ST. MARYS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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OFFICE HOURS: Mon. – Closed - Call the Rectory for sacramental emergencies. Please only use for sacramental emergencies (illness or death). Thanks 276-228-1019 Tues., Wed., Thurs. 9 am – 5 pm Fri. 9 am – 3 pm

MASS SCHEDULE: Fridays 12:00 pm unless otherwise posted differently; <u>Confessions immediately</u> <u>following or by appointment.</u> Saturday 5:00 p.m. Sunday 9:00 a.m. St. Edwards: Sunday 11:00 am

St. Marys Weekly Calendar

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Saturday, April 13	5:00 pm Communion Service
Sunday, April 14	9:00 am Communion Service
Monday, April 15	OFFICE CLOSED
Friday, April 19	<u>No Noon Liturgy</u>
Saturday, April 20	5:00 pm Liturgy-Presider Father Dan Kelly
Sunday, April 21	9:00 am Liturgy-Presider Father Dan Kelly
	Liturgy Intentions-Levi & Jan Long

<u>Please call the office for emergencies during Father Boat's absence. Your call will be returned asap.</u>

SECOND COLLECTIONS

May 4-5	St. Mary's Capital Improvement
May 18-19	Diocesan Home Missions

Please continue your prayers for our sick and homebound: Keesha Arnold, James Biertzer, Kevin Biertzer, Brother John, Helen Conrad, Jason Conrad, Gene Deshler, Charlie Dix, Charlotte Driggers, Lori Francis, George Fuderer, Chris Meserve, Suzanne Molloy, Bill Mutschler, Sister Mary Ellen, Elizabeth Paradise, Yungho Park, Fran Parks, Joe Post, Evelyn Smith Reese, Larry Wise. *If there is anyone that you would like to add to or can be removed from the list, please email, or call the office. Thank you!*

HOPE PACK PROGRAM: We continue to accept donations for the Hope Pack Program in memory of Deacon Charles May. The baskets and envelopes are in the gathering space and at the Monroe Street entrance. *Please make all checks payable to <u>"Open Door Community"</u>. <i>Plastic shopping bags continue to be accepted.* Thank you for your continued support.

PASTORAL COUNCIL ELECTIONS: Currently there are 3 open positions on the Pastoral Council. Applications to fill out to run for these positions are in the gathering space and at the Monroe Street with the boxes to leave them. The deadline to apply is Sunday, April 28th. Also, if you may be interested in serving on a committee, but not the council, there is also a place to give your information. Elections will be held on the weekends of May 4 & 5 and May 11 & 12. Questions, please see a current council member or contact the office. Thank you for your prayerful consideration to serve your parish.

APRIL MASS INFORMATION: There will be no Noon Mass in the month of April. Father Boat is in Ghana returning on April 26th. Please call the office for emergencies. *This weekend is a Communion Service in the Absence of a Priest presided by Deacon Rick Furman. This will fulfill your Sunday obligation. Father Dan Kelly will preside over the Masses the weekend of April 20-21.*

EASTER LILIES: There are lilies available in the church kitchen. Please help yourself.

Sacrificial Offering

April 6-7, 2024 Operating Funds <u>\$2994.91</u> Easter \$60.00 Capital Improvement \$836.00 Please see the updated financial information on the bulletin boards.

<u>AGAPE FOOD PANTRY:</u> Requested For the <u>second quarter</u> is canned fruit, peanut butter, and cereal. Thank you for your continued support.

DOG/CAT FOOD AND CAT LITTER DONATIONS: URGENT REQUEST: Brother John is continually accepting cat and dog food donations. Please leave them at the Monroe Street entrance. He is grateful for your continued support. **Please pass the word**.

FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER: Along with the needed items on the list on the wall above the bin, packaged plastic silverware is also needed. They can use this along with all other paper products when they must house a family in a motel. *Please leave your donations in the designated container in the gathering space.* Thanks.