

St. Rita Catholic Church
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Mass Schedule Saturday: 4:30PM Sunday: 8:30 & 11:00AM
Weekday: 9:00AM Vigil of the Holy Day 6:30PM(except for 12/31 4:30PM) Holy Days 9:00AM & 6:30PM
Confessions: Saturday 3:00 to 4:00PM and Tuesday Morning After Mass

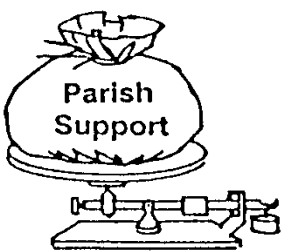


Masses For The Week

Saturday	8/3	9:00am	Health of Stephanie Resetar
		4:30pm	†Robert Richardson Sr.
Sunday	8/4	8:30am	People of the Parish
		11:00am	†Rita Ormrod
Monday	8/5	9:00am	For Expected Mothers, Fathers & Families
Tuesday	8/6	9:00am	Health of Roman & Stella Kornilow
Wednesday	8/7	9:00am	†Donna "Oma" Keller
Thursday	8/8	9:00am	†Pat & John Cillo, Marian DeRosa
Friday	8/9	9:00am	Health of Wells & Karen Ridenour
Saturday	8/10	9:00am	Health of Stephanie Resetar
		4:30pm	†Kathy Smith Mellott
Sunday	8/11	8:30am	People of the Parish
		11:00am	†Valerat Fransiskus Leu



PRAY for those who are Sick. Help us keep our list current by letting us know when we may remove a name. Sharon Aanensen, Tom Miller, Avery, Craig & Diane Cruttenden, Carol Schorn, Joy Brown, Irene & Bernard Zaborowski, Gordon & Mary Ann Shuman, Mike Bunch, Rick & Paulette Nidel, Fr. Mike, Anita Bell, Anthony Venzin, Rose Crespo, Richard Storm, Fred Sprankle, Angelo Agosta, Philip Ulzheimer, Larry Weikert, Blaine Beatty, Michele Maturo Piper, Pat Devlin, Teresa Rodgers, Joan Deyo, Donald Weikert, Mary Jo & Melvin Losovsky, Ok Cha Jones, Mary Conway, Dorothy Drechsler, Mary Little, Darlene McCleaf, Lottie Pecher, Mellissa & John Gilliland, Bill Devlin, Robert Lewis, Betty Roy, Rich Zula Jr, Shannon Boyle, Connie Keller, Frank Berry, Beau & Pamela Beatty, John & Sandy Soffe, Marilyn Crawford, Bill Martino, Lynn Moody, Charlotte Folkenroth, Dave Gallo, Brenda & Dave Pine, Francis Poslosky, Brandon Sites, Pete Crawford, Lilah Zepp, Ian Skoch, Johnny Parkolay, Horst Stehmer, Gene Rosensteel, Paul & Clara Macuirles, Fiona Hefe, Adalyn Clark, Harriet Noye, Nick, Joyce Speelman, Steve Weiblinger, Stephanie Resetar, Tina, Jordan & Justin Hankey, Carol Wiegand, Jason Hoffman, Lucy Romano, Alicia Poslosky, Taylor England, Ali Freesland, Rick Lapole, Jeanne Klein, Linda Warner, Mel Fero, Phil Burgess, Philip Cole, Lynn Becker, Ron Smith, Mary Ann Eaton, William Walsh, Tom Jackson, Kane Harris, Rachel Ward, Dave Messner, Marie Becker, Pauline & Rob Henke, Gene Pecher, Rance Miller and Diane Hoffman.



Sunday Collection: \$3,218.75

Mission Co-op: \$1,258.50

Change of Address: If you are moving or have a change in your name, address or phone number, or need to register, please contact the Parish Office at 642-8815.

Bulletin Announcements must be submitted to the parish office 10 days before the bulletin date.

The Sacrament of Baptism: Please call the parish office to schedule.

The Sacrament of Marriage: is celebrated throughout the year. Diocesan policy requires that engaged couples begin sacramental preparations with a priest at least nine to twelve months before the desired wedding date. Please call the parish office for details at 717-642-8815.

DATE	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS	LECTORS	ALTAR SERVERS	MONEY COUNTERS
8/10 4:30pm	E. Luttrell	T. LaFrance	Volunteers	8/11 J. Kenney 8/18 K. Bilder 8/25 F. Ganoe 9/1 M. Crawford 9/8 M. Lawrence
8/11 8:30am	D. Fawks/J. Crawford	M. Rathvon	Volunteers	
8/11 11:00am	S. Sappington/K. Reed	P. Cliber	Volunteers	

Second Collection today is for the repairs and maintenance to our Church property. Thank you for your generosity.

Parish Pastoral Council Meeting There will be a meeting on Thursday, August 8th, at 7:00PM in the parish hall. All members please attend.

St. Mary's & St. Rita's Parish Picnic, Sunday, August 11, at St. Rita's, 1p.m. to 4p.m. LAST CHANCE TO SIGN UP please signup on the sheet at the entrance to the church by Sunday, August 4 to guide us in ordering meat and ice cream. Picnic will feature fried chicken and grilled hamburgers and hot dogs. Ice cream cups will also be available. Parishioners are asked to provide side dishes and dessert in *disposable containers only* to limit clean-up time. Last names beginning with A-R are asked to bring cold side dishes, salads, or appetizers. S-Z last names are invited to bring desserts & fruit. (ready to serve). There will be special games for the children. The St. Rita's Women's Society will have our popular Mystic Monk coffee for sale, AND Games of Chance and a 50/50 Raffle! Food should be delivered to the St. Rita's Parish Hall.

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary August 15th is a Holy Day of Obligation. The vigil Mass will be Wednesday August 14th at 6:30PM, and the holy day Masses will be 9AM & 6:30PM.

St. Rita's Ladies Society Meeting next meeting will be Wednesday, August 14th, at 10:00AM in the parish hall. All ladies of the parish are invited to attend.

St. Mary's Men's Club and Knights of Columbus are holding an all-you-can-eat spaghetti dinner in the parish hall on Sunday, August 18th from 3:00 to 6:00 pm. Dinner includes, spaghetti, meatballs, sausage, salad, bread stick, drinks and dessert. The cost is \$10.00 for adults, \$5.00 for children 6 to 12 and under 6 free. Carry-outs are available.

If you are interested in becoming an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion please talk to Fr. Peter to get his approval and contact the parish office to get signed up for the training.

Sunday August 18th, Eucharistic Prayer Group, at St. Mary's in Fairfield 2:15-3:45PM Music & Eucharistic Adoration, Marian Remarks, Devotion & Consecration, Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet, Spiritual Communion & Healing Prayers!

Flowers in the Sanctuary are in memory of Rita Ormrod, donated by Rita Barger.

Harriet Maull's 90th Birthday Party: For all who know and love Harriet Maull, you are invited to her 90th birthday party at St. Mary's on August 25th, 2024, in St. Mary's Parish Hall. The Turkey Dinner begins at 12Noon followed by cake. The Divine Mercy Chaplet will be prayed at 3PM. Sign up Sheets are in the back of both Churches. Cards welcome, No Gifts. DEADLINE TO SIGN UP IS AUGUST 18.

Women of the parish - All women of the parish are invited to join one of St. Mary's/St. Rita's groups of the Seven Sisters Apostolate. Each woman prays in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament (if possible) for one hour each week on her designated day for one of our priests. We have groups for our pastor Fr. Peter, our parochial vicar Fr. Marsi, and our retired pastor Fr. Mike. We are especially in need of a sister for Thursdays and a group leader ("anchoress"). If you can offer one hour per week to pray for one of our priests or even as a substitute through June 2025, please contact Karen Graff (717-642-8075) or Donna Butt (240-529-2470). For more information see SevenSistersApostolate.org

Eucharistic Moments for August One does not live by bread alone, but on every word that comes forth from the mouth of God.

RCIA Rite of Christian Initiation, is year round at our parishes. People who are interested in coming in to the Catholic faith, are called to become Catholic, may enter the process of RCIA at anytime. Call Donna Butt at 240-529-2470 or see Fr. Peter.

Legion of Mary: We will pray the Legion Rosary every Sunday morning at St. Mary's at 7:30am prior to Mass. The legion meets Sundays 11:30am-12:30pm in the upstairs classroom on the right. If interested contact Bryce Miller 717-640-1971.

Eucharistic Adoration at St. Rita's on Tuesdays and Fridays after the Mass until 10AM. All are welcome.

Eucharistic Adoration is on Wednesdays 9AM-8PM, and Fridays 9AM-3PM. We are in need for adorers on Wednesdays at 10AM and 5PM hours. If you wish to be a sub or an adorer contact Donna at 240 529 2470.

DAC: Please remember to pay your Diocesan Annual Campaign Pledges. Any monies over our goal will be returned to our parish for our own use. Thanks.



Pro-Life Corner For all married couples: May their openness to new life bear witness to the generous love of God.