



**LITURGICAL APPOINTMENTS FOR
APRIL 29/30, 2017**

	Ministes of Altar	Ministers of Hospitality	Ministers of Word	Ministers of Holy Communion
5:30 p.m.	Ryan Ludwick	Otworhs	Taryn Hastings	Linda Bradford Michael Bradford Volunteer
8:00 a.m.	Jaelyn Barber	Dennis Lafferty Joe Novotny	Volunteer	Mike Moses Marilyn Rosselott Volunteer
10:00 a.m.	Ryan Howland	Shawn Conlon Jim Hehl	Elizabeth House	John Butsch Ed Davis



MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday, April 23

7:40 a.m. **RADIO ROSARY BROADCAST**
 8:00 a.m. Charles & Jane Eddingfield,
 Larry & Robert Eddingfield,
 Edwin & Rita Hunt, James Landsom
 (Joe & Mary Hunt)
 10:00 a.m. Fred & Mary Huiet, Charles & Mathilda Dick
 (Frank & Arlene Huiet)
WLRU BROADCAST

Monday, April 24

10:00 a.m. **RADIO ROSARY BROADCAST**

Tuesday, April 25

9:15 a.m. Terry & Gerald Wehrung
 (Greg & Kelly Wehrung)

Thursday, April 27

7:00 p.m. Ray Houk (Jim & Joanne Arlinghaus)
WLRU BROADCAST

Saturday, April 29

9:00 a.m. David Kierzek
 (St. Benedict Academy Class of 1966)
 5:30 p.m. Tim & Richard Grebner; Al & June Takacs;
 Joseph, Judith, Frank & Mary Trempus;
 Luke & Frances Demovsek
 (Al & Mary Elizabeth Takacs)

Sunday, April 30

7:40 a.m. **RADIO ROSARY BROADCAST**
 8:00 a.m. Dennis Stivers (Rose & Chuck Craycraft)
 10:00 a.m. Severn & Charlie H storio; Patricia &
 Gerardo Honorato; Tomas & Mirmon;
 Fred Taylor & Opal Taylor (Gina Taylor)
WLRU BROADCAST



**BENEDICTION
EVERY THURSDAY AT 6:30 P.M.**



Weekly Need\$ 4,500.00

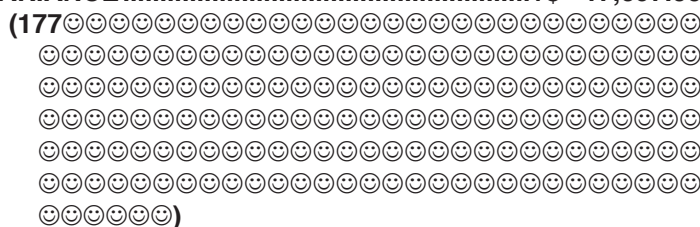
Collection for April 15/16

Envelopes & Loose.....\$ 5,350.00
Variance+\$ 850.00
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School Support: \$0.00Building Fund: \$20.00
St. Vincent de Paul: \$233.00Votives: \$26.00
Buck-a-Month: \$5.00...Mass Stipends: \$10.00



YTD NEED STARTING 7/3/2016\$ 184,000.00
YTD COLLECTED\$ 201,697.00
VARIANCE+\$ 17,697.00





\$280,000.00

Debt on Fr. Luehrmann Hall

Happy Birthday!



April 24..... Janet Butler, Janet Inkrot, Mary Remsing

April 25..... Tabor Tesmer

April 26..... Joyce Wendell

April 27..... D'Lelah Laber, Bryant Miller

April 28..... Ken Nauman

April 30..... Linda Schweitzer, Mike Witt



I, Fr. Mike, personally welcome Sherryll Cordrey, Michelle Cimis, Heather Cummings as new members of St. Mary Catholic Church. Our Church is enriched with their presence. I congratulate parishioner Michael Rose, who was confirmed at the Easter Vigil and now has the fullness of the Holy Spirit. Michael, this means you must obey everything your mom and dad says for all eternity...



LAUGHTER IS GOOD

Rhonda's dishwasher quit working so she called a repairman. Since she had to go to work the next day, she told the repairman, "I'll leave the key under the mat. Fix the dishwasher, leave the bill on the counter, and I'll mail you a check. Oh, by the way don't worry about my bulldog. He won't bother you. But, whatever you do, do NOT, under ANY circumstances, talk to my parrot! I REPEAT, DO NOT TALK TO MY PARROT!!!"

When the repairman arrived at Wanda's apartment the following day, he discovered the biggest, meanest looking bulldog he has ever seen. But, just as she had said, the dog just lay there on the carpet watching the repairman go about his work.

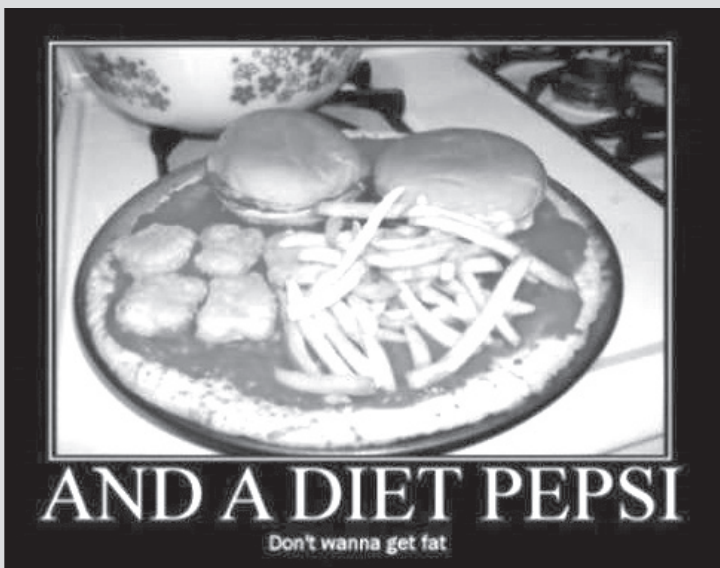
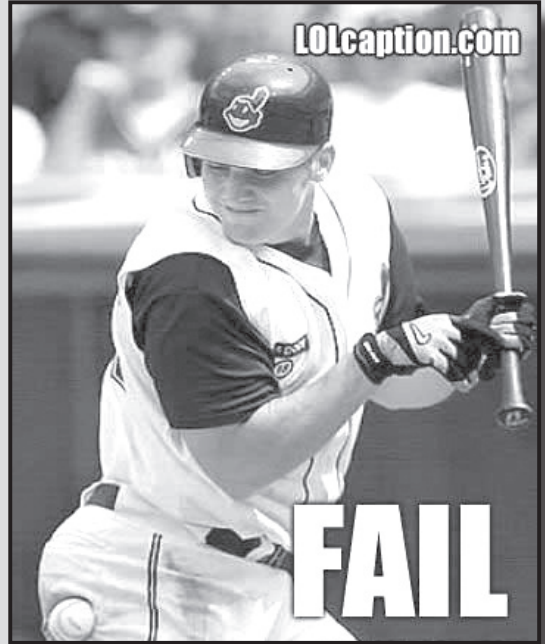
The parrot, however, drove him nuts the whole time with his incessant yelling and name calling. Finally the repairman couldn't contain himself any longer and yelled, "Shut up, you stupid ugly bird!"

To which the parrot replied, "Get him, Spike!"

Hey 46, stop eating your teammates



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SERMON FOR DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

The pilot glanced outside his cockpit and froze. He blinked hard and looked again, hoping it was just a mirage. But his co-pilot stared at the same horrible vision.

“My God, this is a nightmare,” the co-pilot said.

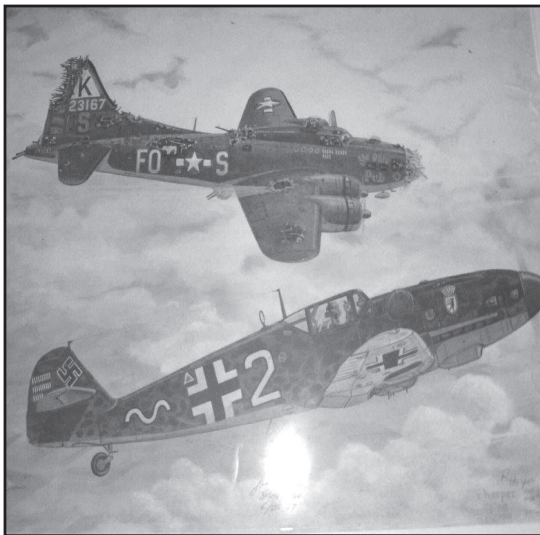
“He’s going to destroy us,” the pilot agreed.

The men were looking at a gray German Messerschmitt fighter hovering just three feet off their wingtip. It was five days before Christmas 1943, and the fighter had closed in on their crippled American B-17 bomber for the kill. The B-17 pilot, Charles Brown, was a 21-year-old West Virginia farm boy on his first combat mission. His bomber had been shot to pieces by swarming fighters, and his plane was alone in the skies above Germany. Half his crew was wounded, and the tail gunner was dead, his blood frozen in icicles over the machine guns.

But when Brown and his co-pilot, Spencer “Pinky” Luke, looked at the fighter pilot again, something odd happened. The German didn’t pull the trigger. In an act of mercy he spared them. He simply nodded at Brown and let him go. Years later, Brown would track down his would-be executioner for a reunion that reduced both men to tears.

They met in Seattle Washington at the 379th Bomber Group reunion in 1990, together with 25 people who are alive now – all because German pilot Franz Stigler refused to fire his guns that day. When asked why he didn’t shoot them down, Stigler said, “I didn’t have the heart to finish those men. They were in such misery. I saw their wounds and blood frozen to the windshield. I flew beside them for a long time. They were trying desperately to get home and I was going to let them do that. I could not have shot at them. It would have been the same as shooting at a helpless man in a parachute.”

This true story of mercy reveals what type of heart our God has. God does not have a heart to “finish” you with judgement but a heart to spare you with mercy. He sees your wounds. He knows how sin has crippled you, made you helpless, brought you misery. Jesus opened His Heart on the Cross to save you not shoot you down. Jesus revealed the picture of His Heart to St. Faustina Kowalska on February 22, 1931, when Jesus appeared to her as “The King of Divine Mercy.” Jesus told her, “Paint an image according to the pattern you see, with the signature: Jesus, I trust in You.”



Of all the messages Jesus gave to St. Faustina, I like this one the best: “I am love and Mercy Itself. There is no misery that could be a match for My mercy, neither will misery exhaust it, because as it (My mercy) is being granted – it increases. The soul that trusts in My mercy is most fortunate, because I Myself take care of it.”

I am going to do something I have never done in my 36 years of preaching. I ask you, close your eyes. Picture Jesus standing before you in that white robe with red and white rays shining from His Pierced Heart. Now think of the worst sin you ever committed. That’s right. You did it. You can’t hide it from God. Then Hear Jesus say to you, “Do not feel afraid. Put away all fear. Come to Me. My Mercy is greater than your worst sin. Trust Me that I have taken care of your soul. Do not feel guilt. Put away all shame. Let My Mercy, not your misery, rule your soul. Trust in My Mercy. Live in My Love. Know My peace. This is My greatest gift to you. Honor Me by accepting it.” This is why we call Easter... “Happy.”

