# Holy Spirit Catholic Church

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> Office hours: Tuesday — Friday 9:00 am — 4:00 pm

> > 10 March 2019

## Mass Schedule

Sunday Mass 8:30 a.m. 10:15 a.m.

Saturday Vigil Mass 4:00 pm

> Weekday Mass Wednesday 6:30 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation Wednesday 5:00 — 6:00 pm



One does not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes forth from the mouth of God.

Matthew 4: 4



### Pastor

Fr. W. David Nestler, O.F.M. Cap.

#### Deacons

Deacon Shelby Friend Deacon Ronald James Br. Akolla Etuge, O.F.M. Cap.

Music Minister Mr. David Williams

Archbishop Lyke School 216.991.9644

ALL ARE WELCOME TO COME AND WORSHIP WITH US



We come together as a diverse and welcoming community to glorify, praise, and give thanks to God in Christ Jesus. Inspired by God's Word and the Eucharist, we go forth to serve the needs of our parish and the extended community.

We are called through the Holy Spirit to spread the Gospel message and reach out to the poor and oppressed. We are committed to know, understand, and love each other as members of Christ's body.

#### MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, 09 March 2019 1st Sunday of Lent

4:00 pm People of Holy Spirit Parish

Sunday, 10 March 2019 1st First Sunday of Lent

8:30 am (+) Winifred Carrye Williams

10:15 am (+) Sherman Whaley

Wednesday, 13 March 2019 1st Week of Lent

6:30 pm Sofia Fasone

Saturday, 16 March 2019 2nd Sunday of Lent

4:00 pm (+) Leslie DeBrossard

Sunday, 17 March 2019 2ND SUNDAY OF LENT

8:30 am People of Holy Spirit Parish

10:15 am Intentions of Philo Nwosu

## Joy in the Midst of it All THANK YOU!

Joy in the Midst of it All was the theme for the three-day collaborative Revival that we had the honor to host here last week. While the preaching and the praying of the three nights was rightly directed toward the joy that is our call and can be ours even in the most profound difficulties of life — I found myself mundanely thinking about the joy I was feeling in the midst of all the planning, the organizing, the requests, and the unexpected things that inevitably come with hosting our brothers and sisters for three consecutive nights.

We have a beautiful, generous and joyful community here. And we let that spirit of Jesus shine through our efforts all week. So many people did so many different things to make the Revival successful. For whatever you did: from making phone calls to emptying trash, from resupplying paper towels, packaging cookies, and serving hundreds of fish dinners to endlessly practicing the dance moves and the singing and accompaniment — whatever it was, big and small, I and your fellow parishioners genuinely thank you.

thankful and grateful

We are grateful for each other and ask God's blessings on all of us. May our efforts, with the help of God's grace, bear fruit in the lives of all who came.





#### READINGS FOR THE WEEK MARCH 10

Sunday Dt 26:4-10; Rom 10:8-13; Lk 4:1-13

Monday Lv 19:1-2, 11-18; Mt 25:31-46

Tuesday Is 55:10-11; Mt 6:7-15

Wednesday Jon 3:1-10; Lk 11:29-32

Thursday Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25; Mt 7:7-12

Friday Ez 18:21-28; Mt 5:20-26

Saturday Dt 26:16-19; Mt 5:43-48

Sunday Gn 15:5-12, 17-18; Phil 3:17—4:1 or 3:20—

4:1; Lk 9:28b-36



He brought us out of Egypt with his strong hand and out-stretched arm, with terrifying power, with signs and wonders; and bringing us into this country, he gave us this land flowing with milk and honey.

— Deuteronomy 26:8-9

<b>%</b> March	HAPPY BIRTHDAY!		
Sunday 3/10/2019			
Monday 3/11/2019			
Tuesday 3/12/2019	Donna Clayton Johnita Larkin Eliza Solomon		
Wednesday 3/13/2019	Marlene DeBrossard Roderick Solomon		
Friday 3/15/2019	Hayley Calhoun Earle Turner Ariel Trawick		
Saturday 3/16/2019	Tahj Kendrick		

#### WANT TO GO TO AN ORDINATION? BUS RESERVATIONS ARE OPEN



Br. Akolla is in the final step of preparation and formation before being ordained a priest. If everything continues to go well, he will be approved for ordination sometime in the next couple of weeks. If that is the case, the ordination will take

place in Pittsburgh on Saturday, June 15th.

We have placed a down payment on a 56-passenger bus to go to the ordination, leaving here early on that Saturday morning and returning to Garfield Heights by 5:00 pm that

We are now taking reservations for seats on the bus; the cost of the bus will be \$25 per passenger. Mark the date and call the rectory to reserve your seat on the bus.

#### HOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM **HEAP**

HEAP is a federally-funded program to assist eligible Ohio residents with home heating bills. Application forms are still available at the side door of the church. If you know someone who can benefit, please feel free to take an application or two.

MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK					
Sunday, 10 March 2019 after the 10:15 am Mass	Holy Name Society meeting First Communion class				
Monday, 11 March 2019 12:00 pm 7:00 pm	Race Relations meeting Bible study				
Tuesday, 12 March 2019 6:30 pm	OGN meeting				
Wednesday, 13 March 2019 12:30 pm 5:00 - 6:00 pm 6:30 pm 7:30 pm	Bible study Sacrament of reconciliation Mass Adult Choir rehearsal				
Thursday, 14 March 2019 6:00 pm	Youth Choir rehearsal Praise Dance rehearsal				
Friday, 15 March 2019 7:00 pm	Stations of the Cross				
Saturday, 16 March 2019 10:00 am	Women's Guild Acts of Mercy Holy Spirit Marthas				
Sunday, 17 March 2019 after the 10:15 am Mass	Confirmation Class St. Patrick's Day Brunch				

#### **Today**

#### FIRST COMMUNION CLASS

Sunday, 10 March 2019

#### Next Sunday

#### **CONFIRMATION CLASS**

Sunday, 17 March 2019

#### DFREE CLASSES MOVE TO THE PARISH CENTER



Financial freedom classes are moving to the Parofree ish Center beginning Saturday, March 23, 2019, at the regular time 2:00 - 3:30 pm. The class for Saturday, March 16, 2019 is cancelled.

#### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Beginning this week we will pray the Stations of the Cross in the church on Fridays at 7:00 pm through April 12th. Various parishioners are being asked to lead this time-honored devotion and to offer a brief reflection at the start. Come join us.



#### ANOTHER IDEA FOR LENT WEDNESDAY EVENING MASS

Another way you may do some extra praying for Lent is to come to the 6:30 Mass on Wednesday evenings. We pray in the main church; usually 20 to 30 people are able to come. And every Wednesday, Fr. David is available in the small chapel to celebrate the sacrament of reconciliation.

#### AFRICAN AMERICAN MUSEUM TRIP

Plans for a trip to the African American Museum in August 2019 are in the works. Details will be coming soon.

#### St. Patrick's Day Brunch

Sponsored by Holy Spirit Catholic Church Holy Name Society

Sunday, 17 March 2019 following 10:15 Mass in Mulligan Hall

See any Holy Name member for tickets

Price: \$10.00

All takeout meals have to be ordered before March 16th

#### THE CHURCH IN CENTRAL AND EASTERN EUROPE

Second Collection for March 16-17

Next week is the collection for the church in Central and Eastern Europe. This collection supports the church in more than twenty countries that are still struggling to recover in the aftermath of communist rule. Funds from this collection support pastoral care, catechesis, building renovations, and seminary formation. Your support helps restore the church and builds the future in this region. More information can be found at www.usccb.org/ccee.

#### REVIVAL VIDEOS ON OUR WEBSITE

If you missed any part of last week's Revival, videos will soon be posted to our website alongside our 10:15 Sunday Mass. Click on "Videos" on the homepage — and spread the word of the joy that is ours.

#### **UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS**

There are three second collections scheduled for March.

March 09-10: Black and Indian Mission (*this Weekend*)
March 16-17: Church in Central and Eastern Europe

March 30-31: Catholic Relief Services

And then sometime before Holy Week we will schedule a collection for Operation Rice Bowl, a strong tradition throughout the Catholic Church in the U.S. during Lent.

Collection	Weekly Goal: \$6,200.00			
02 – 03 March 2019	\$10,007.35 + \$3,807.35			
Thank you so much for your continuous support!				

#### PRAY FOR OUR BROTHERS AND SISTERS

If you or members of your family are admitted to the hospital and would like to be visited and remembered in prayer, please notify the parish office.

If you are unable to attend Mass and want to receive a visit from the pastor or deacons, please contact the parish office.

Let us always pray for our sick and shut-in parishioners. In particular, please remember in prayer:

Rochelle Larkin-Carr	Estella Fortson	Olivia Allen	Amanda Lewis	Rosie Bridges
Jesse Traylor	Kay Tucker	Daphne Allen	John P. Jones, Jr.	Irby Lynch
Calvin Singleton, Sr.	Marvin Young	Geraldine Kersey	Elissa Coleman	Shirley Liston
Roger & Connie Raines	Donna Clayton	Demateress Richards	Len Rosky	Pauline Reed
Rosemarie McBride	Fletcher Posey	Juanita McPherson	Luis Lorenzo	Bill & Monica Starks
Vera Payne	Marie Ciccotti	Catherine Wilson	Jewell Gardner	Bettina & Horace Bowling
James Wilson	Marian Mauldin	Marlene Land	Maria Hanan	Patricia Polk
Carmen Whaley	Don Miller	Denise Curry	Dorothy Newman	Marlene DeBrossard
Edith Richardson	Allyssa Brand-Bey	Theresa Talbott	Frederick Whatley	Thelma Arnold
Helen Collier	Reaver Jones	Margaret Luton	Daniel Jefferson	Mattie Smith
Dorothy Minor	Della Powell	Sandra Cummings	Sharm Starks	Tyrone & Terry Lester
Phyllis Partee	Raman Belinson	Maureen Belinson	Linda E. Williams	Horace Reese
Sara Dickson	Ruby Fett	Jesse Smiley	Delores (Dee) Posey	Frances Shellenbarger
Kiana Pearson	Mildred Jackson	Mary Evans	Tammy Larkin	Jonathan Traylor
Jerry Freeman	Carrie Aaron	Jesse & Jessica Carr	Lillie Baker	Patricia Pendleton
Sr. Mary Beth Daly, SND	Walter Adams			

Pray for our parishioners in the military:							
Saundra Clark	Melissa James	Stephanie Wentz	Andy Hutchinson	Uchechi Onwuanaibe			
Joshua Sánchez	Tyrone Franklin, Jr.	Mario Williams	Steven Daniel	Sadé Powers			
Dennis Ross, II	Steven Rau	Glen Pfleger	Maurice Williams				