

ST. MARK

— CATHOLIC CHURCH —
ST. JAMES, MISSION PARISH

JANUARY 16, 2022 | SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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 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 3:30 pm
Anytime by appointment

Baptisms

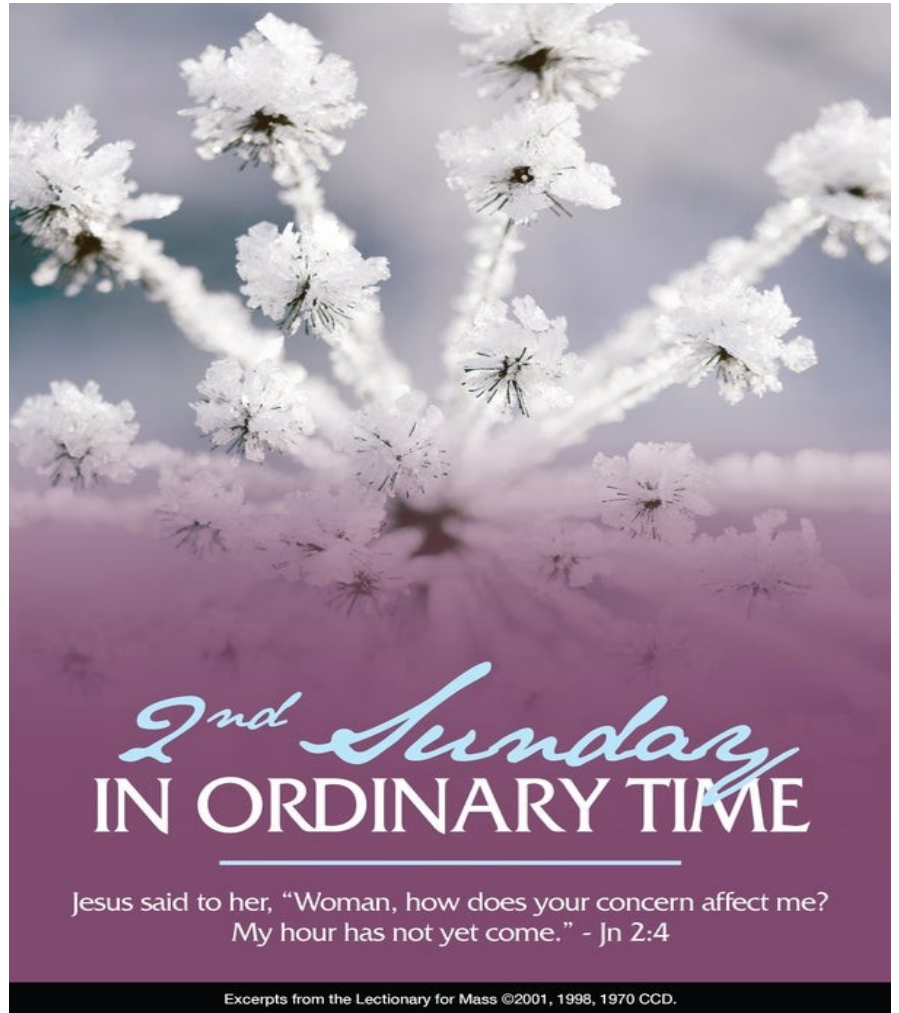
At all Sunday liturgies and outside of Mass after 9:00am Mass. Parents and Sponsors must attend Baptismal Preparation Class. Call the rectory for arrangements.

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 or prayers@gmail.com



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MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, JAN. 17

8:15 AM DECEASED MEMBERS of
THE MIGLICIO &
CZEKAI FAMILIES
(Theresa Vizza)
(1 Sm 15:16-23; Mk 2:18-22)

TUESDAY, JAN. 18

8:15 AM JENNIE FAPORE
(Rescheduled from 12/22)
(The Family)
(1 Sm 16:1-13; Mk 2:23-28)

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 19

8:15 AM NANCY GAVLOCK
(ANNIV.)
(Robert Gavlock Sr.)
(1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51; Mk 3:1-6)

THURSDAY, JAN. 20

8:15 AM MARLENE KANE
(MONTHS MIND)
(Friend of the Family)
(1 Sm 18:6-9, 19-17; Mk 3:7-12)

FRIDAY, JAN. 21

NO MASS
(1 Sm 24:3-21; Mk 3:13-19)

SATURDAY, JAN. 22

4:15 PM LEGAL PROTECTION OF
THE UNBORN
(The Pastor)

SUNDAY, JAN. 23

9:00 AM PEOPLE OF THE PARISHES
(The Pastor)
(Neh 8:2-4A, 5-6, 8-10; 1 Cor 12:12-30;
Lk 1:1-4, 4:14-21)

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2 Worship Together

JANUARY 16, 2022

WEEKEND OF Jan. 22-23

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

SATURDAY, JAN. 22

4:15 PM L. Zoschg

LECTORS:

Dave Malize

ALTAR SERVERS:

Melissa Stuart, Clara Clark,
Tim Grovanz & Barrett Dixon

SUNDAY, JAN. 23

9:00 AM A. DeLucia

John English

Samantha Good, Cambree
Stuart & Mira Cooper

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

SUNDAY	(16th)	9:00 AM - SECOND SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME 11:00 AM - FAMILY MASS <i>Religious Ed. Classes Grades 1-10 attend Family Mass</i>
WEDNESDAY	(19th)	<i>Religious Ed. Classes Grades 1-10 attend Family Mass</i> 6:00 PM - Holy Hour ~Intention~ Return of All 6:00 PM - Confession <i>Catholics to Sunday Mass</i> 7:00 PM - Benediction
THURSDAY	(20th)	6:30 PM - Rosary
SATURDAY	(22nd)	3:30 PM - CONFESSION 4:15 PM - VIGIL MASS
SUNDAY	(23rd)	9:00 AM - THIRD SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME 10:00 - 11:30 AM Religious Ed. Classes Grades 6-10



The Sanctuary Lamps burn before the Blessed Sacraments this week



IN LOVING MEMORY of
My Dear Sister,
PATRICIA (FAPORE) CATON
By: Don Fapore

GOSPEL: JOHN 2:1-12

THE WEDDING AT CANA

QUESTION OF THE WEEK:

Adult: When have you stepped in, as Mary did at Cana, to try and make a difficult situation easier for someone?

Youth: What can you do this week to help make someone's job a little easier?



HAPPENING IN JANUARY

- JAN. 16th: FAMILY MASS & SESSIONS @ 11:00 AM
- JAN. 21: MARCH FOR LIFE (Washington, D.C.)
- JAN. 22: THE CHOSEN after 4:15 PM Mass
- JAN. 25-26-Food Bank-St. Mark
- JAN. 29. Family Day Tureen Dinner after 4:15 PM Mass

ST. MARK MASS

ATTENDANCE

SAT. JAN. 8 4:15 PM- 90

SUN. JAN. 9 9:00 AM - 45

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

WEEKEND MASS(1/8-9/2022)

ST. MARK: \$3,081.00

ST. JAMES: \$10.00

Thank you for returning some of God's gift to you to His Church.

2021 GIVING REPORTS

2021

are available upon request. Please call the rectory @ 814-486-0569 if you would like one for your records.



Thank you to everyone for your cards, gifts and visits and for Holy Communion being brought in. I love you all! Margie Tausas



ST. MARK MEMORIAL FUND

A MEMORIAL

DONATION WAS MADE IN HONOR OF

EVA ANDRUS

FROM: GEORGANNE SAMPLE



CATHOLIC SERVICES

APPEAL

There's still time to give to the 2021 Catholic Service Appeal!

2021 CSA gifts can be dropped off in the collection basket or at the rectory until Jan. 31, 2022.

We appreciate any gift, pledge, one-time payment or gold envelopes to help us out. Thanks everyone who has helped us through CSA this year!



CHRISTIAN UNITY WEEK

JAN. 18-25, 2022

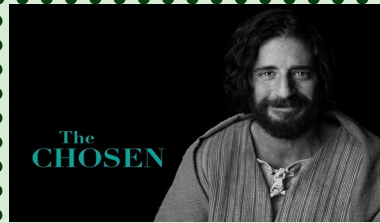
The theme, taken from the second chapter of the Gospel according to Matthew, is the Epiphany. Each year in January, the Church recalls the visit of the Magi to Bethlehem, highlighting God's invitation to all of humanity to a new covenant in the Incarnation of Christ. Celebrate the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity in our community from January 18-25, 2022. *That they all may be one.*



SECOND SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

Gospel: John 2:1-11

Jesus' epiphany—the revelation of his glory—did not end with the sign he performed but with the belief to which his followers came. Not only does Jesus change water into wine, but he transforms his disciples from being mere companions to becoming those who believe in him. They move from fellowship to the intimacy of belief and their lives will never be the same. He changed them. He will change us. And our lives will never be the same.



THE CHOSEN...
EPISODE #2 "SHABBAT",
will be shown on
Saturday, Jan. 22nd
following 4:15 PM mass.

In this episode, we find Nicodemus as a man pondering deep questions that would be seen as heresy just to ask. And, Mary has herself been preparing to host her first Shabbat and is extremely nervous about it, but friends help her to prepare.

CATHOLIC COMMUNICATION CAMPAIGN

NEXT WEEKEND, JAN. 22-23

Your generosity is very much appreciated!

Pray for those who work in communications and for those who have yet to hear the Gospel message. A digital prayer card is available for you to download at www.usccb.org/cc.



IN YOUR CHARITY, please pray for the soul of **MARY WOOD** who passed away recently. May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen



49th ANNUAL MARCH FOR LIFE in WASHINGTON, D.C.

Friday, January 21, 2022

WORLD'S LARGEST PRO-LIFE EVENT!



DAY OF PRAYER

FOR THE PROTECTION OF HUMAN LIFE

January 22nd is the anniversary of *Roe v. Wade*, and is the day established by the Church as the "*Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children.*" We are reminded time and again in Scripture to seek the Lord's help, and as people of faith, we believe that our prayers are heard. *As individuals, we are called to observe this day through the penitential practices of prayer, fasting and/or giving alms.*

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~RIGHT TO LIFE~

Prolife Prayer Service and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament with Fr. Tom Curry officiating, on **THURSDAY, JANUARY 20, 2022, at Noon at the Sacred Heart Church in St. Marys** and will conclude with Benediction at 4:00 p.m. Will also be saying the Rosary and Divine Mercy. Signup sheets will be at both entrances of Sacred Heart Church for Adoration. The Prolife service is in support for the March for Life event taking place in Washington, DC on January 21, 2022.



JANUARY = ST. MARK MONTH AT THE FOOD BANK

TUES., JAN. 25th @ 6:15 PM & WEDNESDAY, JAN. 26th, @ 12:50 PM till 3:00 PM

We need volunteers from St. Mark Parish to help with packing and distribution.

There is a sign up sheet in the back of the church.

Please, if you can help, sign up. Thank you!



FAMILY MASS

TODAY, JAN. 16, 2022 @ 11:00 AM

Religious Ed. students and their families are encouraged to attend this mass & sessions to follow. It's a great opportunity to worship together!



PARISH FAMILY DAY

TUREEN DINNER

SAT. JAN. 29th following 4:15 PM Mass.

Come down to share a meal with your parish family and enjoy some time together with activities for families! Bring your favorite dish to share.