

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, July 25, 2009

4:00pm For the Parish

Sunday, July 26, 2009

8:30am Zilla Rose Peterson

11:00am Cole Cunningham

Tuesday, July 28, 2009

6:00pm Catherine Dalgleish

Wednesday, July 29, 2009

6:00pm Mary Golden

Thursday, July 30, 2009

6:00pm Walter Chamel

Saturday, August 1, 2009

4:00pm Edith Ceraso

Sunday, August 2, 2009

8:30am For the Parish

11:00am Catherine Dalgleish



OUR LADY OF
GUADALUPE CANDLE
IN MEMORY OF
ROBERT CUMMINGS



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 Otto Rieck at 582-4112.

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

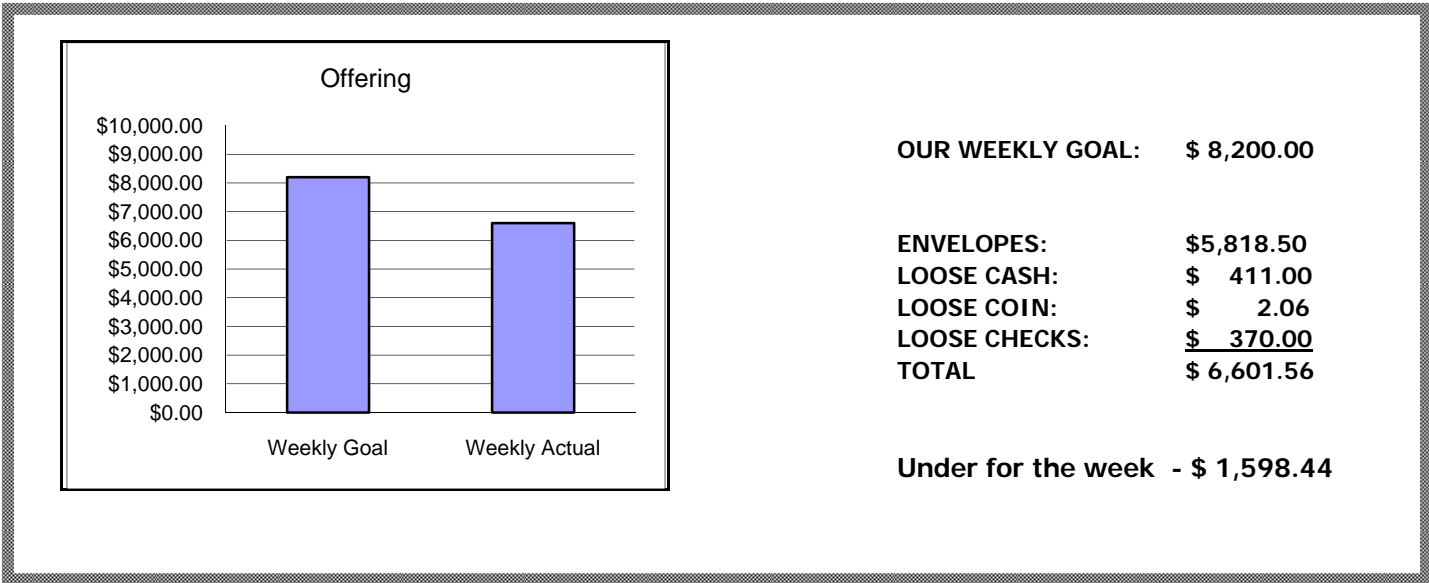
NOTES FROM THE PASTOR:

I continue to reach out to each of you, asking you to PROMOTE OUR ST. MARK CATHOLIC SCHOOL. We have 95 students and our goal is 130! Our School Board and Finance Council, under the guidance of the Diocese, will meet at the end of July to review our strategies and budget. You can assist us by promoting our school by sending your children to St. Mark!

I am off on the second week of my two weeks on vacation. I will have no access to my email and/or phone, as I am going to try my best to RELAX and HAVE SOME FUN. I will return the last week of July. I ask for your prayers as I travel and spend time with family and friends. You can be assured of my prayers. I look forward to this time away, but at the same time, I know I will look forward in being one with you all at the end of July.

See you in Church,
Fr. Jim

STEWARDSHIP



OUR WEEKLY GOAL: \$ 8,200.00

ENVELOPES: \$5,818.50
LOOSE CASH: \$ 411.00
LOOSE COIN: \$ 2.06
LOOSE CHECKS: \$ 370.00
TOTAL \$ 6,601.56

Under for the week - \$ 1,598.44

FINANCE COUNCIL UPDATES AND NOTES

The St. Mark Finance Council meets on a monthly basis. During these meetings we discuss various aspects of the financial condition of the Parish. We want to share with the parishioners items of interest:

- Collection revenues from July 1, 2008 through May 31, 2009 are under budget by \$24,000.

The Finance Council will not meet for a regular monthly meeting in July.

SECOND COLLECTIONS

July	Home Meals Delivery	\$1,244.44
August	Families in Need	\$1,326.12
September	St. Mark School	\$1,105.55
October	Altar Society	\$ 719.07
November	Home Meals Delivery	\$1,379.23
December	Altar Society	\$1,009.38
January	St. Mark School	\$2,030.98
February	Families in Need	\$1,473.82
March	Home Meals Delivery	\$1,212.95
May	Catholic Communication	\$ 915.33
May	St. Mark School	\$1,566.73
June	Peter's Pence	\$ 953.23

MINISTRIES

Linens: Liane Hinch

Ministry				
Mass	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Altar Servers	Welcome Desk
4:00PM Saturday August 1	Bob Geiger Jean Price	Patti Baker Dot Bennett Michal Eubanks Micah Hall Robert Jackowski Joanne McCrary Mary Lou Remaley	Scott Dieckmann Haley Marks	Dottie Stipes
8:30AM Sunday, August 2	Jude Cecil E. Carrol Hale	Pat Currans Carroll Hale Marsha Hale Charlotte Hill Angel King Gail King Lynn King	BJ Shacreaw	Larry & Pam Palmisano
11:00am Sunday, August 2	Ann Merriman Connie Wason	Sandy Adams Linda Clark Mark Davis Tricia Davis Neil DiTeresa Marlene Flinchem Chuck Marz	Matt Taylor Vivian Nguyen	Kathryn Maynard

Reminder to all Ministers

Please be mindful of Dress Code
No tennis shoes!
 Gentlemen, please wear a shirt with a collar

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Marie Sichko
 Margaret Carter
 Sammy Tierney
 Bob Millet
 Virginia Sykora
 Hazel Parkos
 Mary Powell
 Aiden Zumwalt
 Julia Hinkle

Cheryl Geiger
 Virginia Manz
 Mary Lewis
 Michael O'Connor
 Robert Doot
 Frank Kerry
 Madeline Jackson
 Bicki Elswick

Jude James Norton
 Lee David
 Elizabeth Weshnevski
 Kyle Cataldo
 Delmar Smallwood
 Eddie Ruppel
 Ralph Montgomery
 Juanita Sutton

PARISH NEWS AND EVENTS

WEEKLY READINGS	
Sunday	Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 2 Kgs 4:42-44; Ps 145; Eph 4:1-6; Jn 6:1-15
Monday	Ex 32:15-24, 30-34; Ps 106; Mt 13:31-35
Tuesday	Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28; Ps 103; Mt 13:36-43
Wednesday	Saint Martha Ex 34:29-35; Ps 34; Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42
Thursday	Saint Peter Chrysologus, bishop. doctor Ex 40:16-21, 34-38; Ps 84; Mt 13:47-53
Friday	Saint Ignatius of Loyola, priest Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37; Ps 81; Mt 13:54-58
Saturday	Saint Alphonsus Liguori, bishop, doctor Lv 25:1, 8-17; Ps 67; Mt 14:1-12
Sunday	Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Ex 16:2-4, 12-15; Ps 78; Eph 4:17, 20-24; Jn 6:24-35



On Thursday, August 6th, Third Degree installation of new officers will be held at the Galaxy Center Meeting Room. Following the ceremony a banquet will be held for Knights and their guest. Mark your calendar and watch the bulletin for further details.

Meeting Reminders:

-Monthly Third Degree meetings are held on the **First Thursday** of each month at the Newman Center.

-Monthly Fourth Degree meetings are held on the **Third Sunday** of each month at St. Clare Community Building in Berea.

We ask all parents to consider the innumerable benefits that their children can receive with a Catholic education. Take the time to talk to an adult who did attend a Catholic school and ask them what positive effects it has had and continues to have in their life. We support St. Mark School and the quality of education received by its students and ask your help to continue the tradition of Catholic education in Richmond, KY.



Catholic Daughters of the Americas (CDA)

Ladies of the Parish: If you weren't able to stop by the CDA table a couple of weeks ago, you can still obtain information by contacting Laure Schadler at 624-9316 or Tricia Davis at 623-9184. Members are welcome any time of the year!

Next Monthly Meeting: Our next monthly meeting is August 18 at 6:30 in the school cafeteria. Angie Wright will be our featured speaker that night, talking with us about Habitat for Humanity.

be burdened. Please patronize these sponsors as a thank you for their kind generosity.



NEWMAN CENTER NOTES

NO Newman Center 5:00pm Masses until school resumes in the fall.



There is still time to memorialize a loved one, or have your family name a permanent part of St. Mark history by having a name inscribed on the new Chalice. Please call the Parish office for more information.

8 openings remain

Rites of Christian Initiation for Adults
RCIA

RCIA will resume in the fall.
Check bulletin for dates.

DIOCESAN NEWS

Opportunity to Host International Students

Excellent international male students from South Korea (2 brothers + 1), Vietnam (1), Taiwan (1), and Kazakhstan (1) would like to join our School this coming fall. They are all excellent students for our school and our community. But they are required by immigration law to have a host family before they can come to join us.

Please consider taking up this wonderful ministry opportunity: to provide a home far away from home for these students, to enrich the quality of Catholic high school education, to enhance cultural exchange at our homes, school, and the community, to bring better understanding between cultures and nations, to be part of the process in enhancing world peace. Families would be provided with unlimited support throughout the school year.

Please contact fonglina@gmail.com for more information.

THANK YOU: This bulletin is furnished to the Parish without charge. The advertisements that appear completely defray all publishing costs with which the church would otherwise

ST MARK SCHOOL NEWS

SCHOOL REGISTRATION UPDATE FOR 2009/2010 SCHOOL YEAR

ENROLLMENT GOAL: 130

CURRENT ENROLLMENT: 95

OUTSTANDING BALANCE FOR TUITION: \$78,545.30

NUMBER OF PARENTS WITH OUTSTANDING BALANCES: **33**

30 days or less: 11

31-60 days: 2

61-90 days: 2

91 and over: 17

NOVENA TO ST. THOMAS AQUINAS FOR INCREASE IN ENROLLMENT AT ST. MARK CATHOLIC SCHOOL



When we are not sure what else we can do, we can pray!
Please join us in a prayer novena to
St. Thomas Aquinas for our School.

For the text of the prayer we will be saying please go to:
<http://home.pacifier.com/~belisle/forms/novena.pdf>

For those without internet, please call Angel King @ 582-0563
for a copy of the prayer.
It has also been pasted in the back of all church missalettes.

NOW ENROLLING

Registration is ongoing for grades
Pre-K through 8.

Please call the school
@ 623-2989 prompt 4
in order to register
your child(ren) today.

**SCHOOL SUMMER OFFICE HOURS
TUESDAY THROUGH THURSDAY
10AM TO 2PM**

WISH LIST

St. Mark School is in the middle of a major advertising campaign. If you can help with any of our expenses it would be very much appreciated. Please call school at 623-2989 #4

Postcards - \$175.00 – Received. Thank you!
Crossroads Ad - \$35.00 per month
Richmond Register - \$400.00
Printing and Brochures - \$1,500.00

Catholic Schools offer:

- Catholic tradition and academic excellence in a community grounded in a common faith
- A balanced curriculum including art and music
- Learning with a moral purpose
- Educating students to serve others and develop leadership
- Strong preparation for further education
- A safe and disciplined environment
- Exceptional faculty, who help students reach their highest potential
- Good stewardship of resources

INVEST IN YOUR CHILDREN - INVEST IN THEIR FUTURE –

INVEST IN

ST. MARK CATHOLIC SCHOOL

An Evening Among Friends Encore Series

St. Mark Catholic Church
608 West Main Street
Richmond, KY 40475
December 19, 2009
7:00 p.m.

- **Valet Parking**
- **Only 500 tickets available**
- **Reception with hors d'oeuvres prior to the performance**
- **Performance by Patti LaBelle**
- **Desserts and aperitifs after performance**



An Evening Among Friends: The Encore Series Reservation Form

I would like to reserve _____ ticket (s) or _____ pew (s) to
Ring in Christmas with Patti LaBelle at the following level:

- General Admission: \$175 per person**
- Meet and Greet with Patti LaBelle: \$500 per person**
Limited to 50 tickets
Includes special pre-performance reception with Ms. LaBelle in the St. Mark Church gathering space, personalized photo with Ms. LaBelle and Preferred Reserved Seating
- Group Seating: \$2500 per pew for 8 guests**
Includes Preferred Reserved Seating and Patti LaBelle memorabilia for each guest (please list below)

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: ____ Zip: _____

Telephone: (____) _____

Email: _____

Tickets may be purchased by cash, check, or credit card in one payment or in installment payments at a minimum deposit of \$50 per ticket, with the entire cost paid **prior to October 19, 2009.**

*Checks should be made payable to
St. Mark Catholic Church.*

Enclosed is my entire payment of \$_____.

Enclosed is my first installment of \$_____.

For credit card orders, please complete the back of this form.

To submit your reservation, complete this form and then mail the form to the parish office, place it in the collection basket at Mass, or drop it by the parish office.