

**JUNE 30, 2024** | **13TH 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](http://www.stmarkemporium.org) or  
[oursmprayers@gmail.com](mailto:oursmprayers@gmail.com)



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He took the child by the hand and said to her,  
 "Talitha koum," which means, "Little girl, I say  
 to you, arise!" - Mk 5:41

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**MASS INTENTIONS**

**MONDAY, JULY 1**

**8:15 AM EUGENE & ROSE TRONCONE**  
 (Chris Troncone)  
 (Am 2:6-10, 13-16; Mt 8:18-22)

**TUESDAY, JULY 2**

**No Mass**  
 (Am 3:1-8, 4:11-12; Mt 8:23-27)

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 3**

**8:15 AM ROY & FAY DUNKLE**  
 (Deb Dunkle)  
 (Eph 2:19-22; Jn 20:24-29)

**THURSDAY, JULY 4**

**No Mass**  
 (Am 7:10-17; Mt 9:1-8)

**FRIDAY, JULY 5 ~ FIRST FRIDAY**

**8:15 AM SR. THERESE BOHREN S.S.J.**  
 (Carole, Brian & Family)

**5:00 PM BEN BAGNATO**

(Fr. Paul Siebert)  
 (Am 8:4-6, 9-12; Mt 9:9-13)

**SATURDAY, JULY 6 4:00 PM**

**ST. MARK DANIEL CLONAN (ANNIV.)**  
 (The Family)

**ST. JAMES 5:30 PM**

**FRANK & Nanci FRAGALE**  
 (Aletha, Christine & Families)

**SUNDAY, JULY 7 9:00 AM**

**PEOPLE OF THE PARISHES**  
 (The Pastor)  
 (Ez 2:2-5; 2 Cor 12:7-10; Mk 6:1-6a)

# 2 Worship Together

JUNE 30, 2024

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS:	LECTORS:	ALTAR SERVERS:
<b>FRIDAY, JULY 5 ~ FIRST FRIDAY</b>		
8:15 AM N/A 5:00 PM N/A	Fred Guido Dave Malize	Andy DeLucia Volunteer
<b>SATURDAY, JULY 6</b>		
C. Dankesreiter, A. DeMatz & M. Fragale	4:00 PM Ralph Grovanz	Hailey & Addison McAulay
<b>ST. JAMES</b>		
	5:30 PM Bob Dayton	
<b>SUNDAY, JULY 7</b>		
K. Aikens, A. Aikens & A. DeLucia	9:00 AM Vicki Songer	Mira & Brynn Cooper

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

SUNDAY (30th)	9:00 AM - 13TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
FRIDAY (5th)	8:15 AM & 5:00 PM—FIRST FRIDAY MASSES
SATURDAY (6th)	9:00 AM-1:00 PM—ROSARY SOCIETY YARD SALE
	3:15 PM - CONFESSION
	4:00 PM - VIGIL MASS @ ST. MARK
	5:30 PM - MASS @ ST. JAMES
SUNDAY (7th)	9:00 AM - 14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**GOSPEL: MARK 5:21-43**

**THE DAUGHTER OF JAIRUS**

**QUESTION OF THE WEEK:**

**Adult:** When have you felt enriched by a sacrifice you made for another?

**Youth:** Whom could you help by your acts of kindness this week?

## ST. MARK MASS

### ATTENDANCE

SAT. JUNE 22 4:00 PM - 80  
ST. JAMES 5:30 PM - 23  
SUN. JUNE 23 9:00AM - 105

### OFFERTORY

### COLLECTION

(6/22-23/2024)

ST. MARK: \$3,041.00

ST. JAMES: \$132.00

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



*Wednesday night Holy Hour and Confessions will not occur JULY 3rd, due to the Independence Day Holiday.*



**IN YOUR CHARITY,** please pray for the soul of

**SUSIE MURRAY** who passed away recently. May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen

## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL



JULY 22nd-26th 6-8 PM  
Cameron County Fair Grounds  
**ALL ARE WELCOME**

The Theme this year is: **UNDER THE SEA**  
If you'd like to volunteer, please call Jen Abriatis @ 814-335-4871

## DIOCESE RECOGNIZING WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES



The 2024 Diocesan Anniversary Celebration liturgies for couples celebrating 25, 40, 50, 60 or more years of marriage will be held at two locations in the diocese.

Sunday, Aug. 4th @ 2:00 PM at St. George Church, Erie and  
Sunday, Aug. 18th @ 2:00 PM at St. Tobias in Brockway.

For more information and to register, go to [www.erieccd.org/familylifeoffice/anniv.html](http://www.erieccd.org/familylifeoffice/anniv.html) or contact your parish or the Faith Formation Office at 814-824-1210.



*An generous donation, made by an anonymous donor, was made to St. Mark Faith Formation Library in honor of:*  
**George & Jeanne Pipas' 60th Wedding Anniversary,**  
**Jim & Mary Laughlin's 60th Wedding Anniversary**  
*and*  
**Art & Rita May's 50th Wedding Anniversary**



## ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

### BUS TRIP

Sight & Sound Theatre, Lancaster

### "DANIEL"

Wed. Aug. 21, 2024  
Showtime: 11:00 AM

Bus leaves St. Joseph Church @ 6:30 AM

Dinner "on your own" @ Cracker Barrel - Lancaster

Please call Bernadette @ 814-371-0108 for cost.

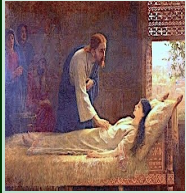
Sign up by July 1, 2024

## BAPTISMAL PREPARATION CLASS @ ST. MARK

**THURSDAY, AUG. 20, 2024**

Please call the rectory @ 486-0569 if you're in need of classes for an upcoming baptism.





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**Gospel: Mark 5:21-43**

The **Gospel** is about two healing incidents in the life of Jesus, healings which show that Jesus willed life, and willed full life. The Greek word for being healed also means being saved: to be brought to full life is the essence of salvation.

## ROSARY SOCIETY ANNUAL YARD SALE

Happening  
**NEXT WEEKEND....**

**JULY 6, 2024**

**9:00 AM – 1:00 PM**

Be sure to stop down and take a look around. There's lots of treasures for everyone! Have fun & spend lots of money!



## HAPPY INDEPENDENCE DAY

*There will not be a Daily Mass on Thursday, July 4th. Join us on July 5th @ 8:15 AM or 5:00 PM for Mass to pray for our country!*

God, source of all freedom, this day is bright with the memory of those who declared that life and liberty are your gift to every human being. Help us to continue a good work begun long ago. Make our vision clear and our will strong: that only in human solidarity will we find liberty, and justice, only in the honor that belongs to every life on earth. Turn our hearts toward the family of nations: to understand the ways of others, to offer friendship, and to find safety only in the common good of all.

**MAY GOD BLESS OUR GREAT NATION.**

## COMING SOON.....

**ST. MARK/ST. JAMES PARISH PICNIC**

Mark your calendar!

**SUNDAY, AUG. 25TH**

11:00 am Mass with picnic and fun to follow at the Rod & Gun Club!



## THURSDAY NIGHT ROSARY

*Due to the Fourth of July Holiday, we will not be reciting the Rosary on July 4th....*

*Reminder, Thursday night Rosary will meet in O'Connell Hall during summer months (July/Aug.) at 6:30 PM.*



## PETER'S PENCE

Today is the Peter's Pence Collection, a

worldwide collection that supports the work of the Universal Church, including the work of the Holy See and the charitable works of Pope Francis. Take this opportunity to join with Pope Francis and be a sign of mercy to our suffering brothers and sisters. *Please be generous today.*



## FIRST FRIDAY, JULY 5, 2024

Please join us for mass at 8:15 AM or 5:00 PM.

Adoration is between 8:30 AM & 5:00 PM. Please consider spending time with the Blessed Sacrament.



## ST. MARK/ST. JAMES LITURGIES

Please keep spreading the word to invite people back to mass. Tell them they are missed!

## Personal Days of Renewal ~ Bethany Retreat



Do you find yourself stressed? Overwhelmed? In personal spiritual crisis? Exhausted from caring for others? Do you just need to "unplug" from the daily grind? How are you taking care of yourself spiritually, physically, and emotionally? You can't pour from an empty cup. You are invited to take some time for yourself on a personal retreat to focus on caring for yourself and fill up your cup.

Bethany Retreat Center is offering personal days of renewal for those who want to get away for a day, overnight, or a few days to rest, relax, rejuvenate, reconnect, and rejoice. Take time to walk the grounds or the labyrinth, visit the Mary grotto, enjoy the scenery on a hike to the cross on the hill, sit and contemplate, pray in peace, or do whatever fills your personal cup. We offer a comfortable place to rest and home cooked meals to nourish your body, mind, and soul. Schedule a session of soul friending while you are here for a spiritual uplift.

Looking to have a silent getaway? We also have the option to stay by yourself in our Prayer Center. The Prayer Center features a small kitchenette with a microwave, toaster and refrigerator for those interested in making their own meals. Utilize the Prayer Center for all your spiritual needs during your stay. Call us today and we can help you build a Personal Days retreat that will fulfill your mind, body and spirit. Call 814-263-4855 to Register! For more information call 814-263-4855 or email [bethanyretreatcenter@gmail.com](mailto:bethanyretreatcenter@gmail.com) To register go to [www.bethanyretreatcenter.org](http://www.bethanyretreatcenter.org)