



WEEKLY SCHEDULE

<b>SATURDAY, April 7 – First Saturday</b>	
9:00 a.m.	Adam Lombardi †
4:00 p.m.	Barbara Sullivan †
<b>SUNDAY, April 8 – Divine Mercy Sunday</b>	
9:00 a.m.	Don Hirn †
11:30 a.m.	For the People
<b>MONDAY, April 9</b>	
<i>The Annunciation of the Lord</i>	
8:15 a.m.	For all the Holy Souls in Purgatory
<b>TUESDAY, April 10</b>	
5:30 p.m.	Robert Steel †
<b>WEDNESDAY, April 11 – Saint Stanislaus</b>	
5:30 p.m.	The Robert & Loretta Blessing family
<b>THURSDAY, April 12</b>	
5:30 p.m.	Clyde Leiterman †
<b>FRIDAY, April 13</b>	
8:15 a.m.	Barbara Sullivan †
<b>SATURDAY, April 14</b>	
4:00 p.m.	For the People
<b>SUNDAY, April 15</b>	
9:00 a.m.	Charlie and Margie Campbell †
11:30 a.m.	Beth Maupin †

Note: Confession is heard 1/2 hour prior to each weekend Mass. Coffee and doughnuts are served following the Sunday 9:00 a.m. Mass

**MEETINGS FOR WEEK OF April 9<sup>th</sup>**

- Knights of Columbus: Monday @ 7:00 p.m. – 2<sup>nd</sup> floor Burkley
- Scouts: Tuesday @ 6:00 p.m. – 2<sup>nd</sup> floor Library
- Scouts: Tuesday @ 6:30 p.m. – Specht Center
- 9:00 am. Choir: Wednesday @ 6:00 p.m. – Specht Center

**EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**

Tuesday, 9:00 a.m.-10:00 p.m. Saint Francis of Assisi Chapel  
 Wednesday, 7:00 a.m.-10:00 p.m. Saint Francis of Assisi Chapel

**SERMON ON THE AMOUNT” – March 31-April 1, 2018**

Envelopes: \$5694.00  
 Non-envelope donation: \$1953.00  
 ECO donations: \$1560.00 (weekly, 1st)  
 Total offering: \$9207.00

**Refresh them Lord, with your healing grace.  
 Please remember in your prayers:**

Hospital, Nursing/Assisted Living facility:

Toni Neal, Shirley Thibaut, Tom Brennan, Elisha Fandrey Stallworth

At home: Sharon Kirby, Mary Sailor, Carla Palkuti, Patricia Sauer, Dan Hogan, Karen Schlueb, Foday Kenneh, Albert Petrikas, Joel Rivera, Denise Gammell, Robert Ressa, Tammy Littler, Brett Anderson, Baby Ryan Shaw

*If you are admitted to a hospital St. Mary may not be notified.  
 Please ask a family member to call the parish office.*

**SSCM PANTRY-ITEM FOR APRIL.....**the items needed for the month of April is **pork and beans and canned pasta meals.** Please drop your donation off throughout the month. We will have a basket marked “food pantry” in the gymnasium for your donations.

**RCIA:** This is the last meeting of the year for those received into the Church during Easter Vigil. We welcome you and pray for you as you begin your journey in the Holy Catholic Church.

**BAPTISMS IN APRIL**

- April 8<sup>th</sup>: Burn family, daughter, Harper
- April 15<sup>th</sup>: Hagey family, son, Anderson
- April 22<sup>nd</sup>: D’Andrea family, daughter, Pia
- April 22<sup>nd</sup>: Thompson family, son, Connor

**ST. MARY SCHOOL-OPEN ENROLLMENT UNTIL APRIL 30**

Would you like your child to receive a Catholic education but are worried about tuition? Contact us for information about the Educational Choice Scholarship ~ your tuition may be covered! [www.stmaryschoolgv.com](http://www.stmaryschoolgv.com)

**PUT A SPRING IN YOUR STEP!**

That’s what you’ll have after a **Worldwide Marriage Encounter** weekend! The next two weekends are July 13-15 and September 14-16, both in Central Ohio. Marriage Encounter is where married couples can get away from jobs, kids, chores, and phones and focus only on each other. For more information or to apply, contact Paul & Marilou Clouse at 614-834-6880 or visit our website at [www.wwmecolumbus.org](http://www.wwmecolumbus.org)

**EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY**

Bishop Ready High School is seeking applications for the position of Principal for the 2018-19 academic year. The school employs the President-Principal model. For details and to access the application form, please visit the Diocesan website at <http://education.columbuscatholic.org/job-openings>.

**LITURGICAL/VOLUNTEER SCHEDULES for April 14-15, 2018 (3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the Month)**

**Extraordinary Ministers are reminded to cleanse the vessels after each Mass**

TIME	ALTAR SERVER	LECTOR	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER	SACRISTAN
44:00 P.M.	open	John LaMotte	Carol Rees	
	open	John Rees	Chris Hilles	Barbara Myers
9:00 A.M.	Andrew Grosko	Rick Driscoll	Sheila Naegele, Carolyn Redwood	
	open	open	Trevor Richards, Mary Wickham	Mark Grosko
11:30 A.M.	Anna Lynch	Chris Bartony	Ann Anderson	
	open	Jim Wiley	open	open

Prayers after Mass: following each Mass please kneel and prayer the following prayers: The Our Father, The Hail Mary, The Glory Be and the Prayer to St. Michael the Archangel (see the back of your Missal for a copy of this prayer)

**COFFEE & DOUGHNUTS: April 15 – Knights of Columbus** **Pray for our men and women in uniform**

Collection counters for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month: Frances Melton and Lin Duren

**Notes from the Pastor**

This is Wednesday, April 4<sup>th</sup> and I'm calling in this column for the bulletin. Presently, I am visiting a Monastery in Conyer, GA and from here I will be traveling to EWTN in Alabama.

By the time you read this, I will be back at St. Mary—God willing.

At this time, I would like to acknowledge, congratulate and welcome our newly baptized and confirmed Catholics into the Fullness of the Catholic Church.

**Baptized: Bryan McBride**

**Confirmed: Bryan McBride, Sara Wolfe and Heather Burian-Wezey**

We, as the community of St. Mary, will continue to pray for you as you continue to immerse yourself in the Journey of Faith to which you humbly committed yourself.

This is a perfect opportunity to **Thank Mike Keebaugh** for leading in the preparation of these new Catholics. It is a great responsibility and an honor to share all that makes up the Catholic Faith with those desiring to learn and commit their lives in this way. Mike has been dedicated to his call. I thank you for all you do in God's service.

The 8<sup>th</sup> grade students will leave Monday morning for their trip to Washington, DC. Please keep them in your prayers that they will have a safe journey and gain a wealth of knowledge from this experience.

Again, I want thank all those who in any way made the Holy Week celebrations so beautiful. Your efforts are deeply appreciated. Prayers for each of you.

The Lord be with you!  
Father Kevin F. Lutz

**News Worthy Notes**

**CAPITAL CAMPAIGN UPDATE:** Have you received your call from one of your fellow parishioners yet about the Capital Campaign? He or she will be happy to answer any questions for you that may help you decide on your gift. If you have already given, THANK YOU! You have helped us get to \$2.6 Million, nearly 50% of our goal! With gifts "in the pipeline" and with YOUR GIFT, we are confident that we will meet our goal and begin the final phase of the project very soon! This is an exciting phase of the campaign -- we are going for the finish line! Call Peggy or Mike Hartshorn if you have any questions. 614-846-9550.

**LIVING AS MISSIONARY DISCIPLES**

Diocesan Jail & Prison Ministry Conference to be held on Saturday, April 28, 2018, 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at St. Elizabeth Church, 6077 Sharon Woods Blvd. This conference is for both experienced prison ministers and those interested. Keynote speaker is Ron Zeilinger, Executive Director of Dismas Ministry, a national Catholic prison outreach. Conference topics include restorative justice, models of ministry, reentry ministry, and advocacy. Cost: Free. Register by April 24 at [www.columbuscatholic.org/prison-ministry-criminal-justice](http://www.columbuscatholic.org/prison-ministry-criminal-justice) or call 614-241-2540. Includes lunch and conference materials.

**CARMELITE VOCATIONS PROGRAM**

The Carmelite Sisters for the Aged and Infirm will soon be offering a volunteer mission program for women, called the SALT ("Serving The Aged Lovingly Today.") Missionary Program. It is an opportunity for interested individuals to come and experience connecting with the elderly in a mutually supportive and understanding relationship under the guidance and care of the Carmelite Sisters for the Aged and Infirm. For 2018, the SALT Program dates are: June 10-23 in Albany NY and July 15- 27 in Columbus OH. For more information about the SALT Program contact Sr. Maureen at: [msullivan@carmeliteseniorliving.org](mailto:msullivan@carmeliteseniorliving.org).

**150TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION MASS**

Join Bishop Frederick F. Campbell and the clergy of the Diocese of Columbus in celebrating this important milestone in our Diocese's history on **Sunday, April 22, at 5:15 p.m. at St. Joseph Cathedral**. All members of the Diocese are invited to attend; parking is limited. For more information about 150th Anniversary activities, visit [columbuscatholic.org/150th-commemoration](http://columbuscatholic.org/150th-commemoration).

**THE SHEPHERD'S TOUR**

Celebrate 150 years of the Diocese of Columbus with a Pilgrimage. Take this opportunity to join Father Joshua Wagner and tour a variety of sites to venerate those Bishops who are interred within our Diocese. Tour sites include St. Joseph Cathedral; Mt. Calvary Cemetery; St. Joseph Cemetery; St. Francis de Sales, Newark; Church of the Blessed Sacrament, Newark; St. Edward the Confessor, Granville; and the Pontifical College Josephinum, with Mass at St. Turibius Chapel (tour stops subject to change). Tour space is limited; for dates and registration information, visit [catholicchurchtour.com](http://catholicchurchtour.com)

**CATHOLIC CONVERSATION PRESENTS**

*Religious Freedom for Life Issues* on Sunday, April 8 from 6:00-8:00 p.m. at Sports on Tap located at 4030 Main St., Hilliard. Meeting is held on the 2nd floor upper room. The panel of speakers include: Mark Huddy, Diocesan Director of the Office for Social Concerns, Amy VanDyke, Medical Ethicist, Mount Carmel Health System, and Peggy Wolock, Esq., Chapter Development & Special Project Lead, Legatus. Catholic Conversations is hosted by St. Margaret of Cortona parish and is free to attend. You just cover the costs of your food or drink. We purposefully meet at a public space so we can bring our faith and conversation into the world. Registration suggested, but not required, to ensure seating through EventBrite. Search for Catholic Conversations and register on line. Questions? Contact Julie Naporano at [julienaporano1@gamil.com](mailto:julienaporano1@gamil.com)

**"Grand Old Saint Mary's" Parish Veterans-Honor Flight Columbus**

This Saturday, April 7, another **Honor Flight Columbus** trip to Washington, D.C. took off from John Glenn Columbus International Airport (Port Columbus). **Honor Flight Columbus** is a local group which sponsors several free trips to Washington D.C., every year honoring WWII, Korean and Vietnam Era Veterans. The stated purpose of the charter flight is to "thank you (the Veteran) for your service to our country." The one-day trip starts when the Veteran is greeted at the airport by Honor Flight Ground Crew volunteers who escort them through the Security process. They then meet their Guardian who will assist them throughout the day, taking their picture at the memorials, pushing their wheelchairs, and listening to their stories. The Veterans are provided breakfast, lunch and dinner. The Veterans visit Arlington National Cemetery, WWII, Korean, and Vietnam Memorials. The Marine Corps Memorial (Iwo Jima); Navy Memorial; Air Force Memorial; and Women's Memorial are additional possibilities. If Grandpa, Grandma, Mom, Dad, or Uncle Bill qualify contact Honor Flight Columbus at PO Box 12036, Columbus, Ohio 43212. For info the email address is [info@honorflightcolumbus.org](mailto:info@honorflightcolumbus.org). Yes Tim, they even take grunts from the 101<sup>st</sup>. Pray for our men and women in uniform.

**SPECIAL COLLECTIONS**

- **This weekend** we collect for our Southside Community Food Pantry. Please use your preprinted envelope or mark your donation accordingly.
- **Next weekend** our special collection is to support the Church in Central and Eastern Europe.

*Jesus' death and resurrection express a reality that is complicated, emotionally moving, and yet joyful. Death does not have the last word. And that is indeed the good news. God is the one who will be there for us! God is the one who is concerned and cares for us! God is the one who, as we pray in Psalm 34, hears the cry of the poor!*