

St. Mary Magdalene June 28, 2024

A Note from Father Mike

We hear in the Gospel reading today, about Jesus healing two women of Israel. Both were in great need. Both were struggling for life. Both were precious in God's eyes. Jesus' life, along with his death, brings us life changing healing. Our Lord chooses not to leave people in the conditions in which he finds them. He has the power to alter those struggles and does.

We too as followers of Jesus can strive to help alleviate the struggles of others. One way we can accomplish this is through our prayers and intercessions. This can help to bring much needed healing into troubled circumstances. May God grant us the courage to act as an image of Christ.

Sincerely

Fr. Mike

Giving Portal

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Upcoming Events

June 29 - Confessions 10:30am

June 29 - 5pm Mass

June 30 - 9am & 11am Mass

July 1 - Online Faith Formation Registration Opens

July 1 - Daily Mass 9am

July 1 - Family Rosary 6:30pm ChapelJuly 2 -

Daily Mass 9am

July 2 - Eucharistic Holy Hour 7pm Church

July 3 - Daily Mass 9amJuly 4 - Parish Office

Closed for Independence Day

July 4 - No Daily Mass

July 5 - Daily Mass 9am

July 6 - Confessions 10:30am

July 6 - 5pm Mass

July 7 - 9am & 11am

July 8 - Daily Mass 9am

July 8 - Family Rosary 6:30pm Chapel

Mass This Weekend

Click **HERE** to Stream our 9am Mass

Music for Weekend Masses

Gathering: Rain Down 619

Responsorial Psalm 30: I Will Praise You, Lord

Preparation: Gratitude

Communion 1: Center Of My Life 509 Communion 2: Revelation Song Communion 3: Goodness of God

Sending Forth: America The Beautiful 745

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Pictures of the Week





The Wedding of Frances and Kyle Bradbury on June 8th at the Church of the Immaculate Conception in Easton, Massachusetts.



The Baptism of Peyton Alexander Ray on June 22nd



Our High School Youth and Adult Volunteers at ASP This Week



Knights of Columbus Officer Installation on June 22nd Front Row: Deacon Dev, Yoogin Lean, Dan Cantrell, Manny Garcia, Scott Nadeau, John Egentowich, Sal

Marchese

Second Row: Scott Strednak, Vic Agusta, Joe Doran, Danny Lynch, Brian Meljac

Altar Flowers



This week's altar flowers are donated by Geri Cullen in memory of Mary & Louis Cavaluchi

Take this opportunity to consider donating flowers to St. Mary Magdalene to beautify the altar and church for weekly Mass to honor our Lord. These flowers will be donated in honor of or in memory of your loved one. Click here.

For questions, please contact floralministry@stmm.net

Welcoming volunteers for Floral Ministry.

Join us on Fridays at 10am. All are welcome.

Scam Email

Once again, we have been subject to a 'phishing' scam on email.

We will never communicate asking you to 'do me a favor' or 'i need your help' with Fr Mike's name on the message. His name, like all of the staff names on the website, is so easy to 'see' and use in these sorts of messages.

Always look at the 'sendee' and see if the name matches our usual **stmm.net** email. When in doubt, don't respond to email but rather, call the offices at school/church to verify if this is real.

Children's Music Ministry

Sacrament



BAPTISMS - See the Guidelines on the Website - then email **sansone@stmm.net**. First time parents must attend a baptism class. Please contact the Parish Office to

schedule.

CONFESSIONS - Confessions are usually, but not every week, at 10:30am on Saturdays in the Church. See "Upcoming Events" section for schedule.

WEDDINGS - See the Guidelines on the Website - then email **weddings@stmm.net**

Mass Intentions

June 29 - 5pm - Parishioners of StMM

June 30 - 9am - Thomas Chviruk +

June 30 - 11am - Adiel Anghie +

July 1 - Mary & Louis Cavaluchi +

July 2 -

July 3 - Tom Burke +

July 5 - Charles Roba +

July 6 - 5pm - Parishioners of StMM

July 7 - 9am - Joseph William Gillis, Sr. + & Joseph William Gillis, Jr. +

July 7 - 11am - Angela Kaufman +

July 8 - Carol Gaffron +

July 9 – Hector Martinez +

July 10 – Rachel Allred (suffering w/cancer)

July 11 – Charles Gianola +

July 12 - John J. Krementz +

Safe Environment New Annual Process

To All Diocese of Raleigh Level C Volunteers and Staff

On July 15th 2024, the system for safe environment training renewal and criminal background screening will be fully revised. Everyone (clergy, volunteers, and staff) who entered our database in 2023 or earlier, will be asked to verify the data we have in our system. You will receive an email from: Tech support noreply@dioceseofraleigh.safeenvironment.org. You will be asked to verify your profile data and renew your safe environment training via a new online system. Please be sure your email address is correct by contacting Bertha Smith (bsmith@stmm.net). Thank you for being active in ministry!



Click Here to Sign Up

School Teacher Assistant Opportunities Available

Interested in joining our parish school as a full-time Teacher Assistant beginning in August 2024? If so, please email your resume and letter of interest to Peggy Lane (lane@stmm.net). Thank you for your consideration!

Eucharistic Adoration Times



Pope Francis encourages us to spend time in Eucharistic Adoration and allow our encounter with Jesus to transform us. If you are willing to spend an hour

communing with our Lord before the Blessed Sacrament, please join Deacon Dev and your fellow parishioners the 1st Tuesday of each month in a spirit of Adoration, Contrition, Thanksgiving, and Supplication followed by Benediction. Handouts will be available to help you participate in prayer and song.

Frassati Young Adult Group

The Frassati Young Adult group will be taking a break from our regular Wednesday meetings for the summer, but we still have lots of activities planned. Here are some upcoming events. For more information on any of these or to sign up for the volunteer event, please email frassati@stmm.net.

- Saturday, June 29 from 8:50am-11:15am. Volunteer with the Brown Bag Ministry at St. Andrews
- Monday, July 1: Holy Hour/Happy Hour
 - 7pm-8pm Adoration in the Chapel
 - 8pm-? Social time at TapStation
- Sunday, July 14: Brunch after the 11am Mass!!

Prayers & Squares Ministry



The Prayer Quilt Ministry is founded on the idea that there is power in prayer to comfort in times of need. The ministry makes quilts for anyone who is in need of this prayer and comfort. The quilt is

blessed and prayed over by the parishioners. If you would like to request a prayer quilt for someone please contact Lorraine Morris at lemorris0707@gmail.com

Prayer Team

Next Holy Hour: Tuesday, July 2nd, from 7-8pm

First Friday Adoration will be in the church on Friday, August 2nd from 9:30am - 7pm. All are encouraged to pay a visit to the church throughout the day and



spend some time in prayer. Can you help by committing to 1 hour a month to spend with our Lord? We really need help in the 3-4 and 4-5 hours.

Please contact Anita Becker at <u>ALANITABECKER@AOL.COM</u> or 919-280-8931 if interested.



For companionship in your trials and joys of life, our team of prayer warriors are here to walk with you. It is a sincere privilege to help lift our parish family through intercessory prayer. As we pray for

one another's needs, it helps us all to hear how loved ones are continuing on their journeys.

Please feel encouraged to share updates of your prayer intentions via email to StMMPrayerTeam@stmm.net.

Request Prayers

All are welcome to join our team in lifting the prayers of our parish family, in whatever ways you like to pray best. Parish intentions are shared weekly, drop us a note if you would like to learn more about this ministry. * Share Prayer Updates via email. *

Join the Prayer Team

RCIA



Are you an adult interested in becoming Catholic? Are you wanting to participate fully in the sacraments instituted by Christ? Are you a baptized Christian and desiring to

receive the Eucharist and Confirmation? The next module of the RCIA process at StMM is starting on August 5, 2024. Now is a great time to start. Will you join us? Please contact Kathy and Scott Strednak at rcia@stmm.me and let's have a conversation. We can help you start the process. Be assured by Christ's very own words: "Ask and you shall receive, seek and you shall find, knock and the door will be opened to you".

RCIA Prayer Corner

Please pray for Stephen, Stephany and Elaine who have started their RCIA journey.

Please pray for all of those who are considering starting the RCIA journey.

Faith Formation



Religious Education

2024-25



Grades K – 4

& Parents
Parent

Enrichment Tuesdays

6:15 - 7:30 pm

StMM Church & School ROCK

Grades 5 & 6

Parent Enrichment

Tuesdays

6:15 - 7:30 pm

h & StMM Gym



Middle School – Grades 7 & 8

Sunday Evenings

7:15 - 8:30 pm

StMM Gym



High School – Grades 9 & 10 Pre-Confirmation

Sunday Evenings

7:15 - 8:30 pm

StMM Church



High School – Grades 11 & 12 Post Confirmation

Sunday Evenings

Time & location determined by small group

Youth Mass 6:00pm on Sundays when the Middle School and High School Faith Formation Programs Meet (Refer to the Faith Formation Calendar)

Click Here for the 2024-25 Faith Formation Calendar

Gather Registration Link

Rock Registration Link

Edge Registration Link

Way Registration Link

Way Abbreviated Track Registration Link

Apostello Registration Link









PROGRAMS OFF FOR SUMMER BREAK

Registration opens online
July 1st

Late Fees apply after 8/15/24

www.stmm.church/religious-ed/

Questions K-4: will@stmm.net Grades 5-8: ritchie@stmm.net



We can create a sacrament plan for
First Reconciliation & First Communion
Set up an appointment this Summer
(919) 657-4800 ext. 7280 or will@stmm.net
For Baptism, please call or email

(919) 657-4800 ext. 7303 or sansone@stmm.net



Questions:

For **GATHER**, contact Suzanne Will at will@stmm.net or 919-657-4800 x7280

For the ROCK contact Sarah Ritchie at ritchie@stmm.net.or 919-657-4800 x7307

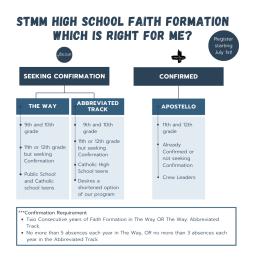
StMM Middle and High School Youth Ministry



Core Team Interest Form for EDGE, The Way, Abbreviated Track, and Apostello: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAlpQLSdny1wY2eZ8-YrlVCG2iTGPhA6gjdrt hoRxA52orhGk4Y8DQ /viewform?usp=sf link



Crew Leadership Program Application for 11th and 12th Graders: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAlpQLScICY-oVrTkTWnjqUI6q2tLQyIB-6U0t9iWVUIqnj2aviJ6_g/viewform?usp=sf_link



Registration Opens July 1st! Which High School Program is Right for Me?



Save the Date for our High School Retreats! Registration link will be available on the E-News July 1st!

Questions:

For **EDGE**, contact Sarah Ritchie at <u>ritchie@stmm.net</u> or 919-657-4800 x7307

For Apostello and the Way, contact Niki Furnier at nfurnier@stmm.net or 919-657-4800 x7309

For Confirmation, contact <u>StMM.confirmation@kristoffs.com</u>

School News



St. Mary Magdalene Catholic School is accepting applications for the 24-25 school year in PreK4 and grades 6th-8th. Applications are closed for K-5th grade. If you are interested in a Catholic education for your chid(ren), apply HERE or contact Lisa Portland (portland@stmm.net) to schedule a tour!

School Employment Opportunities

St. Mary Magdalene Catholic School invites you to join our school community as a substitute teacher. We offer competitive compensation, a great work environment, and a flexible work schedule to fit your life. If you are interested in learning more about this exciting opportunity, please contact Kate Lawson at the school at lawson@stmm.net.

Aftercare Employment Opportunities

Hiring in Aftercare. Must be 18 years or older. Aftercare is looking for someone who enjoys children and who can commit to five days a week: Monday through Friday. We've got a great team and would welcome new people with open arms. Hours are 2:30pm to 6pm. Please email Kate Lawson at lawson@stmm.net if interested.

Faith Engagement Coordinator for Habitat for Humanity

Habitat for Humanity is seeking to hire a part-time Faith Engagement Coordinator. This person will help with the back-office work necessary to maintain vitally important relationships with the faith community. Ideal candidate will have excellent technology skills, attention to detail, experience managing an office, and a deep passion for the faith community. More information is found on the Habitat for Humanity website jobs postings page https://www.habitatwake.org/jobs.

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