Holy Spirit Catholic Church

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> Office hours: Tuesday — Friday 9:00 a.m. — 4:00 p.m.

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All are welcome to Come and Worship with Us



Holy Spirit Parish Mission Statement

Holysphitchurch 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

	The 22 ND Sunday in Ordinary Time People of Holy Spirit Parish
8:30 am	THE 22 ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (+) David Payne (+) Fran E. Alexander
1	The 22 ND Week in Ordinary Time (+) Fred & Anna Jefferson
	The 23 RD Sunday in Ordinary Time (+) James Cohea
8:30 am	The 23 RD Sunday in Ordinary Time People of Holy Spirit Parish (+) Deborah Kirks

SHOULD WE STAND, SIT, OR KNEEL?

Almost six months ago, Bishop Peréz announced a renewal of the policy whereby all the parishes in the diocese adopt a uniform practice when it comes to our posture during the Communion Rite at Mass. It seems an opportune time to remind us of that policy.

The policy is that we all should remain standing after the Lamb of God, throughout the distribution and reception of Holy Communion and the singing of the Communion Hymn. Once the last person has received Holy Communion and the hymn ends, we may kneel or sit for private prayer.

As we all know, the bishops of the United States have established kneeling as the proper posture in our country during the Eucharistic Prayer. However, if you are not able to kneel, I encourage you to consider standing throughout the Eucharistic Prayer. Standing is a very respectful and reverent posture — just like we stand to greet people when they come into a room.

Without judging anyone else's choice, let's prayerfully consider our posture during the Eucharistic Prayer. Kneeling is the bishops' preference. I am suggesting that standing is a very good second choice for those who cannot

kneel. If you need to sit, for any reason, then the David please do so without any hesitation or qualms.



Readings for the Week

Sunday Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29; Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a; Lk 14:1,7-14

Monday 1 Thes 4:13-18; Lk 4:16-30

Tuesday 1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11; Lk 4:31-37

Wednesday Col 1:1-8; Lk 4:38-44

Thursday Col 1:9-14; Lk 5:1-11

Friday Col 1:15-20; Lk 5:33-39

Saturday Col 1:21-23; Lk 6:1-5

Sunday Wis 9:13-18b; Phlm 9-10, 12-17; Lk 14:25-33

	Happy Birthday	HAPPY ANNIVERSARY	
Sunday	Matthew Hales Issac R. King Sr. John Murphy	Jennifer & Jerome Johnson	
Monday	Jewelisa Thompson	Joi & Mike Jones	
Tuesday	Jermaine Brown Ayeshah Douglas Bradford Tabor Charles Webb		
Wednesday	Byron Arnold Lloyd Cook Kathy Ewing Jeanette Mays	MurLynn & Cedric Washington	
Thursday	Erin Raines Laura Young Cynthia Weatherspoon		
Friday	Tia Hargrove Terrence Gaines		
Saturday	Curtis Hampton Sr. Isaac King Jr. Darrell Larkin Barbara Moore Barbara Oliver Phyllis Partee		

OPERATION GOOD NEWS FUNDRAISER TRUNK SALE Saturday, 7 September 2019 9:00 - 3:00 pm

Come to the Operation Good News Trunk Sale on Saturday, September 7th from 9:00 am - 3:00 pm at Holy Spirit Church. If you are interested in selling items from your trunk the fee is \$15 to reserve a spot in the back parking area. The dead-line to reserve a spot is August 31st. Contact Juanita at 216-659-3569 or Bernadette at 216-832-9997 to reserve a spot. If you are not interested in selling items, just come and browse the trunks and fellowship for no fee!

WOMEN'S GUILD LINE DANCE PARTY Saturday, 14 September 2019

The Women's Guild is sponsoring a fundraiser line dance party on Saturday, September 14^{th} from 6:00 - 10:00 pm in Mulligan Hall. Tickets are \$10.00 in advance and \$12.00 at the door. Contact Pat B. at 216-570-5428 or any Women's Guild member.

DFREE FINANCIAL FREEDOM MOVEMENT 12-WEEK WORKSHOP Orientation - 10 September 2019

offee Holy Spirit Catholic Church in collaboration with other community organizations is sponsoring a 12 week financial workshop called "dfree". The class is held on Tuesdays from 7:00 - 8:30 pm beginning

September 10th - November 19th at 5001 Mayfield Rd., Lyndhurst, OH - lower level. (Park in rear of building). There is no fee for the actual weekly workshops, but \$25 is required for the materials. To register contact Monica Banks Hines at 216-381-2501 or email monica.hines@prudential.com. When registering, provide the following information: your name, phone number and email address.

MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK			
Sunday, 01 September 2019 after the 10:15 am Mass	Men of Faith meeting		
Tuesday, 03 September 2019 6:00 pm	Grief Support Group		
Wednesday, 04 September 2019 5:00 - 6:00 pm 6:30 pm 7:30 pm	Sacrament of reconciliation Mass Adult Choir rehearsal		
Thursday, 05 September 2019 6:00 pm	Youth Choir rehearsal		
Saturday, 07 September 2019 09:00 am - 3:00 pm	OGN Trunk Sale		
Sunday, 08 September 2019 after the 10:15 am Mass	Holy Name Society meeting All Bereavement meeting		

MUSEUM OF AFRICAN AMERICAN CULTURE AND HISTORY PARISH PILGRIMAGE August 2019

Over the next several weeks, some of the people who were on our pilgrimage will offer some reflections on their experience in this space. Please watch this column for the takeaways from our brothers and sisters. Today, we offer reflections by Steve Abrams, a senior at Revere High School.



When I first heard of the trip to DC, I wasn't too excited because I wanted to stay home and relax for the remainder of my summer vacation. But I decided it would be better for me to go and see what it was all about. When I visited DC with my 8th grade class, in May of 2016, the museum was still under construction so I did not have an

opportunity to visit there. So this trip was my opportunity to visit the National Museum of African American History and Culture.

When I arrived, I was intrigued by the unique architectural structure of the museum. As I walked in and headed down to the bottom floor exhibits, I was immediately overwhelmed with information and emotion. The sheer trials and tribulations that my African ancestors experienced, was enough to engulf me with anger and confusion.

As we went through the timeline of the exhibit, from the lower concourses up to the upper floors, the information became more positive. The first day we only made it through the lower level which contained much of the harsher parts of our history from freedom to slavery to civil rights. When we came back the next day, we visited the upper levels which took us through modern history of African Americans. The second level contained a Family History Center, and a lot of hands-on displays of history, like the Green Book car and the Media Arts Center.

The third floor contained African Americans in the military and sports. My favorite part was the wall to wall screen showing the greatest African American feats in sports history. The fourth floor was called the Cultural Galleries: music and arts. My favorite part on that floor was the interactive studio beat and rhythm screen. There you are able to align melodies of popular songs and add beats to them to create your own version of the songs.



My entire take on the museum was that of surprise. I was impressed at how influential our African American culture is to our society. The museum shows the world a very unknown part of our history and its influence on the world. I am happy that I changed my mind and was able to experience it all. I highly

recommend that everyone goes to visit the museum because it will bring to light a lot of information that is not generally known.

> SISTERS OF NOTRE DAME 57th Annual **BBO & BOUTIQUE** Sunday, 29 September 2019 12:00 Noon - 5:00 pm

MONTHLY GRIEF SUPPORT

The monthly support group meetings will continue at Calvary Cemetery, 10000 Miles Avenue beginning Sunday, September 15th at 3:00 pm. The meetings will be held the 3rd Sunday of each month at 3:00 pm. Rhonda Abrams from our own Holy Spirit Church will be coordinating the group. If you are interested in participating, contact Rhonda at 216-930-4866 or <u>rabrams@clecem.org</u>. Until then there is still one more Grief Support meeting at Holy Spirit Church on Tuesday, September 3rd.

ALL BEREAVEMENT MEETING Sunday, 08 September, 2019

If anyone is interested in participating in the Holy Spirit Bereavement/Consolation Ministry, or if you are currently a member, you are invited to attend the All Bereavement Meeting on Sunday, September 8th following the 10:15 am Mass. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the future direction of our ministry and to plan the All Souls Mass in November 2019.

CANTOR WORKSHOP

A cantor workshop will be held on Tuesday, September 10th at 7:00 pm and Saturday, September 14th at 5:00 pm. This workshop is for anyone that is interested in becoming a cantor, as well as current cantors.

INVITATION TO PRAISE LITURGICAL MOVEMENTS

This is a calling to all ladies 50+ wanting to participate in liturgical dance on Sunday, October 5^{th} at the 10:15 am Mass. The first rehearsal will be held Sunday, September 8^{th} , immediately following the 10:15 am Mass. If you are interested, please see Vivian Alexander or Doris St. Clair.

Collection			
25 August 2019	\$5,676.00		
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
Eliza Solomon	Kay Tucker	Daphne Allen	John P. Jones, Jr.	Maxine Friend
Calvin Singleton, Sr.	Marvin Young	Juanita Adams	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	Delores (Dee) Posey	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	Henry Tucker	Jonathan Traylor
Kiana Pearson	Mildred Jackson	Mary Evans	Tammy Larkin	Al Roberts
Jerry Freeman	Carrie Aaron	Jesse & Jessica Carr	Patricia Pendleton	

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	

LINE DANCE PARTY



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6:00-10:00PM Advance \$10.00 Door \$12.00



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