



ST. MARK

— CATHOLIC CHURCH —

ST. JAMES, MISSION PARISH

OCTOBER 20, 2024

29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

WELCOME

Church Staff

Rev. Paul S. Siebert, Pastor
Sr. Frances Therese Matia, SSJ, Pastoral Minister
Jennifer Abriatis, Faith Formation Facilitator
Joseph DeSio, Financial Council Moderator
Dan Martuccio, Pastoral Council President
Don Fapore, St. Mark Cemetery (486-1119)
Kimberly McFall, Office Manager

Contact Information

Rectory Office: 814-486-0569
Monday through Thurs. 9:00a.m. to 3:00p.m.
Friday, 9 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
Faith Formation Center: 814-486-0784
St. Mark Community Day Care Center:
814-486-2399

Sacrament of the Reconciliation

Wednesday at 6:00 pm, Saturday at 3:15 pm
Anytime by appointment

Baptisms

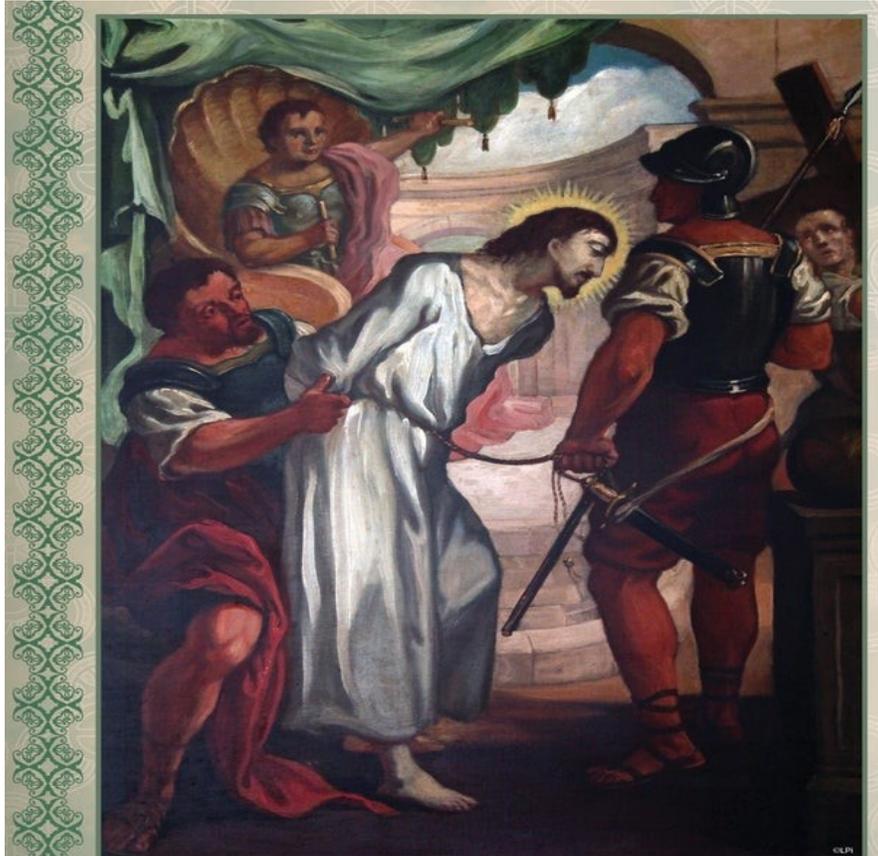
At all Sunday liturgies and outside of Mass
after 9:00 am Mass. Parents and Sponsors must
attend Baptismal Preparation Class. Call the
rectory for arrangements.

Sacrament of Matrimony

Please call the rectory for arrangements six
months prior to the wedding.

Prayer Requests

Margaret Burnside, 814-486-0344 or online @
www.stmarkemporium.org or
oursmprayers@gmail.com



29th SUNDAY *in ordinary time*

"For the Son of Man did not come to be served but to serve and
to give his life as a ransom for many." - Mk 10:45

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MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, OCT. 21

8:15 AM **ROGER & MILLIE CLARK**

(June Caldwell)
(Eph 2:1-10; Lk 12:13-21)

TUESDAY, OCT. 22

8:15 AM **STEVEN HORVATH**

(The Family)
(Eph 2:12-22; Lk 12:35-38)

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 23

4:15 PM **KENNETH DEAN**

STRUCKER (ANNIV.)

(Wife, Hilda)
(Eph 3:2-12; Lk 12:39-48)

THURSDAY, OCT. 24

8:15 AM **SPECIAL INTENTION**

(Gerry Smith)
(Eph 3:14-21; Lk 12:49-53)

FRIDAY, OCT. 25

No Mass

(Eph 4:1-6; Lk 12:54-59)

SATURDAY, OCT. 26

ST. MARK **4:00 PM**

**LIVING AND DECEASED MEMBERS
OF THE FRAGALE FAMILY**
(Vince & Molly Fragale)

SUNDAY, OCT. 27 **9:00 AM**

PEOPLE OF THE PARISHES

(The Pastor)
(Is 53:10-11; Heb 4:14-16; Mk 10:35-45)

2 Worship Together

OCTOBER 20, 2024

**EXTRAORDINARY
MINISTERS:**

LECTORS:

ALTAR SERVERS:

SATURDAY, OCT. 26

C. Dankesreiter, V. Fragale
& L. Summerson

4:00 PM

Mary Dixon

Hailey & Addison
McAulay

SUNDAY, OCT. 27

F. & MJ Guido
& Volunteer

9:00 AM

John English

Cambree & Harper
Stuart

FRIDAY NOV. 1 ~FIRST FRIDAY~ & ~ALL SAINTS DAY~

8:15 AM

A. Slottje & A. DeMatz

Fred Guido

Andy DeLucia

5:00 PM

C. Malize & M. Fragale

Dave Malize

Hailey & Addison
McAulay

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

SUNDAY	(20th)	9:00 AM – 29th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME <i>FAMILY MASS (grades 1-10)</i> <i>SACRAMENTAL ENROLLMENT</i> <i>Grades 2, 3 & Confirmation</i>
		10:00-11:30 AM - Edge and Confirmation Sessions
MONDAY	(21st)	4:15 PM - Rosary
TUESDAY	(22nd)	4:15 PM - Rosary <i>4:15 PM - PARISH COUNCIL MEETING</i>
WEDNESDAY	(23rd)	3:30-5:00 PM - Faith Formation Session Grades 1-5 <i>4:15 PM - DAILY MASS with Faith Formation Students</i> 6:00 PM - HOLY HOUR <i>ADORATION INTENTION</i> CONFESSION <i>Vocations to Priesthood</i> <i>& Religious Life</i> 6:30 PM - Rosary 7:00 PM - BENEDICTION
THURSDAY	(24th)	4:15 PM - Rosary
FRIDAY	(25th)	4:15 PM - Rosary
SATURDAY	(26th)	3:15 PM - CONFESSION 4:00 PM - VIGIL MASS @ ST. MARK
SUNDAY	(27th)	9:00 AM - 30th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 10:00-11:30 AM - Edge and Confirmation Sessions

GOSPEL: MARK 10:35-45

AMBITION OF JAMES AND JOHN

QUESTION OF THE WEEK:

Adult: Why is it hard to do good works if you will not be acknowledged for them?

Youth: Are you willing to do a good deed even if no one knows that you did it? Why?

ST. MARK MASS ATTENDANCE

SAT. OCT. 12	4:00 PM - 78
ST. JAMES	5:30 PM - 43
SUN. OCT. 13	9:00AM - 105

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

(10/12-13/2024)

ST. MARK: \$3,684.00

ST. JAMES: \$185.00

*Thank you for
returning some of God's gift to
you to His Church.*



**ST. MARK
PARISH
COUNCIL MEETING**

TUES. OCT. 22nd

**Please meet in Church @
4:15 p.m. for Rosary...meeting will
following in O'Connell Hall.**



The Rosary will be prayed
every weekday @ 4:15 PM
in October.

*(Exception... Wed. Rosary
will be prayed @ 6:30 PM)*



CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS GIVING PROGRAM

This program is for children ages birth through 12th grade. Please consider making a child's Christmas brighter by donating through St. Mark's Giving Crib.

Important dates:

Fri. Oct. 18th - Registration packets available at Chamber Office & back of St. Mark Church

REGISTRATION OPENS MONDAY, OCTOBER 21st

NOV. 13th—DEADLINE for packets to be returned.

November 21, (Thursday) ~ Gingerbread Tags will be available in the Giving Crib on our Altar at St Mark Church! Also Tags will be placed on trees at businesses throughout Emporium.

December 8, (Sunday) ~ Deadline for unwrapped gifts with the Gingerbread Tags securely attached, can be dropped off at St Mark Church by Infant Prague Statue.

Please remember this deadline date because all gifts will then need to be sorted and will be distributed to families on Dec.12th.





29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Gospel: Mark 10:35-45

When James and John brazenly demand of Jesus, "Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you," they reverse the usual dynamics of the disciple/teacher relationship. By acquiescing with "What do you wish me to do for you?" Jesus accepts the role reversal they placed on him. By responding in this way, Jesus reveals another reversal: glory is given not to those who seek to be "first among" others but to those who choose to serve others by giving their lives for them. Out of which reversal do we live?



ALL SOULS REMEMBRANCE BOOK

has been placed in the back of the church for you to write the names of your deceased loved ones to be remembered.

During the month of November the book will be placed near the altar in the sanctuary. Reading of names of deceased will be on **FRI. NOV. 1st at 8:15 AM & 5:00 PM**



The Sanctuary Lamps burn before the Blessed



Sacrament this week **IN LOVING MEMORY of my cousin, CAROL CAGGESO SIDLER**
From: Don Faporo



TODAY IS WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Today is World Mission Sunday. We join Catholics around the globe in supporting the mission of the Church in places where the faith is young, growing, or facing particular challenges. Your generous contributions today will make a significant impact on the lives of many and help spread the Gospel message to all corners of the world.

Thank you for your prayers and support.



ROSARY SOCIETY RAFFLE

St. Mark Rosary Society is selling chances to win these two handmade & hand painted blocks of St. Mark & St. James churches.

These beautiful church blocks are handmade by Bernie Oswald! Raffle tickets will be sold after masses on Oct. 19-20, Oct. 26-27 & Nov. 2-3.

Raffle tickets are \$1.00 a chance.

If you'd like to purchase for yourself or a gift, the St. Mark block is \$45.00 and the St. James block is \$30.00.



CHILDREN'S MASS

Join us and our Faith Formation children for Mass on **Wed. Oct. 23rd @ 4:15 PM**



LECTOR MEETING

Lectors, mark your calendar for a time of prayer and updates, Thurs. Nov. 7th at 6:30 PM. There we will receive our 2025 Lector Workbooks.

FAMILY



TODAY SUN., OCT. 20th, the 9:00 AM Mass will be our

FAMILY DAY MASS SACRAMENTAL ENROLLMENT



for 2nd & 3rd Grade as well as for Confirmation students will take place at this mass.

FIRST RECONCILIATION STUDENTS:

Payton Cook, Hallie Schager & Matthias Speath

FIRST COMMUNION STUDENTS:
Alana Barnes, Bentlee Dixon, Dominic Fragale, Elizabeth Kane, Archangelo Violette & Carter Walker

CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES:
Mitchell Copp, Sophie Cummings & Addison McAulay

Please keep these students and their families in your daily prayers as they begin their Sacramental journeys.

Family session will begin following morning mass in O'Connell Hall.

All are invited!

Donations Accepted

MISSION OF FRIENDSHIP

The Mission of Friendship is at a critical juncture in its 56 year history. Due to many factors, including, ever-rising costs of operations, very limited funding and an unfavorable dollar-peso exchange rate, the Nueva Vida School for Girls, the daycare, and the mission as a whole, continue to face substantial deficits to their already bare-bones budget. We are working on long range fundraising strategies both in Merida and in the US, however, just for the next three months, there is a deficit of almost \$10,000.00. If this deficit cannot be bridged, the Nueva Vida and daycare program are in danger of being cut. If you or someone you know would like to make a donation, please write a check payable to: "Mission of Friendship", and send to: Office of Diocesan and International Missions, Attn: Indira Suarez 429 E. Grandview Blvd, Erie, Pa 16504



CC Food Pantry CC Food Pantry is in need of donors for upcoming holidays as rising food costs and increased number of people receiving boxes. Cost for holiday turkeys and hams will be very high. Donations can be dropped in the collection basket, or taken to the rectory marked Food Pantry. Please consider giving a monthly donation to CCFP.