2ND SUNDAY OF LENT MARCH 1, 2015



St. Mary Student Parish

Catholic Campus Ministry at the University of Michigan

Mass Schedule

Sunday

8:30 AM

10:00 AM

10:10 AM

12:00 Noon

2:00 PM (Spanish)

5:00 PM

7:00 PM

9:00 PM

Daily Mass

Mon-Thurs 5:10 PM Friday 12:10 PM

Office Hours

Sunday 8:00 AM-9:00 PM

Monday 9:00 AM-9:00 PM

9:00 AM-9:00 PM Tuesday

Wednesday 9:00 AM-9:00 PM

9:00 AM-9:00 PM Thursday

9:00 AM-5:00 PM Friday

12:00 PM-3:00 PM Saturday

Eucharistic Adoration

8:00 PM-9:00 PM Sunday

Sacrament of Reconciliation

母 Sunday after the 5:00 PM Mass

Mass (two priests available) or by appointment





LENTEN THEMES BY WEEK As we anticipate the coming of our risen Lord, we must prepare. Our calendar is broken down into weekly themes, ie "Now is the Time to Prepare." Join us on our Lenten journey as we prepare, listen, see, act, heal, and say yes!





NOW IS THE IME ...TO SEE

By Kelly Dunlop, Associate Director of Campus Ministry

11pm. 1:10am. 3am. 5:20am. I swore I had only just shut my eyes when the infant cry began again, sending pangs of anxiousness through my body and necessitating my need to get up. I rolled over to sit on the edge of the bed, completely sleep deprived and feeling desperate in a pile of tears.

"I'm not sure I can do this," I thought to myself.

"How will I get through another day?"

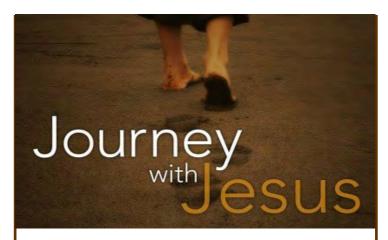
I stumbled to her room to embrace all 8lbs of my little girl. In a zombie-like state I made our way to the Lazy Boy to nurse. And it was there, in a quiet moment of rocking together in the wee still hours of the morning when our eyes met and locked in with one another, that I was transfigured.

The first few weeks of life, an infant cannot focus much more than a foot in front of them—nearly equal from the breast to the eyes—and researchers have found that as a child gazes upon their mother and a mother on their child, the brain produces a surge of oxytocin, the love hormone, in both of them. Miraculous. As I gazed into my daughter's eyes and she back into mine I was completely comfortable, resulting in a deep internal peace and holistic sense of self in the truest sense. How seldom it is that we stare into the eyes of another for any prolonged time, even those we care for most deeply, without pulling away slightly embarrassed or uncomfortable. It was in that mundane and yet sacred moment, that I knew my own belovedness because I saw and felt it gazing back at me.

"This is my beloved Son. Listen to him. "

This weekend's Gospel is both preceded and followed by stories of activity and ministry; of Jesus present in a very real way to the needs of those around him: casting out unclean and impure spirits, challenging hardened hearts and unbelief, healing the blind, the mute, and those with leprosy. But here he is intentionally seeking out time to pray, time to remove himself from the busyness of his mission and to reconnect with his ultimate source. To continue to give of yourself even in the most rewarding of circumstances without taking time in prayer, silence or meditation, ultimately results in burnout. If Jesus reacted to a full and overly busy schedule anything like I do, he likely was becoming less than his best. It is in these times I am short of temper and patience and quick to tears or a biting comment. Interesting, it is in this reality that Jesus invites Peter, James and John to companion him, not just in a fun escape to get away from it all, but in prayer.

So often I get caught up in the "Lenten stuff"- the ashes, no meat on Fridays, give up this; give away more; follow the rules and recite the lines. Yet God invites all of us in this sacred time of preparation to rest in God's loving gaze, with complete vulnerability and to know Him and be known in the most profound way.



10:00 AM on Saturday, March 14

Journey with Jesus is a self-directed, experiential retreat through the life, ministry, sentencing and death of Jesus. As we prepare for the holiest of weeks, take the time to engage deeply in prayer and reflection.

Journey with Jesus is composed of 10 interactive stations throughout the parish building. All participants will be given a reflection booklet to guide them through a handson experience of prayer which engages all of the senses. Participants will then conclude the prayer experience with a Lenten lunch and small group discussion.

Due to the nature of this prayer experience, spaces are limited to the first 100 parishioners. Please sign up today on our website.

There is likely to be a waiting list, so if you realize you are no longer able to participate, please let Kelly know ASAP to ensure maximum participation.

Questions? Contact Campus Minister Kelly Dunlop at kldunlop@umich.edu or 734-663-0557 ext 244.



Into the Light

Saturday Mornings at 7:45

Into the Light is a faith-sharing group that meets at 7:45 am Saturdays during Lent through March 28. At each meeting, the group reflects on Lenten scripture readings and holds a communion service together. Everyone brings a dish to share for breakfast, too. Please join us. All are welcome.

2015 CROSSROADS EASTER MEAL

VOLUNTEERS, EASTER BASKETS & DONATIONS NEEDED!

On Easter Sunday, April 5th, St. Mary's community will prepare and serve dinner at Crossroads Soup Kitchen in downtown Detroit (learn more about Crossroads at

www.crossroadsofmichigan.org). Volunteering at this event is a great way to share in and celebrate the love of the Easter season with over 1,000 Detroit community members and other St. Mary's parishioners!

THERE ARE MANY WAYS TO GET INVOLVED IN THIS SERVICE:

1. Help us deliver food items, supplies, and Easter Basket goods to Crossroads on Friday, April 3rd.

This is a very important logistical part of our meal, and happens from 12:00 – 3:00 two days before Easter. Email *laura.padalino@gmail.com* to sign up!

2. Volunteer at Crossroads on Easter Sunday.

- + First Shift: 8:00 AM-12:00 PM (Meal Preparation)
- + Second Shift: 11:15 AM-3:45 PM (Dinner Serving)

If you would like to volunteer, please e-mail Laura at laura.padalino@gmail.com. Please include the following in your e-mail: your preferred shift, whether you need a ride to Detroit, and (if you have a car) the number of additional people you can take with you to Crossroads. If you do not have e-mail access, please give the above information and your phone number to the parish office.

3. We need Easter baskets and lots of candy!

Many children are part of our Easter meal. Help us give each of them an Easter basket as a special gift from St. Mary's! Please donate filled Easter baskets or basket making components (baskets, crayons, chocolate bunnies, etc.). In addition to Easter Baskets, each meal comes with a small bag of Easter Candy. We would greatly appreciate candy donations—mini/fun size wrapped candies are the best. Larger bars and unwrapped candy are difficult to bag, and can get messy. Please take your Easter basket and candy donations to the parish office by Monday, March 30th.

4. Make a donation.

We will not be offering a bake sale this year. Instead, we ask for your financial support of this communal meal with our brothers and sisters in Detroit. Please make checks payable to: St Mary Student Parish and write "Crossroads Easter Meal" on the memo line. Thank you, as always, for your tremendous generosity.

2015 Spring Break Schedule

SUNDAY, MARCH 1

Masses—8:30 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 PM, 2:00 PM Spanish & 5:00 PM

MONDAY, MARCH 2 & TUESDAY, MARCH 3

Mass-5:10 PM Office Open Noon-6:00 PM

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4

Mass-5:10 PM Confessions-7:00 PM Office Open Noon-7:00 PM

THURSDAY, MARCH 5

Mass-5:10 pm Office Open Noon-6:00 PM

FRIDAY, MARCH 6

Mass-12:10 PM

Office Open 11:00 AM-8:30 PM

SATURDAY, MARCH 7

Church & Office Closed (except for Into the Light)

SUNDAY, MARCH 8

Masses —8:30 AM, 10:00 AM, 10:10 AM, 12:00 PM, 2:00 PM Spanish, 5:00 PM, 7:00 PM & 9:00 PM



St. Mary's hosted 25 men for the overnight rotating shelter last week. Over 50 parishioners contributed food and their time to welcome our guests and to spend the night. Thank you to all those resident and student parishioners who provided such warm hospitality to our guests. Special thanks to Peer Minister Rachel Conner who coordinated the shelter for our parish.

Stations of the Cross

Fridays at 7pm

- March 6 in Spanish by Hispanic Ministry
- March 13 presented by Confirmation Class
- March 20 presented by ASB
- March 27 presented by Outreach Team
- April 3 Bi-Lingual Stations at 7:30 pm

St. Mary Student Parish High School Youth Group

Sunday, March 15 from 3:30-5:00 PM

Our next youth group meeting will be Sunday, March 15 from 3:30-5pm. Fr. Michael will be joining us to talk about his work in Catholic health care. Youth Group is a great opportunity for teens to get to know one another, share their faith, and have fun! All are welcome.

For more information please contact either:



Elaina Jo Polovick epolovick@smspnewman.org
Rachel Conner rconner@smspnewman.org

LENTEN BLOG

LOOKING FOR DAILY REFLECTIONS THIS LENT? VISIT OUR WEBSITE **STMARYSTUDENTPARISH.ORG**AND CLICK ON **NEWS** TO READ OUR DAILY BLOG!
WE WILL POST REFLECTIONS FROM STUDENTS,

Catholic Thinkers Book Club

Tuesday, March 24 at 7:00 PM

All members of the parish are invited to meet and discuss the book *Falling Upward: A Spirituality for the Two Halves of Life* by Richard Rohr (240 pages)

Upcoming Books:

STAFF, AND PARISHIONERS.

- March 24, Beyond Belief: The Secret Gospel of Thomas by Elaine Pagels (272 pages)
- April 28, Spiritual Writing by Flannery O'Connor (173 pages)

If you are interested in joining us, please contact Andy Hoffman at ajhoff@umich.edu, 734-763-9455.

The Graduate Student & Young Professionals Group presents



WITH ABBY AND KELLY

7:00 PM - MONDAY, MARCH 9

Graduate students and young professionals are invited to join us at 7:00 PM at Arbor Brewing Co. for food, drinks, and conversation.



At 8:00 PM we will hear from Abby Braun and Kelly Dunlop, Campus Ministers at St. Mary's.



The Graduate Student & Young Professionals Group presents

SOUL SNACK

JOIN US AFTER THE NOON MASS ON MARCH 1 & 22, APRIL 12 & 26, May 17

Grad students and young professionals are invited to gather for coffee, snacks and friendship upstairs in the Rectory Lounge.

If you have questions or would like further information, please contact the Grad Student and Young Professional lead team at smsp.grads.lead@umich.edu or Abby Braun at abraun@umich.edu.

SUNDAY READINGS

MARCH 1

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

Reading I Genesis 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18

Psalm Psalms 116:10, 15-19 Reading II Romans 8:31b-34

Gospel Mark 9:2-10

Abraham offers the ultimate sacrifice of thanksgiving, the gift of his very son. This sacrifice prefigures the sacrifice of Jesus who died for us all. In his transfiguration, Jesus discloses a suffering messiahship.

MARCH 8

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

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Reading I Exodus 20:1-17
Psalm Psalms 19:8-11
Reading II Corinthians 1:22-25
Gospel John 2:13-25

The law liberates and leads us to freedom. It is to be trusted for it is a source of wisdom. Jesus speaks of the ultimate freedom to be won for us by his being raised up. He is the sign of the power and wisdom of God.

Mass Intentions: March 1-8

SUNDAY, March 1--Second Sunday of Lent

8:30 AM Mass for +Pauline Walters

10:00 AM Mass for

12:00 PM Mass for People of the Parish 2:00 PM Mass for +Horatio Munoz 5:00 PM Mass for +Patricia Thompson

MONDAY, MARCH 2--Lenten Weekday

5:10 PM Mass for

TUESDAY, MARCH 3--Lenten Weekday

5:10 PM Mass for

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4--Lenten Weekday

5:10 PM Mass for

THURSDAY, MARCH 5--Lenten Weekday

5:10 PM Mass

FRIDAY, MARCH 6--Lenten Weekday

12:10 Mass for + Marian A. McNally

SUNDAY, March 8--Second Sunday of Lent

8:30 AM Mass for Benefactors of St. Mary Student Parish and Campus Ministry 10:00 AM Mass for + Barbara Cunningham 10:10 AM Mass for Kit Wood & Family 12:00 PM Mass for People of the Parish 2:00 PM +Horatio Munoz Mass for 5:00 PM Mass for + Carmen Herrera

7:00 PM Mass for

9:00 PM Mass for People of the Parish



DONATION OPTIONS

- checks made out to St. Mary Student Parish
- give online at stmarystudentparish.org
- stock transfers, appreciated assets, or remembering SMSP in your will.

Contact Alicia Frenette at afrenette@smspnewman.org for details

Weekly Offering Report as of February 22, 2015

Weekly Budget Goal\$18,150.00Annual Budget Goal\$975,000.00Sunday 2/22/2015 (Week 34)\$17,738.74Fiscal Year-to-Date Goal\$657,600.00Above (Below) Weekly Goal(\$411.26)Amount Collected YTD\$659,925.11Special and Holy Day Collections:Above (Below) YTD Goal\$2,325.11

Ash Wednesday (Social Justice) \$4,960.37 Home Mission (Black & Native American) \$910.00

Meetings & Events: March 1-8

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Children's Liturgy	10:15 AM	Newman Hall, Newman
		Room and Richard Room
Sacramental Prep Service Project	11:15 AM	Newman Hall
Soul Snack	1:00 PM	Rectory Lounge
Spanish Health Fair	3:15 PM	Newman Hall
SCC—Undergrads	5:30 PM	Newman Room
SCC—Grad/YP	6:00 PM	Rectory Lounge
Reconciliation	6:00 PM	Church
Adoration	8:00 PM	Church

TUESDAY, MARCH 3 Open 12-6 PM

Pray the Rosary 5:45 PM Church SCC—Wagner 7:00 PM Fr. Dan's Office

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4 Open 12-7 PM

Reconciliation 5:45 PM Church SCC-Spanish 6:30 PM Loyola Room

FRIDAY, MARCH 7 Open 12-5 PM

Stations of the Cross 7:00 PM Church

In Spanish

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28 Closed for Spring Break

Into the Light 7:45 AM Newman Hall

SUNDAY, MARCH 8

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Children's Liturgy	10:15 AM	Newman Hall, Newman
		Room and Richard Room
ESL	12:45 PM	Newman Hall
Holy Thursday Orchestra	2:00 PM	Donnelly Hall
Pan Dulce	3:15 PM	Newman Hall
SCC—Undergrad	5:30 PM	Newman Room
SCC—Grad/YP	6:00 PM	Rectory Lounge
Reconciliation	7:00 PM	Church
Adoration	8:00 PM	Church



Mass for Recovery

Thursday, March 12 - 7:30 PM

St. Mary Student Parish is hosting special Masses for Recovery for those in recovery and friends and family members of those with addictions. It is a time for prayer, healing, and fellowship. All are welcome. Refreshments will follow.

For more information please contact Jim M. at 734-905-0992 or Robert C. at 734-395-3990.



This liturgical celebration for 3-9 year olds meets every Sunday of the year during the 10 am Mass. Leaders work with an agespecific group of children to proclaim the Word of God and to reflect together on its meaning in their lives. Participants return to the church for the Liturgy of the Eucharist. Training and materials are provided for those interested in becoming a catechist.

Contact Marilyn McDermott • marilyn.mcd@comcast.net

Women of the Heart

Thursday, March 12 10:15 AM-Noon

Women of the parish, both students and resident parishioners, are invited to join Women of the Heart in Donnelly Hall. Please feel free to come as frequently as your schedule allows.

For more information, please contact Patty Barry: pmmm@comcast.net.

Infant Baptism Preparation

Upcoming Classes: 3/30, 4/27&5/18

St. Mary's offers a baptism class in both English and Spanish once a month on a Monday night from 7:00-8:00 PM. Information packets are available in the Parish Office and should be picked up at least a week prior to the class date. Contact Carol Konczal: ckonczal@umich.edu.



Please join us and be touched by the Spirit for the

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick
Led by Fr. Ben.

PLEASE REMEMBER THE SICK IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Cristobel Acosta, Virginia Adams, Mariana Alvarez, Dee Ana, Geri Arnold, David Armstrong, Kevin Arway, Newton Averion, Orlando Averion, Zenaida Averion, Jeanne Barry, Pat Battista, Jenn Belczak, Kim Benoit, Philip Bentley, Gary Boelster, Doug Brannan, Joan Brown-Alexander, William Callahan, Bev Campbell, Celia Capay, Chad Carr, Ric Chapman, Shenlin Chen, Carol Clark, Wilma Cleary, Juan Contreras, Alison Cornish, Irene DaDeppo, Ronald Dawson, Diana, Lori DeFour, Anna DenBoer, Alex Dils, Bonnie Dunkelburger, Franny Engel, Lui Fei-Lung, Deanna Fischer, Annie Flaherty, Steve Frost, Cecelia Garcia, Javier Garcia, Leticia Garcia, Juanita Gee, Debbie Gilbert, Jimmy Gilgenbach, Richard Goulet, Rosario Gonzalez, Les Guinn, Julia Haynes, Adam Heskett, Berta Herrera, Jimmy Hill, Stephen Hosken, Bob & Carole Hunter, Bonnie Irvin, David Johnson, Thor Johnson, Jeanie Joy, Brandan Kirma, Nancy Knapp, Mary Koral, Bernice Lamey, Amira Lehavy, Daniel Lienert, Augustin Ronquillo Lopez, Lisa Lorenz, Maryjo Lum, Marsha McCay, Rachel Messiter, Makayla Mayo, Abby McDonough, Kathleen McGuiness, Irene Mike, Celeste Monforton, Jeff Monteith, Harrison Morton, Christina Morton, Gina Murillo, Fred Murphy, Mary Natrella, Jan Olsavsky Kipp, Joan Opiela, Josephine Panlilio, Blythe Peltier, Joyce Ann Pethan, Elizabeth Pidgeon, Margaret Pooler, Jake Powell, John Pridnia, Noah Purdy, Chester Pyzik, Irene Pyzik, Basillio Rodriguez, Isabel Rodriguez, Rowena Rodriguez, Chad Schaber, Bob Schoeni, Eugene Schwartz, Terry Shakespeare, Don Shelton, Sister Theresa Marie, Hyun Sook Choi, Elmer Spreitzer, Mackenzie Stothers, Mary Swander, Joseph Sweetman, Victoria Tomalia, Robert Uriarte, Marco Victoriano, Pota Vlatos, Sue Walter, Perry Washington, Hayden Watkins, Peggy Wenthe, Lisa Wolf-Novak, Mary Yacu, Imelda Yap, Linda Zara

Please call the parish office to add a name to our prayer list (734) 663-0557. Help us to keep our list current by letting us know when we may remove a name.

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