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Ladies of
St. Mary's

We meet on the 2nd Wednesday of the
month at 10 a.m.

In Memory of
James H. Broussard
"Bruce"



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
Joseph M. Malik - Council 9975

Membership meeting - 4th Tuesday each month
Parish breakfast on 1st or 2nd Sunday each month

Third Sunday of Lent

March 24th, 2019



St Mary's Catholic Church

231 Rothell Road Ext. Toccoa Ga 30577 email: stmarystoccoa@gmail.com

Website: www.stmarystoccoa.org

FaceBook: stmarystoccoa

Sacramental Emergency: 706 969-8118

Baptism & Matrimony: Contact Fr. Rudd

Sacrament of Penance: Wed. 5:30pm-6:30pm
(or by appointment)

Church Office Hours

Tues: 10am-2pm

Wed: 1pm-5pm

Fri: 10am-1pm

STAFF: Rev. Fr Thad Rudd, Priest

email: frdudd@gmail.com

Cell 706 969-8118

Rev. Mr. Greg Ollick, Deacon

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Christa O'Barr, Executive Assistant

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Mass times and Intentions

TUE: 3/26 9:00 am Agnes Burk (D)
~given by Denis Burk and Nancy Williamson
WED: 3/27 6:30 pm
SAT: 3/30 5:00pm People of the parish
SUN: 3/31 8:30 am Diane Farmer (D)
~given by The Ladies Guild



*Please keep the following
people in your prayers:*

Carl Dowell, Joe Franzmathes, Skip Studley,
Max Biester, Laura Barnett, Nan Lunn,
Lore Schnell, June Webb, Barbara Watson,
Brenda McKevlin, Annabeth Lewis, & Maizee
Fleming.

If you want to submit an individual for Prayer
Intentions, please contact Christa (706-886-
2819). Update Christa at least every four weeks
if you wish to continue with community prayers.

Additionally, Rita Nash is continuing her 'prayer
intentions' email blasts regarding parishioners
suddenly taken ill and/or hospitalized. Contact
Rita via email (gordie123@windstream.net)

General Offertory/Contributions

Week of: March 17, 2019



Weekly budget	\$2,300.00
Weekly Offertory	\$2,269.00
	(-\$31.00)

2nd collection last week: Building Imp. \$1,176
2nd collection next week:

Thank-you for your contributions!

This week's counters are: Jerry Bronikowski, Betty
Smith & Cathy Staley.



Would you like to have your birthday; anni-
versary or other celebratory event an-
nounced by WNEG radio/Connie Gaines on
the day of your event? What a great way to
start your special day and promote St Mary's. Your
special day will be listed under 'St Mary's Catholic
Church'. The signup sheet is in the narthex. Ques-
tions? Contact Gary Cortellino, 678 360-2545 or
garycortel@aol.com

Parish Ministries



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Deanna Holmer 706 297-7493

Offertory Tabulators (Counters):

For information call 706-886-2819

(Additional info on ALL ministries can be found
on our website.)

RUDD'S RAMBLINGS

I'm writing this on the last day of Winter. I
have already bought roses for the garden and vines
for the arbor, all I need now is spring and a little
warm weather. Spring is a time of renewal, hope,
and anticipation. A little like lent.

Today at Mass we had close to thirty people
in attendance, that's a lot for a Tuesday morning. I
wonder what their hopes in prayer are? So many
years, like so many springs have passed us by and yet
everything seems the same. I wonder what spring
could bring us without the hope of faith? Faith brings
us spring eternal, new hope, new life, and new pur-
pose. It's so good seeing the faithful practicing their
faith.

This weekend we celebrate the third week
of Lent, we are halfway through our journey to Jeru-
salem. The train for our journey seems slow but
there is a reason for its tardiness, to allow late com-
ers a chance to jump aboard. Plenty of seats vacant,
a good time to bring a friend along.

TBR+

Lent, Triduum & Easter Schedule

Wednesday Evenings—Confessions 5pm, Adora-
tions 5pm, Mass 6pm, Lenten reflections with Fr.
Rudd 6:30pm (Parish Hall)

Friday Evenings—Stations of the Cross 6pm
Confessions—Wed 5pm & Sat 4pm

Holy Week

Holy Thursday: 6pm

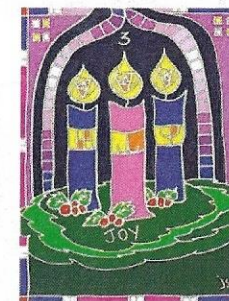
Good Friday: Chapel of Repose open at 7am

Communion Service: 6pm

Easter Vigil Mass: 8pm

Easter Sunday Mass: 8:30am

LIVING FAITH DAILY DEVOTIONALS: The devotionals
for April-June are in the narthex. Please look for your
copy. Please sign up if you wish to receive these de-
votionals for another year. The price will be about
\$5.00.



The Knights of Columbus Council and the Ladies
of St. Mary's are again participating in the "40 Can
for Lent " project as part of the Lenten Season. A
Canister has been placed in the Narthex of the
Church to accept can goods and other non perish-
able food items that will be donated to the Toc-
coa Soup Kitchen. The Kitchen would like large
cans if possible but will accept any items that are
available. Thanking you in advance for your partic-
ipation and God Bless.

Ladies of St. Mary's and Council 9975

St. Mary's will be hosting an Easter Egg Hunt after mass
on Easter, Sunday, April 21st. Please donate eggs filled
with individually wrapped candy or other small prizes by
placing them in the narthex no later than Friday, April
19th. If you have any questions please feel free to con-
tact Jessica Burger.