



The Sunday Encore

More News and Announcements from St. Francis de Sales Parish

Sunday, April 3, 2022
The Fifth Sunday Of Lent

Thoughts Regarding Who Is Jesus For You By Mary M. McGlone

Today, in a story unusual for the Gospel of John, we meet an unnamed woman famous because Jesus saved her from a crowd who were out to get him.

Picture today's passion-filled Gospel scene. It opens when a group of meticulously righteous prigs interrupt Jesus as he is teaching near the Temple.

Please reflect on a time when your own self-righteousness interfered with your need to be compassionate. What learnings can you draw from that experience?

Good Friday Collection

Pope Francis has asked our parish to support the Pontifical Good Friday Collection For Christians In The Holy Land. Your support helps the church minister in parishes, provide Catholic schools, off religious education, and preserve the sacred shrines. For more information about Christians in the Holy Land, visit <https://myfranciscan.org/good-friday/>.

Marriage Moments And Parenting Pointers: Food For Thought And Actions

Marriage Moments-Upon Lazarus' death, his sister, Mary, wept. And Jesus wept too. (John 11: 34-35). In life and in marriage there are bound to be painful times. Jesus joins us in our sorrows. When was the last time you beloved cried? How do you comfort each other?

Parenting Pointers-As Palm Sunday approaches remember that hype can precede a downfall. Enjoy you child's successes but don't let your love depend on success. To learn to make a palm cross with your child, please go to <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kmtg7m7lon8>

Congratulations Glendon Kitchen!!!

We again want to congratulate our own Glendon Kitchen, a freshman at Moeller High School for receiving second honors for the third quarter of this academic year. Glendon is the son of Matthew and Lauren Kitchen.

At Moeller High School, each quarter, a student receives an unweighted GPA (based on a 4.0 scale) on his report card. The unweighted GPA is a testament to a student's academic achievement in his course studies and does not take into account course rigor. To achieve second honors, a student must earn a weighted GPA of 3.4 or higher with no class failures.

Project Rachel

Project Rachel is a ministry of the Archdiocese that serves anyone who has experienced the loss of a child due to abortion. Persons can engage in this ministry for healing through one-on-one conversation with a peer, consultation with a priest, support groups and retreats for mothers who lost a child, or a day of reflection for anyone affected (father, grandparent, friend, etc.). Call the Project Rachel Help Line at 513/784-0531 for information. All conversations are confidential.

Living Laudato Si' Eco-Tip Of The Week From The SFdS Parish "Green Team"

Influencing Those Around Us:

The Easy One: Write a short letter to the editor in support of a local environmental cause.

The Challenging One: Advocate for environmentally friendly legislation and policies with you local, state, or national government.

Mount St. Mary's Seminary & School of Theology Preview Day

The Mount St. Mary's Seminary & School of Theology will offer a **Preview Day on Saturday April 9th!** This campus event provides prospective students the opportunity to preview our theological programs (graduate, certificate, or non-degree), meet our President and Rector, The Very Rev. Anthony R. Brausch, tour campus, enjoy a Q&A with alums and current students and enjoy a complimentary lunch. Prospective students will get to experience what it's like to be an MTSM School of Theology student and get acquainted with the amenities MTSM has to offer, and a chance to **WIN a \$5,000 SCHOLARSHIP** and receive customized MTSM coffee mug just by attending! **Please share and have them RSVP TODAY** www.mtism.org/previewday

Walnut Hills H.S. Senior Ensemble Concert at St. Francis deSales Church April 7th at 7:00PM

MAGNIFICAT, by Johann Sebastian Bach, Anthony Nims, Conductor- admission at the door \$5

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“Complete dedication to one’s calling by God, whatever it may be, is a rare quality. Jesus asks us to ‘love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength’ (Mark 12: 30b). Paul gives similar advice: ‘Whatever you do, do from the heart...’ (Colossians 3: 23).”

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The Memorial of John Baptist de la Salle
April 7