Holy Spirit Catholic Church

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

06 October 2019

Mass Schedule

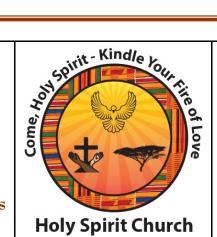
Sunday Mass 8:30 a.m.

10:15 a.m.

Saturday Vigil Mass 4:00 p.m.

Weekday Mass Wednesday 6:30 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation Wednesday 5:00 — 6:00 p.m.



May the glory of the Lord endure forever.

Psalm 104: 31a



Pastor

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

Deacons

Deacon Shelby Friend Deacon Ronald James

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, 05 October 2019 $27^{\rm TH}$ Sunday in Ordinary Time 4:00~pm~(+) Myers Family

Sunday, 06 October 2019 27^{TH} Sunday in Ordinary Time 8:30 am (+) Douglas T. Brown Jr.

10:15 am People of Holy Spirit Parish

Wednesday, 09 October 2019 27^{TH} WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME 6:30 pm (+) Allen G. Brown

Saturday, 12 October 2019 28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 4:00 pm (+) People of Holy Spirit Parish

Sunday, 13 October 2019 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time 8:30 am (+) Hewitt Richardson

10:15 am (+) Willis Williams

PSR CLASS

Saturday, 12 October 2019

The next PSR class is next Saturday, October 12^{th} , beginning with a hot breakfast at 8:30 am. Classes are from 9:00 am - Noon. The classes are the 2^{nd} Saturday of each month.

Parents, grandparents and guardians of the students are invited to stay for approximately 40 minutes following the breakfast, during which time two members of the PSR staff want to tell families about the materials and curriculum that their young ones are following in the classrooms, hoping that families will take a lead in keeping the learning going between PSR sessions.

CONFIRMATION CLASSES

Confirmation classes begin on Sunday, 20 October 2019 and will be held the third Sunday of each month. Teens in grades 8-12 who have not been confirmed are invited to attend the classes, as are their parents.

ARCHBISHOP LYKE SCHOOL MASS

Archbishop Lyke School, 18230 Harvard Avenue, will be celebrating their monthly Mass on Wednesday, October 16th at 9:30 a.m. All are invited to attend and support the school.



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday Hb 1:2-3; 2:2-4; 2 Tm 1:6-8, 13-14; Lk 17:5-10

Monday Jon 1:1-2:2, 11; Lk 10:25-37

Tuesday Jon 3:1-10; Lk 10:38-42

Wednesday Jon 4:1-11; Lk 11:1-4

Thursday Mal 3:13-20b; Lk 11:5-13

Friday Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2; Lk 11:15-26

Saturday Jl 4:12-21; Lk 11:27-28

Sunday 2 Kgs 5:14-17; 2 Tm 2:8-13; Lk 17:11-19

SYMPATHY AND PRAYERS

Frances Shellenbarger

We extend sympathy and prayers to the family of Frances Shellenbarger whose Mass of Christian Burial was held this past Saturday at Holy Spirit Church.

ROCHELLE ALEXANDER STRANGE

We offer our sympathy and promise of prayers to David Williams and his family on the passing of his aunt Rochelle Alexander Strange.

| | Happy Birthday | Happy Anniversary | |
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| Sunday | Rose Clark | | |
| Monday | Ayanna Smith Angela Atterberry | Betty & Cecil Washington | |
| Tuesday | Richard Bass James Bellanca Joseph West Jr. | | |
| Wednesday | Monique DeCluett Jordan Williams | Cheryl & Edward Broussard | |
| Thursday | Sharee Galloway Yumi Simmons Sr. Ritamary Welsh, OSU | | |
| Friday | Carmen Whaley | | |
| Saturday | William Sean Dillard Jr. Sr. Patricia Dual, OP | | |

THEA BOWMAN CENTER ANNUAL FALL EVENT

Sunday, 6 October 2019 Banquet Center at St. Noel Church, Willoughby Hills 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Today is Thea Bowman Center's Annual Fall Event at the Banquet Center at Saint Noel Church. This year's event will shine a spotlight on the successes of participants, young and old, "Songs and Stories: Celebrating Success with Thea Bowman Center." Seats can be purchased at the door if you do not already have one reserved.

FEEDING THE HUNGRY FR. DANIEL BEGIN'S HELPING HANDS HUNGER CENTER

Fr. Daniel (Dan) Begin's last wish was to have a Hunger



Center to feed the hungry without boundaries. His wish was to engage and collaborate with various denominations in order to meet the needs of all surrounding communities.

Fr. Dan's Helping Hands Hunger Center was established at St. Mary Catholic Church in Bedford in February 2017 and operated at that facility until August 2018.

The center has been partnered with Hope United Methodist Church since September 19, 2018.

Beginning October 7th, the center will be open three days per month serving pantry needs and meals. The center is located on the lower level of Hope United Methodist Church, 79 Center Street, Bedford. The center offers fresh fruits and produce along with donated food pantry items.

Food Pantry Hours

- 1st Monday of the month 11:30 am 1:00 pm; brunch is served at 11:30 am
- 3rd Wednesday of the month 5:00 pm 6:30 pm; dinner is served at 6:00 pm
- 3rd Friday of the month 9:30 am 11:00 am

| MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK | | | |
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| Sunday, 06 October 2019 after the 10:15 am Mass | Men of Faith meeting PSR teachers meeting | | |
| Monday, 07 October 2019 7:00 pm | Bible study | | |
| Tuesday, 08 October 2019 6:30 pm | Operation Good News meeting | | |
| Wednesday, 09 October 2019 12:30 pm 5:00 - 6:00 pm 6:30 pm 7:30 pm | | | |
| Thursday, 10 October 2019 6:00 pm 7:00 pm | Youth Choir rehearsal Praise Dance rehearsal | | |
| Saturday, 12 October 2019 8:30 am 9:00 am | | | |
| Sunday, 13 October 2019 after the 10:15 am Mass | Holy Name Society meeting | | |

FROM DARKNESS TO LIGHT

Exploring the Underground Railroad



On Tuesday, September 24th, 32 of us took a day-long bus trip to Canton. Our first stop was in Massillon for a guided tour of one of the stations along the Underground Railroad, (shown in the photograph), providing

enslaved people a safe place to stay while seeking freedom. Our guide was quite knowledgeable and passionate about this grand home and its history, and we had many questions for her. She answered every one fully and graciously.

After almost two hours there, we made our way to the Canton Museum of Art to explore their current exhibit, *From Darkness to Light*, photographically depicting what a 1400 mile journey from slavery to freedom was like.

We moved from photograph to photograph silently, and sometimes not so silently, contemplating what the experience must have been like. Interspersed were plaques of quotations that were deeply moving: one inspiring in its message, the next horrifying in its description of the reality of being enslaved, another full of hope and courage.

After a full lunch at the Hartville Kitchens, we headed home and some of us succumbed to a long afternoon nap - exactly the kind of thing a freedom seeker on that path of the Underground Railroad could not afford.

This quotation comes from the museum's article introducing the exhibit:



"Many consider the Underground Railroad to be the first great freedom movement when people of different races and faiths worked together in harmony for freedom and justice."

KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER LADIES AUXILIARY ANNUAL FEAST OF THE SEVEN TABLES

Our Lady of Peace Parish Hall Saturday, 19 October 2019 6:00 - 10:00 pm

Line Dance and Raffle Donation - \$15.00 Adults; Children under 12 - \$5.50

YOUR VOTE MATTERS

If you were an active voter, but have not voted in the last 6 years, act now to remain an active voter. The deadline to register is October 7th for this year's November 5th elections (municipalities & counties). If you have never registered to vote, or you are a registered voter with a change in address or name, please update your records. You must be a registered voter in the State of Ohio 30 days prior to an election to be eligible to vote. To register, update information, or simply to check on your registration status, visit www.VoteOhio.gov.

SEEKING FAMILY PROMISE VOLUNTEERS FROM HOLY SPIRIT PARISH

Family Promise of Greater Cleveland provides interim housing and support services to homeless families. Are you interested in becoming a Family Promise volunteer? The Family Promise volunteers provide food items for the pantry of homeless families and assist with donation drives when their schedule permits. Please consider being a volunteer by providing your contact information on the sign-up sheet at the entrances.

A CREDIBLE FAITH: CATHOLIC IDENTITY IN THE MIDST OF SCANDAL

Thursday, 17 October, 7:30 pm D.J. Lombardo Student Center, John Carroll University

To reflect on the challenges and graces of living as a Catholic today, all are welcome to attend this free lecture. For more information, contact 216-397-4700.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL BLANKET SUNDAY

This weekend marks the 33rd Annual Blanket Sunday Collection to aid the needy sponsored by the Diocesan St. Vincent de Paul Society. St. Vincent de Paul Society will accept a donation and do the shopping for you, making your money go even further with bulk purchases of blankets and other items needed by the homeless and disadvantaged. You may also donate online at www.svdpcle.org.

SISTER ACT ON STAGE

Our own Ayeshah Douglas is performing in *Sister Act*, this weekend and next. Performances are at the Brecksville Theatre, 49 Public Square, Brecksville. Tickets are \$15.00.

| Collection | | | | |
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| 29 September 2019 | \$6,129.80 | | | |
| Catholic Communications Campaign | \$746.07 | | | |
| 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 | Maxine Friend | Amanda Lewis | Rosie Bridges |
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| Eliza Solomon | Kay Tucker | Daphne Allen | John P. Jones, Jr. | Patricia Pendleton |
| Calvin Singleton, Sr. | Marvin Young | Juanita Adams | Elissa Coleman | Shirley Liston |
| Roger & Connie Raines | Catherine Powell | 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 | John Shields | |
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| Pray for our parishioners in the military: | | | | | | | |
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| 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 | | | | |