



Second Sunday  
of  
Easter

April 3, 2016

**This Week at St. Mary's**

**Pre-marriage class** will be held on Sunday, April 10 in the parish hall.

**St. Marcella's Circle** will meet on Wednesday, April 6 at 7 pm in the parish hall. Hostesses are Alma Sahli and Laurie Campbell.

**Visit us at:** [stmarysabr.tumblr.com](http://stmarysabr.tumblr.com)

**The parish office** will be closed on Friday, April 8.

**MASSES FOR THE WEEK**

April 4 - 10

Mon.	7:55 am	Steve Weisenburger +
Tue.	7:55 am	Juliana Benfit +
	2:15 pm	Katherine Schwan + (Heath & Rehab)
Wed.	7:55 am	Mark Weigel +
Thurs.	7:55 am	Deceased of 3rd Plt "D" Co. 310 Infantry
	12:10 pm	Ben Larson +
Fri.	7:55 am	Marie Gutenberg +
Sat.	5:00 pm	Leo & Mae Kallas +
	7:00 pm	LaVerne Rahm +
Sun.	8:30 am	Tim Scheid (anniv) +
	10:30 am	All members of the Parish



**Lectors**

April 9 - 10

Sat.	5:00 pm	Martin Albl
	7:00 pm	Teri Lewis
Sun.	8:30 am	Marie Schumacher
	10:30 am	Theresa Russell

**Mass Servers**

April 9 - 10

Sat.	5:00 pm	Austin & Emily Kokaes
	7:00 pm	Neil Schaunaman
Sun.	8:30 am	Joshua & Noah Barnett, Tyler Berndt
	10:30 am	Carson & Jenna Helms, Abbilyn Kaan

**Music Ministry**

April 9 - 10

Sat.	5:00 pm	Contemporary Choir: Michele Titus
	7:00 pm	Tim Baustian
Sun.	8:30 am	Susan Appl
	10:30 am	Latin Choir

**Extraordinary Ministers**

April

<b><u>Sat. 5:00 pm</u></b>	<b><u>Sun. 8:30 am</u></b>	<b><u>Sun. 10:30 am</u></b>
Anthony Andera	Debra Dix	Kalen Day
Kristina Dosch	Bailey Dix	Mary Ann Guthmiller
Rylie Eisenbeisz	Amber Dix	Nancy Klungseth
Kayla Hopfinger	Steve Kohles	Jon Olson
Rachel Kokaes	Scott Kuck	Mary Worlie
Donna Mehlhaff	Keith Schumacher	Kathy Zirbel
Sam Van Orman	Marie Schumacher	

**Sat. 7:00 pm**

Kenny Awe  
Terry Kline  
Janice Waltman

**Community News**

**Roncalli Nearly New** Our store has been restocked with Spring/Summer merchandise. We are open on Tue., Wed., Thurs. & Sat. from 12-4 pm. We appreciate your donations & your business.

**Mark your calendar:** The annual May Luncheon will be held Saturday May 7 in the Parish Hall. More information to come.

**St. Mary's youth** will be having a rummage sale on Saturday, May 21 from 8 am to 1 pm. Please remember them when you are doing your Spring cleaning. Drop off items at the parish hall on Thursday, May 19 or Friday, May 20. Contact Sarah if you have any questions at 229-4422.

**Did you know** that blood can only be stored for 42 days, so a continual fresh supply is critical and can only come from donors like you. Your donation could mean the difference between life and death. Please consider donating blood at the St. Mary's blood drive, April 10th from 8:30 to 12:30 in the Parish Hall. Appointments are available at [www.bloodhero.com](http://www.bloodhero.com) sponsor code: aberdeenstmary's or call Cindy Haliburton at 229-1213.

**The Triduum** celebrations were so magnificent... Thank you musicians and ministers... you were amazing!!

And thank you Saint Mary's for being so welcoming to those who joined with us on Easter!

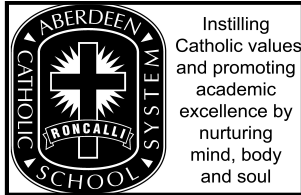


**Sympathy:** We pray for the repose of the souls of Joseph McBurney and Laurie Lingor buried in Christ. May those who mourn them be filled with comfort and peace.



**Congratulations:** Our parish rejoices in the baptism of Maxwell Maurice Meagher, son of Timothy and Megan.

**Thank You** to those who have been laboring so hard to make our recent funerals a time of peace and hope for the family and friends. In a special way, thanks to the ladies who serve the lunches... they are so appreciated and you are all so special!



Instilling Catholic values and promoting academic excellence by nurturing mind, body and soul

**Excellence is our average**

- Tues., April 5 - Track at Milbank Invite - 3:30 pm  
- JH Track at NSU - 5 pm
- Wed., April 6 - RHS Mass - 9:24 am  
- RES Mass - 12:10 pm - Sacred Heart
- Thurs., April 7 - RPS Mass - 12:10 pm - St. Mary's  
- School dismissed - 1:30 pm  
- K-12 Parent/Teacher Conferences 3-8 pm
- Fri., April 8 - NO SCHOOL - Staff development  
- Boys Tennis at NSU - 10:30 am  
- Spring Play - 7 pm
- Sat., April 9 - Boys Tennis at NSU - 9 am  
- Spring Play - 7 pm

**Aberdeen Roncalli** Catholic School System invites applications for a 5-6 Band/7-12 Choir Director. We offer qualified applicants competitive salaries, benefits & the opportunity to work in a faith-filled environment. To apply submit letter of interest, application, resume, transcripts, credentials and a copy of current teacher's certificate to ACSS, 1400 N Dakota St., Aberdeen, SD 57401. Closing date is April 8. Applications may be accessed at [aberdeenroncalli.org](http://aberdeenroncalli.org).

**Roncalli Primary School** is now accepting registrations for the SonShine Patch Preschool and kindergarten for the 2016-17 school year. Registration forms are available online at [aberdeenroncalli.org](http://aberdeenroncalli.org) or at the school. If you have any questions or would like to set up a tour please call 225-3460.

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**Spring Play at Roncalli** - "Almost, Maine" a romantic comedy. April 8-9 at 7pm at Roncalli High School. \$5 for adults and \$3 for students. Green & Gold and ACSS student passes honored.

### FAITH FORMATION NEWS

**Sunday, April 3** - Last Family Ed Class

**Wed., April 13** - 7 pm Confirmation Class

**\* Date Change\*** - First Communion Retreat is Saturday, April 16 at 9:30 am

## Father Michael's Musings

An intimate part of the Easter celebration and season is that it comes during Springtime.

Now, while the rest of the state has been walloped lately with the last gasps of winter (and I'm trying not to jinx us here), we have been enjoying the beauty of Spring.

And I hope you are enjoying it. This is a

time when the symbols of Easter seem to be all over the world as well.



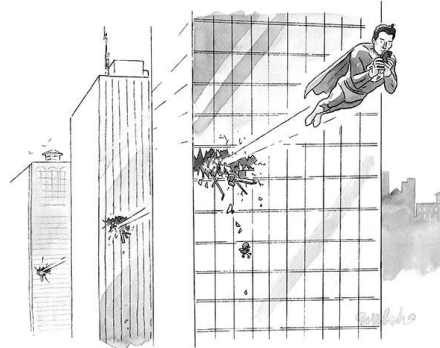
The longer and warmer days remind us of the light and fire of the Easter Candle, blessing us these

days. Of course, the water we find from melting snow and spring rains reconnect us to the gift of baptism.

Make sure you get outside and enjoy these days, rain or shine...you know, before the mosquitoes arrive!

In addition, also continue to celebrate the joy and gift of Easter! We have an entire season to celebrate and reflect upon the mystery of Christ's new life and ours. Give it more gusto than you gave Lent; because Lent was just a preparation for *these* days.

And above all, remember that you are loved by the God who brings us life and meaning and joy! Alleluia, Alleluia!



*Just a Thought...*

*Made ya look!*

*(Happy Belated April Fools Day)*

### Church Support: March 26-27, 2016

Envelopes: \$ 12,250.00  
Loose: \$ 2,280.00  
Children's: \$ 195.00

CFSA  
Pledged: \$ 97,026.00  
Paid: \$ 89,188.50  
Goal: \$ 87,000.00

Thank you for your support and generosity!