



ST MARY MAGDALENE PARISH

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2ND SUNDAY OF LENT



Then a cloud came, casting a shadow over them; from the cloud came a voice, "This is my beloved Son. Listen to him." Suddenly, looking around, they no longer saw anyone but Jesus alone with them.

- Mk 9:7-8



Vidi Dominum

St. Mary Magdalene is a Roman Catholic Parish that witnesses the love of Jesus Christ through evangelization, catechesis and the celebration of the Sacraments.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday: 9:00 am—Noon, 1:00 pm-5:00 pm

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

Saturday (Vigil) 4:30 pm
Sunday 7:00 am 9:00 am 11:30 am 4:30 pm

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - Saturday 8:00 am

COMMUNAL PRAYER (in the Church)

Rosary & Divine Mercy, prayed after 8:00am daily Mass

PERPETUAL ADORATION

The Blessed Sacrament is exposed 24 hours a day 7 days a week. For access after office hours, call the office for a code.

Join us in the chapel for

Holy Hour for Life: Thursdays at 5:30pm

Holy Hour for Priests: 1st Sunday of each month at 3:00pm

CONFESSIONS

Monday-Friday, 8:45am-9:15am & Saturday, 8:45am-11:15am

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admin@smarymag.org

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Deacons Craig Hintze, Rick Nevins, Sean Sylvester, Ray DuBois, and Larry St. Onge (winter visitor): Call Parish Office

FROM YOUR FINANCE COUNCIL

Collections/Faith Direct Totals,

Feb 12 Plate collection (cash & checks) **\$10,208.93**

Feb 12 Capital Campaign (cash & checks) **\$70.00**

Jan 22 Plate collection (Faith Direct) **\$27,233.50**

Jan 22 Capital Campaign (Faith Direct) **\$1,397.00**

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Need Help?

Emergency Anointing of the Sick:

Only for emergencies, call 480-678-3353.

New to St. Mary Magdalene? We are looking forward to meeting you! Please visit the Parish Office or smarymag.org/about-parishregistration to formally register as a parishioner.

Catholic Counseling: Call the Parish Office for recommendations of counselors that can offer guidance and therapy from a Catholic perspective.

Offering Masses: If you'd like to offer a Special Intention Mass (for a living person) or In Remembrance Mass (for a deceased person), please come by the Parish Office. There is a stipend of \$10. We are scheduling Masses for January, 2025.

Letter Requests: Please submit request for letters of permission for Baptism or Confirmation sponsors or copies of replacement Sacrament Certificates to the Parish Office. Please allow for a turn-around of 5 business days.

Family Record Updates: If you have a change of address, phone, email, addition of children or if you are moving out of the parish please call the parish office or contact admin@smarymag.org to have your records updated.

Pastoral Care to the Sick: Our Pastoral Care Ministry volunteers bring Holy Communion to those who are sick, hospitalized or homebound. Please call the parish office or email pastoralcare@smarymag.org to arrange a visit.

Adoration

The following hours are in need of Weekly Adorers: **Sun 3am, 11am, 1pm, 2pm, 4pm, 10pm, 11pm; Mon 3am, 7am; Tue 12am, 9pm; Wed 11pm; Thu 12pm, 10pm; Fri 3am, 8pm, 9pm, 10pm, 11pm; Sat 1pm, 4pm, 5pm, 10pm.** There are currently other hours with only one scheduled adorer. Ideally, we would have at least 3-4 people committed to pray in our Adoration Chapel for every hour of the week. Visit smm.weadorehim.com to sign up or login. Contact Juan at Liturgy@smarymag.org with questions.



Readings for the Week

Sunday: Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/Ps 116:10, 15, 16-17, 18-19 (116:9)/Rom 8:31b-34/Mk 9:2-10
Monday: Dn 9:4b-10/Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13/Lk 6:36-38
Tuesday: Is 1:10, 16-20/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mt 23:1-12
Wednesday: Jer 18:18-20/Ps 31:5-6, 14, 15-16/Mt 20:17-28
Thursday: Jer 17:5-10/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Lk 16:19-31
Friday: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21/Mt 21:33-43, 45-46
Saturday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32
Next Sunday: Ex 20:1-17 or 20:1-3, 7-8, 12-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 (Jn 6:68c)/1 Cor 1:22-25/Jn 2:13-25
Scrutiny: Ex 17:3-7/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 (8)/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42

This Week's Saints, Special Observances & Mass Intentions

Saturday: 8am: +Thomas Stassen, 4:30 Pro Populo
Sunday: 2nd Sunday in Lent, 7am: Pro Populo, 9am: +Deceased Members of Rapsi Family, 11:30am: +Steven Williams, 4:30pm: +Arthur A Bejarano
Monday: 8am: SI Josh & Allison Bryant & Family
Tuesday: 8am: St. Gregory of Narek, 8am: SI Dcn. Rick Nevins
Wednesday: 8am: SI Dcn. Larry St. Onge
Thursday: 8am: +Henry Garcia
Friday: 8 am: SI Frank O'Rourke
Saturday: 8am: SI Laura Usme, 4:30: +Charlotte McPherson

What's Inside

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CONNECT WITH US!

Text smarymag to the number 84576 OR visit smarymag.flocknote.com to receive text and/or email updates from the groups & ministries that you care about. Bonus: You'll get a weekly inspirational text from your pastor! Questions?

Contact admin@smarymag.org. You can unsubscribe anytime.
Parish Website: www.smarymag.org
YouTube: www.youtube.com/@StMaryMagdaleneGilbert

Parish Podcast: use this QR code:

TV Mass

All those who are sick or homebound, and unable to attend Mass, can watch a live broadcast of the Mass at 9:00am, Sunday mornings from Ss. Simon and Jude Cathedral on KAZT-TV (AZ-TV7, Cable 13) Followed by the show "Catholics Matter."

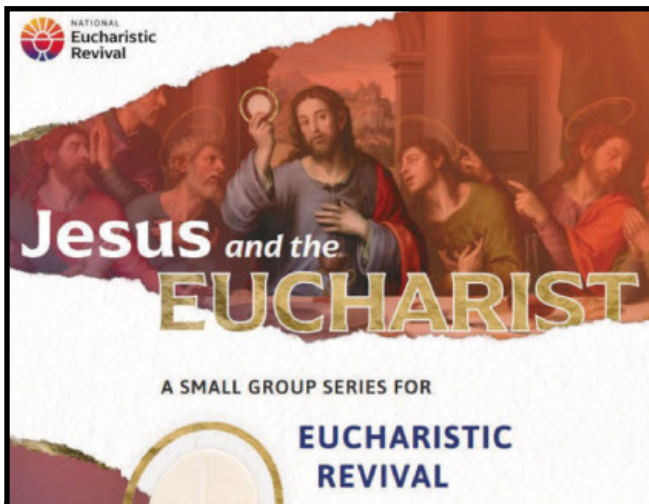


Catholic Radio: 1310 AM

Tune in to *Relevant Radio* from your car or computer, or download the app to listen with your smart phone! Visit relevantradio.com for the schedule of shows, including The Patrick Madrid Show and an interactive Family Rosary. Also, visit dphx.org/catholic-media for local shows like The Bishop's Hour; Saturdays at 9:00am.

The whole parish is being provided FREE access to **FORMED On Demand**. Discover thousands of studies, movies, talks, and e-books from over 40 of the best Catholic authors. To log in, visit formed.org, click sign up or sign in, select our parish, enter your email address, and you're in! No password required. Login is now through email. Also download the app on your smart phone.

Bulletin Submissions: All submissions for events, articles, art, or other content must be made by Wednesday, a week-and-a-half prior to any given Sunday via smarymag.org/bulletin-announcement-request. We reserve the right to edit, include or not include any submission.



JESUS & THE EUCHARIST VIDEO SERIES: Saturdays from 9:30—11:30AM from February 3—April 13 in the Church Hall



Have You Heard?

WE ARE IN THE MIDST OF A NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL!

The Church needs healing, and the world needs Jesus. The Holy Spirit is inviting us to return to the source and summit of our faith—the Eucharist.



eucharisticrevival.org

MAKING HISTORY

The First National Eucharistic Congress in 83 Years

This is a pivotal moment in both American history and the legacy of the Catholic Church. We are expecting tens of thousands of pilgrims—but space is limited. Jesus Christ will be there. Will you?

[SEE SCHEDULE](#)



WHEN

July 17–21, 2024



WHERE

Lucas Oil Stadium
INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA



WHO

Laypeople, Clergy, & Religious

7 ways to help teens (or anyone) get more out of their Mass experience:

1. Ask your pastor to offer a “teaching mass”—explaining every detail from beginning to end. The Mass is rich with tradition and history. *St Mary Magdalene will be offering a teaching series on the Mass in Spring.*
2. Explain the transcendentals—beauty, goodness and truth...invite your teen to reflect on the one that helps draw them to God most. Then, encourage them to observe where they see this present in the Mass.
3. Focus on the senses—seeing, hearing, smelling, tasting—Send your teen on an assignment to discover all the ways the senses are involved during the Mass.

To see this entire article go to our website or Facebook page for the link or go to:
www.catechist.com/7-tips-teens-everyone-else-get-mass/

Upcoming Events



40 Days for Life runs from February 14th through March 24th! Join other Christians for 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. Peaceful prayer will take place on the sidewalk near Tempe Planned Parenthood. SMM will strive to fill all Friday afternoon hours from Noon until 7:00pm. For more information and to sign up for vigil hours, visit the website <https://www.40daysforlife.com/en/tempe>

We are hiring: St. Mary Magdalene is currently seeking a Director of Liturgy, Pastoral Care, Marriage Prep, and Nullity. Please check our website or scan the QR code here if you or someone you know might be interested in exploring this opportunity.



FORMATION

Interested in becoming Catholic? Never been Confirmed? Inquiry, RCIA & Adult Sacramental Preparation is year round. Contact Nicole Carlson at adultformation@smarymag.org to get started.

Catholic Truth Seekers: If you are a young adult, ages 18-30, and would like to learn more about your faith and have fellowship with other young adults come join "Catholic Truth Seekers." They meet every Friday at 7pm here at the parish. Email: Luis Cadena with questions smarymagcts@gmail.com

Prayer Line Ministry: Would you like to receive regular messages to pray for the needs of our parish? Email prayerline@smarymag.org or call the office and provide your name, email or phone number (and indicate if you would like text or calls). Let's create a powerful prayer warrior team here at St Mary Magdalene!



Christ in our Neighborhood: Christ in our Neighborhood is a weekly Scripture study for small groups. Those who came to the Intro Sat, 1/13 got to try out the content & see how approachable it is & easy it is to use. YOU are invited to start a group in your neighborhood this Lent. If you are starting a group or would like to join a group, email adultformation@smarymag.org

National Eucharistic Congress: As we continue this year of Eucharistic Revival, we would like to invite you to grow closer to Jesus alongside fellow parishioners through the Jesus and the Eucharist study. This study was specifically designed for this Year of Parish Revival, and we will be joining many other parishes throughout the United States in participating in this small group study as we journey together through this three-year National Eucharistic Revival. The study will begin February 3 from 9:30-11:00 in the Church Hall. For questions, email Nicky at adultformation@smarymag.org

RCIA Team: would you be willing to mentor youth, teens or Adults in the faith? We need people that would be willing to be trained to lead small groups in discussions or to be Sponsors for our Teens or Adults. We will be offering training this summer and putting together a team for next year that will help evangelize those coming into the Church. If you are an active Catholic in good standing

and could fulfill this role for someone in need of a sponsor, please email adultformation@smarymag.org for more details.

PARISH LIFE COMMUNITIES

Respect Life Initiatives: Holy Hour for Life is sponsored by Magis Women this Thursday. Adoration and Rosary for the unborn is every Thursday from 5:30 - 6:30 pm in the St. Michael Adoration Chapel. Prayers are led by Parish Life Communities and Ministries. Community prayer begins at 6:00pm. All are welcome to join us in this powerful hour for Life!

Crochet and Knit for Life: Crochet and Knit for Life: Meets every Thursday from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. in the Frassati Room. All skill levels and all are welcome! If you haven't begun to crochet, but would like to learn, we will teach you how to make blankets for newborns.



Catholic Daughters: Please Join the Catholic Daughters meeting the third Saturday of the month at 10:00 am in the Holy Family Room. Members donate to charities, administer scholarship programs and strive "to be helping hands where there is pain, poverty, sorrow or sickness." Contact us for more information at 2779cda@gmail.com

Support Our Seminarians Bingo Fundraiser:

This is the last weekend for early bird pricing of \$35/person; price will be \$45/person starting March 1st. Come play Bingo with us and some seminarians on Friday, April 5th! Please visit sosphx.org for registration information.



Cor: The Knights of Columbus and Saint Mary Magdalene invite men 18 and over to join Cor, our monthly gathering of Catholic men to live their faith and serve their family, parish, community, and country. The mission of Cor is to refocus Catholic men on Jesus Christ and to form and strengthen them in faith and virtue through a brother-hood committed to prayer, formation, and fraternity. Meeting on 2nd Thursday of each month at 6:30 pm.



Help Making Rosaries: Rosary makers needed! We will teach you how to make rosaries for our church other churches, and non profit organizations. We provide all the supplies you need. We meet every Thursday from 9:30-11:30am in the Frassati room. For information contact Mary Calgaro, mecalgaro@gmail.com

Pray for Us

Please **Pray for those who are sick**, including *Louise Fournier, Michael Love, Young Sik Choi*, and all of those in our parish book of Intentions.

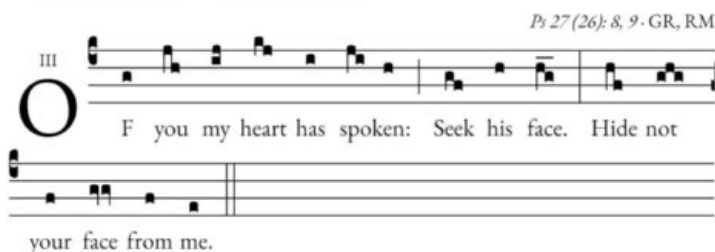
We extend **Our Prayers and Sympathy** to all the deceased, *Ryan Titz, David Areghini* all those lost through abortion, all the Holy Souls in Purgatory, and all those who have recently passed away. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.



Order of Mass: 2nd Sunday in Lent

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Ps 27 (26): 8, 9 - GR, RM



O F you my heart has spoken: Seek his face. Hide not
your face from me.

PENITENTIAL ACT

I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, [All strike their breast] through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

KYRIE *Roman Missal Chant*

Each line by cantor(s), then all:



K Y-ri-e, e-lé-i-son. iĵ Chri-ste, e-lé-i-son. iĵ Kŷ-
ri-e, e-lé-i-son. Kŷ-ri-e, e-lé-i-son.

FIRST READING

Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18

God put Abraham to the test.

He called to him, "Abraham!"

"Here I am!" he replied.

Then God said:

"Take your son Isaac, your only one, whom you love,
and go to the land of Moriah.

There you shall offer him up as a holocaust
on a height that I will point out to you."

When they came to the place of which God had told him,
Abraham built an altar there and arranged the wood on it.
Then he reached out and took the knife to slaughter his son.

But the LORD's messenger called to him from heaven,
"Abraham, Abraham!"

"Here I am!" he answered.

"Do not lay your hand on the boy," said the messenger.

"Do not do the least thing to him.

I know now how devoted you are to God,
since you did not withhold from me your own beloved son."

As Abraham looked about,
he spied a ram caught by its horns in the thicket.
So he went and took the ram
and offered it up as a holocaust in place of his son.

Again the LORD's messenger called to Abraham from heaven and said:

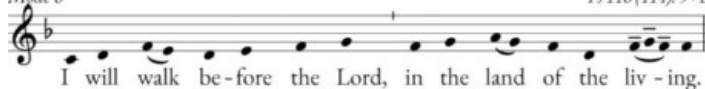
"I swear by myself, declares the LORD,
that because you acted as you did
in not withholding from me your beloved son,
I will bless you abundantly
and make your descendants as countless
as the stars of the sky and the sands of the seashore;
your descendants shall take possession
of the gates of their enemies,
and in your descendants all the nations of the earth
shall find blessing—
all this because you obeyed my command."

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 16

Mode 6

Ps 116 (114): 9 - L



I will walk be-fore the Lord, in the land of the liv-ing.

I believed, even when I said,

"I am greatly afflicted."

Precious in the eyes of the LORD

is the death of his faithful ones.

R. I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living.

O LORD, I am your servant;

I am your servant, the son of your handmaid;

you have loosed my bonds.

To you will I offer sacrifice of thanksgiving,

and I will call upon the name of the LORD.

R. I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living.

My vows to the LORD I will pay

in the presence of all his people,

In the courts of the house of the LORD,

in your midst, O Jerusalem.

R. I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living.

SECOND READING

Rom 8:31b-34

Brothers and sisters:

If God is for us, who can be against us?

He who did not spare his own Son

but handed him over for us all,

how will he not also give us everything else along with him?

Who will bring a charge against God's chosen ones?

It is God who acquits us, who will condemn?

Christ Jesus it is who died—or, rather, was raised—

who also is at the right hand of God,

who indeed intercedes for us.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



Praise to you, Lord Je-sus Christ, king of end-less glo-ry!

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Tone 1, adapt. by Richard Rice

GOSPEL

Mark 1:12-15

Jesus took Peter, James, and John and led them up a high mountain apart by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, and his clothes became dazzling white, such as no fuller on earth could bleach them. Then Elijah appeared to them along with Moses, and they were conversing with Jesus. Then Peter said to Jesus in reply, "Rabbi, it is good that we are here! Let us make three tents: one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah." He hardly knew what to say, they were so terrified. Then a cloud came, casting a shadow over them; from the cloud came a voice, "This is my beloved Son. Listen to him." Suddenly, looking around, they no longer saw anyone but Jesus alone with them.

As they were coming down from the mountain, he charged them not to relate what they had seen to anyone, except when the Son of Man had risen from the dead. So they kept the matter to themselves, questioning what rising from the dead meant.

HOMILY

PROFESSION OF FAITH

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

OFFERTORY ANTIPHON

Ps 119 (118): 47, 48 · GR

I will ponder your statutes, which I have greatly loved.

OFFERTORY HYMN

'Tis Good, Lord, to Be Here

1. 'Tis good, Lord, to be here! Thy glo - ry fills the
2. 'Tis good, Lord, to be here, Thy beau - ty to be -
3. Ful - fill - er of the past! Prom - ise of things to
4. Be - fore we taste of death, We see thy king - dom
5. 'Tis good, Lord, to be here! Yet we may not re -

1. night; Thy face and gar - ments, like the sun, Shine
2. hold Where Mo - ses and E - li - jah stand, Thy
3. be! We hail thy bod - y glo - ri - fied, And
4. come; We fain would hold the vi - sion bright, And
5. main; But since thou bidst us leave the mount Come

1. with un - bor - rowed light.
2. mes - sen - gers of old.
3. our re - demp - tion see.
4. make this hill our home.
5. with us to the plain.

PREFACE ACCLAMATION

Roman Missal Chant

Sanc - tus, Sanc - tus, Sanc - tus Dó - mi - nus De - us Sá - ba -
oth. Ple - ni sunt cæ - li et ter - ra gló - ri - a tu - a. Ho - sán -
na in ex - cél - sis. Be - ne - díc - tus qui ve - nit in nó - mi - ne
Dó - mi - ni. Ho - sán - na in ex - cél - sis.

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER CONSECRATION

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

Roman Missal Chant

M Ortem tu - am annunti - ámus, Dó - mi - ne, et tu - am
re - sur - rec - ti - ó - nem confi - témur, do - nec vé - ni - as.

AGNUS DEI

Roman Missal Chant

A - gnus De - i, * qui tol - lis pec - cá - ta mun - di: mi - se -
ré - re no - bis. A - gnus De - i, * qui tol - lis pec - cá - ta mun -
di: mi - se - ré - re no - bis. A - gnus De - i, * qui tol - lis pec -
cá - ta mun - di: do - na no - bis pa - cem.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Mt 17: 5 · RM

T His is my be - lov - ed Son, with whom I am well pleased;
lis - ten to him.

COMMUNION HYMN

Attende Domine

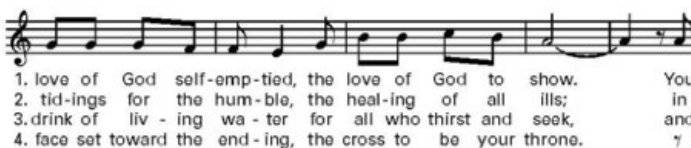
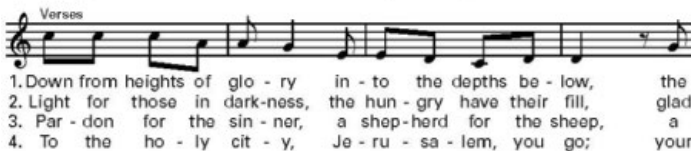


Translation:

Hear us, O Lord, and have mercy, for we have sinned against you.

COMMUNION HYMN

Transfigure Us, O Lord



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MEDITATION HYMN

Transfiguration



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SMM BUILDING PRAYER

All-powerful and all-merciful Father, You have created all things through Your Son, and have made Him the unshakable foundation of Your Kingdom. Through the gift of Your eternal wisdom, grant that our effort to build the parish of Saint Mary Magdalene, for Your glory and our own well-being, may progress day by day to its successful completion. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

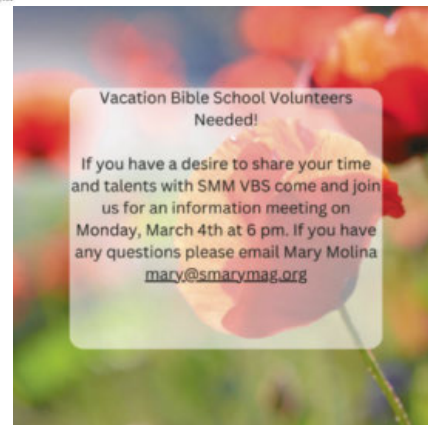
RECESSIONAL HYMN

Again we Keep This Solemn Fast



Ex more docti mystica
Ascr. to Gregory the Great, c. 540-604
Tr. by Peter J. Scagnelli
Tr. © Peter J. Scagnelli

Geistliche Lieder, Wittenberg, 1543



A Thank You Message from Emmanuel Outreach

In 2023, Emmanuel Homeless has fed and clothed over 15k people. Emmanuel Outreach has helped over 40 families with rental, utility, furniture, food, clothing, etc.

All this could not have happened without the generous donations that we have received from our parishioners. Emmanuel has raised and spent over \$23,000 for 2023

Hector and Kim say THANK YOU! THANK YOU! THANK YOU!

Hector and Kim are transitioning to a different vocation serving God. We would like this ministry to continue and are happy to help people train to continue Emmanuel. Please see Fr. Chris if interested.

Once again, Hector and Kim would like to say THANK YOU!

CHRIST IN OUR NEIGHBORHOOD

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More information at <https://dphx.org/christ-in-our-neighborhood/>

08 FEBRUARY

FAMILY HOLY HOUR FOR
LIFE @5:30PM

08 MARCH

HOST SMM SOUP KITCHEN
POTLUCK @5:30PM

12 APRIL

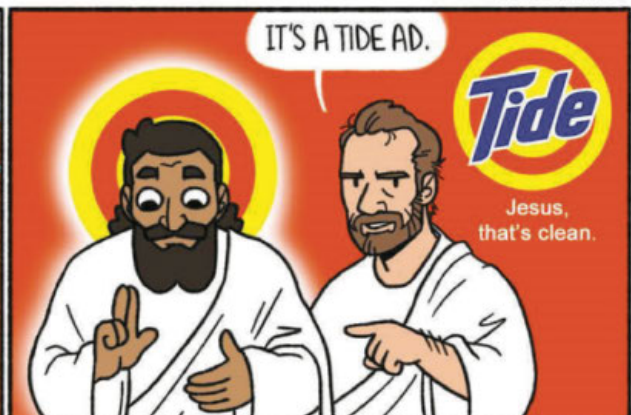
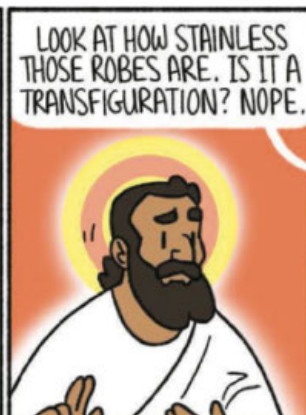
ROSARY IN DISCOVERY
DISTRICT PARK @4:30PM

10 MAY

SOCIAL IN THE HALL
@4:30PM

SJFF EVENTS

TOMICS by Tom Gould



Mark 9:3

Parish Ministries

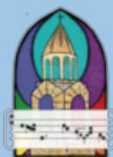
LITURGY Altar Servers, Lectors, Ushers, Greeters, Altar flowers, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Chapel volunteers: a great way to serve in most important functions of the Church.



Contact: liturgy@smarymag.org



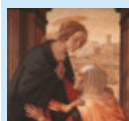
SACRED MUSIC Liturgical choirs for adults and youth, beginners to professionals, enriching the beauty of the liturgy according to the rich tradition of sacred music from the heart of the Church. Parish orchestra and handbell ensemble.



Contact: sacredmusic@smarymag.org



PASTORAL CARE This Ministry coordinates Anointing of the Sick, Volunteers bringing Holy Communion to the sick and homebound, praying with the sick and dying, and other end of life needs.



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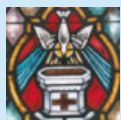
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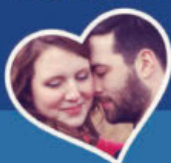
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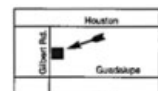
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