

As we come to the end of the liturgical year, we are coming to the end of the Gospel of Matthew as Christ nears the end of his mission on earth. Knowing that his time on earth was short, he exhorts us to go out into the world to spread his good news, to share the graces he has given us.

It is not enough for us to receive gifts from the Lord and to do nothing with them. In today's Gospel, the servants who used the talents the master gave them were justly rewarded. The servant who hid them away was punished. We have all been blessed by God. Do not try to hold on to those blessings. Send them out into the world, and they will be returned many times.

En el Evangelio de Hoy

Al acercarnos al final del año litúrgico, nos acercamos al final del Evangelio de Mateo a medida que Cristo se acerca al final de su misión en la tierra. Sabiendo que su tiempo en la tierra fue corto, nos exhorta a salir al mundo a difundir su buena nueva, a compartir las gracias que nos ha dado.

No nos basta con recibir dones del Señor y no hacer nada con ellos. En el Evangelio de hoy, los siervos que utilizaron los talentos que el amo les dio fueron justamente recompensados. El sirviente que los escondió fue castigado. Todos hemos sido bendecidos por Dios. No trates de aferrarte a esas bendiciones. Envíalos al mundo y te serán devueltos muchas veces.

Happy Thanksgiving

Every year, we set aside some time to give thanks for what we have received. This did not start with the Pilgrims. From the first Spanish settlers to the Americas to the native populations already here, people have been giving thanks to God for centuries. From annual harvest festivals to monthly new moon festivals, we have recognized our dependence on a higher power and have given thanks to God or the Great Spirit or to our ancestors.

We give thanks to God every time we celebrate the Eucharist. The word Eucharist comes from the Greek word "eucharisteo" which means "to give thanks." The Eucharistic prayer begins with the preface dialogue in which the priest says, "Let us give thanks to the Lord." The people respond, "It is right and just." The priest then says, "It is truly right and just, our duty and our salvation, always and everywhere, to give you thanks, Lord, holy Father, almighty and eternal God, through Christ our Lord."

Celebrating the Eucharist is truly the greatest Thanksgiving that we can offer. We will celebrate a vigil Mass at St. Mary in Wayne at 7 PM on Wednesday for Thanksgiving. On Thanksgiving Day, we will celebrate Mass at both St. Richard and St. Mary, Cause of our Joy, at 9 AM.

Feliz Día de Acción de Gracias

Cada año reservamos un tiempo para agradecer lo que hemos recibido. Esto no empezó con los peregrinos. Desde los primeros colonos españoles en América hasta las poblaciones nativas que ya están aquí, la gente ha estado dando gracias a Dios durante siglos. Desde los festivales anuales de la cosecha hasta los festivales mensuales de luna nueva, hemos reconocido nuestra dependencia de un poder superior y hemos dado gracias a Dios, al Gran Espíritu o a nuestros antepasados.

Damos gracias a Dios cada vez que celebramos la Eucaristía. La palabra Eucaristía proviene de la palabra griega "eucharisteo" que significa "dar gracias". La oración eucarística comienza con el diálogo prefacio en el que el sacerdote dice: "Demos gracias al Señor". La gente responde: "Es correcto y justo". Luego el sacerdote dice: "Es verdaderamente justo y justo, o deber y salvación nuestra, darte gracias, siempre y en todo lugar, siempre y en todo lugar, Señor, Padre Santo, Dios todopoderoso y eterno, por Cristo Señor nuestro".

Celebrar la Eucaristía es verdaderamente el mayor Día de Acción de Gracias que podemos ofrecer. Celebraremos una misa de vigilia en St. Mary en Wayne a las 7 p.m. el miércoles para el Día de Acción de Gracias. El Día de Acción de Gracias, celebraremos misa en San Ricardo y Santa María, Causa de nuestra Alegría, a las 9 a.m.

The Holy Land Shepards

The carving of the Olive Wood Tree has been inherited since the time of our Lord, Jesus Christ. It was passed down from father to son for many generations including our family. More than 80% of the Christian community income comes from tourism and the olive wood trade. However, due to the ongoing difficult circumstances and the tremendous decrease in tourism the Christian community has suffered many hardships that led many Christian Families to leave their homes in search of work and safety.

Our mission is to support and strengthen the presence of Christianity in the Holy Land by selling their beautiful olive wood artifacts here in the United States. We have been blessed and grateful to have had the opportunity to travel to different parishes all around the United States for the past 15 years to represent these less fortunate Christians. We are happy to announce that we will be visiting St. Mary and St. Richard on November 25th & 26th 2023.

We encourage you to look over their beautiful hand carved items. We value your support. We will be accepting cash, credit cards, & checks.

May God bless you & keep you safe.

The Holy Land Shepherds. www.theholylandshop.com (810) 394-5291



St. Mary Parish Council Comminique Volunteer Opportunity

Let's join in on the fun with US 12 July 2024 Car Cruise Come to our brainstorming/planning meeting on Wednesday November 29th at 5:30 in Holy Family Hall. Some thoughts are setting up tents for people to put their chairs under, we sell beverages and food right outside in front of activity center on Michigan Ave. This is a big event needing many hands and minds working together. Please consider coming to the meeting!

St. Richard's Volunteer Thank You Dinner

The St. Richard Parish Council will be hosting a Salad, Pasta, Pizza and beverage Thank You Dinner to honor all of the parishioners from St. Richard's who have served the parish in a volunteer (e.g., Ushers, Lectors, Choir Members, EME's, etc.) and/or outreach capacity this past year. The dinner will be held on Friday, December 1, 2023 at DeLuca's Restaurant (27424 Warren Rd., Westland) from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Please sign up in the vestibule if you plan to attend.



Woman's Retreat



From October 27th to 29th, the Ladies Group from St. Mary attended a Retreat at St. Paul of the Cross. The retreat theme was Dancing with God. What a blessing and joyful this retreat was for our Ladies Group. The men's retreat is scheduled for January 26th to 28th, 2023.



Our Deceased from St. Mary & St. Richard Parishes

Our Parishes extend our deepest sympathy to the families and friends of

Norman Winekoff

Please pray for them and comfort them with your kind words. May our faithful departed rest in the Lord's peace.

It's Turkey Time! Food pantry wish list for November and December

It's that time of the year when the Outreach Center is getting ready for the holiday season. Bellow is a list of a some items we could use at the center. You can drop them off at any Saturday or Sunday Masses or if you prefer you can bring them to the Outreach Center. We are there 5 days a week. Monday through Friday 9:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.

Cranberry Sauce
Gravy
Canned Milk
Canned Vegetables
Yams
Box Potatoes
Stuffing Mix
Jelly
Cranberry Sauce
Chicken Broth
Turkeys
Turkey Breasts
Hamburger Helper
Canned Fruit
Peanut Butter
Cake Mix

Thank you for your support!
Outreach Center (734) 326-2234
34646 Sims St. (Corner of 2nd St. & Sims St.)



PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Our Sick and Homebound

Please remember in your prayers those parishioners or their family or friends who are sick, hospitalized, in a nursing facility, homebound, or in need of our prayers. Especially keep in your prayers...

Louis Barati Toy Bartley Jane Bell Robert Braley, Jr. Richard Burzawa Jeanine Dougan Jim and Darlene Ferack Damion Floyd Marlene Floyd Freeman family Sonya Gee Joanne Gietzen Richard Granda Joe Gregoire Jamie Gwizdak Terrence Haggerty Carolyn Hatcher **Ernest Hampton** Jacquie Hatcher Sylvia Idunate JoAnn Krebs Ila and Kathryn Kwiecinski **David Loughlin** Mary Loughlin Jim Martin Connie Maxwell Twilla Moschgat

Joyce Paddock
Margaret Perez
Joseph and Steve Radachy
Lucile Randon
Rocky Rockwell
Dennis Rogowski
Cleo Scherbaty
Jordyn Sheardown
Hannah Wilson
Delphine Zalewski
Barbara Ziegler

PLEASE NOTE

If you have names to add/delete to our list, please let the parish office know.



Our Military Personnel

Dear Lord Jesus and Mary, Mother of God, hold all these brave souls in the palms of your hands; comfort them and their families. Send angels of protection, love, and comfort to all the service men and women still at war, bring them home safely and comfort their families. We ask this through Christ, Our Lord. Amen.

Jasmine Alford-Capers, Army
James Bassett, Army
Michael Scott Bloomfield—Army
James C. Chrispen III—Army
Edwin Davoodian, Army
Daniel Kelly—Army
Todd Israel, Marine
Nathan Lowell—Navy
Raymond L. Meesseman—Navy

Ted Motcheck—Army Sean Simons, Navy Nathaniel VanNeste—Army Matthew Wellman, Army



Please call your parish office to update or add to this list.

St.Mary /St. Richard, WE DID IT!

This was another great and successful Christmas Project that will bring a lot of Joy and Smiles to poor children. On behalf of the Cross Catholic Outreach program, I would like to express Thank You to all the children, their parents and guardians, and parishioners of St. Mary and St. Richard Churches for their generous support of the Box of Joy 2023 Christmas project. We collected 216 Boxes of Joy and eleven hundred ninety-six dollars (\$1196) to make Christmas joyful for kids in Latin America.

Thank you for your desire to spread Christmas cheer and the Christmas story, the Good News of God's love, with children around the world.

May God bless you for your generous support.

Paul Zdzieblowski Pastoral Associate

Santa María /St. Ricardo, ¡LO LOGRAMOS!

Este es otro gran y exitoso proyecto navideño que traerá mucha alegría y sonrisas a los niños pobres. En nombre del programa Cross Catholic Outreach, me gustaría expresar gracias a todos los niños, sus padres y tutores, y a los feligreses de las iglesias St. Mary y St. Richard por su generoso apoyo al proyecto navideño Box of Joy 2023.Recaudamos 216 Cajas de Alegría y mil ciento noventa y seis dólares (\$1196) para alegrar la Navidad de los niños de América Latina.

Gracias por su deseo de difundir la alegría navideña y la historia navideña, la Buena Nueva del amor de Dios con los niños de todo el mundo.

Que Dios los bendiga por su generoso apoyo.

Pablo Zdzieblowski Asociado Pastoral



If you have a loved one called to active military service whom you would like included on our military prayer list, please call your Parish Office; inform us of his/her name and branch of military service. Likewise, when any of our listed military personnel returns home, please share that good news with us as well.



Go to Facebook.com and search:
St. Mary Catholic Church Wayne, MI
St. Richard, Westland, MI
ALSO
Visit our webpage at
www.stmarywayne.org

The Week Ahead - St. Mary and St. Richard

Saturday, November 18th

Collection for Catholic Charities of SE Michigan all weekend

8:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study—PO 11:00 a.m. Armada Blanca —CH 1:00 p.m. Armada Blanca Rosary—HH

3:00 p.m. Reconciliation (Confessions) Church till 3:30)

3:15 p.m. Rosary—CH **4:00 p.m.** Mass—CH

Sunday, November 19th—Thirty—Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

7th & 8th Grade Coffee and Donuts after 8:30 & 11:30 Masses

8:30 a.m. Mass—CH
10:00 a.m. The Prophets—HFH
10:00 a.m. Mass (St. Richard)
11:30 a.m. Mass —CH

2:00 p.m. Misa en Español—CH

3:00 p.m. "Danza Azteca" Guadalupe—AC

Monday, November 20th

9:00 a.m. Mass—CH

3:00 p.m. Liturgy Planning meeting—HFH 6:00 p.m. Faith formation —HH/SH

Tuesday, November 21st

9:00 a.m. Mass (St. Richard)

9:30 a.m. Our Lady of Perpetual help devotions and rosary

for priests (St. Richard)

9:45 a.m. Reconciliation (Confessions) -(St. Richard)

10:00 a.m. Amigas de Jesus/Talleres de Oración y Vida—HFH/HH

10:15 a.m. The Prophets (St. Richard)
11:00 a.m. 50+ Club meeting (St. Richard)
11:00 a.m. Flame of Love Rosary—CH
6:30 p.m. Bells practice—music room

Wednesday, November 22nd

10:00 a.m. The Prophets (St. Thomas the Apostle)

7:00 p.m. Luz de Vida – HFH

7:00 p.m. Thanksgiving Vigil Mass
8:00 p.m. Drop-in basketball—AC

Thursday, November 23rd Thanksgiving Office Closed

9:00 a.m. Mass (St. Richard)

Friday, November 24th Office Closed

9:00 a.m. Mass

10:00 a.m. RCIA for adults—Microsoft Teams

7:00 p.m. Guadalupe Meeting

Saturday, November 25th

The Holy Land Shepards olivewood sale all weekend—Connector

8:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study—PO 11:00 a.m. Armada Blanca —CH 1:00 p.m. Armada Blanca Rosary—HH

3:00 p.m. Reconciliation (Confessions) Church till 3:30)

3:15 p.m. Rosary—CH **4:00 p.m. Mass—CH**

Sunday, November 26th-Jesus Christ King of the Universe

8:30 a.m. Mass—CH 10:00 a.m. The Prophets—HFH

10:00 a.m. Mass (St. Richard)

11:30 a.m. Mass —CH

2:00 p.m. Misa en Español—CH

3:00 p.m. "Danza Azteca" Guadalupe—AC

PFF-Parish Faith Formation **AC**-Activity Center **HH**-Haney Hall **HFH**-Holy Family Hall **StJM**-St. Joseph Mtg Rm **StA** Ste. Anne Mtg

Rm PO Conf-Parish Office Conference Rm

St. Mary Mass Intentions

Saturday, November 18th

4:00 p.m. The People of St. Mary Parish

Sunday, November 19th

8:30 a.m. †Maxine Hafeli (2nd anniv.), †Jennifer Hafeli,

†Howard Hayward Sr. (10th anniv.), † Joseph &

†Mary Rozewicz, † Jennifer Adkins

11:30 a.m. †Natalie M. Salazar, †Betty & Herbert O von Pagels

(75th wedding anniv. In heaven)

2:00 p.m. †Abraham Lopez Perez, las especiales intenciones de

Karen Hernandez (Cump.) y Alexis Hernandez (Cump.)

Monday, November 20th

9:00 a.m. †Jerry Oddo II, †Bernie Carpenti, †Carolyn Chiles,

†Butch Chilies

Tuesday, November 21st (St. Richard)

Wednesday, November 22nd Thanksgiving vigil Mass 7:00 p.m. † Thank you Jesus for your healing grace

Thursday, November 23rd Thanksgiving Mass St. Richard 9:00 a.m.

Friday, November 24th

9:00 a.m. The people of St. Mary Parish

Saturday, November 25th

4:00 p.m. The People of St. Mary Parish

Sunday, November 26th

8:30 a.m. †Doris Knuutila, †Karen Griffin

Thank you Jesus for your healing grace

11:30 a.m. †George Lomas

2:00 p.m. †Jesus Romo Mendoza, †Elvira Pedilla,

Las especiales intenciones de Norma Hernández (Cump.)

St. Richard
Mass Intentions

Monday, November 20th Mass St. Mary 9:00 a.m.

Tuesday, November 21st Mass 9:00 a.m.

† Reggie Mathes by 50+ Club

Wednesday, November 22nd Thanksgiving vigil 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, November 23rd Thanksgiving Mass 9:00 a.m.

† The People of St. Richard Parish

Friday, November 24th Mass St. Mary 9:00 a.m.

Saturday, November 25th Mass St. Mary 4:00 p.m.

Sunday, November 26th Mass 10:00 a.m.

† Philip Crechiolo by Dorothy Crechiolo † Stella Mordarski by 50+ Club Members

Coffee & Donuts Haney Hall After the 8:30 & 11:30 Masses

Please join us in support of our confirmation candidates for coffee and donuts.

Free will donations are appreciated







LITURGICAL MINISTERS

St. Mary

Lector

Wednesday, November 22nd 7:00 p.m.

Eucharistic Ministers Kelly Kellerman—Sac.,

Carolyn Hatcher, Mike Hurley Matt Orzech, Barb Jaworski

Volunteers Needed Altar Server

St. Richard

Thrusday, November 23rd 9:00 a.m.

Eucharistic Minister Lucille Reznick— Sac., Lector

Jim Baltz

St. Mary

Saturday, November 25th 4:00 p.m.

Eucharistic Ministers Claudette Sieloff—Sac., Tom Zgliczynski, Lynn Boertje Lector Pat Gregoire, Matt Orzech Altar Servers **Volunteers Needed**

St. Mary

Sunday, November 26th 8:30 a.m.

Eucharistic Ministers Jayne Doran—Sac., Sue Damitio, Helen Glandon Janice Saji, Jeff Messics Lector

Altar Server Diesel Wisniewski, Steele Wisniewski **Volunteers Needed**

11:30 p.m.

Eucharistic Ministers Paul Law—Sac.,

Kathy Law, Malynda Garcia Sandra Bell, Barb Jaworski Lector **Altar Servers** Jesus Garcia, Peter Okeke

Volunteer Needed

St. Richard 10:00 a.m.

Total Sunday Collection

Eucharistic Minister Linda Jimenez—Sac.,

Janice Teague

Lector Nancy Deschaine, Ray Sypniewski

St. Richard Total Collections for the Week of November 11th & 12th

Offertory needed to operate St. Richard each week: \$2,490.00

Offertory \$ 1,718.00 \$ Loose 229.00 \$ Week of October 6th 218.00 \$ All Saints & Souls 55.00 \$ Online giving 120.00 \$

2,340.00

Other Income

Mass Intentions \$ 10.00 \$ Utility 108.00 \$ Total other income: 118.00

Leaving the Parish

Catholic Charities 20.00 \$ Total leaving the parish \$ 20.00

Total: \$ 2.458.00

Thank you for your donation to our parish.

ST. MARY PARISH **Sunday Offering Report**

Offertory needed to operate Church each week: \$ 10,500.00

SUNDAY ENVELOPES (133) \$ 7.081.00 ONLINE GIVING 11/06—11/12 2.597.55 SUNDAY LOOSE 1,247.00 **SUNDAY COLLECTION INCOME** 10,925.55 SURPLUS/DEFICIT November 6th—12th \$ 425.55

Thank you for your generous and continued support of St. Mary Parish.

Simply Give...Meijer Gift Cards

This year, the Meijer store on 37201 Warren Rd. in Westland has selected to partner with St. Mary Outreach Center for the Simply Give Program Now thru Saturday, December 30, 2023. Every customer who donates \$10 during this event, the Meijer store located on Warren Rd. will double your donation. This amount is given back to the Outreach Center in gift cards which will be used throughout the year to purchase much needed food.

Pantry Double Match Day will double your donation on Saturday, December 16, 2023. For every \$10 donation card purchased on this date Meijer will double the amount. The Center will then receive \$30 in a gift card.

These cards are available at all church entrances as well as at the Meijer store kiosks.

We are very grateful for this opportunity to enhance our food supplies. If you have any questions, please feel free to call the Outreach Center at 734-326-2234. Thank you for your support!



VOTIVE LIGHTS

- For Grandpa by anonymous
- Prayers for Sklar Celest by anonymous
- Mary Knight by anonymous
- Owen Gibbons by anonymous
- Loretta Ann Cichon by Family
- Paz en el Mundo



ST. RICHARD CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Mornings: Monday, Tuesday and alternating Thursdays and Fridays (Other times by appointment)

Music DirectorMrs. Karen Wezner & Ms. Susan Garr

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Saturday 5:30 p.m. and Sunday 10:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m. Mass Tuesday & Thursday 1st Thursday - Marquette House 10:00 a.m. 3rd Thursday - Taylor Towers 10:00 a.m. 4th Thursday - Hope Care 10:00 a.m. Holyday Masses will be announced

yday Masses Will be Baptisms

Second Sunday after the 10:00 Mass Call the parish office to schedule. Must be a parishioner.

Weddings

At least 6 months prior notice. Call parish office to make arrangements with Priest only.

Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Tuesday 10:00 a.m. after the 9:00 a.m. Mass Communal Penance will be scheduled before Easter and Christmas.

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Please use the same deadline.
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E-mail: parishoffice@stmarywayne.org

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Glory To God In The Highest! May love be with the people of St. Mary and St. Richard.

Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

ST. MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Open Monday—Friday 8:30 a.m.—4:30 p.m.
Closed Saturday, Sunday (Other times by appointment)

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Baptisms Second Sunday monthly after the 11:30 am Mass.

Call the parish office for further instructions.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday 3:00 - 3:30 p.m.

Weekend Liturgies: Saturday 4:00 p.m.

Sunday 8:30 a.m. and 11:30 a.m.

<u>Spanish Mass:</u> Sunday 2:00 p.m. <u>Daily Mass:</u> Mon & Wed: 9:00 a.m.

Holy Day Schedule: Please refer to bulletin.

<u>ADORATION CHAPEL:</u> SW corner of Outreach Center Available for worship, prayer, and reflection 24 hours/7 days—contact parish office for entry.

ST. MARY COMMUNITY OUTREACH CENTER

34646 Sims St. (Corner of 2nd St & Sims St.)

Director.....Mrs. Judy Wells

(734) 326—2234 or email outreach@stmarywayne.org

FOOD DEPOT

Monday thru Friday 9:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.

OPEN CLOSET

Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri. 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. \$1.00 per adult entry

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