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July 17, 2022



16th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

The Lord said to her in reply, "Martha, Martha, you are anxious and worried about many things. There is need of only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part and it will not be taken from her." - Lk 10:41-42

MASS INTENTIONS							
Tues.	July 19	7:00pm	+Maryann Pietrowski Req. by Dad & family				
Wed.	July 20	12 Noon	+Marino & Rosa Benedettini Req. by Graziano Canini				
Thurs.	July 21	8:30am	+Marino & Rosa Benedettini Req. by Graziano Canini				
Fri.	July 22	8:30am	+Ted & Jeanette Gawronski Req. by Patricia Godvin				
Sat.	July 23	4:30pm	+Carmen & Brian Kennedy Req. by William Kennedy +Carmen Zbytowski Req. by Maryann Sligay				
Sun.	July 24	9:00am	+Nancy Marciniak Req. by Family +Marino & Rosa Benedettini Req. Graziano Canini				
		11:00am	+Enrique Pardo Req. by Evangeline Kabacinski +Nick Scanga Req. by Sara Scanga				





(Deacon Emeritus)

a very happy birthday!

PRAY FOR OUR SICK

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If there are any names that can be removed from our Prayer List, please let us know by calling 734-425-4421.

OUR ACTIVE DUTY SERVICE MEMBERS

CPT Joey Saunders, U.S. Marines; Joseph David Onadia, U.S. Navy; PVT Marcus Rodriguez, U.S. Army William Albright, U.S. Air Force; Matt Rice, U.S. Marines

Parish Mission Statement

The Parish of St. Mary, Cause of Our Joy, inspired by Mary's "Yes" and led by the Holy Spirit, strives to be a faith-filled community, joyfully welcoming all to witness and to celebrate the Gospel.

Queen's Quotes from Religious Formation

Salutations!

Today, we hear the story of Mary and Martha. Mary and Martha were sisters and very close friends of Jesus. Though they were sisters they had very different personalities. Jesus loved them both. Jesus does not punish Martha's hospitality or attention to detail but her inability to be present with him in the moment. Mary's trust in Jesus' allowed her to be at peace and listen to the words Jesus spoke.

Let us not let the work and worries of our lives keep us from Jesus' words. Who are you more like Mary or Martha? Have you ever been too busy for God? Take time for prayer and pay attention at Mass.

Please know Faith Formation Registration forms for the 2022/2023 season have been mailed, you may find them on the website, and some are placed at the main church entrance and Parish Office. TY!

Have a great week everyone!

What does a bee do when it is hot? Takes off its yellow jacket.

Why don't mummies go camping? They're afraid to relax and unwind.

Sunshine and Smiles.

Sabrina Queen

DRE - Saint Mary, COOJ

Director of Discipleship - Nankin Family of Parishes

St. Mary, Cause of Our Joy Cause of Our Joy Vacation Bible School August 1-5, 2022 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Registration Cost: \$20.00 per child

We welcome all children in grades Pre-K (age 4-potty trained) through Grade 6 to join us!

Registration forms can be found on the parish web page: https://stmarycooj.org. You may register at the parish office weekdays. Please make checks payable to St. Mary, Cause of Our Joy.

On your registration form, please enter the grade that your child will be entering in the Fall of 2022. We are looking forward to seeing everyone at Vacation Bible School!

St. Mary, Cause of Our Joy Family Fun Nights

Please join us for Family Fun Nights on Monday evenings under the tent. Fun begins at 6:00pm.

We will have hot dogs and chips. Yard games and playing cards will be available. Please bring your own drinks.

If you would like, bring a comfy chair, a board game if you like to play or just sit and visit.

Family Fun Night will continue throughout summer. Please join us!

NOTES FROM PAUL

As many of you know, my mother passed a few weeks ago. My family and I have been overwhelmed with the number of people who have reached out to offer prayers and kind words. I want to thank each of you from the bottom of my heart.

This weekend's Gospel is one that always makes me think of my mother. It would not matter if it were a family or church event, she was the type of person who would help set-up, cook, serve, and then clean up. She was a Martha. Someone who wanted to make sure everything went well for everyone else. Like Martha, she would also get frustrated at times when she saw people who she felt were not pitching in to help.

We each serve God in our own way. The greatest way is to sit in conversation with God like Mary. Yet we need the Martha's to make sure the food is served at the dinner. Ideally, we each spend time in each role. I am sure my mom is enjoying her time as a "Mary" now.

God bless you

Paul J. Zbytowski Jr.

Pastoral Associate/Evangelization and Christian Service Coordinator - St. Mary, COOJ

Director of Engagement/Director of Mission Support - Nankin Family of Parishes

SUNDAY'S READINGS

FIRST READING:

"No, it is something very near to you, already in your mouths and in your hearts; you have only to carry it out." (Dt 50:14)

PSALM:

Turn to the Lord in your need, and you will live. (Ps 69) Or Your words, Lord, are Spirit and life. (Ps 19)

SECOND READING:

For in him were created all things in heaven and on earth, the visible and the invisible, whether thrones or dominions or principalities or powers; all things were created through him and for him. (Col 15:15)

GOSPEL:

"Which of these three, in your opinion, was neighbor to the robbers' victim?" He answered, "The one who treated him with mercy." Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise." (Lk 10:36-37)

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OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 10, 2022

Sunday: 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: St. Benedict, Abbot

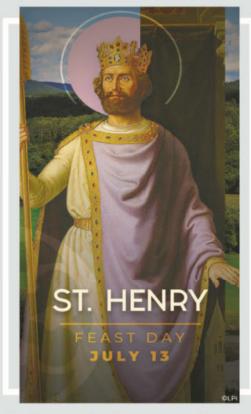
Wednesday: St. Henry

Thursday: St. Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin

Friday: St. Bonaventure, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

Saturday: Our Lady of Mount Carmel Next Sunday: 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time





Saint of the Week

Saint Henry was born in 972 to Henry, Duke of Bavaria, Germany, and his wife Gisela of Burgundy. Saint Henry's early life was permeated with Christianity, among those who guided his education was Bishop Wolfgang of Ratisbon, who became a saint himself. In 995, Saint Henry succeeded his father as Duke of Bavaria, and in 1002, upon the death of his cousin, Otho III, he was elected emperor. In 1014, Saint Henry undertook the long journey from Germany to Rome to be crowned Holy Roman Emperor by Pope Benedict XIII.

In 1022 Saint Henry assisted Pope Benedict VIII in holding the Council of Pavia, which promoted clerical celibacy and sought to end simony (the buying and selling of ecclesiastical goods and offices). During his reign, Saint Henry used his wealth and position for the Church. He confirmed Benedict's authority over Rome, was a patron of churches and monasteries, supported the Cluniac Reforms, restored episcopal sees, and founded the Diocese of Bamburg where he built a cathedral. Saint Henry was married to Cunigunde of Luxembourg, to whom he was incredibly devoted. Although disputed by some historians, some stories of the couple's marriage report they took vows of chastity because their union was childless. Saint Henry died in July of 1024 and was canonized in 1146 by Pope Eugene III.

YOUR SUNDAY CONTRIBUTION REPORT							
<u>Date</u>	# of Gifts	Actual	Budget	Variance			
07/10/22	227	\$7,750	\$10,294	\$2,544			

COMMUNION

If you are unable to walk up for Communion and you are not sitting in the handicap section, please notify an usher when you enter Church. A minister will come to you.

Forever Young Seniors...

Our next meeting will be Monday, August 1st at 10:00am in the Small Hall. We will be having a Hawaiian Luau, so dig in your closet for your best Hawaiian shirt or floral blouse. We will also play Bingo. Lunch provided by Chef Ann Pape.

The Annual Picnic will be September 12th at 10:00am. Tickets for the box lunch are \$10 and can be purchased at the August meeting. No tickets will be sold at the picnic.

Bianco bus trips:

Tues, Aug 16th – Huron Lady II \$81 due by Aug 1st SOLD OUT – call for wait list

Tues, Sept 13th – Turkeyville "Church Basement Ladies"

\$86 due by Aug 22nd

Thurs, Oct 13th – Harvest Adventure

\$95 due by Oct 3rd

Note: the bus trips are open to everyone. See flyers in the Gathering Space for more info.

Maryann Sligay -- 734-525-3737

DO YOU HAVE A PYX AT HOME?

It has come to our attention that we are almost out of Pyxides in the sacristy. We do not mind if someone needs to borrow one but our supply has dwindled down significantly. If you have one you borrowed and no longer need it, please return it to the sacristy or to our Pastoral Associate, Paul Zybtowski. Thank you.

Come and Pray the Rosary with us!

Wednesday evenings at 7pm in the church. Bring your family. Invite a friend! Next Rosary will be held Wednesday, July 20th



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FORGOTTEN HARVEST



The Forgotten Harvest truck will be here Tuesday, July 26, from 9-11 a.m. (or until the food runs out). As a reminder, you can sign up to

volunteer to help on the St. Mary, Cause of Our Joy website.

THANK YOU to all our volunteers!

PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND

Israel and Jordan

Tour has been changed to October Prices will be lower.

Call Parish Office if you would like to be put on a list to receive updated info.

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- ♦ Hotel
- ♦ Transfers
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- ♦ 3 full buffet meals daily/
- ♦ Daily bottle of water
- ♦ Whisper in Israel (audio tour)
- ♦ WiFi
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- ♦ All Entrances, Certificates, Souvenirs

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Eucharistic Exposition Wednesdays 12:30—3:00pm



Are you new to the parish? Do you ever feel like you are missing out on "up to the minute" news? Have you missed the news of a funeral that happened during the week but wished you had known sooner? You can sign up for Flocknote by going to: https://app.flocknote.com/StMaryCauseofOurJoy or text "COOJ" to 84576

DID YOU KNOW?.....

Our Family of Parishes is known as the **Nankin Family of Parishes.** It includes *St. Mary, Cause of Our Joy, St. Mary* in Wayne, *St. Thomas the Apostle, Ss. Simon & Jude* and *St. Richard* parishes.

To know more about our Family please check out our Facebook page at https://www.facebook.com/NankinFamilyofParishes.



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St. Mary, Cause of Our Joy



Monday and Wednesday: 9am-4pm Tuesday and Thursday: 9am-12 Noon

Friday: Closed

Please call the office to make other arrangements

Mass Schedule

 THURS & FRI
 8:30 am

 TUES
 7:00 pm

 WED
 12:00 Noon

 SAT
 4:30 pm

 SUN
 9:00 am

 11:00 am

Confession Saturdays: 3:30pm

Baptisms

Please call our Parish Office during regular business hours. Parish membership and preparation class required.

Marriage

Arrangements must be made by registered parishioner at least six months in advance to allow sufficient time for instructions and preparation.

Anointing of Sick and Ministry to Homebound

Our pastor is available to visit upon request.

RCIA

(Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)
For those interested in becoming a full member of the Catholic Church. Please call the office.

Hearing Devices are available. Please see our music director in the choir area.

Bulletin Articles due by 4pm on Friday (9 days prior to publication). Submitted bulletin content is subject to approval.

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Readings for the week of July 17, 2022

Sunday: Gn 18:1-10a/Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 5 [1a]/Col 1:24-28/Lk 10:38-42

Monday: Mi 6:1-4, 6-8/Ps 50:5-6, 8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mt 12:38-42

Tuesday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 85:2-4, 5-6, 7-8//Mt 12:46-50

Wednesday: Jer 1:1, 4-10/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5-6ab, 15 and 17/Mt 13:1-9

Thursday: Jer 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13/Ps 36:6-7ab, 8-9, 10-11/Mt 13:10-17

Friday: Sg 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17/Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9/Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Saturday: Jer 7:1-11/Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a and 8a, 11/Mt 13:24-30

Next Sunday: Gn 18:20-32/Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 6-7, 7-8 [3a]/Col 2:12-14/Lk 11:1-13

MEMORARE

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help or sought thy intercession was left unaided. Inspired by this confidence, we fly unto thee O Virgin of virgins, our Mother. To thee do we come. Before thee we stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not our petitions, but in your mercy hear and answer us. Amen.

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