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**SAINT MARY OF THE WOODS**

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT  
**MARCH 3, 2024**



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**MASS INTENTIONS/LITURGIES**

MARCH 2-10, 2024

**Saturday, March 2 | 4:00 p.m. Mass (ST. PAT)**  
*Rocco Morando by Carlene & Timothy Morando*

**6:00 p.m. Mass (SMOW)**  
*Mary, Queen of Angels Parishioners*

**Sunday, March 3 | 8:00 a.m. Mass (SMOW)**  
*Werner Wischmeyer by the Wischmeyer Family*

**10:00 a.m. Mass (ST. PAT)**  
*Carol Smith by Coop & Judy Cooper*

**Tuesday, March 5 | 8:00 a.m. Mass (ST. PAT)**  
*Russell Doersan by Janice & Jim Naderer*

**Wednesday, March 6 | 8:00 a.m. Mass (SMOW)**  
*Sally Prentiss by Greg & Sharon Freitag*

**Thursday, March 7 | 6:15 p.m. Mass (ST. PAT)**  
**6:45 p.m. Adoration/Confession**  
*Deceased Members of the KC Steggeman Family  
 by the Conkle Family*

**Friday, March 8 | 8:00 a.m. Mass (SMOW)**  
**8:45 a.m. Confession**  
*Ed Stroub by Jim & Charity Thiel*

**Saturday, March 9 | 3:00 p.m. Confession (ST. PAT)**  
**4:00 p.m. Mass (ST. PAT)**  
*Scott Rafferty by Donna Canetti*

**6:00 p.m. Mass (SMOW)**  
*Mary, Queen of Angels Parishioners*  
**Sunday, March 10 | 8:00 a.m. Mass (SMOW)**  
*Kate Warnecke by the Warnecke Family*

**10:00 a.m. Mass (ST. PAT)**  
*Mike Meeker by Julia & Reagan Kennedy*



Whether you recently moved here or are just visiting, we are happy that you are here with us! If you would like to join one of our parishes, please contact the Parish Office for a registration form.

**YOUR TITHE TO GOD**

WEEK OF FEBRUARY 25/26	ST. MARY	ST. PATRICK
MASS COUNT:	261	403
SUNDAY COLLECTION:	\$ 3,200.50	\$ 5,889.00
ONLINE COLLECTION:	\$ 1,190.00	\$ 582.76
OTHER COLLECTIONS:		
BUILDING IMPROVEMENT:	\$ 5.00	\$ 120.00
ARCHDIOCESE ASSESSMENT:		\$ 115.00
LENT:		\$ 1,171.00
OTHER:	\$ 587.00	\$ 105.00
SVDP:		\$ 100.00
TOTAL TITHING:	\$ 4,982.50	\$ 8,082.76

**LITURGICAL MINISTERS MARCH 9/10 2024**

**ST. MARY OF THE WOODS**

**6:00 P.M. SATURDAY**

**SERVERS:** Eli Baughman, Isaac Dillon, Henry Dillon

**READER:** David Goff

**USHERS:** Volunteers

**CANTORS:** Katie and John McCabe

**SACRISTAN:** Suzi Corwin

**8:00 A.M. SUNDAY**

**SERVERS:** Orville Winner, Ezra Winner, Lincoln Nielsen

**READER:** Jan Knight

**EEM:** Kevin Knight

**USHERS:** Alan Winner, Shawn Bihn, Dave Shoffner, Jeff Codora

**CANTOR:** Ashley Roberts

**SACRISTAN:** Renee Winner

**ST. PATRICK**

**4:00 P.M. SATURDAY**

**SERVERS:** Della Baker, Rowen Daring, Mason Marcinko

**READERS:** Deb Baker, Wendy Miller

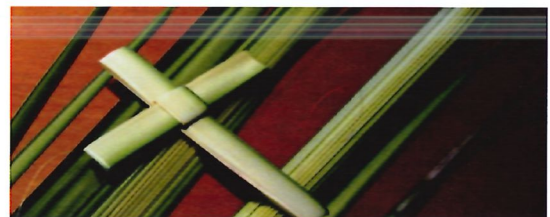
**EEM:** Mary Smith

**10:00 A.M. SUNDAY**

**SERVERS:** Brenden Eckstein, Connor Eckstein, Ruth Eckstein

**READERS:** Kelsey Conklin, Mindy Bailey

**EEM:** Sharon Traul



**PALM COLLECTION**

To ensure the proper disposal of your blessed palms that were distributed last year at Palm Sunday, please bring them to either church and place them in the containers provided.



**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

OF MARCH 3, 2024



- Sunday:** Exodus 20:1-17  
Psalms 19:8, 9, 10, 11  
First Corinthians 1:22-25  
John 2:13-25
- Monday:** Second Kings 5:1-15ab  
Psalms 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4  
Luke 4:24-30
- Tuesday:** Daniel 3:25, 34-43  
Psalms 25:4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8-9  
Matthew 18:21-35
- Wednesday:** Deuteronomy 4:1, 5-9  
Psalms 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20  
Matthew 5:17-19
- Thursday:** Jeremiah 7:23-28  
Psalms 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9  
Luke 11:14-23
- Friday:** Hosea 14:2-10  
Psalms 81:6c-8a, 8bc-9, 10-11ab, 14 and 17  
Mark 12:28-34
- Saturday:** Hosea 6:1-6  
Psalms 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab  
Luke 18:9-14
- Sunday:** Second Chronicles 36:14-16, 19-23  
Psalms 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6  
Ephesians 2:4-10  
John 3:14-21

**FEMININE ASCETICISM**

*Receptivity, Identity, and Union* - Saturday, March 9, 2024, 9:00-11:00 a.m., followed by 11:00 a.m. Mass and a light lunch (soup and bread) in the Undercroft at St. Mary Catholic Church, 28 Washington Avenue, Urbana, Ohio.

Presentation is by Father Jacob Lindle's older sister, Emma Greve. The presentation is free, but donations to Sycamore House Pregnancy & Family Life Center are appreciated.

**ZETEO YOUTH GROUP**

7:00-8:30 p.m.; St. Mary in Urbana (Undercroft)  
All high schoolers are invited and welcome.

**Meeting dates are as follows:**  
March 10, 24; April 7, 21; May 5



**THANK YOU**

The family of Ethel Houchins would like to thank those who made a donation to St. Patrick or offered a Mass on her behalf.

The family would also like to especially thank those who catered the Mercy Meal and helped with the funeral Mass (specifically, Kim Martin and Leanna George). Your kindness during the family's loss is greatly appreciated!

*The Houchins' children and their families*



**FISH FRY**



MARCH 8<sup>th</sup> and MARCH 29<sup>th</sup>

ST. MARY OF THE WOODS  
CHURCH HALL 4:30 – 7:00 PM

Meal includes baked potato, roll and choice of coleslaw or applesauce, soft drink or coffee. Homemade desserts are also available.

A percentage of these proceeds go to Local Scholarship Program.

\$12.00 adult/\$6.00 children 10 and under



MARCH 1<sup>st</sup>, and MARCH 8<sup>th</sup>

ST. PATRICK CHURCH  
MAKLEY HALL 5:00 – 7:00 PM

Featuring four different types of Alaska pollock (baked, southern, spicy, and beer batter) with choice of potato casserole or French fries. The meal comes with a roll, coleslaw and applesauce and dessert with gluten free options available.

\$12 adult/\$9.00 children



**TAKE THE PLUNGE FOR LENT & SUPPORT SPECIAL OLYMPICS**  
Saturday, March 16<sup>th</sup>

Join in on the fun and take the Polar Plunge in Indian Lake with our team from the Mary, Queen of Angels Family of Parishes to support Special Olympics.

All ages are welcome. Even if you are not going in, please come and cheer on Father Lindle and all of our other daring parishioners as we take a cold plunge for Lent!

The Plunge will take place at the Indian Lake Moose on March 16<sup>th</sup> with registration starting before Noon and a party at the Moose Lodge after the plunge.

Under 16 years old are permitted to plunge without a parent present, as long as they preregister online. Support our team by donating on our team page at [give.soo.org/team/561204](http://give.soo.org/team/561204).

For more details, contact LeeMcCarty333@gmail.com or call/text Mary Giannola at 937-935-7957.



**PRAYER CHAIN INVITATION**

If you are interested in joining a St. Pats/SMOW prayer chain, please call or text Mary Giannola at 937-935-7957. Also, please call or text Mary to request prayers for a friend or loved one.

**MORGAN'S PLACE CEMETERY**

Morgan's Place was established to assist families through the grieving process when experiencing the loss of a baby. We aid this process by memory-making, birth planning, funeral and burial services, and post-partum support groups for parents.

- Liaison to the Funeral Home
- Funeral Planning
- Burial in Morgan's Place Cemetery
- Grave Marker Design and Placement
- Grief Support
- Post Abortion Healing
- Birth Planning
- Memorial Wall

Gives parents a place to recognize their babies that were not able to be buried.

All services provided at no cost to the family.

**LENTEN TALKS**

ON THE CHURCH FATHERS

MARCH 3 AND 10 AT THE WINNER BARN

4:00 TALK  
POTLUCK SUPPER TO FOLLOW

**PENANCE SERVICES**

**ST. PAT** March 7th at 7:00 p.m.  
Penance Service (3 priests)

**SMOW** March 14th at 7:00 p.m.  
Penance Service (4 priests)



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**Trip details:** Daily Mass (including the Live Mass as seen on T.V.)  
Adoration, Rosary, Spiritual Talks, Healing Service, Confession,  
Tours, John Paul II Eucharistic Center, Gift Shops...  
—Free time- Lourdes Grotto, Stations of the Holy Eucharist,  
Stations of the Cross, Meditation in front of Life-Sized Nativity Scene  
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**CHURCH HAPPENINGS**

FOR THE MONTHS OF JANUARY/FEBRUARY

**ST. PATRICK:**

Baptisms: Franklin Zupan  
Landon Butler  
Eleanor Conklin

Funerals: Penny Bechtel  
Ethel Houchins

**ST. MARY OF THE WOODS:**

Baptisms: Lucia De Maria  
Vincenza De Maria  
Vienna De Maria  
Gianluca De Maria  
Grayson Greynolds

1st Communions: Micah Winner  
James Luthman





**DID YOU KNOW YOU CAN DONATE TO THE CHURCH USING MONEY FROM AN IRA?**

Money from an Individual Retirement Account (IRA) can be donated to the church. What's more, if you've reached the age where you need to take required minimum distributions (RMDs) from your traditional IRAs, you can avoid paying taxes on the money by donating it to the church.

This tax break was made permanent in 2015.

You just have to be sure to follow the rules carefully.

**HOW A QUALIFIED CHARITABLE DISTRIBUTION (QCD) WORKS**

A distribution from a traditional IRA normally incurs taxes since the account holder didn't pay taxes on the money when the money was paid in. But account holders, aged 70½ or older who make a contribution directly from a traditional IRA to a qualified charity, can donate up to \$100,000.00 without it being considered a taxable distribution. The deduction effectively lowers the donor's adjusted gross income (AGI).

*Internal Revenue Service.*

*"Publication 590-B: Distributions From Individual Retirement Arrangements (IRAs)," Pages 14-15.*



**SCHOENSTATT CLASSES**

**A Covenant of Love with Our Blessed Mother!**

Would you like to grow in a closer relationship with Christ and His Blessed Mother? Would you like to connect your faith with daily life? We would like to extend a personal invitation to join us for new Schoenstatt classes.

Schoenstatt is a Catholic movement that strives to live the Gospel of Jesus Christ through the example and guidance of Mary. The love of Mary opens new avenues to a vibrant relationship with Christ and the Holy Spirit; and to a renewal of love of neighbor, and self. Schoenstatt has helped many to grow in a deeper understanding of our beautiful Catholic Faith!

Schoenstatt Covenant of Love Classes - Mondays for 10 weeks, starting April 8, 2024, from 6:15 to 8:00 p.m. Location in Bellefontaine, Address TBD. All ages and families are welcome! Please contact the church office to sign up. Signup deadline is Friday, March 22nd. Any questions, please contact either Renee Winner at 937-539-2308 or realwinnerfarms@gmail.com or Peter Stolly at 937-935-7709 or Peter.stolly@stolly.com.

**The devil wouldn't be attacking you so hard if there wasn't something valuable in you. Thieves don't break into empty houses.**



**Daylight Saving Time Begins Sunday, March 10, 2024**  
**Don't forget to turn your clocks FORWARD one hour!**

**2024 EASTER FLOWER DONATION**

Suggested donation is \$30.00. Donations can be placed in either the church offertory basket or brought to either Parish Office through Friday, March 22nd. If you wish to purchase a plant/flower in memory or honor of a loved one, please complete this form and include with your payment.

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