

REQUIEM AETERNAM ("Eternal Rest")



POPE FRANCIS

December 17, 1936 - April 21, 2025

*Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord,
and let perpetual light shine upon them.
May their souls and the souls of the
faithful departed, through the mercy
of God, rest in peace. Amen*

Requiem Prayer



PAPAL INTENTION

Pope’s Intention for April: For the use of new technologies. Let us pray that the use of new technologies will not replace human relationships, will respect the dignity of the person, and will help us face the crises of our time.

Pope’s Intention for May: For working conditions. Let us pray that through work, each person might find fulfilment, families might be sustained in dignity, and society might be humanized.

LITURGY SCHEDULE

Scripture readings can be found online at: bible.usccb.org

Monday, April 28 - St. Peter Chanel; St. Louis Grignon de Montfort

8:30 AM Pope Francis Memorial Mass @ *St. Mark*

7:00 PM Pope Francis Memorial Mass

Tuesday, April 29 - St. Catherine of Sienna

6:45 AM Mass.....Pope Francis

Wednesday, April 30 - St. Pius V

No Masses

Thursday, May 1 - St. Joseph the Worker

8:30 AM Mass @ *St. Mark*

Friday, May 2 - St. Athanasius

6:45 AM Mass.....Deceased Members of the Novelli Family

4:00 pm Adoration @ *St. Mark*

Saturday, May 3 - Ss. Philip and James

3:00 PM Confessions @ *St. Mark*

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4:00 PM Mass @ *St. Mark*

4:30 PM Mass.....Deceased Ushers of 4:30 Mass

Sunday, May 4 - Third Sunday of Easter

7:00 AM Mass.....James Rezabek

8:30 AM Mass @ *St. Mark*

10:00 AM Mass.....Carolyn Fink

11:30 AM Mass @ *St. Mark*



Remember in prayer, Pope Francis, who passed away on April 21. May he rest in Peace

FIRST COMMUNION

Congratulations to Clement Girard who is making First Communion this weekend!

LAST WEEK’S COLLECTION

<u>2025</u>	Offertory	\$2980
	Monthly	\$275
	Repairs/Maintenance (Extra Ordinary)	\$230
	Easter	\$4475

SPECIAL THANKS

Thank you to everyone who helped decorate the sanctuary for Easter. Your efforts and time made our celebration that much more beautiful and meaningful. Thank you to Derek Duplisea, Chris Szoradi, Susan Mitchell, Sally Armstrong, Carl Orban, Addison Wish, Diannae Taylor, Sarah Franks, Patti Walsh, Ann Jones, and Martha Petti.

Carol Kerrigan

EASTER FLOWERS

The response to the Easter Flower & Decoration Fund was overwhelming. As I am sure you will all agree, the church was beautifully decorated for Easter Sunday services. Thank you to all who contributed. I would also like to thank Tammy Harrington for putting together the list of people who were being honored and remembered. May our risen Lord bless all of you during this Easter season.

Susan Mitchell

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Laura Burgess	Roger Burgess
Judy Collins	Dave Corrigan
Olga Corrigan	Noreen Dlouhy
Emily Finazzo	Suzanne Gambol
Shiela Henson	Ann Jones
Ken K.	Colleen Moore
Eileen Mangan-Stull	Madison Ramser
Jan Retzer	Aimee Roscoe
Anthony Prosowski	Sue Solenne
Mark Struhar	Matthew Struhar
Andrew Valek	

If you or someone you know needs prayer support, please call the Rectory office to have their name included in our bulletin. Please be respectful of other’s wishes and only submit a name with full permission from the intended.

PARISH CALENDAR

Mon. 28 Pope Francis Memorial Mass 7:00 PM
Wed. 30 Rosary 10:00 AM
Sat. 3 Confession 3:00-4:00 PM

PSR Program 2025 - 2026

Our PSR program is held at St. Mark parish on Monday evenings from 6:30 – 7:30 in the school building. We serve students in Grades 1 – 8. Students in grades 2 and 8 are prepared to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation and First Eucharist (grade 2) and Confirmation (Grade 8), as part of our curriculum. **For a student to receive these Sacraments they MUST be enrolled and attend PSR the previous year.**

You can register in a number of different ways for the 2025 – 2026 school year:

Registration is due with payment by June 10, 2025.

- Current PSR families will receive a packet with the registration materials. The packet will be sent home with your child.
- The materials can be downloaded from the St. Mark Church website www.stmarkcleveland.com, under heading FAMILIES (at the top of the page) and by clicking the PSR tab.
- Registration materials can also be picked up at the St. Mark Parish Office.

Registration forms and payment can be dropped off at the St. Mark Parish Office.

Classes will begin in September.

For any questions or additional information, you can contact Jeannette Puckett at the St. Mark Parish Office at 216-226-7577 or through email at jpuckettpsr@stmarkcleveland.com.

YOUNG FAMILY GATHERINGS

Connect with other young parents at St. Mark Church. Once a month after the 8:30am mass, young families are welcome to gather in the Social Hall (or Pavilion) for bagels, coffee, and community. Dates vary each month. For questions contact Briana Dave at: bciancibello@gmail.com Upcoming Dates: June 29th

FROM FR. ADAM

Friends,

With sadness, I share in our parish's grief over the passing of His Holiness Pope Francis, who entered eternal life on Easter Monday. This news tempers our Paschal joy as we remember a shepherd who led the universal Church with humility and compassion.

As this bulletin goes to print shortly after learning of his death, please refer to parish emails and Mass announcements regarding our communal prayers for the repose of his soul. The Church observes a formal nine-day period of mourning (the novendiales).

Pope Francis's papacy began just months before my ordination to the priesthood. I am deeply grateful for how his teachings on mercy, care for creation, and accompaniment of those on the margins have shaped my own ministry. I look forward to sharing more reflections with you during this time of mourning.

The conclave to elect a new pope will likely begin fifteen to twenty days after Pope Francis's death. When those days come, I invite you to join me in prayer for the cardinal electors and that the Holy Spirit will guide their discernment in a way that is powerful and clear. Do not allow others to treat this like politics; the pope unifies the Church, and only the evil one would use a papal election to sow division among us.

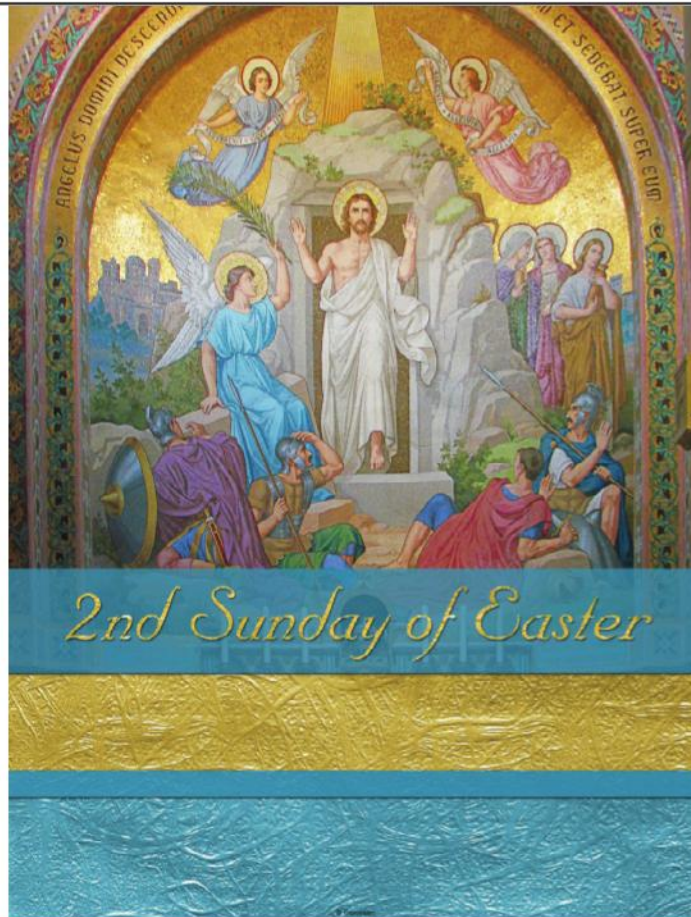
May Pope Francis rest in peace, and may perpetual light shine upon him.

In Christ



Fr. Adam

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