



**Thirteenth Sunday in
Ordinary Time
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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
First Friday Exposition: 9:00AM-12:00Noon

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Marriage Requirements:

Meet with Father Culotta @ 980-1810, ext. #104 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, Donald David, Kevin Camp, Sam Culotta, Julie Seigle, Gary Weitekamp, Jenny Lyn Pair, Michael Pair, Marietta Molay, Mary Catherine Schroeder, Shari Grantham, Robie Bencho, Henry Pitre, Jackie Tevendale, Elena Sain, Tom Smith, Betty Quinlivan, Dean Arrington, Buster Brandino, Hays Zieman, Brad Rosenwald, Brooke Wallace, Craig Pearce, Stephen Lanzi, Bootsie Porter, Cindy Troha, Bobbie Keith, Robert Dillard, Joseph Lanzi, William Morgan, Carolyn Westrich, Samuel Belcher, Isabella Belcher, Jim Meggs, Cedric Webber, Vester Webber, Patsy Evans, Gertrude Sgroi, Mary Ann Stith, Rosa Butera, Kevin Glandon, Peggy Devenisha, Nunzia Massaro, Tina Campbell, Sam Ferlisi, Jan Cavaleri, Sr. Cecelia Zamboni, Tom Kassa, Ronald Ramsden, Paul Maniscalco, Jennifer Barnes, Dung Hoang, Jeanne & John Wright, Michelle DiGuglielmo, Mary Jo Wilkens, Judy Rose, Dave Henderson, Lena Myers, Keith Collins, Jack Masterson, Tom Huddleston, Joe Augugia, and Bea Baum.

Mass Intentions

Wed. July 1 - 6:00 P.M.....Santini Tardigno
Thu. July 2 - 8:30 A.M.....Emanuel Roscito
Fri. July 3- 8:30 A.M.....Raquel Martin
Sat. July 4 - 9:00 A.M.....Anthony V. Sgroi
Sat. July 4 - 4:00 P.M.....Ginger Scalici
Sun. July 5 -7:45 A.M.....Isabella Keller
Sun. July 5- 10:30 A.M.....People of the Parish

Next Week's Readings

Mon: Acts 12:1-11; Ps 34:2-9; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18 Mt 16:13-19
Tue: Gn 19:15-29; Ps 26:2-3; 9-12; Mt 8:23-27
Wed: Gn 21:5, 8-20a; Ps 34:7-8, 10-13; Acts 13:22-26 Mt 8:28-34
Thu: Gn 22:1b-19; Ps 115:1-6, 8-9; Mt 9:1-8
Fri: Eph 2:19-22; Ps 117:1b-2; Jn 20:24-29
Sat: Gn 27:1-5, 15-29; Ps 135:1b-6; Mt 9:14-14
Sun: *Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*
Ez 2:2-5; Ps 123:1-4; 2 Cor 12:7-10; Mk 6:1-6a

Financial Information

June 21, 2015

(Budgeted) (Actual) (YtDBdgt) (YtDActual) Collection:
\$31,397 \$14,566 \$757,736 \$728,026
Faith Direct \$34,698 \$762,424

Current Parish Debt
\$2,957,976

Thank you!

Many thanks to Charles Boyd for six years of dedicated service to Saint Mark's Finance Council! For the past year Charles has also served as the Finance Council Chairman. As Charles' term ends this summer, Ken Reimann has assumed the Chairman position.

RCIA

Have you or someone you know been thinking about joining the Catholic Church? Were you baptized in the Catholic Church but did not receive the Sacraments of Eucharist or Confirmation? Or simply wanting to learn more about the Catholic Church? If that is the case then RCIA for 2015/2016 is for you! We will offer three orientation sessions this summer to begin the year. The next sessions will be held:

Sunday, July 12th @ 1-2 PM in the PLC: Topic "The Catechism of the Catholic Church"

Sunday, August 9th @ 1-2 PM in the PLC: Topic "The RCIA program at Saint Mark"

The program will begin in September after Labor Day. If you have any questions please contact Phil Boettcher at (205) 541-5625 or phil.boettcher@dpsg.com.

You Are Needed!

Be a catechist, teacher, or aide to allow our Parish School of Religion Program (PSR) to continue, so volunteer to assist with our classes. You will strengthen your own faith as well as those of the next generation of Catholics. We have new activities planned to enrich our program for the coming year, Grades K-8. Training and guidance will be provided to assist you. WE NEED YOUR HELP. Please contact Susan Webb.

Youth

Summer Beach Retreat July 19th- 22nd for rising 9th graders through recent graduates in Pensacola Beach, FL. Cost is \$100. For more information contact Daniel Henninger at 980-1810 or stmarkyouth@bellsouth.net for more information.

The Middle School BLAST group will have a Lock-in beginning at 6:30 P.M. on Friday, July 10th, and going until 8:00 A.M. on Saturday, July 11th, in the PLC Youth Area. All rising 6th-8th graders are invited to participate in a night of games, food, movies, and fellowship with the others in the Youth Group. Please contact Daniel Henninger at 980-1810 or stmarkyouth@bellsouth.net for more information.

Moms

The Mom's group will meet Wednesday, July 1st, at 10:00 A.M. in the Nursery for a kids' playtime and fellowship for the Moms. Please contact Aisling Henninger at quigley.henninger@gmail.com for more information.

Nursery Closed

–Please note that there will be no nursery on Sunday, July 5th, due to the holiday weekend. Have a great Fourth of July!

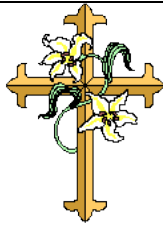
You're Invited!

Dear Parishioners,

During the summer months, many of our schedules become more flexible. This allows families to take advantage of opportunities that aren't available to them while school is in session. We would like to invite everyone to join us for Mass during the week. At Saint Mark's, weekday Mass is offered on Wednesday at 6:00 P.M. and again on Thursday and Friday mornings at 8:30 A.M. Mass normally lasts 30 minutes, so there is a minimal commitment for the tremendous benefit of strengthening our relationship with God.

Please know that you are always welcome at Saint Mark's and we hope that you are able to attend weekday Mass during the summer.

*In Christ,
Deacon Wyman Vintson*



Sympathy

We offer our prayers and sympathy to John Rygiel on the death of his son, Brian Rygiel; to the friends and family of parishioner Sharon Elizabeth Ward Henderson, and to Dr. Richard Stahl on the death of his mother, Katherine Keuning Stahl. May their souls rest in the presence of the Lord.



We wish all Saint Mark's parishioners a happy and safe 4th of July. Please join us at 9:00 AM on Saturday morning for Mass to give thanks and offer prayers for our great nation.

Hospitality Committee

The **Hospitality Committee at Saint Mark the Evangelist** is composed of volunteers from the Parish Family, who will be responsible for special events; including Parish Picnic, Parish Thanksgiving Dinner, Confirmation & First Communion receptions, and other events.

How can you help?



"BAKE" cookies, muffins, dessert bars etc. for an event



"SET UP" arrange the Social Hall -- placing out the table clothes, flowers, plates, cup, etc.

"HOST" Be a "Hostess"
Refresh the food plates and fill the punch bowl.
Clean up and put away.

Would you like to serve as **CHAIRPERSON**
or on a **PLANNING TEAM?**



If you are willing to help
Sign up at the Greeters Desk
or email stmarkpa@bellsouth.net

Thank you

We thank Bonnie Murphy for the many years of service she has given as Chairperson for our Hospitality Committee. She has decided to resign due to her busy work schedule. However, she will continue to serve as coordinator for the rental of the parish hall.

Trash and Treasure Sale

Our Lady of Sorrows Catholic Church in Homewood will host their annual **Trash and Treasure Sale** in the School Gym and Furniture Tent on Saturday, July 4th 8:00 A.M.–3:00 P.M. and Sunday, July 5th, (50% off) 1:00–3:00 P.M. Follow on Facebook at Trash and Treasure.

OLV School is accepting new student applications for the 2015/16 school year for students in preschool through eighth grade. **Do you have a preschool-aged child?** Consider early childhood in the OLV Preschool. There are programs for 3 and 4 year olds with the option for extended care. Registration is underway now for both programs. Discover more information at www.olvbirmingham.com or by calling (205) 991-5963.

We welcome back **Father Henry McDaid** who will be saying all Masses on July 4th and 5th. Father Joe will return on July 8th. Please call the Parish Office for any emergencies.



Knights of Columbus

Brother Knights, our next meeting will be Sunday June 28th at 7:00 pm. Members are encouraged to attend the meeting to discuss many of the upcoming activities. If you are interested in joining the Knights of Columbus, please contact us at kofc13446@aol.com.

Liturgical Schedule: July 4th & 5th, 2015

Extraordinary Ministers of Communion:

Saturday: Rebecca Blythe, Ann Penton, Theresa Romano

Sunday: Tony Inzinna, Pat Kantaris, Theresa LoMonaco

(10:30) Keri Eitzen, John Elkourie, Sarah Hebert,
Theresa LoMonaco, Joe Scotch, Steve Shoemaker

Mass Coordinator:

Saturday: Sammy & Theresa Romano

Sunday: Mike & Pat Kantaris
(10:30) David & Eleanora Castagnetta

Altar Linens: Tracy Pflaum

Ushers:

Saturday: Jim Smith, Thom Berry

Sunday: Steve Boner, Kurt Friend, Wayne Gwaltney,
Faye Valencia
(10:30) George Juneman, Nancy Collis, Rob Haley

Cantors:

Saturday: Alex Slocum

Sunday: 7:45--Allison Creel; 10:30--Kathryn Garaca

Lectors:

Saturday: Ruth Breipohl, Cathy Johnson

Sunday: Milton Davis, Nancy Ladshaw
(10:30) Tom Greene, Geri Elkourie

Altar Servers:

Saturday: Jonathan Chestang, Justin Chestang,
Michael Kelly, Ethan Lee, Emma Zaiontz

Sunday: Lia DiGuglielmo, Tilly Gwaltney, Troy Gwaltney,
Jessica Heberlein, Dominic Pautler
(10:30) Sam Lynch, Mary Keithleen Favela,
Carmen Retzer, Ella Sciara, Amalia Trujillo Valino

Greeters:

Saturday: Zuseth Fernandez, Tom Lager, Shane Merrill,
Pat Smith

Sunday: Anthony & Diane Cuicchi
(10:30) Peter Bibbo, Sarah Hebert, Al Lupenski,
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