# St. Mary Catholic Church

July 12, 2020 - FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

St. Mary Catholic Church

220 West Main Street Camden, TN 38320 Office: 731-584-6459 Fax: 731-707-4100 Email: smchfhcatholic@gmail.com Website: stmaryscamden.org

#### Services:

Saturday: 5:00 PM Sunday: 10:45 AM Monday & Friday: 12:00 noon

Confession: Saturday: 4:00 PM—4:30 PM

Director of Music: Pam Warren

Director of Religious Education: Debra Davenport

Maintenance: Jim Simpson

#### Holy Family Catholic Mission

265 Cotham Drive Huntington, TN 38344 731-584-6459

#### Mailing Address: 220 W. Main Street Camden, TN 38320

Services: Sunday: 8:30 AM Wed. & Thurs.: 12:00 Noon

Confession: Sun.: 7:30 AM—8:00 AM

**Director of Music:** Dorothy Wood

#### STAFF

Pastor: Rev. Herbert Ene Deacon: Wayne Tedford Secretary: Sandy Simpson Accounting: Lois Mahoney

**Office Hours:** M, W, Th, F 11:00 AM—3:00 PM



#### THE SECRETS OF JESUS

On September 13, 1896, Sister Marie of the Sacred Heart (St. Thérèse's sister), wrote to Sister Thérèse asking her for a short note that expressed the secrets of her heart—the secrets God had confided to her. "The secrets of Jesus to Thérèse are sweet, and I would like to hear about them once again." That night, Sister Thérèse wrote a beautiful note to Sister Marie and included a reflection she had written five days earlier, September 8, the day after Sister Thérèse had begun a ten-day retreat.

This letter and her enclosed reflection make up the last chapter of the Story of a Soul. Upon reading these pages, Sister Marie wrote back to Sister Thérèse expressing her gratitude and awe.

"Oh! I wanted to cry when I read these lines that are not from earth but an echo from the Heart of God...Do you want me to tell you? Well, you are possessed by God, but what is called...absolutely possessed, just as the wicked are possessed by the devil."

Sister Marie went on to say, "I would like to be possessed, too, by good Jesus. However, I love you so much that I rejoice when seeing you are more privileged than I am." Upon reading these words, Sister Thérèse wrote back to her sister.

"...I am sure that God would not give you the desire to be possessed by Him, by His Merciful Love if He were not reserving this favor for you...or rather He has already given it to you, since you have given yourself to Him, since you desire to be consumed by Him, and since God never gives desires that He cannot realize..."

The love shared by these two sisters was quite profound. They each deeply desired that the other know Jesus and allow herself to be deeply loved by Him, consumed by Him and possessed by Him. Each sister desired it more for the other than for herself.

They admired each other, encouraged each other, shared their hearts with each other and were deeply united with each other. Their love for each other was only possible as a result of their shared love for and union with Jesus.

(Quotations from Love in the Heart of the Church).

# Do you know your church & church history?

When was St. Mary Church built?

When did Holy Family become a mission church?

What was the original name for

Holy Family Catholic Church?

Who is the current Bishop?\_\_\_\_\_

In what city is our Deanery?\_\_\_\_

For additional information about your church, your diocese go to:

http://stmaryscamden.org/home/ https://cdom.org/ http://holyfamilycatholicmission.com/

We depend on our parishioners to help keep this up to date. Please review and email suggested changes for Holy Family and St. Mary websites to: smchfhcatholic@gmail.com.

#### ST. MARY:

St. Mary Church in Camden, TN began in 1948 when Bishop William Adrian was asked to offer Mass for a few families in Bruceton, TN. As the parish family grew, Mass was held in the Dixie Theater, in Camden.

The current church was dedicated in 1950 by the Most Reverend Bishop William Adrian. The present church cost \$28,000. In 1971, St. Mary became a mission of Holy Cross in Paris, TN when the Diocese of Memphis was formed. St. Mary became an independent parish in January 1981. In 2014, the church was renovated with a new interior and exterior, including stained glass windows.

#### HOLY FAMILY:

The first Mass of the Carroll County Catholic Mission was held on November 27, 1989 at the home of Mark Ramsey. Masses continued at various locations until October 1992, when The New Life First Assembly of God Church was put up for sale. The church and rectory, consisting of four acres, were purchased for \$135,000. *Holy Family Catholic Church* was the name chosen by its parishioners and celebrated its first Liturgy on June 3, 1993. On its fourth anniversary, November 27, 1993, Holy Family was formally dedicated with Bishop J. Terry Steib presiding. Father Joseph Paolozzi was the residing Pastor and traveled back and forth between Holy Family in Huntingdon and St. Mary in Camden.

## **BASE CABINETS FOR SALE**

If interested, contact the Church office.



### **Congratulations:**

- Joshua Westfall for becoming Catholic, and Abigail Falls on making her First Holy Eucharist this Sunday.
- Michael and Julia Hooten on their new baby girl (Ava Jade Hooten 5 lbs. 7 oz.)

# **Knights of Columbus:**

- Knights Meeting on Wednesday, July 15 at St. Mary's fellowship hall at 7:00 p.m.
- 4th Degree Knights of Columbus meeting on Thursday, June 16 at St. Mary's fellowship hall at 6:30 p.m.

# **Ministry Schedule**

St. Mary Catholic Church							
Lector	Saturday:	Pat Baloga					
	Sunday:	Jean Ebeling					
Holy Family Catholic Church							
Lector	Sunday:	Tom O'Bryant					

#### WEEKLY OFFERTORY For week ending 07/5/2020

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St. Mary—Enrollment	87
Total Regular Offering	\$1,769.00
Total Families Contributing	29
Holy Family — Enrollment	41
Total Regular Offering	\$1,577.00
Total Families Contributing	15

#### ONE COLLECTION

For weekend of 07/19/2020 General Offering

Mass Intentions						
DAY	DATE	CHURCH	TIME	MASS FOR	REQUESTED BY	
Saturday	07/11/20	St. Mary	5:00 PM	Hugh Conrad+	Arlene Conrad	
Sunday	07/12/20	Holy Family	8:30 AM	Holy Family Parishioners		
Sunday	07/12/20	St. Mary	10:45 AM	Walter Kryszak+	Robert Kryszak	
Monday	07/13/20	St. Mary	12:00 Noon	Ron and Sally Swanson	Ernie and Stacy Byrd	
Tuesday	07/14/20		NO MASS			
Wednesday	07/15/20	Holy Family	12:00 Noon	Holy Family Parishioners		
Thursday	07/16/20	Holy Family	12:00 Noon	Holy Family Parishioners		
Friday	07/17/20	St. Mary	12:00 Noon	Scott Dudley and Family	David Baloga	
Saturday	07/18/20	St. Mary	5:00 PM	Hugh Conrad+	Arlene Conrad	
Sunday	07/19/20	Holy Family	8:30 AM	Holy Family Parishioners		
Sunday	07/19/20	St. Mary	10:45 AM	Ronnie Miller and Family	David Baloga	



Prayer Intentions for the Health and Recovery of our Parish Family...

"Most loving Heart of Jesus, bring me health in body and spirit that I may serve You with all my strength.

**St. Mary's:** Gerald Goldman, Eric Christensen, Donald Wilson, Jim McMillon, Pam McMillon, Roger Gibbons, Fr. Charles, James Davenport, Jeanette Kozak, Anna Robertson, Vicky Story, Jane Adams, Jackie Ruhlman, Richard Mahoney, Allen York, Janet Robbearts, Barbara Harrison, Barbara Krupa, Mary Brown, Raul Simoes, Joyce Parker, Dan Ebeling, Polly Mitchell.

Holy Family: Deborah Thorne, Carl Reetz, Paul Multon, Bill Harder, Leon Thorne, Mary Boucher, Donna Reindl, Sissy Munoz.

For Our Extended Family: Nathan Carmichael, grandson of Betty Gagnon; Elizabeth Brown, sister of Barbara Taylor; Eric Reiter son of Sharon Reiter; Kaelynn Bressler, niece for Dan and Jean Ebeling; Ruel Carmicheal, son of Betty Gagnon; Patty Douglas, friend of Barbra Taylor; Arley McMillon, brother of Jim McMillon; Barbara and James Harrison, friends of Donna Melton; Richard Muenze, brother-in-law of Pam McMillon; Jessica Smith, niece of Jim & Pam McMillon; James Scalfani, friend of Dan and Jean Ebeling; Lucy Connolly, sister of Lila Korbel; Gerald Coltharp, family member of Craig & Kathy Coltharp; Gus Palmieri, friends of Jessica Glendora; John H. Costello, Brother of Pam McMillon; John Brinker, uncle of Carrie Etter; Extended family of Barbara Taylor; Carol Dilgard, friend of Fr. Charles Allen; Dennis Stanion, brother of Sissy Munoz; Ruth Johnson, aunt of Jean Ebeling; Dee Vohnoutka, sister of Garry Korbel; Anissa Jeanne Hendrix, Deacon Wayne Tedford's niece; Robert Vohnoutka, husband of Garry Korbel's sister; Debra Thibedau, sister of Betty Gagnon; Deacon Tom Bello; Della Jungels, Carrie Etter's mother; Matthew Ebeling, son of Dan & Jean Ebeling; Charles Glover; Brenda Boodman; Tom Gacha.

#### For those on active duty in the military:

Jonathan Placido, son-in-law of Arlene Conrad; Zakkary Klinzing, grandson of Mary Jane Klinzing; Eric Huot, husband of Lorna Johnson Huot; Brendon Dugger, son of Sigi & Tom Dugger and Grandmother Bella Stahl; Joshua Parker, grandson of Willis & Joyce Parker; Thomas O'Bryant III, son of Thomas & Debbie O'Bryant; Daniel Stanfill, grandson of Grady & Diana Stanfill.