

The Basilica of Saint Mary of the Assumption



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April 23, 2023
Third Sunday of Easter

SUNDAY MASSES - Saturday 5:30 PM; Sunday 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 PM
CONFESSIONS - Saturday 3:30-5:00 PM (or anytime by appointment)
BAPTISMS - Contact Parish Office
WEDDINGS - Contact Parish Office *six months* in advance

Rector - Rev. Msgr. John Michael Campbell (fatherjmike@gmail.com)
Parochial Vicar - Rev. Edward Maxfield Jr. (emaxfield@diostaub.org)
Permanent Deacon - Rev. Mr. Lee Weisend
Music Director - Mr. John Ontko (740-350-4224, ontkotb@suddenlink.net)
St. Mary School - 320 Marion St, 740-374-8181 (www.stmaryscatholic.org)
School Principal - Elizabeth Tokodi (elizabethtokodi@stmaryscatholic.org)
DRE - Mrs. Deborah Coty - (dmcoty22@gmail.com)
K of C Grand Knight - Mr. Pete Saliba (304-494-6170)
Parish Council President - Luke Strahler - 614-309-8876
CWC President - Jenn Tinkler
Hibernians - Mr. William Rathbone (740) 374-5492
Prayer Line - & Eucharistic Adoration, Mrs. Shelly Medley (740-525-6360)
Health Ministry - Mrs. Janet Jaeger (740-374-6768)
Daily Bread Kitchen - Mrs. Carol Henshaw (740-885-1181)
St. Vincent De Paul - Help Line (740-376-1334)
Welcoming Committee - Jim Naylor (740) 350-5510
Divine Mercy Gift Shop - Barb Ritchie (740) 538-4733

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Sat 5:30 PM - Bobbie Heiss
Sun 8:00 AM - Anna Spindler
10:00 AM - Karen Offenberger
12:00 PM - People of the Parish
Mon 7:45 AM - Herman Offenberger
12:05 PM - Anne Gruber
Tue 7:45 AM - Frank Schilling
10:00 AM - Funeral Mass,
Ethel Rose Schoepner
12:05 PM - Nathan Heiss
Wed 7:45 AM - David Erb
12:05 PM - Virginia Huck
Thu 7:45 AM - Robert Heiss
12:05 PM - Nathan Heiss
Fri 7:45 AM - Mary Neader Strahler
12:05 PM - Albert & Bertha Neader
Sat 9:00 AM - Norma Jean Adams,
1st Anniversary of Death
5:30 PM - Jim Archer, 6th Anniversary
Sun 8:00 AM - Justin Carney
10:00 AM - Mark Bradley
12:00 PM - People of the Parish

*Lord Jesus, open the Scriptures to us; make our hearts
burn while you speak to us.*

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY:

Acts 2: 14a,36-41; 1 Pt 2:20b-25; Jn 10:1-10.

REST IN PEACE:

Ethel Rose Schoepner died April 14th. We will celebrate her entrance into eternal life at her Funeral Mass this Tuesday morning (April 25th). We offer our deepest condolences to her family and will remember Ethel in prayer. May she rest in God's eternal peace.

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Bulletin announcements must be in by Wednesday morning in order to be included in the following weekend's bulletin. Announcements must be in writing. We do not accept them by phone.

BASILICA BOOK CLUB:

The April Book for the Basilica Book Club is The Fisherman's Tomb, By John O'Neil. This is a true story of the Vatican's Secret Search. The Basilica Book Club will meet on Wednesday, April 26th at 6:00 PM in the Basilica Social Hall. All are welcome to attend.

VISITORS WELCOME! We welcome any visitors who are joining us for Mass this weekend. We hope your stay in Marietta is enjoyable. Any new parishioners at the Basilica are asked to please register with the parish office.

PARISH OFFICES are open from 1:00 PM until 4:00 PM on Mondays and from 9:00 AM until 4:00 PM Tuesday through Friday, with a lunch break from Noon until 1:00 PM each day.

MEETINGS AND EVENTS

TODAY	6:00 PM	-	Cross Fire Youth Group in the Basilica Social Hall.
MON	6:15 PM	-	Our Lady of Perpetual Help Devotions. See announcement.
	7:00 PM	-	RCIA in the Basilica Social Hall.
WED	8:20 AM	-	7:00 PM – Eucharistic Adoration in the Chapel of the English Martyrs.
	6:00 PM	-	To 7:15 PM – LAST Grade School Religious Education Classes at Saint Mary Catholic School.
	6:00 PM	-	Basilica Book Club Meeting in the Basilica Social Hall.
THU	8:30 AM	-	Cleaning the Basilica.
FRI	8:20AM	-	7:00 PM – Eucharistic Adoration in the Chapel of the English Martyrs.
SAT	9:00 AM	-	First Communion Retreat.

The Lord Will Never Be Outdone In Generosity!

Total collection last weekend: \$ 12,213.00

Amount needed each weekend for
the Basilica budget: \$14,225.00

God bless those who support our Basilica Parish!

ONLINE GIVING

Online giving is available at the Basilica. For more information, please visit this website:

<http://www.stmarysmarietta.org> and go to the left side of the web page. Click on the GIVE ONLINE button to see more information or to sign up.

BASILICA FOUNDATION:

A fund has been established by the Marietta Community Foundation for the maintenance and repairs of our Basilica. This fund is separate from the monthly maintenance collection. Our goal is to have One Million Dollars in the fund before using it.

2023 DIOCESAN/PARISH SHARE CAMPAIGN

This year our parish goal is \$115,639.21. This is an increase of \$4,381.21 over last year. So far, the Diocese has received \$64,022 from our parish. This means that our parish has only met 55% of our goal.

If you have not yet made a pledge, please consider doing so. We have always met and surpassed our goal. Please help us do so again this year. We are so grateful to all of those parishioners who have already contributed. God bless you for your generosity to our Diocese and our parish.

SAINT MARY SCHOOL NEWS

Irish Got Talent (IGT) Talent Show will be in the new gym on Friday, April 28th at 7:00 PM. This is a Student Council sponsored activity with all donations going to a fund for cancer for a local family. All who make donations will receive a Chinese lantern to be let off after the talent show that evening. Service and community, a treasured lesson at St. Mary Catholic School.

The St. Mary Catholic School Spring Art & Music Show is scheduled for Wednesday, May 17th. Doors open at 5:30 PM for the Art exhibits and 6:30 PM for the music portion in the new gym.

There will be an All School Open House on Tuesday, April 25th from 9:00 AM until 3:00 PM for the 2023 -2024 Academic Year. Please enter through the Parish Center doors for tours. Questions may be directed to Mrs. Tammi Bradley at tammibradley@stmaryscatholic.org.

CATHECIST DAY OF FORMATION

Saturday, May 20th, Ironton

Saturday, May 27th, Carrollton

A day of formation, fellowship and prayer. Diocese of Steubenville, 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM
Breakfast and Lunch will be provided. The event is designed to encourage and equip catechists so that they can better hand on the faith to your learners. The day will include the celebration of Mass, lunch and discussion groups and keynote speaker, Bill Keiming, Assistant Director of Catechetical Institute.

RSVP: BHUZOVIC@DIOSTEUB.ORG

DONUT SUNDAY

Beginning this May, the first Sunday of every month will be Donut Sunday. Please join us in the Social Hall after the 8:00 AM or 10:00 AM Mass to enjoy fellowship and donuts/coffee! These Sundays will be a great opportunity to spend time with fellow parishioners. Our first date will be Sunday, May 7th. Hope to see you there!

DIVINE MERCY GIFT SHOP

First Holy Communion is a special occasion for girls and boys as they receive Jesus in the Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist. If you are looking for a special gift to cherish the moment, Divine Mercy Gift Shop will have that perfect gift for you. Stop in and check out the new line of items.

Do not forget Mom. Mothers' Day will soon be here. There are also many special gifts for Baptism, Weddings, Memorial, and for any loved one. The gift shop is open in the social hall after all weekend Masses.

If you prefer to shop during the week, please call Barb at 740-538-4733 to arrange a time.

SCHEDULING MEETINGS AND EVENTS

Please check with the parish office before scheduling a meeting in the Basilica Social Hall, Conference Room or using the Basilica Kitchen.

If you change the time or date of a previously scheduled meeting, please be sure the new time is available. All meetings and events must be put in the master book in the parish office.

LIVING JOY

Through a donation, the book Living Joy by Chris Stefanick will be available for checkout in the parish library. Due to the content that asks for reflection, the book will be discussed at the June meeting of the Basilica Book Club. There are plenty of copies and this will give everyone time to have the book read and have "food for thought"

PRAY FOR THOSE IN THE MILITARY

We pray for all of the men and women who are serving our country in the military. We especially remember those from our own parish and friends and relatives of our parishioners. May God watch over them and keep them safe.

STEAK FRY

There will be a Steak Fry on April 28th at the K of C Hall #478, 312 Franklin Street. Hours are 5:30 PM until 7:30 PM. The cost is \$20 per meal which will include your choice of steak or chicken, baked potato, salad, roll & dessert. Reservations are required by April 25th. Text or call Matt at 330-243-5550 or email milom2210@gmail.com.

Proceeds to benefit Tony Offenberger for State Warden, Ohio State Council.

5TH SUNDAY ROSARY

Knights of Columbus will be praying the rosary before all Masses on Sunday April 30th (7:30 AM, 9:30 AM and 11:30 AM). All parishioners are invited to join us.

WELCOMING COMMITTEE INFORMATION

Our welcoming committee would like to begin contacting new parishioners again. All organizations are invited to put information into the welcoming packet. Most organizations have a letter in existing packet, but most likely it needs to be up-dated. Please type a letter to be put in the welcoming packet and send it to the parish office as soon as possible. Packets will be given to new parishioners.

MAY CROWNING AND PARISH DINNER Wednesday, May 3rd at 6:00 PM.

You are invited to join us for a very special evening, giving honor to Mary, Mother of Our Lord.

We will begin with Mass and crowning the statue of Our Blessed Mother at 6:00 PM. If you wish, bring a flower to lie at her feet.

Following May Crowning, a complimentary light dinner will be served in the Basilica Social Hall. Everyone is invited.

Return the reservation form in the collection basket, or sign up at the entrances of the Basilica.

Contact Janet at 740-350-0019. Deadline is April 30th.

May Crowning Reservation

Name ----- Number in party -----

MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEKEND OF April 29 & 30

	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Lectors	Altar Servers
Sat:	Missy Deskins (CAPT) (swap request)		Matthias Grueneberg
5:30	Amy Brockett (HOST)	Teri Ann Pfeffer	Liam Long
	Cathy Harper (HOST)		Parker Crum
	Sandy George (CHALICE) (swap req.)		
	John Coty (CHALICE)		
Sun:	Suzanne Baker CAPT)	Jaclyn Schwieterman	Babs Douglass
8:00	Sharon Loken (HOST)		Charles Kremer
	Carol Antill (HOST)		Joe Flaherty
	David Baker (CHALICE)		Mike Iaderosa
	John Douglass (CHALICE)		
10:00	Gary Pitt (CAPT)	Jamie Spencer	Carson Cunningham
	Carol O'Grady (HOST)		Kenzi Cunningham
	Joel Erb (HOST)		Matthew Cunningham
	Gerald Cooke CHALICE)		Mary Tokodi Ruth
	Ken Masselli (CHALICE) (swap req.)		
12:00	Joyce Huck (CAPT)	Mary LaBarre	Kingston McMahan
	Elizabeth Tokodi (HOST)		Annie Tokodi Ruth
	Stan Vanlandingham (HOST)		Anthony Discini
	Dennis Nau (CHALICE)		Eric Pfeffer
	Irene Cain (CHALICE)		

Week of April 24 7:45	Annie Tokodi Ruth	Saturday, April 29, 9:00 AM – Not Filled
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