



## St. Mark Catholic Church Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Eucharistic Adoration      Confession:      Saturdays:  
**Tuesday , Feb. 3 at 4 pm**      4 - 4:45 pm or by appointment

### Mass Scheduled Intentions

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Tues, Feb. 3	St. Mark	5 pm	Hosey Family	
Wed, Feb. 4	St. Paul	6:30 pm	Wilhelmina Guiab	+ CCD
Thurs, Feb. 5	St. Mark	9 am	Vicki Gaylord	
Fri, Feb. 6	St. Paul	9 am	Mary Ann Mitchell	+
Sat, Feb. 7	St. Mark	5 pm	Lolita and Benjamin Villacencio	+ Confession: 4 -4:45
Sun, Feb. 8	St. Mark	8 am	For the People of our Parishes	
	St. Paul	10 am	Dale Haberlock	+

Next Sunday's Readings: [\*Isaiah 58:7 -10;1 Corinthians 2:1 -5; Matthew 5:13 -16\*](#)

*Mission Statement: We are called to help complete the Mission of Jesus Christ by reaching out to all the lives we touch by word and example.*

Dear Parishioners and Visitors of St. Mark and St. Paul,

Well, we got ice and snow. But the freezing air is what bothered me more than anything. I stayed in the house all day on Sunday and about a half day on Monday. Since then, I have been doing my normal routine. I have been going to the gym for my daily walk, and I went to the grocery store to get a few things.

By now, the main roads are open, but because of the cold, the back roads are not cleared. I would suspect this will be the second Sunday on which many parishioners will not be at Sunday Mass. I just encourage you to use good judgment. If it is too cold and if your driveway or road has not been cleared, please stay home.

By the time you read this article for the bulletin, my unique event will be over. This Friday (January 30), I will have a wedding at the Cathedral of the Assumption in Louisville. Over the years, I have had weddings in various states but never at the Cathedral in Louisville. I did have my niece's wedding at St. Boniface in Louisville. That was nice. I am looking forward to this wedding. I have visited the Cathedral of the Assumption on many occasions over the years, but this will be the first time I've had Mass.

This Sunday is the first Sunday of the month. There will be the monthly breakfast at St. Mark. Next Sunday is the second Sunday of the month. There will be the monthly luncheon at St. Paul. Please come.

May God bless you and your family and our parish families of St. Mark and St. Paul.

Thank you.

Fr. Brad

## Prayer Requests -

**St. Mark** : Donald Nachreiner, William Carlin, Bill Stalter, Robin Hinton, James Weber, Elaine Collins, Patrick Flear, Bent, Janet Terry, Luca Carlson, Pete Arriola, Makenna Finnegan, Margie Hibbard, McBroome Family, Peggy and Tim Brown, Logan Thomas, Steven Dahl, Marie Berger, Chris and Bernadette Bode, David Russell, Barbara Hughes, Joe and Wanda Loftus, Karen Finnegan, Will Jones, Tom Johnson, Chris Davies, Mary Huhnke, Gail Biskupich, Terry O'Neill, Curtis Fritz, Kathleen and Alan Dale, Zane Pierson, Chuck Thomas, Rose Oliver, Sr. Mary Christine Taylor, Ann Munn, Roy Maynard, Pat Merimee, Wendy Welter Teller, Kevin Stuckner, Teresa Fuhrman, James I. Hosey, Mawn Family, David Harkins, Austin Bentham, Diane Edelbrock Nelson, Gerry Maynard, Jan Piche, Jim Eich, Karen Reibel, Kenny Pierson, Lonnie O'Neill, Maggie Pierson, Richard Berger, Ron Eich, Shannon Doney, Sr. Joan Claire, Terence Carlin

**Both Parishes:** Persecuted Christians throughout the world, Theresa Weidner Griffith **Please remember our shut-ins and nursing home residents in your prayers** : Barb Adams, William Moertl, and all those living in nursing homes. **Pray for our military and their families**, especially Monica Dukes, Tucker Pittmann, Aiden Davies, and Jack Rooyakkers.

**St. Paul** : Lewis Wurtman, Andrea Brumley, Robyn Taylor, Jill Choate, Steve Alldredge, Karen Riedeman Schalk, Tara Jeanne Perez, Jansen Hubbard, Rachel Smotherman, Lee Weidner, Shirley Carney, Ronald Harper, Michael Gray, Liam Stevenson, Pam Childress, Emily Stolz, Robert Peek, Jason Goodwin, Iris Brandon, Sandy Haberlock, Laura Jean Basso, Christa Strong, Teresa Boyd, Rodger Rush, Norm and Millie Thomas, Max Reil, David Cansler, Margot Shirley, Kendra Redd, Teresa Angelilli, Rick Bennett, Mary Reil, Beth Berton, Ronald Weidner, Mary Cheeseman

# Happy Birthday!

Feb 2 Rose Swierczynski

Feb 8 Victoria Carter Feb 21 Jack Rooya kkers Feb 23 Rita Heaney

Happy Anniversary! Feb 16 Chris and Kelly Sterrie 13 years



## Save the Date!

**This Weekend** - Family Aid Collection / St. Mark First Sunday

### Breakfast

Saturday, Feb 7 - *Joy, Laughter, and Holiness* Women's Retreat

Sunday, Feb 8 - St. Paul Second Sunday Soups 'n Sandwiches Lunch

Saturday, Feb 21 - *Fatherhood and Heroic Discipleship* - WKY Men's Conference

Friday, Feb 27 - *Marriage at Canna* event in Grand Rivers

## Sacraments

**Baptism:** Please contact the Pastor to schedule a Baptism. One-month notice is required.

**Matrimony:** To schedule a wedding, please make an appointment with Fr. Brad. At least six months are needed for preparation.

Please contact Fr. Brad at **(270) 365-6786** for **Anointing of the Sick, Holy Communion or Pastoral calls** to the sick, shut-in, or hospitalized.

	Altar Server	Lector	Greeters/ Ushers	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (EMC)	Counters Financial Rep.*
Feb. 7 5 pm		Michelle Thayer	Sonny Finnegan Volunteer	Doug McCartney Joe Merimee	Joann Bogle*
Feb. 8 8 am	Aeydon	Marilyn Terry	Michele Jasis Jasper	Joey Rivera Volunteer	Nancy Stalter* Pat Dybel Karen Murdzek

**DIOCESAN POLICY:** A full explanation of the diocese's response to sexual abuse concerns can be found in the revised sexual abuse policy, effective July 1, 2014, which is available on the bookshelf in Fr. Brad's office, and online at <https://owensborodiocese.org/safe>.

**WELCOME!** Please see Fr. Brad or Kathy Talley to register. If you are a current parishioner with a change in contact information, please notify Kathy Talley [kfct@umich.edu](mailto:kfct@umich.edu) or **(270) 625-3433**.

**Bulletin Announcements** should be sent directly to Regina at [reg8926@gmail.com](mailto:reg8926@gmail.com) or text (931) 801-6514 **NLT Tuesday evening**.

**Stewardship** - Due to the snowstorm, collections were not taken last week.

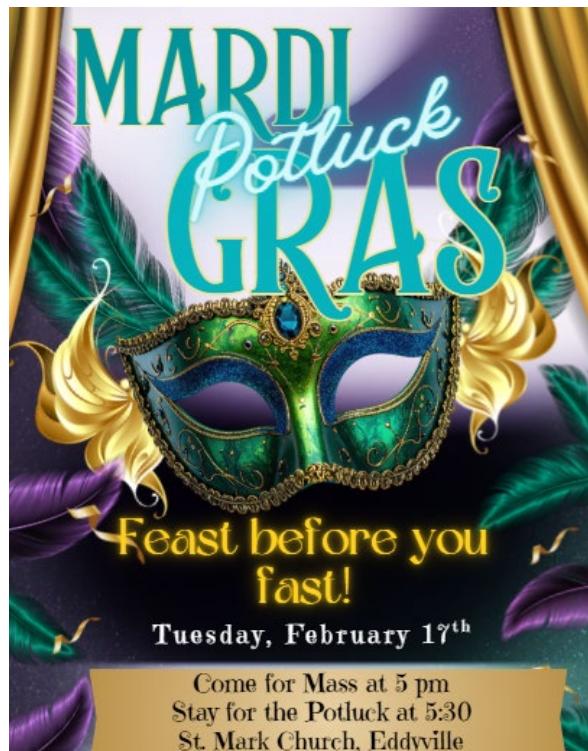
## **Marriage at Canna event in Grand Rivers**

On Friday, Feb 27, the evening starts at 6 pm with a Mass celebrating marriage and anniversary blessings. Afterwards, enjoy a delicious catered dinner. Music and dancing will conclude the evening. Please sign up on the sheet to RSVP or see Sonny Finnegan.

## **The Joy, Laughter, and Holiness Women's Retreat**

February 7, 2026, at St.

Ann Parish Hall, 304 S. Church St., Morganfield. Doors open at 8:00 am with programming from 9:00 am – 2:30 pm. Light breakfast/coffee will be served, and a catered box lunch will be provided. All are welcome. Register and purchase your \$30 ticket at <https://owensborodiocese.org/womensretreat/>



## **Pope Leo XIV's February Prayer Intention**

*For children with incurable*

*diseases* Let us pray that children suffering from incurable diseases and their families receive the necessary medical care and support, never losing strength and hope.

## **February is the Month of the Holy Family**

*Jesus, Mary, and Joseph, I give you my heart and my soul  
Jesus, Mary, and Joseph, assist me in my final agony  
Jesus, Mary, and Joseph, may I breathe forth my soul in  
peace with you.*

