

St. Mark Catholic Church

302 Peachtree Ln, Eddyville, KY 42038

March 1, 2026

Second Sunday of Lent

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Family Aid Society
(502) 354 -7428



Next Eucharistic Adoration this Tuesday, Mar 3 at 4 pm

Confession: By appointment or Sat: 4-4:45 pm



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Mass Scheduled Intentions

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Tues, Mar. 3	St. Mark	5 pm	Communion Service	Adoration at 4 pm
Wed, Mar. 4	St. Paul	6:30 pm	Communion Service	CCD
Thurs, Mar. 5	St. Mark	9 am	Stations of the Cross	
Fri, Mar. 6	St. Paul	8 a m	Adoration	Stations of the Cross 6 pm
Sat, Mar 7	St. Mark	5 pm	For the People of our Parishes	Confession: 4 -4:45
Sun, Mar. 8	St. Mark	8 a m	Mary Miller +	
	St. Paul	10 a m	Ray Family	

Next Sunday's Readings: [Exodus 17:3 -7; Romans 5:1 -2, 5-8; John 4:5 -42](#)

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,

Today is the second Sunday of Lent. Every year on this Sunday, the Transfiguration of Jesus is proclaimed. This is when Jesus takes Peter, James, and John up on the mountain. There, Jesus is transfigured. These three apostles see Jesus in all his glory. It is a real mountain top experience for them. But then they come down the mountain and face the reality of daily living.

Have you ever had one of those mountain-top experiences? Maybe it was a retreat, maybe it was the day you became engaged or your wedding day, but then you came back to the routine of daily life. It is good to have a mountain-top experience. I have had many of them over the years, and they helped me to know the very presence of God. But I also try to know that God is present with me in the daily routine of life. "O Lord, continue to bless us during our Lenten journey with your presence."

I will be taking a few days off this week for a little vacation. I will be visiting family and friends. I will visit some friends that I have not seen in over ten years. I had their wedding shortly after I was ordained in 1981. Their wedding took place in New Jersey. Now they are retired and are enjoying their five kids and grandchildren. I look forward to seeing them again. If anything happens and you need a priest, please contact Deacon Paul or Kathy Talley. They will be happy to help. I will be back for Mass on Tuesday, March 10.

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 : Kevin Manker, Stephanie Schneider and her sister, Allison Parker, Skylar, Mandy McCutchan, Tim Johns, 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, McBroom 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 Benthem, 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 Rooyackers.

St. Paul : Madge Murphy, Eileen Harvey, Johnny Roman, Miss Sherri, Lewis Wurtman, Andrea Brumley, Robyn Taylor, Jill Choate, Steve Alldredge, Karen Riedeman Schalk, Tara Jeanne Perez, Jansen Hubbard, 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 March Birthday!

1st Isabella Fields 6th Eric Fields 9th James Hibbard
9th Thomas Rooyakkers 11th Kathy Talley
15th Kelly Sterrie 17th Dominique Rivera

Happy Anniversary!



Thomas and Nicole Rooyakkers 3/20/1993
Terence and Susan Carlin 3/24/1968
Catherine and Thomas Murray 3/26/1988



Save the Date!

This Weekend St. Mark - First Sunday Breakfast

Friday, Mar. 6 - KofC Fish Fry 3:30 -5:30 St. Paul
Stations 6 pm St Paul

Sunday, Mar. 8 - **Second Sunday Lunch St. Paul** after the 10 am Mass

Kindly bring your favorite sides, casseroles, and desserts to share with family and friends.

Sunday, Mar. 22 - Penance Service 2 pm St Paul

Tuesday, Mar. 25 - Penance Service 5: 30 pm St. Mark after 5 pm Mass

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.

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 or (270) 625-3433.

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

Stewardship Feb 21/22

Regular Collection \$1341.00

Mandeville Jamaica \$446.00

Mass Intentions \$40.00

Thanks for your support!

Pope Leo XIV's Prayer Intention for March

For disarmament and peace.

Let us pray that nations move toward effective disarmament, particularly nuclear disarmament, and that world leaders choose the path of dialogue and diplomacy instead of violence.

March is Dedicated to St. Joseph

"Of all the people I have known with a true devotion and particular veneration for St. Joseph, not one has failed to advance in virtue; he helps those who turn to him to make real progress. For several years now, I believe, I have always made some request to him on his feast day, and it was always been granted; and when my request is not quite what it ought to be, he puts it right for my greater benefit." — St. Teresa of Avila

	Altar Server	Lector	Greeters/ Ushers	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (EMC)	Counters Financial Rep.*
Mar. 7 5 pm		Michelle Edelbrock	Doug McCartney Volunteer	Sonny Finnegan and Joe Merimee	Joann Bogle*
Mar.8 8 am		Bill Stalter	Bill and Nancy Stalter	Jan Chaplin Joey Rivera	Bob Chaplin* Pat Dybel Karen Murdzek

K of C Fish Fry Continues

Every Friday from now until March 20, the K of C Fish Fry will offer both shrimp and fish meals. Meals will include two pieces of fish or eight shrimp plus hush puppies, white beans, slaw, and French fries for \$13.00 per meal. Meals can be picked up from 3:30 to 5:30 pm in the Parish Center. All proceeds will be used to continue the Knight's charitable programs. Take the night off from the kitchen and let the Knights cook dinner.