

# *Saint Martin of Tours*

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## WELCOME

*St. Martin of Tours is a continuation of the life of Christ, in the lives of our parish members and of our visitors as well.*

*St. Martin of Tours was founded in 1911. For a complete history of our parish, consult our web site.*

*As you join our community for the Eucharist this Sunday, may the Lord's grace and peace remain with you, this week and always.*

## PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

*Strengthened by Jesus in the celebration of the Sacraments, especially the Eucharist, and inspired by the Word of God, we gratefully share our time, talent and treasure. We endeavor to reach out to all members of our parish and the larger community through faith formation, the ministry of our school, fellowship and works of charity. As a Roman Catholic parish within the Archdiocese of Cincinnati, this vision guides our ministry and service in the Cheviot/Western Hills community.*

## PHONE NUMBERS

Parish Office 661-2000  
School Office 661-7609  
[www.saintmartin.org](http://www.saintmartin.org)

## SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday 8:00, 9:30 & 11:30 a.m.

## HOLY DAY MASS SCHEDULE

Consult the schedule  
inside bulletin

## WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday, Wednesday & Friday  
6:30 a.m.  
Tuesday & Thursday  
8:00 a.m.

## BINGO

Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

## BULLETIN DEADLINE

Monday 5:00 p.m.

## TOUR TALK DEADLINE

10th of each month

## SACRAMENTS

### RECONCILIATION

Saturday 3:30-4:30 p.m.

### HOLY ORDERS

Call our Parish Office to explore the possibility of a vocation to the Ordained Priesthood, Diaconate, or Vowed Religious Life for Women and Men.

### MATRIMONY

Engaged couples should contact our Parish Office at least six months in advance of desired date to make an appointment with a priest. Date will only be set after this interview. Marriage Preparation Program is a prerequisite.

### BAPTISM

Arrangements for Pre-Baptismal Program should be made before the birth of your baby or shortly thereafter. Contact our Parish Office for details.

### ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please notify our Parish Office of illnesses or hospitalizations so that we may visit you.

## PASTORAL COUNCIL

President: Debbie Weitz 661-8256  
Vice-President: Eileen Duffy 481-6732

## NEW PARISHIONERS

Interested in becoming a member of our parish family? Please contact our Parish Office to register.

## CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Please notify our Parish Office if you have had a change of address or phone number, or if a member of your family has gone into a nursing facility.

## BEQUESTS: A LEGACY OF FAITH

By naming St. Martin of Tours in your will, you can bequeath to a new generation a legacy of faith and gain for yourself the blessing and personal satisfaction of knowing that your gift will help to further the work of Our Lord Jesus Christ. For more information, please call our Parish Office.

**ST. MARTIN OF TOURS CHURCH**



**MONDAY, April 15, 2019—Holy Week**

8:00 a.m. Celebrants Intention

**TUESDAY, April 16, 2019—Holy Week**

8:00 a.m. Delores Gerhardt

**WEDNESDAY, April 17, 2019—Holy Week**

8:00 a.m. Joseph Marinucci

**THURSDAY, April 18, 2019—Holy Thursday**

8:00 a.m. Morning Prayer

7:00 p.m. Mass of the Lords Supper

**FRIDAY, April 19, 2019—Good Friday**

8:00 a.m. Morning Prayer

12:00 Noon The Lords Passion

2:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross

**SATURDAY, April 20, 2019—Holy Saturday**

8:00 a.m. Morning Prayer

8:45 p.m. Easter Vigil

**SUNDAY, April 21, 2019—Easter Sunday**

8:00 a.m. Mass for the Parish

9:30 a.m. Bill & Rita Ray

11:30 a.m. Steven Evans

**Palm Sunday:**

Palm Sunday marks Jesus triumphant entry into Jerusalem. The people of Jerusalem hailed him as their Messianic King. Little did they know what it would cost Him to usher in his kingdom. Jesus went to Jerusalem knowing full well what awaited him betrayal, rejection, and crucifixion. Throughout Holy Week, we reflect on the events of Jesus passion and death. Through His death and resurrection, He liberated us from death and sin. Jesus came to bring us the kingdom of God. He is the true King who offers peace, joy, and everlasting life for those who accept his kingship.

**Prayer Moment:**

Lord Jesus, be the King and Ruler of our hearts, minds, and home, may our life reflect your meekness and humility and honor you as the King of glory.

**A Vocation View:**

Surrender your life to God. You are promised eternal life.

CHURCH COLLECTION:		
		Deficit
Sunday, April 7, 2019	\$9,940.57	
Online Donations	\$865.00	
Average Weekly Needed:	\$12,100.00	\$1,194.43
Fiscal Year-to-date:	\$441,400.00	
Needed Fiscal Year-to-date:	\$496,100.00	\$54,700.00
Preserving Our Treasures	\$37,977.59	
Spare Change	\$477.57	

**Stock Donations:** Donations of stocks to St. Martin of Tours Church will be processed through St. Martin of Tours new individual custodial account at Fifth Third Bank. Please contact Lois Sundrup for specific information and delivery instructions.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH:**

Also, remember in your prayers those who are in nursing homes, sick at home, and all who have received prayer blankets.

If you know of anyone who can benefit from a **PRAYER BLANKET** from St. Martin's, please call the parish office at 661-2000, to remind those who need it that the people of St. Martin's are praying for their physical, mental and spiritual health.

In April, 2003, new national hospital-patient privacy laws were enacted. Therefore, many hospitals will not notify St. Martin's of your admission. **If you would like someone from St. Martin's to visit you in the hospital, please call the parish office to notify us.**

Readings for the Week	
Monday, April 15	Is 42:1-7/Jn 12:1-11
Tuesday, April 16	Is 49:1-6/Jn 13:31-33,36-38
Wednesday, April 17	Is 50:4-9a/Mt 26:14-25
Thursday, April 18	Ex 12:1-8,11-14;1 Cor 11:23-26/Jn 13:1-15
Friday, April 19	Is 52:13-53:12;Heb 4:14-16,5:7-9/Jn 18:1-19:42
Saturday, April 20	Ex 14:15-15:1;Is 54:5-14,55:1-11;Bar 3:9-15,32-4:4;Ez 36:16-28; Rom6:3-11/Lk 24:1-12
Sunday, April 21	Acts 10:34a,37-43;Col 3:1-4/Jn 20:1-9

Holy Week		
	Servers	Lectors
Holy Thursday 7:00 p.m.	Debbie Brunst Bob Schmitz Josh Huff Destinie Sharp	Sue Shukas
Good Friday 12:00 Noon	Debbie Kleisinger Morgan Fightmaster Haley Bonecutter	Sr. Nancy John Dumont
Easter Vigil 8:45 p.m.	Becca Fantetti Nathan Fantetti Rosa Fantetti Emily Wical	Bob Schmitz Lou Winston Jamie Bonecutter

**MASS SERVERS**

**8:00 A.M. Tuesday April 16**

Kiersten Schwarte, Kayla Metz

**Easter Sunday, April 21**

Mass	Servers	Lectors
8:00 a.m.	Gail Koenig Debbie Kleisinger	Eileen Duffy
9:30 a.m.	Olivia Anderson Jaylen Haas Destinie Sharp	Eileen Murray
11:30 a.m.	Ava Gaskins Shayna Gaskins Carson Braun	Angelo Mancini

The following parishioner has entered Eternal Life. Please remember her in your prayers.

**Virginia Young**, beloved wife of the late Harry L. Young dear mother of Jerry and Jenny.



**Holy Week:** Beginning today, with Palm Sunday, we enter into the most important week of the year in the Christian calendar. Please give yourself a special gift this week by participating in the

beautiful liturgies of Maundy Thursday, Good Friday and Holy Saturday. These days celebrate the greatest gift we have ever received- the gift of salvation. "God so loved the world that He sent His only Son that we might have eternal life..."

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** In order to provide an additional opportunity to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation in preparation for Easter, Confessions will be heard on Monday, April 15 from 4:00 to 7:30 p.m. There will be no Confessions on Holy Thursday, Good Friday or Holy Saturday.

**Thank You:** An early "Thank you" for your gifts to our Easter offering this year. Your generosity will be a blessing for our parish stewardship and will be deeply appreciated.

**Easter Notes:** I am looking forward to celebrating with you next Sunday the glorious Feast of the Lord's Resurrection. Easter is always a time for homecomings, especially in our church family. If you know someone who is looking for a place to attend Mass on Easter Sunday, invite them to come with you to St. Martin. A warm welcome is extended to All!

Holy Week Blessings  
Fr. Terry



**Prayer for Palm Sunday**

On this day of great rejoicing, Lord Christ,  
When we welcome You as our King and Savior,  
We also walk in the shadow of Your cross.

Hosanna! We cry

Blessed are You who come in God's name to save us.

Hosanna!

Strengthen our faith on this Palm Sunday  
so that when the time comes to carry the cross,  
we might still call out to You with heartfelt praise.

Give us the grace and the courage to follow You this Holy Week,  
from death to resurrection, from darkness to fullness of light.

We need You, O Christ, our Savior.

Hosanna! Amen

**LECTORS & SERVERS:** We are working on the June, July and August lector and server schedules. If you will be away this summer or there are any dates or times that you are unable to lector or serve. Please call the Parish Office at 661-2000.

We would also like to welcome anyone who is interested in becoming a lector or server to call the parish office at 661-2000.

**Holy Week Schedule:**

Holy Week begins today with Palm Sunday.

*Holy Thursday, April 18,* Mass of The Lords Supper at 7:00 p.m.

*Good Friday, April 19,* at 12:00 noon, The Liturgy of Christ's Passion Stations of the Cross at 2:00 p.m.

*Holy Saturday, April 20,* Easter Vigil Mass at 8:45 p.m.

*Easter Sunday Masses April, 21 at 8:00, 9:30 and 11:30 a.m.*

**Our Annual Easter Egg Hunt,** is Easter Sunday, April 21, after the 11:30 Mass on the church lawn (or in the gym if it rains). Bring a basket everyone can participate. Age Groups 0-4, 5-10. Big Kids and Adults hunt for a chance to win gift cards. Please consider donating bags of candy or gift cards, drop them off at the parish office by Tuesday, April 16. If you would like to help with the Easter Egg Hunt, please contact Kevin Bonecutter at [Kevin.bonecutter@yahoo.com](mailto:Kevin.bonecutter@yahoo.com).

**St. Martin Fall Soccer Sign Ups,** Ages 1st grade - 8th grade. Cost is \$50. You can register online at [saintmartin.org](http://saintmartin.org) under "Athletics" or register in person at the Parish Center/Gym: Tuesday, April 16 from 6:00- 8:30 p.m. We are always seeking new coaches, so if you are interested in coaching, please contact Kevin Bonecutter at 662-2966 or [Kevin.Bonecutter@yahoo.com](mailto:Kevin.Bonecutter@yahoo.com)

**CONGRATULATION** to our high school students who made 3rd Quarter Honor Roll.

**LaSalle**

**1st Honors** Nathaniel Fantetti, Noah Fulmer, Anthony Lucero.

**2nd Honors** Avery Stenger, Chase Willis.

**Elder High School**

**1st Honors:** Cameron Jansing, Tylar Jansing, Emiliano Larios, Stephen Metzner, Richard H. Rutherford.

**2nd Honors:** Elias Singler, Andrew Tate.

**Thank You** to the following parishioners who have made a donation to St. Martin's Music Fund.

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| Bob Stegman               | Mary Jo, Andy, Mindy & Ben |
| Daniel & Scott Wingate    |                            |
| Bud Reed                  | Catherine Reed             |
| Joyce & Norman Neiheisel  | Greg & Carol Stoecklin     |
| Bill Zeilman              |                            |
| Georgianna Donly          | Helen Nostheide            |
| Clo, Norb & Joe Nostheide | Steve & Katie Brown        |
| Richard G. Brown          | Steve & Katie Brown        |
| Donald Barbender          |                            |

**St. Martin Prayer Chain-**

**"Where two or three are gathered in My name":**

*Never pass a day without thanking Jesus for all He has done for you during your life." (St. John Vianney)*

Are you or someone you know in need of prayers? St. Martin's Telephone Prayer Chain will take your request for prayers, just call Carol (451-8566) or Peg (922-7575) and leave the first name or initial of the person needing our prayer and why.

We also send "Thank you, God" prayers.



We are in need of the following items at our parish food pantry: canned fruit, rice or rice sides, canned tomatoes, canned meat and cereal. God bless you and yours.

**The St. Martin Book Discussion Group** is currently reading *The Other Wes Moore* by Wes Moore. We will meet to discuss this book on Tuesday, May 14, 2019 at 6:45 p.m. in the Red School Building. The book is available at the public library. Please consider joining us - we welcome new readers. Contact Eileen at 481-6732 or [duffy@eileen@aol.com](mailto:duffy@eileen@aol.com) with any questions.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS		
Date/Time	Event	Place
<b>Monday, April 15, 2019</b>		
7:00 p.m.	Bible Study	Red School
<b>Tuesday, April 16, 2019</b>		
6:30 p.m.	Soccer Sign ups	Parish Center
7:00 p.m.	Prayer for Peace	Church
<b>Wednesday, April 17, 2019</b>		
7:00 p.m.	Music Practice	Church
7:00 p.m.	Bingo	Fr. Mick Hall
<b>Sunday, April 21, 2019</b>		
After 11:30 a.m.	Easter Egg Hunt	Parish Lawn

**Play St. Martin's BINGO on Wednesday evenings in Fr. Mick Hall.** Doors open at 5:00 p.m. games begin at 7:00 p.m.

*Bingo provides a substantial amount of financial assistance to the parish.* Without bingo, we would have to raise school tuition considerably more.

**Please** schedule your night to work. Contact Becky Fellerman at [beckyfellerman@yahoo.com](mailto:beckyfellerman@yahoo.com) or 513-265-5642.

If you are scheduled to work at bingo, please arrive by **6:00 p.m.**

**We need brown paper grocery bags for Bingo.** Please drop bags off at the Parish Office. Thank You!

#### ATTENTION VOLUNTEERS...

A requirement from **THE ARCHDIOCESE of CINCINNATI** The **Required VIRTUS® Monthly Continuing Education Bulletins** are posted around the first week of each month. You do not need an email reminder from VIRTUS® to read your monthly Bulletin. Set up a monthly reminder to log in to VIRTUS® and click the VIRTUS® Training tab to view the monthly VIRTUS® Bulletin and answer the question. If you **fall three VIRTUS Bulletins behind** you **WILL BE MADE INACTIVE.**

**Reminder to anyone who coaches, chaperones, volunteers or has any contact in any capacity with the children at St. Martin:** BEFORE you can begin volunteering, **The Archdiocese of Cincinnati is REQUIRING** that all volunteers and staff who work with children must **1) attend a VIRTUS® Program** and **2) Beginning January 1, 2014, volunteers do not need to be fingerprinted, BUT they MUST do a background check with Selection.com from within their VIRTUS account.** The background check will be required for anyone **who has not had fingerprints or had a background check done in the last five years.** **GO ONLINE TO YOUR VIRTUS ACCOUNT TO DO THE BACKGROUND CHECK THROUGH SELECTION.COM** (the link is found in the Toolbox Tab of your VIRTUS page). In order to do the background check through Selecton.com, please call the parish office for a Fastrax Token worth \$25.00.

#### Family Corner

##### Marriage Moment

Holy Week is a sober time for all Christians as we remember a sacred meal (Holy Thursday), suffering (Good Friday), uncertainty (Holy Saturday) and rebirth (Easter). Talk about times in your marriage of special meals, suffering, uncertainty, and rebirth.

##### Parenting Pointer

April is Child Abuse Prevention Month

Certainly you don't abuse your child, but it happens in some homes. You can help. Go to <https://tinyurl.com/ya9y6vyp> for ideas.

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**If you have a change of address or phone number please call the Parish Office at 661-2000. Also, if you are new to the parish please call the parish office to register.**

**St Martin's PRAYER FOR PEACE** is held every Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. in church. Please consider coming to pray for our country, peace in the world and for our brave soldiers around the world. All are invited.

**TO MAKE ONLINE DONATIONS OR PAY TUITION** to St. Martin of Tours by credit card, go to [saintmartin.org](http://saintmartin.org) and click the "Give Online with WeShare" icon at the bottom of the home page. 1) Select the type of contribution: 2) Recurring or Onetime donation 3) Complete and confirm your information.

**Our Lady of Lourdes** invites St. Martin Students to sign up and be part of Lourdes football. Games are played on Saturdays and Sundays. If interested in signing up for the 2019 football season, please go to <http://ollac.website.siplay.com/> use participation code: TigerRoar and sign up by 4/30/2019. Contact Tim at [hortsonts@yahoo.com](mailto:hortsonts@yahoo.com) or [tbowns@flynncoepa.com](mailto:tbowns@flynncoepa.com).

**That Unique Creation of God is "You"**, facilitated by Betty Finn, SC, is offered by the Sisters of Charity Spirituality Center on Thursdays, April 25 & May 2 from 1:30-3:00 p.m. We are all created uniquely in the image of our loving God. Come and share some time to appreciate the qualities and gifts you hold within yourself. You must be able to attend both sessions to participate in this workshop. The program will be held at the Sisters of Charity Motherhouse, Delhi Road. Fee is \$15 Please contact the Spirituality Center 513-347-5449 or [spirituality.center@srcharitycinti.org](mailto:spirituality.center@srcharitycinti.org) to register or for additional information.