



Saint Mark
the Evangelist Catholic Church

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in Ordinary Time
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Masses:

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 and Friday: 8:30 A.M.
First Saturday: 9:00 A.M.

Office Hours:

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

Chapel Open for Prayer

Tuesday through Friday: 8:30 A.M. – 3:30 P.M.
First Friday Exposition: 9:00 A.M. – 12:00 Noon

Marriage Requirements at least six months in advance:

Meet with Father Culotta @ 980-1810, ext. #2
Visit wedding link on Website prior to meeting

Baptism Requirements & Preparation Class:

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PRAYER LIST

Peyton Abernathy	Bobbie Keith	Mary Catherine Schroeder
Jennifer Barnes	Stephen Lanzi	Julie Seigle
Bea Baum	Joseph Lanzi	Gertrude Sgroi
Isabella Belcher	Jeanette Larsen	Steve Shader
Samual Belcher	Brad Lembcke	Patricia Sheehan
Elbert Bell	Paul Maniscalco	Brennan Simkins
Robie Bencho	Nunzia Massaro	Tom Smith
Bustoer Brandino	Jack Masterson	Jane St. Denis
Rosa Butera	Kathy Matuszak	Don St. Denis
Kevin Camp	Jim Meggs	Vita Stamba
Toni Caton	Angie Meshad	Mary Ann Stith
Jan Cavaleri	Marietta Molay	Myra Sutton
Keith Collins	William Morgan	Luke Swetonic
Sam Culotta	Lena Myers	Jackie Tevendale
Donald David	Jenny Lyn Pair	Helen Trabits
Ronnie DeFalco	Michael Pair	James Trabits
Peggy Devenisha	Craig Pearce	Cindy Troha
Michelle DiGuglielmo	Henry Pitre	Santo Vizzina
Robert Dillard	Betty Quinlivan	Brooke Wallace
Patsy Evans	Ronald Ramsden	Cedric Webber
Linda Ferguson	Joan Rietta	Vester Webber
Sam Ferlisi	Ronnie Romano	Gary Weitekamp
Kevin Glandon	Judy Rose	Carolyn Westrich
Shari Grantham	Brad Rosenwald	Stephen Wilkens
Dave Henderson	Kent Russell	Jeanne Wright
Dung Hoang	Elena Sain	Sr. Cecelia Zamboni
George James		Hays Ziemann

Mass Intentions

Wed. Oct. 28 - 6:00 P.M. - James Parisi

Thurs. Oct. 29 - 8:30 A.M. - Robert Norris

Fri. Oct. 30 - 8:30 A.M. - Jean Funk

Sat. Oct. 31 - 4:00 P.M. - Connor Joel Hitt

Sun. Nov. 1 - 7:45 A.M. - All Souls

Sun. Nov. 1 - 10:30 A.M. - People of the Parish

Weekly Readings

26 Mon- Rom 8:12-17/Ps 68:2, 4, 6-7b, 20-21/Lk 13:10-17

27 Tue- Rom 8:18-25/Ps 126:1b-6/Lk 13:18-21

28 Wed- Eph 2:19-22/Ps 19:2-5/Lk 6:12-16

29 Thu- Rom 8:31b-39/Ps 109:21-22, 26-27, 30-31/Lk 13:31-35

30 Fri- Rom 9:1-5/Ps 147:12-15, 19-20/Lk 14:1-6 (483)

31 Sat- Rom 11:1-2a, 11-12, 25-29/Ps 94:12-13a, 14-15, 17-18/Lk 14:1, 7-11

1 SUN- ALL SAINTS

Rv 7:2-4, 9-14//Ps 24:1bc-4b, 5-6/1 Jn 3:1-3/Mt 5:1-12a

Thank you!

I wanted to thank everyone again for your generosity and support during my diaconal internship. I am truly humbled and edified by your kindness. I hope to return for Christmas and Easter masses. If anyone wants to write to me while I am in New Orleans, the address is **2901 S Carrollton Ave, New Orleans, LA 70118.**

My priestly ordination is scheduled for June 4, 2016 at the Cathedral of Saint Paul. Please know of my continuing prayers for all of you, and please pray for me as I finish seminary formation.

God Bless, Deacon Wyman

ALL SAINTS and ALL SOULS

All Saints will be celebrated at all Masses next weekend.

All Souls will be celebrated the entire month of November and special Masses on Mon., Nov. 2 at 9 A.M. and Nov. 4 at 6 P.M. (see below).

Please use attached envelope to list the names of those you wish to remember and return next week to the basket by the Easter Candle.

Mass of Remembrance

The Quarterly Mass of Remembrance will be held in the Chapel at 6 P.M. on Wed., Nov. 4. There will be a light supper in PLC immediately following Mass. In order for your bereavement ministry to have sufficient food, please contact Darlene McCulloch 229-7134/ jamesfmcculloch@bellsouth.net or Cathy Johnson 266-9685/ cathyjohnson_2@hotmail.com by Fri., Oct. 30.

Financial Information

October 18, 2015

	(Budgeted)	(Actual)	(YtDBdgt)	(YtDActual)
Collection:	\$27,945	\$18,578	\$1,253,912	\$1,286,355
Faith Direct:		\$14,442		

Current Parish Debt

\$2,721,969

Sympathy

We offer our prayers and sympathy to Thomas LeGuin on the death of his mother, Bobbie June LeGuin; and to Thomas Lozick on the death of his father, Edward A. Lozick.

Thanks for the Success

The Knights of Columbus would like to thank everyone that participated in the Flea Market. The weather was perfect. The families that had their own booths averaged over \$100 in sales. The KofC booth did really well with all of the items that you donated to us. Also we were able to donate a moving truckload of items to this year's charity, King's Home. As far as money raised, this year will be ranked in the top two highest grossing Flea Markets that we have hosted. These funds are used to help with our council programs for Church, community, council, family, culture of life, and youth.

St. Vincent de Paul Coat Collection

Collecting COATS and WARM CLOTHING on Oct. 31/Nov.1 and Nov.7 & 8 for the homeless and needy. Please bring them to Church and drop off at the table in the Narthex.

Angel Tree Greene County

Planning Meeting for our Angel Tree Project for Greene County Wednesday, October 28 at 6:45 PM in the Parish Life Center. If interested in sorting and packing gifts give your name to Sr. Terry stmarkpa@bellsouth.net

Fr. Joe will not be in the parish next weekend, Oct. 31 and Nov. 1. Please welcome visiting priest, Rev. Alexander Steinmiller, C.P., President, Holy Family Cristo Rey.

Youth

The BLAST Middle School Youth will host Saint Mark's annual Trunk-or-Treat after the 10:30 Mass on Sun. Oct. 25 in the PLC Parking Lot. Anyone who would like to decorate their vehicle is welcome (let us know) or if you would like to donate candy please look for the box in the back of the church after Masses.

The Youth Groups will get back into our weekly meeting routine Sunday October 25th beginning with the BLAST group from 5:00-6:30 pm and JCrew from 6:00-7:30 pm. Dinner will be from 6:00-6:30 pm. Join us as we gather for a Social Night with Games and taking some time to catch back up with our Youth group friends.

UNRAVELING THE SECRETS OF THE MASS



PLAN ON ATTENDING
ADULT ED WITH FATHER JOE
NOVEMBER 8, 2015 @ 9:00

Adult Formation

The Adult Ed program continues next Sunday to explore the Old Testament Book of Ruth. Please join us in the PLC from 9-10:15. Questions? Please call Phil Boettcher 205 541 5625 or pfboettcher@att.net.

Liturgical Schedule: Oct. 31st & Nov. 1st, 2015

Extraordinary Ministers of Communion:

Saturday: Beverly Huddleston, Tom Huddleston, Cathy Johnson, Ann Penton, Eva Shepherd
Sunday: Sonny Jones, Vincent Lovoy, Katherine Rall, Jim E Smith, Ginny Willis
(10:30) Jenny Camp, Ana Hall, Rosemary Johnson, Theresa LoMonaco, Lenny Mueninghoff, Bonnie Murphy, Joe Scotch, Heidi Swanson, Susan Webb

Mass Coordinator:

Saturday: Bill & Jeanne Welsh
Sunday: Phil Boettcher
(10:30) Leonard & Heidi Mueninghoff

Altar Linens: Judi Mathews

Ushers:

Saturday: Jim Smith, Connie Bailey, Thom Berry
Sunday: Wayne Gwaltney, Amos Mitchim, Bobbie Mitchim
(10:30) Scott Riley, Rob Haley

Cantors:

Saturday: Jennie Jackson
Sunday: 7:45—Ken Jannot, 10:30—Allison Creel

Lectors:

Saturday: Ruth Breipohl, Dolorene Sackman
Sunday: Nancy Ladshaw, Milton Davis
(10:30) Marilyn Chiaramonte, Tom Greene

Altar Servers:

Saturday Mary Keithleen Favela, Bella Garza, Daniel Ospina
Sunday: Jonathan Chestang, Tilly Gwaltney, Troy Gwaltney, Jessica Heberlein, Jonathon Porco
(10:30) Cooper Gray, Mary Caroline Gray, Tanner Gray, Matthew Marquet, Robert Marquet

Greeters:

Saturday: Demetri Coleman, Jayne Day, Rae Sarver, Pat Smith
Sunday: Anthony & Diane Cuicchi
(10:30) Peter Bibbo, Ercelle Burrus, Myrna Scotch, Bill Tevendale

SIGN UP TO BE INVOLVED

Saint Mark the Evangelist Catholic Church Parish Life Ministries



- Knights of Columbus Council #13446**
Catholic Men's Fraternal Society dedicated to serving the Parish and helping those in need in the parish community

- Feast of Saint Mark**

Italian Food Festival Committee

Plans and coordinates the April Parish Festival

honoring the church's patron, Saint Mark the Evangelist

Over 200 VOLUNTEERS NEEDED



- Hospitality Committee**

Building a spirit of community through Parish Social Events. Assists with serving and baking at receptions, helping the September Parish Picnic and the Thanksgiving dinner.

Name

Email address

Phone Number

Cell Phone Number

Please return to the Parish Office or Collection Basket

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*The Women
of
Saint Mark*

Women of Saint Mark

Fun filled gathering for all the women of Saint Mark the Evangelist Parish to promote faith and friendship. No dues. Volunteers needed for planning and refreshments.



Sunday with coffee & donuts

Outreach to all parishioners after the Sunday Masses. Help with setting up and serving monthly.



Property Management

Assists in continual maintenance of the properties... repairs, minor alterations/rearrangements, touch up painting, etc. on the Saint Mark's campus.

Welcome Committee

Seeking to welcome new members, introducing them to the parish, and inviting them to participate in activities and ministries



SIGN UP TO BE INVOLVED

Name

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Cell Phone Number

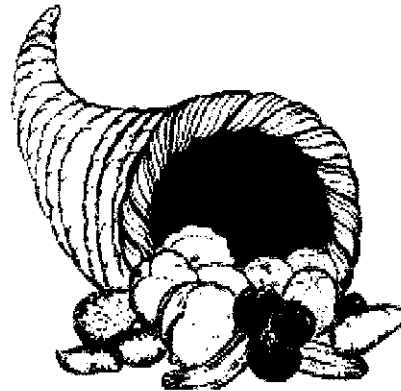
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Parish Pot Luck Thanksgiving Dinner

Sunday, November 15, 2015

after the 10:30 a.m. Mass



Please bring a dish according to the first letter of your last name. Turkey and drinks will be provided.

A,B,C,D	Desserts -cakes, pies, cookies, etc.
E,F,G,H	Salads with dressing / relish tray
I, J, K, L	White/mashed potatoes or rice
M,N,O,P	Vegetables
Q,R,S,T	Stuffing / dressing
U,V,W,X,Y,Z	Sweet potatoes or rolls

Register at the Greeter's Desk before November 8th ...

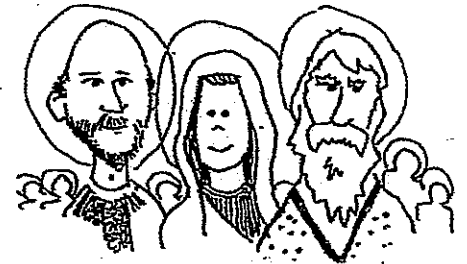
Parade of Saints

PSR students are encouraged to take part in our "Parade of Saints" for the All Saints Day Celebration, Sunday November 1, 10:30 am Mass



Win a small prize if you carry a poster or wear a costume.

We want as many children as possible to carry a colorful, self created, 8 1/2" X 11" POSTER with a saint's image and name OR wear a saint's COSTUME for a procession at the beginning of the 10:30 Mass.



**Line up outside the chapel no later than 10:15 am.
Be a part of this important Church day which celebrates our
saints and martyrs.**

**(For saint ideas go to Saints and Angels Catholic Online or
Our Coat of Many Colors Catholic Children's All Saints Day.com)**

We want to honor our beloved saints by remembering them and praying to them

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