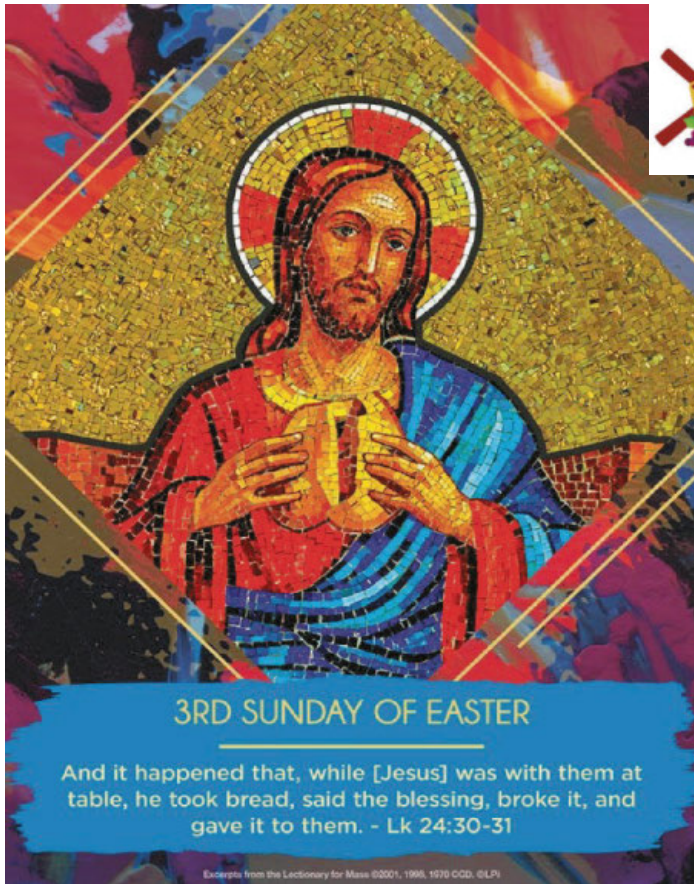


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Saturday Vigil

4:30 pm St. Mary
5:00 pm St. Agnes

Sunday

Saint Mary

8:30 am, 10:00 am, 11:30 am & 4:30 pm

Saint Agnes

7:30 am & 10:30 am.

DAILY MASSES

8:00 am St. Mary
9:00 am (Mon-Fri) St. Agnes

MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA

Benediction and Rosary
Monday @ 7:30 pm St. Mary Church

NOCTURNAL ADORATION

First Friday of the Month
7:00 pm St. Mary

April 23, 2023



Third Sunday of Easter



DAILY HAPPENINGS

Monday, April 24	Novena <i>Saint Mary Church</i>	7:30 pm
Tuesday, April 25	Legion of Mary <i>Rectory Basement</i>	10:30 am
	Knitting Group <i>St. Agnes classroom</i>	10:00 am
Wed, April 26	Legion of Mary <i>(St. Agnes) double classroom</i>	6:30 pm
Thursday, April 27	NAMI <i>St. Agnes double classroom</i>	6:00 pm
	Choir Rehearsal <i>St. Mary Church</i>	7:00 pm
Sunday, April 30	Legion Juniors <i>Rectory Basement</i>	10:00 am



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Novena & Crowning

This year May Crowning will be held on Monday, May 1st at 7:30 pm in conjunction with the Miraculous Medal Novena, which is prayed weekly in our parish at St. Mary Church. The Senior and Junior members of the Legion of Mary will process & "Crown" prior to the rosary & novena prayers. Refreshments will be served in Fr. Cronin hall following the devotion. All are invited.



Ladies Knight Out

The Santa Maria K of C will be hosting their annual Ladies Knight Out appreciation dinner for the ladies of the parish. The dinner will be held on Friday, May 19th in Fr. Callahan Hall (St. Agnes). Tickets will be on sale at both churches after Masses on the weekends of May 6th & 15th and in the rectory until May 15th. **NO TICKETS WILL BE SOLD AT THE DOOR.** Please call Dan (203) 803-7643 or Joe (203) 615-2635 for more information.



Blessing of the Bikes

Saturday May 20, 2023

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Collection Report

April 16th \$14, 304

One collection next Week (April 30)
Weekly

From the Desk of the Pastor . . .



Dear Friends:

At long last, I share with you some very good news. I have received word that we will be welcoming a new parochial vicar (what used to be called in my early days as a priest, an “assistant pastor”) this coming week. On Friday, April 28, Father Alen Shaji Mathew, a priest from the Diocese of Pathanamhitta, in the State of Kerala, from where Father Deny, Father Sam, Father Lijo and Father Moncy hail, will be arriving to serve at Precious Blood Parish. I welcome him and look forward to his presence in our parish and the help that he will give me.

Father Alen is a young priest, just thirty-one years old. He was ordained to the priesthood on December 28, 2019 and has served in a parish in his diocese, as an assistant director of a school in his diocese, and as secretary to the Bishop-emeritus (the retired Bishop of his diocese). I hope you will welcome him when you meet him and I know that our parish will benefit greatly from his presence and his ministry among us. I am happy that Fr. Lijo, who has a superb assistant to me since his arrival just before the pandemic and especially in these past eight months since Fr. Moncy returned home, will have a house mate in the rectory at St. Agnes on Merwin Avenue.

Father Moncy, by the way, has returned to the United States and to the Archdiocese of Hartford. His health has improved and he has been assigned to the Basilica of the Immaculate Conception in Waterbury as parochial vicar. His address is:

Rev. Moncy Varughese
Basilica of the Immaculate Conception
74 West Main Street
P.O. Box 1670
Waterbury, Connecticut 06721-1670.

I will also note that another priest from the same diocese in India will be staying at St. Agnes for a few weeks before he takes up an assignment in the Archdiocese. He is Father Ajiesh Oriseph. You may see him at Masses in either church in the next several weeks. I know you will welcome him warmly as I do.

As I reflect on everything, I am amazed that I have been assigned seven parochial vicars to assist me as pastor in my time here, first at St. Mary’s and now at Precious Blood. All of them have been of immense help to me, and each of them has made a significant contribution to the life of our parish. I name them now and thank them: Fr. Chacko Kumplam, Fr. Sam John, Fr. Deny Varghese, Fr. Lijo Thomas, Fr. Moncy Varughese, Fr. Lee Hellwig, and now, Fr. Alen Mathew. Given the ongoing shortage of priests, I am all the more grateful to have had the assistance of these good and capable men. I hope you are as grateful as I am.

Next weekend, from Friday evening through Sunday afternoon, the annual St. Mary School Carnival will be held on the grounds at Gulf Street. Pray for good weather, especially for the fireworks on Saturday night. Come and support this major fundraiser for our school. By way of forewarning, those who come to the vigil Mass at St. Mary’s on Saturday night might well consider going to St. Agnes next week or coming on Sunday morning as parking will be somewhat limited.

Have a good week!

Rev. Alen Shaji Mathew

Reconciliation
Mondays 6:00—7:00 pm Saint Mary
Saturdays 3:30—4:30 pm Saint Agnes

And it happened that, while [Jesus] was with them at table, he took bread, said the blessing, broke it, and gave it to them. With that their eyes were opened and they recognized him, but he vanished from their sight. — Lk 24:30-31



Mass Intentions

St. Agnes Church

Monday, April 24 St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen
9:00 Marion DiNapoli by family

Tuesday, April 25 St. Mark
9:00 Leona Gargiulo by her family

Wednesday, April 26 Weekday
9:00 Marie Blatchley by Jack & Karen Jansen

Thursday, April 27 Weekday
9:00 Anthony DiNapoli by his wife

Friday, April 28 St. Peter
9:00 Donald Hope-Ross by his wife

Saturday, April 29 (Vigil Mass)
5:00 pm Winifred Brown by Sharon Fowler

Sunday, April 30
7:30 Fr. Frank Carter
by Diane & John Tierney
10:30 People of Precious Blood Parish

St. Mary Church

Monday, April 24 St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen
8:00 Patricia Piroh by Diane & Tony Candido

Tuesday, April 25 St. Mark
8:00 Susan Piroh Mino by sisters & family

Wednesday, April 26 Weekday
8:00 Robert & Sara Broderick by son Robert

Thursday, April 27 Weekday
8:00 Joseph Campagna Sr.
by Jeanne Campagna

Friday, April 28 St. Peter
8:00 Bridget Howarth by husband Dan

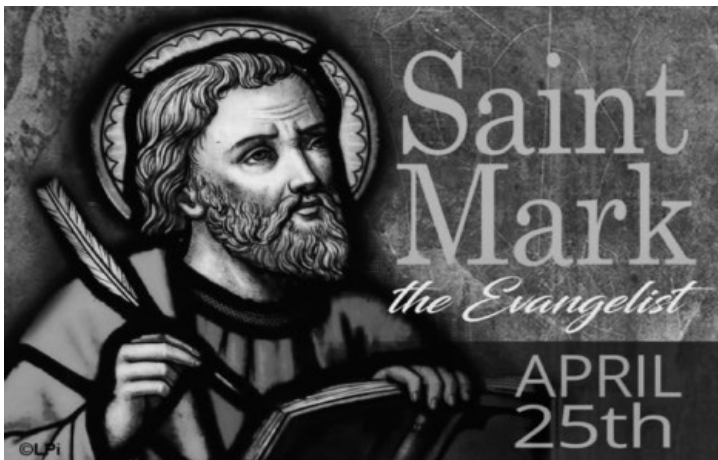
Saturday April 29 St. Catherine of Siena
8:00 Patrick Michelon by Berchem family

4:30 (Vigil Mass)
Mark Timothy McGoldrick
by Jan & Peter Purcell

Sunday, April 30
8:30 William Brotherton by June Purcell
10:00 Marion Healey by McGlynn family

11:30 Pam Beaudette
by Carole Murphy & family
4:30 Mildred & Milton Feller by family

The Sanctuary lamp at Saint Mary is
lighted this week in
memory of
Marion Healey



NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

Fourth Sunday of Easter
(April 30, 2023)
Acts of the Apostles: 2: 14a, 36-41
Psalm 23: 1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6
1 Peter 2: 20b-25
Gospel: John 10: 1-10

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