St. Mary Catholic Church

April 2, 2023 PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

St. Mary Catholic Church

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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: Tessa Walker

Holy Family Catholic Mission

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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: Theresa O'Connell

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



If we are trusting Jesus in all things, then we will develop a sense of humility and surrender in our lives. When we recognize our own limitations and weaknesses, we can turn to God for strength and guidance, trusting that He will lead us on the right path.

St. James says, "Be humbled in the sight of the Lord, and he will exalt you." (Epistle of St. James 4:10).

When we rest in God's Will, we surrender our own agendas and desires and seek to align ourselves with what our Lord wants for us This can be a challenging and sometimes painful process, as we let go of our own desires and plans and seek to follow the Holy Spirit's leading. As we do so, we can experience a greater sense of freedom and joy, knowing that we are living out our true purpose and calling.

Finally, resting in our Lord's arms is about building a community of faith and support around us. When we gather with other believers, we can find our place and purpose in the community of fellow Catholics.

In Hebrews 10:24-25, it says, "Let us be considerate of one another, so as to prompt ourselves to charity and to good works, not deserting our assembly, as some are accustomed to do, but consoling one another, and even more so as you see that the day is approaching." (Fr. Charles)

Five Verses About Trusting in God

Proverbs 3:5-6 "Have confidence in the Lord with all your heart, and do not depend upon your own prudence. In all ways, consider him, and he himself will direct your steps."

Psalm 36-5 "Reveal your way to the Lord, and hope in him, and he will accomplish it."

Isaiah 26:3-4 "The old error has gone away. Yu will serve peace: peace, for we have hoped in you. You have trusted in the Lord for all eternity, in the Lord God almighty forever."

Proverbs 30:5 "Every word of God is fire-tested. He is a bronze shield to those who hope in him."



HOLY WEEK SCEDULE



Holy Thursday	6:00 PM
Good Friday	
(Veneration of the Cross)	6:00 PM
Holy Saturday	7:00 PM
Good Friday	
(Stations of the Cross at St. Mary	3:00 PM
and Holy Family)	
Easter Sunday (HF)	8:30 AM
Easter Sunday (SM)	10:45 AM

***All Masses except for Easter Sunday will be held at St. Mary, Camden.

Holy Thursday (Washing of Feet)

We are in need of 12 men (six from Holy Family and six from St. Mary) to have their feet washed at Holy Thursday Mass. Please contact the office at 584-6459 if you would like to participate.

<u>FYI</u>

We are in the process of remodeling the rectory bathroom and Father's bedroom. There are items that have been removed from the bathroom such as the vanity, trim, etc. They are located back by the sheds. If you are in need or want any of theses items, please take them.

Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion— April 2, 2023

"Blessed are they who come in the Name of the Lord!" Are you being called to proclaim Jesus as a priest, religious brother or sister? If you think you may be so, Visit <u>https://www.memphisvocations.</u> <u>com</u>. Call our Diocesan Office of Vocations at (901)373-1244, or write to:

VocationsDirector@vocations.cdom.org.

DATES TO REMEMBER :





April 9	Easter Sunday
April 10	SM Ladies Guild 10:30 am
April 16	SM Baptism and Holy Communion
April 19	Little Flower's Girls Club (3:30 pm)
April 19	KC Meeting 6:00 PM (St. Mary)
April 22	HF Crafters 9:30 am
April 23	SM Confirmation

AED Training

On Sunday, April 30 at 10:30 AM, Anna Mills will be conducting a class on how to use the AED equipment. Anna is a CPR Instructor and is inviting anyone interested to attend. The class will be held at Holy Family in the Father Joey Hall.



St. Mary will be having their annual Easter Egg Hunt immediately following Mass on Easter Sunday. All children between the ages of 1 year to 11 years are invited to come and enjoy in the fun.

Congratulations to grandparents Tom and Anna

Mills, parishioners at Holy Family on the arrival of their new granddaughter, Lillianna.



"SPRING BAZAAR"

St. Mary's Ladies Guild will be sponsoring a Spring Bazaar on Saturday, May 20. There will be an varied amount of items to choose from, such as; crafts, crochet items, starter plants, baked goods and assorted miscellaneous bargains. Lunch will also be available.

At this time, they are renting table space for \$20.00. Please contact Debra Davenport at 731-336-0259 or the church office at 731-584-6459 to reserve a table.



Baby Bottles can be returned on Holy Thursday or any Sunday. Thank you to all who participated.



Top 10 reasons to be an Altar Server:

- 10. You don't have to sit with your parents at Mass.
- 9. Little kids in the parish are in awe of you.
- 8. You can actually see what's going on during the Mass.
- 7. You get to wear cool white robes or cassocks.
- 6. They trust you to light and extinguish the candles.
- 5. They trust you to handle the sacred vessels.

4. You can really make a difference by helping out

the priest and other ministers.

- 3. They trust you to know when to ring the bells.
- 2. You are close enough to hear all the whispered prayers of the priest.

Bishop's Appeal

Bishop Appeal donation cards are located in the back of the church. There is still time to donate.

Procedure for Reporting Sexual Abuse

Anyone who has knowledge of or who has cause to suspect an incident of sexual abuse should report the information to the appropriate civil authorities first at1-877-237-0004, then to the Diocesan Director Child & Youth Protection at 901-359-2027 or the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator at 901-652-4066.



WEEKLY OFFERTORY Week Ending 03/26/2023

St. Mary—Enrollment70Regular Offering\$1110.00Families Contributing17

Holy Family — Enrollment45Regular Offering\$1042.00Families Contributing16

TWO **COLLECTIONS** 4/02/2023 Regular Offering/Seminarian Fund

> Ministry Schedule for April 9, 2023

St. Mary Catholic Church

Saturday: Joyce Rushing Sunday: Debra Davenport

Eucharistic Ministers

Dan and Jean Ebeling (Sat.) Deacon (Sun.) Debra Davenport (Sun.) Sandy Simpson (Sun.)

Counters Debra Davenport and Tricia Smothers

Holy Family Catholic Church Lector Sunday: Anna Mills

Gift Bearers

Pedro and Otilia Mendez

Eucharistic Ministers:

Pat Long and Leah Koonce

Counters Wayne Tedford and Wyatt Brooks

Mass Intentions						
	DATE	CHURCH	TIME	MASS FOR	REQUESTED BY	
Saturday	04/01/2023	St. Mary	5:00 PM	Edward Taylor and Richard Gagnon	Barbara Taylor/Betty Gagnon	
Sunday	04/02/2023	Holy Family	8:30 AM	Diane Sinclair+	Stephen and Leah Koonce	
Sunday	04/02/2023	St. Mary	10:45 AM	St. Mary Parishioners		
Monday	04/03/2023	St. Mary	12:00 PM	Jim Simpson	Dan and Jean Ebeling	
Tuesday	04/04/2023			No Mass		
Wednesday	04/05/2023	Holy Family	12:00 PM	Violet Norman+	Sharon Reiter	
Thursday	04/06/2023	St. Mary	6:00 PM	Jim and Pam McMillon	Dan and Jean Ebeling	
Friday	04/07/2023	St. Mary	6:00 PM	Veneration of the Cross		
Saturday	04/08/2023	St. Mary	7:00 PM	Elizabeth Brown+	Barbara Taylor	
Sunday	04/09/2023	Holy Family	8:30 AM	Teddy Brou+	Sharon Reiter	
Sunday	04/09/2023	St. Mary	10:45 AM	Mark King	Tricia Smothers	

Prayer Intentions for the Health and Recovery of our Parish Family

God is our refuge and our strength, an ever present help in distress. The Lord of hosts is with us; our stronghold is the God of Jacob. (Ps. 46) God **VS** Answers Prayers

St. Mary's: Larry Weibel, Craig Coltharp, Clifton Johnson, Patty Russo, Joe Griggs, Kitty Shelton, Lorna Huot, Betty Gagnon, Barbara Taylor, Jack Dashper, Greg Garza, Steve Ruhlman, David Johnson, Patrick Schasser, Sherrie Goldman, Jim McMillon, Pam McMillon, Roger Gibbons, James Davenport, Vicky Story, Allen York, Janet Robbearts, Barbara Harrison, Mary Brown, Joyce Parker, Dan Ebeling, Polly Mitchell.

Holy Family: Tommie Tedford, Dorothy Wood, Anna Mills, Kamila Aldaytomaga, *Debbie O'Bryant, Mary Jane Klinzing, Donna Reindl, Garry Korbel, Johanna Salma, Dick Stokes, Tommy Long, Deborah Thorne, Paul Multon, Bill Harder, Leon Thorne, Mary Boucher, Sissy Munoz.*

For Our Extended Family: Michael McCloskey, brother of David McCloskey; TJ Haines, nephew of Dan and Jean Ebeling, John and Tammy Carroll, friend of Barbara Taylor, Susan Johnston, daughter-in-law of Barbara Taylor, Nicholas Carmichael, grandson of Betty Gagnon, Carl Reetz, friend of Holy Family Parishioners; Don Parker, son of Joyce Parker; Becky Orr; Scott Henderson, friend of Craig and Kathy Coltharp; Samantha Moore, granddaughter of Barbara Taylor; Nancy Vargas, mother of Bob Vargas; Mark King, nephew of Tricia Smothers; Barbara Gillespie, sister of Dan Ebeling; Carolyn Tedmore, sister of Pam McMillan; Susan, Kitty Shelton; Terry Pace; John Waters; Kaelynn Bressler, niece of 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-inlaw of Pam McMillon; Lucy Connolly, sister of Lila Korbel; Gus Palmieri, friends of Jessica Glendora; John H. Costello, brother of Pam McMillon; John Brinker, uncle of Carrie Etter; Extended family of Barbara Taylor; Ruth Johnson, Aunt of Jean Ebeling; Dee Vohnoutka, sister of Garry Korbel; Anissa Jeanne Hendrix, Deacon Wayne Tedford's niece, Matthew Ebeling, son of Dan & Jean Ebeling; Charles Glover; Brenda Boodman.

For those on active duty in the military:

Bridget Bissen, granddaughter of Kenneth and Alma Bissen, Hudson Hazlerig, grandson of Jay and Julia Johnson, Kyle Moore, grandson of Barbara Taylor, Kyle Bissen, grandson of Kenneth and Alma Bissen, Jonathon 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.