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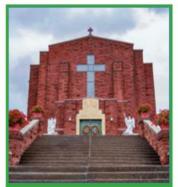
April 2, 2023
Palm Sunday of
the Passion of
the Lord





Saint Margaret Mary 3055 Leechburg Road Lower Burrell, PA 15068

Saturday ~ 4:00 p.m.
Sunday ~ 8:30 & 11:00 a.m.
Daily Mass:
(Monday - Friday)
7:30 a.m.



Mount Saint Peter
100 Freeport Road
New Kensington, PA 15068
Saturday ~ 4:30 p.m.
Sunday ~ 8:30 & 10:30 a.m.
Daily Mass:
(Monday - Thursday)
8:30 a.m.
(Friday) 12 noon



Saint Joseph
1125 Leishman Avenue
New Kensington, PA 15068
Saturday ~ 4:00 p.m.
Sunday ~ 9:30 a.m.
Daily Mass:
(Monday - Thursday)
12 noon
(Friday) 8:30 a.m.



Saint Mary of Czestochowa 857 Kenneth Avenue New Kensington, PA 15068

Sunday ~ 7:30 & 11:30 a.m.

No Daily Mass

Your presence here makes all the difference!

QR CODES

Below are QR codes that will link you to the Lower Burrell and New Kensington website.

You will find the details to all events and answers to your questions listed on the website.

Point your smart phone at the QR code for more parish information on the Lower Burrell website.

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SACRAMENTAL LIFE

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

Considering entry into the Catholic Church? Contact Jamie Dillon for more information.

SACRAMENT OF INFANT BAPTISM

Contact Jamie Dillon at the parish office.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Contact the parish office at least **nine months** in advance for information and scheduling.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

12 noon - Saturdays at MSP 1:00 p.m. - Saturdays at St. Margaret Mary

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Contact Father Ken, Father Dino or Father Roselo to request the sacrament.

MINISTRY OF HOME VISITATION

Contact the Sisters of Mary Immaculate at 724-845-2828.

The Eucharistic Table

CATURDAY A 114 2022					
SATURDAY, April 1, 2023					
4:00 pm	SJ	John McNally (Bob & Pat Scherer)			
4:00 pm	SMM	Deceased Members of Fantuzzo, Infantino, Zattolo and Russo Families (Nina & Joseph Fantuzzo)			
4:30 pm	MSP	Migliorisi, Muto & Texter Families (Donna Muto & Family)			
SUNDAY,	April 2, 2	2023 - Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord			
7:30 am	SM	Joan Garbinski (David Rejniak)	Father Dino		
7:55 am	MSP	Rosary			
8:30 am	MSP	Tess Rubinosky Pazul (Larry & Gene)	Father Roselo		
8:30 am	SMM	Mass for Congregation	Father Ken		
9:30 am	SJ	Rooney & Sample Families (Jerry & Pat Sample)	Father Dino		
10:30 am	MSP	Amilcare Festa (Darlene Resek)	Father Roselo		
11:00 am	SMM	<u> </u>			
11:30 am	SM	Deceased Members of the Yohe Family (Charlotte Polak)	Father Dino		
7:00 pm	MSP	Tenebrae	All Priests		
MONDAY,	April 3,	2023 - Monday of Holy Week			
7:30 am	SMM	Delores Shemanski (Patricia Starsnic)	Father Ken		
7:55 am	MSP	Rosary			
8:30 am	MSP	Dorothy Checkeye (Scott & Sandy Laney)	Father Roselo		
12 noon	SJ				
1:30 pm		Community Penance Service - St. Margaret Mary Church	All Priests		
TUESDAY,	April 4,	2023 - Tuesday of Holy Week			
7:30 am	SMM	Deceased Members of Sanner, Belczyk, Stadterman & Bell Families (Jack & Catherine Sanner)	Father Ken		
7:55 am	MSP	Rosary	Tather Ken		
8:30 am	MSP	Margaret & Anthony Reano (Kay & Gae Reano and family)	Father Roselo		
12 noon	SJ	Living and Deceased Hyde Park Clients and Workers	Father Dino		
2:00 pm	MSP	Eucharistic Adoration/Holy Hour of Mercy/Reposition	Tatrici billo		
7:00 pm	SMM	Stations of the Cross	Father Ken		
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		l 5, 2023 - Wednesday of Holy Week			
7:30 am	SMM	Deceased Members of Lindo, Megats, Canfield & Heinle Families (Tracy Lindo)	Father Ken		
7:55 am	MSP	Rosary			
8:30 am	MSP	Chad Cunningham (Mom & Dad)	Father Roselo		
12 noon	SJ	For All Living & Deceased Parishioners	Father Dino		
12:30 pm	SJ	Stations of the Cross	Father Dino		
THURSDAY, April 6, 2023 - Holy Thursday					
		NO MORNING MASSES			
10:00 am		Chrism Mass at Blessed Sacrament Cathedral			
6:30 pm	SM	Mass of the Lord's Supper/w Adoration until 11:00 PM (Father Roselo & Dale Hyland co-presiding)	Father Ken		
7:00 pm	SMM	Walter Hill (Wife)	Father Dino		
	ew this bulletin online at www DiscoverMass com				

The Eucharistic Table

FRIDAY, April 7, 2023 - Good Friday				
		No Morning Masses		
12:00 noon	MSP	Stations of the Cross	Father Dino	
1:00 pm	SJ	Liturgy of the Word, Veneration of the Cross and Communion (with Dale Hyland co-presiding)	Father Ken	
1:00 pm	SMM	Liturgy of the Word, Veneration of the Cross and Communion (with Father Dino co-presiding)	Father Roselo	
7:00 pm	SM	Tenebrae	All Priests	

SATURDAY, April 8, 2023 - Holy Saturday

		NO Sacrament of Reconciliation at Mount Saint Peter or Saint Margaret Mary Parishes	
11:00 am	SM	Blessing of Baskets	Father Dino
11:30 am	MSP	Blessing of Baskets	Father Roselo
12:00 noon	SMM	Blessing of Baskets	Father Ken
8:30 pm	MSP	Easter Vigil - Special Intention (Dale Hyland co-presiding)	Father Ken
8:30 pm	SMM	Easter Vigil - Special Intention (Fr. Roselo co-presiding)	Father Dino

SUNDAY, April 9, 2023 - Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

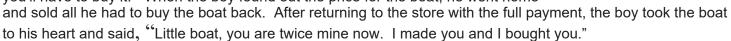
7:30 am	SM	Special Intention	Father Roselo
8:30 am	MSP	Special Intention	Father Dino
8:30 am	SMM	Special Intention	Fr. Polczynski
9:30 am	SJ	Special Intention	Father Roselo
10:30 am	MSP	Special Intention	Father Dino
11:00 am	SMM	Special Intention	Father Ken
11:30 am	SM	Special Intention	Father Roselo

Father Ken's Note

The Palm Sunday Lenten Challenge.

A young boy once made a beautiful toy sailboat out of wood. When he finished creating the boat, he took it to a nearby lake to sail. The boy was thrilled with his creation and proudly placed it in the water. The boat was all the boy had hoped it would be. All was well until a strong gust of wind blew the boat out of the boy's reach and out into the lake. In just a few minutes, the boat was lost. Several weeks later when the boy passed a toy store, he noticed a sailboat in the window. Upon close examination, the boy discovered it was his boat. "That's my boat in your window," the boy said to the storeowner, "and I'd like it back."

"I'm sorry," said the store owner, "but I own the boat now, and if you want it, you'll have to buy it." When the boy found out the price for the boat, he went home



And because of our redemption we are twice the Lord's - - - He made us and He bought us back with his blood.

This week (Holy Week), our conviction and challenge should be to make this week special and all that it can and should be. There are many different services scheduled for the purpose of enhancing your journey to Christ. Look over the schedule of services and attend as you see fit as many as possible. With each service you attend this week, remember that you are twice the Lord's. He made us, and He bought us back with his blood.

Father Ken

Lower Burrell Parish (St. Margaret Mary)

A Peek at the Week . . .

Sunday Youth Music Ministry (Grades 4-12) April 2 9:40 AM-10:45AM Church

Jr. Youth Choir Rehearsal (Grades1-3) 9:40 AM-10:30 AM Church

Making Paschal Lambs (Social Committee)

11:00 AM-3:00 PM Sullivan Room

Youth Ministry High School

3:00 PM-4:30 PM Room B-1

Monday Community Reconciliation Service
April 3 1:30 PM St. Margaret Mary

Tuesday "No Greater Love" Bible Study
April 4 2:00 PM-3:30 PM Rooms B-1 & B-2

Handbell Choir Rehearsal

5:00 PM-6:30 PM Church

Stations of the Cross

7:00 PM Church

Wednesday Middle School Youth Ministry

April 5 6:30 PM-8:00 PM Sullivan Room & B-1

Adult Choir Rehearsal

6:45 PM-8:45 PM Church

Thursday Office Closed

April 6 Men's Bible Study Group

6:30 AM Lobby

Mass/Adoration/Night Prayer

7:00 PM-11:00 PM Church & Narthex

Friday Office Closed

April 7 Passion of the Lord

1:00 PM Church

Saturday Blessing of Baskets

April 8 12:00 NN Church

Easter Vigil

8:30 PM Church

Point and click for information on MQA or Saint Joseph High School.



Mary Queen of Apostles, St. Joseph High School New Kensington Parishes (Mt. St. Peter, St. Joseph, St. Mary)

A Peek at the Week. . .

Sunday Tenebrae

April 2 7:00 PM MSP Church

Monday Community Reconciliation Service
April 3 1:30 PM St. Margaret Mary Church

St. Mary Holy Name Society Meeting 6:00 PM Friendship Hall

Comfort Blanket Ministry

6:00 PM Parish Office Library

NO Faith Formation-Easter Break

Tuesday Community Clothes Closet

April 4 12:00 NN-2:00 PM

Eucharistic Adoration

2:00 PM-4:00 PM MSP Church

Wednesday MSP Food Bank

April 5 9:30 AM-3:00 PM Marble Hall

Stations of the Cross

12:30 PM St. Joseph Church

Thursday Chrism Mass

April 6 10:30 AM Blessed Sacrament Cathedral

Mass of the Lord's Supper

7:00 PM St. Mary Church

Adoration

8:00 PM-11:00 PM St. Mary Church

St. Mary 7 Church Visit

8:15 PM Outside St. Mary Church

Friday Stations of the Cross

April 7 12:30 PM MSP Church

Liturgy of the Word, Veneration of the

Cross and Communion

1:00 PM St. Joseph Church

Tenebrae

7:00 PM St. Mary Church

Saturday Blessing of Baskets

April 8 11:00 AM St. Mary Church

Blessing of Baskets

11:30 AM MSP Church

Easter Vigil

8:30 PM MSP Church

MASS CANCELLATION

Please note that due to the afternoon Community Reconciliation Services on Monday. April 3, the 12:00 Noon Mass at

St. Joseph has been cancelled.

Important Notice

IN SYMPATHY

We commend to your prayers

Anne Louise Netoskie and

Alemantary (Aleman Symptom)

Henrietta Wilma Smotzer, MSP

who died recently. May God welcome them to the joys of Paradise and bring comfort and peace to their families.



ST. MARY CEMETERY CLEAN-UP

Please remove your Christmas gravesite decorations from St. Mary Cemetery by Good Friday, April 7th. Do not discard the items at the cemetery. There is no garbage pick up available at

the cemetery. Thank You.

Tenebrae

A SERVICE OF SONG, PRAYER, AND SCRIPTURE THAT INVITES US TO ENTER INTO HOLY WEEK.

Palm Sunday, April 2, 7:00PM
Mount Saint Peter Church

WITH THE MOUNT SAINT PETER CHOIR

GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 7, 7:00 PM — ST. MARY

WITH THE ST. JOSEPH & ST. MARY CHOIRS



PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

The Parish Office will close on Thursday, April 6 through and including Monday, April 10 for the Easter holiday.

The office will re-open on Tuesday, April 11 at 9:00 AM.

Have a blessed and glorious Easter!

ONE NIGHT

AND

SEVEN CHURCHES

HOLY THURSDAY

7 CHURCH VISIT

St. Mary Holy Name will again be sponsoring our traditional 7 Church visit immediately after

services at **St. Mary Church on Holy Thursday, April 6.**Due to a doubling of the cost of a bus and driver, a \$12 fee per person is necessary payable at the Church office. The bus will leave from the front entrance of St. Mary Church. Churches may vary pending availability.



ST. ANTHONY NOVENA

O gentle and loving St. Anthony, whose heart was ever full of human sympathy, whisper my petition into the ears of the Sweet Infant Jesus, who loved to be folded in your arms, and the gratitude of my heart

will ever be yours. Amen.

The St. Anthony Novena will be recited nine consecutive Tuesdays beginning April 18 through and including June 13 after the **7:00 PM Mass**** at Mount Saint Peter Parish.

**Please note: During the nine weeks of the Novena, the 8:30 AM Mass will be discontinued and moved to 7:00 PM. Once the Novena has concluded, the 8:30 AM Mass will recommence on June 20.

Traditional prayers will be said. All are welcome from the NKCC and surrounding areas as we unite in prayer for individual, community and global needs seeking the intercession of St. Anthony to our heavenly Father. Bread distribution and a reception are planned for June 13.

Please contact Melinda Ziegler at melsyzig@gmail.com with any questions concerning the St. Anthony Novena or the Mount St. Peter St. Anthony Guild.



COMFORT BLANKET MINISTRY

The Comfort Blanket Ministry will meet on **Monday**, **April 4** at **6:30 PM** in the **Parish Office Library**.

We are looking for someone with an embroidery machine to work in the ministry. The blankets each use approximately 5 squares with embroidered designs. Embroidered designs used a 4x4 design, but 5x7 would also work. Members of the ministry must have their clearances, unless they plan on working solely at home for us.

Please contact Joyce Rapsinski if you are interested in assisting with embroidery at 724-335-7492.

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MAILBOX MINISTRY

How can a little bit of your time, plus some colored pencils, some glue, and some embellished paper brighten the day of a New Kensington Catholic Community parishioner living in a health care facility? Come and see on Monday afternoon, April 10, at 2:30 PM to 4:30 PM in Marble Hall at MSP where you will help with Mailbox Ministry. No experience or card-making talent is necessary. Marble

Hall is handicapped accessible.

For additional information, please contact Patty Stone at 724-448-8071 or applepattieannie@hotmail.com. Can't wait to see you!

STEWARDSHIP

March 18/19, 2023 - Collection Report

Mount Saint Peter	
Offertory	\$ 5,910.00
Weekly EFT	\$ 2,497.00

Saint Mary		
Offertory	\$ 3,433.00	
Weekly EFT	\$ 240.00	



Saint Joseph	
Offertory	\$ 3,827.00
Weekly EFT	\$ 175.00

St. Margaret Mary		
Offertory	\$	19,211.00
EFT Total	\$	3,465.00
Maintenance	\$	685.00
Food Bank/Misc.	\$540.00	/\$1,292.00

Bereavement

Ministry



BEREAVEMENT PROGRAM BEGINS

If you have experienced the loss of a loved one during the past two years or longer (if needed), you are invited to participate in a six-week Bereavement Program. This loss is often accompanied by a multitude of feelings not easily understood as one works through the grief process. The parishes of St. Margaret Mary, Mount St. Peter, St. Mary, and St. Joseph will be included in this program.

The group will begin meeting on **Wednesday, April 12, 6:00-7:30 p.m**. and will continue for six consecutive weeks at St. Margaret Mary's in the Freude Room. Leigh Bach, a Bereavement Coordinator with Pro Medica Hospice, will facilitate these sessions.

To register, please call the St. Margaret Mary Parish Office at 724-335-2336.

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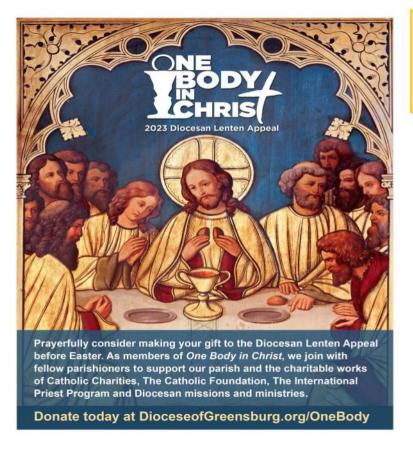
Office Hours: Monday-Thursday - 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Friday - 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

SMM Parish: Phone: 724-335-2336

Website: www.smmlb.org

Office Hours: 9:00 a.m. - 12 noon & 1:00 - 4:00 p.m.



Easter Flower Envelopes given in Memory/Honor of loved ones will be placed on the altar during the Easter Masses. Thank you.



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Is 42:1-7; Jn 12:1-11

Tuesday: Is 49:1-6; Jn13:21-33, 36-38 Wednesday: Is 50:4-9a; Mt 26:14-25

Thursday: Chrism Mass: Is 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b-9;

Rv 1:5-8; Lk 4:16-21

Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14; 1 Cor 11:23-26;

Jn 13:1-15

Friday: Is 52:13—53:12; Heb 4:14-16—5:7-9;

Jn 18:1—19:42

Saturday: Easter Vigil: Gn 1:1-2:2; Gn 22:1-18;

Ex 14:15—15:1; Ex 15:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 17-18 (1b); Is 54:4-14; Is 55:1-11; Is 12:2-3, 4, 5-6 (3); Bar 3:9-15, 32-4:4; Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28; Rom 6:3-11; Mt 28:1-10

Sunday: Acts 10:34a, 37-43; Col 3:1-4;

Jn 20:1-9

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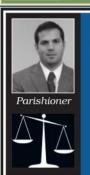
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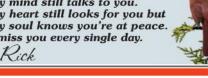
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