



JUNE 8, 2025

PENTECOST SUNDAY

WELCOME

Church Staff

Rev. Paul S. Siebert, *Pastor*
 Sr. Frances Therese Matia, SSJ, *Pastoral Minister*
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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



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[Jesus said to his disciples:] "Whoever loves me will keep my
 word, and my Father will love him, and we will come to him
 and make our dwelling with him." - Jn 14:23

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MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, JUNE 9

8:15 AM ARTHUR & ROSE BOGART

(The Family)
 (Acts 1:12-14; Jn 19:25-34)

TUESDAY, JUNE 10

NO MASS

(2 Cor 1:18-22; Mt 5:13-16)

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 11

8:15 AM MARY L. SWIDERSKI

(Felix J. & Nicki Swiderski)
 (Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3; Mt 5:17-19)

THURSDAY, JUNE 12

8:15 AM PAUL AUGUSTINE

(Mary Grace Minard)
 (2 Cor 3:15—4:1,3-6; Mt 5:20-26)

FRIDAY, JUNE 13

NO MASS

(2 Cor 4:7-15; Mt 5:27-32)

SATURDAY, JUNE 14

ST. MARK

4:00 PM

PEOPLE OF THE PARISHES

(The Pastor)

ST. JAMES

5:30 PM

CALVIN & EUNICE HUGAR

(Marie Hugar)

SUNDAY JUNE 15

9:00 AM

SPECIAL INTENTION

(Matthew & Regina Clark)
 (Prv 8:22-31; Rom 5:1-5; Jn 16:12-15)

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EXTRAORDINARY**MINISTERS:****SATURDAY, JUNE 14****ST. MARK**C. Malize, A. Slottje &
M. Fragale**ST. JAMES****SUNDAY, JUNE 15**L. Purcell, L. Lion &
Volunteer**LECTORS:****4:00 PM**

Ralph Grovanz

5:30 PM

Laura Zoschg

9:00 AM

Mary Meisel

ALTAR SERVERS:

Emilia & Mitchell Copp

Kamden & Beau Fragale

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**SUNDAY (8th) 9:00 AM - PENTECOST SUNDAY****WEDNESDAY (11th) 6:00 PM - Holy Hour**

Confession

7:00 PM - Benediction

THURSDAY (12th) 6:30 PM - Rosary**SATURDAY (14th) 3:15 PM - Confession**

4:00 PM - VIGIL MASS @ ST. MARK

5:30 PM - MASS @ ST. JAMES, DRIFTWOOD

SUNDAY (15th) 9:00 AM - THE MOST HOLY TRINITY**FATHER'S DAY****INTENTION:***Legal Protection of
the Unborn Child***GOSPEL: JOHN 14:15-16, 23B-26****THE ADVOCATE****Question of the week:****Adult:** What gift of service have you received from the Holy Spirit and how well are you using it right now?**Youth:** What gift do you hope to receive from the Holy Spirit? How could you use it to serve others?**SISTER MERCEDES***Will be**celebrating her***97TH BIRTHDAY ON****JULY 1, 2025**If you'd like to send
Sr. Mercedes a Happy Birthday
wish, her address is:*Sister Mercedes Miscovich
PO Box 448, DuBois, Pa. 15801***ST. MARK ROSARY SOCIETY ANNUAL YARD SALE****JULY 5th, 9 AM-1 PM @ St. Mark parking lot.**

Be sure to save your 'treasures' as you begin your spring cleaning! As always, we cannot accept computers, TV's, calculators, clothes or undergarments.

Donations can be dropped off **Tuesdays and/or Thursdays**
through June 26th from **5:00 PM to 6:00 PM**. Please bring all items to the back of the Faith Formation building...room 6 (nearest to Fr. Paul's driveway). If you need your donations to be picked up, please call Josie DeSio @ 814-486-1968 or

Art May @ 814-486-0787 to arrange date and time for pick up.

*Donations
Accepted***Food Bank
Collection Week:**

The 2nd Sunday of every month is Cameron County Community Food Pantry Collection Sunday. Please bring non-perishable food items and drop them in the designated location at the church.

If you'd prefer a monetary donation, please place an envelope labeled 'Food Bank' in the collection. Thank you so very much for your help providing food to individuals and families of Cameron County.

- Cameron County Ministerial Association.

**Up coming retreats at
Bethany Retreat Center,
Frenchville PA****Introduction to Centering Prayer**

June 13-15, 2025 \$275.00

Sr. Ruth Ann - Facilitator

11th Step Retreat

June 27- 29, 2025 \$325.00

Nancy Cord Baran and Michael
GidlewskiAll the retreat information can be found
on our website:anawimministries.com**ST. MARK MASS****ATTENDANCE**

SAT. MAY 24 4:00 PM - 131

ST. JAMES 5:30 PM - 51

SUN. MAY 25 9:00 AM - 114

SAT. MAY 31 4:00 PM - 90

ST. JAMES 5:30 PM - 24

SUN. JUNE 1 9:00 AM - 101

OFFERTORY**COLLECTION**

(5/24-25/2025)

ST. MARK: \$4,785.00

ST. JAMES: \$370.00

(5/31-6/1/2025)

ST. MARK: \$4,790.00

ST. JAMES: \$395.00

*Thank you for returning
some of God's gift to you
back to His church!*



PENTECOST SUNDAY

Pentecost is not just another Sunday. It's a feast equal to Christmas and Easter. It's the official sending of the Holy Spirit into all women and men. We have been hearing Jesus talk about this moment for weeks of how He would not leave us by ourselves but that He would send the Holy Spirit to us. The Holy Spirit is the "insides" of Jesus and the Father. The Spirit is the love, the closeness, and the great sharing that they have for each other. We are being invited into the greatest closeness possible, the great sharing that is God himself.



TODAY IS *PENTECOST SUNDAY*

Pentecost marks the end of period of reflection for adults who received the Easter Sacraments. They've spent 50 days understanding what happened to them that night and how they'll live from now on. Our prayers were with them for 50 days and will continue to support them in celebration.



NEXT WEEKEND ~ MISSION CO-OP

June 14-15, 2025

Fr. Doug May will be at our parish for the annual *Missionary Cooperative* appeal and *second collection* for the *Maryknoll Fathers and Brothers*. For anyone wishing to donate by check, please make your check payable to *St. Mark Church* and include *For Maryknoll* on the memo line. Fr. May will speak at all Masses. Fr. May has served as a missionary in Egypt for over 20 years and in Kenya for several years. He will invite us to take part in the vital work of bringing Christ and His Gospel to all people.

COMMUNITY VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

JULY 21st-25th 6-8 PM

@ St. Mark Church

ALL ARE WELCOME

The Theme this year is:

TRUE NORTH

If you'd like to volunteer or make any donations, please call Jen Abriatis @ 814-335-4871. Watch the bulletin for more sign-up information.



ST. MARK CARE & CONCERN

Darlene Vogt is now the Chairperson for *St. Mark Care & Concern Ministries*.

Feel free to contact her with any questions, concerns or needs at 814-486-1683 (home), 814-335-3295 (cell), or at vogt234@yahoo.com.

In the near future we will have signups for assistance to help run the various ministries.

We'd like to express our gratitude and thanks to *Cindy Cook* for all her hard work in the past heading up Care & Concern for St Mark & St James.



St. Mark Memorial Fund

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received a very generous

donation in memory of

DOUGLAS SUHR

From John & Kathy Dolan



IN YOUR CHARITY,

please pray for the soul of

DANIEL E. MALIZIA,

son of John Malizia who passed away recently. May his soul and the souls of the faithful departed, rest in peace. Amen



WOMEN'S CURSILLO

LAST MINUTE for women to make this tremendous opportunity to attend Cursillo @ ECCH the weekend of **June 13, 14 & 15, 2025.**

Please contact Gina Smith at 814-594-6282 or Fr. Paul at the rectory 814-486-0569 for registration or information.

Serving will be Fr. Paul Siebert and four other team members from St. Mark. We ask that you please keep the Cursillo Candidates and the Team in your prayers.



FAITH FORMATION SUMMER HOURS

Jen & Sister Therese will be out of the office June 16, 2025 through Aug. 15, 2025. If you're in need of assistance, please call the rectory @ 814-486-0569.

RECTORY SUMMER HOURS

Effective now through August, The rectory will be on summer hours, 9:00 AM -2:00 PM.



FATHER'S DAY

Next weekend, in honor of

Father's Day,

we will be handing out

St. Joseph Prayer Card

to all Fathers, Grandfathers and Father-Figures.



PRECEIPT OF THE CHURCH: EASTER DUTY

Confess your mortal sins

once a year and receive Communion during the Easter Season.

(This is extended to

***TRINITY SUNDAY 6/15/2025*).**