week**

For the Church: that we may live as God's holy people, manifesting God's love and compassion to all who enter our lives

**HOSPITAL AND HOMEBOUND MINISTRY
 PARISH DISPATCHERS**

St. Mary: Lois Fackler 270-422-2884

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, Tenley Ward, Marilyn Vessels, Diann Shireman, Pat LaChance, Shelly LaTondress, Martha Severs, Audrey Stull, Devon Vanover, Herbie Chism, Brad Curl, Adam Barr, Mary Todhunter, Carol Ryan, Mike Miller, Mary Lena Hardesty, David Fackler, Mildred Mattingly, Donnie & Alene Clark, Elaine Miller, Ricky Sturgeon, Jason Hardesty, Anna Popham, Matt Kunzman, Michael Staples

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.

Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

"For if you love those who love you, what recompense will you have?And if you greet your brothers only, what is unusual about that?....So be perfect, just as your heavenly Father is perfect."
 Matthew 5:46-48

Why would Jesus challenge his followers to be perfect when it is an unattainable goal? Jesus knew his followers were sure to fail, just as with us today. In pursuit of perfection, however, we grow in faith and make the world around us a better place. What better example could there be of stewardship?

Memorial Flower Garden

The Memorial Flower Garden at St. Theresa serves as a community remembrance of those who are no longer with us and is a beautiful asset to the parish grounds. While still a couple months away, volunteers are needed to help care for the garden. The garden is divided into seven sections. **At this time, we are looking for individuals, families or groups to adopt a section for the 2020 season.** Marie Ray who has been caring for the roses for the past 12 years, is going to retire and let someone else care for them. If you are interested in sharing your gifts of time and talent in the Memorial Flower Garden this year, please call Brenda Redman at 270-496-4329 or Kathy Shacklett at 270-945-6128. We are also accepting monetary donations to help with the expense of new plants, fertilizer, bug spray, mulch, and other supplies needed to maintain the Flower Garden. Please drop off at parish office or put in separate envelope marked St. Theresa Flower Garden & drop in collection basket.



The Vigil Project

The Vigil Project Mission Concert Night will be held on Monday, March 2nd, at St. James Catholic Church, 307 W Dixie Avenue, Elizabethtown, KY 42701 with Mass at 6:00 p.m. and the Mission 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. Live music, authentic prayer and dynamic speaking. Questions? Call 270-765-6268. To learn more about The Vigil Project, visit our website at www.thevigilproject.com Join us as well for a **Catholic Musician Workshop** from 1:30-3:00 p.m. in Batchelder Hall. Join us as we dialogue and explore the many dynamics surrounding the call to be a musician in the Catholic Church. For more information: Email Sr.Michaela Martizez at srmartinez@stjames-etown.org.

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 February show will feature the Youth Group of St. John's and their faith formation as told by adult leaders, Jennifer Shelton and John Beavin along with some of the youth members.

Please note: All of the previous guest speakers on the Discussions shows can be found on You Tube the month following their radio presentation. Search Meade County Catholic Radio and the monthly guests can be found.