

† St. Mary † St. Richard
May 21, 2023

Ascension of the Lord

Notes from Fr. Sean

In Today's Gospel

Do you have doubts? Do you wonder what it's all about? If you do, you are not alone. In today's Gospel, we are told that when Jesus' disciples saw him in Galilee, "they worshiped, but they doubted." (Mt 28:17) Although they had doubts, they continued to follow Jesus, and he did not reject them. It was to these men, with all their doubts, that Jesus said, "Go, therefore and make disciples of all nations..." (Mt 28:19) Do not be afraid to have doubts or to ask questions. The apostles all had doubts. But they came to the Lord with their doubts, and he blessed them.

En el evangelio de hoy

¿Tienes dudas? ¿Te preguntas de qué se trata? Si lo haces, no estás solo. En el Evangelio de hoy, se nos dice que cuando los discípulos de Jesús fueron a Galilea como Jesús ordenó, "Y al verlo le adoraron; algunos sin embargo dudaron." (Mt 28,17) Aunque tenían dudas, continuaron siguiendo a Jesús, y él no los rechazó. A estos hombres, con todas sus dudas, Jesús les dijo: "Vayan, pues, y hagan discípulos a todas las gentes..." (Mt 28,19). No tenga miedo de tener dudas o hacer preguntas. Todos los apóstoles tenían dudas. Pero vinieron al Señor con sus dudas, y él los bendijo.

Faith Formation

As we approach the end of the school year, things are beginning to wind down. We recently completed the Faith Formation program for the youth in our parishes. I would like to thank everyone who worked hard to make this program a success. Teaching our children about God would not be possible without the teachers, aides, and other volunteers. This year, we had 17 children receive their first Communion, and a total of 19 young men and women receive the sacrament of Confirmation. This would not have been possible without the dedication of our faith formation staff and volunteers. Thank you for all you do.

Although faith formation has ended, that does not mean there are no opportunities for the children in the Church this summer. Our youth group continues to meet, and we are planning a Vacation Bible School (VBS). We will be doing VBS with our Family of Parishes. This year, it will be hosted by St. Thomas the Apostle and will run from June 19th—23rd. For more information, go to our website: www.stmarywayne.org.

Formación en la Fe

A medida que nos acercamos al final del año escolar, las cosas comienzan a calmarse. Recientemente completamos el programa de Formación de Fe para los jóvenes en nuestras parroquias. Me gustaría agradecer a todos los que trabajaron arduamente para que este programa fuera un éxito. Enseñar a nuestros hijos acerca de Dios no sería posible sin los maestros, ayudantes y otros voluntarios. Este año, tuvimos 17 niños que recibieron su primera comunión, y un total de 19 hombres y mujeres jóvenes recibieron el sacramento de la confirmación. Esto no hubiera sido posible sin la dedicación de nuestro personal y voluntarios de formación en la fe. Gracias por todo lo que hacen.

Aunque la formación en la fe ha terminado, eso no significa que no haya oportunidades para los niños en la Iglesia este verano. Nuestro grupo de jóvenes continúa reuniéndose y estamos planeando una Escuela Bíblica de Vacaciones (EBV). Este año, estaremos haciendo VBS con nuestra Familia de Parroquias. Este año, será organizado por Santo Tomás Apóstol y se llevará a cabo del 19 al 23 de junio. Para obtener más información, visite nuestro sitio web: www.stmarywayne.org.

Looking at the Calendar

This year, we have been blessed with more and more activities competing for time on the calendar. On Wednesday, June 7th, we will be holding a calendar planning meeting. This meeting is to coordinate these activities and reduce the possibility of conflicting events. If you have activities that you would like to get on the calendar, please contact the office at St. Mary.

Mirando el Calendario

Este año hemos sido bendecidos con más y más actividades compitiendo por tiempo en el calendario. El 7 de junio, miércoles, tendremos una reunión de planificación del calendario. Esta reunión es para coordinar estas actividades y reducir la posibilidad de eventos conflictivos. Si tiene actividades que le gustaría incluir en el calendario, comuníquese con la oficina de St. Mary.

2023 Graduation Mass*June 4, 2023, at 11:30 am Mass*

St. Mary Parish would like to invite all 2023 high school and college graduates and their families to a Baccalaureate Mass on Sunday, June 4, 2023, at 11:30 am at St. Mary Church.

St. Richard graduates, Wayne -Westland community, and our neighboring parish graduates are welcome to join us.

To assist us with celebration planning, please call the parish office at 734-721-8745 or send an email to: parishoffice@stmarywayne.org to let us know that you will join the mass. In addition, please send us your graduation photo with the school's name.

Alumni: please wear your cap and gown and arrive by 11:00 am to line up for the procession. Mass will conclude with a group photo.

Misa de Graduación 2023*04 de junio de 2023, a las 11:30 misa*

La Parroquia de St. Mary desea invitar a todos los graduados de la escuela secundaria y la universidad de 2023 y a sus familias a una misa de bachillerato el domingo 04 de junio de 2023 a las 11:30 a. m. en la Iglesia de St. Mary.

Los graduados de St. Richard's, la comunidad de Wayne-Westland y los graduados de nuestras parroquias vecinas son bienvenidos.

Para ayudarnos con la planificación de la celebración, llame a la oficina parroquial al 734-721-8745 o envíe un correo electrónico a: parroquiaoffice@stmarywayne.org para informarnos que se unirá a la misa. Además, envíenos su foto de graduación con el nombre de la escuela.

Ex-alumnos: use su toga y birrete y llegue a las 11:00 a.m. para hacer fila para la procesión. La misa concluirá con una foto de grupo.

Corpus Christi Procession Volunteers

We are currently looking for 20 volunteers to aid in our Corpus Christi procession. The procession from St. Richard to St. Mary (with stops at Town n' Country Lanes and Knights of Columbus hall) will take place on Sunday, June 11th following the 10:00 a.m. Mass at St. Richard. We expect the procession to take a little over two hours arriving at St. Mary around 1:30 p.m. The volunteers will work in

two teams, taking turns to participate in the procession. The following are the volunteer opportunities:

- 2 Cross bearers
- 4 Torch bearers
- 8 Canopy carriers
- 2 Thuroper (incense holders)
- 4 Monstrance bearers

If you are interested in participating in the procession, please call the parish office at (734) 721-8745 or Andrea Toms at (734) 444-5371. If you would like to join our procession but are unable to volunteer, we welcome you to process with our parish community as we celebrate the presence of Jesus in the Eucharist.

First Communion

Congratulations to the St. Mary children who received our Lord in the Most Holy Eucharist for the first time on May 7, 2023. We are most grateful to St. Mary Pastor, Father Sean, for his pastoral and spiritual guidance and to our catechists: Mrs. Helen Glandon, Mrs. Barbara Smith, and Mr. Mike Hurley, who helped prepare these children for this special occasion.

**GIVE BLOOD**

Every two seconds, someone in our country needs blood. Do you know someone who has been in an accident, had surgery, or has a serious illness? Your blood can help save lives. To schedule an appointment, log onto stmarywayne.org or RedCrossBlood.org (sponsor code: stmarywayne) or call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767).

Tuesday, May 23, 2023**8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.****Activity Center**

Streamline your donation experience and save up to 15 minutes by visiting RedCrossBlood.org/RapidPass to complete your pre-donation reading and health history questions on the day of your appointment.



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an appointment.

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
Diane Bilek
Cadie Blackmon
Bob Boertje
Richard Burzawa
Jason Farris
Jim and Darlene Ferack
Damion Floyd
Marlene Floyd
Joanne Gietzen
Richard Granda
Karen Grima
Porta Green
Susan Guzik
Jamie Gwizdak
Terrence Haggerty
Ernest Hampton
Sylvia Idunate
JoAnn Krebs
Mark Kollath
Michael Kuks
Ila and Kathryn Kwiecinski
Shellie Latourette
David Loughlin
Mary Loughlin
Connie Maxwell

Twilla Moschgat
Donald Musick
Joyce Paddock
Margaret Perez
Joseph and Steve Radachy
Lucile Randon
John Rice
Richard, Audrey, & Mark Robinson
Rocky Rockwell
Dennis Rogowski
Diane Scharfer
Cleo Scherbaty
Jordyn Sheardown
Richard Solarz
Christine Soules
Delphine Zalewski
Susan Zucek

**PLEASE NOTE**

It has been some time since we have updated our Sick and Military lists.

As a result, we have purged. If you have names to add to our lists 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.

James Bassett, Army
James C. Chrispen III—Army
Edwin Davoodian, Army
Daniel Kelly—Army
Todd Israel, Marine
Nathan Lowell—Navy
Raymond L. Meesseman—Navy
Sean Simons, Navy
Nathaniel VanNeste—Army

Matthew Wellman, Army



We have restarted the list. Please call your parish office to update or add to this lists.

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.

Parish Council Communique

We are seeking nominations for our Parish Council. To be a member of the Council, you must be a registered, active member of the parish. If you are under 25, you may be registered under your parent's name. Most importantly, you must desire to serve our parishes as we serve God together.

Parish Council typically meets once a month, the 1st Tuesday of the month. We will be choosing opening Positions on Pentecost Sunday at the 11:30 Mass.

If you would like to be considered for the parish council, or would like to nominate someone else, please go to stmarywayne.org to submit your nomination.

***Our Deceased from
St. Mary & St. Richard Parishes***

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

**Mildred Brown
Janis Rychlinski
Norman Timoszyk
Dorothy Skiver**



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

Nankin Family of Parishes

Our Family of Parishes is known as the **Nankin Family of Parishes**. It includes St. Mary Cause of Our Joy, Westland, St. Mary, Wayne, St. Thomas the Apostle, Garden City, Ss. Simon & Jude, Westland and St. Richard, Westland.

To know more about our Family of Parishes, please check out the Nankin Family of Parishes Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/NankinFamilyofParishes>



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St. Richard, Westland, MI
ALSO**

**Visit our webpage at
www.stmarywayne.org**

The Week Ahead - St. Mary and St. Richard*Sunday Mass at 11:30 will be live streamed.**La misa dominical a las 11:30 se transmitirá en vivo.***Saturday, May 20th**

8:00 a.m. Men's bible study—PO
 11:00 a.m. Baptism class (SPA) - HFH
 11:00 a.m. Armada Blanca —Ch
 1:00 p.m. Armada Blanca Rosary
 3:15 p.m. Rosary—Ch
 4:00 p.m. Mass

Sunday, May 21st—Ascension of the Lord

8:30 a.m. Mass
 10:00 a.m. Mass (St. Richard)
 11:30 a.m. Mass—Ch
 12:30 p.m. Anointing of the sick—Ch
 2:00 p.m. Misa en Español—Ch
 5:00 p.m. Troop 735 Boy Scout meeting—HFH

Monday, May 22nd

9:00 a.m. Mass

Tuesday, May 23rd

8:00 a.m. American Red Cross blood drive—AC
 9:00 a.m. Mass (St. Richard)
 10:00 a.m. Amiga de Jesus—HFH Tallers de Oracion y Vida—HH
 11:00 a.m. 50+ Club meeting (St. Richard)
 6:30 p.m. Bells practice (Final) —MR

Wednesday, May 24th

9:00 a.m. Mass
 1:00 p.m. Bible Study—HFH
 7:00 p.m. Luz de Vida — HFH
 8:00 p.m. Drop in basketball—AC

Thursday, May 25th

9:00 a.m. Mass (St. Richard)
 11:00 a.m. Joy of the spirit intercessor—HFH
 6:00 p.m. Corpus Christi Planning—HFH
 7:00 p.m. Taller de Oracion y Vida—HFH
 7:00 p.m. Choir practice—Ch

Friday, May 26th

9:00 a.m. Mass

Saturday, May 27th

8:00 a.m. Men's bible study—PO
 11:00 a.m. Armada Blanca —Ch
 1:00 p.m. Armada Blanca Rosary —HH
 3:15 p.m. Rosary—Ch
 4:00 p.m. Mass

Sunday, May 28th—Pentecost Sunday

8:30 a.m. Mass
 10:00 a.m. Mass (St. Richard)
 11:30 a.m. Mass—Ch
 2:00 p.m. Misa en Español—Ch
 5:00 p.m. Troop 735 Boy Scout meeting—HFH

PFF-Parish FaithFormation; AC-Activity Center;
 HH-Haney Hall; HFH-Holy Family Hall; StJM-St.
 Joseph Meeting Room StA Ste. Anne Meeting Room;
 SL-School Library PO Conf-Parish Office
 Conference Room

**St. Mary
Mass Intentions****Saturday, May 20th**

4:00 p.m. The people of St. Mary parish

Sunday, May 21st

8:30 a.m. †Charles & †Eileen Reynolds
 11:30 a.m. † Joanna S. Pyrek, (1st Anniv.) †Natalie M. Salazar,
 †James Roseberry
 2:00 p.m. La gente de la Parroquia de St. Mary

Monday, May 22nd

9:00 a.m. †Mary Lowery, †Bernie Carpenti, †Carolyn Chiles,
 †Butch Chiles

Tuesday, May 23rd (St. Richard)**Wednesday, May 24th**

9:00 a.m. †Bob Eberwein, †Charles Van Slambrook

Thursday, May 25th (St. Richard)**Friday, May 26th**

9:00 a.m. †Anette & †George Hustead, †Janette Minnick

Saturday, May 27th

4:00 p.m. †Robert 'Bob' Bell, †Delia Picard, †Marc Monforton,
 †Barbara Bondy (1st anniv.)

Sunday, May 28th

8:30 a.m. The People of St. Mary
 11:30 a.m. † Judy Grinnell, †Una Bonner The special intentions of
 Frank Czapski
 2:00 p.m. Las intenciones especiales de Nicole LeBlanc

**St. Richard
Mass Intentions**

Monday, May 22nd Mass St. Mary 9:00 a.m.

Tuesday, May 23rd Mass 9:00 a.m.
 † Agnes Lundy by 50+ Club Members

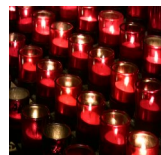
Wednesday, May 24th Mass St. Mary 9:00 a.m.

Thursday, May 25th Mass 9:00 a.m.
 † Manuelito Alejandro by Alejandro family

Friday, May 26th Mass St. Mary 9:00 a.m.

Saturday, May 27th Mass 4:00 p.m.
 The People of St. Richard Parish

Sunday, May 28th Mass 10:00 a.m.
 †Tom Deschaine by Deschaine Family
 †Jamie Montemayor by Montemayor Family

VOTIVE LIGHTS

- For personal intentions Kim A. Haase
- For our family intentions by anonymous
- Por la paz y salud por anonimo
- In memory of Stacey M. Troiani
by anonymous
- Prayers for my family by anonymous

St. Richard Total Collections for the Week of
May 13th– 14th

Offertory	\$	1,906.00
Loose	\$	312.00
Week of May 8th	\$	160.00
Online Giving May 8th—14th	\$	500.00
Total Sunday Collection	\$	2,878.00

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

Other Income

May Rectory Rent	\$	1,200.00
Utility	\$	175.00
Total other income:	\$	1,375.00

Leaving the Parish

Total leaving the parish	\$	0.00
Total:	\$	4,253.00

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 (130)	\$	6,135.00
ONLINE GIVING 05/08-5/14	\$	1,690.00
SUNDAY LOOSE	\$	970.00
SUNDAY COLLECTION INCOME	\$	8,795.00

SURPLUS/DEFICIT May 8th—14th \$ (1,705.00)

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

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

St. Mary

Saturday, May 27th
 Eucharistic Ministers

4:00 p.m.
 Claudette Sieloff—Sac.,
 Theresa Glinka, **Volunteer Needed**
 Errol Jackson
Volunteers Needed

Lector
 Altar Servers

St. Richard

Eucharistic Minister
 Lector

5:30 p.m.
 Marueen Treppa
 Ray Sypniewski

St. Mary

Sunday, May 28th
 Eucharistic Ministers

8:30 a.m.
 Mike Hurley—Sac.,
 Patricia Rice, **Volunteer Needed**
 Janice Saji, Veronica Waugh
 Diesel Wisniewski, Steele Wisniewski,
 Corey Osborne

Lector
 Altar Servers

Eucharistic Ministers

11:30 p.m.
 Carolyn Hatcher—Sac.,
 Barb Smith, Helen Glandon
 Ushiel Floyd, Matthew Hall
 Jesus Garcia, Peter Okeke,
Volunteer Needed

Lector
 Altar Servers

St. Richard

Eucharistic Minister
 Lector

10:00 a.m.
 Linda Jimenez, Miriam Long
 Nancy Deschaine

Invitation to the Men's Bible Study at St. Mary

As Christian men, engaging in fellowship with other Christian men provides for an opportunity to discuss how we can become better fathers, husbands, and friends and enhance our relationship with God. A Sunday Mass alone is simply not enough to nurture this relationship with God. The purpose of this group is to expand our spiritual growth beyond Sunday Mass. We meet on Saturday mornings 8:00 a.m.—9:30 a.m. I hope more of you can join us. -Deacon Ralph

NANKIN FAMILY OF PARISHES

(St. Mary Cause of our Joy,
 St. Mary of Wayne, St. Richard,
 Ss. Simon & Jude, and St. Thomas the Apostle)

presents:

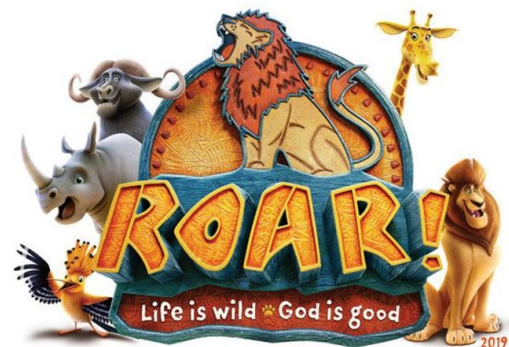
Vacation Bible School

June 19-23, 2023

9:00 AM-12:00 PM St. Thomas the Apostle

Activity Center

**31530 Beechwood, Garden City
 (near Ford/Merriman)**



As one program is completed, there is always another one approaching...Vacation Bible School is coming to the Nankin Family of Parishes.

Any parish member interested in volunteering for Vacations Bible School, please email me at paul@stmarywayne.org or 586-666-4029. Vacation Bible School is scheduled from June 19 to 23 and is at **Saint Thomas the Apostle Parish 31530 Beechwood, Garden City (near Ford/Merriman)**

Volunteers are urgently Needed! Thanks!

Paul Zdzieblowski

Pastoral Associate for Evangelization

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

Music Director Mrs. 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

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.

***BULLETIN ARTICLE DEADLINE:**

Requests for bulletin articles must be submitted
directly to St. Mary Parish office by Friday - 3 p.m., nine (9) days prior to the
issue date. Bulletin inserts are to be submitted via email to be 'inserted'
as an article.

Please use the same deadline.

We reserve the right to edit articles for clarity, length and content.

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.

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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.

Spanish Mass: Sunday 2:00 p.m.

Daily Mass: Mon & Wed: 9:00 a.m.

Holy Day Schedule: Please refer to bulletin.

ADORATION CHAPEL: 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

YOUTH ORGANIZATIONS

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