

SEPTEMBER 27, 2020 | 26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

WELCOME

Sacrament of the Reconciliation

Wednesday at 6:30pm, Saturday at 2:30pm
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

Contact Information

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Mission Parish

St. James Church, Driftwood, PA

Church Staff

Rev. Paul S. Siebert, *Pastor*
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Dan Martuccio, *Pastoral Council President*
Jay Edel, *Finance Council Moderator*
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MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 28

8:15 a.m. MR. & MRS. PAUL MOORE

(Fr. Paul Siebert)

(Jb 1:6-22; Lk 9:46-50)

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

NO MASS

(Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Jn 1:47-51)

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

8:15 a.m. LOIS PETRARCA

(Rich & Mary Ann Cashdollar)

(Jb 9:1-12, 14-16; Lk 9:57-62)

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 1

8:15 a.m. TODD PARISI

(The Caton & Flement Families)

(Jb 19:21-27; Lk 10:1-12)

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2—FIRST FRIDAY

8:15 a.m. DALE DUNKLE

(Dunkle & Arlington Families)

5:00 p.m. CARL SCHAGER

(The Family)

(Jb 38:1, 12-21; 40:3-5; Mt 18:1-5, 10)

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3

5:00 p.m. HELEN GRATTON

(The Family)

AND

MAGDALINE MOORE

(Loretta Varda)

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4

9:00 a.m. PEOPLE OF THE PARISHES

(The Pastor)

(Is 5:1-7; Phil 4:6-9; Mt 21:33-43)

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

ST. MARK EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS:

LECTORS:

WEEKEND OF OCT. 3-4

5:00 PM -

9:00 AM - Vince Fragale

5:00 PM — Dave Malize

9:00 AM — Pat Rodgers

SUNDAY (27th) 9:00 AM- 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

WEDNESDAY (30th) 3:30-5:00 PM Rel. Ed. Class Previous 2nd & 3rd Graders

6:00 PM - Adoration of Blessed Sacrament

6:00 PM - Confession

7:00 PM - Benediction

FRIDAY (2nd) 8:15 AM & 5:00 PM - FIRST FRIDAY MASSES

(ADORATION DURING THE DAY)

SATURDAY (3rd) 2:30 PM - Confession

5:00 PM - Vigil Mass

SUNDAY (4th) 9:00 AM - 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

All Masses will continued to be Live Streamed and posted on Facebook & YouTube



SOCIAL DISTANCING AND FACE MASKS

Are required at all Liturgies according to
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Saturday, October 3, 2020 6:30
AM ~ 9:30 AM

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situation, please put special effort
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masses.

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operate. Please call the
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for you to help us
continue to spread the
Gospel through social media.



DRIVERS NEEDED

Drivers are
desperately needed for
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ministries, to St. Mary's and
Coudersport for medical reasons and
other local needs. **If you can help,**
please call Stephanie Petty
@ 814-486-2728



ST. JAMES CHURCH, DRIFTWOOD

Due to Coronavirus
pandemic, weekend masses
will not occur
until further notice.



IN YOUR CHARITY,
please pray for the souls
of **Jay Edel**, and **George Ann
Holden** who passed away recently.
May his soul and the souls of all
the faithful departed rest in peace.
Amen

ST. MARK

MASS ATTENDANCE

SEPT. 19th, 5:00 PM - 45

SEPT. 20th, 9:00 AM - 62

Family Mass 5:30 PM - 53

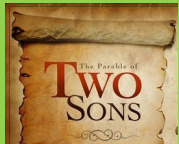
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St. Mark: \$2,524.00

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God's gift to you to His Church*



26th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

This Gospel challenges the complacent, those who presume that things are good enough between themselves and God, to examine the integrity of their discipleship. To the father's command to go out and work in the vineyard, the first son replies literally in the Greek, "I don't want to," but later changes his mind and goes. The second assents to go work but carries on with his usual routine.

The parable reinforces Jesus' insistence that words alone do not prove that one is his disciple. They must be accompanied by actions. Jesus' parable is open ended, which son are you?



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION NEXT SUNDAY

OCT. 4, 2020 @ 9:00 AM
MASS

Congratulations to:
MIRA COOPER,
RUTHIE FRAGALE, TIMOTHY
GROVANZ,
CAMBREE STUART &
LAUREN SUMMERSON



Our parish quickly lost one of our most dedicated members, **JAY D. EDEL**. Most people know that he's been our Finance Council Moderator for most of the years that I've been pastor. He gave of himself so much in this capacity with knowledge, dedication, his own personal time and faith. Jay really took pride in St. Mark and St. James wanting them to look good and have lasting quality..

In addition, he lived his faith at daily Mass, Cursillo faith sharing, 4th Degree Knight of Columbus, Eucharistic Minister, leading weekday Communion services, Building Committee, etc. He was so very helpful to every member of the staff. You could find him many times doing kind deeds for family and others. Personally, I could always count on Jay for so many details about the parish, and also helping me and my mother any time.

The Pastor and parish will miss him immensely.

Fr. Paul



TAKE A STAND FOR LIFE

The Cameron County Pro-Life Committee will be sponsoring a "Life Chain" on

Sunday, October 4th.

They'll begin distributing signs at 2:00 p.m. from the First Baptist Church; the demonstration will run from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.

We will be standing on 4th Street from Broad to Chestnut.

A time of refreshments and fellowship will follow.

Every life is precious - join us as we take a stand for life!



St. MARK MEMORIAL

Memorial donations in loving memory of

JAY EDEL were

given by Jim & Dolly Gennocro, The Thursday Night Rosary and Debbie Dunkle.

GOSPEL: MATTHEW 21:28-32 PARABLE OF THE TWO SONS

QUESTION OF THE WEEK:

Adult: When have your actions not measured up to your promises? What was the outcome?

Youth: Why is it important to follow through on your promises to others?



TAKE ME TO WORSHIP

It's time to put out the **TMTW** lawn signs!

There are many new signs available in the back of the church.

ENCOURAGE CHILDREN IN THEIR FAITH.

There is scientific evidence showing ONE hour per week of Religious activity greatly improves a child's life....they have better grades, less problems with addictions, etc.

Check out TMTW website:

tmtwcamco.org

RESPECT LIFE

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RESPECT LIFE SUNDAY is NEXT SUNDAY.

This year's theme is **"LIVE THE GOSPEL OF LIFE!"**

The annual Respect Life Program is a year-round, nationwide effort to help Catholics understand, value, and become engaged with building a culture that cherishes every human life. This is a very important topic as we approach the elections.



The
Sanctuary Lamps
burn before the
Blessed Sacraments
this week



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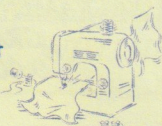
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