



OCTOBER 17, 2021 | 29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

WELCOME

Church Staff

Rev. Paul S. Siebert, *Pastor*
 Sr. Frances Therese Matia, SSJ, *Pastoral Minister*
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 Joseph DeSio, *Financial Council Moderator*
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 Kimberly McFall, *Secretary*

Contact Information

Rectory Office: 814-486-0569
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 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

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, OCT. 18

8:15 AM FRANCES MUNSON
 (Friend of the Family)
 (2 Tm 4:10-17b; Lk 10:1-9)

TUESDAY, OCT. 19

NO MASS
 (Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21; Lk 12:35-38)

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 20

8:15 AM MSGR. RICHARD J. STACK
 (Fr. Paul Siebert)
 (Rom 6:12-18; Lk 12:39-48)

THURSDAY, OCT. 21

8:15 AM MARY HALEY
 (Dan Haley & Family)
 (Rom 6:19-23; Lk 12:49-53)

FRIDAY, OCT. 22

8:15 AM RALPH & LUZIA BOWSER
 (Carolyn Wolfanger)
 (Rom 7:18-25a; Lk 12:54-59)

SATURDAY, OCT. 23

ST. MARK 4:15 PM
EUGENE KEENAN
 (Ruth Drum)

ST. JAMES 6:15 PM

ARTHUR BOGART
 (Bill & Sue Bogart)

SUNDAY, OCT. 24

10:30 AM PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
 (The Pastor)
 (Jer 31:7-9; Heb 5:1-6; Mk 10:46-52)



29th SUNDAY *in ordinary time*

"For the Son of Man did not come to be served but to serve and
 to give his life as a ransom for many." - Mk 10:45

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2 Worship Together

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WEEKEND OF OCT. 23-24

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

4:15 PM - Fred Pizzella

LECTORS:

Mary Dixon

ALTAR SERVERS:

Hailey or Addison McAulay & Clara Clark

10:30 AM - Laura Zoschg

Confirmation Candidates

ALTAR SERVERS:

Melissa Stuart, Maggie Abriatis, Jake Cook, Kamden Fragale & Ryan Shaffer

ST. JAMES

6:15 PM -

Bob Dayton

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

SUNDAY (17th) 9:00 AM ~ 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:30 PM—FAMILY MASS

MONDAY (18th) 4:15 PM - ROSARY

TUESDAY (19th) 4:15 PM - ROSARY

WEDNESDAY (20th) No Religious Ed Class
Grades 1-5—Attend Family Mass
6:00 PM - Holy Hour ~Intention~ *Return of All Catholics to Sunday Mass*
Confession
6:30 PM - ROSARY
7:00 PM - Benediction

THURSDAY (21st) 4:15 PM - ROSARY

FRIDAY (22nd) 4:15 PM - ROSARY

SATURDAY (23rd) 3:30 PM - Confession
4:15 PM - VIGIL MASS - ST. MARK
6:15 PM - VIGIL MASS - ST. JAMES

SUNDAY (24th) 10:30 AM ~ 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time
CONFIRMATION MASS
No Religious Ed. Class—Attend Confirmation



COME HOLY SPIRIT,
COME!



TRUNK~OR~TREAT

Saturday, Oct. 30th

Downtown Emporium,
4-8 PM.

St. Mark is a participant in this year's *Trunk-or Treat*. We'll have a donation table set up in the back of the church for candy drop-off. Any questions, please contact Dan Martuccio at 486-1105.

FAMILY MASS/ SESSION

TODAY, SUN., OCT. 17;

5:30-7:00 PM

Along with the Religious Ed. classes for the children, there will be special topics for the parents. We hope you & your family will join us.



ST. MARK MASS

ATTENDANCE

SAT. OCT 9~ 4:15 PM—75

ST. JAMES 6:15 PM - 25

SUN. OCT. 10 ~ 9:00 AM - 86

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

WEEKEND MASS (10/9-10/2021)

ST. MARK: \$4,537.00

ST. JAMES: \$88.00

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

The Sanctuary Lamps burn before the Blessed Sacraments this week

IN LOVING MEMORY OF:

SISTER REBECCA

From: Ron & Carol Dankesreiter



ROSARY

During the month of October, the ROSARY will be recited daily @ 4:15 p.m. (except on Wednesdays, which then, the Rosary will be recited @ 6:30 p.m.) Please make plans to join us as we pray to and honor *The Lady of The Rosary*.

GOSPEL: MARK 10:35-45

AMBITION OF JAMES AND JOHN

QUESTION OF THE WEEK:

Adult: Why is it hard to do good works if you will not be acknowledged for them?

Youth: Are you willing to do a good deed even if no one knows that you did it? Why?



HAPPY BE-LATED BIRTHDAY

GERRI SMITH

Who turned 87 on Oct. 1st.
We wish you many blessing and hope you had a spectacular day celebrating your day!



29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Gospel: Mark
10:35-45

When James and John brazenly demand of Jesus, "Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you," they reverse the usual dynamics of the disciple/teacher relationship. By acquiescing with "What do you wish me to do for you?" Jesus accepts the role reversal they placed on him. By responding in this way, Jesus reveals another reversal: glory is given not to those who seek to be "first among" others but to those who choose to serve others by giving their lives for them. Out of which reversal do we live?



CONFIRMATION NEXT WEEKEND

SUNDAY,
OCTOBER 24TH

Please continue to pray for our 5 candidates for Confirmation:



*Zachary Abriatis,
Hayden Brown
Samantha Good,
Dylan Reider and
Delaney Rowan*

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

*Will take place here at
St. Mark on*

*SUNDAY, OCT. 24th
@ 10:30 AM with Bishop
Lawrence T. Persico.*

PLEASE PLAN TO ATTEND!!
Let's show Bishop Persico our support!

Let's also be there for our young adults!

COME HOLY SPIRIT!

(Please note the time change of this mass, there will not be a 9:00 AM mass that day.)



GRATEFUL STEWARD

Giving of our time, talent and treasure is about giving until you feel Christ-like. Stewardship is an important concept for our spiritual growth as Catholics. It's a way of thanking God for all his blessings by prayerfully returning to Him a portion of the time, talent and treasure we have received.

Don't forget your agreement form that was mailed to you. This agreement will be placed by the Tabernacle as your offering to God.



WORLD MISSION NEXT WEEKEND

Next weekend we will celebrate

World Mission Sunday.

Pope Francis invites the entire Church to support mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, and the Pacific Islands and parts of Latin America & Europe, where priests and others serve the world's most vulnerable.

Please be generous and keep the Pope's missions in your prayers.



ALL SOULS REMEMBRANCE BOOK

has been placed in the back of the church for you to write the names of your deceased loved ones to be remembered.

During the month of November the book will be placed near the altar in the sanctuary.

Reading of names of deceased will be on MONDAY, NOV. 2nd.



RE-MEMBERING OUR SUNDAY STORY

Please keep praying for the return to the Holy Eucharist. Please encourage others to return to regular reception of Holy Communion.



WELCOME PATRICK NEFF

Thank you so much for sharing your gift & talent of the bagpipes. We truly appreciate you being here with us!

HAPPENINGS IN OCTOBER @ ST. MARK...

ROSARY

Rosary will be recited every day @ 4:15 PM.

CONFIRMATION

SUNDAY, OCT. 24TH @ 10:30 AM with Bishop Persico
(9:00 AM Mass will not occur)

FAMILY MASS

Sunday, Oct. 17th @ 5:30PM

CEMETERY PRAYER SERVICE

Sunday, Oct. 31st @ 6:00 PM

