

Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time

February 5, 2017

LIFE AT ST. MARY'S:

The KC's will be serving breakfast this Sunday, Feb. 5 from 8:30-12:00 in the parish hall.

Parish Bazaar Planning Meeting is rescheduled for Tuesday, February 7 at 7:00 pm in the parish hall.

Pre-marriage class will be held next Sunday, Feb. 12 at 1:30 pm in the parish hall.

Mark your calendar: The St. Mary's Spring Luncheon will be held Saturday, April 29; this is a week earlier than usual.

Roncalli Nearly New All BLUE tagged clothing will be 1/2 price starting Tue., Jan. 31. We are open on Tue., Wed., Thurs. & Sat. from 12-4 pm. We appreciate your donations & your business.

Presentation Sisters Leadership Camp - July 17-21. Attention middle school girls who will be entering grades 7th, 8th, and 9th grade in the fall of 2017 – registration forms for the 2017 Leadership Camp have been mailed to your parish and/or school. Please check with your director of religious education or school for a registration form. Because the camp fills up quickly, we encourage you to complete and return the form soon. Registration forms are also available for download at www.presentationsisters.org. Please call Karen Harrington (605) 770-3671 for more information.

PARISH SUPER BOWL CHALLENGE Buy or order gift cards between Jan. 21 and Feb. 5 and help your parish win the Parish Super Bowl Challenge! For every card you buy, your name will be entered into a drawing for a \$50 gift card of your choice. A traveling trophy will be awarded to the parish with the highest amount of sales.

The Aberdeen Knights of Columbus council is offering two scholarships of \$250.00 each to graduating high school seniors who are active members of Sacred Heart or St. Mary's parishes. Applications may be picked up at the parish offices. Application deadline is April 1. Return the application to the parish office.

Youth Fundraiser Buy a \$5 coupon book and get great deals on all types of Herbergers items on February 23-25! Plus, 100% of the coupon book proceeds are donated to our St. Mary's Youth Group! Stop by the church office or call Sarah 229-4422.

Family Rosary will be at St. Mary's, Feb. 7 at 7 pm.

Please plan to attend the 10th Annual Aquinas Newman Center Valentine's Day Bash! Sat., Feb. 11 at Sacred Heart Parish Hall. Seating from 5:30 to 7:30 pm. Don't miss a delectable meal, live entertainment, great ambiance, and outstanding silent auction/raffle items (including cash)! \$25/ticket or \$40/couple. \$15 for students. Reservations are required. Call the Newman Center to buy your tickets: 229-1011. Seating is limited.

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Mon.	7:55 am	Anton & Mary Ochs Family	
Tue.	7:55 am	A full recovery from surgery	
	2:15 pm	Holy Souls in Purgatory (Heath & Rehab)	
Wed.	7:55 am	Joe Fischer +	
Thurs.	7:55 am	Holly Henderson +	JL.
	12:10 pm	Dolores Streifel +	
Fri.	7:55 am	Kay Nikolas +	
Sat.	5:00 pm	Lorraine Gruenstein +	
	7:00 pm	Miquela E. delos Reyes +	1
Sun.	8:30 am	Ed & Betty Sand +	MAMMAN
	10:30 am	All members of the parish	

Lectors

February 11 - 12

Sat.	5:00 pm	Bob Schuchard
	7:00 pm	Kenny Awe
Sun.	8:30 am	Terry Dosch
	10:30 am	Michele Titus

Mass Servers

February 11 - 12

Sat.	5:00 pm	Jared Loecker, Isaac VanOrman
	7:00 pm	Ken Awe
Sun.	8:30 am	Tyler Berndt, Allison Dix, Mariah Winegar
	10:30 am	Carson & Jenna Helms, Abbilyn Kaan

Music Ministry

February 11 - 12

5:00 pm	Contemporary Choir: Joni Lammon
7:00 pm	Ellie Litzen/Fionna Rigg
8:30 am	Amy & Olivia Dix
10:30 am	Latin Choir
	7:00 pm 8:30 am

Extraordinary Ministers

February

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Sat. 5:00 pm	Sun. 8:30 am	Sun. 10:30 am
Linda DeWalt	Debra Dix	Nancy Klungseth
Kristina Dosch	Terry Dosch	Stephen Marx
McKayla Carda	Steve Kohles	Jon Olson
Maleah Eschenbaum	Linda Lipp	Bernie Moran
Lance Kallas	Pam Smid	Isabel Litzen
Donna Mehlhaff	Dan Vetter	Michaela Olson
Morgan Stadler	Vivian Vetter	

Sat. 7:00 pm

Jeff Hanson Sue Hanson Jonathan Hanson



News from <u>your</u> Aberdeen Catholic School System



Mon., Feb. 6 -

Tue., Feb. 7 - 7th/8th Boys BB at Ipswich - 4 pm

- Girls BB vs. Groton - C game 5:15 pm JV 6:30 pm; Varsity 8 pm

- Spirit Store Open - 3:30 - 5:00 pm

Wed., Feb. 8 - RHS Mass - 9:24 am

- RES Mass - 12:10 pm - Sacred Heart

- Small Group Music Contest - 8 am

- ACSS School Bd. Mtg. - 3:30 pm

Thurs., Feb. 9 - RPS Mass - 12:10 - St. Mary's

- Elem. Festival Honor Choir in Brookings

- 7th/8th Boys BB at Milbank - 4 pm

Fri., Feb. 10 - State Music Convention in Brookings

- Gymnastics Varsity at State - 12:00

- Girls BB at Clark/Willow Lake - JV 4 pm Varsity 6:30 pm

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7th/8th 4 pm; JV 5:15; Varsity 8 pm

- Wrestling vs. Huron at Aberdeen - 7 pm

Sat., Feb. 11 - Wrestling at Huron

- Gymnastics Varsity at State

- Girls BB at Dakota Valley - C Game 2:30; JV 4 pm; Varsity 5:30 pm

- Boys BB at Corn Palace in Mitchell

Financial Aid Applications are now being taken by the Aberdeen Catholic Schools for the 2017-2018 school year. All forms must be completed & submitted BY MARCH 17, 2017. Applicants must complete a financial aid online application at https://online.factsmgt.com/signin/413ND and must also submit the General Scholarship application, applicable scholarship forms, and the work grant application on our web page at aberdeenron-calli.org under the Admissions - - Financial Aid tab. Please call Vickie Haiar at 226-2100 or Vickie.haiar@aberdeenroncalli.org

The Roncalli Salad Luncheon and Card Party is being held on Sat., Feb. 25th from 11:30 am-3:00 pm at the Roncalli High School. Tickets are \$10/person. Please call the Development Office at 226-2100 by Tue., Feb. 21, to reserve your spot.

FAITH FORMATION NEWS

Sunday, Feb. 5 - 3:00 pm Youth Group

Wed., Feb. 8 - 5:30 pm First Communion Parent Meeting

- 7:00 pm Confirmation Class

Sunday, Feb. 19 - 9:30 am Family Ed

Wednesday, Feb. 22 - 7:00 pm Confirmation Class

<u>Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration</u> is available 24/7 at Avera St. Luke's Hospital. Open hours are: Sun. 12 am, 2 am, & 11 am, and Mon. 7 pm. Call Theresa at 226-0838 or Mary at 225-6001.

Fr. Michael's Musings



The other day I was talking about the ministries of the parish in this space and at the Pastoral Council meeting held last Sunday and I took an opportunity to mention something wonderful.

Our Mass servers; they are amazing. You would think that, being younger members of our parish, that this ministry might be a little "hit or miss" when it comes to attendance and finding subs, etc. Yet, when Fr. Mark and I are getting ready for Mass...there they are, ready to go.

What an enormous gift this is to us all. I am very grateful for our servers, young and not as young, who are so faithful and careful at serving Mass. What a blessing it is to have both Golden Eagles and Cavaliers put on the unifying white robe of Baptism and serve at their Altar.

I am always so touched when the kids in our parish school and in our religious education classes ask the same question, "Father, when can we serve Mass??" Their eagerness and desire is touching. They are so excited to serve.

Even as the years go by and they are much older, there is still a spark of joy in them. So let me just pause and publically thank our servers. I try to remember to do it after Mass, but they need to hear it from us all. Thank You...you make our celebration better by being YOU.



Just a Thought...

Patriots 21 Falcons 17

"It's so hard to settle on an office temperature that everybody likes."

Church Support:

Envelopes: \$ 9,532.00 Loose: \$ 933.00 Children's: \$ 70.00



REMEMBER: We need \$18,000 a

week.

January 28 - 29, 2017

January totals: \$98,053 received, \$90,000 needed! Thank You!