

First Sunday of Lent, February 18, 2024

Holy Spirit Catholic Church

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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!

*The Spirit drove Jesus out
into the desert,
and he remained in the
desert for forty days,
tempted by Satan.*



*He was among wild beasts,
and the angels
ministered to him.*

-Mark 1:12-13

Holy Spirit Church

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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Deacon Emeritus: Rev. Mr. Shelby Friend

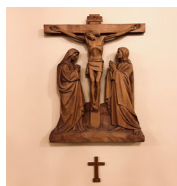
HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC CHURCH

Dear Holy Spirit Family,

As Jesus embarked on His mission of salvation for all, He was called first to the desert. He communed with God the Father in prayer and found strength to endure the doubts, fears, temptations He experienced in His humanity. Lent is a season to take some desert time of ourselves with the Lord. A time to pray, fast and give alms in the way we sense the Spirit calling us in our lives. May your Lenten journey be a time of increased trust in God in all areas of your life. Come Holy Spirit and renew the face of the earth! -Fr Dave

HOLY SPIRIT TOWN HALL MEETING

Next Sunday, February 25 after the 10:30 Mass in the Church from 12:15-1:15pm. Fr Dave and our Strategic Planning Team will provide an update on the progress of our Strategic Plan and some current initiatives that have come out of it. There will be time for questions and answers at the end. The event will also be livestreamed. Please plan on attending to learn more about how the time, thoughts, and ideas you have all provided through our synodal process and strategic plan listening sessions have been seen, heard, and implemented into the plans for our Parish! **WE ARE ASKING OUR HOLY SPIRIT YOUTH TO BRING THEIR PRESENCE, QUESTIONS, AND THOUGHTS TO THIS TOWN HALL MEETING IN LIEU OF THEIR MONTHLY 4th SUNDAY GATHERING.**



We are looking for volunteers to help lead stations of the cross with our deacons this lent. If interested please contact the Church office.



St Vincent DePaul thanks us for our generosity in this years 37th Annual Blanket Sunday Appeal. We raised \$234.00 to help supply local men, women, children and seniors with warm blankets, mattresses, beds, and other necessities. Thank you Holy

HOLY SPIRIT IS CURRENTLY LOOKING FOR INDIVIDUALS TO SERVE IN ALL AREAS OF LITURGICAL MINISTRIES. Please see Fr Dave if you would like to learn more. If you are interested specifically in lectoring or extraordinary ministry of communion please contact Carol Bugg: carol_bugg@yahoo.com.

LITURGICAL CALENDAR / MASS INTENTIONS

2/17-2/18

1st Sunday of Lent

4:00pm (Sat. Vigil), Mary St Clair

10:30am, People of Holy Spirit Parish

2/19 Monday of the First Week of Lent

2/20 Tuesday of the First Week of Lent

2/21 Wednesday of the First Week in Lent

6:30pm, Thomas Allen

2/22 Feast of the Chair of Saint Peter, Apostle

2/23 Friday of the First Week of Lent

2/24 Saturday of the First Week of Lent

2/24-2/25

Second Sunday of Lent

4:00pm (Sat. Vigil), People of Holy Spirit Parish

10:30am, Albert C. Roker Sr.

BIRTHDAYS

2/18 Eva Traylor, Victor Ezirim, Mariah Williams

2/19 Gerald Arnold, Isabella Heard

2/20 Pamela Jones

2/21 Michele Garrett

2/22 Wayman Frazier, Kenneth White, Tony Gibson

2/23 Bettina Bowling, Isis King

2/24 Adayre Bevil



REFUGEE FAMILY IN NEED OF ASSISTANCE

A new refugee family is being welcomed to Cleveland by some of our parishioners. Musimbwa and his wife, Denise, arrived in Cleveland with very little from Democratic Republic of the Congo by way of Tanzania with their 7 children, ages 2 to 16. They are expecting their 8th child in about a month. Holy Spirit family, please help them with new or gently used baby items. They could also use 3-4 dining room chairs. There will be a box for donating items near the chapel/confessional. If you have questions please contact: Mary-Sibyl Kress 216-346-1773 or Faith Conroy 216-678-2980

YEAR END TAX STATEMENTS ARE AVAILABLE

IF YOU NEED YEAR END TAX STATEMENTS please email office@holyspiritcleveland.org or call the parish office and leave a message. We will mail the forms to you.

PARISH ACTIVITY CALENDAR

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Fridays of Lent, beginning 2/23

TOWN HALL MEETING,

Sun, Feb 25, after 10:30 Mass,

MEN OF FAITH FISH FRY

Friday, March 15, Mulligan Hall

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** 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**PSR** 1st/3rd Sunday, 12:15pm, PC**Youth Group** 4th Sunday, 12:15pm, PC

PRAYER VIGIL FOR PEACE IN UKRAINE

All are invited to attend a Prayer Vigil for Peace in Ukraine at 6 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 24 in the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist, 1007 Superior Ave., Cleveland. The event, marking the second anniversary of the war, will be hosted by the Catholic Diocese of Cleveland and Greater Cleveland's Ukrainian community. Bishop Edward Malesic is scheduled to be the principal speaker and clergy from the orthodox communities are expected to participate. For more information, email cma@gmail.com



BEHOLD RETREAT

Saturday, March 2, This mother-daughter retreat is intended for all mothers and daughters (teens and adults) or any mother-daughter like relationship. This includes spiritual mothers too (godmothers, aunts and nieces, mentors, etc.) "And Mary said, 'Behold, I am the handmaid of the Lord; let it be to me according to your word.'" (LK 1:38) Lunch, snacks and drinks included. Every participant will receive a goodie bag and sweatshirt. Registration deadline Friday, February 23. Visit dioceseofcleveland.org/behold for more info.



Diocesan Social Action Office

Providing Help. Creating Hope.
Serving All.

DSAO "Pilgrimage for Justice"

Immersion Experience and

Civil Rights Bus Tour! June 9-15, 2024

For our 2023 #weGIVECATHOLIC, "Giving Tuesday" campaign, DSAO raised scholarship funds for our "Pilgrimage for Justice" Immersion Experience, which will travel by charter bus in June 2024. Coordinated and led by DSAO staff and clergy, we'll be traveling to historical locations important in the struggle for Civil Rights in Kentucky, Selma, Birmingham, Montgomery, and Atlanta. We'll learn about, reflect upon, and pray about racism and other social justice issues that the Civil Rights movement sought to address and people still face today. This will be a once-in-a-lifetime experience to help better equip people how to respond to those in need who are still suffering from social injustices. For more information, contact our Social Action Office at: dsao@ccdacle.org. Or, if you missed your chance to give to the Scholarship Fund on Giving Tuesday, look for more details in the coming months about this project. Interested in this Pilgrimage? Email us if you would like to be added to the list as a contact or prospective participant, at: dsao@ccdacle.org.

HOLY SPIRIT PARISHINOR, MARY SIBYL KRESS is willing to help coordinate with parishioners who are interested in this trip. She can be contacted at: sibylkress@hotmail.com



PARKING IS NOT ALLOWED ON THE HOUSING SIDE OF CRANWOOD DRIVE. This creates a dangerous traffic hazard. Please park only on the Church side of Cranwood Drive or in our parking lot.

MULLIGAN HALL PAINTING

We are continuing to paint our Mulligan Hall walls February 22-24 and need volunteers to help! Supplies, drinks, food, and treasures in heaven will be provided! If you are willing and available, please email Fr Dave at pastor@holyspiritcleveland.org or call the office at 216.581.0981. If you cannot paint, but would like to support the effort, you can donate money to help cover the cost of paint.



HOLY SPIRIT PARISH PRESENTS CATHOLICISM

An opportunity to grow in faith with others and enrich our understanding of the Catholic Church! All are welcome to attend this video and discussion series as we travel the world with Bishop Robert Barron as our guide and each other as fellow pilgrims in the Lord! Sessions are every 2nd and 4th Saturday of the month, 10:00am-11:30am in the Parish Center. Please see Fr Dave for more information.

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

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.

WEEKLY COLLECTION

	2/11/24
Online Contributions	\$3,095.00
Envelope Contributions	\$3,092.00
Sunday Total Collection	\$6,187.00
Ministry of Mercy (online)	\$0.00
Ministry of Mercy (envelopes)	\$115.00
Ministry of Mercy Total	\$115.00

Thank you very much for your continuous support!

PLEASE CONSIDER ONLINE GIVING!

www.osvhub.com/holyspiritcleveland/giving/funds

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

PRAY FOR OUR PARISHINORS IN THE MILITARY:

Saundra Clark	Steven Rau	Mario Williams
Uchechi Onwunaibe	Sydney Turner	Maurice Williams

