

**Mass Intentions****Saturday, January 3**

6:30 p.m. Audrey Dittoe by Rod &amp; Pam Dittoe

**Sunday, January 4**

8:00 a.m. Helen C. Berens

10:30 a.m. For the People of St. Mark

**Monday, January 5**

8:00 a.m. For the People of St. Mark

**Tuesday, January 6**

8:00 a.m. For the People of St. Mark

**Wednesday, January 7**

6:00 p.m. John &amp; Ann Muetzel by Tom Muetzel

**Thursday, January 8**

8:00 a.m. For the People of St. Mark

**Friday, January 9**

8:00 a.m. NO MASS

**Saturday, January 10**

6:30 p.m. Charles Joos by Cy &amp; Vickie Cupp

**Sunday, January 11**

8:00 a.m. Chuck Rogers by Frank &amp; Lazzar &amp; Family

10:30 a.m. For the People of St. Mark

Please call the Parish Office (653-1229) to schedule Mass intentions. You can now make your Mass intentions donation with your Online Giving Account.

**Sick Relatives & Friends**

- Week 1: Phil Momburg  
 Week 2: Marcie Mericle, Robert Dittoe, Nancy Hanely  
 Week 3: Trish Mallon, Philp Malis, Kay Fouty  
 Week 4: Donald Gardner, Kathryn Workman, Barb Schmelzer, Miriam Love, Noah Middaugh, Codie Natzier, Theresa Hall, James Doud, Helen Boyle  
 Week 5: Norm Lynch, Codie Natzier, James Doud, Mary & Paul Wright  
 Week 6: Larry Redd, Dennis Ring, Michael Hammond

**Please pray for our active****military:** Brandon Elkins,

Michael R. Kuhn, Keith Ballard,  
 Robert Brunney, Billy Paskins, Jr.,  
 David Kalb, Katie Lane, Alan Dyer,  
 Brian Self, William Fouse,



D.J. Amini, Ryan Wunder, Nathan Rutherford and Jason Brunney. Military pictures are posted in the hallway. If you wish to include a family member, please call the office.

**Those in Nursing Homes:** Ralph Mertz (Lanfair); Cora Moore (Sterling House); Mary Brune; Mildred Mathias; Beverly Thimmes; Kathryn Workman (Crestview); Bill Scallion (Springs at Carol); Paul Wright, Miriam Kilbarger (Rockmill); Rita Mason (Carriage Court); Elaine Mertz (Alteracare Canal Winchester).

**SCRIPTURE READINGS**

- Sunday: Mt 2:1-12; Is 60:1-6; Eph 3:2-3, 5-6  
 Monday: Mt 4:12-17, 23-25; 1 Jn 3:22-4:6  
 Tuesday: Mk 6:34-44; 1 Jn 4:7-10  
 Wednesday: Mk 6:45-52; 1 Jn 4:11-18  
 Thursday: Lk 4:14-22; 1 Jn 4:19-5:4  
 Friday: Lk 5:12-16; 1 Jn 5:5-13  
 Saturday: Jn 3:22-30; 1 Jn 5:14-21

**IN THIS  
PARISH****Monday, January 5**

8:30 a.m.-7:00 p.m. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

**Tuesday, January 6**8:30 a.m.-11:00 p.m. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament  
7:30 p.m. Light of Life Prayer Group, Room 1**Wednesday, January 7**

7:00 p.m. RCIA

**Thursday, January 8**

4:00 p.m. Prayer Shawl

**Sunday, January 11**

9:00 a.m. PSR

10:00 a.m. Rosary

**Available for your convenience:**

Headsets for hearing Mass.

Cards available by the doors to place in the collection for parishioners who use Online Giving.

**Bulletin Sponsor of the Week**

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Guardian Angels  
 (Grades Pre K-5; 1:00-3:00 p.m.)

Open Youth Center  
 (Grades 6-12; 4:00-6:00 p.m.)

Place cans in bins by front door; place ink cartridges in the box in the front foyer. Thank you!

Attention! Please save proof of purchase tabs from **Little Caesars Pizzas** for the Youth Ministries program. The more we collect, we can obtain free pizzas! Place tabs in box in the hall under the Youth Ministry bulletin board.

**Supporting our Youth  
 Supports our Future!!!**

**Around the Diocese**

**JANUARY IS POVERTY IN AMERICA AWARENESS MONTH:** More than 46 million Americans live in poverty. The Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD) is the domestic anti-poverty program of the U.S. Catholic Bishops. Learn more about poverty in our country and its root causes. Visit [www.povertyusa.org](http://www.povertyusa.org) or contact Social Concerns at 614-241-2540.

**NATIONAL MIGRATION WEEK 2015** is January 4-10 with the theme, "We Are One Family Under God." For online resources for parishes and schools, go to [www.usccb.org/about/migration-and-refugeeservices/national-migration-week](http://www.usccb.org/about/migration-and-refugeeservices/national-migration-week) or contact the diocesan Office for Social Concerns at 614-241-2540.

**NOTRE DAME ALUMNI URBAN PLUNGE RECEPTION:** Alumni of the University of Notre Dame are invited to the Plunge reception on Friday, January 9. ND alumni and parents are invited to a 5:15 p.m. Mass at St. Joseph Cathedral and reception afterward at the Catholic Center, 197 E. Gay Street, Columbus. The Plunge is coordinated by Social Concerns and the ND Alumni Club of Columbus. For details, call 614-241-2540.

**STAND AGAINST VIOLENCE WEEK** is January 15-22. Parishes and dioceses across the U.S. are called to focus on peacemaking and policy efforts against violence from January 15, the birthday of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., to January 22, the anniversary of the *Roe v. Wade* decision. For more info, visit [www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/human-life-and-dignity/violence/confronting-a-culture-of-violence-acatholic-framework-for-action.cfm](http://www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/human-life-and-dignity/violence/confronting-a-culture-of-violence-acatholic-framework-for-action.cfm).

**JANUARY 22 – RESPECT LIFE MASS AND DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE LEGAL PROTECTION OF UNBORN CHILDREN:** 10:30 a.m. at St. Joseph Cathedral. Bishop Campbell will be the celebrant. All are invited. For more info, visit [www.usccb.org/prolife](http://www.usccb.org/prolife) or call Social Concerns at 614-241-2540.

**ROE REMEMBRANCE AT STATEHOUSE:** Greater Columbus Right to Life will sponsor the 42nd Annual Roe Remembrance on Thursday, January 22. The hour-long program will start at noon in the Statehouse Atrium. No signs or banners are permitted inside of the Statehouse. For more info, visit [www.gcrtl.org](http://www.gcrtl.org).

**FR. PETER GIDEON** will compete in *Clergy Who Cook* with other diocesan clergy on January 30 at the Josephinum Jessing Center. **St. Mark parishioners** can make him the "People's Choice Chef" with their donations at his culinary station. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. Come and enjoy an evening of great food and fellowship while helping the Friends of the Josephinum support our seminarians. Reservations are required at \$40.00 per person and will close when capacity is reached. For reservation, [www.pcj.edu](http://www.pcj.edu) or call 985-2234. Don't delay, this fun event has sold out every year!

**RESOLVED: A BETTER MARRIAGE!** For depth, growth, and enrichment in the sacrament of your marriage, consider taking a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend in the new year! The next two weekends are in Columbus: on February 13-15 and April 10-12. For more information or to register, contact Paul and Marilou Clouse at 614-834-6880 or visit our website at [www.wmecolumbus.org](http://www.wmecolumbus.org).

**In Our Parish**

**RCIA** meets every Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. in Room 8. This week's topic will be "The Holy Spirit & the Life of Grace." The speaker will be *Symbolon* DVD and John Kelly. Everyone is invited to attend.

**Workers still needed:** Work on the Youth Center is underway. If you want to help in any way, please e-mail John Kelly at [jpkelly40@gmail.com](mailto:jpkelly40@gmail.com) and he will e-mail you the work schedule. Everyone is welcome to help.

**Save the date:** Coming in February, the Women's Conference February 21st and the Men's Conference February 28th. More info to follow, but please mark your calendars. Let's let them know that we are the "Emerald of the Diocese."

**Protecting God's Children Training:** To register for dates and locations, go to [www.virtus.org](http://www.virtus.org), or call the Parish Office at 653-1229 (list also available in front hallway). Volunteer Code of Conduct located on the parish bulletin board and our parish website.



**St. Mark Emerald Food Pantry;**

Pantry needs: dish soap, saltine crackers

Contact the Parish Office (653-1229) if you would like to help with this ministry.

New Pantry schedule as of November; Tuesdays: 3:00-4:45 p.m.; Saturdays: 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

**January 11, 2015, following the  
8:00 and 10:30 a.m. Masses**

**K of C Sunday Breakfast**

The Knights of St. Mark Council appreciate your support!  
Please invite your friends and neighbors  
to join you at our next Breakfast...Sunday, January 11th.  
One-half of the breakfast profit will be donated  
each month to the St. Mark Emerald Food Pantry.

The **Rosary** is said every Sunday at 10:00 a.m. in the church. Please come join us.



Liturgical Schedule is available on our parish website ([www.stmarklancaster.parishesonline.com](http://www.stmarklancaster.parishesonline.com)).

**Next Weekend Schedule**

**Servers**

**Saturday:** 6:30 p.m. Katarina Legg  
**Sunday:** 8:00 a.m. Abbie Tooill, Tori Spires  
10:30 a.m. Jessica & Thomas Wade

**Lectors**

**Saturday:** 6:30 p.m. Kathy & Paul Sullivan  
**Sunday:** 8:00 a.m. Patrick Huck, Bill Oelker  
10:30 a.m. Jan & Phil Kiger

**Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers**

**Saturday:** 6:30 p.m. Don Bever, Carol Sullivan, Fran Disbennett, Patty Reid, Donna Stebelton  
**Sunday:** 8:00 a.m. Sandy Meillo, Christopher Tooill, Tierra Tooill, Jon Archer, Sharon Elder  
10:30 a.m. Christina & Jayne Bryant, Emmie Hoelscher, Norma Hyde, Sue Sanderell

**Money Counters**

Mark & Julie Kennedy, Connie Legg, Theresa Dunaway



**January 4th**

Ruth Hoch & Nancy Griggs

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**Collection for December 21, 2014**

Collection .....	\$5,744.90
Online .....	\$,1248.00
Capital Improvement .....	\$ 0.00
Youth Ministry .....	\$10.00
Social Concerns .....	\$ 0.00
Food Pantry .....	\$75.00
Bridges of St. Mark .....	\$ 0.00
Immaculate Conception .....	\$ 5.00
Retirement Fund .....	\$85.00
Catholic Charities .....	\$25.00

Online .....	\$20.00
Online .....	\$25.00
Online .....	\$90.00
Online .....	\$30.00
Online .....	\$ 5.00