

**From the Desk of Sister Regina,
Pastoral Leader**

Everything about Easter shouts the same message: "Do not look for Jesus among the dead!" After Jesus' death the apostles came together in the upper room. Weakness seemed to draw them together rather than strength. Indecisive, frightened people, they came together as a community in need of solace.

In the midst of their fear, Jesus comes to them and offers peace. He showed them his wounds and he calmed their hearts.

In today's gospel Thomas the Doubter was struggling to find meaning in his hour of loss but then becomes the Apostle of Daring, especially for his community of faith. At first he professes his need to see and touch and have proof. Then he becomes a strong model for the apostles as one who uses the faith in his heart to bring Jesus to others.

It is not a sin to doubt. Doubts can be stepping stones, not obstacles to true faith. Thomas did not leave the group even when he was the only one doubting. It was the hope of the others that kept him going until Jesus appeared to him.

When we doubt it is important to be with the community, to gain strength from those who are strong. They keep hope alive for us until we are strong enough to stand again, to hope again and to calm our fearful hearts until we hear Jesus say, "Peace be with you."

MASSES FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 23

Monday, April 24, Easter Weekday

No Liturgical Services

Tuesday, April 25, Saint Mark

8:15am † For the People of the Parish

1 Pt 5:5b-14; Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17; Mk 16:15-20

Wednesday, April 26, Easter Weekday

8:15am Communion Service

Thursday, April 27, Easter Weekday

8:15am Communion Service

Friday, April 28, Easter Weekday

8:15am † For the People of the Parish

Acts 5:34-42; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Jn 6:1-15

Saturday, April 29, Third Sunday of Easter

4:30pm † For the People of the Parish

Acts 2:14, 22-33; Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11;
1 Pt 1:17-21; Lk 24:13-35

Sunday, April 30, Third Sunday of Easter

9:00am † Dora Aona and William Wagner, Sr.

Acts 2:14, 22-33; Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11;
1 Pt 1:17-21; Lk 24:13-35

**LITURGICAL ROLES FOR THE WEEKEND OF
APRIL 30**

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Saturday 4:30pm Harold Darr, Sharon Meyer

Sunday 9:00am Marian Beier, Lori Mange

Lectors

Saturday 4:30pm Gene Cook

Sunday 9:00am Dustin Payne

Ushers

Saturday 4:30pm Greg and James Fox

Sunday 9:00am Linda Hayman, Ryan Lozier

Servers

Saturday 4:30pm Jared Flewelling, Ian McBroom

Sunday 9:00am Mackenzie and Kristin Baker

Choir

Saturday 4:30pm St. Mary Folk Group

Sunday 9:00am St. Mary Choir

Money Counters for April 30

Eileen Hay and Peg Kaufman

Sacrificial Giving—Easter Year-To-Date

Adult..... \$9,726.62

Thank You, Thank You, Thank You!

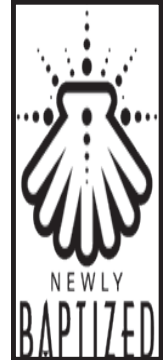
Week at a Glance

Monday, April 24		
Boy Scouts	7:00pm	Gym
Tuesday, April 25		
Mass	8:15am	Church
Bingo	6:00pm	Hall
Wednesday, April 26		
Communion Service	8:15am	Church
Thursday, April 27		
Communion Service	8:15am	Church
Friday, April 28		
Mass	8:15am	Church
Saturday, April 29		
Scrapbook Crop	All Day	Hall
Mass	4:30pm	Church
Sunday, April 30		
Mass	9:00am	Church

2017 Annual Catholic Appeal
Diocese of Toledo

Goal for St. Mary, Clyde: \$11,000.00
Pledged as of 4/13/2017: \$7,995.00
% of goal met: 72.68%

Congratulations to Gwendolyn, Jamison, Jessilyn, Lillian and Madilyn Stokes, children of Jeremy and Michelle Stokes, who were baptized at the Easter Vigil on Saturday, April 15.



BINGO APRIL 25

Workers: Mary Rathbun, Sandy Smith, Mary Kay Oakleaf, Rita Hoffman, Brandi Grahl, Aaron Pumphrey

Bakers: Rita Hoffman, Anna Zamora, Amanda Gebauer, Margie Slatter, Sue Pumphrey

Kitchen: Mark Pumphrey, Sue Pumphrey, Rosemary Drown

Congratulations to our 2nd Graders who will make their First Holy Communion this weekend! May God bless you and hold you always close to his loving heart.

**Lauren Cook
Jacen Cox
Eli Morgan
Adysen Wettrich
Lillian Stokes**

Congratulations!

Congratulations to the 8th graders who will be confirmed by Bishop Thomas this weekend at the Rosary Cathedral in Toledo. God bless you all!

**Kalee Hemby
Emma Beebe
Quintin Deel
Levi Cook**

**Kinsley Taylor
Noah Perkins
Grace Knehr
Samantha Friend**

PRAYER LIST

Martina Rodriguez, Charlene Robinson, Betty Eshleman, Jeff Hill, Ruth Nobles, Eric Furniss, Charlie Meyer, Virginia Gabel, Mary Cox, Mark Pumphrey, Beverly Dalton, Margaret Ross, Chuck Ruffing, Barb Conley

These names will be updated once a month. If someone wishes to be on the prayer list they or their caretaker must personally contact the parish office. (HIPAA Law)



Life Line Screening, a leading provider of community-based preventive health screenings, is pleased to offer a preventive health event at St Mary's Catholic Church on 5/4/2017. Five screenings will be offered that scan for potential health problems related to: blocked arteries which is a leading cause of stroke; abdominal aortic aneurysms which can lead to a ruptured aorta; hardening of the arteries in the legs which is a strong predictor of heart disease; atrial fibrillation or irregular heart beat which is closely tied to stroke risk; and a bone density screening, for men and women, used to assess the risk of osteoporosis. Register for a Wellness Package which includes 4 vascular tests and osteoporosis screening from \$149 (\$139 with our member discount). All five screenings take 60-90 minutes to complete.

There are three ways to register for this event and to receive a \$10 discount off any package priced above \$129, please call toll-free 1-888-653-6441 or visit <http://lifelinescreening.com/communitycircle> or text the word circle to 797979.

Help Support Catholic Education

As our commitment to promote Catholic education, St. Mary Parish will be host for the 1st Nicholas Darr Memorial Scrapbook Crop on April 29th. Proceeds will benefit the Nicholas Darr Memorial Scholarship Fund which awards annual scholarships to St. Joseph Catholic High School seniors. Donations needed are: bottled water, pop (in cans), desserts, snacks (peanuts, chips, small candy).

PARISH OFFICE: (419)-547-9687
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OFFICE HOURS:
MONDAY-THURSDAY 9AM-3PM
CLOSED FRIDAY

PARISH STAFF

Pastoral Leader:.....Sr. Regina Fisher, SND;
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Parish Chaplain:.....Fr. Edward Schleiter
Parish Secretary:.....Alisha Taylor; clydestmary@gmail.com
Parish Bookkeeper:.....Mary Ivory; stmarybook@gmail.com
Maintenance:.....Bill Steinbauer

P.S.R. CLASSES:

(During School Year)

Grade School - Sundays: 9:00am (Mass) to 11:00am
For any questions regarding P.S.R. contact Sr. Regina
at the Parish Office.

REGISTRATION:

Persons moving into our area are asked to notify Alisha at the Parish Office to be registered. Whenever there is a change in address or phone number, please call Alisha at the Parish Office.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Baptism can be administered during Sunday Mass or at a private ceremony. New parents are required to attend a Baptism instruction. Recommended that this take place during the pregnancy. Please contact Sr. Regina at the Parish Office to make arrangements.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (CONFESSIONS):

Saturday 4:00pm to 4:15pm. or any time when requested. For more information contact Sr. Regina at the Parish Office.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY:

Call Sr. Regina at the Parish Office and make arrangements at least six months in advance. Marriage instructions are required.

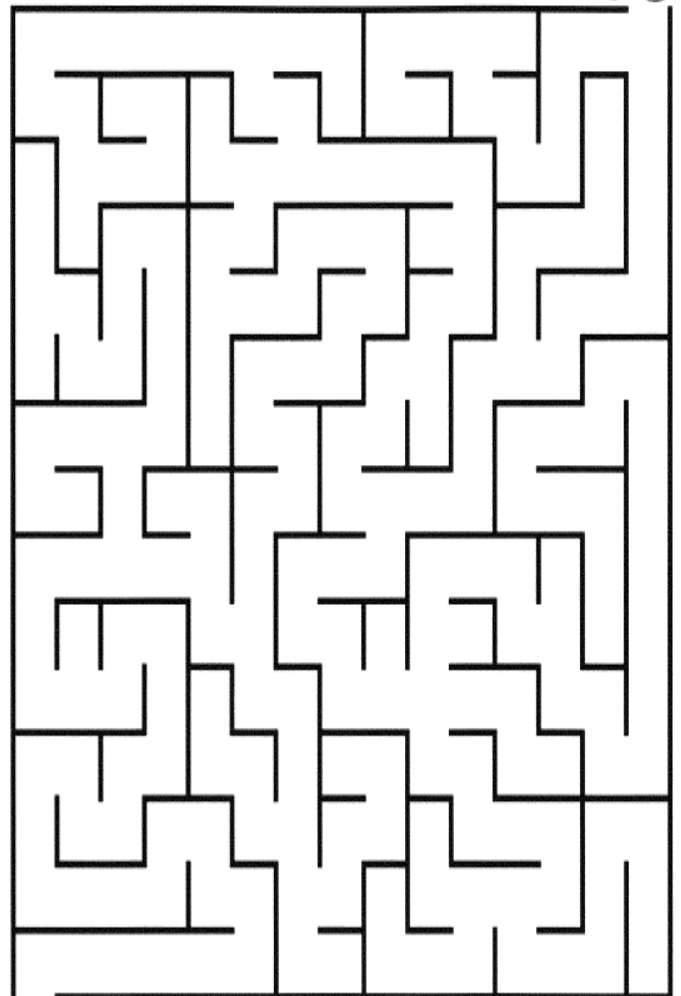
SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

Administered upon request to those who are sick.
Please contact Sr. Regina at the Parish Office.

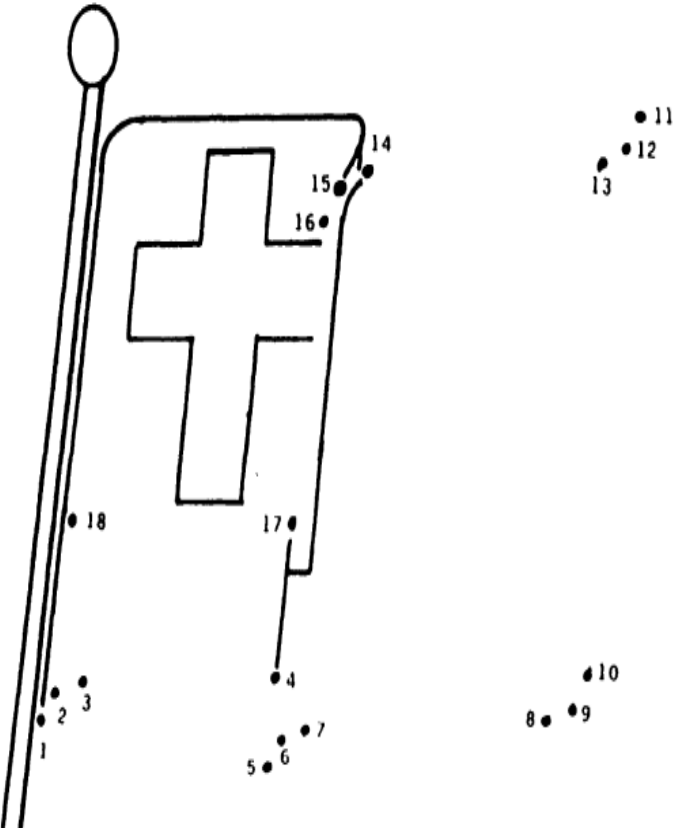
Kid's Corner

Maze

Today's Gospel story tells about Jesus appearing to his disciples after he was resurrected. Help Thomas find Jesus, so he can see for himself that Jesus lives.



Finish The Picture. Nobody knows what the Holy Spirit looks like. The Bible tells us the Spirit is like the wind, moving wherever he wants to. Here is a picture of something that needs lots of wind. Connect all the numbers to see what it is.



Hidden Message. Here's a code and a hidden message telling you one way that God keeps you from being left alone. Fill in the numbered blanks with letters from the code.

Code:

E	I	S	O	H	Y	R	L	P	T	N	U	D	F
8	4	7	6	12	1	5	13	14	9	2	10	11	3

Hidden Message:

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