

Holy Spirit Catholic Church

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

03 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



Holy Spirit Church

Do whatever he tells
you.

John 2: 5b



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



**Holy Spirit Parish
Mission Statement**

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, 02 March 2019* THE 8TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
4:00 pm (+) Fred & Anna Jefferson
- Sunday, 03 March 2019* THE 8TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
8:30 am Jesse Carr
10:15 am People of Holy Spirit
- Wednesday, 06 March 2019* ASH WEDNESDAY – REVIVAL
7:00 pm For all the Faithful
- Saturday, 09 March 2019* THE 1ST SUNDAY OF LENT
4:00 pm People of Holy Spirit
- Sunday, 10 March 2019* THE 1ST SUNDAY OF LENT
8:30 am (+) Winifred Carrye Williams
10:15 am (+) Sherman Whaley

STATIONS OF THE CROSS



Lent begins this Wednesday. In addition to our responsibilities to host and oversee the logistics of the Revival, we are all also considering the special and particular ways each one of us might observe the season. Taking on some extra penitential practices is typical for most Catholics. "What are you giving up for Lent?" is the iconic question of the season. Consider attending the Stations of the Cross as a part of your Lenten observance this year.

Beginning Friday, March 15th we will pray the Stations of the Cross in the church 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.



THANK YOU!



The family of James Cohea would like to thank the Holy Spirit community for the many acts of kindness. His soul now rests in our Heavenly Father.

— Cara Johnson and family

READINGS FOR THE WEEK MARCH 3

- Sunday* Sir 27:4-7; 1 Cor 15:54-58; Lk 6:39-45
- Monday* Sir 17:20-24; Mk 10:17-27
- Tuesday* Sir 35:1-12; Mk 10:28-31
- Wednesday* Jl 2:12-18; 2 Cor 5:20—6:2; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
- Thursday* Dt 30:15-20; Lk 9:22-25
- Friday* Is 58:1-9a; Mt 9:14-15
- Saturday* Is 58:9b-14; Lk 5:27-32
- Sunday* Dt 26:4-10; Rom 10:8-13; Lk 4:1-13


RESPONDING TO VIOLENCE

Our parish committee met with representatives of Lee Heights Community Church and Zion Chapel last Thursday night to continue our discussion of ways we can work together to respond to local violence. Our first goal is to look for ways our congregations can get to know each other. In the coming weeks, we'll be sharing information about events and services at our churches, encouraging us all to build relationships across our church communities.



As the test of what the potter molds is in the furnace, so in his conversation is the test of a man.

— Sirach 27:5

|  March | HAPPY BIRTHDAY |
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| Sunday 3/03/2019 | Brittany Forte Alanna King Ivy King Colleen Sauvain Joseph Vallery, Jr. |
| Monday 03/04/2019 | Sharon Booker Marcella Lash Demetrius Ledgyard Dolores Posey John Yelenosky |
| Tuesday 03/05/2019 | Sara Dickson |
| Wednesday 03/06/2019 | Anthony Brown Mary Pinckney |
| Thursday 03/07/2019 | Jayden Hicks Terry Lester MurLynn Washington |
| Friday 03/08/2019 | Billie Graham |
| Saturday 03/09/2019 | Herschel Butler Renade Freeman Sarah Watkins |

ANNUAL LENTEN REVIVAL
Joy in the Midst of it All

March 6 — 8, 2019
 7:00 pm

ASH WEDNESDAY — FRIDAY
 HOLY SPIRIT CHURCH

Hosting this year's Revival in our church gives us the unique opportunity and privilege to offer Christ's hospitality to our brothers and sisters from other churches. People are coming with the hope of meeting our good God in a deeper way, or in a new way, or maybe for the first time ever. Let's make it our aim to be willing instruments in God's hands as we open our doors to all who may come. May they find Jesus' openness in our welcome, his love in our embrace, his gentle mercy in our patient accommodation of every need, his glory in our worshipful praise.

ASH WEDNESDAY



On Ash Wednesday Mass with the distribution of ashes is the only event. We need a large home-team turnout to welcome all our guests and to get the Revival off to a strong start.

THURSDAY

After the service on Thursday evening, we are hosting a reception, serving cookies and punch. The Women's Guild is taking the lead here. If you can donate some cookies for the event, please bring them to church with you next weekend. Sunday will be the best day to bring cookies to guarantee they are handled appropriately and carefully. Ladies of the Women's Guild will be in Mulligan Hall before and after Masses to receive the cookies. Then they will organize the serving of the refreshments. Anyone is welcome to offer their help.

FRIDAY

The Men of Faith are taking the lead on the final evening, providing a boxed, fish dinner to all who come. The meals can be eaten here, or taken home. Again, all helpers are most welcome.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY



Throughout the three days of the Revival, members of the Holy Name Society will be taking care of the church — making sure the pews are orderly and ready for the next day's events.

Please be aware of sign-up lists at the church doors where you can offer your help in one area or another.

PSR Class

Saturday, 09 March 2019

Next

FIRST COMMUNION CLASS

Sunday, 10 March 2019

Next

CONFIRMATION CLASS

Sunday, 17 March 2019

FR. PHIL THANKS YOU FOR YOUR PRAYERS

Fr. Phil finally had surgery on Thursday last week and it was successful. He wrote: "The doctor said my neck was a 'real mess' with lots of bone spurs removed in addition to the discs. I'll be discharged tomorrow and will lay low for two weeks before beginning OT and then later PT."

**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 | |
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| Sunday, 03 March 2019 after the 10:15 am Mass | PSR Teachers meeting Men of Faith meeting |
| Monday, 04 March 2019 7:00 pm | Bible study |
| Wednesday, 06 March 2019 9:30 am 7:00 pm | Archbishop Lyke School Mass Revival, "Joy in the Midst of it All" |
| Thursday, 07 March 2019 7:00 pm | Revival |
| Friday, 08, March 2019 7:00 pm | Revival |
| Saturday, 09 March 2019 8:30 am 2:00 - 3:30 pm | PSR Breakfast and Class dFree Finance Class |
| Sunday, 10 March 2019 after the 10:15 am Mass | Holy Name Society Meeting First Communion Class |

BLACK AND INDIAN MISSIONS
SECOND COLLECTION

Next week is the 135th annual National Black and Indian Mission Collection. Our support of this collection helps build the Church in African American, Native American, and Alaska Native communities from coast to coast. Schools, parish religious education programs, and diocesan ministries depend on our generosity to help them spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

COMMUNITY MEAL
ASH WEDNESDAY

The hot meal will be served from 3:30 - 4:30 pm this Wednesday, March 6th due to the opening of the Revival and Ash Wednesday Mass. If you can help, three or four extra volunteers will go a long way.

UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS

There are three second collections scheduled during March.
 March 9-10: Black and Indian Missions
 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 | <i>Weekly Goal:</i> \$6,200.00 |
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| 23 - 24 February 2019 | \$7,940.21 + \$1,740.21 |
| <i>Thank you so much for your continuous support!</i> | |

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:

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| 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 |

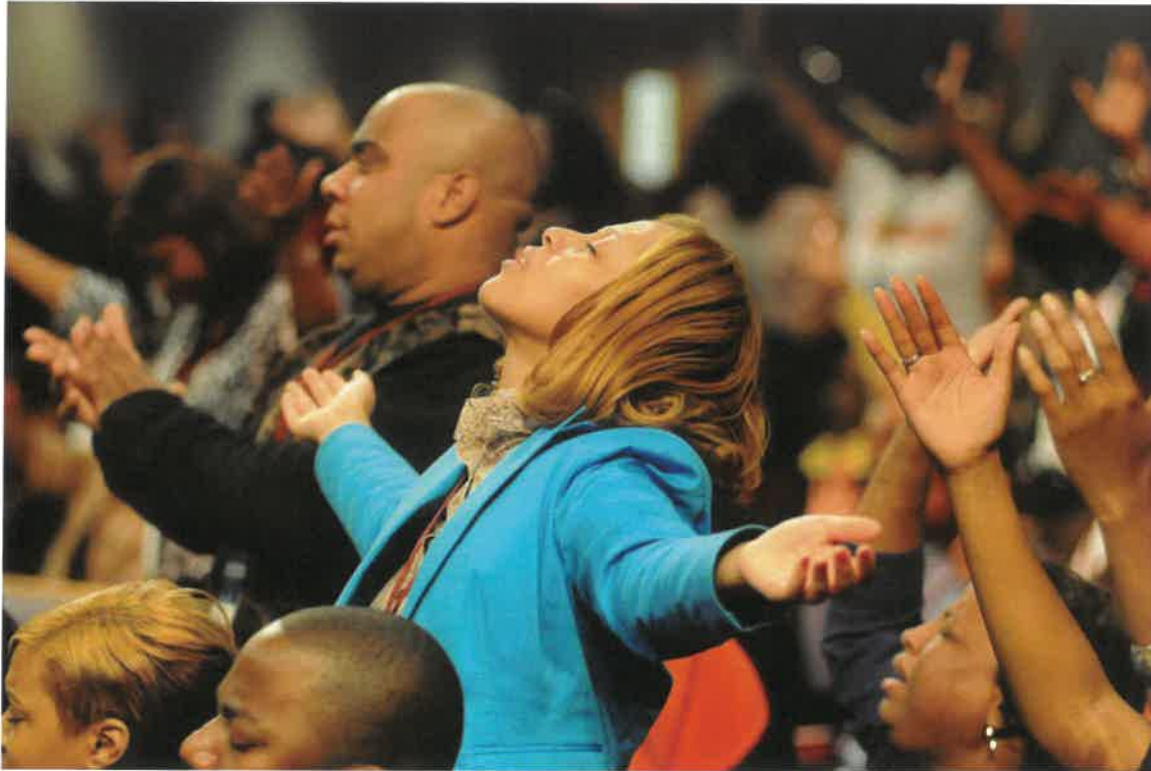
Sr. Mary Beth Daly, SND

PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS IN THE MILITARY:

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| Sandra Clark | Melissa James | Stephanie Wentz | Andy Hutchinson | Uchechi Onwunaibe |
| Joshua Sánchez | Tyrone Franklin, Jr. | Mario Williams | Steven Daniel | Sadé Powers |
| Dennis Ross, II | Steven Rau | Glen Pflieger | Maurice Williams | |



Save the Date



Joy in the Midst of it All **2019 Annual Collaborative Lenten Revival**

March 6-8, 2019, 7:00 pm Nightly
Holy Spirit Parish
4341 East 131st Street
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Wednesday, March 6th
Ash Wednesday Mass

Thursday, March 7th
Evening Prayer, Speaker & Reception

Friday, March 8th
Youth and Young Adult Night
Reception to Follow

Revival Choir Nightly, (combined choir members from parishes) and Praise Dancing

Fr. Roy A. Lee, PhD, our Revivalist, is an adjunct professor at the University of St. Leo and teaches homiletics for the archdiocese of Atlanta. He serves as a supply priest in the Archdiocese. He is also involved in homeless ministry, street ministry and jail ministry in the Atlanta area.



For more information contact: Cary Dabney at cdabney@dioceseofcleveland.org or on the web at www.dioceseofcleveland.org/africanamericanministry.

Supporters: St. Agnes-Our Lady of Fatima, St. Aloysius-St. Agatha, Holy Name, Holy Spirit, Our Lady of Peace, St. Adalbert-OLBS, St. Dominic, Parish Life Secretariat, The Commission for Catholic Home Missions among African and Native Americans, and the Youth & Young Adult Ministry and CYO Office