ST. MARY HYDE PARK

St. Mary Hyde Park prepares its members for salvation by knowing, living and sharing Christ.

February 4, 2018
Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Times
Saturday Vigil: 4:00pm
Sunday: 8:00am, 9:30am, 11:30am
Weekdays: Tues: 7:30am & 6:45pm
Thurs: 7:30am **Wed & Fri**: 9:00am
Sat: 9:00am

Reconciliation
Saturday: 3:00-3:45pm and by appt.

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NEW to St. Mary?

Welcome! You can register from our website or through the church office. We will contact you to answer any questions. **We are glad you are here!**

Sacraments

Baptism - Preparation class takes place on the First Thursday of the month. Sacrament takes place on the first and third Sunday of the month at 1:00pm. Call the church office to begin this process. Godparent letters require 10 business days to process. Please email: mshank@smshp.com. Thank you!

First Eucharist & First Reconciliation - St. Mary School and Parish Religious Education Program students prepare in their second grade year. Call the church office for more information.

Confirmation - Confirmation - St. Mary School and Parish Religious Education Program (PREP) students prepare in their seventh-grade year. Please contact Michele Carle-Bosch with questions. mbosch@smshp.com Adults, not yet confirmed, please call the church office for more information.

Reconciliation - Saturday: 3:00-3:45pm and by appt. Community Penance Services take place during Advent and Lent.

Anointing of the Sick - Call the church office

Marriage - Parishioners must contact the church office at least one year in advance. A marriage preparation program is required.

Please Pray For...

Parishioners Called to Military Service: If you know of a parishioner who is called into, or presently serving in, our country's military forces **please notify the church office (321-1207.)** In serving honorably, they contribute to the good of the nation and the preservation of peace (Catechism of the Catholic Church #2310). Please keep the following in your prayers: Sam Anderson, Craig Blessing, Josue Vazquez, Tony DeFilippo, Louis Hamilton, Jr., Jake Keefe, Ewan MacDougall, Michael O'Connor, Andrew Quatkemeyer, Amy Rohs, Todd Seurkamp, Todd Smyth.

Circle of Care

Circle of Care is available to offer you support in difficult times. Meal assistance, housework, transportation etc. Please don't hesitate to contact Emilie Kroner at kronerfamily@gmail.com or (513) 319-5028.

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Want to write fewer checks? Sign up for *Electronic Fund Transfer.* To enroll go to our web-site www.smchp.com and click on "Giving" found at the top of the main page. Questions? Call Jeff Rinear **321-1207 ext. 5502. *to increase your electronic giving:** Log in to smchp.weshareonline.org and click *Payments/Schedules/Click Edit next to Sunday offerings*

Church Office Hours

M-F 9:00-Noon and 1:00-5:00pm

Child Care is available during 9:30am Mass in Robisch Hall.

Parish and School Space Reservations
Please reserve parish space with Connie: cerdmann@smshp.com or 321-1207

Bulletin Content Deadline:
Monday at NOON to: cerdmann@smshp.com

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, February 6
7:30 am Mary Ann Mongan - Mary J. Mongan
6:45 pm Fr. Giles Pater

Wednesday, February 7
9:00 am Jim Gibbons - Brian Cleary

Thursday, February 8
7:30 am Mary Rose Hart - Debby & Jim Hogan

Friday, February 9
9:00 am Robert Rinear - St. Mary School PTO

Saturday, February 10
9:00 am Thomas L. Neyer, Sr. - Greg & Katie Dorr
4:00 pm William Gunderman - Stephanie Jenemann

Sunday, February 11
8:00 am For the People of the Parish
9:30 am Anne Cusick - Family
11:30 am Sp. Int. Larry & Doe Healy - Patti & Bob Baechtold

To request a mass intention please contact the rectory

The Week Ahead

Monday, February 5
† Lego Club, 3:30 pm, Seton Center
† Wolf Scouts - 6:00 pm
† Musica Sacra rehearsal, 6:30pm, Robisch Hall

Tuesday, February 6
† Crafty Ladies, 10:30am, Seton Center
† Adult Faith Formation Comm., 4:30pm, Seton Ctr.
† Mass, 6:45pm, Church - followed by Holy Hour
† St. Mary Baseball Mtg., 7pm, Robisch Hall
† Evangelization Commission, 7:15pm, Seton Ctr.
† Knights of Columbus Officers, 7:30pm, Seton Ctr.

Wednesday, February 7
† Men's Bible Study, 7:15am, Seton Ctr.
† Children's Choir Rehearsal, 5:30pm, Church
† Adult Choir Rehearsal, 7pm, Church
† Boy Scouts - 7:00 pm - Seton Center

Thursday, February 8
† RCIA, Rectory, 5:30pm
† Girl Scouts, 3:30pm, Seton Ctr. 2R & 2L
† SVDP Bible Study, 7:30pm, Seton Marian Rm.

Friday, February 9
† Fathers Team, 6:45am, Seton Ctr. Marian Room
† Retrouville, 7pm, Seton Ctr. Marian Room

Sunday, February 11
† Girl Scouts, 1pm, Cafeteria
† Rosary, 8pm, Church

From the Desk of Fr. Ken

Sunday is the Super Bowl. I'm sure we will be watching it somewhere. I have already heard someone bet a million dollars on the game.

Think how better the world would be if the same interest was on the Lord.

Fr Ken Schaf

Next Sunday's Readings
Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time - February 11, 2018
Leviticus 13:1-2, 44-46
1 Corinthians 10:31—11:1
Mark 1:40-45

May He Rest In Peace

Rev. Joseph C. Allison

From St. Mary School Office

Student Council members attended the Archdiocese Catholic Schools Week Mass at the Cathedral this week.

We thank the St. Mary Parish Community for your strong support of our parish school. Students and teachers work hard every day to build up the kingdom of God!

We are accepting registration for our **Kindergarten Fall 2018** Class. If you would like a personal tour, please call the school office at 321-0703. Visit us at www.smshp.com to learn more and to view photos of SMS Life!

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Around St. Mary

Vision Statement for St. Mary Hyde Park Faith Formation Commission

St Mary Parish views faith formation as a lifelong journey through which we grow in our love and knowledge of God and in our understanding of ourselves as disciples of Christ. We seek to lead children, adolescents and adults into ever-maturing faith, thereby forming a faith community energized and empowered to live and spread the Gospel message.

St Mary's Catechesis and Education Commission meets, 7 times per year. The current commission consists of Fr. Ken Schartz, Michele Carle-Bosch, Director of Religious Education, Jay Galla, parishioner, Kathy Greiner, St Mary School Teacher, Stefanie Jenemann, parishioner, and Ashley Gabriel, Youth Minister. **We seek 3 more members to complete our commission.**

Qualifications desired: an interest in faith formation and educational opportunities for the parish. A willingness to be involved in planning/supporting activities in family catechesis, adult faith opportunities, and religious education for all children who are parishioners of St. Mary Parish. **Please consider joining our commission for a 3 year term.**

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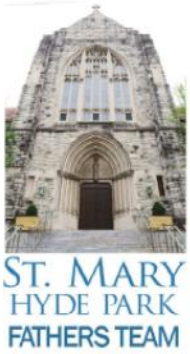
WELCOME

We welcome **Mrs. Orla Bowman** to our Parish Office Staff as Business Associate and Volunteer Coordinator. Orla will be responsible for organizing and matching the volunteer needs of parish groups with those parishioners who want to get involved and for providing support in operational duties. Orla is a current parishioner and parent of a St. Mary School Student. Orla grew up in Dublin, Ireland and received her undergraduate and graduate degrees in Music. You may see her occasionally at Mass either lectoring or playing the flute. Orla brings a lot of administrative experience to St. Mary and is very excited to work with such a wonderful community, contributing to our vibrant and dynamic environment.

Mark Your Calendar...

Knights of Columbus Lenten FISH FRY!
FRIDAY, March 23, 2018
St. Mary School Cafeteria

FATHERS TEAM



FATHERS Team will be having a special ***Bootcamp*** series to dig deeper into the key tenets of the faith during Lent. We will examine the most important relationships in our lives, and challenge ourselves to become better Dads and Husbands. Whether you are able to attend once a month or on a regular basis, each week is a stand alone topic. Make this your Best Lent Ever by attending a session at **6:45 am on Fridays** in the Seton Center Marian Room. ?'s contact Trey Rouse at strcincy@hotmail.com

Voyage - Young Adult Group

The Young Adult Group, for those in their 20's and 30's, meets regularly the First Tuesday of the Month ***(THIS WEEK, TUESDAY, FEB 6)*** for the 6:45 pm Mass and then gather afterwards in Seton Center. Follow on Facebook...(new page:) https://www.facebook.com/groups/VoyageStMary/

Questions? Contact: Kelsey Thome & Sam Gaier at voyage.stmary@gmail.com . Please join us!

THANK YOU!

We graciously thank these parishioners that lovingly and quickly decorated the Church for Christmas after the 11:30 am Mass in preparation the 3:00 pm Christmas Eve Mass on December 24.

Ron Lamping, Tollefson Family,
Angie Pfaller, and Pyles Family

Thank you to the crafty ladies for sharing your love and talent with the St. Mary Community. The crafty ladies fund the yearly subscription to ***Bringing Home the Word*** that you find every week in our bulletin.

Our Faith

The Word in Your Heart: A Reflection on today's scripture written by a St. Mary Parishioner

The Word In Your Heart

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mark 1:35. ***Rising very early before dawn, He left and went off to a deserted place, where he prayed.***

Jesus was certainly a sought-after person, called upon to cure the most worrisome health issues. In today's gospel we read that at the end of a busy day "They brought to him all who were ill or possessed by demons. The whole town was gathered at the door." In our lives, too, many of us experience demands for our time. At certain periods it can feel overwhelming and never-ending.

So how does Jesus deal with the pressure of his important work? "Rising very early before dawn, he left and went off to a deserted place, where he prayed." Prayer. So easy and sometimes so hard to do. But Jesus understood how important it was to find a quiet space, a deserted place, to seek guidance and direction in the monumental task of representing the kingdom of God. Then he could respond in a positive, affirming way when Simon found him and said, "Everyone is looking for you." Refreshed, inspired, and energized after prayer, Jesus replied, "Let us go on to the nearby villages that I may preach there also. For this purpose, have I come."

How can we feel refreshed, inspired, and energized? How can we as Catholic Christians take advantage of the simple act of prayer and share this amazing formula with others who seek support and purpose in their lives? In 2018, that probably equates to putting aside devices and placing ourselves in the presence of God. Even though technology offers many great tools to enhance our spiritual life, time away from them to just think, ponder, pray, and listen in a simple way can help ease the burden of our worries.

We can also hone the skill of sharing God's love with others through regular prayer. Perhaps we can take advantage of an early morning daily Mass, or attend a first Tuesday of the Month Holy Hour (coming this Tuesday, Feb. 6, immediately following the 6:45 pm Mass) to find that quiet place to pray.

Practice makes perfect—and every day is a fresh opportunity to start anew. I know I need to practice.

Beth Mock

Beth Mock *and her husband Jim, have been parishioners for many years and have two children that graduated from St. Mary School. Beth works for St. Mary handling school development and church communications.*

Writing a reflection on the Word of the Lord is a special way to go to a quiet place and pray. **The Word In Your Heart** welcomes new contributors of all ages—no writing experience required. Contact Janet Buening at 513-871-9294 or janetrehlingbuening@gmail.com for info and guidelines.

EVANGELIZATION COMMISSION

ST. MARY HYDE PARK: PARISH PLAN 2016-2020

MISSION

St. Mary Hyde Park will be a vibrant Catholic community of church and school where embers actively know, live and share their faith as disciples of Christ.

BELIEFS

† Our Catholic faith guides our personal choices so members fulfill their life's purpose.
† The role of the Parish is to enable its members to be disciples of Christ and faithful stewards of our earthly gifts.
† We form a community with our fellow parishioners in order to know, live and spread God's word.

Our members are grateful, compassionate, engaged and committed to seeking redemption in Christ.

OUTCOMES

† Know Christ
† Live Christ
† Share Christ

STRATEGIC IMPERATIVE

St. Mary Hyde Park will be a relevant and sustainable force in the lives of its members

What do YOU need to **+Know Christ + Live Christ + Share Christ +?** Call Margaret: 513-533-5500 ext. 5521

Men's Retreat - Lent as a Pilgrimage

Monsignor Frank Lane, professor emeritus and spiritual director, will guide you on a virtual Lenten pilgrimage.

- February 23 – 25, 2018
- Lady of the Holy Spirit Center
- Cost is $165 inclusive of overnight stay, meals and materials.

Register before February 20. For details and to register: https://2018-lenten-retreat.eventbrite.com or contact Larry Tracy 513-321-4879 or LTracy1@cinci.rr.com

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Bringing Home the Word

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time | February 4, 2018

You Are Not Alone

By Mary Katharine Deeley

Illness, depression, and misfortune can make us feel alone and afraid. We wonder whether anyone can understand what we're going through or help us.

The first five chapters of Mark's Gospel give us several healing stories in which Jesus, by touch or word, restores individuals to wholeness. He casts out demons. He cures the sick, like Simon's mother-in-law. The stories confirm what our faith tells us—that God's healing power is for all people and that good news lifts us and gives us joy.

But for those touched by the loneliness of infirmity of mind, body, or spirit, the stories alone might not be enough. Instead, the fervent prayer of the psalmist might be our grace: "The Lord …[heals] the brokenhearted" (Psalm 147:2–3). Or, our peace might rest in the simple knowledge of two often-overlooked lines from the Gospels: "They brought him many who were possessed by demons" (Matthew 8:16), and, "The whole town was gathered at the door" (Mark 1:33).

Simply put, everyone came, and no one was alone. No matter what our condition, we are not alone. Christ is there in our pain and suffering to give us the grace to endure. We're not always cured by human standards, but Christ helps us find wholeness no matter what we suffer—and in him we find our peace and our joy.

Isaiah told us that the name given to the Messiah was Emmanuel, which means "God with us."

In Christ, we see the evidence that God's promise has come true. +

"The Lord…[heals] the brokenhearted."

Psalm 147:2–3

Sunday Readings

Job 7:1–4, 6–7

My days are swifter than a weaver's shuttle; they come to an end without hope.

1 Corinthians 9:16–19, 22–23

I have become all things to all, to save at least some.

Mark 1:29–39

[Jesus said,] "Let us go on to the nearby villages that I may preach there also. For this purpose have I come."

A Word From Pope Francis

Jesus sends his disciples out to all nations....We too were part of all those people of two thousand years ago. Jesus did not provide a short list of who is, or is not, worthy of receiving his message and his presence. Instead, he always embraced life as he saw it.

—Canonization of Fr. Junípero Serra, September 23, 2015

REFLECTION QUESTIONS

- When you look around, what needs for the gospel of love do you see?
- Which of these needs can you fill as Jesus' apostle?

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Transforming Our Pain Into Sacred Wounds

By Richard Rohr, OFM

All religion is about transforming pain and what to do with that pain—the absurd, tragic, unjust experiences that make up our lives. The hurts, disappointments, and betrayals; the burdens of sinfulness and brokenness pile up throughout life. We must find a way to make our pain into sacred wounds. We must find a way to give meaning to our hurts and find God in that suffering. Our faith is a gift that helps us deal with life's tragedies.

Throughout history, literature has idealized people at the top: presidents and leaders who hold power and control the system. But biblical revelation turns history upside down with empathy for victims. It idealizes the bottom. It says that true power is not focused at the top. Then Jesus comes to epitomize that message by becoming poor, naked, and expelled—the one who teaches us that the way down is really the way up.

Our lesson is that we need to stop looking for meaning at the top and, instead, go to the edges and the bottom where we find those excluded and expelled. By his life and teaching, Jesus reminds us that we have to be rejected. We have to experience being on the outside before we have something to say.

This is the gift of biblical revelation. It's why we're the only religion that worships the victim, the one considered the problem by religious authorities.

God of Surprises

When Christians call Jesus the Lord of history—this bleeding, naked, crucified man—we are turning history around! We may not realize how scandalous and silly this seems to others. But when you think about it, the crucified Jesus is an unlikely candidate for God.

But this is the very Jesus who, through his teaching and life, reminds us to be careful where we look for God. Expect to find God in unexpected places, he tells us. And so it is in all of history: It has been the excluded ones and people at the bottom who have the privileged viewpoint. Why? Because it is from that position that we meet God, that we understand the illusion and lies of a system built on power, prestige, possessions. But until all that is taken from us, we don't know that. Until then we are simply playing the game, enjoying the fruits of the system.

Recall how Jesus sends his disciples to preach from a position of vulnerability. "Go out, take nothing for your journey," he tells them. Why? Because he knows they're going to fail and look like fools. They have to or they won't have a message to deliver.

Hard Truths

It's an initiation of sorts: Jesus sends his disciples into situations where people are going to laugh at them and consider them nobodies. Only when you are a nobody will you understand what it means to be somebody. That is when you will find your life on new ground. We call it the reign of God.

The Bible begins with a fall for a reason. The story of Adam and Eve is a microcosm of what will happen in every life. You and I will fall. Somewhere we will experience our own absurdity, our utter brokenness. This reality isn't something to hold off; it's a necessary, tragic, and beautiful part of the journey.

The answer to our pain is the Jesus who was rejected, betrayed, and abandoned; then hanged on a cross, bleeding and naked. The answer to our pain is the risen Christ, who reminds us that through pain we have new life. +

By his life and teaching, Jesus reminds us that we have to be rejected.

Lord, you hear the cry of the poor. Hear my cry for inner peace and happiness.

From *Peaceful Meditations for Every Day in Ordinary Time,*
Rev. Warren J. Savage
and Mary Ann McSweeny

WEEKDAY READINGS

February 5-10

Mon. St. Agatha:
1 Kgs 8:1–7, 9–13 / Mk 6:53–56

Tue. St. Paul Miki and Companions:
1 Kgs 8:22–23, 27–30 / Mk 7:1–13

Wed. Weekday:
1 Kgs 10:1–10 / Mk 7:14–23

Thu. Weekday:
1 Kgs 11:4–13 / Mk 7:24–30

Fri. Weekday:
1 Kgs 11:29–32; 12:19 / Mk 7:31–37

Sat. St. Scholastica: 1 Kgs 12:26–32; 13:33–34 / Mk 8:1–10

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Holy Hour at St. Mary

Tuesday, February 6th

Beginning after 6:45PM Mass
Ending with Benediction at 8:30PM

Holy Hour is the devotional tradition of spending an hour in Eucharistic adoration in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament. Father Ken will also be offering the Sacrament of Reconciliation This will be an excellent way to start your Lenten preparation for Easter.

"From the Eucharist comes strength to live the Christian life and zeal to share that life with others."

– St. Pope John Paul II

For questions, call Joe Conte at 833.5277

2018 Lenten Series
St. Mary Parish, Hyde Park

Join us for our Speaker Series held in the Marian Room of the Seton Center.

9:30 - 9:45 am - Coffee and donuts
9:45 am - 10:45 am - Speaker

Saturday, Feb. 17: The Transforming Discipleship of the Cross by Jeanne Hunt. We will explore the themes of the next weeks through the eyes of discipleship in practical ways that can transform the ways we live our faith.

Saturday, Feb. 24: Pope Francis and the Call to Prophetic Action by Mary Anne Bressler. A major focus of the papacy of Pope Francis has been a call to action. His words echo the call of the prophets of the Old Testament and of Jesus. How do we, as missionary disciples, respond to that call?

Saturday, Mar. 3: Loving God and Neighbor in the Liturgy by Fr. Ryan Ruiz. The Church's liturgy beautifully exemplifies the Great Commandment to love God and to love neighbor as ourselves. We examine the way that the Eucharist leads to the building of God's Kingdom on earth.

Saturday, Mar. 10: Walking With Others As Jesus Did by Fr. Norm Langenbrunner. Accompanying people is an essential part of our evangelizing others, what Pope Francis says is "the art of accompaniment." What are some of the ways and means of practicing that art?

Saturday, Mar. 17: Encounter: Be Open, Be Transformed, Be Love by Sr. Tracy Kemme, S.C. By sharing stories of encounter with people on the margins through ministry in Ecuador, Guatemala, and Cincinnati, we will reflect on how encounters allow us to "return with our whole hearts to the Lord" and live for the Reign of God.

Saturday, Mar. 24: Can We Get Serious Now? by Fr. Tom Dennemann. This Lent we've investigated what it means to get serious about understanding being called and being sent to evangelize our faith. Now we get serious about the what, why, and how to fulfill this call.

Lenten Series coordinated by the St. Mary Adult Faith Formation Committee.

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Weekly Marriage Tip

Marriage: "A committed, permanent, faithful relationship of husband and wife is the root of a family. It strengthens all the members, provides best for the needs of the children, and causes the church of the home to be an effective sign of Christ in the world." -- *U.S. Catholic Bishops, Follow the Way of Love: A Pastoral Message to Families, 1994.*

Weekly Parenting Pointer

"Studies indicate that teenagers from families who eat together regularly are less likely to get into trouble than those from families who rarely eat together. The family meal is a consistent place of gathering in which members of the household can feel a sense of belonging to a supportive and loving group. It sends a regular message to everyone present: 'You belong, you are loved.'" -- Kevin Anderson, Ph.D., *The 7 Spiritual Practices of Marriage*

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Month of February Devoted to the Holy Family

The month of February has been primarily associated with the Holy Family, probably due to the feast of Our Lord's presentation at the temple, celebrated on February 2. At the very outset of Christ's work on earth, God showed the world a family in which, as Pope Leo XIII teaches, "all men [and women] might behold a perfect model of domestic life, and of all virtue and holiness." The harmony, unity, and holiness which characterized this Holy Family make it the model for all Christian families. --*www.catholicculture.org*

How to Make the Stations of the Cross

You are invited and encouraged to pick up a copy of **"How to Make the Stations of the Cross"** handout located in the resource rack in the rear of the Church. (*Catholic Updates* are also located there.)

"The most important reason for reviving the practice of making the Stations of the Cross is that it is a powerful way to contemplate and enter into the mystery of Jesus' gift of himself to us." --*Creighton University*

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