

## WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

**Saturday, May 8, 2010**

4:00pm Helen Jean Bennett

**Sunday, May 9, 2010**

8:30am For the Parish

11:00am Marie Sichko

**Tuesday, May 11, 2010**

6:00pm Walter Goss

**Wednesday, May 12, 2010**

6:00pm William T. Cody

**Thursday, May 13, 2010**

6:00pm Deacon Dick Jackson

**Friday, May 14, 2010**

9:00am Marie Sichko

**Saturday, May 15, 2010**

4:00pm James Bennett

**Sunday, May 16, 2010**

8:30am Tom Pinnell

11:00am For the Parish



**OUR LADY OF  
GUADALUPE CANDLE  
IN MEMORY OF  
CATHERINE AND ROBERT  
DALGLIESH**



**ROSARY**

**The Rosary will be recited  
each Sunday at 8:10 am  
before 8:30 Mass.**

## WHAT TO DO IF...

### You want to baptize your baby:

Baptisms are on the third weekend of the month during Saturday and Sunday Mass. Call Cathy Cornett at 623-2989, prompt 5, ext. 2005 about the preparation program.

### You want to join the parish:

To register as a member, visit the Welcome Committee desk in the gathering space.

### You want to get married:

Please arrange an appointment with the priest at least six months before the date you would like to be married. You must be registered in the parish.

### You want to make your First Communion or be Confirmed:

If you are an adult, call Terry Culross at 623-6847 or Linda Clark at 623-0925. If you are in grades 2-12, call Cathy Cornett, 623-2989, prompt 5, ext. 2005.

### You have a prayer concern:

Please call Connie Wason at 623-1703 or Rose Mansfield at 623-0971, who are members of the Praying Hands Prayer Group, by Wednesday at 7:00 pm.

### You would like to arrange a Mass Intention:

Come to the parish office and ask for the secretary.

### You want to put something in the bulletin:

Instructions for getting announcements in the bulletin can be obtained by calling the parish office at 623-2989 and speaking with the secretary. **BULLETIN DEADLINE IS 12:00 PM ON TUESDAY.**

### You would like more information about Knights of Columbus:

Please call John Wright at 859-893-1123.

**You want to register your child in St. Mark School:** Call the school at 623-2989, prompt 4.

**You need a ride or can offer a ride to or from Church:** Call the parish office at 623-2989, prompt 5, ext. 2001.

### You wish to have an announcement read at Mass:

Anyone wishing to have an announcement said before Mass must bring the announcement in to the Parish office for the pastor's approval by Thursday before the scheduled Mass. Announcement can be emailed to: liane.hinch@saintmarkcatholicchurch.net.

### You would like the parish priest or parishioner to visit someone who is sick:

Please call the parish office at 623-2989, prompt 5, ext 2002, if there is an emergency (imminent death or need of sacrament, prompt 3) or if you or a loved one are about to have surgery, are in a hospital or nursing home, or have become homebound. The priest is ready to visit, administer the Sacrament of the Sick and Holy Communion.

***Please provide the location and phone number of the person to be visited, and the time that is most convenient for the visit.***

### You want to change your name or address in the Parish records OR are leaving the parish:

Call the parish office at 623-2989, prompt 5, ext. 2001.

### You want to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Reconciliation is offered immediately after all of the weekend Masses.

### You would like more information about the Catholic Daughters of the Americas:

Call Tricia Davis at 623-9184 or Laure Schadler at 624-9316.

**PASTOR'S PAGE**

Notes from the Pastor:

I am not sure how many people knew, but after the 11:00 a.m. Mass this past Sunday, a FLOOD was experienced from "above" throughout the kitchen, gathering space near the gym, restrooms etc. I am grateful for Paul Esker, Mark Davis, Craig Fischer, Anthony and Jana Mayer, Bill McHugh, Justin Auton and Arek Font. If you see these individuals, please THANK THEM, for SAVING OUR PARISH from further destruction and erosion.

ALL I CAN SAY IS "WOWOW!!!" Do you realize that this past week, Pledge Weekend, we rocketed our total for the Diocesan Capital Campaign THROUGH THE ROOF! This is what was written to me from the Campaign office of the Diocese: "As of yesterday (5/3), we have \$328,710 pledged with \$41,798 in cash received. This included 145 responses and 59% of your goal! **I am pretty sure, they continued, "that this is the largest stack we have received in the Diocese from any pledge weekend!"** Again, all I can say is THANK YOU!!!

I am pleased to announce that the Bickett TRIPLETS have arrived! Avery Michael is 4lbs 7ozs, Blake Matthew is 3lbs and 1 oz, Cayden Maxwell is 3lbs, 5ozs. Mom and babies are doing well! As I announced last week, NEXT WEEK we will take up a Diaper collection. Diapers fitting preemie, newborn or 1 year are wanted. I will announce next week's item at all the masses. Thank you for helping this family in a special way.

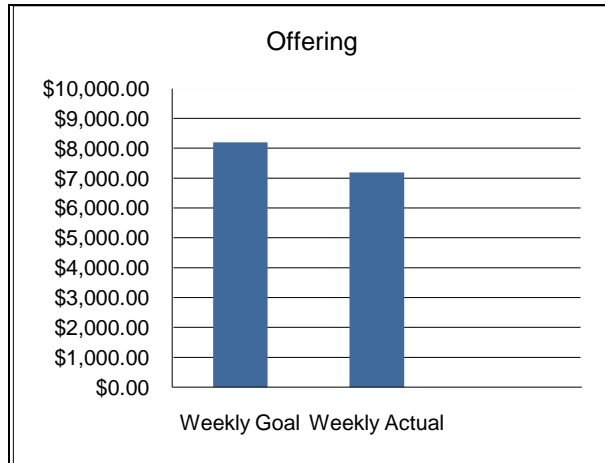
CONGRATS to our 38 First Communicants! What a special day it is for all of us to gather together and celebrate with these young people! I still remember my First Communion and how excited I was personally. Last weekend during Communion, two young people came forward and stated: "We have one more week to go, this will be our last blessing!" Special thanks to all those who helped educate and catechize these young people. Special thanks to OUR PARENTS, whose primary job it is to Catechize our young about our Roman Catholic Faith. Cathy Cornett, Regina Herre, Rob Schmidt and Donna Paoella, also receive many thanks and appreciation from all of us.

Finally, a word of thanks to all of our MOM's -- living and deceased. I am grateful for my mom and I love her bunches! I look forward to flying down to Houston after Mass and spending this special Mother's Day with her. As we give thanks to our Mom's, we remember that May is the month of Mary -- Pray a Rosary, say a prayer, Live your FAITH.

As usual, let me remind you that I am available to you in my office via email at [FatherJim.Sichko@SaintMarkCatholicChurch.net](mailto:FatherJim.Sichko@SaintMarkCatholicChurch.net) or, in cases of an emergency (i.e., death or imminent need of the Sacraments), by phone at 859-623-2989, prompt #3.

See you in Church,  
Fr. Jim

**STEWARDSHIP**



**OUR WEEKLY GOAL: \$ 8,200.00**

**ENVELOPES: \$6,089.50**  
**LOOSE CASH: \$ 444.00**  
**LOOSE COIN: \$ 2.70**  
**LOOSE CHECKS: \$ 655.00**  
**TOTAL \$7,191.20**

**Under for the week - \$1002.80**

**SECOND COLLECTIONS 2010**

January	Opportunities for Life	\$1,247.00
January	St. Mark School	\$1,315.55
February	Black&Indian Mission	\$ 676.84
February	St. Mark School	\$1,612.30
March	Home Meals Delivery	\$1,489.42
March	Catholic Relief Svcs	\$ 889.25
April	Holy Land-Good Friday	\$1,470.05
April	Home Missions	\$1,287.96

**Bake Sale for St. Mark School**

Thank you for your support in the Bake Sale. We raised \$1,271.25 First School Quarter for St. Mark School!

Jan 2010	\$367.05
Feb 2010	\$284.25
Apr 2010	\$220.50

**Father Jim's Speaking Donations**

	Parish	School
1. Missouri:	\$2,946.00	\$2,946.00
2. Kansas:	\$2,044.50	\$2,044.50
3. Kentucky:	\$1,790.24	\$1,710.24
4. Missouri:	\$1,391.30	\$1,391.30
5. Kansas	\$1,012.37	\$1,012.38



**PARISH  
SUPPORT**

**MINISTRIES**

**Linens: Debbie Pandaru**

<b>Ministry</b>			
<b>Mass</b>	<b>Lectors</b>	<b>Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion</b>	<b>Altar Servers</b>
<b>4:00PM Saturday, May 15</b>	Michael Eubanks Joan Grefer	Patti Baker Dot Bennett Terry Foster Micah Hall Robert Jackowski Joanne McCrary Alanna Sininger	Jim Swartz Abigail Kessler
<b>8:30AM Sunday, May 16</b>	Peter Creighton Phil Mattingly	Carrol Hale Marsha Hale Charlotte Hill Angel King Gail King Lynn King Sr. Mary Thomas	Joshua Schwab Joseph Abney
<b>11:00am Sunday, May 16</b>	Brad Wood Susan Stoneking	Marlene Flinchem Chuck Marz Mike Schwendeman Lois Scott Bill Sullivan Erin Sullivan	Vivian Nguyen Haley Marks

**REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS**

Our Ill and Homebound....

Jeff DeCarlo  
Russell Elswick  
Scott Dieckmann  
Mark Yanik  
Mary Powell  
Pat Hensley  
Sheryl Stephan  
Wanda Martin  
Carol Spratley  
Deborah C. Salmon  
Teri Kluesner  
Steven Beach  
Erman Wirtz

Denny Vanstone  
Larry Hoffman  
Michael O'Connor  
Frank Carey  
Marvin Bauer  
Robert Simkins  
Steven Wason  
Barbara Stuecker  
Mary Lewis  
Sandra Gray  
Tom Etherington  
Sal Felicicchia  
Lee David

Tim Cahill  
Beverly Heilig  
Virginia Sykora  
James W. Boarman  
Nancy Miller  
Michael Parker  
Rich Shuntich  
Marie Sichko  
Leon Boarman  
Bobbie Schum Lynch  
Violet Mullins  
Joe Mercadante  
Sammy Tierney

Our Active Duty Service Members.....

LTCOL Chris Holly  
LCPL Phillip Shacreaw

SPC Randy Shacreaw  
SSG Chris Ramsey

PFC Neil Goss  
CPT Patrik W. Goss

**PARISH NEWS AND EVENTS**

**Readings for the Week**

**Sunday:** Sixth Sunday of Easter  
 Acts 15:1-2, 22-29; Ps 67;  
 Rv 21:10-14, 22-23; Jn 14:23-29

**Monday:** Blessed Damien Joseph de Veuster  
 of Moloka'i, priest  
 Acts 16:11-15; Ps 149;  
 Jn 15:26—16:4a

**Tuesday:** Acts 16:22-34; Ps 138; Jn 16:5-11

**Wednesday:** Saints Nereus; Achilleus;  
 Pancras, martyrs  
 Acts 17:15, 22—18:1; Ps 148;  
 Jn 16:12-15

**Thursday:** The Ascension of the Lord  
 Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47; Eph 1:17-23 or  
 Heb 9:24-28;10:19-23;  
 Lk 24:46-53

**Friday:** Saint Matthias, apostle  
 Acts 1:15-17, 20-26; Ps 113;  
 Jn 15:9-17

**Saturday:** Saint Isidore Acts 18:23-28;  
 Ps 47; Jn 16:23b-28

**Sunday:** Seventh Sunday of Easter  
 Acts 7:55-60; Ps 97; Rv 22:12-14,  
 16-17, 20; Jn 17:20-26



**Rites of Christian Initiation for Adults**  
**RCIA**

RCIA Calendar for April-- RCIA for Adults meets in the Gathering Space of the church.


**May 10** Mary, The Saints and Catholic Prayer

**May 17** NO RCIA

**May 24** Gifts of the Holy Spirit and Social Justice

**May 31** **NO RCIA**

For information please call Terry Culross at 623-6847 or Linda Clark at 623-0925.



The Parish office is still taking names for the candle in front of the Blessed Mother, and Mass Intentions. Please call the office at 623-2989.

**CHILDREN'S RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**



Contact:  
 cathy.cornett@saintmarkcatholicchurch.net or  
 623-2989 x2005.

Monthly ULTREYA at St. Mark Catholic Church in the School Cafeteria

Date: May 11

Time: 7-8 PM

Witness will be given by Arlene Mattingly

See you this Fall! Thank you for your continued support of the Newman Center!



**Catholic Daughters of the Americas  
(CDA)**

**Thanks** to parishioners who donated food and beverages for the Women's Retreat April 16-17. We had a very enjoyable overnight stay at Cliffview, and our presenter gave us much to think about in the days to come. Thanks, too, to Fr. Jim for being available to us during the retreat.

**May Meeting:** CDA's next monthly meeting will be Tuesday, May 18, at 6:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

**RESPECT LIFE**

Life in its fullness is only lived in self-giving, and that is the fruit of the grace of Christ.

~ Pope John Paul II, Message to the Youth of the World (February 14, 2001)



**BINGO**—We had our largest crowd to date and gave away the 42" flat screen T.V. on Friday night. For the next 6 weeks we will be giving away a 22" flat screen T.V. and as with the the first giveaway, all T.V.'s will be given as a door prize. A reminder to all Knights to check your bingo work schedule and remember that if you cannot be there you **MUST** get a replacement.

Making plans for annual Mid-Summer Jamboree Car Show to be held at the new Richmond Center this year. We are in need of sponsors for our T-Shirt, please contact Chuck Marz, Jr. at 200-6162.

Fourth Degree Golf Outing is scheduled for Saturday, May 15 at Champions Golf Course in Lexington, KY. There will be no charge for green fees or cart fees. Sign up and enjoy a great day of golf.

**FOURTH DEGREE:** We are still taking names for the golf scramble at the Champions Golf Course in Lexington. Please call John Wright at 893-1123 for further details.

**THIRD DEGREE:** Meets on the First Thursday of each month at the Newman Center at 7:00 PM

**FOURTH DEGREE:** Meets on the Third Sunday of each month at St. Clare (Berea) meeting room at 5:00 PM.

**COMMUNITY NEWS****MAGNIFICAT WOMEN'S BREAKFAST**

Join us for a Magnificat breakfast on Saturday, May 22, 2010 from 9AM to Noon at Pax Christi, 4001 Victoria Way, Lexington, KY. Jeanne Singh, a MQHR parishioner who went on a pilgrimage to Fatima, Lourdes, Avila and Loyola, is the speaker. There will be a Charismatic Mass following the breakfast at 12:30 with Father Charles Howell. Child care and transportation are available.

Bring an item to share per your last name:  
 A-F: breads/mini bagels, G-M: coffeecake/muffins/doughnuts, N-R: fruit cut up and ready to serve, S-Z: casseroles. To register, send a stamped, self-addressed envelope with a \$10.00 check by May 19 (payable to Magnificat) to Sue Sopala, 3852 Heimbaugh Ln., Lexington, KY 40514. Tickets will not be sold at the door. Call Laura at (859) 277-1427 (laurawestbrook@insightbb.com) or Sue at (859) 224-4908.

**SCHOOL NEWS**

**Exciting News at St. Mark School**  
**Now open for enrollment-Part Time**  
**Pre-K!**

In addition to our wonderful full time Pre-K, we will have a part time Pre-K next year at St. Mark School. There will be two classes- Monday/Wednesday and Tuesday/Thursday- from 9am to 2pm.

Please call the school at 623-2989 opt. 4 for more information or to enroll your child.

**Afterschool Program Assistant needed**

St. Marks School is in need of an assistant for the After School program for the 2010-2011 school year. The job would be Monday through Friday 3pm to 6 pm during the school year. Must be 18 years of age. Must be good with children, responsible, a good role model, and energetic. Please go to St. Marks School's front office to pick up an application. For more information, please contact Connie Fischer at [connie.fischer@saintmarkcatholicchurch.net](mailto:connie.fischer@saintmarkcatholicchurch.net)

**Volunteer needed to teach Spanish**

For school year 2010-2011. Classes are given 1/2 a day once a week. Please call the school office 623-2989 opt. 4 if you are interested.

## WE'RE OFF TO A GREAT START

Our parish continues to make progress as we work toward reaching our goal in the *One in Faith & Mission* campaign. Many families have given their support to the campaign by filling out a pledge card. To those families who have contributed, thank you for your continued support! Please help us build on this success by making your pledge. It is only through prayer and sacrifice that we can make this historic project a success. *Please make your gift soon to reduce the amount of contacts our volunteers will be making over the next few weeks.*

St. Mark has pledged over \$328,000 toward our target of \$555,264.  
This represents 59% of our target from  
28% of our parish families.

Please help us reach our goal of 100% participation by making your pledge today.

### Suggested Gift Plans

Pledge	10%Pmt	60 Mo. Pmts (5 yrs)	Can You Sacrifice?
\$10,000	\$1,000	\$150	\$37.50/ week
\$5,000	\$500	\$75	\$18.75/ week
\$4,000	\$400	\$60	\$15.00/week
\$3,000	\$300	\$45	\$11.25/week
\$2,500	\$250	\$37.50	\$9.38/week
\$2,000	\$200	\$30	\$7.50/week
\$1,500	\$150	\$22.50	\$5.63/week
\$1,200	\$120	\$18	\$4.50/week
\$1,000	\$100	\$15	\$3.75/week

\* Gift plans are based on a 10% down payment

#### Please Keep In Mind

- ✠ A down payment is not necessary to begin your pledge.
- ✠ Payment reminders will be mailed to you in accordance with your payment plan (Monthly, Quarterly, Semi-annually or Annually)
- ✠ The diocese also accepts gifts of stocks, ACH and credit card payments.



The Life of the Christian Steward  
**The Seventh Commitment**

Stewardship requires the spiritual application of talent and abilities in all aspects of life.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FOLLOWING YOUNG MEMBERS OF OUR CHURCH



- Trey Barger
- Angel Barrera
- Levi Beard
- Isaac Brown
- Jeremy Cox
- Jesse Cox
- Joseph Durso
- Gabriel Echeverria
- Claire Edwards
- Marina Esquivel
- Mickey Fitzsimmons
- Uriel Grimaldo
- Kaleb Hale
- Juan Hernandez
- Connor Hickey
- Jazmin Huerta
- Alyssa Kaminski
- Zachery Marks
- Ryan Mattingly
- Sarah Meek
- Sarah Mitchell
- Ryan Nichols
- Conner O'Shea
- Jimmy Palmer
- Willy Palmer
- Flanary Patterson
- Addie Penrose
- Mackenzie Putnam
- Haley Ramsey
- Babsy Ratliff
- Vito Sabino
- Maddie Soard
- Taytem Strauel
- Thomas Strauel
- Maya Thompson
- Bobby Vasquez
- Conner White
- Austin Whitson



**IN HONOR OF**

Anne Hendrix  
Sichko Family

**IN MEMORY OF**

Catherine and Charles Beirne  
Emily Burns  
Thomas and Kathleen Buzek  
Kenneth Carter  
Aymara Castillo  
Caldwell and Kinelski Family  
Marilyn Deprez  
Ed and Margaret Fagan  
Peter J. Flaherty III  
Dorothy and Domick Hart Sr.  
Scott Heilig  
John Hendrix  
Justin Lee Hinch  
Jean Kuhn  
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Leszczynski  
Marcaill Marks  
Anita M. Otero  
Frank H. and Mary Helen Radabaugh  
Blandford and Satterly Family  
Hunter Spalding  
Deceased Members of the Sutton Family  
John Sydor  
Cindy Thompson  
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wysocki