

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

Saturday, April 10, 2021

4:00 PM Mass Saint Parishioners (Pro Populo)

Sunday, April 11, 2021

10:00 AM Muriel Maze-Mike and Carol Maze

Tuesday, April 13, 2021

8:00 AM Carol & Frank O'Rielley-The Coopers

Thursday, April 15, 2021

6:15 PM Pat Dailey Rucker—The Coopers

Adoration/Confessions

Saturday, April 17, 2021

4:00 PM Saint Patrick Parishioners (Pro Populo)

Sunday, April 18, 2021

10:00 AM Muriel Maze—Carol & Mike Maze

Sunday, April 18, 2021 First Communion

12:00 PM Dorothy Vicario-John, Sandy, Cira

Your parish thanks you for giving your time and devotion to our parish. May our dear Lord bless you as you serve.

THANK YOU TO ALL THE VOLUNTEERS WHO HELPED WITH OUR BEAUTIFUL EASTER CELEBRATION!

Congratulations to those who received the Sacraments of Initiation at the Easter Vigil! God's richest blessings and our warmest welcome!

Pictured: Robbie Strayer (sponsor: Austin Green); Jeneile Matthews (sponsor: Sue Brewer); Andrew Arnett (sponsor: Kristen Arnett)



MARK YOUR CALENDAR

33-MARIAN PILGRIMAGE 2021

This pilgrimage begins on May 16, 2021 at Our Lady of Fatima Shrine at Indian Lake. This pilgrimage will end on June 19, at the Cathedral Basilica of St. Peter in Chains after visiting 33 parishes in the Archdiocese.

Here is a link for a video from the Archdiocese promoting the 33-day Marian Pilgrimage that will begin here in Logan County at the Fatima Shrine: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cjdcfQ2yuYo&t=2s>

The Catholic Telegraph online: the latest in Catholic news and events on the local, national, and global levels, be sure to visit <http://www.thecatholictelegraph.com>.

Bulletins and calendars can be read:

St. Patrick Church: www.catholicbellefontaine.org

St. Mary of the Woods: www.saintmaryofthewoods.com

Upcoming Events

Every Saturday-7:00 AM (RCIA Rm) Catholic Men's Gp

Sunday, 11 April, (Church) 3:00 PM Divine Mercy

PLEASE COME AND JOIN US: The Rosary will be recited: Saturday at 3:30 pm and Sunday at 9:15 am before the Mass. Volunteers are needed. ALL ARE WELCOME!

Parish Prayer Line: Tammy Bauer, 937.441.0645

Mass Attendances: Holy Thursday-153, Good Friday-155, Easter Sunday-339

COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND: If you are a registered parishioner who is homebound and would like to receive Holy Communion, please contact the office.

**Saint Mary of the Woods of the Church
Rosary at the Lake**

Beginning Monday, May 3, 2021, at 6:00 PM the Rosary will be said at Our Lady of Fatima Statue on the lake in Russells Point. Bring your lawn chair and dress for the weather. The Rosary will continue each Monday evening at 6:00 PM through October. Please come prepared to practice social distancing and bring a mask if you would like.

Calling all Catholics to the Feast of Mercy on
Sunday April 11th

Did you know that the Lord said that this feast would one day be the “last hope of salvation”? Have you considered what would happen to you if you suddenly died in the state of mortal sin? Did you know, that in the 1930’s, Our Lord Jesus, Himself, requested through St. Faustina, that a very, special Feast of Divine Mercy be established, in His Church, and solemnly celebrated, on the First Sunday, after Easter, every year? In the Jubilee Year 2000, after many years of study, Saint Pope John Paul II fulfilled the will of Christ by establishing this special Feast of Divine Mercy, in the Catholic Church, and gave it the name “Divine Mercy Sunday”! By God’s Providence, Saint John Paul II died, on this feast, in 2005. What is so special about this new Feast of Divine Mercy you might be asking yourself? It is the promise of the total forgiveness of all sins and punishment for any soul that would go to Confession and then receive Jesus in Holy Communion on that very special Feast of Divine Mercy! Why would Jesus offer us something so great at this time? Jesus told St. Faustina that she was to prepare the world for His Second Coming and that He would be pouring out His Mercy, in very great abundance, before He comes again as the Just Judge and as the very last hope of salvation. If you have been away from the practice of your Catholic faith, and if you would like to come back into the, one, true Catholic Church, then this is the most perfect opportunity, for you, if you are ready to repent and turn away from sin. Many former fallen-away Catholics have taken advantage of this great Feast of Mercy to get a brand-new start in life and to be totally prepared to stand before the Lord. Don’t miss out on this incredible gift of mercy that is available, in every Catholic Church, on Sunday, April 4th of this year!

If you have been away from the Catholic faith and if you have any questions about coming back home, then please go and talk to a priest at any Catholic Church. The beauty of the Catholic Church is that its teachings and practices are the same at all of its parishes. You may have concerns, such as: marriage outside of the Church; un-confessed abortions; or other issues that could be preventing you from receiving Holy Communion or you may have questions about the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Don’t remain in doubt. Call your local parish office to find out the necessary steps to come back to the Catholic faith. Don’t consider yourself, as without hope. Our Lord Jesus wants to pardon completely even the worst sinners possible. Remember, Jesus has come for sinners, not the righteous. Jesus said that even if our sins were as numerous as the grains of sand, they would be lost in His Ocean of Mercy. If you are truly repentant of your sins and are well prepared to confess your sins in the Sacrament of Confession, you’ll experience a tremendous peace. You’ll experience a great weight lifted from you and get a brand new start in life! Once you have confessed your sins in the Sacrament of Reconciliation, then you must continue to practice your faith as a good Catholic. This involves attending Mass every Sunday and on Holy Days of Obligation, supporting your local parish, and confessing your serious sins, at least, once a year. In Confession, you must be truly sorry for your sins and you must intend to continue to practice your faith.

MASS INTENTIONS: Please, fill out the form below and drop in the collection basket or mail to the office. There is a \$5 stipend for each Mass requested. **PLEASE, PRINT!**

Intention: _____

Offered by: _____

Date requested: _____

Mass requested: _____

We will make every attempt to get them on the date you request; however, funerals, prior requests and other events may prevent this, first-come, first-served.

BECAUSE OF THE HIGH DEMAND FOR “REQUEST FOR INTENTIONS” AND FATHER SHAWN’S AVAILABILITY IS VERY LIMITED, WE ARE NOW ACCEPTING REQUESTS FOR 2022!!

THIS WEEKS SCRIPTURE READING:

Mon., Apr 12: Acts 4:23-31 Ps 2:1-9 Jn 3:1-8
 Tues., Apr 13: Acts 4:32-37 Ps 93:1-2,5 Jn 3:7b-15
 Weds., Apr 14: Acts 5:17-26 Ps 34:2-9 Jn 3:16-21
 Thurs., Apr 15: Acts 5:27-33 Ps 34:2,9,17-20 Jn 3:31-36
 Fri., Apr 16: Acts 5:34-42 Ps 27:1,4,13-14 Jn 6:1-15
 Sat., Apr 17: Acts 6:1-7 Ps 33:1-2,4-5,18-19 Jn 6:16-21



Acts 3:13-15,17-19
 Ps 4:2,4,7-9
 1 Jn 2:1-5a
 Lk 24:35-48

Parish Offering Weekend of 4/3 & 4/4/21	
Sunday Offering	\$9,366.27
Improvement Fund	\$ 170.00
Assessment	\$ 20.00
Cost of Envelopes(1st offering)	\$ 25.00
Good Friday (Holy Land Shrines)	\$ 758.00
Lent	\$ 140.00
Total Collections	\$10,479.27