

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, July 23, 2023

Holy Spirit Catholic Church

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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.

COME WORSHIP WITH US!

*The Spirit comes to the aid
of our weakness;
for we do not know
how to pray as we ought,
but the Spirit Himself intercedes
with inexpressible groanings.*



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*And the One who searches hearts
knows what is
the intention of the Spirit,
because He intercedes
for the holy ones
according to God's will.*

Romans 8:26-27

Saturday Vigil Mass
4:00 p.m.

Sunday Mass
10:30 a.m.

Weekday Mass
Wednesday: 6:30 p.m.

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

Eucharistic Adoration
Wednesday: 5:00 - 6:00 p.m.

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Sisters and Brothers of Holy Spirit,

This week's second reading from St Paul's Letter to the Romans reminds us of the power of God within which we live and move and have our being! God's own Holy Spirit comes to our aid in our weakness, searches all that our hearts need and desire, and then intercedes or moves us forward according to His plan for our holiness...our sainthood! Let's never hesitate to call on the Holy Spirit to give us all the spiritual strength and inspiration we need to endure through trials, and bring the goodness of God's Kingdom into our lives and the lives of those who surround us! May the Lord's peace reign in your hearts today!

-Fr Dave



The Madonna and Child Jesus was created by Anthony Vanarsdale for the National Black Catholic Congress (NBCC) and was on the cover of a special edition Magnificat for the NBCC convention in 2017.

MASS READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- 7/23 16th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
Wis 12:13, 16-19/Rom 8:26-27/Mt 13:24-43
or 13:24-30
- 7/24 Monday, Saint Sharbel Makhlūf, Priest
Ex 14:5-18/Mt 12:38-42
- 7/25 Tuesday. Saint James, Apostle, Feast
2 Cor 4:7-15/Mt 20:20-28
- 7/26 Wednesday Saints Joachim and Anne,
Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Memorial
Ex 16:1-5, 9-15/Mt 13:1-9
- 7/27 Thursday
Ex 19:1-2, 9-11, 16-20b/Mt 13:10-17
- 7/28 Friday
Ex 20:1-17/Mt 13:18-23
- 7/29 Saturday, Saints Martha, Mary and Lazarus
Memorial
Ex 24:3-8 (400)/Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42

MASS INTENTIONS

- Sunday, July 23, 2023*
Vigil, 4:00 pm Gaynell Gaddis
10:30 am The People of Holy Spirit Parish
- Wednesday, July 26, 2023*
6:30 pm Audrey B. Hopkins
- Sunday, July 30, 2023*
Vigil, 4:00 pm The People of Holy Spirit Parish
10:30 am Fran E. Alexander

BIRTHDAYS!!!

- 7/23 Alesia Ogletree, Christie Okocha
- 7/24 Ervin Metlock
- 7/25 Willie De Cluett, Ernest Forte
Alana Johns, Montell Little
- 7/26 Regina Grooms, Cara Johnson
KeiShawn Pearson,
Jaylen Williams
- 7/27 Jewel Jones
- 7/28 Creola Calhoun
Trina Larkin-Pearson
Bernard Long
Delores Pottinger
Cole Blease Whaley Jr
- 7/29 Michael Jackson
Joshua Sanchez



PICNIC ANNOUNCEMENTS

1) The committee is requesting parishioners attending the picnic to consider bringing specific food items for the picnic. Corresponding to the first letter of your last name, please sign up at the Church doors for the following items:

- A-H:** pre-sliced watermelon, cantaloupe, honey dew, and grapes off the vine
- I-P:** cookies, sliced cakes, brownies
- Q-Z:** sliced tomatoes, cleaned lettuce leaves, sliced onions, sliced cheese, and jarred pickles for hamburgers and hot dogs

2) 4:00pm Mass Saturday the 12th will be cancelled to encourage everyone to come celebrate our Picnic Mass together!

3) Please plan on bringing your own lawn chairs for the picnic

PARISH PICNIC

Save the date! Sunday, August 13, 2023 will be our annual parish picnic beginning with 10:30am Mass on the Grass behind the Parish Center. The picnic will include all the annual festivities: food, fun, and fellowship from 12:00-4:00pm. The picnic is free but registration is required to know how much food is needed. Please register yourselves, family, and friends at the back and north side entrance to the Church.

COME AND SEE OUR PARISHINORS AND MUSICIANS PERFORM AT AN OUTDOOR CONCERT AND MASS FOR THE EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL AND FATIMA CENTER 50th ANNIVERSARY

Friday, July 28 at Cleveland's Historic League Park! The Diocesan Gospel Choir will perform at 7:00 pm, followed by the celebration of Mass with Fr. Oscar Pratt from the Archdiocese of Boston presiding. **Registration is FREE, but necessary.** Please register at: [dioceseofcleveland.org/events/2023/07/28/eucharistic-revival-ballpark-mass--cleveland](https://www.dioceseofcleveland.org/events/2023/07/28/eucharistic-revival-ballpark-mass--cleveland)



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

This year's Vacation Bible School will take place July 31 through Aug. 4, from 9:00am-12:00pm, in the Parish Center. All children ages 3-12 are welcome. Registration forms and volunteer sign-up sheets are located at each entrance.

ANNE & JOACHIM GRANDPARENT PILGRIMAGE

Our Dioceses is inviting grandparents and their grandchildren to make a pilgrimage to St. Mary of the Falls in Olmsted Falls, Wednesday, July 26 from 11:00am - 2:00pm. The day will begin with the celebration of Mass with Fr. Damian Ference, followed by lunch, presentation and activities in the Parish Center. Everyone will also have an opportunity to commemorate the FIRST diocesan Grandparent Pilgrimage by taking pictures in a photo booth! Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$5 for children ages 2 and above. Non-refundable. Register at: <https://www.dioceseofcleveland.org/events/events/2023/07/26/anne-joachim-grandparent-pilgrimage>

THE SOLEMNITY OF THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

will be celebrated on Tuesday, August 15, 2023. Please note that this solemnity is a holy day of obligation in the United States this year.

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES ASSOCIATION GRIEF SUPPORT MEETINGS

The Catholic Cemeteries Association offers free, safe, and compassionate monthly Grief Support meetings in-person in six of our offices and virtually: For details, visit: <https://www.clecem.org/Information/Bereavement.aspx>. For more information or questions, call Rhonda at 216-930-4866.



WEDNESDAY HOLY HOUR

We have begun having a regular Holy Hour from 5-6:15pm before the 6:30pm Mass. The Sacrament of Confession will still be available from 5-6pm. Jesus in the blessed sacrament will be exposed for a time of prayer and adoration. Come pray with and for our Parish community and the needs of our world!

COLLECTION

The collection report for the this weekend and last weekend will be included in the report on the weekend of July 30.

Please consider moving to our online giving explained to the right. This allows for a more simplified contribution effort on your family's part as well as assisting the parish in its processing and reporting of contributions.

Thank you so much for your continuous support!

ONLINE GIVING VIA OUR SUNDAY VISITOR (OSV)

www.osvhub.com/holyspiritcleveland/giving/funds

Take advantage of the simplistic convenience of automatic, regularly scheduled contributions (or one-time gifts for special collections) through Our Sunday Visitor. You control how much and how often you give. You can see reports on your contribution history and generate tax statements at each year's end.

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 a eucharistic minister, please contact the parish office.

Let us always pray for our sick and shut-in parishioners. In particular, please remember in prayer:

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

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	Steven Rau	Mario Williams
Uchechi Onwunaibe	Sydney Turner	Maurice Williams
Sadé Powers-Morgan		

