

**ST. MARY'S  
BYZANTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH**

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**SUNDAY OF THE MYRRH-BEARERS**

**April 14, 2024**

**SAT. 4:30 p.m. +Annette Ragan by Sharon Hrina**  
**SUN. 10:30 a.m. Health & Blessings of Parishioners**

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**MON. 10:30 a.m. No Liturgy**

**TUE. 10:30 a.m. +Cheri Kent by Mother, Jackie Leson**

**WED. 10:30 a.m. No Liturgy**

**THU. 10:30 a.m. No Liturgy**

**FRI. 10:30 a.m. +Charles Turjanica by Stella Maiorana**



**SUNDAY OF THE PARALYTIC**

**April 21, 2024**

**SAT. 4:30 p.m. +Karen Muransky by Gloria Allshouse**  
**SUN. 10:30 a.m. Health & Blessings of Parishioners**

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*The angel standing by the tomb cried out to the Myrrh-bearing women: Myrrh is fitting for the dead, but Christ has shown Himself not subject to corruption. So now cry out: The Lord is risen, bestowing great mercy upon the world.*

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**CHURCH DONATIONS April 7, 2024**

***In Memory ...Don Danko \$785.00***  
***Holy Week \$30.00 Easter \$50.00***  
***Candles \$33.00 Monthly dues \$65.00***  
***Sisters \$50.00***  
***Offertory \$440.00***

**SAVE THE DATE**

**Please mark your calendar...May 18th the Saturday 4:30 p.m.  
Liturgy will be Father's 49th Anniversary. There will be a  
celebration in our Center following the Liturgy.**

**CONGRATULATIONS FR. JOHN WELCH...**

**Our Deacon for the last three months was ordained this past Sunday  
at St. Michael's in Hermitage. His first Liturgy at his home Parish  
will be held this Sunday afternoon at Sts. Peter & Paul, Warren,  
Ohio. We all offer our Thanks to Fr. John for the times he served  
with us and for all his words of inspiration in his Homily's.**

**May God be with you in your Priesthood.**

**SOCIAL GAMES**

**Games are played every Sunday...Doors open 4:30 p.m and Games  
begin at 6:30 p.m. Stop by Sunday...we offer great Prizes...Don't  
miss out. ALSO..We will hold a Super Bingo May 11th ..plan to  
join us ...Seats are going FAST. Stop by the office Mon-Fri from  
9:00 a.m. till 5:00 p.m. to purchase your tickets.**

***CHRIST IS RISEN!***  
***INDEED HE IS RISEN!***

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## SUNDAY OF THE OINTMENT-BEARING WOMEN

In the beginning of His public life, Jesus often went to Galilee where He performed many miracles. A group of holy women followed Him around, ministering to Him out of their own resources. They even accompanied Him to the foot of the Cross. On the morning of the third day after His death they came to the tomb bearing ointments to embalm His body. Seven of them are known by name: Mary Magdalene, Mary, mother of James and wife of Cleophas, Joanna, the wife of Chusa, a steward to Herod Antipas, Salome, the mother of the sons of Zebedee, Suzanna, and Martha and Mary, the sisters of Lazarus.



Two secret disciples of Christ are also commemorated today: Nicodemus, a leader of the Pharisees who came to visit Jesus at night and believed in Him, as told in the third chapter of the Gospel according to John; and Joseph of Arimathea, a rich and noble citizen of Ramah, or Arimathea. After Christ died he had the courage to claim His body and place it in his own new tomb.

### CHRIST IS RISEN!

He arose because His life could not be locked in death. He arose because the grave could not hold Him. He arose, for He had an appointment with God. He arose because He had told His disciples He would. He arose to bring redemption. He arose to be the unshakable Rock. He arose because He had a purpose to fulfill. He arose because He had a task to perform. He arose because He has a Church to build. He arose to be the Head of the Church. He arose to preside over the altar. He arose to wash men's sin away. He arose because He has a Comforter to send unto men. He arose to rule in the pure heart. He arose, for He has life to impart. He arose, for He has the light...the only light of men. He arose because He has healing for the ill. He arose because He has the answer for life's great questions. He arose because He loved with a deathless love. He arose because He has some mansions to prepare. He arose to walk again with men. He arose to call again, again, and again. He arose to inspire men to be righteous. He arose to help carry burdens...heavy burdens. He arose to show the way beyond the grave. He arose to speak to the hearts of men. He arose to condemn sin and evil. He arose to console and pity and understand. He arose to inspire preachers and empower sermons. He arose to condemn sin forever. He arose to be a King...forever a King.

*He lives! He lives! He forever lives!*

*May the Risen Lord give each of us the faith and courage to face our struggles and accept God's gift of New Life, Hope and Resurrection!*

*Christ is Risen!*

*Indeed He is Risen!*

*Christos Voskrese!*

*Voistinnu Voskrese!*

*Felta'Madt Krisztus!*

*Valo'banfelta Madt!*