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> following or by appointment.

Saturday 5:00 p.m. Sunday 9:00 a.m. St. Edwards: Sunday 11:00 am

St. Marys Weekly Calendar

Saturday, January 4
Sunday, January 5
Monday, January 6
S:00 pm Liturgy
9:00 am Liturgy
Office Closed

Friday, January 10 11:00 am Adoration/Benediction

Saturday, January 11 5:00 pm Liturgy
Sunday, January 12 9:00 am Liturgy

SECOND COLLECTIONS

January 11-12 Capital Improvements

January 18-19 Respect Life

<u>A REMINDER:</u> Father Boat's Homily is available on the parish website every Tuesday after the weekend Masses. The website address is <u>www.stmaryswytheville.org</u>. It is also available on St. Edward's website, usually Sunday afternoon. <u>www.stedwardpulaski.org</u>.

Please continue your prayers for our sick and homebound: Keesha Arnold, Mary Bobell, Brother John, Helen Conrad, Jason Conrad, Gene Deshler, Tonya Dunford, Lori Francis, George Fuderer, Tonia Johnson, Suzanne Molloy, Bill Mutschler, Sister Mary Ellen, Elizabeth Paradise, Mary Pemberton, Frances Post, Joe Post, and Kathy Sherowsky. 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!

<u>UPCOMING SCHEDULE:</u> Adoration/Benediction has been rescheduled for Friday, January 10th at 11 am followed by the Noon Mass.

<u>PARISH GATHERING:</u> The next parish gathering will be breakfast held on *Sun., Feb. 2nd following the 9 am Mass.* Please bring a dish to share. Everyone is welcome to attend.

THE 2025 CONTRIBUTION ENVELOPES are available to be picked up in the gathering space. <u>Please pick</u> them up ASAP. If you are not sure of your number, please find your name on the chart and get that box. It is requested that everyone cross off their name on the chart when you have picked up your envelopes. If anyone would like to begin using envelopes, please add your name, email address and phone number on the paper and the office manager will assist you. ALSO, the 2025 calendars are available in the gathering space. Please help yourself.

<u>A REMINDER:</u> The "First Offering" envelope helps to cover the cost of the contribution envelopes. Please consider your generosity. Thank you.

Sacrificial Offering Dec. 28-29, 2024

Operating Funds	\$4901.00
Capital Improvements	\$10.00
Catholic Charities	\$50.00
Christmas Offering	\$525.00
Immaculate Conception	\$3.00

Updated finance information is now available on the bulletin boards.

ALSO: The minutes from the last Pastoral Council meeting are available on the bulletin boards.

PREGNANCY RESOURCE CENTER-SWVA: Please see the sign-donation container in the gathering space for the Pregnancy Resource Center. Donations requested are: *Unisex baby blankets, Infant boys & girls clothes, diapers, baby wipes, baby bottles and onesies.* If you have any questions, please see Brenda May.

<u>HOPE PACK PROGRAM:</u> 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> Plastic shopping bags continue to be accepted.* Thank you for your continued support.

AGAPE FOOD PANTRY: <u>Fourth quarter requests</u>: cereal, rice and vegetables. <u>First quarter of 2025 requests</u>: soup, macaroni & cheese and canned beans. Thank you for your continued support.

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.