

## Mass Intentions

Saturday, May 25 - St. Mary

Mass 4:30 p.m.

Thomas Calhoun

by Jeff & Marianne Kieffer

Sunday, May 26 - St. Ann

Mass 9:00 a.m.

Bertha Haren

by Lawrence & Phyllis Vensil

Monday, May 27 - St. Mary

Mass 7:30 a.m.

Aaron Archer

by the Nestleroad Family

Tuesday, May 28 - Genesis Chapel

Mass 7:15 a.m.

For the Elderly



### Mass Readings for Next Sunday,

June 2, 2019

Acts 7:55-60

Revelation 22:12-14, 16-20

John 17:20-26

### Divine Mercy Reflections from St. Faustina's Diary

Jesus said:

At three o'clock, implore My mercy, especially for sinners; and, if only for a brief moment, immerse yourself in My Passion, particularly in My abandonment at the moment of agony. This is the hour of great mercy for the whole world. I will allow you to enter into My mortal sorrow. In this hour, I will refuse nothing to the soul that makes a request of Me in virtue of My Passion.

### CHURCH OFFICE HRS

Tues. 8:30 a.m. —12:30 p.m.

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### PRAYER FOR OUR MILITARY

Let us pray for our brothers and sisters as they go forth with courage and determination to face the forces of violence, weapons of destruction and hearts filled with hate. We pray, Lord, that you preserve the members of our Army, Navy, Marines, Coast Guard and Air Force from all harm. Amen.

**HALLELUJAH!**

### BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please submit by Mon. 10 A.M. Either email or phone your submission or place it in the basket at Mass. Phone: 828-2594 Email address: [sheimer@localnet.com](mailto:sheimer@localnet.com).

### SHUT-INS / HOSPITALIZED / ILL

For correspondence to shut-ins, etc. please contact Cathy McDaniel at 454-2137.

**Mass Intentions** Mark an envelope "Mass Intentions" and drop it in the collection basket with the name for whom the Mass is to be offered and include your name.

### PLEASE REMEMBER THE FOLLOWING IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Vivian Grady, Ted Paulus, Pat Powers, Peggy Franks, Christine Wagner, Tracy Beale, Margarie Reeves, Sue McClanahan-Pepper, Jodi Morrison, Rose Fohrman, Edyn Dickson, Becky Fouts, Wesson James, Teresa Daugherty, Clarice Durtschi, Nick Durtschi, Tom Lockhard, Marty Watson, Karen Miller, Ellen Alheim, Rylee Warner, Gretchen Boerner, Eli Murphy, Ron Miller, Amara Larrison, Teagan Welen, Sara Hopper, Melody Purkey, Clark Watson, Lynn Seward, Steve Woynko, Craig Harple, Kevin Kenily, Dakota Miller, Robert Thomas, Sarah Ludinich, Kristi Larimer, Michelle Merry, Cheryl Trego, Lisa Adornetto, Don Nichols, Greg Steinmetz, Sue Lawler, Charles Jones, Emma Berry, Ava Winner, Gary Wilson, Tom Clawson, Jeffrey M. Schiele, Connie Kihm, Tim Scholl, Ron Miller, Christine Mitchell, Miriam Santacruz, Jim & Mary Ann Miller, Bill McBride

Refresh them Lord, with your healing grace. Please submit names of those who need our prayers. As health improves, let us know to remove the name.

### Steward- ship Report



**Christ Has Risen**

Year July 1, 2018 - June 30, 2019

May 11 & 12, 2019

**TOTAL COLLECTION \$ 3,257.41**

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| WEEKLY GOAL           | \$ 2,400.00    |
| ACTUAL COLLECTION     | \$ 3,257.41    |
| Variance              | + \$ 857.41    |
| Year to Date Goal     | \$ 108,000.00  |
| Actual Year to Date   | \$ 130,391.93  |
| Year to Date Variance | + \$ 22,391.93 |

### **Study Group**

**Learn about Women of the Church**  
**Tuesday, June 4,**  
**from 6-7:15 pm at St. Mary**  
**All women are invited**

We will study Dorothy Day.

Each week's materials can be found on the parish website at [stannstmary.org](http://stannstmary.org) under Classes.

Paper copies of the materials are in a folder in the back of each church.

### **8 flowers most commonly associated with the Blessed Virgin Mary** (Continued from last week.)

**5. Baby's Breath:** The blue baby's breath represents Mary's innocence and purity. It also can symbolize the breathing of the Holy Spirit.

**6. Marigold:** The marigold flower is in honor of Mary's simplicity through her home and family life. The flower also can represent the sorrows of Mary for it is often used as a burial fragrance.

**7. Violets:** The gracefulness, color, sweet smell, and leaves in the shape of hearts, represent the humility, fidelity, and innocence of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

**8. Gladiolus:** The gladiolus derives from the Latin term that means, *sword*. These leaves shaped in the form of swords represent the sorrows that would pierce the heart of Mary as she walked to Calvary with Jesus Christ.

## Divine Mercy News

Our annual Divine Mercy Bake Sale is coming up soon!

It will be Saturday, June 1.

The Bake Sale will be after Mass at St. Mary.

There will be plenty of tasty treats for all to enjoy!

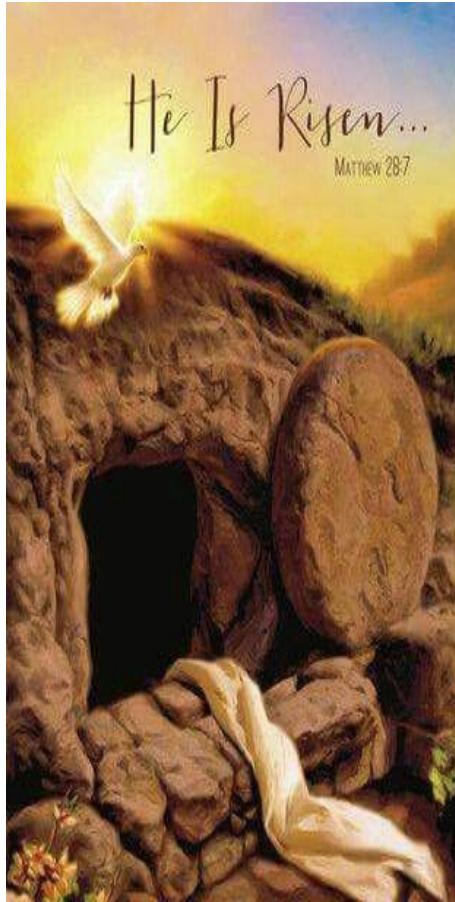
## ONE VOLUNTEER NEEDED to count the weekly collection at St. Ann on Sunday mornings immediately after Mass

Teams of two people count every fifth week. It takes about one to 1.5 hours to count the collection.

Everyone receives training.

This team begins counting in July.

If you'd like to help, please contact Debbie L. at 740-828-2594 or email her at sheimer@localnet.com.



## Mary, Undoer of Knots

The devotion to Mary, Undoer of Knots, is not new. The devotion is more than 300 years old and has become more popular ever since Pope Francis encouraged the devotion in Argentina, and during his first year as pontiff.

However, it is not based on an apparition of the Virgin Mary as in Fatima, but rather it is a revered devotion.

The devotion to Mary Undoer of Knots is becoming known in many different countries, and the Novena has been printed in 19 languages. In the last four years, the Sanctuary of Mary Undoer of Knots has welcomed more than 600,000 pilgrims from all over the world.

We are living in difficult times where the problems, the knots, the temptations, the lack of peace and the evils are all around us. Like a lion, your adversary, the devil, prowls around, looking for someone to devour. (1Peter5,8)

For that reason, Mary Who undoes the knots, Who was chosen by God to crush the evil with Her feet, comes to us to reveal Herself. She comes to provide jobs, good health, to reconcile families, because She wants to undo the knots of our sins which dominate our lives, so that we can receive the promises reserved for us from eternity.

Then, free from our knots – filled with happiness, we can be a testimony of the Divine Power in this world, like pieces of God's heart exhaling mercy and love to our neighbor. Like ambassadors of Jesus Christ we can rescue those who cry without any consolation, those who are lonely, tied with knots, who have no God, no Father nor Mother. <http://maryundoerofknots.com>

For novena prayers go to <http://www.theholysrosary.org/maryundoerknots>

## On This Memorial Day Weekend

We remember those who have died for peace. Be sure to remember those who are suffering due to combat.



Dear Heavenly Father,

*As we remember those who have made the ultimate sacrifice for our freedom, we think of how they have followed in the footsteps of your son, our Savior, Jesus Christ.*

*Please hold our service men and women in your strong arms. Cover them with your sheltering grace and presence as they stand in need of your protection. Amen.*

## Forest Bathing

We've heard Father Franks tell us many times that he likes to go out in the woods to pray and enjoy nature.

It's called "Forest Bathing". It was developed in Japan during the 1980s and has become a cornerstone of preventive health care and healing in Japanese medicine.

Researchers have established that spending time under the canopy of a living forest, walking in a relaxed way has calming, rejuvenating and restorative benefits for your health.

Summer is right around the corner. Why not set aside some time to go to the forest and reap the benefits?

We want to stay healthy so we can do more of God's work, from being more prayerful to being kind to your family, to enriching your parish family and the community around us.

## Christ's Table

### Thank you to:

Coleen Besser, David Bonifant, Cameren Cummings, Sheryl and Sarah House, Terri Kanavel, Karen Linser, Michael and Bonnie Kirsch, Heather and Ben Weaver and Phyllis Vensil for serving at Christ's Table May 18th.

This is clearly putting our faith in action!