


# PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION

## Schedule of Liturgies

### April 4 ~ April 12

**Saturday, April 4, Lenten Weekday**  
 4:30 PM Joan & Werner Obringer; Liv. & Dec'd Members of Kowpak -Falter Fam. ; Karen & Gail Brickner; Frances Cunningham  
 6:30 PM Irma Hill

**Sunday, April 5, Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion**  
 8:00 AM St. Mary Parish Family  
 10:00 AM Bud Robenalt; Norman Welly; James Siebenaller; Lucy Tieman  
 11:30 AM Daniel Margraf 

**Monday, April 6, Monday of Holy Week**  
 8:30 AM Bob Schleiter  
 12:00 AM Eucharistic Adoration Begins

**Tuesday, April 7, Tuesday of Holy Week**  
 6:30 AM Communion Service  
 8:30 AM Francis & Bea Breidenbach  
 12:00 AM Eucharistic Adoration Ends

**Wednesday, April 8, Wednesday of Holy Week**  
*All School Mass*  
 8:30 AM Maurice Lupica  
**7:00 PM Stations of the Cross**

**Thursday, April 9, Holy Thursday**  
*No Communion Service or Morning Mass*  
 7:00 PM Dec'd Priests and Sisters Who Have Served St. Mary Parish

**Friday, April 10, Good Friday of the Lord's Passion**  
 1:00 PM Full Good Friday Service

**Saturday, April 11, Holy Saturday/Easter Vigil**  
 8:00 PM St. Mary Parish Family

**Sunday, April 12, Easter Sunday:**  
**The Resurrection of the Lord**  
 8:00 AM St. Mary Parish Family  
 10:00 AM Bob Keller  
 11:30 AM St. Mary Parish Family

**Monday, April 13, Easter Monday**  
*No Communion Service or Morning Mass*

**IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO ADD** someone to the prayer list please call the parish office at 447-2087.


**STATIONS OF THE CROSS** will be held on Wednesday evening at 7:00 p.m., but there will be no soup and sandwich supper.

**POTATO SOUP WILL BE SERVED** for lunch on Good Friday in room 22 at 11:30 a.m. before the Good Friday Liturgy. All are welcome to join us.

**SCAT DRIVERS** for April 12 are Ken and Ann Jones.

### RECREATION ROOM PRIVATE USE RENTAL

Over the past few months we have had several requests to rent the Recreation Room for private parties (Anniversaries, Wedding Receptions, etc.). If you have an interest in renting the room please contact Bill Booth at the Parish Office.

**THANK YOU TO OUR PARISH NURSES** for taking blood pressures after 4:30 Mass this weekend. The next weekend will be May 2. The next parish nurse meeting will be June 17 at 7:00 p.m. in St. Mary's rectory basement. 


**THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED** on Good Friday and Easter Monday.

**CALVERT CATHOLIC SCHOOLS** will be closed Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and will resume April 15.


**OPENING FOR PART-TIME BOOKKEEPER** for St. Mary Parish: 15-20 hours per week. Bookkeeping experience and computer skills required. Contact Bill Booth at 447-2087.

**BULLETIN ADS:** There are a few ad spaces available for the back of the bulletin. They can be purchased as a single, double or triple ad. Contact Wanda in the parish office at 447-2087 for details.


**EIGHTH GRADE CONFIRMATION** students will have their interviews for the sacrament on April 8 of Holy Week at St. Joseph's cafeteria starting at 7:00 p.m. Please let Mrs. Plisky know if you cannot attend.

**"COFFEE AND CONVERSATION"** is after the 8:30 a.m. Tuesday Mass in room 22 in the school. Everyone is welcome for coffee, rolls and socializing after Mass. 

**SUNDAY MORNING LITURGY OF THE WORD** will take place at the 10:00 a.m. Sunday morning Mass today, April 5 and April 19. We will not have Liturgy of the Word on Easter, April 12.

**ALUMINUM CAN COLLECTION** will be delayed one week because of Easter. The collection will take place April 18 & 19. Next month the collection will resume the second weekend. 

### GOD SQUAD UPCOMING EVENTS:

April 5, Adoration, 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.  
 April 12, Easter Sunday - No gathering.  
 April 19, Adoration and Praise music, 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.  
 April 26, Youth Mass with brunch, 11:30 a.m.  
**Jr. God Squad** is open to 6 - 8 graders and meets on the first Sunday of the month in the extended day area of St. Mary Campus from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. 

<i>Offering</i>	<b>March 28 &amp; 29, 2009</b>	
<i>Total</i>	<u>\$ Total</u>	<u>Env</u>
Amount Needed Each Sunday	\$ 13,000.00	
Sunday Offering	\$ 10,325.11	388
Difference	\$ 2,674.89	
Repair and Maintenance	\$ 19.00	4
Easter	\$ 2050.00	3
Catholic Relief Services	\$ 141.00	6
Youth Offering	\$ 49.75	30
<b>Total Sunday, 2009</b>	<b>\$ 12,584.86</b>	
<b>Total Sunday, 2008</b>	<b>\$ 11,672.73</b>	



**FAMILY PERSPECTIVE:** Following Christ is not easy. Like Jesus we will experience betrayal, denial, being ignored, falsely accused and left alone. Even friends will “look on from afar.” Family is the gift given to us so we never stand alone. Being together is the stuff of holiness.

**2009 ST. MARY’S FESTIVAL** is well on its way. You will be receiving tickets in the mail soon. Please try to sell all your tickets. Don’t forget your friends or co-workers will want to have a chance at winning the grand prize of \$10,000. More tickets will be available at the exits of church. Ticket prices have remained the same; \$1.00 each, 6 for \$5.00 or 12 for \$10.00. The first early seller drawing will be held April 13 and will continue each Monday with May 4 being the last drawing. (This is different compared to what is on the ticket.) New entertainment this year will be “The Game” in Friday night’s Beer Garden. The Mystery Booth, Ball and Barrel, and the Cake Room still need booth chairs. Invite a friend to help and volunteer by calling the parish office at 447-5721.



**THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH** and Human Services (HHS) is inviting public comment on a proposal to rescind an important December 2008 federal regulation that protects the conscience rights of health care providers. Help protect the rights of our Catholic health care professionals and institutions. Please visit [www.usccb.org/conscienceprotection](http://www.usccb.org/conscienceprotection) to access links to make a comment and to find out more information. **Comments must be posted by April 9, 2009.**

**NAMI WALK FOR MENTAL ILLNESS** will be held in Fremont and Findlay on May 16. All proceeds fund education, support, advocacy and research. To form a team or just to walk yourself; in Fremont, contact Dennis Wolf at 1-888-582-8889 and in Findlay contact Gina Lewis at 419-429-1423.

**MILETTI GOLF OPEN** will be June 14 at Green Hills Golf Course in Clyde. Get together a team of 4 players to enjoy the day. The cost will be \$50 per person which includes 18 holes of golf, cart, steak dinner and prizes. Sign up for team tee times at Surf-n-Turf.



**CALVERT CATHOLIC SCHOOLS** is participating in the Search and Give Program sponsored by Scholastic and Microsoft. It is a free and easy way to make donations to CCS. Every time you use Microsoft Live Search to search the web, CCS will receive a penny. Just go to [www.searchandgive.com](http://www.searchandgive.com), sign up, and select CALVERT HIGH SCHOOL as the organization you want to contribute to. (To make it really easy, select Search and Give as your default home page or bookmark it for easy access.) There are also 17 mind-engaging games that you can play on the site to earn more money for our schools. Heidi Brodman is available to answer questions at [hbroadman@wcnet.org](mailto:hbroadman@wcnet.org) or 419-585-5019.

**SUNDAY NIGHT BINGO**  
Doors open at 5:00 p.m.; Early birds at 6:05 p.m.  
**Bingo begins at 6:30 p.m.**



**BINGO WORKERS** for today, April 5; **Coordinator:** Jan Betz; **Gate:** Jan Betz; **Instant:** Annette Everhart, Chris Granata; **Floor:** Lori Weininger, Regina Runion, Anthony Siebenaller, Tom Ritzler; **Concessions:** ????



**“52” CLUB WINNERS 3-30-2009**

- 1st** Mr. and Mrs. Otto Gase
- 2nd** Brad & Julie Hammer
- 3rd** Brenton Maiberger
- 4th** Deb Weinandy
- 5th** Carol Iannantuono

**AREA HAPPENINGS**

**ALL YOU CAN EAT SEAFOOD BUFFET** at the Carey Shrine Cafeteria all Fridays during Lent from 4:30 to 7:00 p.m. Adults, \$8.25; children under 12, \$4.75.

**ALL YOU CAN EAT FISH FRY** at Tiffin K of C on April 10 from 5:00 - 7:30 p.m. Carry-outs will be available. All are welcome.

**RUMMAGE SALE**, Clyde St. Mary, 609 Vine St. will be held April 23 from 9:00 - 6:00, April 24 from 9:00 - 5:30, and April 25 from 9:00 - noon.

**GARDEN PARTY** will be held at Elizabeth Schafer Auditorium, 190 St. Francis Ave. on May 6 beginning at noon. Tickets are \$6.00 and can be purchased at the door. Enjoy the luncheon, an afternoon of cards or bingo and chances to win door prizes or a money raffle. Proceeds benefit St. Francis Home residents.



**CALVERT’S SPRING FLING** will be held at Calvert High School on April 18. Admission is free. Doors open at 6:00 p.m. A Texas Hold'em Tournament and a Reverse Raffle will start the night with 35 winners and a grand prize of \$2,000.00. Side boards and special raffles for extra chances to win will also be available. The 9:00 dance will feature the dancing music of “The Late Show.” Bring your friends, food and drink. All proceeds provide the uniforms, equipment and upkeep of the athletic complex for Calvert High School and Junior High sports.



**2009 CALVERT TREASURE HUNT** will be May 9. Meet at Calvert High School at 6:00 p.m. First prize is \$225.00. A \$90.00 donation per car will benefit the Calvert Athletic Boosters. Solve the puzzles to find the party! For more information contact Jackie and Frank Brickner at 419-618-6332 or email [treasurehunt09@hotmail.com](mailto:treasurehunt09@hotmail.com).

**April 11 & 12**

**Mass Coordinators:**

- 8:00 p.m. Easter Vigil
- 8:00 a.m. Cindy Kin
- 10:00 a.m. Mark Zimmerman
- 11:30 a.m. Ruthann Stultz

**Eucharistic Ministers:**

- 8:00 p.m. Easter Vigil
- 8:00 a.m. Dave Fisher, Juanita Magers, Alvin & Carol Ringlein, Don Schalk.
- 10:00 a.m. Mickey Dinger, Louise Ducsay, Deb Gerschutz, Donna Good, Paula Perna, Carole, Roland, & Libby Zimmerman.
- 11:30 a.m. Bev Martin, Helen Mullins, Tracey Sherman, Mary Shultz, Howie Stultz.

**Servers:**

- 8:00 pm Easter Vigil
- 8:00 a.m. Team J
- 10:00 a.m. Team N
- 11:30 a.m. Team Z

**Student Lectors:**

- 8:00 p.m. Easter Vigil
- 8:00 a.m. Matthew Kiser
- 10:00 a.m. Colin Behm
- 11:30 a.m. Kyle Nye

**Lectors:**

- 8:00 p.m. Easter Vigil
- 8:00 a.m. Nancy Kiser
- 10:00 a.m. Merv Wilhelm
- 11:30 a.m. Jeanne Tackett

**EASTER PRAYER**

LORD JESUS, THIS EASTER, MAY WE REMEMBER WHY THIS SEASON IS CELEBRATED ABOVE ALL OTHERS. WHEN WE SEE EGGS AND RABBITS, REMIND US OF THE JOY BROUGHT BY ALL NEW LIFE, BOTH THROUGH SPRINGTIME IN NATURE, AND ETERNAL LIFE THROUGH YOUR RESURRECTION. WHEN WE SEE BRIGHT RIBBONS AND COLORS, MAY WE REMEMBER THE JOY OF THIS SEASON, AT THE CONCLUSION OF LENT. ABOVE ALL, HELP US REMEMBER THE GREATEST GIFT OF ALL, YOUR CONQUEST OF DEATH AND SIN, WHICH SAVED ALL OF US FROM ETERNAL DEATH AND OPENED HEAVEN’S GATES FOR US ALL. AMEN.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK: Opportunity may knock once, but temptation hangs on your front door forever.