# Holy Spirit Catholic Church

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

21 June 2020



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

Sunday, 21 June 2020	12 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time
10:30 am	The People of Holy Spirit Parish

- Wednesday, 24 June 2020 THE BIRTH OF JOHN THE BAPTIST 6:30 pm + Edward Hopkins
  - Sunday, 05 June 2020 13<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 10:30 am The People of Holy Spirit Parish

#### **KEEP IN PRAYER**

We offer the promise of our prayers to Betty Wilson, Evelyn James and Pam Kelso on the passing of their husband and brother James Wilson. Mr. Wilson passed this last Tuesday. A public viewing will be on Wednesday, June 24<sup>th</sup> from 2:00 - 8:00 pm at Calhoun Funeral Home in Bedford Heights. The funeral service is private.

Please pray also for the family of Estelle Dunn. Her funeral service will be held at Lucas Funeral Home in Garfield Heights on Wednesday, June 24th at 1:30 pm.

And, please extend your prayers to Carol Grooms, Regina Grooms and Michele Grooms-Massa on the passing of their father, Claude who passed on Friday. Arrangements have not been confirmed at this time.

#### HONORING OUR GRADUATES

Remember that next Sunday we will acknowledge all our graduates at Mass. We congratulate them on their success and ask God's special care and blessings upon them for whatever is next in their lives. Please remember them in your prayer by name:

Dr. Ayanna Smith	Justin Wodtly
Morgan Whaley	Maya Crawford
Kelly Teasley	Isabella Peña
Frederick Thomas	Jasmine Smoot
Steven Abrams	Alesia Ogletree
Sabrina James	Israel King
Tahj Kendrick	Amiir Talbott
Leslie Traylor	



#### **READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Sunday Jer 20:10-13; Rom 5:12-15; Mt 10:26-33

- Monday 2 Kgs 17:5-8, 13-15a; Mt 7:1-5
- Tuesday 2 Kgs 19:9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36; Mt 7:6, 12-14
- Wednesday Is 49:1-6; Acts 13:22-26; Lk 1:57-66, 80
- Thursday 2 Kgs 24:8-17; Mt 7:21-29
- Friday 2 Kgs 25:1-12; Mt 8:1-4
- Saturday Lam 2:2, 10-14, 18-19; Mt 8:5-17
- *Sunday* 2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a; Rom 6:3-4, 8-11; Mt 10:37 -42

Please submit any corrections to the birthday or anniversary list to the church office. Also, if we do not have your birthday or anniversary dates, please contact the church office. Thank you.

	HAPPY BIRTHDAY				
06/21	Reggie Jones Brian Turner	David Tucker			
06/22	Michael Chukwu Sr.	Deacon Shelby Friend			
06/23	Tandy Rencher Jr.				
06/24	Dwight Ward-Warden Theresa Morris	Steven Neal			
06/25	Mitchell Todd				
06/26	Carlton Darrell Terrence Gaines II	Paula King Roger King			
06/27	Faith Conroy				
HAPPY ANNIVERSARY					
06/21	Dee & Fle	etcher Posey			
06/26	Ruthie & Carlton Darrell				

# Happy Father's Day

### **BLESSING OUR FATHERS**

Heavenly Father,

Today we ask you to bless our earthly fathers for the many times they reflected the love, strength, generosity, wisdom and mercy that you exemplify in your relationship with us, your children.

We honor our fathers for putting our needs above their own convenience and comfort;

for teaching us to show courage and determination in the face of adversity;

for challenging us to move beyond self-limiting boundaries; for modeling the qualities that would turn us into responsible, principled, caring adults.

Not all our fathers lived up to these ideals.

Give them the grace to acknowledge and learn from their mistakes. Give us the grace to extend to them the same forgiveness that you offer us all.

Help us to resist the urge to stay stuck in past bitterness, instead, moving forward with humility and peace of heart.

We ask your blessing on those men who served as father-figures in our lives when our biological fathers weren't able to do so. May the love and selflessness they showed us be returned to them in all their relationships, and help them to know that their influence has changed us for the better.

Give new and future fathers the guidance they need to raise happy and holy children, grounded in a love for God and other people and remind these fathers that treating their wives with dignity, compassion and respect is one of the greatest gifts they can give their children.

We pray that our fathers who have passed into the next life have been welcomed into your loving embrace, and that our family will one be day be reunited in your heavenly kingdom.

In union with St. Joseph, whom you entrusted with your Son, we ask your generous blessings today and every day.

Amen.

### A GIFT FOR FATHERS



This pocket pendant (shown, both sides) is the gift our parish is giving to all dads this Father's Day. Fathers are encouraged to carry it in a pocket or put it in a place where they can regularly see it. Our prayer is that it serves as a reminder that God is the source of all strength and that our heavenly

Father, will sustain them in fulfilling their obligations to all their children of every age.

#### JUNETEENTH

155 years after the news of emancipation reached enslaved peoples throughout the United States, the nation is still struggling with issues of systemic racism and injustice. Forty-seven states and the District of Columbia mark June 19<sup>th</sup> as a state holiday or observance. Despite a push by activists over the years, Juneteenth still isn't a federal holiday. It is a day that is often overlooked by non-black Americans.

Several members of Congress are sponsoring a renewed effort to have June 19<sup>th</sup> declared a federal holiday. If you care to lend your voice to that effort, our ushers have the contact information you will need to let our U.S. representatives know.

## ADDITIONAL PPE NEEDED

The third highest outbreak of Covid-19 in Cuyahoga County is in the Lee - Harvard area — a part of Holy Spirit Church comprising the area around the former Saint Henry Church. A PPE Awareness Campaign is planned to distribute masks, gloves and other personal protective equipment (PPE) to keep people safe in public. If you know anyone who needs any such items, please make sure they know that they may get what they need, free of charge, in the plaza at the corner of Lee Road and Harvard Avenue on July 11<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 -12:00 pm.

Also, if you can donate such items, please do so before next Sunday. If you have any questions please send an email to <u>scollier0613@gmail.com</u> or call 216.315.5952.

# A JOYFUL DAY FOR THE CAPUCHINS

Br. Keon Tu (right) was ordained to the diaconate on Saturday, June 13<sup>th</sup> in Boston. During the same liturgy, Br. Diogo Escudero (left) was ordained to the priesthood. Ordaining prelate, Capuchin Cardinal Sean O'Malley is pictured in the center.



#### SUNDAY GRIEF SUPPORT

You are invited to join a Grief Support Group next Sunday, 3:00 - 4:00 pm at Calvary Cemetery. The June topic is "Let Not Your Hearts Be Troubled." Please RSVP to Rhonda at <u>rabrams@clecem.org</u> or 216-930-4866. To view the most updated calendar of events, please visit clecem.org.

`Collection		
14 June 2020 — online contributions	\$2,215.00	
14 June 2020 — envelope contributions	\$4,675.00	
Sunday collection total	\$6,890.00	
Ministries of Mercy — online contributions	\$110.00	
Ministries of Mercy — envelope contributions	\$429.95	
Ministries of Mercy total	\$539.95	
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	Carrie Aaron	John P. Jones, Jr.	Maxine & Shelby Friend			
Calvin Singleton, Sr.	Marvin Young	Juanita Adams	Elissa Coleman	Shirley Liston			
Roger & Connie Raines	Jesse & Jessica Carr	Demateress Richard	ls Len Rosky	Patricia Pendleton			
Rosemarie McBride	Fletcher & Delores Posey	Jeffrey Rose	Luis Lorenzo	Bill & Monica Starks			
Vera Payne	Pauline Reed	Catherine Wilson	Jewell Gardner	Bettina & Horace Bowling			
Lucille Mahone	Marian Mauldin	Marlene Land	Maria Hanan	Patricia Polk			
Carmen Whaley	Don Miller	Denise Curry	Patricia Pendleton	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			
Doris St. Clair	Ruby Fett	Jesse Smiley	D.D. Ward -Warden	Jonathan Traylor			
Kiana Pearson	Mildred Jackson	Mary Evans	Tammy Larkin	Jerry Freeman			
Richard Bass	Shirley Wenson	Beverly Jordan					
PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS IN THE MILITARY:							
Saundra Clark	Melissa James S	tephanie Wentz	Andy Hutchinson	Uchechi Onwuanaibe			
Joshua Sánchez	Tyrone Franklin, Jr. N	Iario Williams	Steven Daniel	Sadé Powers-Morgan			
Dennis Ross, II	Steven Rau C	Glen Pfleger	Maurice Williams				