

Third Sunday of Easter

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Mass Scheduled Intentions + Deceased blank Living

Tues, Apr 21	St. Mark 5 pm Charles Gaylord
Wed, Apr 22	St. Paul 6:30 pm All Souls in Purgatory +
Thurs, April 23	St. Mark 9 am Fr. Jim Kosek +
Fri, April 24	St. Paul 9 am Fr. J Edward Bradley +
Sat, April 25	St. Mark 5 pm Fr. Ted Crosby + Confession 4- 4:45 pm
Sun, April 26	St. Mark 8 am For the People of our Parishes St. Paul 10 am Daniel Woodward +

Fourth Sunday of Easter Readings

Acts 2:14a, 36-4; Psalm 23: 1-3a, 3b- 4, 5, 6; 1 Peter 2:20b - 25; John 10: 1-10

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

There were forty days of Lent which concluded on Holy Thursday. Now we celebrate the Easter season which has fifty days. It is ironic, I think, that the forty days of Lent get a lot more attention than the fifty days of Easter.

I would recommend that we read the Acts of the Apostles in the New Testament. This is the beginning of the church, and we can read firsthand about the joy and the struggles that took place. The Apostles continued to do the same work that Jesus did. There were successes as well as some human failures. There were also some disagreements, especially over the issue of converting to faith; namely, the conversion of the Gentiles.

The past two weekends, at both St. Mark and St. Paul, our Sunday attendance has increased noticeably. Welcome back to the area for the summer. It is really quiet here during the wintertime. It's good to see our visitors again.

Well, my mother won out. I was home this past week visiting with my parents and was informed that they have a full garden. My mom is really looking forward to it. They have already planted potatoes, and they have all come up. She is now waiting on the lettuce bed to produce along with some radishes and onions. It is also good news for me as I am getting low on a few things she provides for me, especially green beans.

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

Thank you.

Fr. Brad

Save the Date!

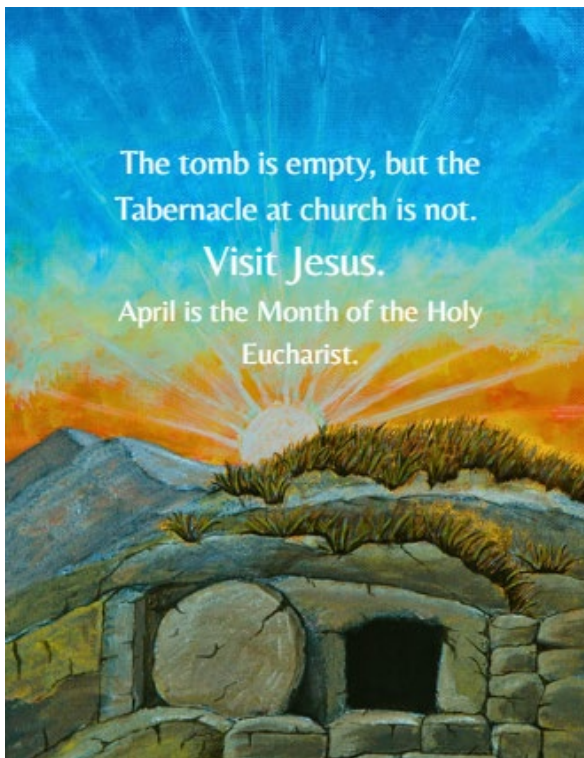
Friday, May 1	- 8 am at St. Paul	Eucharistic Adoration
Sunday, May 3	- 9 am at St. Mark	First Sunday Breakfast
Sunday, May 3	- 10 am at St. Paul	Confirmation
Tuesday, May 5	4 pm at St. Mark	Eucharistic Adoration

Prayer Requests -

St. Mark: Patricia Kelley, Tabitha R., Kevin Manker, Stephanie Schneider and her sister, Allison, Parker, Skylar, Mandy McCutchan, Tim Johns, Donald Nachreiner, William and Terrence Carlin, Bill Stalter, Robin Hinton, James Weber, Elaine Collins, Patrick Flear, Jane t 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, W ill Jones, Tom Johnson, Chris Davies, Mary Huhnke, Gail Biskupich, Terry O'Neill, Curtis Fritz, Kathleen and Alan Dale, Zane Pierson, Chuck Thomas, Sr. Mary Christine Taylor, Ann Munn, Roy Maynard, Pat Merimee, Wendy Welter Teller, Kevin Stuckner, Teresa F uhrman, James I. Hosey, Mawn Family, David Harkins, Austin Benthem, Diane Edelbrock Nelson, Gerry Maynard, Jan Piche, Jim Eich, Karen Reibel, Kenny and Maggie Pierson, Lonnie O'Neill, Richard Berger, Ron Eich, Shannon Doney, Sr. Joan Claire

Both Parishes: Persecuted Christians throughout the world, Theresa Weidner Griffith, Kankakee County storm victims. 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 Aiden Davies (*deployed*), Monica Dukes, Tucker Pittmann, and Jack Rooyakkers.



St. Paul: Dixon Family in Illinois, 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 Harp er, Michael Gray, Liam Stevenson, Pam Childress, 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, T eresa Angelilli, Rick Bennett, Mary Reil, Beth Berton, Ronald Weidner, Mary Cheeseman.

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

Confirmation Class of 2026

Sam Adams Ethan Klidzejs Alex Pineda
 Konnor Knott Scout Stewart

Confirmation will be conferred during the 10 am Mass on
 Sunday, May 3 at St. Paul.



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 (available on the bookshelf in Fr. Brad’s office at St. Mark), 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.

Apr 12/Wk 41	St. Paul	Thanks for your support	
Total Collection \$5,727.38		Weekly Budget	\$ 3,800.00
Share from St. Mark \$3,509.38		Year-to-date Collection	\$144,438.96
Seminary \$65.00		Year-to date Budget	\$155,800.00
Holy Land \$45.00			

Apr 11/12	St. Mark	Thanks for your support	
Regular Collection \$2908.00	Holy Land \$25.00	Mass Intentions	\$100.00
Seminary \$50.00		Thank You from Mary’s Family	\$100.00
	In Memory of Mary McClusky		\$100.00