THEY WERE ALL FILLED WITH THE HOLY SPIRIT

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LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Weekend Mass

Saturday: 5:00 p.m. at St. Ann's in Marienville Sunday: 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. at St. Mary's in Crown

Confessions

Saturday: 4:15 p.m. - 4:45 p.m. at St. Ann's in Marienville

1st Sunday of the Month: 10:30 a.m. at St. Mary's in Crown

Weekday Mass

M, Tu, W, F: 8:30 a.m. at St. Mary's in Crown Th: 7:00 p.m. at St. Ann's in Marienville Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament M, Tu, W, F: 7:30 a.m. - 8:20 a.m. at St. Mary's in Crown

PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK

Please notify the parish if a family member or parishioner is hospitalized, recovering at home, or in a nursing home. Visitation, Communion, and/or the Anointing of the Sick will be made available to them.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

A joyful occasion for the whole parish. Parents must be registered and active members. Classes are required. Please call St. Mary's Church Office for arrangements.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Diocesan Common Policy requires at least six months advance notification before any plans are made to allow time for evaluation and sacramental preparation.

REMEMBER ST. MARY/ST. ANN IN YOUR WILL

"I give and bequeath to St. Mary Parish and/or St. Ann Mission,
117 Lencer Dr, Leeper, PA 16233, the sum of _____dollars, real estate,
and/or stock for the purpose of assisting St. Mary Parish and/or St. Ann
Mission in furthering the work of the Church."

We welcome all new parish families and visitors to Saint Mary Church and St. Ann Mission. Please reach out to our Parish Office at (814) 744-9919 to register or go online at www.stmarycrown.com

As a parish member of Saint Mary Church or St. Ann Mission, you are actively supporting our Community with your time, talent, and resources.

From the Desk of Father James

Dear Parishioners,

You may have heard about the relics of some modern saints visiting our diocese this week: Bl. Carlo Acutis and St. Manuel Gonzales Garcia. The relics of these two holy men will be in our area this week and I wanted to write a bit about that.

The veneration of relics is one of the more beautiful practices of our Church. A relic is an object that has a strong association with a particular saint. "First class" relics are the mortal remains of a saint (typically a small piece of bone); "second class" relics are objects that were owned by the saint; "third class" relics are objects, such as rosaries or holy cards, that have been touched to a first class relic.

The Old Testament is replete with reference to the power of relics. Three prime examples are: the staff of Aaron which was kept in the Ark of the covenant (Numbers 17), the mantle of Elijah which was used as an instrument for God's power (2 Kings 2), and the bones of Elisha which raised a man from the dead (2 Kings 13).

The tradition of venerating relics is also present in the New Testament. The most obvious case is Acts 19: the people would touch their handkerchiefs to the apostles and bring those handkerchiefs home to cure sick relatives.

This tradition of venerating relics has continued throughout the whole history of the Church up to the present. While our Protestant brothers and sisters may accuse us of idolatry, we know that this is just one of the many beautiful ways in which God wishes to work in our lives. Miracles associated with relics happen literally every day. Some stories occasionally make the news, such as the blind Arizona woman who regained her sight in 2017 while venerating the relics of St. Charbel, but 99.9% of the miracles get little or no publicity.

The relics of Bl. Carlo and St. Manuel will be at the following places: Sun May 28 7am-2pm at Holy Redeemer Church in Warren; Tues May 30 4pm to 8pm at St Leo's in Ridgway; Wed May 31 4pm-8pm at St Catharine's in Dubois; and Thur June 1 8am-10am at St. Joe's in Oil City.

I encourage you to do a little research on your own to learn a bit about who Bl. Carlo Acutis and St. Manuel Gonzales are.

In Christ, Fr. James

Sacrament of Reconciliation

St. Ann Church — Saturday at 4:15 p.m.



Saturday, May 27, 2023

SCI-All Souls Remembrance

M: 5:00 p.m. Agnes Gadley

By St. Ann's Women's Club

Sunday, May 28, 2023

C:8:30 a.m. All Parishioners

C:11:00 a.m. Intentions of the Bob Seybert Family

By Stan Rathfon Memorial K of C #10341

Monday, May 29, 2023

C:8:30 a.m. Intentions for Henry & Cathy Lencer

60th Wedding Anniversary

By The Family

Tuesday, May 30, 2023

C:8:30 a.m. Richard Dillman

By Rene Grumbaugh

Wednesday, May 31, 2023

C:8:30 a.m. Elsie Schwabenbauer

By Dick & Joyce Agnew

Thursday, June 1, 2023

M:7:00 p.m. Henry A. & Patricia Gregory

By George Gregory

Friday, June 2, 2023

C: 8:30 a.m. Michelle Rankin

By Rene Grumbaugh

Saturday, June 3, 2023

SCI-Mother's Day Remembrance

M: 5:00 p.m. Mary Mashensic

By St. Ann's Women's Club

Sunday, June 4, 2023

C:8:30 a.m. For the Intentions of the Bob Wolbert

Family

By Stan Rathfon Memorial K of C #10341

C:11:00 a.m. All Parishioners

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: The Most Holy Trinity Monday: Saint Boniface Tuesday: Saint Norbert Friday: Saint Ephrem



May 14, 2023 \$1,926.00 May 21, 2023 \$1,917.00 Ascension Day \$515.00

EUCHARIST PROCESSION

On June 11, the Feast of Corpus Christi, our parish will be having a Eucharistic Procession after the 8:30am Mass at St. Mary's Church. All are encouraged to attend.

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

June 4, 2023

1st Reading: Exodus 34:4b-6, 8-9 2nd Reading: 2 Corinthians 13:11-13

Gospel: John 3:16-18

NEXT WEEK'S SCHEDULES

Lector: June 3 & 4, 2023

M:5:00 p.m. Kitty C: 8:30 a.m. Emma C:11:00 a.m. Henry

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:

June 3 & 4, 2023

M:5:00 p.m. Clare

C: 8:30 a.m. Dan & Linda

C:11:00 a.m. Taty

Collection Counters

June 4, 2023

Andrea, Emma, Kelly, Mary

International Needs Collection Thank You

Thank you for contributing to the Collection for the Church in Central America and Eastern Europe. This supports the Church in more than 25 countries that still struggle to recover from former Communist rule. Funds from this collection support pastoral care, catechesis, renovations, and seminary formation. Your support restores the Church and builds the future in this region. Please prayerfully consider how you can support this collection. More information can be found at www.usccb.org/ccee.

Please pray for the following Faith Formation Students who will be receiving Sacraments this year.

Confirmation - May 28, 2023

Rebecca Bauer Ainsley Hartle McKinzie Lencer Drew Martz Gabe Martz Thomas Phillips Mason Shaftic Addison Siegel Kelton Stitt

Catechumen

Drake Irwin will be received into the church Easter 2024

Catholic Services Appeal 2023

Our Parish assessment is \$23,529.00.00 for 2023. We have received pledges totaling \$34,620.00. Every dollar over our assessment remains in our Parish.

The total paid to date is \$25,570.00, leaving a balance of \$9,050.00. Please prayerfully consider making and fulfilling your pledge as soon as possible.

You may drop your pledge card, or an envelope marked CSA, into the Collection basket or return it in the Parish office.

Parish Council will meet on Monday, June 5 at 6:00 p.m. in Stutz Hall.

St. Ann's Women's Club

Next Meeting: July 13 at 6:00 p.m.

MICRO FIBER CLOTHS

There is a limited supply of Micro Fiber Cloths to sell. These are available at Lander's Store in Lucinda, Marienville Pharmacy, Church Office, Back of St. Ann Church, Milly Cussins @ 814-927-6980 and any St. Ann Women's Club member. We do not plan to order any additional cloths.



Knights of Columbus will meet Monday, June 12, 2023 at 6:00 p.m. in Stutz Hall.

This Week's Sponsor

Snyder's Auto Body Lucinda, PA 814-226-9468

Please support our sponsors!!!

ALL SIR KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS, CLARION ASSEMBLY #982, as well as their Ladies and guests, are cordially invited to attend our activities for 2023:

Monday, June 19: Lucinda K of C Ballfield- 4th Degree Picnic- Happy Hour at 5:30, Dinner at 6:00, Meeting at 7:00

July-No meeting.

August- 4th Degree Steak Fry- (Date to be determined).

September- No meeting.

Monday, October 16: Lucinda K of C Ballfield- Happy Hour at 5:30, Dinner at 6:00, Meeting at 7:00.

Monday, November 20: Lucinda K of C Ballfield- Happy Hour at 5:30, Dinner at 6:00, Meeting at 7:00.

December-Assembly Christmas Party- (Date to be determined).

For more information, contact: **Kerry Wolbert** at **814-927-8739** or email at **klwolbert**@zoominternet.net.

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS DEADLINE CHANGE:

Due to our new Publishing company's requirements, any information for the bulletin must be written and in the church office by noon on Friday, 2 weeks before the date to be published in order to get printed.

Prayer Chain– If you wish to join or add someone to the Prayer Chain, please contact Sheila Martz at 229-3083, or Jane Wallace at 927-8566.

ROSARY

You are invited to pray the Rosary before 5:00 p.m. Mass at St. Ann's Church. All are welcome to attend.

Baby Bottle Boomerang: May 14 - Jun 18

Our parish will be participating in the Baby Bottle Boomerang again this year. It is a fundraiser which supports the Life Center in Franklin. The Life Center is a pro-life pregnancy center which provides care and services to anyone in our area who is facing a difficult or unplanned pregnancy.

If you wish to participate in the Baby Bottle Boomerang, please pick up a baby bottle from the back of the church on the weekend of Mother's Day (May 14). Fill the bottle with change, and return the bottle on the weekend of Father's Day (Jun 18).

Villa Maria-thon 5-K Run and 2-Mile Walk

Villa Maria Education and Spirituality Center will sponsor its 13th annual Villa Maria-thon 5-K Run and 2-Mile Walk on Saturday, June 3rd, 2023 at 9 a.m. at Villa Maria Community Center in Villa Maria, Pa. The event includes activities for the entire family! Go to www.vmesc.org for registration and additional information. All proceeds from this event benefit the Center's youth and adult programs.



Marienville/North Clarion Food Pantry:

Items needed For May and June 2023 are: cake mix, boxed dinners, boxed potatoes, canned meat, cereal, jello, pudding, egg noodles, dry pasta, canned tomatoes, baked beans, canned tomatoes, dish soap, liquid laundry detergent, soft soap.

Distribution 10 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Fridays @ Marienville United Methodist Church, 201 N. Forest St., Marienville, PA

June 23, 2023

Please remember monetary donations are always welcome. Checks are to be made payable to the Marienville Methodist Church – in the memo write: Marienville/North Clarion Food Bank. Mail checks to the Marienville Methodist Church, PO Box 281, Marienville, Pa. 16239. Your generosity helps families in our community. Please no expired food items!

The Marienville Food Pantry Needs You!

We are looking to increase our volunteer roster. If you can assist in this vital ministry, contact Rev. Heidi Helsel at (724) 420-4420 or hrevmom@gmail.com. Thank you for your prayers and support.

See the Story of Jesus through the Eyes of Those Who Followed Him

Join Catholic Rural Ministry Sisters in viewing "The Chosen" Season 2, on Thursday mornings (June 8, 15, 22, 29) 9:30 am – 11:30 am at St. Elizabeth Center Social Hall (ground floor), 311 Emerald St., Oil City PA.

All are Welcome!

CURSILLO IS BACK

We happy to announce that the next Elk/Cameron
Women's Cursillo #260 will be
August 11, 12 & 13, 2023
Elk County Catholic High School
St. Marys, PA

We have openings for women to make this next Cursillo weekend. If you are interested in attending or know anyone that would like to make a Cursillo, please fill out an application on the Erie Website: https://eriecursillo.org/ or email Julie with any questions at elkcameroncursillo@gmail.com

Women's Cursillo #260 is open to all women of all faiths. Women no longer need to wait until their spouses have made

Making a Cursillo with many women just like yourself can be an amazing experience and a great way to deepen your relationship with Christ and others. Please consider joining us!

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION SAINTLY SOJOURN—UPSTATE NY OCTOBER 10-12, 2023

Trip includes:

☐ Meals - 3 Lunches, 3 Dinners, 2 Breakfasts

☐ Admission to the Corning Museum of Glass

☐ Wine tasting at Oh-Neh-Da Winery

☐ Hotel accommodations for two nights

☐ Motor coach transportation

☐ Faith - an opportunity to grow your lifelong faith formation!

Cost: \$550 per person based on double occupancy. Single rooms available for \$680.

Please make reservations early. Final payment due by August 10, 2023. No re-funds or cancellations within 60 days of trip unless with replacement.

For more information or to reserve your seat, please contact Kim at (814)221-0241 or kkroh@live.com

JULY LOTTERY TICKETS

This is one of our most important Fundraisers!

July 2023 Lottery Tickets are available at the back of the church for your pickup, starting May 27.

Please return sold tickets—complete with full address and telephone number—and money by June 30 in an envelope marked "Lottery tickets" and your name.

Unused tickets should be turned in to the Parish Office. Please do not throw them away.

OUR CHURCH FAMILY NEWS



| May | 29 | Henry Carroll Isaac Kaye |
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| May | 30 | Lori Hollis George Karg, Jr. |
| June | 1 | Vincent Carey |
| June | 3 | Kathleen Clugston Megan Wolbert |
| June | 4 | John Bauer Diane Heasley Dale Mueller |



| May | 29 | Henry & Tatiana Karg Thomas & Amanda Phillips |
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| June | 1 | Brian & Antoinette Bauer Michael & Mary Schrecengost |
| June | 3 | Robert & Esther Heasley |
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Child Protection and Creating Safe Environments- National CyberTipline: The National Center for Missing and Exploited Children's CyberTipline is the nation's centralized reporting system for the online exploitation of children. Anyone can make reports of suspected online enticement of children for sexual acts, molestation, child pornography, child sex tourism, child sex trafficking (includes prostitution), child sextortion and unsolicited obscene materials sent to a child. Misleading domain names, misleading words or digital images on the internet can also be reported to the CyberTipline. NCMEC staff review each tip and work to find a potential location for the incident reported so that it may be made available to the appropriate lawenforcement agency for possible investigation. NCMEC provides resources/help in removing an online image. Reports can be made 24 hours a day, seven days a week online at www.cybertipline.org or by calling (800) 843-5678. For additional resources visit www.eriercd.org/ childprotection/

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