

St. Mary Magdalene

CATHOLIC CHURCH



**30th Sunday in
Ordinary Time
October 27, 2019**



REFLECTION

Dublin's archbishop has warned against the "nastiness and bitterness" of Catholics on social media, saying people will only be attracted to the Church if they encounter "people of joy."

Archbishop Diarmuid Martin was speaking at a Mass Oct. 20 commemorating the canonization of John Henry Newman, the founder of what is now University College Dublin.

"Faith is always a seeking and Newman reminds us that that seeking continues, lifelong, in our own hearts and in our desire to understand the human project," the archbishop said. "Obstacles to faith arise when we somehow begin to feel that we definitively have all the answers and others are to be judged as outsiders, or on the other hand, when we fall into the temptation to indifference, not even asking the questions."

Mass Today—127

Offertory Helpers— Children Volunteers

Weekend Masses—Saturday—5pm & Sunday—9am & 10:45am

Weekday Masses—Daily Mass Monday, Thursday, & Friday at 8:15am in Chapel

Sunday Youth Mass 6pm—Youth Mass October 27th, November 3rd, 10th, 17th, and 24th

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PASTOR'S PARAGRAPH

My Dear Friends,

Friday of this week, November 1, is a holyday, the feast of All Saints. We will have Mass at 8:15 in the morning with the school children and another Mass at 7 pm in the evening. I am grateful to Msgr. Gerald Lewis who will be the priest at the 8:15 Mass. I will be here for the 7 pm Mass.



During October – November each year for the weekend Masses I often use different Eucharistic Prayers at Mass. I am not sure they are in the Missals people use. There are 4 of them and I rotate them from week to week. I did find them online under the words 'Eucharistic Prayers for Various Needs.'

Thank you for the generous collection for World Mission Sunday last weekend of \$4,592.

CONFESSIONS: There will be Confessions this Saturday, October 26 at 10:30, after Baptisms and on Saturday November 2 at 10:30, after Baptisms.

Father Donald Staib

IMPORTANT

PARISH DATES

October

- 27—Youth Mass—6pm
- 28—Safe Environment Training—6:30pm
- 28—RCIA—7:30pm—Church Room 4

November

- 1—All Saints Day—Mass—8:15am & 7pm—Church
- 3—"Prayers and Squares" meeting—1pm—Church Room 4
- 3—Youth Mass—6pm
- 4—RCIA—7:30pm—Church Room 4
- 7—Family Rosary—7pm—Chapel
- 10—K of C Parish Breakfast after 9am Mass—Dining Hall
- 10—Youth Mass—6pm
- 11—RCIA—7:30pm—Church Room 4
- 14—Family Rosary—7pm—Chapel
- 17—Youth Mass—6pm
- 18—Catholic Senior Org—9:30am—Church Room 1
- 18—First Sacrament Parent Meetings—10:30am or 7pm—Church Room 3
- 18—RCIA—7:30pm—Church Room 4
- 19—First Sacrament Parent Meetings—10:30am or 7pm—Church Room 3
- 21—Family Rosary—7pm—Chapel
- 24—Youth Mass—6pm
- 28—Thanksgiving Mass—10am

Deadline for Bulletin submission is the Wednesday Morning prior to the weekend of publication (Send bulletin requests to info@stmm.net)

Mass Intentions

- Oct 26—5pm—Parishioners of StMM
- Oct 27—9am—John Santori & Family—Richard & Theresa Kuzel Family
- Oct 27—10:45am—Elizabeth Lee Glaser—Mike & Collette Trombley
- Oct 28—8:15am—Parishioners of StMM
- Oct 29—8:15am—Parishioners of StMM
- Oct 30—8:15am—Donald Kovacs—Karen Kovacs
- Nov 1—8:15am—Debbie Reilly—Rich & Amy Balge

For Mass Intentions/Mass Cards—Call the Parish Office

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISMS – See the Guidelines on the Website – then email the Pastor. First time parents must attend a baptism class [a good time is during the 9 months prior to birth.] Baptisms are usually, not always, at 10am on Saturdays or at weekend Masses.

CONFESSIONS – Always check the Pastor's Paragraph in the weekly Bulletin or our E-News mailed on Fridays. Confessions are usually, but not every week, at 10:30am on Saturdays in the Church.

WEDDINGS – See the Guidelines on the Website – then email the Pastor.

FINANCIAL MATTERS

OUR NEW CHURCH – We have the obligation to make large monthly payments for 14 years for the construction of the church. In addition we are challenged to respond to new parish endeavors in all our parish programs. We are grateful to those who help us in the weekly Offertory for regular expenses and in the monthly white envelope for debt payments for the church.

Elementary Religious Ed



CPO Donations: Many Thanks to all our PK/K/Wednesday Intermediate Sacrament Families for their toilet paper donations for Catholic Parish Outreach. Grade 1 Program Families please note your dates for toilet paper donations is November 10th & 13th.

PREP Calendar Reminders: Thanksgiving Holiday – No Class Sessions Sunday, November 24, 2019, Wednesday, November 27, 2019 and Sunday, December 1, 2020.

Attention First Sacrament Families of children in Grade 2 PREP/ Wednesday Intermediate Sacrament Students/StMM School Grade 2 Families/Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Students-2nd year of Level II

First Reconciliation Parent Meetings Please attend one of the following:

- Monday, November 18th in Church Room 3 - 10:30-11:30 am
- Monday, November 18th in Church Room 3 - 7:00-8:00 pm
- Tuesday, November 19th in Church Room 3 - 10:30 – 11:30 am
- Tuesday, November 19th in Church Room 3 - 7:00 – 8:00 pm

One parent is required to attend one of these meetings. If you attended in 2018 -2019 or 2017-2018 you do not have to attend the meeting. You are, however, responsible for picking up meeting materials in the Parish Office the week of 11/18/19.

Contact Suzanne - will@stmm.net with your questions.



Rock Calendar: Thanksgiving Holiday – No Class on Sunday, December 1, 2020

ROCK Core Team Needed Due to the overwhelming response of our new program, the ROCK (Reaching Out for Christ), we are in need of additional volunteer Core Team Leaders to journey with our 5th & 6th Graders. The commitment is every other weekend and the plans are provided to you in advance. Please contact Suzanne will@stmm.net or Janine Janine.mcgann@gmail.com to learn more about this exciting opportunity.

Helpful Information to Stay Informed: www.stmm.church

All our programs serve only registered contributing parishioners who use the electronic draft system or weekly envelopes. If you are interested in our religious education programs in the future, register now in our Parish Office and become active parishioners.

Please direct any questions to Suzanne Will will@stmm.net or 919-657-4800 x7280

Youth Ministry

STMM YM schedule for Sunday 10/27 is as follows:

EDGE 4:30pm-5:45pm in the gym

Apostello 4:30pm-5:45pm in the media center

Youth Mass at 6pm in the church (open to all ages!!!)

The Way 7:15pm-8:30pm starting in the church

All teens in The Way must sign in every Sunday at the table in the lobby of the church

The STMM YM Calendar for the 2019-2020 school year can be found at this link on the right side of the page:

<http://www.stmm.church/religious-ed/highschool.cfm>

Haiti House Building: We were so excited to host Fr. Joe from Haiti a couple of weeks ago & to learn more about his church and school community in Jeremie. If you'd like to see a picture of the house that St. Mary Magdalene built through the generous donations of our parish community, please go to this link to see the house and learn about the family who now calls it their home: (our home is #151)

<https://www.haitimissioninc.com/hmi-houses-147-current>

Thank you to everyone who contributed to this cause last year. We will begin collecting again this Sunday at our different programs to build more houses this year. If you'd like to help us with this effort, please go to this link to donate online via the STMM payment online system:

<https://secure.accesssacs.com/access/oglogin.aspx?sn=102397&f>

Use the drop down button "Select a fund" and select "House in Haiti" so we can make sure it goes to the right account. For every \$3,750.00 we fund raise, Haiti Mission Inc will match it and a house gets built for a family in Jeremie, Haiti!!! If you do not want to donate online, please mail in a check to the parish office with "House in Haiti" in the Memo Line to StMM, 625 Magdala Place, Apex, NC 27502

If you have a teen who:

- * attends Catholic HS
- * currently in 10th/11th/12th grade
- * does not participate in The Way youth group at STMM
- * would like to receive the sacrament of Confirmation in May 2020 at STMM

Please go to this link to register your teen for Confirmation 2020 preparation at STMM. They must have attended Catholic HS for their previous school year to enroll & your family must be a STMM registered parishioner. There will be 5 sessions held during the 2nd semester of this school year on Sundays, dates TBA The instructions and link to use the online registration are on the right side of this page: <http://www.stmm.church/religious-ed/highschool.cfm>

HS Girls Retreat "Speaking to Sparrows" registration is now open. There are 2 spots left open!!! Form is available on the church website at this link: <http://www.stmm.church/religious-ed/highschool.cfm> This retreat is open to girls in 9th-12th grade and will be held Friday, November 8th to Sunday November 10th in New Hill, NC. Cost is \$75.00 per girl. It is an amazing opportunity for girls to create community, build up sisterhood, spend the weekend in her pajamas/soft clothes and get away from the everyday stresses of high school life. Girls from any church/denomination can attend this retreat!! Spots are limited to 20 girls and at this time are not open to girls who have already attended in past years. If we don't fill the 20 spots, we'll open it up to returners!



RCIA

Are you interested in becoming Catholic? Are you Catholic but not confirmed? We can help! The **RCIA** process at StMM assisted 8 adults in completing their sacraments of initiation at the 2019 Easter Vigil. Our next session will be Monday, October 28, 2019 at 7:30 PM in Room #4 of the church building. It's not too late to join the discussions. Please contact Scott and Kathy Strednak at rcia@stmm.net if you missed the inquiry sessions.



Today's Announcements



The CSO (Catholic Senior Organization for men and women 60+) meets every third Monday of the month, September through May. Our next meeting will take place Monday, November 17, 9:30 - 11:00 AM, in Church meeting room #1. For more information, please contact Miriam Moore, miriamdel79@yahoo.com, 919-387-8676 or Fran Hughes, gmomfran@gmail.com.

Catholics today face many obstacles to experiencing a vibrant, personal relationship with Christ. Life pulls us in so many directions, often times away from Him. It is not uncommon for us to feel alone on our faith journey. Maybe we have gaps in our understanding of the Church's teachings but we don't know how to fill them. Or, we may not have the tools or confidence to share the saving grace of the Good News with others the way Jesus instructs us to in Matthew 28: 16-20. If any of these sound like you, then prayerfully consider joining a **Discipleship Quad**. After a year of extensive research, Franciscan University created this free resource to help people have the relationship with Christ they desire. It is based on a model that has over thirty years of success. Your journey with the Discipleship Quad will equip you with the tools you need to help rebuild our Church at a time when we desperately need disciples. Sign ups are ongoing. And 100% FREE. For more information, as well as all the free resources needed to get started, visit <https://steubenvilleconferences.com/discipleship-quads/> Or email Laura Werner at stebenvillemissionNC@gmail.com for more information.



Safe Environment Training - Adults who wish to volunteer with youth at StMM are required to fill out a volunteer application and attend Safe Environment Training. Our next session is Mon, 10/28 at 6:30pm. The session will last approx 2 hours and is for adults only as the presentation is not appropriate for children. **Must register to attend.** Email Bertha Smith (bsmith@stmm.net) to register and to get meeting location.

"Prayers & Squares" - A prayer quilt group. If you are interested in sewing for the Prayers & Squares group please join us for a meeting on Sunday, November 3 @ 1:00. We will be meeting in room 4 in the church building. For more information, please contact Lorraine Morris at lcmorris0707@gmail.com



Events: A big thanks to our volunteers and members of the parish who came out for the October Sunday parish breakfast. The next parish breakfast will be Sunday November 10th



Family Promise - STMM Supporting Homeless

Families - STMM will support Family Promise by volunteering time and donating items to homeless families that will be housed at St. Andrew Nov 10-16.

Please stop by tables in the lobby the weekend of October 26-27 to select your volunteer activity or item for donation. We could not do this without you, and need many volunteers for each day and night. Family Promise of Wake County provides support to pre-screened homeless families as they transition into permanent housing (<http://www.familypromisewake.org/>). Reminder: All donations are dropped off at St. Andrew Please contact Mary Wire at mbwire@gmail.com or 919-749-8932 with questions.



The month of October each year is dedicated to the Most Holy **Rosary** because the feast of Our Lady of the **Rosary** is celebrated on October 7. Pray the Rosary

On Thursday nights at 7 in the Chapel. Rosaries and prayer guides are available. Everyone and all ages are welcome to come. No experience necessary. Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus. Contact Joe Sebik (jsebik@icloud.com) for more information, if you want to help lead the Rosary, have prayer intentions, or with questions.

Talk Saves Lives Presentation (November 14th at 7 and 8:15 pm in the STMM Media Center). Provided by the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention, this one- hour awareness program presents the basics of what everyone needs to know about suicide: who is at risk, the warning signs & what you can do in a crisis. Two identical sessions will be held to accommodate your schedules. This presentation is for ages 15 and higher only. For questions, contact Mike Rota at mikerota2018@gmail.com



Children's Liturgy of the Word has begun and is held during the Sunday morning liturgies at 9:00 & 10:45 am. It mirrors the worship experience of the parish community in an engaging and interactive environment. Eligible participants are children 3 - 6 years old. This program is a co-op; dependent upon parishioner involvement. Volunteers must be Safe Environment Certified. If you'd like to assist with this ministry, please contact the Program Coordinator, Jennifer Jury at stmmclow@gmail.com.



Refresh - An Adult Program held during PREP. Apex is a great place to live, but the number one city for you is where you can build your village. Get to know those around you at Mass. Meet other StMM families. Have a cup of coffee. We're meant to live in community, to connect with others. If it takes a village, let's build one! Join us on Sundays at Noon in the science room on the second floor of the StMM school building while your child is in PREP. Questions? Contact Nicole, nicolessebik@yahoo.com or Joe, jsebik@icloud.com.

First Friday Adoration will be on Friday November 1 All are encouraged to pay a visit to the chapel throughout the day and spend some time in prayer. However, it is essential that there are people that are scheduled to be there each hour between 8:30AM and 6:30PM. Can you help by committing to 1 hour a month to spend with our Lord? Please contact Anita Becker at ALANITABECKER@AOL.COM or 919-280-8931 if interested.



Respect Life News



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Pray the **Rosary for Life** at 10:10am on the 2nd Sunday of the month in the Chapel. Our next Rosary for Life is Sunday, November 10th. It is a beautiful way to start the day whether you come before Mass or stay after. Prayer sheets are provided and families with children are welcome.

The latest **40 days for life campaign** is at Drake Circle in Raleigh from September 25 through November 3. KofC 7186 in communion with STMM Respect life committee have signed up with the national 40 days organization to cover the following Vigil hours: 9 AM – 10AM on November 2nd. Use your voice in prayer to defend those who haven't yet a voice of their own, those who are truly the least among us. Defend those who cannot defend themselves. Please join us using the signup genius here or go to the 40 days site to signup for your own vigil hours.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0A4BADA62BA13-40days1>

An Adoption Love Story—Having children and raising a family had always been our expectation. We soon learned, however, that our chances of becoming pregnant were small. It wasn't long before we started talking about the possibility of adoption. I wondered if my heart was big enough to love an adopted child as I would have loved a biological child. But with prayerful discernment, we decided to start the process. On Christmas Eve, Bill and I left the hospital with Andrew. It didn't take long before there was no doubt in our minds that he was our son, the greatest gift from God! We can't imagine loving a child whom we conceived more than we love Andrew. Read the full version at respectlifeprogram.org/adoption-love-story.



Diocesan News



Remember your honeymoon! Remember how special it was? Worldwide Marriage Encounter helps you bring back the togetherness of those times. Sign up today to attend one of the upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends on Nov 8-10, 2019, in Atlantic Beach and Nov 8-10, 2019, in North Myrtle Beach. Early sign up is recommended. For more information visit our website at: <https://NCMarriageDiscovery.org> or contact us at applications@NCMarriageDiscovery.org or 704-315-2144.



Single / Single Again If you are a single, separated, divorced or widowed person, you are invited to join us at our monthly Mass held at Cardinal Gibbon HS chapel at 5:30 pm. A pot-luck social follows Mass. Upcoming Mass schedule: November 17 and December 15. For more information, contact Celia at ckeator@nc.rr.com, or visit www.singlesingleagain.com or on Facebook, www.facebook.com/singleagainraleigh.

Change in Date for Ignited By Truth! The 17th annual Catholic conference will be held on April 18, 2020, at Reynolds Coliseum in Raleigh "bringing to light the truth of the teachings of the Catholic Church and igniting in all hearts a love for the Faith." Join our mailing list to receive the latest updates! IgnitedByTruth.org

Advent Retreat: Blessed, Broken and Scared. The Catholic Conference Center in Hickory NC is teaming up with Broken Door Ministries to host the popular retreat: **Blessed, Broken, and Scared**. Jesus was the Father's gift to our broken world. Pride and fear prevent us from unwrapping the Father's gift. In the retreat, participants will discover the keys that unlock the chains that bind them to recurring sin and brokenness. They will also learn how to model Jesus and become a 'gift' to others. The retreat is two nights, December 6-8. Speaker and author Brian Pusateri of Broken Door Ministries will be the retreat master. An early bird special ends November 6. Find more information at www.catholicconference.org/signs/ or contact info@catholicconference.org, 828.327.7441.

Search Retreat - Calling all High School Teens - Join us on the upcoming SEARCH retreat. Search is a peer-led retreat weekend sponsored by the Diocese of Raleigh that touches people's lives because it encourages participants to seek and find Christ in them and in one another. It is a series of witness talks and activities prepared and given by a team of high school youth. The weekend gives you the opportunity to look at your faith and life in a new way. The retreat takes place at Camp Dixie, 373 Bladen Union Church Rd, Fayetteville, NC 28306, from Friday, November 15, 2019, at 07:00 PM to Sunday, November 17, 2019, at 02:00 PM. For more information, please contact Monique Wertis: wertism@gmail.com, or register by going to dioceseofraleigh.org/youth-ministry/search-retreat.



NC Catholics VOLUNTEER

Catholic Charities Volunteer Opportunity

- New Dates Scheduled! Join NC Catholics Volunteer on November 23rd. Help as we repair homes damaged by Hurricane Matthew and Hurricane Florence. Volunteers from all areas and of all experience levels are encouraged to participate! If you have any questions, please contact Jo-El Sidbury Smith by email at Jo-El.SidburySmith@raldioc.org or at (910) 251-8130. Spots are limited so sign up now! www.CatholicCharitiesRaleigh.org/NCCV

For the Deaf and Hard of Hearing Community there is a sign language interpreted Mass usually at the 8:30am Sunday Mass at St. Michaels in Cary.

Cardinal Gibbons High School will host its annual Open House for prospective students and families on Sunday, November 3, 1- 4 p.m. at its 1401 Edwards Mill Road campus. Engage with our parents, educators, and students during presentations and tours; explore our campus as you visit classrooms, labs, arts & athletic facilities; experience our innovative curriculum, technology, and co-curricular programs; and embrace our culture through clubs, teams, and spiritual life. Additionally, join us for Application Assistance Night on November 12. For more information, please visit www.cgshsnc.org/apply

MOVIE NIGHT AT SAINT JOSEPH'S IN RALEIGH Saturday, November 2nd is Movie Night! As we close out the 40 Days for Life, join us for Movie Night featuring the movie UNPLANNED. This is the inspiring story of Abby Johnson, who went from the youngest Planned Parenthood director to pro-life advocate. Due to the subject matter of this film, we encourage parents to prayerfully consider if this film is appropriate for their younger children. Everyone is invited to join us in St. Monica's Hall at 7:00 p.m. Refreshments will be served after the movie. Please contact Lisa Piratzky at lhpiratzky@gmail.com with questions. See you there!



Job Opening StMM School

Position Title: Art Teacher
Full-Time; 30 hours per week

Key responsibilities / day-to-day job functions

Saint Mary Magdalene Catholic School is a K-8 Catholic school located in Apex. We are currently accepting resumes for an Art teacher. Candidates should present passionate dispositions towards teaching and Catholic formation. The person should:

- Accepting the mission of the school as articulated at the Diocesan and school level;
- Implementation of the educational mission, philosophy, goals, and objectives of the school;
- Plan, prepare, teach, and interact with students in a professional way that challenges students to reach their individual potential while celebrating the ability levels of all students;
- Collaborate with team and cluster to form successful partnerships with parents, the administration, and students;
- Performance of professional responsibilities including but not limited to planning lessons, preparing instructional materials, serving on faculty committees, communication with parents and administration, and maintaining positive relationships with peers, students, parents, and the administration.

Minimum Requirements

- Applicants should hold a minimum of a North Carolina teaching certificate in Art or a related field.
- Practicing Catholics who have prior teaching experience in a Catholic school setting preferred
- Employment is contingent on the applicant passing a full background check

The position is for the remainder of the 2019-20 school year.
Send resume and letter of interest to: principal@stmm.net

News From Other Organizations

The Annual BAZAAR at St. Bernadette Catholic Church, 1005 Wilbon Rd. in Fuquay Varina will be held Nov. 15 – 17th. You are invited to attend.

The Legion of Mary at St Michael the Archangel Church in Cary. All are invited to pray the Rosary with us every Monday night 6:30pm rm3 Conference Center

St. Thomas More Academy (STMA), an independent, Diocesan approved, Catholic college preparatory school in Raleigh, invites all 8th grade students to an OPEN HOUSE on Sunday, November 10th from 2-5pm. STMA is located at 3109 Spring Forest Road, Raleigh, NC. Applications for the 2020-2021 school year are now being accepted. Parents and students are encouraged to attend this event. In addition to the Open House, "shadowing" is encouraged for all students wishing to experience STMA first hand. Please call 919-576-7064 or email admissions@stmacademy.org with questions or to schedule a visit. For more information visit our Admissions page at www.stmacademy.org

Don't miss St. Michael the Archangel's 11th Annual Holiday Fair! Join us Saturday Nov. 9th from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at 804 High House Rd, Cary in the Parish Center. Shop from 45 local crafters, artists, and direct sellers. Purchase food and door prize raffle tickets; proceeds benefit programs for children in need in our parish and community.

The Annual Veterans Day Luncheon hosted by the Knights of Columbus 4th Degree will be held on November 11th in the Fellowship Hall of Saint Andrew the Apostle Church at 1 PM. We invite anyone to attend this important luncheon to honor all of our wonderful veterans. Cost: \$10/adults and \$5/children (ALL TICKETS MUST BE PURCHASED PRIOR TO THE EVENT, TICKETS WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE AT THE DOOR) Our Knights are proud of our luncheon tradition and invite you to join us on the 11th. Tickets made be ordered by contacting: Gary Lazetera at glazetera@outlook.com, Thomas Spampinato at tspampinato@yahoo.com, or Joe Puglise at joepwtwpc@aol.com



Parish Athletics

Winter Basketball (Apex)

Grades: Coed, Pre-K (4 year-olds) to 6th.

Dates: November - February.

Location: StMM Gym in Apex.

Cost: Pre-K & K, \$60; 1st & 2nd Grade, \$65; 3rd - 6th Grades, \$70; (includes medal, shirt, and picnic).

Format: Pre-K & K have practices/games on Saturdays; 1st - 6th Grades have week night practices and weekend games.

Register at www.parishathleticsnc.org

Pastor Al™



"That's the place where they keep the bread of life, and that's why it's called the pumpernickel."

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9am Mass—Bertha Smith, bsmith@stmm.net
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