

APRIL 11, 2021 | SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

WELCOME

Church Staff

Rev. Paul S. Siebert, *Pastor*Sr. Frances Therese Matia, SSJ, *Pastoral Minister*Jennifer Abriatis, *Religious Ed. Facilitator*Joseph DeSio, *Financial Council Moderator*Dan Martuccio, *Pastoral Council President*Don Fapore, *St. Mark Cemetery 486-1119*Kimberly McFall, *Secretary*

Contact Information

Rectory Office: 814-486-0569 Monday through Friday, 9:00am to 3:00pm Religious Education Center: 814-486-0784 St. Mark Community Day Care Center: 814-486-2399

Sacrament of the Reconciliation

Wednesday at 6:00pm, Saturday at 4:00pm Anytime by appointment

Baptisms

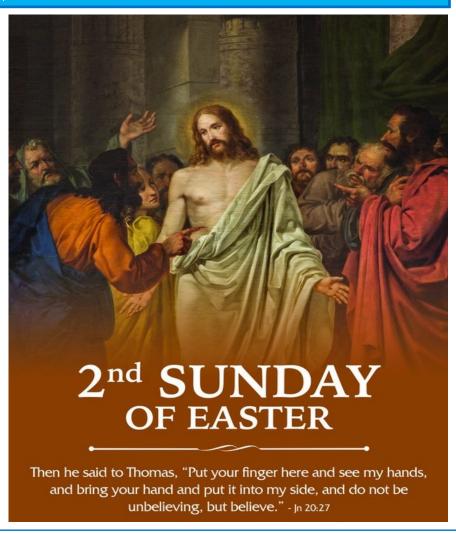
At all Sunday liturgies and outside of Mass after 9:00am Mass. Parents and Sponsors must attend Baptismal Preparation Class. Call the rectory for arrangements.

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



MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, APRIL 12 8:15 AM LIVING & DECEASED MEMBERS OF O'MALLEY & HAYES FAMILES (The Family)

(Acts 4:23-31; Jn 3:1-8)

TUESDAY, APRIL 13 NO MASS

(Acts 4:32-37; Jn 3:7b-15)

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 14 8:15 AM MARY SIEBERT

(Margie Tauses) (Acts 5:17-26; Jn 3:16-21)

THURSDAY, APRIL 15

8:15 AM JOHN MACK (MONTHS MIND)

(The Family) (Acts 5:27-33; Jn 3:31-36)

FRIDAY, APRIL 16

8:15 AM RALPH CALLAWAY

(Mary Dixon) (Acts 5:34-42; Jn 6:1-15) SATURDAY, APRIL 17

5:00 PM JOHN DOLAN

(The Family)

SUNDAY, APRIL 18

9:00 AM PEOPLE OF THE PARISHES

(The Pastor)

(Acts 3:13-15, 17-19; 1 Jn 2:1-5a; Lk 24:35-48)



WEEKEND OF APRIL 17-18 2021

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

5:00 PM -

9:00 AM - P. Rodgers 5:30 PM -

LECTORS:

Dave Summerson **Sarah Abriatis Delaney Rowan**

ALTAR SERVERS:

E. & M. Copp K. Fragale & H. Brown

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

SUNDAY (11th) 9:00 AM ~ SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

10~11:00 AM ~ Confirmation Class

WEDNESDAY (14th) 3:30~4:30 PM ~ Religious Ed, Class Grades 2 & 3

6:00 PM ~ Holy Hour 6:00 PM - Confession

THURSDAY (15th) 6:30 PM - Recitation of Rosary

SATURDAY (17th) 5:00 PM ~ VIGIL MASS

SUNDAY (18th) 9:00 AM ~ THIRD EASTER SUNDAY

5:30 PM ~ FAMILY MASS



St. MARK MEMORIAL



St. Mark Memorial received a donation in loving memory of MARY JO SESTINA From: Joseph & Susan Krupa

Message from Sr. Mercedes

Dear Fr. Paul & friends,

Your flowers were absolutely beautiful and thank you, for being so thoughtful for

National Sisters Week.

It took the gloom out of lock down!

I miss everyone and pray that the

pandemic ends soon.

Prayers, Sr. Mercedes, OSB





FORMED

AUDIO Pick of the Week THE NECESSITY OF DIVINE MERCY

ST. MARK ROSARY

SOCIETY ANNUAL

YARD SALE

JULY 3rd, 9 AM-1 PM @

St. Mark parking lot.

Be sure to save your 'treasures' as you being your spring cleaning! As always, we cannot accept

computers, TV's, calculators, clothes or undergarments. Keep an eye on the bulletin for more details regarding

drop off and/or pick up information.

ST. MARK MASS

ATTENDANCE

MARCH 27 5:00 PM - 64

MARCH 28 9:00 AM - 74

OFFERTORY COLLECTION MARCH 27-28, 2021 St. Mark: \$3,128.00 St. James: \$10.00 Thank you for returning some of God's gift to you to His Church.

By Fr. Chris Alar

Fr. Chris Alar, MIC, reveals the urgency to live and share the powerful message of Divine Mercy. He explains the basics of the Divine Mercy feast, image, novena, chaplet, and hour of mercy, and how to incorporate them into you spiritual life. Discover God's transformative message of Divine Mercy this week.

ST. MARK/ST. JAMES EASTER FLOWER MEMORIAL

DENNIS SMITH

---Gerry Smith

DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE NELSON

& COPPERSMITH FAMILIES

--- Bev Coppersmith

BERNADETTE ERB, WALTER KNISLEY, JOSEPH (PETE) MALIZE

& VIRGINIA MALIZE McNAUGHTON - - - Dave & Cindy Malize

IAY EDEL --- Kim Whiting





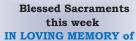
SECOND SUNDAY OF **EASTER**

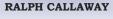
Jn 20-27

"Peace be with you," he says, as though nothing

had ever happened. They look at his wounds, and he repeats his remarkable greeting: "Peace be with you." If only we could follow in the footsteps of Christ and wish peace to everyone! If only we could forgive as he forgave! Where would be the wars? The discrimination? The hatred? The death penalty? They would go the way of death itself, conquered by the resurrection.

The Sanctuary Lamps burn before the









The Good Shepherd Collection

The annual Good Shepherd Collection will be taken up in all

parishes in the Diocese of Erie, April 24~25. This 'second' collection allows each of us to show our gratitude and support for those priests who have cared for us and our spiritual needs and faithfully serviced our parishes.



A Family Perspective

In today's gospel Jesus teaches, "Blessed are those who have not seen and believe." Accepting someone as they are, without demanding they prove themselves or meet our expectations, creates a rich relationship. Real mercy begins here.



NEW TV MONITORS FOR THE CHURCH

Now it's so nice that we can see the words to the hymns! The whole set up involved a new computer and wireless connection to the TV monitors. It's exciting to see progress as we keep learning how to present at mass.

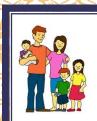
We're grateful for the Burfield Foundation providing the funding. We are also now compliant with a copyright/license through One License.

Thanks for the volunteers who are making this happen. If you would like to help, please contact Lea Purcell or the rectory @ 486~0569

HELP NEEDED!

We need help with Livestreaming our masses. If we do not get more volunteers, we will have to cut back the services we broadcast.

Please call the rectory @ 486-0569 if you'd like more information or can help.



FAMILY MASS, NEXT WEEKEND! SUNDAY, **APRIL** 18 @ 5:30 PM

With sessions for adults as well as youth of all ages.

Please join us, we'd love to see vour family here with us!



SUNDAY, APRIL 25TH WE WILL CELEBRATE ST. MARK **FIRST HOLY COMMUNION:**

Please keep these children in your prayers as they continue their

faith journey:

Camden Brown Leo Cummings Barrett Dixon Dane Erskine Anna Gralak Gabriella Marshall Cruz Smoker

Sunday April 25th will also be the Feast Day of St. Mark and Fr. Paul Siebert's anniversary to priesthood.



Thank you to St. Mark Rosary Society for the purchase of the Pascal Candle.

GOSPEL: ACTS 4:32-35 EARLY CHRISTIAN SHARD ALL IN COMON

OUESTION OF THE WEEK:

Adult: What could you do this week to inspire your family to resemble the early Christians more closely?

Youth: What could you and your family do to help others who are in need?