



23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Anyone of you who
does not renounce all his
possessions cannot
be my disciple."
- Lk 14:33

Welcome to St. Mark Parish

Mass Schedule

Daily Mass

Monday thru Friday 6:30AM and 7:45 AM - Chapel
Saturday 8 AM - Chapel

Weekend Mass

Saturday Vigil 4PM - Church
Sunday 7:30 AM, 9 AM, 11 AM and 5 PM - Church

Reconciliation

Saturday 8:30-9:15 AM - Chapel
Saturday 3-3:45 PM - Church

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Monday thru Friday 6:50-7:40 AM - Chapel
1st Fridays 9AM-6PM - Chapel
ENCOUNTER 1st Fridays starting Sept. 7PM-Chapel
HEALING MASS 4th Fridays 7PM - Church

OUR CHAPEL IS OPEN DAILY 6-6 FOR PRIVATE PRAYER

Sunday, September 4

Grounded, fortified and nourished by the Eucharist, the members of St. Mark Church share with all the unconditional love of God through active witness to the Gospel of Jesus Christ by learning, living and loving our faith.

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JOIN US FOR
MASS ON
LABOR DAY
9/5 AT 9AM

THIS WILL BE THE ONLY MASS
CELEBRATED ON LABOR DAY AND OUR
PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED IN
OBSERVANCE OF THE HOLIDAY.

A NOTE FROM OUR PASTOR

Dear Saint Mark Catholic School Parents,

On behalf of the community of St. Mark Catholic Church, we would like to welcome your child to St. Mark Catholic School. Thank you for giving us the opportunity to be a part of your child's educational formation. We congratulate you on your child's acceptance to our wonderful school. I look forward to walk with your children in this beautiful journey they are beginning with us, and be part of their faith. We are ready to offer your daughter/son many opportunities within the programs offered that will enrich her/his knowledge and faith. Please be assured that your child will grow both in wisdom and grow into the young lady/gentleman God has created her/him to be.

As we begin this new year, my prayer is that you will join me in thanking God for the gift of education. Please join me in praying and showing our gratitude to God for our dedicated and hard-working group of teachers who will not only teach but minister to your children in their education. I ask you to also pray for our school. We are grateful to God that our enrollment continues to increase. God is generous and we believe that God's grace and spirit will inspire us to build His kingdom in His vineyard of education. You are a vital part of your child's education, and we look forward to your presence and participation in our school!

Thank you for entrusting your child to our care and education. I know that your child's education and future are very important to you. Please be assured that we will work very hard to ensure that future and education for your child. I am certain that you have taken the time to learn about our school and invested much time and effort to make the right choice. We believe strongly that education must complement a challenging academic program with solid Catholic spirituality.

The Catholic school is a place of ecclesial experience. The New Testament speaks of the Church as koinonia, a communion of relationships built through sharing life in Christ. This communion fosters relationships characterized by mutual respect, open communication, and the commitment to serve each other's needs. The parish is a family of families. Through its school, the parish cooperates with parents to support them in their role as the primary educators of their children, especially in the transmission of the faith, and through the school, parents and children are linked to the wider community of the parish. Parents should be involved in the life of the school through participation in councils and committees, as well as regular collaboration with the staff.

The faculty and I are privileged and honored that you have trusted and chosen St. Mark Catholic School. We will continue to walk with you and your children in their learning and growth. I look forward not only to welcome you to this outstanding school, but I also look forward to meeting you personally as we continue to build community that will allow us to serve you better.

Blessed be the Most Holy Trinity!

Fr. Santhosh George, O.S.S.T.

Do you have a child who likes to sing? Are they in grades 4-8? Do they like to have fun? Then join the St. Mark Children's Choir! Rehearsals will take place on Wednesdays from 4-5:50 beginning late September/early October, and children will participate at specific liturgies throughout the year. We need a minimum of ten children to get this music ministry started, so tell your friends! Contact jennifer.blades@archbalt.org



READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 4

Sun: Wis 9:13-18/Ps 90:3-6, 12-17/Phlm 9-10, 12-17/Lk 14:25-33
Mon: 1 Cor 5:1-8/Ps 5:5-7, 12/Lk 6:6-11
Tue: 1 Cor 6:1-11/Ps 149:1-6, 9/Lk 6:12-19
Wed: 1 Cor 7:25-31/Ps 45:11-12, 14-17/Lk 6:20-26
Thur: Mi 5:1-4/Ps 13:6/Mt 1:1-16, 18-23
Fri: 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-27/Ps 84:3-6, 12/Lk 6:39-42
Sat: 1 Cor 10:14-22/Ps 116:12-13, 17-18/Lk 6:43-49

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, 9/5	9:00 AM	Dwight Smith
Tuesday, 9/6	6:30 AM	Ray Harvey
	7:45 AM	Dolores L. Fischer
Wednesday 9/7	6:30 AM	Luke Turner
	7:45 AM	Barbara Stephens
Thursday 9/8	6:30 AM	Ryan Moore
	7:45 AM	Mother Mary Paschal
Friday 9/9	6:30 AM	Those Suffering from Mental Illness
	7:45 AM	Feodor "Teddie" Caguin
Saturday 9/10	8:00 AM	St. Mark School Family
	4:00 PM	Salvator Peraro
Sunday 9/11	7:30 AM	Rebecca Corkrin
	9:00 AM	St. Mark Parish Family
	11:00 AM	Agnes Callanan
	5:00 PM	Michael F. Hilditch Jr.

PRAYER LIST

Sue Agnew - Ethel Akers - Debbie Cullen Anderson - Pat Antlitz
Jerry Arnold - Sandy Barrasso - Rosemarie Blake - James Bruno
Jeanne Cooper - Melissa Cramer - Kevin Duffy - Pat Ferruso
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Edward Rehkemper - Nora Reiter - Todd Richardson - Dan Rohrbeck
Lorna Roles - Dr. Adrian Sanchez John Schaefer - Jim Shreve
Logan Spicer - Charlotte Stedd - Roger & Mark Steinacker
Jim Sullivan - A Special Teacher Ellen Thompson - Gemma Toulan
Mary Catherine Watson - Sue Wilson - A Woman in Parish

*To submit a prayer request visit stmarkchurch-catonville.org or call the Parish Office.

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MONTHLY EVENTS

EVENING ROSARY AT ST. MARK

Monday Evenings • 6:00pm in Mary's Prayer Garden

Please join us for prayer and fellowship on September 5th as we pray the Rosary and lift our voices in prayer as we pray in honor of Labor Day as we remember and give thanks to the American worker.



EXPERIENCE THE LOVE OF OUR EUCHARISTIC LORD

First Friday Eucharistic Adoration October 7th 9am-7pm
A time for silent, private prayer in the Chapel.

ENCOUNTER October 7th - 7pm in the Chapel
Eucharistic Adoration and prayer through praise & worship music.

HEALING MASS Friday September 23rd - 7pm
Contemporary worship. Confessions begin at 6:30.

SOUL CORE

Every Other Wednesday at 7PM in the Coakley Room
9/14-28, 10/12-26

SoulCore combines the prayer of the Rosary with core-strengthening, stretching and functional movement for people of all fitness levels. Wear comfortable athletic clothes and bring your exercise mat or a towel, small hand weight, water, & suggested class donation of \$10.

St. Mark's Women of Joy Ministry fosters community by offering mothers and their little ones a place to gather and share in the joys and challenges of motherhood. Join us the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of the month from 10:30AM-12PM in the Youth Room.

UPCOMING EVENTS



Would you like to put some peace and romance back in your marriage?

Attend a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience!

Worldwide Marriage Encounter is excited to announce that there is a WWME Experience coming to

St. Mark Catholic Church

October 7-9, 2022 -

30 Melvin Avenue, Catonsville MD21228

Save the date for the Renewal on October 23, 2022

The format is non-residential.

Couples return home on Friday and Saturday night and return at 8:00AM the next morning.

The Experiences end with Mass on Sunday afternoon.

There's no group discussion.

Over the course of the experience, three couples and a priest provide tools, using examples from their own lives, to help couples work through common themes we can all relate to.

There is a non-refundable \$50 application fee.

To apply online go to:

moments4marriage.org

For more information, please leave a message at 301-541-7007 or go to WWME.ORG.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter is faithful to the Roman Catholic Church's definition that marriage is a covenant that exists between one man and one woman, any reference to "marriage" or "couple" made by Worldwide Marriage Encounter is in this context.

JUST WHO IS ST. MARK???

St. Mark is more than just our parish's name. Come find out through a video & discussion in the Parish Center.

Are you an evening person? Come at **7PM on September 7.**

Are you a morning person? Come at **8:30AM on September 14.**

Call Br. Kevin w/?s on ext 272

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Please use this QR code to register your child(ren) for either our:

- Traditional program on Tuesdays from 6-7PM or
- Family Religious Education (FRE) on Sundays from 10-11AM

Classes will begin in October and a calendar shared with you after registration.

Plans are being finalized for sacramental preparation for those receiving First Eucharist and Confirmation this year and registration will be opening soon.



ST. MARK COMMUNITY OUTREACH MINISTRY

Ps 14, 17 "Fill us at daybreak with Your kindness, that we may shout for joy and gladness all our days.
And may the gracious care of the LORD our God be ours; prosper the work of our hands for us!"

Prosper the work of our hands for us so that we might come to the aid of so many in our parish, school, and community. Please consider joining us for our **FIRST MEETING on September 12 at 7PM** in the Coakley Room. Visit stmarkchurch-catonville.org.

THE NON-PERISHABLE FOOD COLLECTION IS IN THE VESTIBULE Ps 68:11 "...in Your goodness, O God, you provided it for the needy." Help us "provide for those in need" in our community. Your non-perishable grocery donations are always needed! Please check expiration dates when donating your non-perishable food each weekend in the bins in the vestibule of the Church. We are also collecting travel size toiletries in the special bins in the vestibule. Your support of those in need is a blessing.

MARYLAND CATHOLIC CONFERENCE Though the General Election isn't until November it is important for us to continue to be a voice for hope and justice by joining the *Catholic Advocacy Network*. Visit mdcatholic.org to get updates about Primary Election results, legislation and the General Election.

BACK TO SCHOOL SUPPLIES PROJECT— YOU GIFTED SMILES!

Thank you for your supporting our Back to School Supplies Project. Because of your generosity children will be starting the new school year with much needed supplies!

CONSIDER BECOMING A 3RD ORDER TRINITARIAN

- Is the area of persecuted Christians important for you?
- Have you ever considered being part of a religious order while also being part of the laity?
- Does participating in a world-wide confraternity interest you?
- Does giving glory to the Trinity resonate within you?



Come & See/Info Session 10/10 at 7PM in the Parish Center

See Br. Kevin with questions!

ST MARK SCHOOL NEWS

A New School Website Has Launched!



Check out our updated St. Mark School website! This site will allow for easier access to all the information you need, and we're so excited it's finally here.

stmark-school.org

You can find summer work and supply lists by clicking "Parents" in the top right of the site. Browse around and contact us with any questions!

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