Sunday April 15th – The Third Sunday of Easter

9am Mass: Mr. Edward Gronn of. by son, Rev. Greg Gronn

11am Polish: dla parafia

Readings: Acts 3:13-15,17-19; 1John 2:1-5; Luke 24:35-48

Lector – Jo Ann Long

Greeters – Jeanette Chambers & Barb Bogzevitz Collectors – John Kobalka & Gene Stepanik

- SOCL and Coffee Hour after 9am Holy Mass

The Week Ahead

MONDAY, April 16th

9am – Holy Mass of the Day

6pm – Polish Language Class

TUESDAY, April 17th

WEDNESDAY, April 18th

9am – Holy Mass of the Day

THURSDAY, April 19th

5pm – Mass of the Day

 $7pm-Women's\ AA\ Meets$

FRIDAY, April 20th

6pm – Polish School Meets

SATURDAY, April 21st

8-9pm – Parma Saturday Meets

SUNDAY, April 22nd – The Fourth Sunday of Easter

9am Mass: open intention 11am Polish: dla parafia

Readings: Acts 4:8-12; 1John 3:1-2, John 10:11-18

Lector - Barb Bogzevitz

Greeters – Rose Kronen & Martha Repede Collectors – Greg Hodor & Pete Moritz

- SOCL and Coffee Hour after 9am Holy Mass
- 12:22: Parish Committee (Board) Meets
- 3pm Bowling at Red Circle Lanes

Announcements

EASTER – The Easter Season begins with the Resurrection of Jesus on Easter Sunday and lasts 50 days, until the day of Pentecost, this year on May 20. The length of the celebration reminds us of the importance of

this season and the importance of the Resurrection event in the story of our salvation. Please keep your Easter spirit strong over these next few weeks, as we remains standing throughout the Canon/Eucharistic Prayer of the Mass, as we add extra "alleluias" throughout the liturgy, and as our lilies and Easter decorations stand out in our church proper.

<u>CANON/EUCHARISTIC PRAYER</u>- Today, and for the entire month of April, we use the 3rd Eucharistic Prayer on page 84.

<u>POLISH PARADE</u> – The parade for Polish Constitution Day takes place on Sunday, May 6th. St. Mary's will be marching in the parade. If you are interested in marching with the group of our parishioners and friends, please see JoAnn Long or leave a message at the Parish Office.

<u>sP. GENE MORA</u> – Yesterday, Saturday April 14, funeral rites were held for our brother of blessed memory, Gene Mora. Gene has been on our prayer list for a long while now and is the father of Cherie Kugler. Fr. Greg Gronn concelebrated the funeral Mass with Fr. Jason. Please keep his soul in prayer as well as the strength of his family.

<u>HOLY WATER</u> – Holy Water was blessed on Holy Saturday at the service of New Fire and Water. It is in the back of the Church on the Gospel side if anyone is interested in bringing any to your homes.

<u>BIBLE STUDY</u> — We recently wrapped up a 4 session Study on "Jesus' Final Week." It was a spirited and well-attended study that we squeezed into the entire Lenten Season. Keep your eyes on upcoming bulletins for an announcement when the next Bible Study will take place and what it will entail.

MISSION WORKSHOP Info has been released for the 18th Mission and Evangelism Workshop, April 27-29 at All Saints Parish in Carnegie, PA, only 2 hours away. Please see the bulletin board for info – hoping for nice representation from St. Mary's.

<u>DINNER</u>– St. Mary's will be hosting a pierogi, kielbasa and soup dinner on Friday, April 27 from 4:30-7pm. The cost of the dinner will be \$10 and will include 3 pierogi, a kielbasa link, a cup of soup, coffee, and

kolachy. Please mark your schedule!

UPCOMING

Apr2 27-29 – M & E Workshop Apr 28 – Hall Rental Apr 29 – Bowling Sunday May 17-19 – Men's Retreat Jun 8-10 – Bowling Tourney Jun 29-30 – Choir Concert Jun 30- Jul 7 – Kurs 2018 Jul 23-27 – Convo 2018 **POLISHFEST** – the PolishFest will take place the 2nd weekend of September a departure from our norm. We are also planning on having another fundraiser in the summer to fill the gap. Stay tuned...

MAY DEVOTIONS – May Devotions begin Wednesday, May 2nd at 7pm (English) and

will be celebrated also on the following Wednesdays: May 9 (English), May 16 (Polish), May 23 (English), May 30 (Polish). Please consider attending these devotions to the Blessed Mother, patroness of our Parish. It is an opportunity to see one of the unique liturgies of the church: Litany, Exposition, a short procession, all in about 30 minutes.

<u>VOTIVE CANDLES</u> – You may have noticed sets of votive candles in the back corners of the church. They are from the former Sacred Heart parish and have been refurbished – please, offer your prayers!

Prayer List

Please pray for these St. Mary's parishioners:

Barbara Baranowski	Gerald Beres	John Spilka
Bill & Joan Kastak	Marty Bengela	Ralph & June Zaun
Johanna Markiewicz	Anna Dawidziuk	Gail Perz
Bill & Pat Glatzer	Mary Ann Loschelde	er Tom Petrie
Helen Budney	Polly Gajda	Len Pryer
Chester & Ann Warzala	Tom Putynski	Louise Cygan
Craig Atherton	Frank & Millie Dom	inik Amy Dreger

Please pray for family and friends of St. Mary's:

Wanda Clark	Beth Chihill	Michael Cosevin
Helen Cummings	Jane Hunter	Paul Kazinetz Jr.
Jay Grabowsky	Pam Chesar	Mike Sikut
Donna Kidd	Anne Komorowski	Jennifer Kmitt
Laina Dachtal	Bp. Stanley Bilinski	Al Tomasello
Cherise Pacanovsky	Bp. John Swantek	Cecelia Hall
Charlotte Williamson	Fr. Gus Sicard	Chris Minch
Bob Phipps	Edna Samelson	Daniel Morgan
Wanda Heffner	Bryson Dzuroff	Mike Curran
Jeremy Steinbrick	Rich Dombrowski	Brooke Beutner
Larry Bernacki	Marcia Klein	Coleen Fisteck
Mark & Kim Andreas	Caroline O'Connor	Barbara Thome
Jeannie Bartko Muran	Marcus Vaughn Jr.	Marilyn Girard
Stephanie Milla	John Clark Sr.	Mary Cawley
George & Linda Makovicka	Shannon Alberino	Mary Patla
Larry Hoekstra	Daniel Morgan	Linda Duffy
Anthony Soltysiak	Fr. Sr. Greg Młudzik	Paul S.

ALL WHO ARE IN NURSING HOMES OR ASSISTED LIVING ALL ACTIVE & RETIRED CLERGY NEEDING HEALING ALL SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN AROUND THE WORLD

Lord, bring all service personnel safely home!!!

Bless them, O Lord. Poblogosław im, O Boże

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<u>TO OUR VISITORS</u> – We welcome you to St. Mary's today. Please consider joining us in the Fellowship Hall for refreshments. We hope you enjoyed your time with us and plan on worshipping with us again.