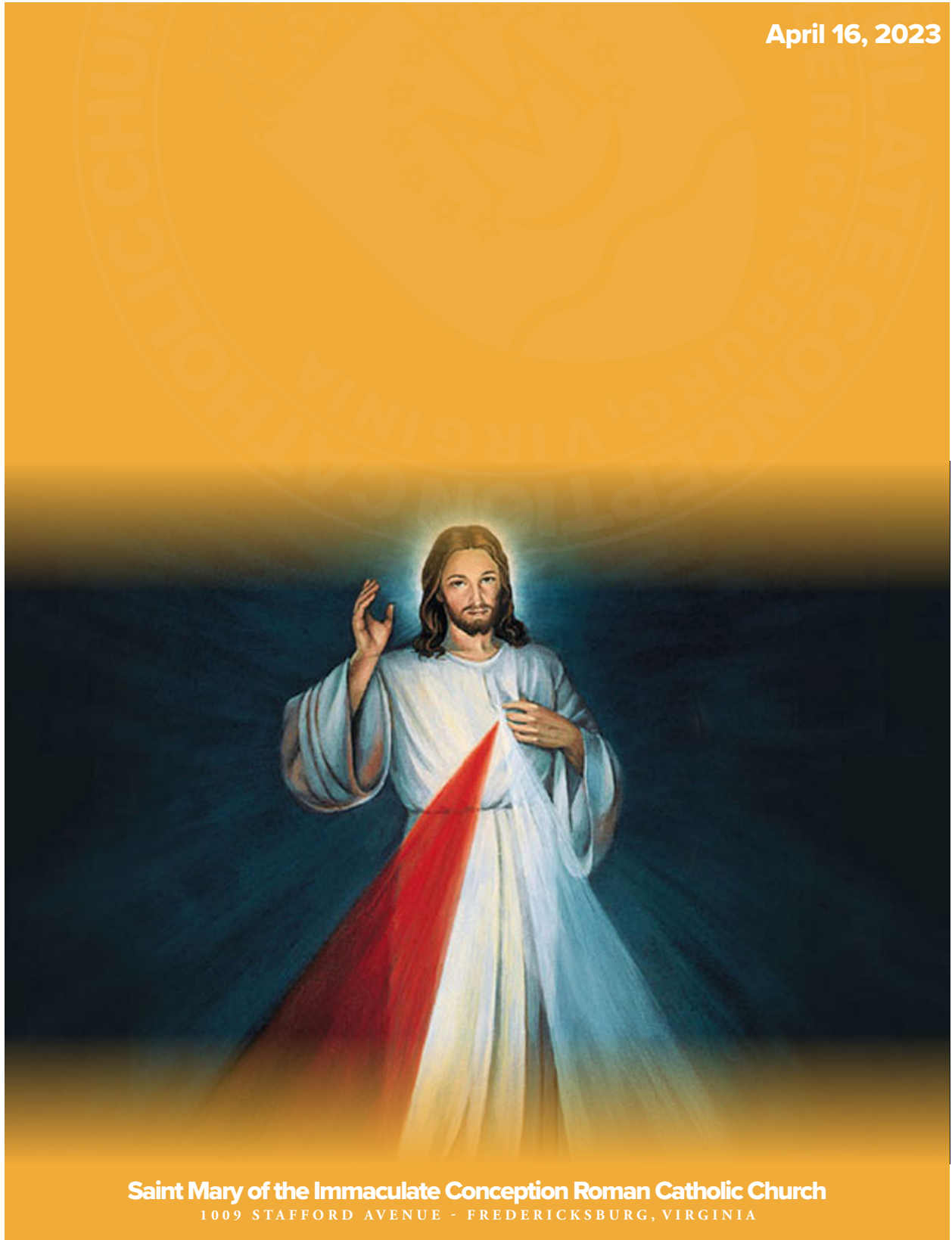


# **DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY**

**April 16, 2023**



**Saint Mary of the Immaculate Conception Roman Catholic Church**  
1009 STAFFORD AVENUE - FREDERICKSBURG, VIRGINIA

# capital campaign

# Growing Our Legacy of Faith



## Growing Our Legacy of Faith Capital Campaign

### FINANCIAL UPDATE

PLEDGES	MONTHLY PLEDGE TOTAL	CUMULATIVE PLEDGE TOTAL	NUMBER OF PLEDGES	NUMBER OF SCHEDULED VISITS	NUMBER PRAYERFULLY CONSIDERING
PRIOR MONTHS			132	168	18
NOVEMBER	\$425,600.00	\$2,783,396.82	29	45	17
DECEMBER	\$478,699.00	\$3,262,095.82	33	47	15
JANUARY	\$420,690.00	\$3,682,785.82	67	97	40
FEBRUARY	\$441,555.00	\$4,124,340.82	80	118	56
MARCH	\$269,135.60	\$4,393,476.42	75	108	45
APRIL	PLEASE GIVE!	\$4,542,916.42	9	103	5
			425	686	196

\$76,680 was pledged in the last week of March, and reflected in the total dollars and cumulative dollars pledged for the month. And with the first few pledges received in April we have reached the \$4.5M mark.

While this is a wonderful milestone, we have a challenge ahead to reach the parish needs of \$7M. This will take the involvement of all parish families!

#### Do You Want to join the team?

If you are interested in making calls or visits please contact us!

We entrust the success of the Capital Campaign to our Blessed Mother.

#### 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  
I fly unto thee,  
O Virgin of virgins, my Mother.  
To thee do I come,  
before thee I stand,  
sinful and sorrowful.  
O Mother of the Word Incarnate,  
despise not my petitions,  
but in thy mercy hear and answer me.*

Amen

## 2022 Capital Campaign

Growing Our Legacy of Faith

### CONTACT US

To schedule an appointment or if you have any questions about the "Growing Our Legacy of Faith" Capital Campaign

540-735-4506

capitalcampaign@stmaryfred.org

# from our pastor

Dear Folks,

A blessed close of the octave of Easter! This is the greatest eight day celebration and party in the universe! It closes with a celebration of Divine Mercy!

St. Faustina said that her devotion to Divine Mercy was a gift from the Lord that drew strength from Holy Communion: One thing alone sustains me and that is Holy Communion. From it I draw my strength; in it is all my comfort.... Jesus concealed in the host is everything to me.... I would not know how to give glory to God if I did not have the Eucharist in my heart. ...

O living Host, my one and only strength, fountain of love and mercy, embrace the whole world, and fortify faint souls. Oh blessed be the instant and the moment when Jesus left us His most merciful Heart!

Also, a wonderful shout-word of thanks and joy to all who helped with the Easter Baskets for the nursing homes and homebound of our parish! It was so wonderfully and gratefully received! There will be more details in next week's bulletin, but so many smiles we put on the faces of so many grateful recipients and the folks who delivered them as well!!

Finally, below is a picture of Fr. Antony Doss Manickam, who will be living at St. Mary's and helping over the next six weeks! Fr. Antony is a Spiritual Director and Professor at Good Shepherd Major Seminary, Coimbatore, South India. He hails from the diocese of Thanjavur in the state of Tamil Nadu.

Fr. Antony will celebrate extra confessions (Monday and Friday @11:30am), and is willing to give spiritual direction by appointment as well. Please call the office if you are interested and we can pass your message along to him. Keep your eyes on this space for more news regarding added confessions! Thank you in advance, for giving him a hearty welcome!



pax,

A handwritten signature in red ink, which appears to read "Fr. Mosimann". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Fr. Mosimann



# announcements

## The St. Mary Coffee & Donut Shop

Following ALL Morning Masses

Come and enjoy some fellowship!

## DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Sunday April 16 is Divine Mercy Sunday. The Divine Mercy chaplet will be prayed at 3pm at Holy Cross Academy.

## contact us

[stmaryfred.org](http://stmaryfred.org)

### SUNDAY MASS

Saturday Vigil 5 & 7pm  
Sunday 7, 8:30, 10:30am, 12:30,  
2:30pm (Spanish), 5pm, 7pm  
8:30 & 10:30am at Holy Cross Academy

### DAILY MASS

Monday - Friday 6:30am, 9am, & 12pm  
Saturday 9am  
Holy Days of Obligation, as announced

### DEVOTIONS

Adoration, Daily between 6:30am & 9am Mass,  
Wednesday 12:30pm - Friday 9am  
Miraculous Medal Novena, Monday, after 9am Mass  
Divine Mercy, Wednesday, 3pm  
First Friday 7pm Novus Ordo (Latin Mass)  
First Saturday 8:00am – Fatima Prayers & Rosary  
followed by 9am Mass

### CONFESSION

Wednesday 11:30am-12pm, 6:30 - 8:30pm;  
Saturday, 8-8:30am & 3:30 - 4:30pm

### PARISH OFFICE

540-373-6491 fax: 540-371-0251  
[stmary@stmaryfred.org](mailto:stmary@stmaryfred.org)  
[stmaryfred.org](http://stmaryfred.org)  
Monday - Friday, 8:30am - 4:30pm;  
Students staff office weekdays until 9pm,  
Saturdays 9-5pm, Sundays 9:30am - 1:30pm

Fr. John Mosimann, Pastor  
Fr. Sean Koehr, Parochial Vicar  
Fr. Scott Sina, Parochial Vicar  
Fr. Phillip Cozzi, Parochial Vicar  
Fr. Robert Renner, Parochial Vicar  
Deacon Alberto Bernaola  
Deacon Dick Delio

Business Manager, Elaine Stanislawski  
Director of Operations, Chris Lanzarone  
Facilities, Late-Lawson Drackey  
Custodial Services, Carmen Sanchez  
Parish Secretary, Giovanni Camacho

### MUSIC

Director of Music, David Uschold  
Assistant to the Music Ministry, Malinda Jones

### HOLY CROSS ACADEMY

540-286-1600  
250 Stafford Lakes Parkway  
Fredericksburg, Virginia 22406-7234  
Principal - Dr. Stephen Fry,  
[sfry@holycrossweb.com](mailto:sfry@holycrossweb.com)

### HOLY CROSS PRESCHOOL

540-373-7553  
Director, Sheri Castellarin

### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Director, Aristides Lucas  
Associate Director, Mary Buer  
Administrative Asst, Lori Barlow

### YOUTH MINISTRY

Director, Tatiana Beltran  
Assistant Youth Minister, Catie Espiritu

### OUTREACH

Director, Elena Doyle

### BAPTISMS

Parish registration (90 days) and class required.  
Please contact the parish office to schedule the  
date at least four weeks in advance.

### MARRIAGE

Parish registration required; contact the parish six  
months in advance to begin preparation.

Articles must be submitted two weeks prior to publication.  
Send articles to [bulletin@stmaryfred.org](mailto:bulletin@stmaryfred.org). Thanks!

Saint Mary of the Immaculate Conception  
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Fredericksburg, VA 22401

# education

# holy cross academy

## “Best of the Burg” Voting

Thank you for again voting Holy Cross Academy into the top five for Best Private School and Best Preschool. Daily voting for “Best of the Burg” is open through April 19.

Here are your voting opportunities if you would like to participate. You may vote using the links and the text to vote daily until April 19. Please share this voting information with anyone you know who loves HCA!

## The Great Train Race

The 29th running of the Great Train Race takes place on May 7th. The Holy Cross Running Club has begun spring training in preparation. We encourage you to sign up to participate or help with this wonderful community event. If you would like to learn more about this event or to sign up please visit [gtr.runfarc.com](http://gtr.runfarc.com). They are in need of volunteers as well. The volunteer registration is available at [runsignup.com/Race/Volunteer/VA/Fredericksburg/TheGreatTrainRace](http://runsignup.com/Race/Volunteer/VA/Fredericksburg/TheGreatTrainRace). HCA would appreciate it if you would like to support Holy Cross Academy, please indicate this when you register.



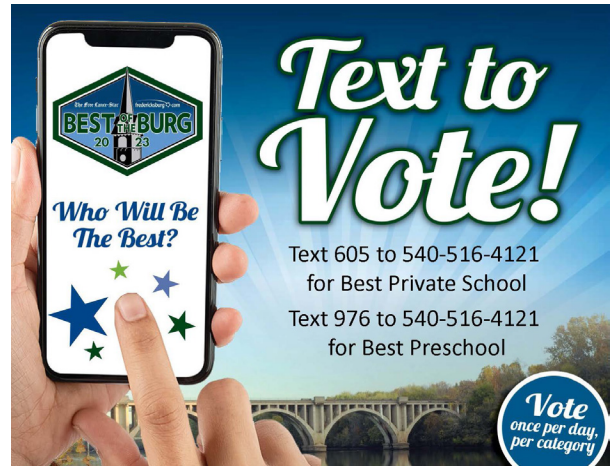
## 2023-2024 Applications/Tours

We are now accepting applications for 2023-2024. Some of our grades are full but we will continue to accept applications for those grades with open seats, including Kindergarten. Application information can be found on our school website at [holycrossweb.com/admissions](http://holycrossweb.com/admissions).

If you would like to learn more about Holy Cross Academy (K-8), please contact Mrs. Deena Lanier, Admissions Coordinator, at [dlanier@holycrossweb.com](mailto:dlanier@holycrossweb.com) or 540-286-1600.

If you are interested in HCA Preschool at St. Mary, please contact Mrs. Sheri Castellarin at [HCAPreschool@holycrossweb.com](mailto:HCAPreschool@holycrossweb.com) or call 540-373-7553.

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# education

# religious education

## CRS Rice Bowl

THANK YOU! Our community changed lives this Lent through CRS Rice Bowl, and we want to say THANK YOU! Don't forget to turn in your CRS Rice Bowl.

## First Holy Communion 2023

### Rehearsals and Masses

#### First Holy Communion #1

Holy Cross Students

**Rehearsal:** Tuesday, April 25 at 7pm in the church

**Mass:** Saturday, April 29 at 10am in the church, candidates assemble in the Parish Life Center

#### First Holy Communion #2

Religious Education students who attend class on Mondays at 6:30pm

**Rehearsal:** Monday, April 24 at 7pm in the church

**Mass:** Saturday, April 29 at 12noon in the church, candidates assemble in the Parish Life Center

#### First Holy Communion #3

Religious Education students who attend class on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays at 4:45pm.

**Rehearsal:** Monday, May 1 at 7pm in the church

**Mass:** Saturday, May 6 at 10am in the church. Candidates assemble in the Parish Life Center

#### First Holy Communion #4

Religious Education students who attend class on Tuesdays at 6pm at HCA, Tuesdays and Wednesdays at 6:30pm and Home Taught students

**Rehearsal:** Tuesday, May 2 at 7pm in the church

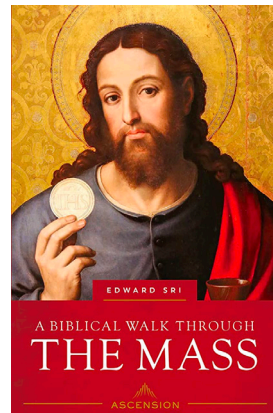
**Mass:** Saturday, May 6 at 12:00 noon in the church. Candidates assemble in the Parish Life Center

## A Biblical Walk Through the Mass" by Edward Sri

The Mass is nothing short of amazing. Through it, we encounter God in the most intimate way possible as we hear him speak to us in the Liturgy of the Word and as we receive him Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity in the Holy Eucharist.

The words, the gestures, and the rituals of the Mass are rich in meaning. Everything we say and do in the Liturgy is steeped in biblical language. *A Biblical Walk Through the Mass* explores the extraordinary biblical roots of the Liturgy and reveals what it all means and why it all matters. This fascinating tour of the Mass will renew your faith and deepen your love for and devotion to the Holy Eucharist.

Parents, please join us for an enlightening 5-week class on the Mass **beginning Wednesday, April 19th from 6:30-7:45pm**, during Religious Education classes, lead Catechist, Suzette Young.



## THIS WEEK ON FORMED

Week of April 16, 2023



### God's School of Trust | Divine Mercy | Episode 1

The sin of our first parents, Adam and Eve, has distorted the way we see God. But God hasn't given up on us. In fact, he has tirelessly worked to heal our distorted image of him through his "School of Trust," beginning with his Chosen People in the Old Testament.



### St. Bernadette of Lourdes

"St. Bernadette of Lourdes" is a beautiful and faithful retelling of the familiar story of one of the world's most beloved saints. Humorous, moving, and reverent, this unique, award-winning, independent film has been seen by millions worldwide and has sold tens of thousands of copies since its release in 2009.



### Seven Deadly Sins, Seven Lively Virtues by Bishop Robert Barron

Join noted professor of theology and author Bishop Robert Barron in this revealing presentation as he sheds light on the seven deadly sins—those great spiritual blocks that inhibit our relationship with God and others—and the antidote to them, the seven lively virtues!

SIGN UP FOR FREE AT [FORMED.ORG/SIGNUP](https://formed.org/signup)  
CLICK REGISTER THEN ENTER PARISH CODE: F6F228

# our parish happenings

## St. Mary's Catholic Young Adult Group

Are you between the ages of 18 and 39 and looking to meet new friends in your community? Join the St. Mary's Catholic Young Adult Group! We strive to bring glory to God by serving the young adult population of our parish through faith building activities, opportunities to volunteer in the wider community and relationship building social events. To join us please contact Norvilia at [stmaryyava@gmail.com](mailto:stmaryyava@gmail.com) - we would love to have you!

## Traveling Blessed Mother Statue

If your family would like the Blessed Mother to visit your home, please call or email Mary Lou Felts to schedule a time. Call 571-723-3333 or email at [maryloufelts@gmail.com](mailto:maryloufelts@gmail.com).

## St. Vincent de Paul

The St. Vincent de Paul Society is an all-volunteer Catholic ministry that serves those in need while bearing witness to the Love of Christ.

### Ways to Volunteer:

- Be a store cashier or a donations sorter
- Carry recyclables to the dump
- Drop off textiles we can't use at Goodwill
- Become an interviewer after training
- Join our phone committee
- Lots of other jobs

If you would like to share your talents for the Love of Christ by serving those in need, please call 540-898-8065 (an answering machine) and say, "I would like to volunteer." and leave your name and phone number. A volunteer will call you back.

To learn more about our ministry, visit [stvdpfredericksburg.com](http://stvdpfredericksburg.com).

## Saint Patrick School is Hiring

Saint Patrick Catholic School is in need of a Director for our Extended Day Care program for the 2023-2024 school year. The Extended Day Director oversees the Extended Day Program to ensure that it follows diocesan and state licensing requirements. Applicants should have experience working in a child care setting. A desire to work with children in a Catholic school environment is essential.

St. Patrick School is in need of an Extended Day Care Staff worker for the 2023-2024 school year. Qualified candidates should be 18 years or older and have an interest working with children in a Catholic school environment. This position is ideal for a college student, or recent college graduate interested in working with children or exploring Catholic school teaching as a career. We are looking for an individual who can work five days a week during the school year between 3 and 6pm.

Please send a cover letter and resume to George Elliott at [gelliott@saintpatrickschoolva.org](mailto:gelliott@saintpatrickschoolva.org).

## Mother's Day Breakfast

The Knights of Columbus Council 4034 will be hosting a Mother's Day Breakfast on Sunday, May 14th from 8am to 12pm in the Parish Life Center.

We will also be holding a donation drive for Mary's Shelter. Please bring any donations to the PLC during breakfast. The Wish List can be found at [marysshelter.org/wish-lists](http://marysshelter.org/wish-lists).

Breakfast is FREE, though donations are always appreciated.

Please join us and treat your Mom this Mother's Day!

## Arlington Diocese Cursillo

The Arlington Diocese Cursillo is gathering a list of Cursillistas from each parish to update its database. If you are a Cursillista and a St. Mary, St. Matthew, St. Jude, St. Patrick parishioner, please email [tammiechute@hotmail.com](mailto:tammiechute@hotmail.com). A new database has been purchased and is currently being loaded and updated. Your information will truly be helpful. Currently there is a Women's Cursillo planned at Missionhurst, April 20-23 and a Men's Cursillo, also at Missionhurst September 21-24.

## ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at St. Mary's EVERY Wednesday following the 12 noon Mass ALL DAY – ALL NIGHT Wednesday & Thursday Concluding on Friday Mornings at the 9am Mass.

*"To be alone with Jesus in adoration and intimate union with Him is the GREATEST GIFT OF LOVE – the tender love of Our Father in Heaven"*  
- St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta

Contact: Serena Nguyen, Coordinator  
[Adoration@stmaryfred.org](mailto:Adoration@stmaryfred.org)

our parish

# youth ministry



## April

Month of the Blessed Sacrament

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
26	27	28	29	30	31	1 FIGHT CLUB
2 HS CYM	3	4	5	6	7	8
HOLY WEEK - NO YOUTH GROUP ACTIVITIES						
9 EASTER!	10	11	12 YOUCAT	13 FEMININE GENIUS	14	15 FIGHT CLUB
16 HS CYM	17	18	19 YOUCAT	20	21 MS CYM	22 FIGHT CLUB
23 HS CYM	24	25	26 YOUCAT	27 FEMININE GENIUS	28	29 FIGHT CLUB
30 HS CYM	1	2	3	4	5	6

LEADERSHIP  
MINISTRY



# our parish ministry highlight

## Cursillo Weekend

Are You Looking to Grow Closer to Christ?

Are you looking for community? Have you recently experienced a change in your life i.e.; –returned to the Catholic faith, empty nester, convert to Catholicism, newly widowed, newly married, just moved into the area? Are you ready to get to know Jesus better? You are not alone on this journey. Many people find a small faith-sharing group is a nice way to begin to make friends, feel a part of a community, and learn more about Jesus.

Cursillo is a National Movement within the Catholic Church and is a ministry of the Arlington Catholic Diocese. The Cursillo method for small faith-sharing groups includes three major tenets – sharing with others about their close moments to Christ (piety), sharing what they are doing to enrich their faith (study) and sharing how they are serving as Christ's hands and feet in their environment (action).

This method is very successful in:

- inviting people into a deeper practice of their faith,
- bringing people closer to Christ,
- building each other up in community – make a friend, be a friend, and bring a friend to Christ,
- leading people to deepen their spiritual lives through personal prayer,
- leading people into a deeper connection with and in service to their parish.

Cursillo is a four-day weekend retreat which is referred to as a short course in Christianity. Many of us might say, 'Well, I am a Christian, I went to Catholic School, RCIA, or Religious Education...why would I take a short course in Christianity?' The Lord loves us as we are; but loves us too much to let us stay where we are. Growth is good.

A beautiful part about Cursillo, is that once you attend the weekend, you are not left to journey alone, we have wonderful Cursillo groups here at St. Mary! Men and women who have attended a Cursillo weekend and continue to gather in prayer and fellowship. We welcome you to COME AND SEE!

For information on the NEXT Cursillo weekend, please reach out – we would love to speak with you. Contact Tammie Chute, [tammiechute@gmail.com](mailto:tammiechute@gmail.com) or Therese Marx, [theresemarx@yahoo.com](mailto:theresemarx@yahoo.com)



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# in memory of...

## *In Memory of*

Abb Bab Nguyen  
Abraham & Ana R Velez  
Ada Kopchinsky  
Ageda & Quiles Family  
Agnes Aldridge  
Agnes R Flores  
Alan Cascio  
Alfredo Jesus Duque  
All Souls In Purgatory  
Ana Mendez  
Ana Victoria Cabanlit  
Andrew Renfrew  
Angel Arce  
Angelica Semeia  
Angie Jordan  
Ann Crowe Essig  
Anna & John Wardzella  
Anna Klashus Essig  
Anna Skarbek  
Anna Yalch  
Annette & Dennis Addorio  
Anthony Thanh Nguyen  
Antonio Duque  
Antonio Procopio  
Art & Dale Medosch  
Arthur Watkins  
Arturo Aragon  
Ashley Magness  
Assunta Procopio  
Augustin Mendez  
Barbara & Anthony Fasulo  
Barbara Mcknight  
Barbara Pompeii  
Barbara Reintjes  
Barbara Walor  
Bartolama Ulmitz  
Battie Hegarty  
Begail Robinson  
Benjamin Deguzman  
Bernadette Young  
Betty Cushing  
Bev Keddie  
Bill & Joyce Schulte  
Bill Adams Sr  
Bill Driskill & Family  
Billie & Chris  
Bob Mackenn  
Brian Finn

Bridget Gallogly  
Bruno Cadisputi  
Burlen & Miowne Kress  
Callesto Semeia  
Carl Vorder Bruegge  
Carlos Mortiz Jr  
Carmen Arevalo  
Carol Delaney  
Casey & Mary Schmidt  
Cassidy Lynch  
Caterina Codisputi  
Cecelia Lee  
Cecil Daniel  
Cecilia And Charlie  
Cecilio Albo  
Celefonia M Ramirez  
Charles & Rita Bieter  
Charles Delaney  
Charles Laplace  
Charles Lee  
Charles Reedy  
Chester Organist  
Christa Mcininch  
Christopher Fedigan  
Cindy Cropsey  
Clardie & Lillian Holland  
Clodualdo Arce  
Colleen Bower  
Conchita H Rillera  
Connie Konczyk  
Consuelo J. Saenz  
Cruz Family  
Dalita Bruno  
Damian Mendez  
Dan & Linda Williamson  
David G Faltisco  
David Spellman  
Deceased Members of the Francis Family  
Dennis Delaney  
Desroches & Fogarty Family  
Diane Seile  
Dolores Santiago & Family  
Dominic Bellissimo  
Doris Maier  
Dorothy Wix  
Dr. Frans J. Vossenbergh  
Dr. Philip Fuller  
Driskill Family

Earl & Louise Lewis  
Ed & Doris Larrimore  
Ed & Lottie Kerr  
Ed Kopchinsky  
Edith Russell  
Edith Yount  
Eleanor & Paul Kutzner  
Eleanor Walor  
Elenore Renfrew  
Elizabeth Henkel  
Emil & Helen Mackenn  
Emilio Flores  
Enrique Mendez Raiz  
Eric Gulley  
Ernie Guadape  
Esteban Carrera Fabian  
Estebana Cruz  
Esther Fernandes  
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Ethel C. Larue  
Eugene Wingert  
Eva Delaney  
Evelyn Bozarth  
Everett D. Forville  
Flora Gonzales  
Fontenot Deceased Relatives  
Fox Family  
Fr Tom Donnelly  
Fr. George Gudley Osfs  
Fr. Keith Ramey  
Fr. Leo P. Cresner  
Fr. Thomas Fa O'brien  
Fr. Thomas Murphy Osfs  
Francesca Cabanlit  
Francisca Estrada  
Franjo Jovanovic  
Frank & Gladys Carneal  
Frank & Rita Brizzi  
Frank Seminski  
Frazier & Polly Gulley  
Freddy Arevalo  
Frederick & Eileen Martin  
Freeman Startzel  
Gabriel Cabanlit Sr.  
George & Emily Lopes  
George A Rillera Sr  
George Stiegler  
Gerard Fitzpatrick

# for those we love

# easter flowers

Geri Simons  
Gerrie Chandler  
Gilligan Family Members  
Gina Wingert Lenox  
Gladys Gorman  
Goitia Family  
Gordon Ruleman Sr.  
Grace Murray  
Grace Saniega  
Grace Tarver  
Grady Leverett  
H. Chris Langmack  
Harry & Marguerite Smith  
Harvin Family  
Helen Butler  
Helen Fahey  
Helen Fister  
Helen O'donnell  
Helen Startzel  
Helen Wang  
Henry & Regina Boermer  
Homer & Mary Armbruster  
Hugh Graninger  
Hugh Kelly  
Ilona Bailey  
Irene Fedigan  
Irene M. Desmarais  
Irma Tibbetts  
Jache Family  
Jack Mackenn  
Jackie Morfey  
James Fedigan  
James Hogan  
Jane E Willis  
Janice Penny  
Janie Weldo Vorst  
Jay Masnica  
Jay Young  
Jeanna Beger  
Jeanne & Steve Dewhurst  
Jennie Masnica  
Jerry & Elizabeth Hegarty  
Joann James  
Joe & Ruth Holland  
Joe Johns  
John & Bonnie Knight  
John & Claire McCormack  
John & Edith Maier  
John & Elizabeth Schmidt  
John & Joan Cleary  
John & Julie Genau  
John & Nancy Buckland

John & Rose Tholen  
John & Virginia Morfey  
John A Delaney  
John A Sbaraglia  
John Adinolfi  
John C. Bozarth  
John Joe Hegarty  
John Lawlor  
John M. Delaney  
John O'donnell  
John Pascarella Jr.  
John Renfrew  
John Simons  
John Wrobel Sr.  
Jose Jaiman  
Jose V. Saenz  
Joseph & Anna Levandowski  
Joseph & Elizabeth McCluskey  
Joseph & Frances Cascio  
Joseph & Helen Faltisco  
Joseph & Rita Vose  
Joseph A. Codispoti  
Joseph Cross, Jr.  
Joseph Meade  
Joseph Ngon Vu  
Joseph P Lacy  
Joseph Trinh Trung  
Joseph Trung Trinh  
Joseph Trung Vu  
Juan & Natividad Canizares  
Juanit Dance  
Juanita Hernandez  
Judy Bowie  
Julia A Bretschneider  
Julia Seminski  
Julianne Kelsey  
Julie Seminski  
Julijana Jovanovic  
June Pearson  
Justin S. Roscoe  
Justina Klezek  
Kathleen Hennessy  
Kenneth Organist  
Kevin & Sharon Sweeney  
Lamontangue Family  
Laura Koesler  
Lauren Lacy  
Lawrence Bretschneider  
Lazaro Gonzalez  
Leo S. Roscoe  
Leon Vorst  
Leona E O'brien

Leonard Reintjes  
Leroy William Essig  
Lery Family  
Lester & Evelyn Laourelle  
Lillian Kelley  
Louis & Florence Debonzo  
Lucile Daniel  
Lucy Jenkins  
Lugo Family  
Luke & Jean O'donnell  
Lunda Kaila  
Ma. Remedios Cabanlit  
Magdalena A Rillera  
Mantilla Emiliano Rios  
Mara Hegarty  
Margaret Organist  
Margaret Stiegler  
Margarita Azcue Ruben  
Margarita Mendes  
Marguerite Dalton  
Maria & Paul Alessio  
Maria A Cruz Barahona  
Maria Ngat Vu  
Maria Nu Pham  
Marie & Herman Vogel  
Marie & Wm Sidorak  
Marie Acanfora  
Marie Rigor-Fernado  
Marie Rigor-Fernandes  
Marion Lynch  
Marjorie Smith  
Mark Willett  
Martin & Eleanor Mcdermott'  
Mary & Patrick Hogan  
Mary & Raymond Smith  
Mary & Vito Caiafa  
Mary Annunciata Lacy  
Mary Clare Delaney  
Mary E. Roda  
Mary Herron Kazlauskas  
Mary Humenick  
Mary Kelly  
Mary Mgat Vu  
Mary Parnell  
Mary Rozzi  
Mary Tenney  
Mato & Anna Abrich  
Mauro Lazo  
Maxine Forville  
Members Of The Sakovich & Wilkinson Family  
Michael Clesner  
Michael Finn



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# easter flowers

Michael O'brien  
Miguel Correa Jr  
Mike Harwich  
Mildred & John Kelly  
Mildred Tanish  
Mirtala Bonilla  
Miss Marily Marlow  
Mr. & Mrs. Edward G Rosky & Family  
Mr. & Mrs. Fred Gasper  
Mr. & Mrs. John Quirke  
Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Kuchinski  
Mr. & Mrs. Raymond Hart  
Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Boyle & Family  
Mr. & Mrs. Walter Weir  
Mr. William Marlow  
Mr. & Mrs. James Smiley  
Mr. & Mrs. John Nicholson  
Mr. Agriculoa Gabison, Sr.  
Mr. Leroy S. Bonney  
Mr. & Mrs. Edward Sowa  
Mr. & Mrs. Jack Martell  
Mr. & Mrs. John O'connor  
Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Einecker  
Mr. & Mrs. Michael Demchak  
Mr. & Mrs. Richard Hegarty'  
Mr. & Mrs. Walton Henkel  
Mr. & Mrs. Gerard C Palmento  
Mrs. Carl Oberle  
Mrs. Geneive Bove  
Mrs. June Chovanec  
Mrs. Mary T. Bonney  
Mrs. Sofia C. Gabison  
Nancy Bowen  
Nancy Dickinson  
Nancy S. Dewhurst  
Negron Family  
Nick & Margaret Matarese  
Noon, Petrunak & Clem Families  
Norman Maxwell  
Olga Delfentz  
Olwen Thomas  
Omar Leverett  
Ortiz Family  
Osterhold Deceased Relatives  
Otto & Rosemarie Muha  
Owen Lea  
Panciana Portillo  
Patricia K Smith  
Patty Every  
Paul Duhamel  
Paul Feroldi  
Paul Mosterhazy

Paul Vogel  
Paula Schmidt - Ashleigh  
Peter & Frances Finnegan  
Peter Fernandes  
Peter Fernandes  
Peter W. & Katherine A. Schmidt  
Phil Keddie  
Philip Tate  
Quinn Family  
Rafael T Fineza  
Rafaela Montoya  
Ramos Family  
Remigio Santos Rada  
Richard & Donna Rae Keefer  
Richard G. & Richard L. Lanzarone  
Richard Knight  
Richard Magdlin  
Richard Martinez  
Richard Penny  
Richard Strauss  
Rickeley Family  
Robert Bailey  
Robert J. Campbell  
Roland M. Desmarais  
Ronald Riggs  
Ronald Startzel Sr.  
Rosa Jimenez  
Rosalie Watkins  
Rosaria A. Sbaraglia  
Rose & John Pascarella  
Rose Guzik  
Rose Lewis  
Rosemarie Lacava  
Ross Aldridge  
Royal P. & Florence J. Schmidt  
Russell Brown  
Ruth & Paul McNichol  
Ruth Strauss  
Ryley McNichol  
Sally A Sarber  
Sam Troia  
Sambat & Guillermo Family Members  
Sandy Sullivan  
Santos Luna  
Sarah Vorder Bruegge  
Setlik Family  
Sharon & Lloyd Kingsley  
Sheryl Keiser  
Si & Jan Johns  
Simona Salvador  
Socorro Esparza  
Souls In Purgatory

Sr Evelyn Matarese  
Sr Mary Martin  
Stanley Guzik  
Stanley J Guzik Jr.  
Stanley Klezek Sr.  
Suzanna Myatt  
Swan Dance  
Sybil A. Roscoe  
Sylvia Napier  
Teresa Brown  
Teresita Canizares  
Terry Dalton  
The Darden Family  
The Powers Family  
The Unborn Children  
Theresa Sonstroem  
Therese Herron  
Thomas & Ann Sweeney  
Thomas & Patricia Finnegan  
Thomas Martin  
Thomas Novotnak  
Thomas Rozzi  
Tillman Wiggins  
Tina Decarbo  
Toba Leverett  
Todd Finnegan  
Trippi Family  
Vincent Himelright  
Virginia Alessio  
Virginia Fabris  
Virginia Maxwell  
Virginia Urra  
Wallace Mayer  
Walter & All Priests  
Walter Martinez  
Wayne Smallwood  
Wilbur Keeton  
William & Grace Buckland  
William & Mary Eaton  
William Lynch  
William Maier  
William R Sarber  
Willie Lopez  
Wilma Richbury  
Wilson & Marie Fry

# for those we love

# easter flowers

## *In Honor of*

Alan & Fran Buddle  
All Francis Children  
Angela Just  
Antonia Aragon  
Antonia Duque  
Barahona Alvares Family  
Baten Family  
Baten Family  
Baten Rojas Family  
Bernard & Eileen Mcvicar  
Bertolet Family  
Bill Driskill & Family  
Bob & Doris Scatchard  
Bonilla Family  
Bonnie Magnoth  
Branigan Family  
Bravo Family  
Brian O'donnell  
Brittany Durst  
Brooks Family  
Burke Family  
Caiafa Family  
Candy O'donnell  
Carlson Family  
Carranza Family  
Castro Family  
Ceballos Family  
Christina Falkenstein  
Connelly Family  
Dawson Family  
De Todos Las Almos  
Deacon Family  
Debbie Nicholson  
Dela Torre & Colin Family  
Derouin Family  
Dillon Family  
Dolores Zule  
Doty Family  
Driskill Family  
Elaine Meade  
Ellis & Mary Martinez  
Elvira Bonilla  
Family & Friends Of Joseph & Elaine  
Fannie Wiggins  
Francisco Cortes  
Frederick Walor  
Galeano Family

Genaro Cabrera  
George & Mariamma Mukunnemkeril  
George Shupp  
Geri O'connor  
Gerlinde Renfrew  
Glenn Bachelдор  
Gloria Nicholson  
Glover Family  
Gonzalez Family  
Guacena Family  
Gulino Family  
Hardesty Family  
Heather Gill  
Holls Family  
Hon Jesus Gonzalez  
Hoppel Family  
Howell Family  
Hue Than Family  
Isabel Velez  
Jaimes-Monica Vilene Mantilla  
Jane Cleary  
Janet Brown  
Jean & Gordon Fugee  
Jennifer Howell  
Joanne M. Delaney  
Johnson Family  
Jorge Sosa  
Kathleen Lawlor  
Kathy Bartmonski  
Keli Briggs  
Kelly Family  
King Family  
Kristi Durst  
Kyle Harring  
Lanzarone Family  
Lilian Summerskill  
Lombardi Family  
Lopez Family  
Loreta Canizares  
Marcell Family  
Margaret & Earl Jackson  
Maria Nhuan Trinh  
Marilyn Vorst Seck  
Martha P Garcia Garcia  
Martinez Family  
Mary & Michael Clingerman  
Mary Keeton

Mathew & Laura Clingerman  
Mcbennett Family  
Mcmullen Family  
Mejia Family  
Melissa Rigmaiden  
Mellisa Copeland  
Members Of The Francis Family  
Merino Family  
Meyer Family  
Michael Harring  
Miranda Family  
Mirtelina Santiago  
Mr. & Mrs. Albert D'arcangelo Jr  
Mr. & Mrs. David Dick  
Mr. & Mrs. Dominic Grasso  
Mr. & Mrs. Eduardo Sarsozo  
Mr. & Mrs. Edward Dudash  
Mr. & Mrs. Jose Del Cid  
Mr. & Mrs. Luis Castillo  
Mr. & Mrs. Manuel Ochoa  
Mr. & Mrs. Martinez  
Mr. & Mrs. Michael Fedowitz & Family  
Mr. & Mrs. Olivo-Bonilla  
Mr. & Mrs. Page  
Mr. & Mrs. Sandro Ramirez  
Mr. & Mrs. Selvin Melendez  
Mr. & Mrs. Thanh-Hai Nguyen  
Mr. & Mrs. Timothy Baroodly  
Mr. & Mrs. Timothy Smetek  
Mr. David Gragan  
Mr. George Johnson  
Mr. Henry Frydel  
Mr. Jonathan Clark  
Mr. Justin Marin  
Mr. Paz Edgar  
Mr. Robert Bowen  
Mr.&Mrs. Christopher Perkins  
Mr.&Mrs. Jose Benitez  
Mr.&Mrs. Samuel Umesegha  
Mr.&Mrs. Soan Nguyen  
Mrs. Cynthia Diaz  
Ms David Wheeler  
Nelda Keeton  
Norma Bailey  
Ortega Montes De Oca Family  
Pascacio Hernandez Family  
Phoang Nguyen Family  
Piper Family  
Priests Of St Mary  
Pukish Family  
Quinn Family  
Racherbaumer Family



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# easter flowers

## *In Honor of*

Raquel Vasquez  
Ray Francis  
Remberto Gonzalez Family  
Richardella Family  
Robert & Dorothy Willis  
Rosetta Family  
Rth Correa-Velez Family  
Sanchez Family  
Sara Mallory  
Sheehan Family  
Shirley Peters Vorst  
Sismour Family  
St Mary Priests  
St Mary Priests  
Stanislowski Living & Deceased  
Steves Family  
Stickles Family  
Susan & Aaron Lang  
Susan Silvers  
Taets Family  
The Arredondo Family  
The Belliveau Family  
The Cardona Family  
The Corral Family  
The Finch Family  
The Finnegan Family  
The Gondek Family  
The Pomatto Family  
The Portillo-Cruz Family  
The Ramirez-Ortega Family  
The Schneider Family  
Valdir Orellana Family  
Vasquez Family  
Velasquez Family  
Virginia Osting  
Vu Family  
Waineo Family  
Wanda Cushing  
Weimer Family  
Wilcox Family  
Williamson Family  
Zaloudek Family



# vida parroquial

# noticias en español

## Invitación a participar en la Legión de María



### ¿PARA MÁS INFORMACIÓN?

Presidente: Samuel Meza  
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[samuelpmeza1230@gmail.com](mailto:samuelpmeza1230@gmail.com)  
Vicepresidenta: Martha Tueros  
703-499-1044  
[mtueros@hotmail.com](mailto:mtueros@hotmail.com)

**LUGAR Y HORA DE REUNIÓN:**  
Todos los viernes a las 8:00 p.m.  
en el Salón Father Rooney,  
ubicado detrás de la iglesia.

### ¿QUÉ ES LA LEGIÓN DE MARÍA?

La Legión de María es una asociación internacional de miembros de la Iglesia Católica que sirven de forma voluntaria. Fundada en Dublín en 1918 por el laico y Siervo de Dios Frank Duff.

### ¿QUÉ HACE LA LEGIÓN DE MARÍA?

Los miembros sirven en la vida parroquial a través de un programa equilibrado de oración y servicio. Las actividades de trabajo incluyen evangelización de puerta en puerta, visitas a feligreses, visitas a enfermos o ancianos, contacto callejero, educación religiosa, promover y enseñar el rezo del Rosario, rotaciones de la estatua de la Virgen Peregrina. Todo bajo la guía del Sacerdote asignado.

### ¿CÓMO FUNCIONA LA LEGIÓN DE MARÍA?

Los miembros se reúnen una vez a la semana para orar, planificar y asignar las actividades de trabajo de dos horas cada semana en parejas.

### ¿QUIÉN PUEDE PERTENECER A LA LEGIÓN DE MARÍA?

La Legión de María está abierta a todos los católicos que practican fielmente su religión, tengan los respectivos sacramentos, y están preparados para cumplir con todos y cada uno de los deberes que implica la membresía de legionario activo o auxiliar.

## Requisitos para recibir los Sacramentos

### BAUTISMO

- Debe ser miembro de la Parroquia 90 días antes de solicitar el Bautismo
- Tomar las clases previo al bautizo
- Las clases son el primer sábado del mes a las 12 del mediodía

Llame a Gio a la oficina parroquial al (540) 373-6491, para programar la fecha del Bautismo al menos cuatro semanas por adelantado.

### MATRIMONIO

- Debe ser miembro de la Parroquia
- Contactar a la Parroquia seis meses antes para iniciar la preparación

### PRIMERA COMUNIÓN

- Niños de 1ro y 2do grado, 3-11
- Preparación de 2 años

### CONFIRMACIÓN

- Jóvenes de 6to -8vo. grado
- y Secundaria (High School)
- Preparación de 2 años

### RECONCILIACIÓN

- Miércoles 11:30 am - 12:00 pm, 6:30 - 8:30 pm
- Sábados 8:00 - 8:30 am y 3:30 - 4:30 pm

### QUINCEAÑERA

- La quinceañera necesita tener el Sacramento de la Confirmación
- No hay misas privadas
- Sólo hacemos una Misa de quinceañera al mes

Para más información comunicarse con la oficina parroquial al (540) 373-6491

# operations given in love

## Weekly Offertory

### Donations Received March 28 to April 3

Sunday Offertory	\$33,902.00
Catholic Relief Services	\$35.00
Parish Debt Reduction	\$9,861.00
Good Friday Holy Land Collection	\$378.00
Poor Box for St. Vincent de Paul	\$1,234.00

*Thank you for your generosity!*

**Masses were offered in February for the following unscheduled intentions:** Father Koehr, Talitha Muggeridge, + Lee Bishop, Elizabeth Tynan, +Pierre Chabonnet, Craig Harrison, Cesar Anchiraico, + Henry Ramirez, +Cliffy Contay, Caitlyn Maloy, The Paquette Family, +Gilla Marie Francisco, +Burris & Keith Snellings, +Francis Marchel, +James Kimmitz, The Callahan Family, Steve & Dolores Wilkie, Leanne Gold, and Jessica Alejandra Quiroz Mercado.

**Masses were offered in March for the following unscheduled intentions:** +Maria Olmar, Karen Sturtevant, +Ipolito Mela, +Andrew Dearborn, Ricardo Reyes, +Liz Zarneski, Kolbe Tucker, +Brody Nathaniel Beverly, Christopher & Tana Michalski, Danielle Dwight, +Maria Wutz, +Robert Gomer, +Alan Cascio, +Mary Floom, Fr. Jack Riley, +Dr. Virgilio Supetran, +Katie Knepley, +Florence Brooks, +Sergio Cuevas and Jim Brooks.

## Pro-Life Reflection

So where was Thomas on that first Easter night? Perhaps he was out looking for Jesus! After all, he had to see things for himself. Yet Thomas did not find Jesus until he returned to the community of Peter and the other Apostles. We too need the community of the Church united around the successor of Peter. There we find the strength to affirm life. *Lord, keep me always in union with the Church and vigorous in proclaiming life!*

## Children's Charity - April

The children's charity that will benefit from offerings in April is the Operation Purple Program of the National Military Family Association. When you hear "Operation Purple Camp" you should think: Kids Serve Too! The camps are a time for having fun, making friends, and reminding military kids that they are the Nation's youngest heroes.

The Operation Purple program was created in 2004 to fill a need identified by military parents to "help us help our kids." The mission of the Operation Purple program is to empower military children and their families to develop and maintain healthy and connected relationships, in spite of the current military environment. We do this through a variety of means, including the healing and holistic aspect of the natural world. The program is joint or "purple"—encompassing all Service branches, including the National Guard and Reserve.

Since its creation in 2004, the Operation Purple program has grown to serve nearly 70,000 military children and teens. The Operation Purple program also includes family retreats at national parks and specialized family camps geared to address the needs of children and families of our nation's wounded service members.

For more information, visit their website at [militaryfamily.org/kids-operation-purple/camps/](http://militaryfamily.org/kids-operation-purple/camps/)

## Divine Mercy Devotions

The Second Sunday of Easter, April 16, is also Divine Mercy Sunday. It was named by Pope John Paul II at the canonization of St. Maria Faustina on April 30, 2000, and then officially decreed by the Vatican. Jesus revealed in various revelations to St. Faustina that it was His desire that we celebrate this special feast. "The Feast of Mercy emerged from My very depths of tenderness. It is My desire that it be solemnly celebrated on the first Sunday after Easter. Mankind will not have peace until it turns to the Fount of My Mercy." (Diary, 699)

Come join us at Holy Cross Academy as Deacon Alberto leads us this year in Divine Mercy Devotions at 3pm on Divine Mercy Sunday, April 16. This is the perfect way to celebrate the final day of the Octave of Easter!



# liturgy daily bread

## Saint Mary Prayer List - April

**Please pray for those who are sick or in need, especially:**

David Smetek, Jason Stoker, Joseph Crieg, Larry Dillman, Loraine Lemoine, Mac Frescas, Maureen Bunn, Michael Fedowitz III, Paula Snellings, Re & Chris MacArthur, Sarah Fartro, Teri Cueman, Theresa & Keith Kovalefsky, William David Jackson (Liam), William Debary, Gary Rolla, Kati Ryan, Valerie Barcheski, Charlie Clawson, Lexie Haglund, Shirley Bozicevic, Chris Breth, Karl Eugene, Joanne O'Brien

**Please pray for all the men and women in our military and civilian support services overseas, especially:**

Joseph Gardner, Glenn Dickinson, Paul Fischer, John Moring, Jamal Williams, Lance Schulte, Brian Hellman, Patrick Fenton, David James, Shawn Tupta, Vincent Petillo, Christopher Johnson III, Patrick Desmond, Andrew M. Smith, Mindy Hakenson, Xavier Alas, Anthony Howell, John Anthenor, Andrew Dowdy, Sean McCullum, Josue Bermudez, Julio A. Alarcon, Gabe Gonzalez, David Oechslein, Shawn Herr, Logan Mullins, Greg Feroldi, Tyler Wood, Frank Spatt Jr., Thomas Wickham, Hunter Keiser, Sean Jobes, Michael Scott, Samuel Hoffman, Andrew Qualls, Matt Gioia, Jennifer Brothers, Jack Merker, Lieutenant Ashton Briganti, 2nd Lieutenant Tazman Briganti, Davon Bare, John Fartro, Michael Fedowitz Jr., Eric Menser, Sean Penczak, Will Atkins, LT Scott C. Boyd

**Please pray also for those who have died, especially the benefactors of Saint Mary Church.**

## St. Mary Prayer List

As a reminder, we will update our prayer list in the bulletin as a monthly listing. If you would like to include a person on the prayer list, please email [stmary@stmaryfred.org](mailto:stmary@stmaryfred.org) or call the office at 540-373-6491.

Your intention will be included for the month. If you would like your intention to remain, please reach back out and we will happily include it for an additional month.

Thank you.

## Are You Affected By A Loved Ones' Addiction to Drugs?

If you are, please be aware that there is a program at St Mary that offers support to family members and friends of loved ones struggling with this problem. The program is called Nar-Anon.

One of the best benefits of Nar-Anon is that you will find compassion and support from others who are experiencing similar problems and struggles as well as people who have made it through these struggles. You will have the opportunity to hear stories from other members who have addicts in their families as well and see what coping mechanisms worked for them.

All information and discussion at the meetings are non-judgmental, informative, and strictly confidential. The meetings are in Room 100 in the Parish Life Center on Thursday from 7-8 pm and are open to the community at large. For more information, contact Wayne at [cushingwr@gmail.com](mailto:cushingwr@gmail.com)/540-840-5230 or Wanda at [wandasj823@gmail.com](mailto:wandasj823@gmail.com)/540-538-6978.

## Daily Mass Intentions

### April

#### 17 MONDAY

6:30am

9:00am

Acts 4:23-31/Jn 3:1-8

#### 18 TUESDAY

6:30am

9:00am

Acts 4:32-37/Jn 3:7b-15

#### 19 WEDNESDAY

6:30am

8:15am\*

9:00am

Acts 5:17-26/Jn 3:16-21

#### 20 THURSDAY

6:30am

9:00am

Acts 5:27-33/Jn 3:31-36

#### 21 FRIDAY

6:30am

9:00am

Acts 5:34-42/Jn 6:1-15

#### 22 SATURDAY

9:00am

5:00pm

7:00pm

Acts 6:1-7/Jn 6:16-21

#### 23 SUNDAY

7:00am

8:30am

8:30am\*

10:30am

10:30am\*

12:30pm

2:30pm

5:00pm

7:00pm

Acts 2:14, 22-33/1 Pt 1:17-21/Lk 24:13-35

*\* Indicates Mass at Holy Cross Academy.*

*Please remember, Mass intentions may be requested at the parish office for any remaining Masses of the year. If a desired date is no longer available, you are welcome to request an intention that is "unscheduled," and one of the priests will gladly celebrate Mass for your intention at an extra Mass during the week or as a concelebrant.*