Mass Intentions This Week

Sunday, April 10, 2016

9:00 AM Saint Patrick Parishioners (pro populo)

11:30 AM Special Intention—Anita

Tuesday, April 12, 2016

12:10 PM Special Intention—Anita Mackey

Wednesday, April 13, 2016

7:00 PM † John Ross—Mike & Shirley Meeker

Sunday, April 17, 2016

9:00 AM Saint Patrick Parishioners (pro populo)

11:30 AM Father John Coveney

St. Mary of the Woods Mass Schedule: Monday & Friday 12:10 AM Saturday 5:00 PM and Sunday 8:30 AM

Parish Offering Weekend: 3 April 2016

Sunday Offering \$ 7,876.57 **Improvement Fund** 175.00 \$ Assessment \$ 30.00 \$1,297.00 **Easter** 460.00 Lent Good Friday (Holy Land Shrines) \$ 30.00 **Catholic Relief** 10.00

TOTAL COLLECTIONS \$ 9,878.57

Weekend Mass Attendance: 410

LITURGICAL MINISTERS:

Sunday 4/17/2016, 9:00 AM

Musicians/Cantor-TBD

Servers: Liam Sweeney, Kevin Eckstein, Cameron Kline

Lectors/Readers: Nick Holoman, Bill O'Connor

Extra Ministers: Mary Giannola, Wendy Miller, Mary Smith

Sunday 4/17/2016, 11:30 AM

Musicians/Cantor-TBD

Servers: Kathleen, Kelly, Michael Coakley Lectors/Readers: Mary Woolf, Sean Coakley

Extra Ministers: Brian Woolf, Becky Meyer, Martha Coakley

COMMISSIONS: Finance/Stewardship Keith Krieger 599-5306 **Property Maintenance & Development** Tim O'Rielley 593-2365

PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER: The names that you inscribe in our Parish Book of Prayer located below the icon of the Risen Christ, in the rear alcove. Pray, especially for those preparing to serve the Church as priests, deacons, religious sisters and brothers, and all lay ministers.

PARISH PRAYER LINE: Tammy Bauer 937.441.0645

Marriage, Youth & Family News Prayers for Teens:

John's Gospel frequently uses the themes of light and dark. As this story begins the disciples - professional fishermen - have not caught anything all night. Then the Risen Jesus appears at daybreak and offers the suggestion that nets a big catch. Can you think of a time when you were really struggling or were in darkness, and then someone or something appeared and brought the light? Write in your journal or pray about how that felt. John 21:9-14 (Sunday Prayers for Teens, LTP 2015-2016)

On the Way Home from Mass - How would you feel it Jesus cooked for you? What do you think he would like us to do

for Others? (Celebrating Sun for Catholic Families 2015-16, LTP)

Share Your Light – Lenten Mission 2016

Thank you for making this Lenten activity a success, our friends of San Luis, Guatemala are truly blessed.

American Red Cross lke you appointment today
D-CROSS or on-line at
W.redcrossblood.org



or scan the gr-code.

Date requested:

Mass requested:

We will make every attempt to get them on the date you

"Amen, I say to you, whatever you did for one of these least brothers of mine, you did for me" (Mt 25:40). Today, we are reminded that Jesus identified himself with our poorest brothers and sisters. The Catholic Relief Services Collection serves Jesus in the victims of human trafficking, those who suffer from unjust laws, and those who need pastoral care and humanitarian assistance across the globe. Through supporting today's collection, you help Jesus in disguise. Please be generous

2016 Catholic Ministries Appeal (CMA)

Commitment Weekend: 2016 Catholic Ministries Appeal (CMA): This is Commitment Weekend for the 2016 Catholic Ministries Appeal. Please joint with Catholics in every parish throughout our archdiocese who are sharing their blessings and changing lives through local, Catholic ministries which depend on our help each year. If you have already responded by mail or online, or if you brought your completed pledge card to place in the offertory today, thank you! To make a pledge securely online, please visit CatholicAppeal.net. Or, Text to Donate: Text the phrase "2016CMA" to 555-888(standard data and message rates may apply.

This year's CMA is starting slightly later in the year than normal due to the recent completion of the One Faith, One Hope, One Love campaign in our parish. For more information, please visit CatholicAppeal.info. Thank you!

THANK YOU

Our sincere gratitude goes to all who worked so hard and put in so many hours planning and setting up to make our Holy Week and Easter liturgies so beautiful and uplifting for the many who came. These include the choir and instrumentalists, those who decorated the church both inside and outside and the Eucharistic adoration chapel, readers, servers, ushers, those who presented the holy oils, those who had their feet washed, those who prepared our RCIA candidates for baptism or full reception into the Church and the reception after the Easter Vigil. As you can see there is a lot of work that goes into preparing these special liturgies that celebrate the most important events on our Church calendar.

MORE THANKS YOUS

A belated but no less heartfelt thank you goes to those who provided the scrumptious feast day supper for St. Patrick's Day, those who cooked and served it, especially Harold and Judy Cooper for their secret corned beef and cabbage. And finally, a special thank you to K.C. Steggeman for providing the winch to make it easier and safer to lift the decorations in the sanctuary of church.

EASTER TIME

If we were to pick the pivotal moment of our liturgical year, its very center, it would be Jesus' Resurrection, Easter. It is for us both an ending and a beginning. As Alexander Schmemann noted, "We are always living after Easter, and we are always going toward Easter." A wonderful quote attributed to St. Augustine evokes the spirit in which this Easter journey is lived by those who have seen the Risen Lord: "We are an Easter People, and Alleluia is our song!" During Easter, we stand vindicated by the victory of the Resurrection. Death and sin are no more; *darkness* and suffering have not had the final word. The Resurrection is now! Alleluia! Praise God! The joy of knowing Jesus Christ calls us to witness to his Resurrection. Like the disciples who were his companions in life, we are propelled forward into the world as we realize the magnitude of what he has done and have his Spirit breathed out upon us anew.

From Sourcebook for Sundays, Seasons, and Weekdays, 2016

THIS WEEK'S SCRIPTURE READINGS:

Mon., April 11: Acts 6:8-15 Ps 119:23-24, 26-27,29-30 Jn 6:22-29

<u>Tues., April 12:</u> Acts 7:51-8:1a Ps 31:3cd-4,6,7b,8a,17,21ab Jn 6:30-35

Wed., April 13: Acts 8:1b-8 Ps 66:1-3a,4-7a Jn 6:35-40 Thurs., April 14: Acts 8:26-40 Ps 66:8-9,16-17,20 Jn 6:44-51

<u>Fri., April 15:</u> Acts 9:1-20 Ps 117:1bc, 2 Jn 6:52-59 Sat., April 16 Acts 9:31-42 Ps 116:12-17 Jn 6:60-69

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY (592-9455)

Hours.: 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m., Tues. & Thurs.; 5:00-

7:00 p.m., Wed.

Dates: 30, 31 March, 5 April 2016

Clients served: 75

Money spent on assistance: \$1,045.00 Items needed: canned fruit, noodles



Acts 13:14, 43-52 Ps 100:1-2.3.5 Rv 7:9, 14b17 Jn 10:27-30