

Holy Spirit Catholic Church

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

22 May 2022

Mass Schedule

Sunday Mass
8:15 a.m.
10:30 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

Behold, God's dwelling is with the human race ... and God himself will always be with them.

— Rev 21: 3



Pastor

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

Deacons

Deacon Ronald James
emeritus

Deacon Shelby Friend
emeritus

Music Minister

Mr. David Williams

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COME, 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, 21 May 2022* SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
4:00 pm The People of Holy Spirit Parish
- Sunday, 22 May 2022* SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
10:30 am Henry R. Smith
- Wednesday, 25 May 2022* EASTER WEEKDAY
6:30 pm Marilyn Hopkins
- Saturday, 28 May 2022* THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD
4:00 pm Donald Jones
- Sunday, 29 May 2022* THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD
10:30 am The People of Holy Spirit Parish

**PENTECOST SUNDAY – TWO WEEKS AWAY
HAPPY FEAST DAY**

As the day we rejoice in God's gift of the Holy Spirit upon his church and all the baptized, we celebrate Pentecost in a special way as our parish feast day.

Bishop Roger Gries will celebrate the Mass and confer the sacrament of confirmation on four of our young parishioners.

Because it is our parish's feast, the 10:30 am Mass is the only Mass that weekend. Having only one Mass for the weekend is something we do only three times a year or so. Please accept whatever inconvenience this may entail for the sake of gathering our worshipping community all at the same time on this most important day.



Those to be confirmed are:

- Deonte Martin* *Mariah Williams*
- Blake Lewis* *Ian Williams*

Please hold them in your prayers during these last couple of weeks of preparation for the sacrament.



**PARISH PICNIC
SUNDAY, AUGUST 14TH**

As previously noted, the pastoral council recommends that we return to our practice of celebrating a parish picnic during the summer months. The second Sunday in August was selected as the date.

This kind of an event, that stretches across so many segments of our parish life, requires a significant amount of coordination and planning. May we count on you in some way? Every parish organization is asked to host a table to highlight their service to our community and invite new helpers.

MAY GOD RECEIVE THEM INTO HIS EMBRACE

Early Wednesday morning this week Kay Tucker of our parish passed away at home. Funeral arrangements are pending. Please pray for Kay, for her husband, Henry, and all the family. May they all know God's peace and the consolation of his nearness.

On Thursday morning Rose Clark of our parish passed away. Please pray for Rose, for her sister Ruth, and all of her family. No funeral arrangements have been made yet.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY		
05/22	Ruthie Darrell O'Neal Ogletree	Williemae Ogletree
05/23	Sultan Jones	Pat Shields
05/24	Salvatore Onorato	Roger Raines Sr.
05/25	Michele Grooms-Massa	Jacquelyn Hines
05/26	Doreen Kelleher	
HAPPY ANNIVERSARY		
05/24	Shawn & Willie Kennedy, Jr.	
05/28	Joan & Otha Martin	

FOR A SYNODAL CHURCH

COMMUNION
PARTICIPATION
MISSION



The current phase of the synodal process culminates with what is called the Diocesan Pre-synodal Gathering. This gathering provides the opportunity for diverse members of the diocese to come together for a liturgical celebration,

to pray together, to reflect on their experience of the synodal process, to listen to feedback that has emerged from the listening sessions across the diocese, to dialogue about the current reality of the local church and the signs of the times, and to discern the Holy Spirit's call for northeast Ohio on the path of synodality. The Diocesan Pre-synodal Gathering takes place on Saturday, June 11th at the Cleveland Public Auditorium.

Every parish has been asked to name five delegates to participate in that gathering. In addition to our parish's facilitators of the process, the pastoral council named three other delegates. So, our five representatives to the June 11th event are:

<i>Margarete Smith</i>	<i>Charlotte Brown</i>
<i>Rosalind Whatley</i>	<i>Erin Whatley</i>
<i>Tyric Green</i>	

The objective of the Diocesan Pre-synodal Gathering is to bring together a representative cross-section of the whole diocese, and to enable participants to pray, listen, reflect, and discern together. After this gathering, the outcomes will be included as part of the diocesan synthesis, together with the feedback that emerged from the listening sessions across the diocese.

Our parish's synodal report is still available in church and on our parish's website.

GET VACCINATED THIS THURSDAY

The Cuyahoga County Board of Health is providing free Covid vaccines this Thursday (May 26th) from 5:00 - 7:00 pm. Whether you need a first dose, a second dose, or one of the boosters, from any manufacturer, you can receive the shot at our parish center this week. Please spread the word.

If you miss this date, there will be one more opportunity to be vaccinated right here on our property. The Board of Health will set up their clinic a third time on Thursday, June 23rd from 5:00 - 7:00 pm.

2022 GRADUATES

If you are a parishioner who will be graduating this year from 8th grade, high school, college or graduate school, your parish wants to honor and celebrate this important milestone in your life. Please give your name, level of graduation, school, future school or career plans to the office as soon as possible. We will recognize all our 2022 graduates on Sunday, June 26th at the 10:30 Mass.

**KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER
AND THE LADIES AUXILIARY**

The Knights and Ladies, Court 227, are hosting *Grab N Go* lunches after each Mass on June 5th, 12th, and 26th at the parish center. The ticket cost is \$5.00; lunch includes a sandwich, chips, cookies, and a bottle of water. Tickets are being sold by KPC members. The proceeds will assist in supporting community events and needs.

PASTORAL COUNCIL MINUTES

Minutes of the April 24th meeting of the pastoral council are available at the church entrances and on our website.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES UPDATE

As of the end of April our parish has pledged 81% of the goal assigned to us for this year's Catholic Charities Appeal.

Our assessed goal:	\$19,923.00
Amount pledged:	\$16,199.00
Amount collected:	\$12,502.00

No donation is too small to make a difference. We have come this far with 38 (9%) of our registered households responding. It's not too late to join the effort to provide Catholic Charities with the funds it needs to continue doing its great and varied work in the name of Jesus and the church. Thank you for every generosity you offer.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday Acts 15:1-2, 22-29; Rv 21:10-14, 22-23; Jn 14:23-29
Monday Acts 16:11-15; Jn 15:26--16:4a
Tuesday Acts 16:22-34; Jn 16:5-11
Wednesday Acts 17:15,22--18:1 Jn 16:12-15
Thursday Acts 18:1-8; Jn 16:16-20
Friday Acts 18:9-18; Jn 16:20-23
Saturday Acts 18:23-28; Jn 16:23b-28
Sunday Acts 1:1-11; Eph 1:17-23

Please silence all cellular phones and other electronic devices prior to the beginning of our liturgies.

THE FRIARS WILL BE AWAY

Father David and all the Capuchin friars from Cleveland to Baltimore and Washington, D.C. are gathering at their motherhouse friary in Pittsburgh this week from Monday through Friday. During this triennial meeting the friars will elect their leaders for the next three years. The days will be filled with prayer, liturgy, discussions of their life and goals for the future, while enjoying each other's company, thanking the God who brought them together. Please remember them in prayer this week.

MASS THIS WEDNESDAY

While the friars are away this week, Fr. Isidore Munishi will be here to celebrate the 6:30 pm Mass with us. The scheduled confessions are cancelled that day. This midweek moment of rest has become a staple of the week for some of us. You are always invited.

COLLECTION	
<i>15 May 2022 — online contributions</i>	\$2,860.00
<i>15 May 2022 — envelope contributions</i>	\$4,946.00
<i>Sunday collection total</i>	\$7,806.00
<i>Newman Ministries — online contributions</i>	\$0.00
<i>Newman Ministries — envelope contributions</i>	\$182.00
<i>Newman Ministries total</i>	\$182.00
<i>Ministries of Mercy — online contributions</i>	\$75.00
<i>Ministries of Mercy — envelope contributions</i>	\$810.00
<i>Ministries of Mercy total</i>	\$885.00
<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:

Rochelle Larkin-Carr	Estella Fortson	Catherine Powell	Amanda Lewis	Hal Wyant
Jewell Gardner	Henry Tucker	Carrie Aaron	John P. Jones, Jr.	Maxine & Shelby Friend
Cole Whaley	Marvin Young	Jimmy Owens	Wendy Lewis	Shirley Liston
Roger & Connie Raines	Jesse & Jessica Carr	Demateress Richards	Jean & Len Rosky	Jerry Freeman
Rosemarie McBride	Fletcher & Delores Posey	Gerri Fracasso	Cordell Curry	Bill & Monica Starks
Vera Payne	Pauline Reed	Catherine Wilson	Tammy Larkin	Bettina & Horace Bowling
Beverly Jordan	Marian Mauldin	Marlene Land	Maria Hanan	Patricia Polk
Carmen Whaley	Don Miller	Denise Curry	Patricia Pendleton	Clementine Jefferson
Edith Richardson	Allyssa Brand-Bey	Theresa Talbott	Preston Whatley	Thelma Arnold
Helen Collier	Reaver Jones	Margaret Luton	Daniel Jefferson	Isaac King, Sr.
Sr. Kathleen McCafferty, SND	Della Powell	Sandra Cummings	Sharm Starks	Tyrone & Terry Lester
Lucille Mahone	Raman Belinson	Maureen Belinson	Linda E. Williams	Horace Reese
Doris St. Clair	Ruby Fett	Eunice & Jesse Smiley	D.D. Ward -Warden	Jonathan Traylor
Kiana Pearson	Mildred Jackson	Star Lewandowski	Cora Williams	Merline Goodson
Tyric Green	Barbara Galloway	Sandra Rose	Barbara Oliver	Sophonra Reed

If you decide that it is no longer necessary for your name to appear on this list because your condition has improved, please contact the parish office.

PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS IN THE MILITARY:

Sandra Clark	Mario Williams	Maurice Williams	Steven Rau
Joshua Sánchez	Dennis Ross, II	Uchechi Onwuanaibe	Sadé Powers-Morgan

