

St. Mark Catholic Church

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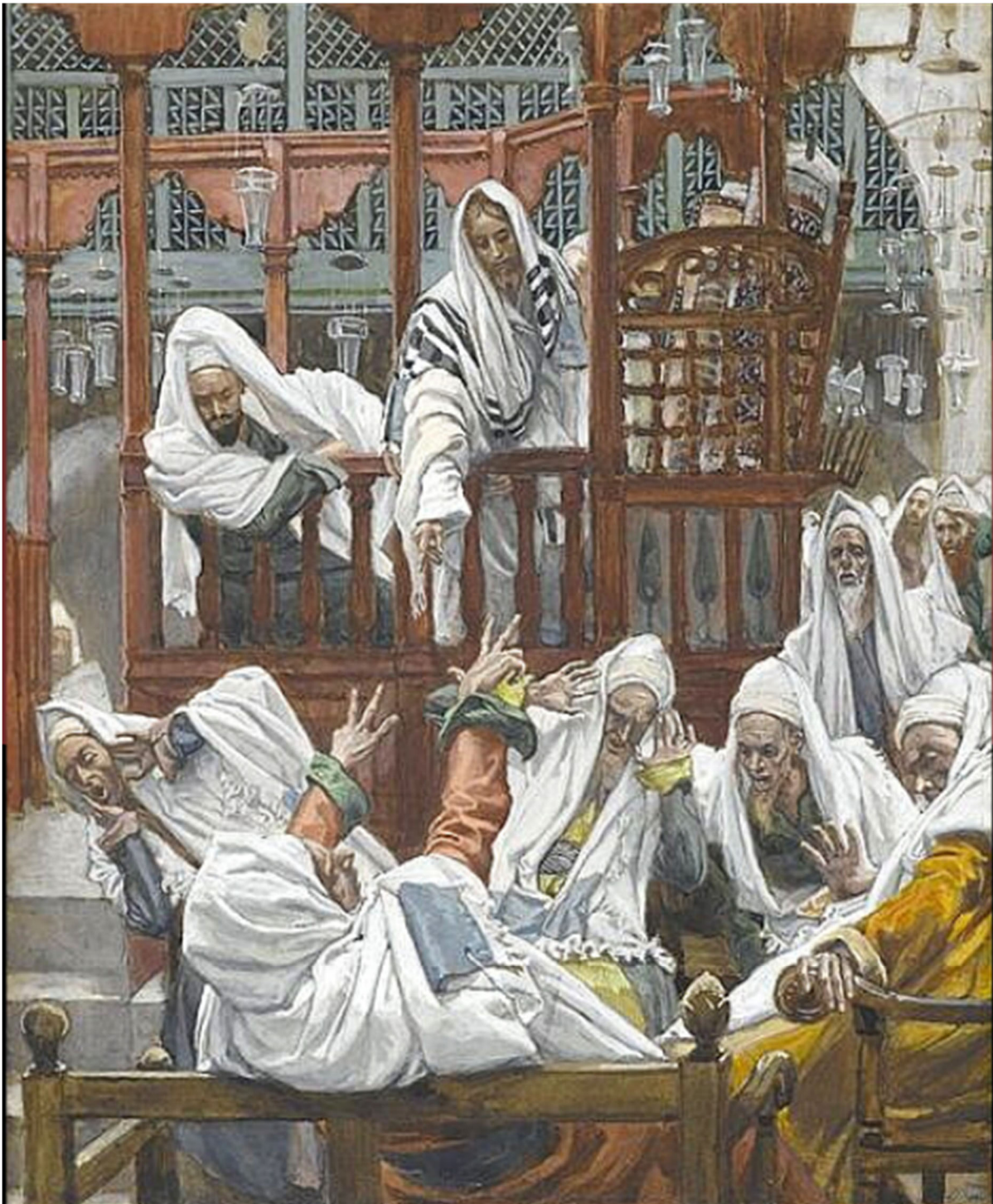
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PARISH / SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION VISIT WEBSITE: www.saintmarkcc.org

Office Hours: Monday - Thursday 9:00AM - 4:00PM, Friday 9:00AM - Noon

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 28, 2024



MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday - Anticipated Mass 5PM

Sunday - 7:30, 9:00 & 11:30AM

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE: Monday - Friday - 8:30AM

CONFESSIONS: Saturday 3:30PM - 4:30PM
or by appointment

Bulletin News for February 11th must be submitted to Tricia Palko by Wednesday, January 31st

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STEWARDSHIP FOR THE WEEK OF 01/21/24

Offertory	01/21/2024	\$ 28,564.44
Deferred Maintenance	01/21/2024	\$ 144.00
Building Fund	01/21/2024	\$ 582.00
MTD Offertory		\$ 58,732.67
MTD Deferred Maintenance		\$ 1,049.00
MTD Building Fund		\$ 4,934.00
Total amount owed on building loan <i>as of 12/31/2023</i>		\$1,055,052.40
Monthly Building Loan Payment		\$ 17,200.00

BAPTISM!

If you are planning to have a baptism for a child under the age of 7 years, or if you have been asked to be a godparent, we have a Baptism Preparation class for parents and godparents coming up on **Sunday, February 11th at 1:00PM**. Please contact the Parish Office by Wednesday, February 7th to register for the class. You must sign up to attend the class. Visit our website www.saintmarkcc.org and go to Faith Formation tab - Baptism for complete details and requirements.

Mass Intentions
January 29th - February 4th

<i>Monday, January 29th</i>	<i>Friday, February 2nd</i>
Monica Ojala	+ Ray Vega
<i>Tuesday, January 30th</i>	<i>Saturday, February 3rd</i>
+ Manuel Montano	St. Mark Parishioners
<i>Wednesday, January 31st</i>	<i>Sunday, February 4th</i>
+ Frank Jaime	+ Cecil Hoelting
<i>Thursday, February 1st</i>	+ Joe Gallegos
+ Joe Gallegos	St. Mark Parishioners

+ indicates deceased
All others are intentions

The Story and You™



Sacred Conversations

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

We've had so many nudgings lately to hear God's call, to carefully discern where God is leading us, but always the question remains: how? The only answer I have to this is to lean into what makes you truly happy. Chances are that God, who desires only our happiness, has put into our hearts the very desires for which we long.

For example, my friend Ann has the most unbelievable energy and passion for helping migrant families. It's bitter cold these days, and she is out there, getting coats and gloves and warm winter clothes to migrants coming in from warm climates. She's not alone, of course. I could name at least two dozen friends whose passion for this work takes up much of their time. They seem really happy to me.

In that first reading from Deuteronomy we hear that, in the desert, the Israelites begged God not to speak to them! They didn't want the dreaded voice of God! They asked that God speak to them through a prophet like their friend Moses. Isn't that so often the way we discern the direction of our lives? It's through the inspiration and modeling of the people we know, and like, and with whom we come in contact.

So many memoirs are filled with the authors' experiences of being shaped and changed by the great people in their lives. The opposite is also true. I know great teachers and leaders who answered the call to service because they saw it done so poorly by others and knew they could do it better.

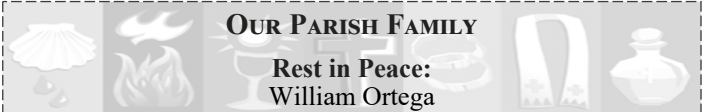
So, if today you hear God's voice, don't harden your heart. Chances are God's voice is very near to you.

What people have served as the voice of God in your life?

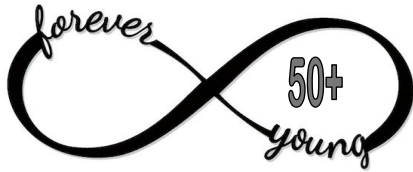
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OUR PARISH FAMILY

Rest in Peace:
William Ortega



January 28, 2024 Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time



President:
Lois Tochtrop
303-469-8150
Dues: \$10 (single)
\$15 (couple)

- * **First Friday Coffee & Donuts** Friday, February 2nd, after 8:30am mass.
- * **Potluck** Tuesday, February 6th, (we begin eating sharply at 11:30am) in the Center. Please bring food to share according to your last name, drinks will be provided.
A-G Dessert, H-M Main, N-Z Side
Wear red in honor of Valentines Day Entertainment: BINGO
- * **Board Meeting** Tuesday, February 13th, 10:00am
St. Rose Room/Church.
- * **MAC Movie** Thursday, February 15th, 1:30pm, 72nd & Federal. Cost: \$2 includes popcorn & beverage.
Movie: *To be determined*
- * **Parish Game Day** Wednesday, February 21st, 1:00pm
Center. Please bring your own beverage and a snack to share and join in a variety of games.
- * **Lunch/Bocce Mickey's Restaurant**, Thursday, February 22nd, 11:00am, 6950 N. Broadway.
- * **Book Club** Tuesday, February 27th, 10:00am
St. Rose Room / Church
Book: *A Walk in the Woods* By: Bill Bryson

****Please note:**

During inclement weather, check TV if Westminster Public Schools and/or Adams County Dist. #12 schools are closed, or the church has sent a Flocknote and is closed this means all FY activities are also Cancelled. Sign up for Flocknote if you haven't this is the easiest way to be reached!
To sign-up for Flocknote: Text StMark to 84576.

SAVE THE DATES:
February 16th, March 1st & 22nd
Knights of Columbus
will be hosting Fish Fry's
on those evenings.
Watch upcoming bulletins
for pricing and details.

BUILDING FUND DONATIONS - WE STILL NEED YOUR HELP!

If you would like to help lower the debt of the Building Loan - donations are always appreciated and welcomed, **any amount at any time**. Please pick-up a pink labeled envelope from any of the book racks or label envelope clearly for "Building Fund" and place in the offertory basket or mail to the office. Are you aware that you can also make donations online? Go to online giving at www.saintmarkcc.org, click on donation - select Building Fund. Every penny counts!

ASH WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE

February 14th Ash Wednesday Masses will be at 8:30am & 6pm.
In addition to the two masses, ashes will be distributed on the hour (10am, 11am, 12pm, 1pm, 2pm, 3pm, 4pm & 5pm). Prior to receiving ashes there will be a short prayer service.

Ministers please go online and sign up for the 8:30am & 6pm masses.

WEEKLY PLANNER FOR JAN. 28TH - FEB. 4TH

Sunday 28th	Marisol collection for baby items 10:15am Faith Formation / Center
Monday 29th	
Tuesday 30th	6:00pm RCIA Class / Church
Wednesday 31st	7:00pm Choir Practice / Church
Thursday 1st	6:30pm 1st Eucharist/Confirmation / Center
Friday 2nd	6:30am TMIY / Church 9:00am Coffee and Donuts / Church 9:30am Breaking of the Word Fr. Jim / Church
Saturday 3rd	
Sunday 4th	10:15am Faith Formation / Center 11:30am Family Mass



THE CHOSEN SEASON 3



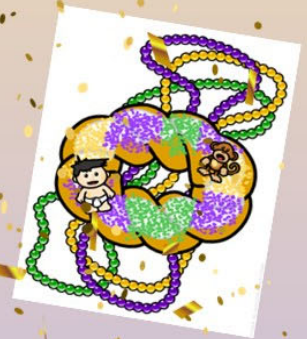
Bible Study starts February 21 & 22.

Evening & Morning class
will be offered.

Sign up by emailing
MCabral@saintmarkcc.org



MARDI GRAS



All are welcome!

St. Mark 2nd Annual Mardi Gras Party! (Family Friendly)

Date: Tuesday, February 13, 2024

Time: 6:00—8:00 pm

Where: St. Mark Parish Hall

Please join us for a Pancake Supper, Games, Crafts and plenty of Mardi Gras Carnival Music!

Contact Laurie at 303.466.8470 x116 or
llopez@saintmarkcc.org for more information

