

Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time, October 15, 2023

Holy Spirit Catholic Church

4341 East 131st Street
Garfield Heights, Ohio 44105
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MISSION STATEMENT

We come together as a diverse and welcoming community to glorify, praise and give thanks to God through Jesus Christ.

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 member of Christ's body.

COME WORSHIP WITH US!

*May the Father of our
Lord Jesus Christ
enlighten the eyes of
our hearts...*



Holy Spirit Church

*...so that we may know
what is the hope
that belongs to our call.*

Ephesians 1:17-18

Saturday Vigil Mass

4:00 pm

Sunday Mass

10:30 am

Weekday Mass

Wednesday, 6:30 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Wednesday, 5:00-6:00pm

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday, 5:00-6:00pm
(Holy Rosary, 5:40-6:00pm)

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Welcoming to the Heavenly Banquet

Artist: Barbara Schwarz, Dominican Sister of Amityville

Sisters and Brothers of Holy Spirit!

This Sunday's readings invite us to reflect on the vision God has for all His children for all time. He has made us for His eternal heavenly banquet where He will *wipe away the tears from every face* and we will forever *rejoice and be glad that he has saved us!* (Isaiah 25:8-9). We hear these words of God spoken to us in the midst of a world suffering from senseless violence taking place in Israel, Palestine, the Ukraine, and many other places throughout the world, including our own neighborhoods. With our hearts aching at the news reports, we can feel helpless to bring about the changes that need to happen. We need to continually put our trust in the Lord, who is a *refuge to the poor and to the needy in their distress* (Isaiah 25:4). We need to believe that our prayers and openness to living in His will can make a difference. Please join me this week in praying for the Holy Land which our Lord walked in and for peace throughout our world:

*Lord, we pray to you for the Holy Land,
for the people of Israel and Palestine who are under the
grip of unprecedented violence,
for the victims, especially the children, for the wounded,
for those held hostage, for the missing and their families.
In these hours of anguish and suspension, we join our
voices to that of the Pope and to the choral prayer of
those around the world who implore peace.
Help us, Lord, to commit ourselves to building a fraternal
world so that these peoples and those in the same
conditions of conflict of instability and violence may find
the path of respect for human rights where justice,
dialogue and reconciliation are
the indispensable tools for building peace. Amen*

By Margaret Karram,
President of the Focolare Movement and a Palestinian Catholic,
prayed at the 2023 Synod General Assembly.

LITURGICAL CALENDAR / MASS INTENTIONS

- 10/15 28th Sunday of Ordinary Time
4:00pm *People of Holy Spirit Parish*
10:30am *Leslie DeBrossard*
- 10/16 Monday of the 28th Week
- 10/17 Memorial of Saint Ignatius of Antioch,
Bishop and Martyr
- 10/18 Feast of Saint Luke, evangelist
6:30pm *Kay Tucker*
- 10/19 Memorial of Saints John de Brébeuf and
Isaac Jogues, Priests, and Companions, Martyrs
- 10/20 Friday of the 28th Week
- 10/21 Saturday of the 28th Week
- 10/22 29th Sunday of Ordinary Time
4:00pm *People of Holy Spirit Parish*
10:30am *Alice Aarons*

BIRTHDAYS

- 10/16 Cheryl Broussard, Gene Goodson, Leah Vallery
Trenton Bridges
- 10/18 June Averyhart
- 10/19 Ginny Simmons, Jalen Staples, Joe Michalski
Kevin McCabe
- 10/21 Rose Dukes, Roy Madison

PARISH ACTIVITY CALENDAR

- 10/22 Youth (Middle/High School) Listening Session
- 10/29 Parish Council Meeting
- 11/5 All Souls Remembrance at Sunday Mass
- 11/11 OGN 45th Anniversary, Our Lady of Peace
- 11/14 Finance Council Meeting

Monday Bible Study Mondays, 7:00pm, ZOOM

Little Rock Men's Bible Study

Mondays, 7:00pm, Thea Bowman

Thursday Bible Study Thursdays, 12:00pm, PC

OGN (Operation Good News)

2nd Thursday, 7:00pm, ZOOM

Women's Guild

1st Saturday, 10:30am, PC

Peter Claver

3rd Saturday, 9:30am, PC

Men of Faith

1st Sunday, 12:15pm, PC

Holy Name Society

2nd Sunday, 12:15pm, PC

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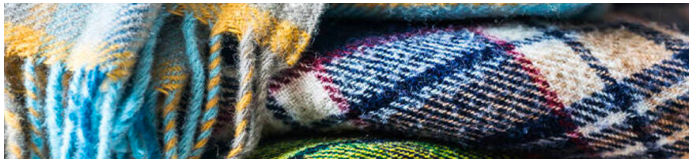
1st/3rd Sunday, 12:15pm, PC

TRUNK OR TREAT!



4th ANNUAL TRUNK OR TREAT AT HOLY SPIRIT Saturday, October 28, 12:30-3:00pm

All are welcome to participate. Kids are welcome to attend in costumes. We are looking for volunteers to decorate their trunks and pass out candy.
See Stacy Collier (216-315-5952).



ANNUAL BLANKET SUNDAY APPEAL

The 37th Annual Blanket Sunday in-parish appeal kicks off this weekend. Envelopes are available in the church. Last year, funds from the appeal were used to support neighbors in warmth and compassion!




YOUTH CHAT

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 22, 12:15pm AFTER MASS
PARISH CENTER**

Attention middle school and high school youth, grades 6-12! Come together with other youth to talk about how to live out our Catholic faith today and encounter God more at Holy Spirit Parish, in our Diocese, and beyond! Toni Smith from the Office of Black Catholic Ministries will be leading the discussion.

PIZZA LUNCH, GAMES, PRIZES AND MORE!

Please help us plan ahead and let us know your coming by sending an email to: office@holyspiritcleveland.org



THEOLOGY ON TAP


“Returning
to the
Father”

with Fr. James Watson


What can we do to better receive the Sacrament of
Confession? How do we overcome fears and anxieties
that prevent us from fully receiving Christ's Mercy?


Tuesday, October 17th
Forest City Brewery | 7pm


Registration will be available at dioceseofcleveland.org/totcle
Parking is available on the street or at St. Wendelin



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OGN PICTURE REQUEST

OGN is collecting pictures of people who have been OGN participants in the past for the upcoming Anniversary. A box is available in the sacristy to place pictures. Please include names of people, the name/date of event (if known), and contact info of person to return pictures to.



OPERATION GOOD NEWS 45th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

“We’ve Come This Far by Faith”

Sat. November 11th Noon - 3pm and 4pm Mass

Our Lady of Peace Catholic Church - Cummins Hall
Operation Good News (OGN) invites all to celebrate 45 years of our unique lay-led Black Catholic renewal ministry in the Diocese of Cleveland. OGN has encouraged spiritual growth in Cleveland’s African-American communities since 1979 with bi-annual retreats, prayer groups, and bible studies and is open to adults of any denomination over the age of 18 years. The celebration includes an elegant lunch, history and sharing from founding members, and in honor of Black Catholic History Month, a tribute to our local Black Catholic Religious and those who have supported OGN through the years, followed by Mass at Our Lady of Peace parish: 12601 Shaker Blvd, Cleveland OH 44120. The cost is \$20 per person, due by October 27, 2023, checks payable to “Operation Good News” c/o Holy Spirit Catholic Church, 4341 East 131st Street, Garfield Hts OH 44105. To RSVP and for more details, contact Juanita 216-659-3569 or Deland 216-249-4249. We’re trying to reach as many OGN members and supporters as we can. Please help us spread the GOOD NEWS and join us for an afternoon of fun, fellowship, and a faith!

WEEKLY COLLECTION

	10/1/23	10/8/23
Online Contributions	\$2,390.00	\$2,455.00
Envelope Contributions	\$4,720.41	\$2279.00
Sunday Total Collection	\$7,110.41	\$4734.00
Ministry of Mercy (online)	\$0.00	\$115.00
Ministry of Mercy (envelopes)	\$145.00	\$105.00
Ministry of Mercy Total	\$145.00	\$220.00

Thank you very much for your continuous support!



VIA OUR SUNDAY VISITOR

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 SISTERS AND BROTHERS

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 an extraordinary minister, please contact the parish office.

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

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

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 PARISHINORS IN THE MILITARY:

Saundra Clark	Steven Rau	Mario Williams
Uchechi Onwuanaibe	Sydney Turner	Maurice Williams
Sadé Powers-Morgan		

