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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 1603

St Mary's Church is no longer associated with Knights of Columbus Council 1603.

GENERAL INFORMATION

GETTING ITEMS BLESSED

If you have items to be blessed, please put them in a bag with your name and phone number on it—a Ziplock bag is perfect. Please take them to the priest's sacristy immediately after Mass. Father will bless them during the week, and the items will be available for pick up the next Sunday in the priest's sacristy.

RECEIVING COMMUNION

In the Extraordinary Form communion is received on the tongue at the altar rail. To properly receive, please:

1. Kneel at the rail—if you can. If you have difficulty kneeling then remain standing.
2. When the priest is giving communion to the person before you, rotate your head upwards a little—sometimes it helps to look at the ceiling.
3. **Close your eyes** before the priest comes to you.
4. Amen is **not** said by the person receiving.

It is important to be ready before the priest approaches you. Also, if the eyes are kept open, one reacts as the host is moving towards him. In other words the person is moving their head towards the host which makes it harder for the priest. Please close your eyes. Thank you.

REMINDER ON MODEST ATTIRE

At St. Peter's Basilica in Rome the modesty guidelines for both men and women are:

- Pants and skirts should be long enough that the knees are covered when sitting.
- The shoulders are covered.
- No plunging necklines.
- Clothing should not be tight. Clothing is to conceal, not reveal.

Please follow these guidelines when at St. Mary. Remember that when we dress for church, it is not for our own comfort, but to present ourselves to Our Lord.

Please do not correct anyone on their attire. If you do not approve of someone's attire, please speak to Fr. Gismondi about it and he will approach the person privately.

IF YOU ARE ATTENDING ST. MARY BUT NOT REGISTERED

The registered member of the parish receives many spiritual benefits, such as graces from the *Pro Populo* Masses, and graces from the pastor's and assistant priest's daily prayers. In addition, anyone seeking certificates of eligibility or seeking the Sacraments of Baptism, First Holy Communion, Confirmation, and Marriage at St Mary Church must be registered and an active parishioner for at least 6 months. Registration forms are available at the back of the church.

REMINDER ON NOISY CHILDREN

Our Lord reminds us that "It is written, 'My house is a house of prayer.'" In order to fulfill this saying, we ask that noisy and misbehaving children be brought to the vestibule promptly. It is the duty of the ushers, and only the ushers, to remind people to follow this general rule.

EMAIL NEWSLETTER—KEEP UPDATED ON PARISH EVENTS

Would you like to join our list to receive event updates and announcements at St. Mary? Send an email to: stmaryslmnewsletter@gmail.com to receive our newsletter.

MISSALS FOR SALE IN THE PARISH OFFICE

The parish office has in stock the 1962 Latin Mass Missals by Baronius Press. Missals are sold for \$65.00 each, please bring exact change. Call or visit the office to purchase.

ONLINE DONATIONS

St. Mary accepts online donations for both the General and Building Funds. To donate, go to www.stmarylatinmass.com and click the DONATE button. Visa, Mastercard accepted; checking and saving accounts preferred. Donations can be one-time or monthly.



St. Mary Catholic Church

140 W. Hector St. Conshohocken, PA 19428

EASTER SUNDAY

March 31, 2024



Mass Schedule
Sunday Mass
 8:00 am—Low
 10:00 am—High
 (Low Mass in summer)
 1:00 pm—Low
Daily Mass:
 Monday 7:15 a.m.
 Tuesday 7:15 a.m.
 Wednesday 7:15 a.m. & 12:05 pm
 Thursday 7:15 am
 Friday 12:05 pm & 6:30 pm
 Saturday 7:15 am & 9:00 am

Sacraments
 A person must be a registered and practicing parishioner of St. Mary Church for six months to receive the Sacraments of Baptism and Marriage here. Please find orange parish registration forms in the vestibule.
BAPTISM
 To schedule, please contact one of the priests.
MARRIAGE
 A meeting with one of the priests must be made at least six months prior to the proposed wedding day. To schedule, please contact one of the priests.

Simple Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
 Mon-Thurs 8:00-9:00 a.m.
 Friday 5:30-6:20 p.m.
 Saturday 8:00-9:00 a.m.

Confessions
 30 min. before every Mass
Devotions to Our Lady of Czestochowa
 Fridays after the 6:30pm Mass

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St Mary Catholic Church is non-territorial quasi-parish established by Archbishop Chaput in 2018 for the pastoral care of the faithful of the Archdiocese who are attached to the Extraordinary Form of the liturgy.
 St. Mary Catholic Church is staffed by the Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter (FSSP), a Society of Apostolic Life approved by Pope John Paul II in 1988 to offer Extraordinary Form of the Latin Rite of the Mass and the Sacraments according to the liturgical books of 1962.

Sun. Mar. 31 8:00 A.M. 10:00 A.M. 1:00 P.M.	Easter Sunday, I Class Robert Enz <i>Pro Populo</i> + Rocco Micucci
Mon. Apr. 1 7:15 A.M.	Easter Monday, I Class + Alexandria Monastero-Chesher
Tues. Apr. 2 7:15 A.M.	Easter Tuesday, I Class Maria Sacco
Wed. Apr. 3 7:15 A.M. 12:05 P.M.	Easter Wednesday, I Class +Philomena Picard +Bridget Taggart
Thur. Apr. 4 7:15 A.M.	Easter Thursday, I Class Michael Butler
Fri. Apr. 5 12:05 P.M. 6:30 P.M.	Easter Friday, I Class Albert & Caroline Fralinger Carolyn & Michael Thompson
Sat. Apr. 6 7:15 A.M. 9:00 A.M.	Easter Saturday, I Class Poor Souls in Purgatory Lisa Scanga
Sun. Apr. 7 8:00 A.M. 10:00 A.M. 1:00 P.M.	Low Sunday, I Class The Sala Family <i>Pro Populo</i> In Honor of the Divine Mercy

EASTER SUNDAY

Opening Hymn: Jesus Christ is Risen Today

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1. Jesus Christ is ris'n today, Alleluia!

Our triumphant holy day, Alleluia!

Who did once upon the cross, Alleluia!

Suffer to redeem our loss. Alleluia!

2. Hymns of praise then let us sing, Alleluia!

Unto Christ, our heav'nly King, Alleluia!

Who endured the cross and grave, Alleluia!

Sinners to redeem and save, Alleluia!

3. But the pains which he endured, Alleluia!

Our salvation have procured; Alleluia!

Who endured the cross and grave, Alleluia!

Where the angels ever sing. Alleluia!

4. Sing we to our God above, Alleluia!

Praise eternal, as his love; Alleluia!

Now above the sky he's King, Alleluia!

Father, Son, and Spirit blest Alleluia!

Closing Hymn: The Strife is O'er

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

1. The strife is o'er, the battle done;

Now is the Victor's triumph won;

O let the song of praise be sung: Alleluia!

2. Death's mightiest pow'rs have done their worst,

And Jesus hath his foes dispersed;

Let shouts of praise and joy outburst: Alleluia!

3. He closed the yawning gates of hell;

The bars from heav'n's high portals fell;

Let hymns of praise his triumph tell: Alleluia!

4. On the third morn he rose again,

Glaorious in majesty to reign;

O let us swell the joyful strain: Alleluia!

EASTER MORNING - ST. MARY CHORISTERS

Kyrie XII

Missa Brevis in C, K. 259

Gloria by Mozart

Credo I

Offertory: *Jubilate Deo* by Roman, arr. Leavitt

Sanctus XIII

Agnus Dei XIV

Communion: *Cantate Domino* by Friderici

Salve Festa Dies chant hymn



SUNDAY SOCIALS

There is no social today. Socials will resume on April 7.

PARISH OFFICE — CLOSED

The parish office will be closed Monday, April 1.

FATHER GISMONDI AWAY

Father Gismondi will be away from Thursday, April 4th through Tuesday, April 9th.

VISITING SEMINARIAN FOR HOLY WEEK

Seminarian Thomas Clovis, FSSP has helped with Holy Week. This is his last Sunday here. Thomas is in his fifth year. Please welcome him when you see him.

EASTER DUTY

Every Catholic has the obligation to receive communion worthily at least once per year during Eastertide, which continues through Trinity Sunday. In addition, every Catholic is required to go to confession at least once per year.

CONFRATERNITY OF CHRISTIAN MOTHERS — MON APR 8

The Confraternity of Christian Mothers will be meeting on Monday, April 8. Members can be married or single, and need not have children. The night will begin at 7:00 pm with Holy Hour in the main church, and will follow with a social and a talk by Fr. Masutti in the church hall. If you have any questions, please contact Sue Zima at susanzima@zoho.com

ADULT CONTINUING EDUCATION (ACE) CLASS — APR. 16, 7PM

Fr. Gismondi will be going over the Gospel of Mark. It will meet weekly at 7pm on Tuesdays, in the office classroom. It

UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

Mon, Apr 8	Confraternity of Christian Mothers
Wed, Apr 17	Men's Night
Fri, Apr 19	Juventutem Young Adult
Sat, Apr 20	Men's Clean up Day
Fri, Apr 26	Teen Group

is open to parishioners 16 years old and above.

MEN'S NIGHT SPONSORED BY THE HOLY NAME SOCIETY
WED APRIL 17, 7PM

St. Mary's Men's Night is open to all men of the parish over 18 on Wednesday, April 17 beginning at 7:00 pm. The night will begin with Holy Hour in the main church, and will follow with dinner, drinks, fellowship, and a talk by Fr. Gismondi downstairs.

MEN'S PARISH CLEAN-UP DAY — SAT APRIL 20

The Holy Name Society is sponsoring a men's parish clean-up day on Saturday, April 20 from 10am to 1pm. Tasks include: weed pulling, cleaning up parking lot, curb painting, weed spraying, and general lawn work. More information to come.

TEEN GROUP DATE CHANGE — APR 26TH

The St Mary Teen Group will meet on April 26th instead of their usual third Friday of the month.

CHANT CAMP SAVE THE DATE — JUNE 24-28

Save the Date! Children's Chant Camp will be held this sum-

Happy Easter and Thank You!

Fr. Gismondi, Fr. Kick, Fr. Masutti and the rest of the staff at St. Mary's extend a Happy Easter to all parishioners. We would like to thank everyone for all of their hard work this Holy Week.

Special thanks goes to our Music Director, Lisa Knutson, the Adult Choir and the Choristers. Also thank you to the servers, parents, sacristans, cleaners and all volunteers without whom the services of Holy Week would not have been possible.



Easter Foods Symbolism

The Polish tradition going back centuries is to bring baskets containing a sampling of Easter foods to church to be blessed. The foods in the baskets have a symbolic meaning:

Bread - symbolic of Jesus as the Bread of Life in the Eucharist.

Lamb - represents Christ, the Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world and who is the fulfillment of the Pascal Lamb of the Passover. Sometimes butter in the shape of a lamb is in the basket and not actual lamb.

Salt - symbolic of us being the salt of Earth under the New Covenant.

Horseradish - symbolizes the bitter sacrifice of Christ and our union with Him.

Eggs - represent life and Christ's resurrection.

Ham and kielbasa - Pork was forbidden in the Old Testament. Eating pork on Easter represents the excellence of the New Covenant instituted in Christ's blood.

mer June 24-28. The camp is open to the children of our parish. Camp will be taught by FSSP seminarians and other skilled instructors from 9am-3pm.

FR ALLEN FSSP

Please continue to keep Fr. Allen in your prayers for a speedy recovery.

Regina Coeli

V. Queen of Heaven, rejoice, alleluia.

R. For He whom you did merit to bear, alleluia

V. Has risen, as he said, alleluia.

R. Pray for us to God, alleluia.

V. Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary, alleluia

R. For the Lord has truly risen, alleluia.

Let us pray. O God, who gave joy to the world through the resurrection of Thy Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, grant we beseech Thee, that through the intercession of the Virgin Mary, His Mother, we may obtain the joys of everlasting life. Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

It is a traditional practice to recite the Regina Coeli prayer in place of the Angelus during the Easter season.

A TRADITIONAL CATHOLIC PILGRIMAGE
THROUGH ITALY — NOV 10-20

Join Fr. John Brancich and Fr. Carl Gismondi of the Priestly Fraternity of Saint Peter on a pilgrimage through Italy on November 10th-20th. The cost is \$4590 air-inclusive from Newark (EWR). The itinerary features four nights in Rome, two nights in Florence and three nights in Padua, with day trips to Bologna, Trent and Venice built in as well. For more information or to register, please visit www.prorometours.com/fssp-italy or call at (434) 953 1112 or by email at office@prorome.com. There are currently 34