

Mass Intentions

SUNDAY: MARCH 4
THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

5:30 p.m. Marie Petrone
Msgr. William J. Loughlin

7:30 a.m. Fran Hirsch

9:30 a.m. Ralph Owens

11:30 a.m. Mary Burns & Dorothy Fersch
Renato Santos
Mary Mullaney
Yves & Marie Cloitre

MONDAY: MARCH 5

7:00 a.m. Bobby Fancher

TUESDAY: MARCH 6

7:00 a.m. People of the Parish

WEDNESDAY: MARCH 7

7:00 a.m. Robert Fancher, Sr.

THURSDAY: MARCH 8

7:00 a.m. People of the Parish

FRIDAY: MARCH 9

7:00 a.m. People of the Parish

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Denise Bencel, Brittany Bragg, Joseph Braun, David Butler, Peter Cerenaiio, Louis Cloitre, Carmella Cullen, Eileen Curylo, Irene Herbert, John Holmes, Robert Kelly, Tina LePre, Edna Lomotan, Mary Mancin, Joseph Manogue, Linda Martin, Anne Matanin, Vincent Merendino, Mary Meyer, Arlene Mount, Christopher McDermott, Margaret McKearney, Mary Narcise, Francis Norton, Rocco Pandone, Miguel Rivera, Charlie Russo, Joan Shotmuller, Carol Sicsko, John Skidmore, Mike Suckey, Scott Sullivan, Sister Thomasine, Wayne Tompkins

PARISH SUPPORT

Last weekend's collection: \$5,400.

Thank you for your financial investment in St. Mary's.

GIVE ONLINE

We encourage those parishioners who feel comfortable making secure online donations to consider automatic online giving through our parish website at www.stmarysdover.org This is an easy and convenient way to support our parish.



Monday evenings 7:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Parish News



PROGRAMS DURING LENT

“Welcome Home to Healing”

Catholics in the Diocese of Paterson, especially those who have been away from the Church, are invited to experience God’s healing love and forgiveness through the

Sacrament of Reconciliation during Lent.

Catholic churches in Morris, Sussex and Passaic Counties will be open for Confession every Monday, starting February 19 to March 19, 2018 from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m.



Each Friday during Lent, we will journey spiritually with Jesus by recalling and meditating on the traditional Stations of the Cross. It is a powerful way to learn the extent of the Lord's personal love for us by pondering the last hours of Jesus' life on earth. Join us in the church at 7:00 - 7:30 p.m.

Lenten Reflection Series

Eucharistic Adoration, evening prayer and reflection on Wednesday evenings from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. in the church.

Parish Reconciliation Prayer Service

Monday, March 19 from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.



2018 GOLF OUTING

If you are interested in joining our Golf Outing Committee, please add your name to the sign-up sheet located in the back of the church.

Young Adults

Do you want to understand your faith more? Join us on **Thursday, March 8** for **Theology Night** in the Old Convent from 7:00 – 8:30 p.m. Our young adult group is for anyone (married or single) ages 21-35.

WORD on FIRE ENGAGE

We have launched a fantastic Lenten Mini-Course from Bishop Robert Barron, called “Engage”. You can register with Flocknote to receive an email or text every Wednesday morning during Lent with a 5-minute video on a Lenten topic that helps you grow spiritually and intellectually (e.g. What happens after we die? What can we know about the angels?, etc...). You will also have unlimited access to all of Bishop Barron’s materials throughout Lent until April 1. Text the keyword “dovertent” to 84576 and enjoy!

WINTER COLLECTION

We will have a second collection next weekend, March 10 & 11. This collection will help the parish cover our increased expenses during the winter months. For your convenience, we have placed gold envelopes in the back of the church for you to use next weekend. We are most grateful for your continued support and generosity!

RAFFLE WINNERS

FEBRUARY 23 – 28

- Feb 23. Carole Sanderson
- 24. Stuart Hartnett
- 25. Joseph Kane
- 26. Ellen Hubbard
- 27. Sophie Owens
- 28. Fred Siwec

COLLEGE

STUDENT GROUP

The local college students are getting together to study/learn more about the bible and our faith. We would like to invite local college students to join us. We meet every two weeks for an hour and a half, and we always have food! If you have any questions, please call/text Stephanie at 860-333-0817 or email college@stmarysdovert.org.

Parish / Diocesan News

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION EVENTS

5TH - 10TH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

March 11 & 18: 6:30 - 8:00 p.m.

K - 4TH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

March 5, 12 & 19: 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.

THE WILD GOOSE

DISCOVERING A DEEPER RELATIONSHIP WITH THE HOLY SPIRIT

Dates: *Tuesday, March 13 & 20; April 3 & 10*

Time: 7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

The Wild Goose Project is a simple attempt to invite Catholics into a more profound life giving relationship with the Holy Spirit. This is a relationship marked by the love of God, which breathes life into our daily existence. The Holy Spirit is not merely something relegated to Confirmation. The Spirit desires a relationship with us that will take us on the greatest adventure imaginable; a journey to the very Heart of God. The Holy Spirit desires to be present to us in a manner that brings light out of darkness, freedom out of bondage, order out of chaos and life out of death. This is a great series no matter where you are at in your faith.

LIVING STATIONS PRESENTED BY THE FRANCISCAN MYSTERY PLAYERS



On Friday, March 9, at 8:00 p.m., the Franciscan Mystery Players will present their moving version of "The Way of the Cross" in the church. Written by Franciscan Father Francis Pompei, the Mystery Play is not a "play" in the common sense, but is in fact a prayerful experience that uses special lighting, a stirring soundtrack, pantomime actions and inspirational narration to portray the Stations of the Cross in a manner that invites each viewer to contemplate the meaning of the Passion, and how it relates to their life today. The group is comprised of 15 teens and 8 adult advisers from several parishes in the Paterson Diocese. Adults and teens are encouraged to attend this special Lenten experience. We suggest you arrive 10 minutes early.



SYMBOLON

Sunday, March 11: 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.
in the school

This is a great opportunity to learn more about the Catholic faith and enter into a meaningful discussion with other members of the parish. New arrivals are always welcome.

RAY OF HOPE ROSARY



All are welcome to join us on the 4th Tuesday of each month for prayer and fellowship from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. in Bermingham Hall.



2018 MASS BOOK

The Mass Book for 2018 is open. Intentions can be arranged during regular business hours, 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., or by calling the parish office.



CHILDREN'S CHOIR

It is time to prepare for the 9:30 a.m. Easter Sunday Mass. Children in grades 3 & up are invited to join the children's choir. Practices are every Sunday in the church after the 9:30 a.m. Mass. New singers are welcome! Contact Paul Fersch or Jeannie Hubley with any questions.

Parish Contact Information

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Counseling Service

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Ministry Scheduling

Parish Office 973-366-0184
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Music Ministry

Paul F. Fersch 973-691-9208

Charismatic Prayer Group

Joan Costello 973-366-8968

Pre-Cana

Please call Parish Office.

Rite of Christian Initiation Program

Call Parish Office 973-366-0184

Knights of Columbus

Michael Keiser 973-229-6165

Right to Life

Mark Churchman 973-366-4035

Senior's Club

John Sutherland 973-366-7656

Food Pantry

Donations accepted on weekends before / after Mass
Lisa Masone 973-932-4741

Altar Servers

Fr. Derek Anderson 973-366-0184

Hand In Hand Caregivers Ministry

(Meets 3rd Saturday of the month- 9:30 AM Bermingham Hall)
Kris Beirne 973-366-5679

Homebound Ministry

Fr. Patrick Prajzner 973-366-0184

Rosary Devotion

Deenie Saltarelli 551-655-4109

Parish Trustees:

Mr. Mark J. Alpaugh
Mr. Gerard P. Daingerfield

Administrative Assistants

Andrea Henry
MaryTheresa Conca
Diana Kwasnik

Parish Membership

New Parishioners are asked to register at the Parish Office as soon as possible.

Please notify the Parish Office for changes of address, also.

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

Monday evening - 7:00-8:00 PM

Saturday - 4:00 - 5:00 PM

Also by appointment at the Parish Office

Sacrament of Baptism

Arrangements can be made by calling the Office.

Note: baptisms are not celebrated during the Lenten Season.

Sacrament of Marriage

Arrangements must be made at least one year in advance.

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick

For anyone who is sick or homebound, please call the Parish Office.

