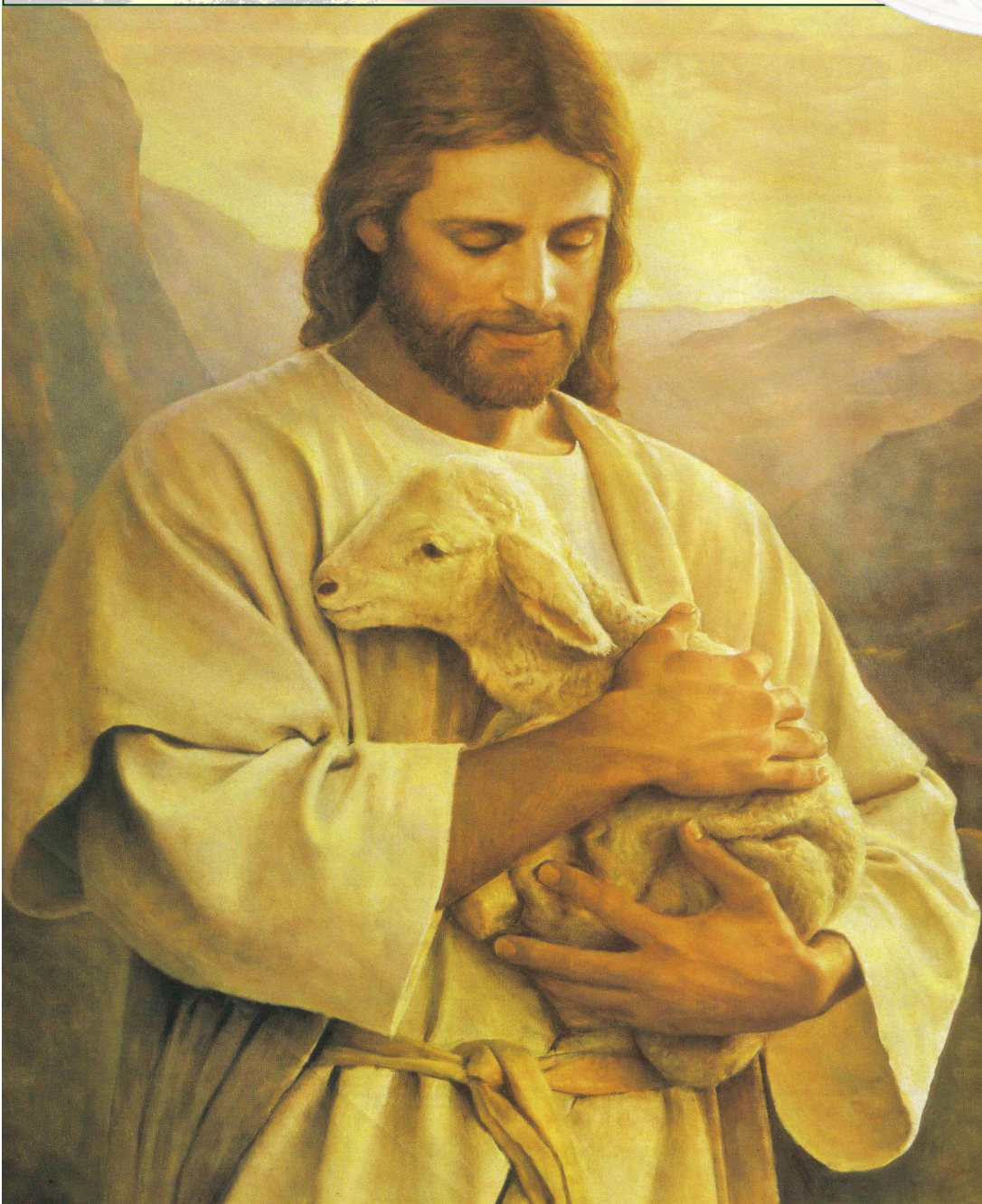


# Saint Mary Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church

Franciscan Friars, Third Order Regular  
Parish founded 1920

## Mission Statement

*United in our belief in Jesus Christ and His Call to Love and Service, we dedicate ourselves to live His Word through the Celebration of the Sacraments, Evangelization, Catechesis and Ministry to the people of Saint Petersburg.*



## Mass Schedule

Daily: Monday through  
Friday 12:10pm  
Saturday: 4:00pm Vigil  
Sunday: 8:00am & 11:00am

## Holy Days

Please check the bulletin for  
Mass times.

## National Holidays

Mass will be celebrated at  
9:00am only.

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

Tuesday & Thursday  
11:30am—Noon  
Saturday: 3:00—3:45pm and by  
appointment.

**For Sacramental  
information please call  
the Parish Office.**

## Baptism:

We ask that all families  
interested in Baptism be active,  
registered parishioners 6 months  
prior to the reception of the  
Sacrament.

## Matrimony:

Arrangements should be made 6  
months in advance by contacting  
our Wedding Coordinator.  
Participation in a marriage  
preparation program is required.

Adoration of the Blessed  
Sacrament  
1st Wednesday of the month  
from 12:45pm—2pm.



*We* welcome all of our new parishioners who have come to worship with us.

If you are new to our community, please introduce yourself to one of our Friars. If you are visiting and are interested in registering, we kindly ask that you pick up a blue registration form found in the church or visit our Parish Office or website and complete all of the information asked and either return it to our Office or drop it in the collection basket. Membership is strongly encouraged for the reception of the Sacraments of Baptism, First Reconciliation, First Eucharist, Confirmation, and Marriage. Registration is also required before the parish can issue a sponsorship certificate for those asked to be sacramental sponsors. You must be a registered member of at least 6 months before a certificate will be given.

**Low Gluten Hosts**

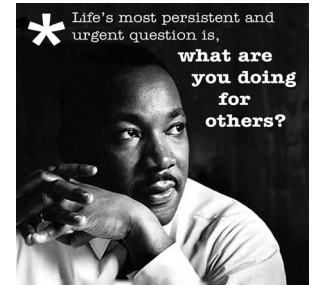
*Anyone wishing to receive a low gluten host (0.01%) at communion time due to an intolerance for wheat, please visit the sacristy before Mass. It is a privilege to provide this for consecration.*



**Facts you may not know about**

**Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.**

- His name was originally Michael and was changed by his father after a trip to Germany in honor of Martin Luther.
- He skipped two grades in high school—the 9th and 11th and entered Moorehouse College at age of 15.
- He graduated with a PhD at the age of 25.
- Although King is remembered as an outstanding orator, he received a C in public speaking in his first year of seminary. By his final years in seminary he received all A's and was the valedictorian of his class.
- At the age of 35 in 1964, King is the youngest male to date to receive the Nobel Peace Prize. He donated the \$54,123 (about \$400,00 today) to the Civil Rights movement.



The following are some sayings spoken by Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. that are as relevant today as when he spoke them:

- I have decided to stick to love...Hate is too great a burden to bear.
- Forgiveness is not an occasional act; it is a constant attitude.
- We must accept finite disappointment but never lose infinite hope.
- Nothing in the world is more dangerous than sincere ignorance and conscientious stupidity.
- Only in the darkness can you see the stars.

**January 19, 2015, Monday, is a National Holiday honoring Martin Luther King Jr. Mass will be at 9:00AM The office will be closed.**

Rev. Fr. Damian Amantia TOR  
 Rev. Fr. Kevin Queally TOR  
 Rev. Mr. Michael Menchen  
 Wendy Kiral (ext 206)  
 Joan High (ext 201)  
 Sam Marable (ext 207)  
 Alice Coston  
 Michelle Rego (ext 208)  
 Jim Kochen (ext 204)  
 Calvin Adams

Pastor  
 Parochial Vicar  
 Deacon  
 Business & Physical Plant Director  
 Parish Secretary  
 Coordinator of Faith Formation  
 Wedding Coordinator  
 Director of Liturgy and Music  
 Sacristan  
 Physical Plant Maintenance



Parish Office 11:30am-3pm Mon  
 9am-3pm Tues-Thurs  
 Friday Office is Closed  
 515 4th Street South  
 Saint Petersburg, FL 33701  
 Phone: 727-896-2191  
 Fax: 727-895-6279

**Bulletin:** Articles e-mailed  
 Wednesday by noon 10days prior.  
 Holidays 15days prior.  
 Jhigh@stmaryolg.org

Parish Website:  
 www.stmaryolg.org  
 Parish Email:  
 info@stmaryolg.org

DAY	MASS INTENTIONS	READINGS	EVENTS
<b>SUNDAY</b> January 18, 2015	The James Bonsey Family <i>By Debi Bonsey-Spriggs</i>  Parish & Staff and Calvin Adams <i>By Rosa Matthews</i>	8:00am  11:00am	1Sm 3: 3—10, 19 1 Cor 6: 13—15, 17—20 Jn 1: 35—42
			Faith Formation 9:45am (SC, SJC)  Winter Concert Series 3:00pm
<b>MONDAY</b> January 19, 2015	Marica Shea <i>By Tirena Chiavacci</i>	9:00am	Heb 5: 1—10 Mk2: 18—22
			<b>Dr. Martin Luther King Holiday</b> <b>OFFICE CLOSED</b> <b>9:00am Daily Mass</b>
<b>TUESDAY</b> January 20, 2015	† Marie Anna Baillargeon <i>By Diane Elmer</i>	12:10pm	Heb 6: 10—20 Mk2: 23—28
<b>WEDNESDAY</b> January 21, 2015	Vocations and † Jack Amantia <i>By Fr. Damian</i>	12:10pm	Heb 7: 1—3, 15—17 Mk 3: 1—6
			Wednesday Group 6:00pm (MMH)  Hibernians 6:30pm (SA)
<b>THURSDAY</b> January 22, 2015	Michael Tancos <i>By The Naruns Family</i>	12:10pm	Heb 7: 25—8: 6 Mk 3: 7—12
			Choir Rehearsal 6:00pm (CH, MMH)  Legion of Mary 7:00pm (SA)
<b>FRIDAY</b> January 23, 2015	John Bonsey Sr. <i>By Debi Bonsey-Spriggs</i>	12:10pm	Heb 8: 6—13 Mk 3: 13—19
<b>SATURDAY</b> January 24, 2015	Will Bartholomew <i>By The Naruns Family</i>	4:00pm	Heb 9: 2—3, 11—14 Mk 3: 20—21
<b>SUNDAY</b> January 25, 2015	Jean and John Bonsey <i>By Debi Bonsey-Spriggs</i>  Parish & Staff and † Betty Jane O'Connor <i>By Barbara Thomas</i>	8:00am  11:00am	Jon 3: 1—5, 10 1 Cor 7: 29—31 Mk 1: 14—20
			Faith Formation 9:45am (SC,SJC)  Winter Concert Series 3:00pm

Location Key: (CH) Church; (MMH) Monsignor McNulty Hall; (SC) Saint Clare of Assisi Room; (SJC) Saint Joseph of Cupertino Room/Library; (SA) Saint Anthony of Padua Classroom

Please remember the following who are in need of our prayers:

*Fr. Damian Amantia, TOR, Gene Egg, Callie Anderson, Marie Gaglio, Patricia Amantia, Bob Dorsey, Mary Scribner, John Sainato, Frank Dillinger, William Vragovic, Gale Chamberlain, Jenny Murnen, Sandy Murnen, Sharon Leon, Carol Lachnicht, and Milly Donaghy,*  
Please inform the Parish Office of prayer requests as they are updated monthly.

*Prayer for all Servicemen and Women*

*O Heavenly Father, help keep our men and women safe while they are defending our freedom. Help them fight with valor, serve with honor, and come home when the fight is won. For those who should fall to any harm, O Lord, please watch over them so that they can return home to the families that love them. In the dark of night and heat of battle, may our prayers—and Your divine love—offer them comfort and protection. This we pray, Amen.*

If you would like to remember a loved one or a special occasion (birthday, anniversary, etc.) by having a 2 week candle burn at the statue of Our Lady of Grace, or by contributing toward the cost of the gifts of bread and wine used during Mass on the weekends, please contact the parish office to make arrangements. A suggested donation of \$10 would be greatly appreciated.

Flower arrangements placed at the Tabernacle or the statue of Our Lady of Grace, in loving memory or a special occasion, are also available thru the parish office. Flowers are \$35 per arrangement.

*The Bread and Wine  
being offered at the  
Liturgies  
this weekend is in  
honor of*

*The Novak and  
Wyzkoski Families*

*requested by*

**Albert A. Novak Jr.**

Altar Servers

Jim Kochen

Ancient Order of Hibernians

Sean Denny

Extraordinary Ministers of

Holy Communion

Jim Kochen

Faith Community Nursing

Ministry

Sylvia Gonzales

Faith Formation

Sam Marable

Hospitality Ministers/Ushers

Nelson Ortiz

Knights of Columbus

Michael Albano

Legion of Mary

Michael Mendez

Ministry of Joy

Gloria Pion

Music Ministry

Michelle Rego

Prayer Shawl Ministry

Kathy Russell

Readers

Jim Kochen

Respect Life/Pro-Life Ministry

Elaine Clark

SHEE

Michelle Rego

Welcome Ministry

Terry Silva

Offertory total for  
 January 11, 2015

Offertory: \$4,952.35  
 Attendance: 586  
 Average Gift: \$8.45  
 Registered Households: 384  
 Ministries & Outreach: \$2,127.00

Next weekend's  
 2nd Collection is for  
 Ministries & Outreach.  
 This includes Daystar,  
 Faith Formation and Music.



*Saint Mary, Our Lady of Grace  
 Catholic Church*

Cordially invites you to a

*Valentine Gala  
 Saturday, February 14, 2015*

The Mahaffey Theatre - Grand Ballroom  
 400 First Street South, Saint Petersburg, FL 33701

Tickets: \$60 per person

Admission includes:

- Dining
- Dancing
- Music
- Entertainment
- Silent and Live Auctions
- Two Beverages

**400 BEACH**  
 seafood & tap house



*The Saint Mary's Valentine Gala Committee has set a deadline of January 30, 2015 for all program booklet advertisements and auction items. For more information, please call Tom or Maureen Camphire at 727-823-5495.*

**This cold and flu season has been difficult this year and so many have been affected by it. You might be wondering about our Pastor, Fr. Damian. Unfortunately, he has been sick since Christmas and continues to be under a doctor's care. Please pray that his recovery will be soon and he can once again resume his duties at Saint Mary's, as we all miss him.**





**Tampa Bay Celebration of Life Rally**

Join with Christians across Tampa Bay to stand for the unborn! Friday, Feb. 6; 7-9 PM. Saturday, Feb. 7; 10 am until 1 PM. Dove Award winning artists "Sidewalk Prophets" will open the Rally with a free concert on Friday, followed by featured guest speaker

Abby Johnson, former Planned Parenthood director and best-selling author. On Saturday, prayer will be led by Rev. Robert Schneider. Abby Johnson will be joined by Alveda King, niece of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. The internationally known group "The Silver Ring Thing" will perform an amazing multimedia presentation on purity for the youth.

Location: Calvary Chapel 8900 U.S. 19, Pinellas Park, 33782. For more information visit [tampabayprolife.org](http://tampabayprolife.org) or contact Sabrina at 813-246-6916; [sab@dosp.org](mailto:sab@dosp.org)



*The Jubilee Mass of Thanksgiving with Bishop Robert Lynch honoring couples throughout the diocese who will celebrate 25, 50 or more years of marriage during 2015 will take place at the Cathedral of Saint Jude the Apostle on Sunday, February 8<sup>th</sup> at 3:00pm. If you wish to attend, please contact the parish office no later than January 20th at 2:00pm for a reservation.*

**The Daring Vocation of Christian Marriage**

**Saturday, February 7, 2015 8:30 a.m.–Noon**

This workshop will look at the particular challenges that married couples face in their efforts to maintain healthy, committed, Christian marriages in a culture that provides few supports for such a commitment. In response to those cultural challenges, we will explore the theological resources in our Catholic Christian tradition that can help couples deepen the spiritual roots of their marriage relationship. Dr. Richard R. Gaillardetz is the Joseph Professor of Catholic Systematic Theology at Boston College. He has published more than 100 articles and has authored or edited ten books, including *A Daring Promise: A Spirituality of Christian Marriage* (Liguori, 2007). He is married to Diana and they are the parents of four boys.



**Registration**

**Early Registration (by Friday, January 21, 2015)** \$20 per couple or \$10 per individual.  
**After January 23 and day of event** (if space is available) \$25 per couple or \$15 per individual

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email \_\_\_\_\_  
 Couple \_\_\_\_\_ Individual \_\_\_\_\_ Amount Enclosed \_\_\_\_\_

All are welcome! Please contact the parish office at 727.360.1147, ext. 203. Seating is limited. Please call to check availability for day-of-event registration. Image courtesy of Tanatat/FreeDigitalPhotos.net

**Announcements**



**Please remember our Poor Boxes. Your donations serve our local community through Daystar Outreach, Saint Mary's Ministry of Mercy. Located at both side entrances.**

The Prayer Shawl Ministry is a group of knitters and crocheters who make shawls for people who need comfort during illness, recuperation, and times of loneliness or mourning. These shawls provide them with hope, love and comfort. Lap robes are also knitted or crocheted and given out. If you would like to be involved in this ministry please contact Kathy Russell at 727-515-0854.







*Check out the Parish website for the new on line way to make your donations to the parish. It is safe and as easy as a click of the mouse with WeShare. Your offerings will be here even if you are enjoying a vacation away.*



Knights of Columbus Council 2105

For questions or assistance, please call: (727) 347-0077

**Saint Mary, Our Lady of Grace  
Winter Concert Series**

*All Concerts are FREE of Charge*

Music for Violoncello

*Sunday, January 18, 2015  
3:00pm*

TheGratta-Mozelle Duo

*This innovative duo celebrates compositions written for cello and organ as well as works for unaccompanied cello, solo organ, and cello/piano combinations. Cellist Fred Gratta and Keyboardist Mary Mozelle will present works by J.S. Bach, Josef Rheinberger, Craig Phillips, Manuel de Falla, Sergei Rachmaninoff, and Maurice Ravel. You won't want to miss their heavenly sounds in the spectacular acoustics at Saint Mary!*



*Sunday, January 25, 2015 3:00pm* Flute Festival Three: "Music in Motion"

*Join the Tampa Bay Flute Choir for an afternoon of music in motion...from the Fjords of Norway to the Red River Valley. The sounds of piccolo, alto, bass and soprano flutes will provide you with a feast for the ears, that is also fun to watch!*

**Tampa Bay Flute Choir**



*Sunday, February 8, 2015*

*3:00pm*

**Holy Jazz  
Featuring Erica DiCeglie & Trio**



**HOLY JAZZ** is a contemporary jazz quartet that will present a fantastic musical journey into the heart of the Gospels. Through soul-filling music, quotes and parables from the New Testament, and visual imagery, Erica DiCeglie and friends will take you out of your seat and put you in front of the gates of heaven.

