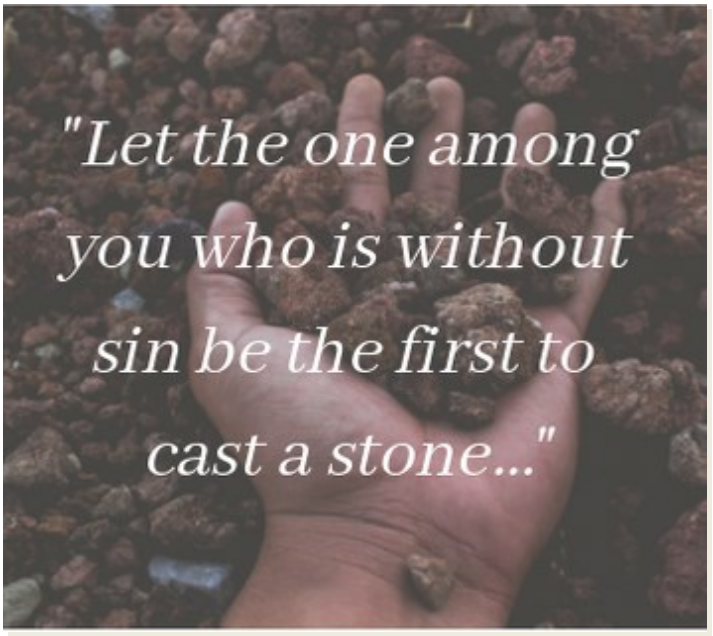
St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church

SUNDAY, APRIL 7 , 2019
FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT



WELCOME!
BIENVENIDOS!

We extend a very special welcome to our friends and visitors who have come to pray with us today. Whether you're just having a look or are searching for a place to worship, we're happy to have you here. We trust that our worship will be encouraging to all and hope that you find a warm, welcoming community here at St. Mary Magdalene Parish.

Lent Mass Schedule

Saturday - 5:00 p.m. (Anticipated)
Sunday - 9:00 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 1:30p.m. Español and 5:00 p.m.
Weekday Mass:
Tuesday thru Friday - **7:00 a.m.** & 6:00 p.m.

Stations of the Cross
Fridays at 5:30 p.m.
(Monday - Communion Service at 6:00 p.m.)

Eucharistic Adoration

Tuesday - 7:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday - 3:30 p.m.

Contact Information

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Fr. James Rowland: 903-283-3340
Fr. Peter McGrath: 903-424-8810

Visit us on the web

www.stmarymagdaleneflint.org

Weekly Calendar and Prayers

Saturday, April 06	
3:30pm	Confessions
5:00pm	Mass - Elisa Allgaier, RIP requested by Marge Devereaux
Sunday, April 07	
9:00am	Mass - SMM Dearly Departed
10:30 am	ALMS Committee Meeting
10:30 am	SEEK (Dining Room)
10:30am	RCIA (Classroom upstairs)
11:30am	Mass - Marlena Schuricht, Special Intention requested by Petosa Family
1:30pm	Misa en Español --. Pro Popolo (for the people)
5:00pm	Mass - Stockley Berry, Birthday, req. by Berry Family
Monday, April 08	
6:00pm	Mass - Brenda McLoughlin, RIP
6:45pm	Bible Study "The Mass" with Deacon Dennis
Tuesday, April 09	
7:00am	Mass - Elish Burke, RIP
7:30am	Adoration
9:00am	Rosary
6:00pm	Mass - Jesse & Josephine Molina, RIP. requested by Pete & Delores Martinez
7:00pm	Cursillo
7:00 pm	Baptism Prep (Spanish)
Wednesday, April 10	
7:00am	Mass - Ann Gaughan, RIP
6:00pm	Mass - Marie Sweeney, RIP
5:30pm	Meal - Pizza
6:00 pm	Faith Formation
6:00 pm	Middle School VERITAS
Thursday, April 11	
7:00am	Mass- Una Moyles, RIP
10:00am	QUEST (Women's Scripture Study Group)
6:00pm	Mass -- Benjamin Barrera, RIP requested by Barbara Barrera
6:30 pm	Knights of Columbus Council Meeting
7:00 pm	Penance Service
Friday, April 12	
7:00 am	Mass - Sonia Novelo, Special Intention requested by Sonia Escobedo
5:30pm	Stations of the Cross
6:00pm	Mass - Frank Queenan, RIP
6:30 pm	Knights of Columbus Fish Fry
Saturday, April 13	
10:00 am	Healing Mass
3:30pm	Confessions
5:00pm	Mass - Ernie Carbello, RIP req. by Barbara Barrera
Sunday, April 14	
9:00 am	Mass -- Martin Stocks, Spec. Int. req. by Marolyn Stocks
10:30am	SEEK (Dining Room)
10:30am	RCIA
11:30am	Mass -- Marcia Pulliam, RIP req. by Joseph Pulliam
1:30pm	Mass -- Anasofia & Emma Olague, Special Intention requested by Olague Family
5:00pm	Mass -- - Pro Popolo (for the people)
6:00 pm	High School VERITAS to JP2 Center @ UT Tyler

ANNIVERSARIES OF DEARLY DEPARTED

Edwin Perry Clarke, Jr.
James Anthony Isham
Benjamin Barrera
Genny Horaney
Frances Mendolia
Mary Byrd
Coletta Devereaux
Rosa Murillo
Emma McLin
Avalene Stafford
Jim Purcell
Donna Cool
Alexandria Conway
Anna Walka

Pray for Service Members

- WO1 **Jonathan W. Schlattner**
U.S. Army Aviation (Pilot) Ft. Stewart, GA
- Lieutenant **Sarah McGuire**, U.S. Navy
Pilot, Coronado Island, California
- **Jeremy Obach**
Navy Officer - Pilot, Pensacola, FL
- Cpl. Joseph F. Canterbury IV
Westpoint

If you have a loved one in active service for our country, please email the office with their rank, name and where they are deployed.

Please pray for

Trish Anderson
Mariana Arenas
Maurci Blackmon
Anne Brannan
Pat Brown
Gary Cool
Bert Dennison
Richard Dutke
Gen'l Howard Fish
Dolores Grant
Alfred & Carolyn Hebert
Cheryl Jansen
Tom Kestler
Jan King
Paul Landers
Madeline & Richard Lewis
Jim Londo
Peaches Owen
Jane Prokesh
Joel Rivera
Sinead Rowland
Jamie Sonko
Thomas Torre
Carly Walker
Mary Ann Wright

Please contact Debbie Steves for our prayer line at: debsteves17@gmail.com

Liturgical Ministers

APRIL 6/7, 2019

SATURDAY 5:00PM
Readers: Nora Lundeen, Marinel Pamatmat
Extraordinary Ministers: Bob Lundeen, Tim Newton, Jim Rayburn, Marge Devereaux
Altar Servers:

SUNDAY 9:00am
Readers: Greg Fletcher, Michelle Overmeyer
Extraordinary Ministers: John & Martha Walker, Clyde & Pat Christenson, Diana Muse, Jason McKinney
Altar Servers: Andy Graves, Leah McDonald

SUNDAY 11:30am
Readers: Dan Noyes, Darrell Sundstrom
Extraordinary Ministers: Emily Sundstrom, Kaylene Mongeau, Jim & Suzanne Meyer, Lisa Propper, Linda Roberson
Altar Servers: Brennan Ministrelli, Michael Lowe

SUNDAY 5:00pm
Readers: Horacio Chivacuan, Juliee Denman
Extraordinary Ministers: Billy Denman, Christie Milawski
Altar Servers:

APRIL 13/14, 2019

SATURDAY 5:00PM
Readers: Sandy Rayburn, Margaret Oppenheimer
Extraordinary Ministers: Peter & Lorraine Sullivan, Joe & Margaret Oppenheimer
Altar Servers:

SUNDAY 9:00am
Readers: Deborah Brooks, Christy Graves
Extraordinary Ministers: Brian Garner, Carol Crain, Albert & Laura Chabarria, Connie & Betty Chandler
Altar Servers: Aidan & Colin Scarborough, Rhiana Pleasant

SUNDAY 11:30am
Readers: Dan Noyes, Selma Word
Extraordinary Ministers: Rose Brown, Wanda Taylor, Marge Devereaux, Kaylene Mongeau, Paula Park, Theresa Kennerly
Altar Servers: Mason Estes, Jade & Sapphire Nunn

SUNDAY 5:00pm
Readers: Natalie Bryant, Horacio Chivacuan
Extraordinary Ministers: Christie Milawski, Jerry Underwood
Altar Servers: Alyssa Bryant

Children's Liturgy of the Word

Sundays, September - May
9:00 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. Masses
Is the Holy Spirit nudging you to share your faith? Please consider becoming a volunteer for Children's Liturgy of the Word.

We are still in need of volunteers for the 11:30 a.m. Mass!

Please contact

Monthly Healing Mass

Beginning this month, Fr. Rowland will offer a healing Mass once a month. Anyone wanting to be anointed are invited to come and participate. Mark your calendar for:

Saturday, April 13th at 10:00 am.
Saturday, May 18 at 10:00 am.

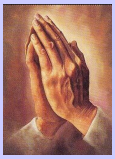
Join us in Prayer!

The Scrutinies are celebrated in order to deliver the elect from the power of sin and Satan, to protect them against temptation, and to give them strength in Christ, who is the way, the truth and the life. Please continue to hold our elect up in prayer as they approach the waters of their Baptism.

Our Elect:

Anthony Foto **Holdon Cambra**
July Sonko **Shelby Casper**
Tyler Basinger

Lent Penance Service



In preparation for Easter we have scheduled 4 priests to be here for a penance service on **Thursday, April 11th at 7:00 pm.**

With great joy, the Catholic community announces that Amy, Alejandro, and Gabriela Rico, three small children are to be baptized by water and the Holy Spirit.
The baptisms will take place Saturday, April 13th at 11:00 am.

Saints of the Week

Thursday, April 11
Saint Stanislaus, Bishop, Martyr – died in 1079; as bishop of Cracow, he assisted the poor; slain by the oppressive and savage king, Boleslaus II the Bold; patron of Poland.

Faith Formation

APRIL 10 - K-5 WEEKLY FAITH FORMATION
Meal at 5:30pm, **Class** 6:00pm to 7:30pm
Parent Session; Confirmation/Holy Communion: A Walk through the Mass

APRIL 17- NO CLASS (HOLY WEEK)
APRIL 24 - CLASSES RESUME K-5

PLEASE TURN IN DOCUMENTS FOR SACRAMENTS ASAP.

**** FAITH FORMATION & SACRAMENTS CONTACT ****
MARY SUE JAGERS 903-930-6912
mary.sue@stmarymagdaleneflint.org

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Children Completing K to 5th
June 17-21 9am to Noon

Are you ready for a Safari?
We are looking for volunteers
(Please contact Mary Sue Jagers)

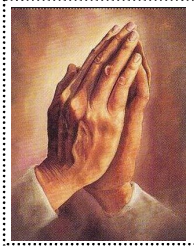
Registration Coming Soon!

Thank You For Helping Our Missionaries!

For Supporting the chwc CATHOLIC HEART WORKCAMP

1 to 100 Fundraiser Board

We received $4,470 in donations so far from generous donors!!



PRAY FOR OUR MISSIONARIES
From July 7–July 13 members of our parish *(students/adults)* **will be going to New Braunfels with Catholic Heart Work Camp**

Friday, April 12th we will draw for the $500 gift card to

VERITAS YOUTH ACTIVITIES St. Mary Magdalene

Susan Robinson Jewelry

LENTEN REFLECTIONS FOR YOUTH
are posted on our parish website
https://stmarymagdaleneflint.org/
under the "Youth Ministry" tab

Mark Your Calendar:

Wednesday 4/10 6pm—7:30	**Middle School**
Sunday 4/14 4:00pm—8pm	**High School** Visit to JP2 Student Center @UT Tyler
Wednesday 4/17 6pm—7:30	**All Youth** (6th-12th) Egg Stuffing Party Families welcome!

VISIT TO UT TYLER JP2 STUDENT CENTER!!

ALL high school students are invited to join us SUNDAY APRIL 14th beginning @4pm

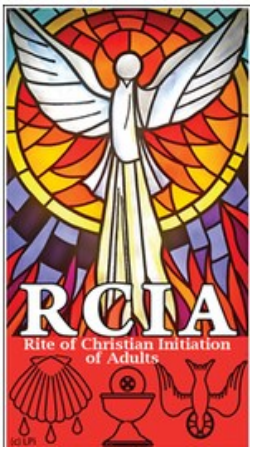
We will be praying, eating and hanging out with college students from the UT Tyler campus ministry RSVP to Michelle

**** YOUTH MINISTRY CONTACT ****
***MICHELLE OVERMEYER* 903.894.7647**
michelle.overmeyer@stmarymagdaleneflint.org

YOUTH in grades 6-12 desiring to receive Sacraments

NEXT Sacramental Prep **SESSION:**
Tuesday, April 23rd
6:00 – 8:00pm
May 8 - Assessment; Service Hours and Letter to Bishop due.

Faith Formation



R.C.I.A

Whether you're looking to take the next step towards becoming Catholic or you just want to ask more questions about the Catholic faith, our RCIA program is the place for you.

We meet on Sunday mornings at 10:15 am in a comfortable setting on the second floor.

If you want to know more feel free to Contact Us!

Thinking about Marriage?

Please contact the office if you would like to know more about our marriage preparation program!

Cursillo de Cristiandad
Abril 25-28
Para mas información comuniquese con Humberto Vences al
903-258-4255

Women's Bible Study. Meets every Thursday from 10 am to 11:30 am This is a wonderful group of ladies that share their faith in fellowship and prayer. Every woman is invited!

Commit to strengthening your marriage this Lent. Sign up today to attend one of the upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends.

The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends are April 12-14 and June 7-9.
To apply for a weekend, go to: http://www.dfwme.org/apply.
For questions please email apply@dfwme.org or call 469-444-0904.
Para mas informacion de Encuentro Matrimonial en Espanol, escriba a emmdfw@gmail.com o visite http://www.emmseccion21.org/

Deacon Dennis is leading a 6 week bible study during Lent. It will continue on **Mondays, 6:45pm to 8pm. For information** please contact Deacon Dennis at **903-969-0864 or dennisgking@live.com**

WELLSPRING
HOLY WEEK RETREAT

Saturday, April 13, 2019
9:30 am - 12:30 pm

The journey through Holy Week is a call to walk with Jesus. The journey we began in ashes will take us to the cross. Take this opportunity to reflect on the merciful and spiritual significance of Holy Week. Fr. Luke Kalarickal will guide the retreat. No registration is necessary. Donations welcome. Wellspring is located at 16828 FM 2964 in Whitehouse, Texas.

Parish and Diocesan News & Weekly Gifts

Did you know that you can **automate your weekly or monthly gift** to the church? You can simply set this up as an automatic bill-pay item through online banking on your bank's website or through our church's website? Call the office for information!

Weekend Collection	Collection totals for the weekend of **March 30 & 31 = $13,256.42** Collection for **Catholic Relief Services = $955.00**
Candles	The 7-Day candle for the week of April 6 through April 12 is donated by Rose Brown in memory of her husband, Don.

During Lent our Faith Formation families are participating in CRS Rice Bowl, a faith-in-action program that invites us to encounter the needs of the world with the hope of the Resurrection.

We see how our Lenten prayers, fasting and almsgiving can respond to Pope Francis's invitation to Share the Journey by supporting those worldwide who are forced to flee their homes to find safety or better opportunities.

As we prepare for this holy season, it is important to come together as a family and reflect on the crosses of hunger; poverty and war that our brothers and sisters forced to flee their homes carry. In so doing, we pledge to stand alongside these members of our human family, supporting them as the Gospel calls us to do.

Visit crsricebowl.org to watch videos of the people and communities you support through your Lent gifts to CRS Rice Bowl and to find out more.

We will collect your CRS Rice Bowls at the end of Lent.

APRIL IS NATIONAL CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH

There are many ways that community members can work together to keep children safe. Visit the National Child Abuse Prevention website to learn what you can do to support and strengthen families and promote the well-being of children and youth. #NCAPM2019

Strong & Thriving FAMILIES

The Senior Lunch Bunch

will meet for noon Mass at Saints Peter and Paul Chapel on April 17 2019. After Mass we will have lunch at F D's, 8934 S. Broadway. All seniors are most welcome. Any questions call Doris Modlin, 903-561-2501.

Flower Arrangement Demonstration.

Saturday April 27 at 10am

All parishioners are invited to attend. A variety of arrangements will be demonstrated, and some will be given away as door prizes. There is no cost to attend and light refreshments will be served. We hope to see you there! Please RSVP to Ann Connor at windchimesann@gmail.com if you plan to attend.

Catholic Charities is collecting small **NEW** stuffed animals to distribute for Easter through our parish pantries and outreach programs.

Items may be delivered to our offices at 202 W. Front Street behind the Cathedral.

Thank you for your generosity!

EASTER EGG HUNT

We are collecting candy (non-chocolate) for our Easter Egg Hunt.

There are boxes in the foyer of the Church and in Peaches Hall.

We need your help! For every package of diapers donated to PATH at an Altra Credit Union during the month of April, Altra will donate an additional $5 to PATH up to $500. If you are collecting diapers for PATH, would you consider dropping them off at Altra?

Diapers can be dropped off at:
Altra Credit Union - 5523 Troup Highway
Altra Credit Union - 8976 South Broadway (The Village at Cumberland Park)
Altra Credit Union - 2815 WSW Loop 323
PATH - 402 W. Front Street

For more information on PATH's Diaper Drive, email Mike Vasquez or call 903-617-2823.

Catholic Schools News

ST. GREGORY

SPOTLIGHT ON THE 5TH GRADE

Being a 5th grader at St. Gregory means:

a four day/ three night adventure at The Pines Catholic Camp that combines outdoor study, fun, and fitness with fellowship and prayer;

leading Holy Week prayer services including Washing of the Feet, Live Stations of the Cross, and the Creation Story;

completing a Shakespeare unit culminating in the Bard's Bash where students perform mini-versions of Shakespeare plays; and

auditioning for the starring roles in the All School Musical in May.

Come see why St. Gregory is a great place to be in 5th grade!

SAVE THE DATE FOR DISNEY'S BEAUTY AND THE BEAST JR.

We invite you to "be our guest" and share in celebrating the joy of this "tale as old as time." The entire St. Gregory student body will be performing Disney's Beauty and the Beast Jr. on Thursday, May 2nd, at Caldwell Auditorium. More details will follow.

BISHOP T.K. GORMAN

EAGLE SCOUT LEGACY

Congratulations to **Peyton Harris**, a senior at Bishop Gorman, and his younger brother **Carson**, a sophomore, who are the latest members of the Harris family to achieve Eagle Scout rank.

ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

Congratulations to Senior **Ann Knight**, who was recently named the CHRISTUS Health Orthopedics and Sports Medicine Athlete of the Week. Ann has signed a letter of intent to swim at Centenary College.

SERVANT LEADER RECOGNIZED

Congratulations to alum **William Kariampuzha** ('18) who has served as an officer leader for the STEM and LEAF Corp while attending Texas Tech's direct admit from Undergraduate to Medical School Initiative Program. A summary of the group's approach to Service in Education recently won the best poster award for community service at the National Meeting of American Medical Students Association in Washington DC.

BISHOP GORMAN FUND

The Bishop Gorman Fund allows the school to maintain its tradition of excellence across all areas, including academic enrichment for students and teachers, need-based tuition assistance, technology, and improvements to our campus. If you are interested in having a direct impact on the everyday lives of our students, please visit https://www.bishopgorman.net/giving/.

GIVE THE GIFT OF CATHOLIC EDUCATION

Would you love to provide financial support to families who truly desire the spiritual, moral, and intellectual growth fostered by a Catholic, faith-based school but can't afford it? Give the gift of a Catholic education to a family today by visiting https://stgregory.info/sg/give/ or https://www.bishopgorman.net/giving/.

ENROLLING NOW FOR 2019-2020

St. Gregory (PreK-3 through 5th grade) and Bishop Gorman (6th through 12th grade) are now enrolling for the 2019-2020 school year. To learn more about the Tyler Catholic Schools, we invite you to explore our websites at st.gregory.info and bishopgorman.net, visit us on Facebook, and come in for a personal tour. Significant tuition assistance is available for families who demonstrate financial need.

For admissions information, please contact Jill Coan, Director of Admissions, at 903.579.9404.

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