

# Holy Spirit Catholic Church

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

*20 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.



**Holy Spirit Church**

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, 19 October 2019* THE 29<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
4:00 pm (+) Rufus Arnold
- Sunday, 20 October 2019* THE 29<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
8:30 am People of Holy Spirit Parish  
10:15 am (+) Richard A. King
- Wednesday, 23 October 2019* THE 29<sup>TH</sup> WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME  
6:30 pm (+) Kathryn Hall
- Saturday, 26 October 2019* THE 30<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
4:00 pm (+) Douglas and Ethel White
- Sunday, 27 October 2019* THE 30<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
8:30 am People of Holy Spirit Parish  
10:15 am (+) Ruby Jefferson

**THE COMMEMORATION OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED**

*Sunday, 3 November 2019  
10:15 am Mass*

In the Catholic church it is customary to use the entire month of November as days of prayerful remembrance for those who have gone before us marked with the sign of faith. The Holy Spirit Church celebration for those who have died during the past year will be on Sunday, November 3<sup>rd</sup> at the 10:15 am Mass.

Parishioners' departed loved ones are honored by: a candle procession during the litany of prayers, a memorial wreath displayed for the month of November, a Book of Life of mementos, and a short presentation after Mass on "Grieving Through the Holidays". The burning of purple candles beside the tabernacle throughout the month serves as a visible sign of our ceaseless prayers for our beloved deceased. Please use the All Souls envelope found in your packet to have a candle lit in memory of your beloved deceased.

If you have buried a loved one in the past year, you will be receiving a special invitation to commemorate your loved one at our celebration for the deceased on Sunday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>. We hope to see you there and join you in prayerful remembrance.



**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

- Sunday* Ex 17:8-13; 2 Tm 3:14-4:2; Lk 18:1-8
- Monday* Rom 4:20-25; Lk 12:13-21
- Tuesday* Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21; Lk 12:35-38
- Wednesday* Rom 6:12-18; Lk 12:39-48
- Thursday* Rom 6:19-23; Lk 12:49-53
- Friday* Rom 7:18-25a; Lk 12:54-59
- Saturday* Rom 8:1-11; Lk 13:1-9
- Sunday* Sir 35:12-14, 16-18; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18; Lk 18:9-14

**CATHOLIC CEMETERIES ASSOCIATION**

**MONTHLY GRIEF SUPPORT**

*Sunday, 20 October 2019*

In addition to this Sunday's support group meeting at Calvary Cemetery, the same grief support is available on the same day at other cemeteries. To explore other options, visit <https://www.clecem.org/information/Bereavement.aspx>

	HAPPY BIRTHDAY	HAPPY ANNIVERSARY
Monday	Lil' Derek DeCluett Rose Dukes Roy Madison Monica Moore Pauline Reed	
Tuesday	Lakeshia Logan	
Wednesday	Lataijah Carr Lynda Ekechukwu Marib Williams	
Thursday	Leonard Tanks Joseph Hilton Vallery III	
Friday	Mattie Smith	
Saturday	Derek DeCluett Ruby Torrence Faith White Traylor	

**FIRST COMMUNION CLASSES**

First Communion classes begin on November 10<sup>th</sup>. The classes will be held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays of each month, following the 10:15 am Mass in the parish center. Parents are encouraged to participate in the classes. If you have not already registered your child, please complete a registration form located at the church doors.

**CONFIRMATION CLASS TODAY!**

**YOUTH MASS - SECOND SUNDAY EVERY MONTH**

At the 10:15 am Mass last Sunday, the youth of our parish took the lead in ministering to us in many capacities. Some were at the doors, learning the ways of welcoming congregants and helping visitors find their way. Several young ladies lifted our hearts and spirits through the joyful praise of their dance. A few more led us in lifting our voices in gratitude to God through song and acclamations. They ministered in the sublimity of proclaiming the Scriptures, and in the necessary, if mundane, task of collecting our Sunday offerings. They carried all our gifts to the altar on our behalf.

They worked hard to make it all happen, and we are all committed to continuing and growing the participation of our young people in every aspect of parish life. The church is not just for adults. Our prayer and ministry, in order to be its most authentic, must touch every generation. Together we are the church. This deliberate effort to engage our youth in liturgical service will happen on the second Sunday of every month. May we all look forward to it as much as our youth do.

**DIOCESAN CHOIR REHEARSAL**

The second diocesan choir rehearsal will be this Saturday, October 26<sup>th</sup>, 12:00 - 2:00 pm at St. Agnes + Our Lady of Fatima Church for the IX Center Christmas Connection 2019 performance on November 23<sup>rd</sup>.

MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK	
Sunday, 20 October 2019 after the 10:15 am Mass	Confirmation class Pray the Rosary Parish Pastoral Council meeting
Monday, 21 October 2019 7:00 pm	Bible study
Wednesday, 23 October 2019 12:30 pm 5:00 - 6:00 pm 6:30 pm	Bible study Sacrament of reconciliation Mass
Thursday, 24 October 2019 6:30 pm 7:00 pm	Finance Council meeting Praise dance rehearsal
Sunday, 27 October 2019 after the 10:15 am Mass	Halloween party and Parish community meal

**HALLOWEEN PARTY AND PARISH COMMUNITY MEAL**

*Sunday, 27 October 2019*

Next Sunday is our Holy Spirit Church annual Halloween Party following the 10:15 am Mass along with a parish community meal in Mulligan Hall. All are welcome to attend.

**HOLY SPIRIT WOMEN'S GUILD**

The Women's Guild is interested in working with more women in the parish community. If you would like to be a part of this group or just have questions about what they do, please see a member after Mass this weekend at the church doors.

**OPERATION GOOD NEWS**

Operation Good News is sponsoring a fall retreat: "The Grace of Contentment," on Saturday, November 16<sup>th</sup> from 8:30 am - 3:00 pm at the Holy Spirit Church parish center. Fr. W. David Nestler, O.F.M. Cap., will be the spiritual director and Mrs. Betty Holden will be the lay director. A continental breakfast and lunch will be provided. You are asked to make a free will offering. Please contact either Carol Bugg at 216-464-4443 or Faith Conroy at 216-883-6786 to register. Registration forms are also available at the church doors.

**ROSES IN DECEMBER**

**THE STORY OF JEAN DONOVAN - LAY MISSIONER IN EL SALVADOR WITH THREE AMERICAN SISTERS**

*Wednesday, 23 October 2019, 6:45 pm*

View the film "Roses in December" about the lives of four church women who were assassinated in El Salvador in 1980: Jean Donovan, Ursuline Sister Dorothy Kazel, and Maryknoll Sisters Ita Ford and Maura Clark. The film will be shown on Wednesday, October 23<sup>rd</sup> at Ursuline Sisters at Mercy Crossing, 29777 Fairmount Blvd., Pepper Pike. RSVP to Sister Sheila Marie at 440-229-5271 or sheilamarie10@juno.com.

**WELCOMING DIVERSITY**

On Saturday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>, the sisters of the Cleveland diocese and the Sisters of Charity Foundation are sponsoring a luncheon and talk on "Welcoming Diversity" in our church, community and world with Sr. Teresa Maya, CCVI, a well known speaker of Hispanic descent, and past president of the Leadership Conference of Women Religious (LCWR). The event is free at St. Michael Woodside Event Center, 5025 Mill Rd., Broadview Hts., OH 44147, from 10:30 am - 2:30 pm. Register by October 25<sup>th</sup> at Eventbrite or call 216-357-4464.

**CANTON ART MUSEUM TRIP PAYMENT DEADLINE**

The Canton Art Museum trip payment deadline was October 16<sup>th</sup>, this past Wednesday. If you have not submitted your payment, please do so immediately. Thank you.

**TRINITY HIGH SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE**

Trinity High School is hosting an Open House for prospective students on Sunday, October 27<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 am - 12:45 pm. For more information contact 216-581-1061 or [www.ths.org/admissions/OH](http://www.ths.org/admissions/OH).

**WORK TOGETHER TO STOP GUN VIOLENCE**

**WORLD MISSION SUNDAY**

There are a number of organizations across the United States that are working together to help stop gun violence including: *God Before Guns - a multi-faith coalition; Moms Demand Action; Everytown for Gun Violence; and Ohioans for Gun Safety.* These organizations are working together to help establish policies and laws for: better background checks, combatting daily gun violence, holding the gun industry accountable and protecting children and communities. Signatures are needed to place proposed common sense gun control laws on the November 2020 ballot. We will provide additional information regarding signing petitions here at our church. The United States Catholic Conference of Bishops (USCCB) encourages the enactment of sensible regulations addressing the culture of violence in our country. To learn about how you can help including: signing petitions, writing letters to legislators, helping to communicate information or contributing funds, visit the following websites:

<https://www.godbeforeguns.org>  
<https://momsdemandaction.org>  
<https://everytownresearch.org>  
[www.ohioansforgunsafety.com](http://www.ohioansforgunsafety.com)

Today is World Mission Sunday. We celebrate this day by remembering our baptismal call - to bring the Gospel to all. The collection today for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith ensures the work and service of the mission church, as it supports priests, religious and lay leaders who offer the Lord's mercy and concrete help to the most vulnerable communities in the church's missions. Thank you for your generosity.

Capuchin friars from Ohio and Pennsylvania serve in missions both in the Pacific Islands and in Latin America.

COLLECTION	
13 October 2019	\$6,200.00
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	Catherine Powell	Amanda Lewis	Rosie Bridges
Eliza Solomon	Henry & Kay Tucker	Daphne Allen	John P. Jones, Jr.	Maxine Friend
Calvin Singleton, Sr.	Marvin Young	Juanita Adams	Elissa Coleman	Shirley Liston
Roger & Connie Raines	John Shields	Demateress Richards	Len Rosky	Pauline Reed
Rosemarie McBride	Patricia Pendleton	Juanita McPherson	Luis Lorenzo	Bill & Monica Starks
Vera Payne	Fletcher & Delores 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	Jesse & Jessica Carr	Jonathan Traylor
Kiana Pearson	Mildred Jackson	Mary Evans	Tammy Larkin	Al Roberts
Jerry Freeman	Carrie Aaron			

**PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS IN THE MILITARY:**

Sandra 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 Pflieger	Maurice Williams	

