

YEAR OF  
ST. JOSEPH

December 8, 2020-December 8, 2021



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*Saint Mary Roman Catholic Church*  
*40 Spring Mount Road † Schwenksville, PA 19473*  
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*Divine  
Mercy  
Sunday*

*April 11, 2021*





Saint Mary Parish is a community of Catholics, striving to be an open and caring people, living our faith, spreading God's word, and serving as Jesus' disciples to our families, our parish and our surrounding communities.

## OFFICE CENTER STAFF & HOURS

**Reverend Louis P. Bellopede** *Pastor*  
 fatherb@churchofsaintmary.org  
**Reverend Charles J. McElroy** *Pastor Emeritus*  
**Reverend Brian M. Kean** *In Residence*  
**Deacon Donald O. Nichols** *Permanent Deacon*  
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**Mrs. Mary Beth O'Connor** *Director of Operations/  
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 moconnor@churchofsaintmary.org  
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**Mrs. Sandra Olzinski** *Administrative Asst. to Pastor;  
 Office Manager  
 Coordinator of Safe Environment*  
 solzinski@churchofsaintmary.org  
**Ms. Peggy Hinson** *Head Sacristan*

**Parish Office Center Hours**  
 Monday - Friday: 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

## PREP STAFF & HOURS

**Mrs. Mary Goudsward** *Coordinator, Religious Education;  
 Principal of PREP*  
 mgoud@churchofsaintmary.org  
**Mr. John Coen** *Campus Security*

**Parish Religious Education Program (PREP)**  
 610-287-8156 (Day) † 484-522-0330 (Evening)

**PREP Classes: 1st thru 7th Level (Sept. - May)**  
 6:30 - 7:45 p.m. Monday or Tuesday

**Youth Group 9th - 12th Grade:** Sundays from 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.

**Children's Liturgy of the Word**  
 Sunday 10:30 a.m. Mass (October - May)

## SAINT MARY SCHOOL STAFF & HOURS

**Mr. Philip Repko** *Principal, Saint Mary School*  
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**Dr. Robert DeFinis** *Chair, Board of Limited Jurisdiction*  
**Ms. Elizabeth Pastorius** *Saint Mary School Secretary*  
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**Saint Mary Catholic School**  
 610-287-7757 † Website: smsk-8.org  
**Office Hours**  
 Monday - Friday: 8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

## MASS SCHEDULE

**Monday - Saturday**  
 9:00 a.m.

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**Anticipated Sunday Mass**  
 Saturday at 4:00 p.m.  
**Sunday Mass**  
 7:30 a.m.  
 9:00 a.m.  
 10:30 a.m.  
 12:00 p.m.

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**Saturday Confessions**  
 2:45 to 3:45 p.m.

## PASTORAL COUNCIL

**Ex-Officio**  
 Deacon Don Nichols  
*Parochial Deacon and Vice Chair*  
 Mary Goudsward  
*Coordinator, Parish Religious Education Program*  
 Steve Bakey  
*Parish Finance Council Member*  
**Appointed by Pastor**  
 Susan Rodzewich  
 Karen Hoffman  
 Michael Brown  
**Elected by the Parishioners**  
 Dawn Brown • Andy Gdonski  
 Anamaria Hazel • Mike Mazzio  
 Tim Truckley  
**Council Secretary**  
 Andrea Gdonski

## FINANCE COUNCIL

**Ex-Officio**  
 Deacon Donald O. Nichols  
*Parochial Deacon*  
**Members**  
 Steve Bakey, *Chair & Facilitator*  
 Karen Bakey • Jim Bickel  
 Chris Ford • William Gordon  
 Peggy Hinson  
**Consultants**  
 Mary Beth O'Connor  
*Parish Business Manager & Director of Operations*  
 Kathy Wasniewski  
 Parish Bookkeeper & Purchaser  
**Recording Secretary**  
 Maureen Frederick

# PASTOR'S Corner

Dear Parish Family,  
**WELCOME BACK!** I sincerely welcome back all of our parishioners and friends who are physically with us today and to all those joining us virtually. If there is anything I can do for you please do not hesitate to contact me by phone or email. Please be assured of my love and prayers for each of you!



**SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY:** Today we will conduct our Annual Divine Mercy Holy Hour at the 3 o'clock hour of Mercy here in our beautiful church. I hope you will be able to join us. We will expose the Blessed Sacrament, pray the Sacred Scriptures, preach a homily, read an excerpt of Saint Faustina's diary, sing the Divine Mercy chaplet and offer Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. May our Lord's Divine Mercy flood your soul with His graces.



**BOUTIQUE TABLE:** Because of the restrictions of COVID-19 our Evangelization Resource Center (ERC) formerly known as the Lending Library is closed. However, we have placed a small table next to the piano with requested items for you to purchase. Please place your donation in the small candle stand underneath the statue of Padre Pio. There are large devotional candles, holy cards, greeting cards, books for children and religious medals. Confirmation is scheduled for Saturday, April 24 at 10 AM and 1 PM and First Holy Communion is scheduled for Saturday, May 1 at 6 PM.



**PASTORAL COUNCIL NOMINATIONS:** Saint Mary Parish is accepting nominations of registered adult parishioners who are practicing Catholics to sit on the Pastoral Council of our parish. You can nominate yourself or someone whom you consider to be a good candidate. The Pastoral Council usually meets 6 times a year. The first meeting will be in October. Please submit the name of the nominee to Sandi Olzinski at the Parish Office Center at [solzinski@churchofsaintmary.org](mailto:solzinski@churchofsaintmary.org). Sandi will call the nominee and ask if they would like to be considered for nomination. I personally thank the members of the Pastoral Council whose term is now complete: Juan Lugo, Andy Gdonski, Maddie Conte and Tim Truckley. Thank you so much for your wisdom, advice and collaboration. We have been blessed with your insight.



**PASTORAL COUNCIL SECRETARY:** Saint Mary Parish is seeking a registered adult parishioner who would like to serve as the recording secretary of the Pastoral Council. Please contact Sandi Olzinski at the Parish Office Center if interested in this volunteer position. I personally thank Andrea Gdonski for her years of service as the Pastoral Council secretary. Andrea, you have served so well. Thank you!



**GOLF OUTING and DINNER:** Have you registered for our Spring Fundraiser? Please go to the homepage of our website for all the specific details and registration form. We would like to be SOLD OUT for this event. Please help us! Most especially, we are looking for SPONSORS! The details of Sponsorship are located on the website as well. The 7th Annual Golf Outing and Dinner is scheduled for Monday, June 14 (Flag Day) at the Brookside Country Club in Pottstown. Because of COVID-19 we really need to have everyone's support. Thank you for your support by attending, sponsoring the event, or simply making a donation. God love you!



**MEMORIAL DAY FLEA MARKET:** Saint Mary Parish will be conducting a Flea Market including *Food Truck vendors* on Memorial Day, Monday, May 31 from 7:00 AM until 1 PM in Parking Lot A (rain or shine). For more information please contact Jeff Goudsward @ [jgoud@yahoo.com](mailto:jgoud@yahoo.com) or Susan Rodzewich, Director of Communications & Stewardship, at [srodz@churchofsaintmary.org](mailto:srodz@churchofsaintmary.org).

Have a blessed week, everyone!

Love and prayers,

*Rev. Dr. Louis P. Bellofede*

## PARISH SERVICES



### New Parishioners:

If you have recently moved into our community, welcome! Please call the Parish Office Center to register.

### Sacrament of Baptism

Baptisms during the pandemic are celebrated every Sunday immediately following the 12 Noon Mass. Contact the Parish Office Center to schedule.

### Sacrament of Marriage

Parishioners must contact the Parish Office Center at least six months prior to the wedding date. Pre-Cana session is required.

### Pastoral Care of the Sick

If you know of anyone who is sick, elderly or homebound, please notify the Parish Office Center for arrangements.

### Sponsor Certificates

Certificates are needed in order to be a baptism or confirmation sponsor. To be eligible:

- Must be at least 16 years old
- Must have received the sacraments of Baptism, 1st Communion and Confirmation
- If married, must have been married in a Catholic Church or a Convalidation Ceremony
- Must be a registered and active member of Saint Mary Parish.

Please call the Parish Office Center at least 1 month in advance of date needed.

### Evangelization Resource Center Hours:

Closed during the pandemic restricted phase.

### SCRIP Gift Card Program

Call the Parish Office Center for information on this program.

# MASS Intentions

**Saturday April 10**  
 4:00 p.m. Fr. Francis "Sam" Kelly - Ted & Dot Zamorski

**Sunday April 11 Sunday of Divine Mercy**  
 7:30 a.m. Peter Paznokas - Susan Paznokas  
 9:00 a.m. Michael Krawchuk & Krawchuk Family - Kathy Blum  
 10:30 a.m. Living & Deceased Members Beck & Bouffard Families - Beck Family  
 12:00 p.m. Living & Deceased Members Saint Mary Parish

**Monday April 12 Easter Weekday**  
 9:00 a.m. Morris Amato - Bob & Donna Forsyth

**Tuesday April 13 Saint Martin I**  
 9:00 a.m. Clem Wimmer - wife, Louise Wimmer

**Wednesday April 14 Easter Weekday**  
 9:00 a.m. Intentions of Will Bushey - Mom & Dad

**Thursday April 15 Easter Weekday**  
 9:00 a.m. Helen & Lewis Carley - Anne & Harry Boeshore

**Friday April 16 Easter Weekday**  
 9:00 a.m. Louis Savo - Gordon Family

**Saturday April 17 Easter Weekday**  
 9:00 a.m. Felicity Lodewyk - Pirrall Family  
 4:00 p.m. Claire Portolese - Patricia Stratton

**Sunday April 18 3rd Sunday of Easter**  
 7:30 a.m. Intentions of Cassie Whitehead - Patty Walsh  
 9:00 a.m. Intentions of Rose Hunter - Hunter Family  
 10:30 a.m. Intentions of Morgan Pirrall - Rob, Lou Ann, Daniel & Michael  
 12:00 p.m. Monsignor Thomas J. Owens - Deacon & Mrs. Peter H. Burghart

## Weekly Memorial Intentions

### CHURCH

**Rose For Life**  
 In honor of **Peggy Hinson**  
 Requested by **Denis & Gene**

**Rose for Resurrection**  
 In memory of \_\_\_\_\_  
 Requested by \_\_\_\_\_

**Sanctuary Lamp**  
 In memory of **Joseph Bekelja**  
 Requested by **wife, Barbara**

**Altar Candles**  
 In memory of **Kimberly McGuckin-Leach**  
 Requested by **George & Linda Little**

**Altar Bread and Wine**  
 In memory of **David Gordon**  
 Requested by **the Gordon Family**

**Altar Flowers**  
 In memory of \_\_\_\_\_  
 Requested by \_\_\_\_\_

### CHAPEL

**Vigil Light**  
 In honor of **Mary Shofran**  
 Requested by **Denise & Gene**

**Sanctuary Lamp**  
 In memory of \_\_\_\_\_  
 Requested by \_\_\_\_\_

**Altar Candles**  
 In memory of \_\_\_\_\_  
 Requested by \_\_\_\_\_

*If you are interested in Mass Intentions or Memorials in memory or honor of a loved one, please contact the Parish Office Center.  
 Memorials are for one week and begin on Sunday.  
**Donations:** Announced Mass: \$10, Unannounced Mass: \$5  
 Rose for Life, Rose for Resurrection, & Vigil Light: \$5, Sanctuary Lamp: \$10  
 Altar Candles: \$20, Bread and Wine: \$50, Altar Flowers: \$175*

## LITURGICAL MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS FOR APRIL 10-11

MASS	CELEBRANT	LECTORS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS	ALTAR SERVERS	MUSIC	SACRISTAN
7:30 PM	Fr. Bellopede	Falconero	N/A	J. & E. Goudsward, Chiaro	Rembisz	Hinson
7:30 AM	Fr. Bellopede	Watters	N/A	Vu, Kupfer, J. McElroy	Quiet	Hinson
9:00 AM	Fr. Bellopede	Bakey	N/A	Corbin, Bakey, Sheridan	Olzinski	Hinson
10:30 AM	Fr. Kean	Ardizzi	N/A	A., M. & S. Hughes	Quiet	Hinson
12:00 PM	Fr. Kean	Roth	N/A	E. Haslam, Klisch, A. Lugo	Quiet	Hinson

## UPCOMING LITURGICAL MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS FOR APRIL 17-18

MASS	CELEBRANT	LECTORS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS	ALTAR SERVERS	MUSIC	SACRISTAN
4:00 PM	Fr. Bellopede	McCurdy	N/A	Corbin, Larson, Sheridan	Maloney	Hinson
7:30 AM	Fr. Kean	Paolucci	N/A	A. & B. Hamilton, John	Quiet	Hinson
9:00 AM	Fr. Kean	Ford	N/A	K. & L. Dalasio, Saboe	Olzinski	Hinson
10:30 AM	Fr. Bellopede	Contei	N/A	D. & C. Lees, Moore	Quiet	Hinson
12:00 PM	Fr. Bellopede	Mazzio	N/A	B. & K. Yaglenski, Lugo	Quiet	Hinson

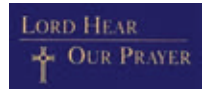


Margaret Addario, Rowen Aldridge, Philip Berardi, Noelle Black, Rosemary Bauerle, Ed Brennan, Marge Burghart, Mary Colling, Leslie DeFrancesco, Tim Dippolito, Louis DiTanna, Loretta Dulin, Nicholas Esposito, Pat Filippini, Mike Finnegan, Norma Fiorella, Erica Fox, Patrick Gardenier, Andy Gdonski, Len Geary, Delores Giera, Fred Hammer, Amy Herkins, Richard Hood, Esther Hunter, Jack Hunter, Joe Jaconski, Vince Jaconski, Desiree Johnson, Jane Kerr, Patricia Storti Martin, Pat Matthews, Dolores McGuigan, Pat McMahon, Hugh Moy, Betty Murray, Dave Nester, Ruth Nikish, Jerry Nikish, Jack Palm, Melinda Palm, Ryan Palm, Assunta Paolucci, Ann Petty, Phoenix Rand, Devin Rufe, Heidi Rufe, Tom Schnaubelt, Desiree Sedgwick, Alex Stadtlemaier, Jack Strogus, Chris Szumiloski, Patricia Tacconelli, Cindy Tighe, Marie Tressler, Dianne Wachtendorf, Natalie Weiss, Tom Weiss, Patrick Zampetti, Antonella Caruso Zurybida

If you would like to add a loved one or friend to the Prayer List please contact the Parish Office Center at [610-287-8156](tel:610-287-8156) or [solzinski@churchofsaintmary.org](mailto:solzinski@churchofsaintmary.org).

*If you are in need of urgent or emergency prayers for situations that arise unexpectedly, please contact Saint Mary Prayer Warriors at*

**[SMCprayerwarriors@gmail.com](mailto:SMCprayerwarriors@gmail.com)**



## Saint Mary Prayer Groups

### Adoration

All day, every day in our Divine Mercy Adoration Chapel.

### Rosary

The Rosary will be prayed daily before the 9:00 a.m. Mass and on Sundays before the 7:30 a.m. Mass.

### Divine Mercy Chaplet

Daily after the 9:00 a.m. Mass.

### Miraculous Medal Novena

Mondays after the 9:00 a.m. Mass.

### Divine Mercy Holy Hour

The Thursday before the first Friday of the month from 7:00 – 8:00 p.m. in the Divine Mercy Adoration Chapel.

### Fatima Rosary Group

First Saturday of every month at 8:00 a.m.

### Flame of Love Rosary

Every Monday at 6:15 p.m. in Annex Room 1.

### In the Spirit Prayer Group

Every Monday at 7:30 p.m. in Annex Room 1.

### Oasis Women's Prayer Group

Every Friday at 1:00 p.m. in Annex Room 1.

**Please note that all meetings are suspended until further notice.**

## PRAY FOR THOSE SERVING OUR COUNTRY

Albert J. Augustine	Bridgette Augustine	Madeline Augustine	Yaphet Blair	Michael Boehret
Matthew Bulen	Matthew P. Burns	David Capobianchi	Brianna Carroll	Kayla Carroll
David Casas	Wayne Cherry, Jr.	Aaron Chomyn	Noah Colapreto	Matthew Dager
Ryan Decker	Brian Dunn	Thomas Fisher	Tim Fitzgerald	Jennifer Foley
Matthew Foley	Blaise Fountaine	Eric Funk	David Gentner	Jim Gotlewski
Richard Granozio	Collin Hamel	Brian Handel	Tim Harris	Aaron Hart
Eric Himmel	William Holdsworth	Kyle Houchins	Michael Ingram	Kyle Kearney
Matthew Kearney	Alexander Klobusicky	Brett R. Karkheck	Fr. Joseph Lea	Gabriel Leone
George Lockbaum	Charles Maloney III	Jordan Mares	Keith E. Mason	Bobby McCall
Timothy R. McGinnis	Jacob McLendon	Jonathan Minkler	Meghan Morton	Danielle Murdoch
Brian Murray	Tim Murray	Shawn O'Connor	Kevin O'Malley	Geoff Ostrowski
Jackie Perrie	Gerard Pettine	Michael Regan	Martin D. Roth	Elizabeth Schnaubelt
William Schweitzer	Sara Saraceni	Lauren Shaw	Angela M. Sills	Ashley L. Sills
Brian Sinclair	David Sinnk	Owen Sisbarro	Sharon Sisbarro	Brian Smith
John Walsh	John Weaver	Mark Wimmer	Kathleen Winters	Joseph Wolf
Damian Zottoli	Dante Zottoli	Dominic D. Zottoli	Zachary Zottoli	

# Parish News...

## PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION



'The Blessed Sacrament is our Risen Savior with all the power of His love and mercy flowing out to those who come into His presence! This is where we must run, like Peter and John. This is where we must bring everyone.' ~ Excerpt from *Letters to a Brother Priest*. We really NEED scheduled adorers. You will be the only person in the Chapel at the time you schedule. Open hours: Tues @ 1:00AM, 9:00PM, & 10:00PM, Wed @ 3:00AM & 11:00PM, Thurs @ 12:00AM & 5:00PM, Friday @ 2:00PM, and Sat @ 2:00PM. Substitutes are also needed for all hours. If interested please contact MK at [marykath14@gmail.com](mailto:marykath14@gmail.com) or call [610-476-4490](tel:610-476-4490).

## DIVINE MERCY HOLY HOUR



Join us this Sunday, April 11th for our Divine Mercy Holy Hour at 3:00 PM. This special hour before the Blessed Sacrament includes the reading of Sacred Scripture, excerpts from the diary of Saint Faustina, a sung Chaplet of Divine Mercy, a Litany of Mercy and Benediction. Relics of Saints Faustina and Pope John Paul II will be available for veneration. Come and experience our Risen Lord's Divine Mercy!

## FLEA MARKET VENDORS WANTED!



Vendors are needed for our Parish Flea Market on Monday, May 31, 2021 (Memorial Day) from 7:00AM to 1:00PM. Each space is \$15.00 and consists of two parking spaces (approximately 16' by 18') and an adjacent parking space for your vehicle. Tables and chairs are also available for rent. For additional information or to reserve a spot, please contact Jeff Goudsward at [jgoud@yahoo.com](mailto:jgoud@yahoo.com) or Susan Rodzewich at the Parish Office Center at [srodz@churchofsaintmary.org](mailto:srodz@churchofsaintmary.org).

## PART-TIME SUMMER HELP WANTED



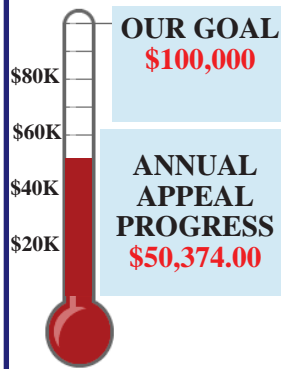
Saint Mary Parish is seeking part-time summer help. Duties include deep cleaning the Religious Education Center, Hedge Hall, Annex Meeting Rooms, garden work and other tasks around campus. The ideal candidate should be 18 years of age, have attention to detail, able to lift up to 40 lbs., and provide Safe Environment Clearances in accordance with Philadelphia Archdiocesan policy. This is a perfect job for college students who are looking for summer employment. Please contact Mary Beth O'Connor - Director of Business & Operations at [moconnor@churchofsaintmary.org](mailto:moconnor@churchofsaintmary.org) or call [610-287-8156](tel:610-287-8156) for more information.

## 2020 TAX RECEIPT STATEMENTS



If you would like a year end statement of your 2020 contributions to Saint Mary Parish please contact the Parish Office Center at [610-287-8156](tel:610-287-8156).

## ANNUAL APPEAL



Saint Mary Annual Appeal is used for Parish needs that are not covered in our operating budget. This year's appeal goal is \$100,000 and will be used for the COVID financial shortfall in Parish Finances. Please help us reach our goal by returning your census form and appeal donation to the Parish Office Center. Thank you in advance for your kind generosity!

## JOIN THE BOARD OF LIMITED JURISDICTION



The Board of Limited Jurisdiction of Saint Mary Catholic School (BLJ) is looking for new members to serve on the Board and/or their Committees. The BLJ is a group of parishioners and community members who, in collaboration and partnership with the Pastor and Principal, come together as volunteers and experts in their fields to promote and advance the mission of our school for the education and instruction of students in assisting them to "reach the fullness of the Christian life". The BLJ strives to include members with various areas of expertise including business, education, marketing, fundraising, finance and law. If interested or for more information please contact Marianne Figg at [Figgfamily10@gmail.com](mailto:Figgfamily10@gmail.com).



## LUCKY LOTTERY DERBY WINNERS

*Our Lucky Lottery Derby Winners for the week of March 22nd - 29th*

are:

- March 22nd: Don & Pat Langtry - \$45.00
- March 23rd: Kim Jones - \$45.00
- March 24th: Bob Donaghy - \$45.00
- March 25th: Christina Meko - \$50.00 Gift Card
- March 26th: Flossie Chomyn - \$45.00
- March 27th: Rebecca Houchins - \$45.00
- March 28th: Mary Ann Rodzewich - \$45.00

*Our Lucky Lottery Derby Winners for the week of March 29th - April 4th are:*

- March 29th: Harry & Annette Lamlin - \$45.00
- March 30th: Teresa Santangelo - \$45.00
- March 31st: Glen Wood - \$45.00
- April 1st: Robert Smith - \$45.00
- April 2nd: Sean Dusza - \$45.00
- April 3rd: Karen Miller - \$45.00
- April 4th: Tim Landis - \$500.00

Congratulations to all our winners!



## CONDOLENCES....

The Saint Mary Parish Community extends prayerful condolences to the family and friends of **Alfreda Keller** whose Funeral Mass was celebrated by Father Louis P. Bellopede on Tuesday, April 6th at 11:00 AM.



## PREP REGISTRATION 2021-2022 COMING SOON!

Registration for the 2021-2022 PREP school year will be available soon! Classes will be held on Monday or Tuesday evenings from September through May in our beautiful Saint Mary Catholic Education Center. For more information, please contact Mary Goudsward at [610-287-8156](tel:610-287-8156) or [mgoud@churchofsaintmary.org](mailto:mgoud@churchofsaintmary.org).



### Saint Mary Catholic School

Learning Today, Leading Tomorrow



#### *Saint Mary Catholic School ~ Grades K-8*

A competitive academic curriculum with a full time designated learning support room and teacher available to students, and full time art and music teachers, who encourage our students to discover and display their inner gifts God has given them through Art, Music, and Drama as part of their curriculum.



#### *Agnus Dei Academy ~ Pre-K 3 and 4 Year Olds*

We partner with parents in developing the whole child by fostering a love of learning and encourage independence and imagination to inspire your child to become a thinker, an explorer, and above all, a life-long learner.

Registration for the 2021-2022 School Year is now open.

To register or to schedule a private tour call Suzette Moyer at [610-287-7757](tel:610-287-7757) x244.

**COME SEE US!**

### CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS



The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the way by which persons become "citizens of the Kingdom" through Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist. If you, or someone you know, would like to learn more about the Catholic Faith, or are thinking about coming into full communion with the Catholic Church, please contact Deacon Don Nichols at [610-287-8156](tel:610-287-8156) or email at [dnichols@churchofsaintmary.org](mailto:dnichols@churchofsaintmary.org).



**Christian Initiation of Adults:** Every Tuesday from 6:30 to 8:00pm from September thru June.

**Lay Missionaries of Charity:** First Saturday of every month from 9:30am to 1:00pm.

**Legion of Mary:** Every Tuesday from 7:30 to 9:00pm.

**Living Water Bible Study:** Every 2nd and 4th Saturday from 9:45am to 12:15pm September thru May.

**Men's Gospel Reflection:** Every Saturday from 8:00 to 9:00am.

**Patricians:** 3rd Thursday of every month from 7:00 to 9:00pm from September thru May.

**Women's Bible Study:** Two sessions on Thursdays: 9:30 to 11:00am and 7:00 to 8:30pm. Sessions are offered at various times of the year.



**PROGRAMS MOVIES AUDIO BOOKS  
PICK OF THE WEEK**



### A Bible Study on The Luminous Mysteries of the Rosary

In 2002, Pope Saint John Paul II introduced the Luminous Mysteries to the Rosary. In unique ways, each of these mysteries reveal that Christ is the "light of the world" (John 8:20). Join the Augustine Institute faculty for this fruitful bible study.

Registering is easy. Go to [saintmaryrcc.formed.org](http://saintmaryrcc.formed.org), type in 19473, click on St. Mary, click on the blue next button and complete the registration information. Questions on how to use this service? Contact Mary Goudsward at [mgoud@churchofsaintmary.org](mailto:mgoud@churchofsaintmary.org) or call [610-287-8156](tel:610-287-8156). Subscription is **free!**

### NEVER STOP LEARNING!



Faith is a journey and there is always something new to learn no matter what your age! To find a faith formation that suits you best, or for more information on any of those listed above, contact Mary Goudsward, Coordinator of Religious Education, at [mgoud@churchofsaintmary.org](mailto:mgoud@churchofsaintmary.org) or [610-287-8156](tel:610-287-8156).



## SAINT MARY PARISH

# 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Outing

Monday, June 14, 2021

Brookside Country Club | 850 N. Adams St. Pottstown, PA

Open to first 100 Golfers! SPACE IS LIMITED!

**Golfer Information - Entry Fee is \$150**

Entry Fee Includes:

- Cart and Greens Fees
  - Lunch
  - Beverages and Snacks on Course
  - Cocktails, Awards and Dinner Buffet
- \*\*\$35 is tax deductible per golfer

### The VIP Package

\$25 per golfer includes:

- 2 Mulligans
- 2 Raffle Tickets
- Putting Contest

### Prize Winning Competitions

- 1st Place Winner
- 2nd Place Winner
- 3rd Place Winner
- Longest Drive (M/W)
- Straightest Drive (M/W)
- Closest to Pin
- Last Place

Register online at  
[www.churchofsaintmary.org](http://www.churchofsaintmary.org)  
 or return the form below by May 21, 2021

## SAINT MARY GOLFER REGISTRATION – Scramble/Shotgun Start

Name of Golfer: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name of Golfer: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name of Golfer: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name of Golfer: \_\_\_\_\_

Golfer \$150 per golfer x \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_  
 VIP \$25 Per Golfer x \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Due:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Check enclosed with form  PayPal Payment on website, form only

Contact name \_\_\_\_\_



Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE: We limit the number of foursomes in order to ensure a brisk pace of play and to adhere to Covid guidelines. In the event of inclement weather, the event may be re-scheduled or a voucher offered.

### SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

10:00 AM Registration, Driving Range & Locker Room  
 10:30 AM Lunch  
 12:00 PM Shotgun Start  
 5:30 PM Cocktails  
 Dinner and Awards

Basket raffles, 50/50 and golf awards follow dinner.

Please send to **Saint Mary Catholic Church**  
 (Attn: Kathy Wasniewski) - 40 Spring Mount Rd-  
 Schwenksville, PA 19473

Register by: May 21, 2021





## LEGACY OF FAITH

LEGACY OF FAITH CAMPAIGN AS OF APRIL 4, 2021

Amount Pledged.....	\$1,994,803.28
Pledge Income.....	\$1,375,266.84
Expenses Paid.....	\$957,856.60
Bank Balance.....	\$417,410.24
Legacy of Faith Campaign Goal.....	\$2,000,000.00

Visit our Legacy of Faith page at [www.churchofsaintmary.org](http://www.churchofsaintmary.org) to donate online or for more details on ways to give.

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# BROADCAST SCHEDULE

**Monday, April 12th through Sunday, April 18th**

Daily Mass Monday through Saturday streamed on Facebook Page

Sunday Masses streamed on YouTube Channel, Facebook Page and Parish Website.

### Monday, April 12th:

- Daily Mass: 9:00 AM
- Father Bellopede Daily Reflection: 1:30 PM
- Evening Prayer with Deacon Don & Linda: 6:30 PM

### Tuesday, April 13th:

- Daily Mass: 9:00 AM
- Father Bellopede Daily Reflection: 1:30 PM
- Evening Prayer with Deacon Don & Linda: 6:30 PM

### Wednesday, April 14th:

- Daily Mass: 9:00 AM
- Father Bellopede Daily Reflection: 1:30 PM
- Evening Prayer with Deacon Don & Linda: 6:30 PM

### Thursday, April 15th:

- Daily Mass: 9:00 AM
- Father Bellopede Daily Reflection: 1:30 PM
- Evening Prayer with Deacon Don & Linda: 6:30 PM

### Friday, April 16th:

- Daily Mass: 9:00 AM
- Father Bellopede Daily Reflection: 1:30 PM
- Evening Prayer with Deacon Don & Linda: 6:30 PM

### Saturday, 17th:

- Daily Mass: 9:00 AM
- Father Bellopede Daily Reflection: 1:30 PM
- Evening Prayer with Deacon Don & Linda: 6:30 PM

### Sunday, April 18th:

- Sunday Mass - 3rd Sunday of Easter: 9:00 AM
- Father Bellopede Daily Reflection: 1:30 PM
- Evening Prayer with Deacon Don & Linda: 6:30 PM

**All Masses, Reflections and Evening Prayer videos are archived on our YouTube Channel.**

## NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

### DIVINE MERCY



Relevant Radio is pleased to announce that we are handing out free copies of the book "Divine Mercy" written by Relevant Radio host Drew Mariani. God's mercy is abundant, and in this book you will encounter remarkable stories of God's healing power, the richness of His forgiveness, and learn more about an incredible devotion that has the power to transform your life! To receive your free copy go to [relevantradio.com/mercy/](http://relevantradio.com/mercy/). There are a limited number available so get your copy today.

### PARISH WEBSITE

For up to date information, schedules, and access to all live streaming, go to our parish website at:

[www.churchofsaintmary.org](http://www.churchofsaintmary.org)



### GWYNEDD MERCY ACADEMY HIGH SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE



Gwynedd Mercy Academy High School will host a by appointment Open House on April 18, 2021. Families will be able to visit GMAHS in person and meet with representatives from various departments within the school. Please make your appointment at [gmahs.org/visitgwynedd](http://gmahs.org/visitgwynedd).

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED



Kindred Hospice, 1210 Northbrook Drive, Treveose is looking for volunteers to help with various areas, including administrative, patient care, veteran-to-veteran, and making calls, cards or gifts for patients. If interested or if you would like more information go to [www.kindredhospice.com](http://www.kindredhospice.com) or call [215-322-5746](tel:215-322-5746).

## FINANCIAL FACTS

### Collection for March 28, 2021 Week 39

#### *Weekend Collection (Weekly Offering Envelopes)*

Target Needed for the 20-21 Fiscal Year.....	<b>\$900,000.00</b>
Weekly Target Needed for 20-21 Fiscal Year.....	\$17,307.69
<b>Collection for Weekend of March 28.....</b>	<b>\$10,396.00</b>
Parish Giving & PayPal.....	\$5,052.27
Over (Under) Target.....	(\$1,859.42)

#### *School Mortgage (Blue Envelope)*

Target Needed for the 20-21 Fiscal Year.....	<b>\$98,000.00</b>
Weekly Target Needed .....	\$1,884.61
<b>Collection for Weekend of March 28.....</b>	<b>\$899.50</b>
Over (Under) Target.....	(\$985.11)
<b>Catholic Education Center Mortgage:</b>	
Balance as of February 28, 2021.....	\$1,237,431.31
March Principal Payment.....	\$9,002.14
Balance as of March 28, 2021.....	\$1,228,429.17
Next Monthly Principal Due April 30, 2021	

<b>Total Collected To Date.....</b>	<b>\$639,950.90</b>
Envelopes Mailed..... 1,046 Total Used.....	
Parish Giving Enrollment.... 369 Total Used..... 194	

#### *Parish Debt (Gold Envelope)*

Debt.....	\$746,742.27
Debt Reduction (Gold Envelope).....	\$119.00
New Debt Total.....	\$746,623.27

### Collection for April 4, 2021 Week 40

#### *Weekend Collection (Weekly Offering Envelopes)*

Target Needed for the 20-21 Fiscal Year.....	<b>\$900,000.00</b>
Weekly Target Needed for 20-21 Fiscal Year.....	\$17,307.69
<b>Collection for Weekend of April 4.....</b>	<b>\$8,087.00</b>
Parish Giving & PayPal.....	\$6,315.50
Over (Under) Target.....	(\$2,905.19)

#### *School Mortgage (Blue Envelope)*

Target Needed for the 20-21 Fiscal Year.....	<b>\$98,000.00</b>
Weekly Target Needed .....	\$1,884.61
<b>Collection for Weekend of April 4.....</b>	<b>\$50.00</b>
Over (Under) Target.....	(\$1,834.61)
<b>Catholic Education Center Mortgage:</b>	
Balance as of February 28, 2021.....	\$1,237,431.31
March Principal Payment.....	\$9,002.14
Balance as of March 28, 2021.....	\$1,228,429.17
Next Monthly Principal Due April 30, 2021	

<b>Total Collected To Date.....</b>	<b>\$654,403.40</b>
Envelopes Mailed..... 1,050 Total Used.....	
Parish Giving Enrollment.... 372 Total Used..... 189	

#### *Parish Debt (Gold Envelope)*

Debt.....	\$746,623.27
Debt Reduction (Gold Envelope).....	\$366.00
New Debt Total.....	\$746,257.27

*The Parish Debt represents invoices that we owe to the Archdiocese of Philadelphia. These invoices are for assessments, insurance, property and liability, etc. incurred between the years of 2005 – 2012. The Archdiocese has been very gracious to cover these invoices during a time when we could not afford to do so. By using your Parish Debt (Gold) Envelope, you are helping our parish pay the obligation we owe to the Archdiocese. From 2013 to today we are current on all our Archdiocesan invoices. Thank you for your kind generosity.*



## Saint Vincent de Paul Corner

Our conference here at Saint Mary Parish uses your contributions and donations to help those in need from our parish and local community.

#### Client Needs:

- ◆ #187: Girl's clothes; size 14-16

**Special Need:** We have several families in need of a car, van or SUV, inspected and in good running condition. For more information, or if you or someone you know is able to help, please call Peggy Hinson at [610-287-8156](tel:610-287-8156).

### FOOD PANTRY NEEDS

### THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!!

Due to the amazing generosity of our parishioners and friends, and the abundance of groceries received through our open collections and several food drives, our food pantry is bursting at the seams!

We kindly ask that no more donations be given to our food pantry at this time. We will advertise in the bulletin when we will begin accepting donations of food items again. Monetary donations and gift cards will be gratefully accepted!

### GOD BLESS YOU ALL!

**The monies collected in the poor boxes throughout Saint Mary Church go directly to the Saint Vincent de Paul Society to assist their clients who are in need.**

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- Rachel's Vineyard: 1-800-395-HELP(4357)
- Helpline for Abortion Recovery: 1-866-482-LIFE(5433)
- Suicide Hotline: 1-800-273-8255
- Domestic Abuse: 1-866-Safe-014
- Pregnancy Hotline: 1 (800) 712-HELP

#### Bulletin Submissions:


All information and announcements to be published in the bulletin are due to the Parish Office Center by Friday the week prior to publication. All bulletin submissions should be emailed to [solzinski@churchofsaintmary.org](mailto:solzinski@churchofsaintmary.org).

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