

### JUNE 26, 2022 | 13TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

# **WELCOME**

### Church Staff

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### **Contact Information**

Rectory Office: 814-486-0569 Monday through Thurs. 9:00a.m. to 3:00p.m. Friday, 9 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Religious Education Center: 814-486-0784 St. Mark Community Day Care Center: 814-486-2399

### Sacrament of the Reconciliation

Wednesday at 6:00 pm, Saturday at 3:15 pm Anytime by appointment

#### <u>Baptisms</u>

At all Sunday liturgies and outside of Mass after 9:00am Mass. Parents and Sponsors must attend Baptismal Preparation Class. Call the rectory for arrangements.

### Sacrament of Matrimony

Please call the rectory for arrangements six months prior to the wedding.

### Prayer Requests

Margaret Burnside, 814-486-0344 or online @ www.stmarkemporium.org or oursmprayers@gmail.com

## MASS INTENTIONS

#### MONDAY, JUNE 27 8:15 AM KENDYL SHAFFER

(Maddy, Karen, Toni & Randy) (Am 2:6-10, 13-16; Mt 8:18-22)

<u>TUESDAY, JUNE 28</u> 8:15 AM BISHOP DONALD TRAUTMAN

> (Fr. Paul Siebert) (Am 3:18, 4:11-12; Mt 8:23-27)

#### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 29 No Mass

(Acts 121:1-11; Mt 16:13-19)

### THURSDAY, JUNE 30

8:15 AM STEVE TRONCONE (Bill & Sue Bogart) (Am 7:10-17; Mt 9:1-8)

FRIDAY, JULY 1 8:15 AM FELIX H. & MARY L.

SWIDERSKI (Felix & Nicki Swiderski)

5:00 PM KIM KAUTZBAUER (Jim & Mary Laughlin) (Am 8:4-6, 9-12; Mt 9:9-13) ST. MARK 4.00 PM LIVING & DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE ZOSCHG FAMILY (Larry & Criss)

<u>ST. JAMES 5:30 PM</u> PEOPLE OF THE PARISHES (The Pastor)

SUNDAY, JULY 3 9:00 AM RAY & FAY DUNKLE (Debbie Dunkle)

(Is 66:10-14c; Gal 6:14-18; Lk 10:1-12, 17-20)



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And another said, "I will follow you, Lord, but first let me say farewell to my family at home." To him Jesus said, "No one who sets a hand to the plow and looks to what was left behind is fit for the kingdom of God." - Lk 9:61-62

#### SATURDAY, JULY 2 ST MARK 4 00 PM

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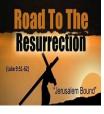
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# **News and Events**





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<u>Gospel: Luke 9:51-62</u> As Jesus "resolutely determine[s] to journey to Jerusalem," he

encounters a number of conflicts. Jesus is not welcome in a Samaritan

village, he rebukes disciples who want to take revenge, he predicts the lack of comfort and security for his followers, he chides those who have excuses for not immediately following him. These conflicts arise because the journey to Jerusalem entails death: dying to self in facing this journey's conflicts; death at this

journey's end. Nevertheless, the journey must be made—by Jesus, by his disciples, by us—because this is the only journey that leads to life.

# FEAST DAY OF SAINTS PETER &PAUL JUNE 29TH

Peter and Paul represent two strikingly different approaches to discipleship. Peter had to learn slowly, make many mistakes along the way, but always experienced the compassionate forgiveness and encouragement of Jesus. Paul, on the other hand, came to the Faith immediately and never backed away from his zeal for Christ after that. Many of us can see both these great Apostles in ourselves. Like Peter, we sometimes fail but vet persevere. Like Paul, we must always be on fire for the Lord, and proclaim Him to everyone and in every situation, no matter how difficult it can sometimes be to do so.

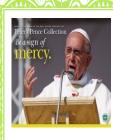
# ADORATION

FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION FRIDAY, JULY 1, 2022

Please join us at the <u>8:15 AM</u> or <u>5:00 PM</u> mass. Adoration is between the hours of 8:30 AM till 4:50 PM with the closing of Benediction. A sign-up sheet is in the back of the church.



ST. MARK/ST. JAMES PARISH PICNIC Mark your calendar! SUNDAY, AUG. 21, 2022 11:00 AM Mass with picnic to follow at the Rod & Gun Club.



### PETER'S PENCE Peter's

Pence collection is today.

It's a worldwide collection that supports the charitable works of Pope Francis. Funds from this collection help victims of war, oppression, and natural disasters. Take this opportunity to join with Pope Francis and be a witness of charity to our suffering brothers and sisters. Please be generous.



# INDEPENDENCE DAY MASS: MONDAY, JULY 4<sup>TH</sup> @ 9:00 AM

A holiday unique to the USA. On its birth, the United States of America became a nation under

God founded on Christian principles, celebrating freedom both spiritually and physically. As stated in the Declaration of Independence, God, our "Creator" is the source of men's irrevocable rights. Let us give thanks to all who sacrificed for our freedom and let our Creator know that "In God We Trust". Pray for our country to promote life, liberty and justice for all.

### ST. MARK MEMORIALS Memorial donations have been made in h

Memorial donations have been made in honor of <u>RICHARD CASHDOLLAR</u> from Ed & Carol Uzdale, John & Pat English, & Mr. & Mrs. Allan Neff. Donations were also made for <u>BRUNO CARNOVALE</u> from Aaron & Joyce Bauer and Jim & Dolly.



ANNUAL ROSARY SOCIETY YARD SALE.... THIS COMING SATURDAY.... JULY 2ND, 9:00 AM till 1:00 PM Be sure to stop by to find your treasure....have fun and spend a lot!!! There's lots of stuff....something for you for sure!



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