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Mary, and Joseph***
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Saturday Vigil: 4:00 P.M.
Sunday: 7:45 A.M. and 10:30 A.M.
Holy Days: 7:00 A.M. and 6:00 P.M.

Confession:

Saturday - 2:30 – 3:30 P.M. or by appointment

Weekday Mass (Chapel):

Wednesday: 6:00 P.M.
Thursday, Friday: 8:30 A.M.
First Saturday: 9:00 A.M.

Chapel Open for Prayer:

Tuesday thru Friday: 8:30AM-3:30PM
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Office Hours:

Tuesday through Friday: 8:30 A.M. – 3:30 P.M.
The Church office is closed on Monday.
Emergency: Father Culotta: 980-1810, #2 or 408-2766

Marriage Requirements:

Meet with Father Culotta @ 980-1810, ext. #2 at least six months in advance.
Visit wedding link on Web Site prior to meeting

Baptism Requirements:

Baptism Preparation Class. Call Anne Hane @ 410-0692
ahane@bellsouth.net

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Parish Prayer List

Please remember these people in your prayers and all those who have asked for our prayers.

Helen Trabits, George James, Patricia Sheehan, Kathy Matuszak, Jeanette Larsen, Jane St. Denis, Don St. Denis, Santo Vizzina, Brennan Simkins, Elbert Bell, Ronnie Romano, Ronnie DeFalco, Peyton Abernathy, Brad Lembcke, James Trabits, Brent Sparkman, Donald David, Kevin Camp, Sam Culotta, Julie Seigle, Gary Weitekamp, Jenny Lyn Pair, Michael Pair, Joan Van de Veer, Marietta Molay, Mary Catherine Schroeder, Shari Grantham Robie Bencho, Henry Pitre, Jackie Tevendale, Elena Sain, Tom Smith, Betty Quinlivan, Dean Arrington, Buster Brandino, Hays Ziemann, Brad Rosenwald, Delfina Urrutia, Brooke Wallace, Craig Pearce, Cheryl Shader, Stephen Lanzi, Bootsie Porter, Jeanne Welsh, Cindy Troha, Bobbie Keith, Robert Dillard, Joseph Lanzi, William Morgan, Carolyn Westrich, John Elkourie, Samuel Belcher, Isabella Belcher, Jim Meggs, Cedric Webber, Vester Webber, Patsy Evans, Gertrude Sgroi, Richard L. Swetonic, Mary Ann Stith, Rosa Butera, Jim Charles, Vincent Angrisano, Kevin Glandon, Peggy Devenisha, Wendy Wilkens, Jon Montgomery, Nunzia Massaro.

New Year's Week Schedule

Tuesday, December 30th – Regular Office Hours
8:30AM-3:30PM
Wednesday, December 31st – Mass at 4PM
(Office Closed at Noon)
Thursday, January 1st – Mass at 10:30AM
(Office Closed)
Friday, January 2nd – Mass at 8:30AM- first Friday
Exposition 9:00AM-12 Noon(Office Closed at Noon)
Saturday, January 3rd – First Sat. Mass at 9:00AM

End of Year Stock Donations

Information regarding the process of donating stock to Saint Mark's is available in the Church Office as well as in the Narthex of the Church and in the hallway near the Chapel. The directions will walk you through the steps to insure that the Diocese properly credits Saint Mark with your donation. Thank you for remembering Saint Mark's in your end of the year charitable contributions.

Nursery News

There will not be any nursery provided on the following dates due to the holidays:
Sunday, December 28th
Sunday, January 4th

Mass Intentions

Wed. Dec. 31 – 4:00 PM.....Kathy James
Thurs. Jan. 1 – 10:30 AM.....Jerry McManus
Fri. Jan.2 – 8:30 AM.....Kathleen L. Lee
Sat. Jan. 3 – 9:00 AM.....Harold Sheehan, Jr.
Sat Jan. 3 - 4:00 PM.....Vincent Ramsden
Sun. Jan. 4 – 7:45 AM.....Sarah & Hayden Godat (S.I.)
Sun. Jan. 4- 10:30 AM.....People of the Parish

Birmingham Statewide March for Life

Saturday, January 17, 10:45AM
Brother Bryan Park
22nd St. and 10th Avenue
Respect Life Mass 9:00 AM
Cathedral of St. Paul
2120 3rd Avenue N. Birmingham, AL
www.BirminghamMarchforLife.com

Next Week's Readings

Mon: 1 Jn 2:3-11; Ps 96:1-3,5b-6; Lk 2:22-35
Tues.: 1 Jn 2:12-17; Ps 96:7-10; Lk 2:36-40
Wed.: 1 Jn 2:18-21; Ps 96:1-2,11-13; Jn 1:1-18
Thurs: Nm 6:22-27; Ps 67:2-3,5,6,8; Gal 4:4-7; Lk 2:16-21
Fri.: 1 Jn 2:22-28; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 1:19-28
Sat: 1 Jn 2:29—3:6; Ps 98:1,3cd-4,5-6; Jn 1:29-34
Sun.: *The Epiphany of The Lord*
Is 60:1-6; Ps 72:1-2,7-8,10-13; Eph 3:2-3a,5-6; Mt 2:1-12

Financial Information

December 21, 2014

(Budgeted) (Actual) (YtD Budget) (YtD Actual)

Collection: 55,834 26,192 1,485,599 1,520,095
Faith Direct: 36,662
Current Parish Debt
3,251,712

FOSM Tickets!

Tickets for the 2015 FOSM Italian Food Festival are here! The Festival is on April 25th this year. Tickets are available in the Church Office or online at www.feastofstmark.com.

MLK, Jr. Prayer Breakfast

The Birmingham Diocese will host its annual Breakfast Commemorating the birthday of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. on Saturday, January 10th at 10:00AM at the Cathedral of Saint Paul's Grand Room. Fr. Maurice Nutt, C.R., Director of the Institute of Black Catholic Studies at Xavier University, New Orleans. If interested in attending, please sign up at the Greeters' Desk or call the Parish Office at 980-1810.

Women's Retreat

Blessed Trinity Shrine Retreat in Ft. Mitchell, Alabama is offering a Women's Retreat on January 9-11, 2015 entitled "Get 2015 Off to a Joyful Loving Start". The presenter, Melanie Rigney, is the author of *Sisterhood of Saints: Daily Guidance and Inspiration*. Through the example provided by some of our blessed and saintly women, guided meditations, journaling and discussions, this retreat will help get 2015 off to a joyful, loving start. For registration information, call 334-855-4474.

GROW Retreat

GROW means "God Reaches Our World". This special event for Middle School students on January 10th will be directed by youth from St. John's Parish in Pensacola, Florida. A time for activities, sharing, games and fun, it begins with mass at 4:00PM followed by dinner (5PM) and the Retreat time until 10:00PM. For more information, contact Daniel Henninger at stmarkyouth@bellsouth.net

New Pictorial Directory Sessions

Sessions for Portraits for the Parish Pictorial Directory have been added for Tuesday, January 13th. Please check the link on our website for available times.

Liturgical Schedule: January 3rd & 4th, 2015

Extraordinary Ministers of Communion:

Saturday: Rebecca Blythe, Jenny Camp, Ruth Cook, Ann Penton, Eva Shepherd, Jeanne Welsh

Sunday: Nancy Ladshaw, Theresa LoMonaco, Vincent Lovoy, Christian Short, Larry Swetonic
(10:30) David Castagnetta, Tom Chauffe, Geri & John Elkourie, Marsha Floyd, Chris Keller, Bonnie Murphy, Joe Scotch, Tom Slonneger

Mass Coordinator:

Saturday: Jeanne & Bill Welsh

Sunday: Pat & Bill Roach
(10:30) Eleanora & David Castagnetta

Altar Linens: Cindy Evans

Ushers:

Saturday: Mike Burns Connie Bailey, Thom Berry, Ray Morin

Sunday: Tom Perlich, Nicholas & Sarah Rose Perlich, Michael Rall
(10:30) Jay Aycock, Paul Roche

Cantors:

Saturday: Allison Creel

Sunday: Ken Jannot, Tori Gaston

Lectors:

Saturday: Pat Armitage, Ree Morin

Sunday: Ruth Breipohl, Jim E. Smith, Jr.
(10:30) Philip Troha, Lisa Arrington

Altar Servers:

Saturday: Zach Rakers, Emma Zaointz, Luke Rakers, Grant Rakers

Sunday: Catherine Clark, Dominic Pautler, Jessica Heberlein
(10:30) Mary Keithleen Favela, Elliot Marrero, Luke Arrington, Anna Arrington

Greeters:

Saturday: Rose Burns, Zuseth Fernandez, Linda Grainger, Tom Lager

Sunday: Diane & Anthony Cuicchi
(10:30) Peter Bibbo, Ercelle Burrus, Al Lupenski, Myrna Scotch



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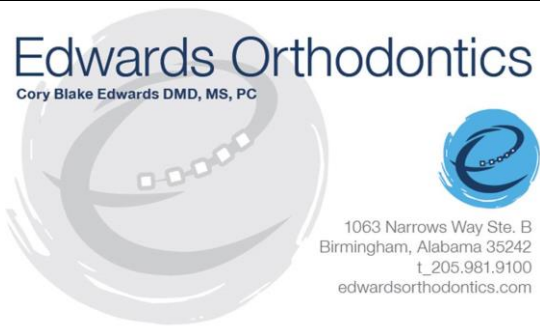
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