

Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph December 28, 2025

Holy Spirit Catholic Church

4341 East 131st Street Garfield Heights, Ohio 44105 216.581.0981

Office Hours: Tues, Wed, Thurs 9:00am-1:00pm or by appointment

Saturday Vigil Mass 4:00 pm

> **Sunday Mass** 10:30 am

Wednesday Weekday Mass 5:00 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation Wednesday, 4:00-4:50pm or by appointment

Eucharistic Adoration Wednesday, 4:00-4:50pm (Holy Rosary, 4:30 pm)

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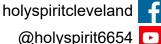
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HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC CHURCH

Dear Holy Spirit Church,

This Sunday we celebrate the Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph. We look to the Holy Family for inspiration and grace in our lives. We can ask St. Mary, the Mother of God, and St. Joseph to intercede for us and help us hold Jesus deeper within our hearts. Mary, Joseph, and Jesus all faced fears and uncertainties in their lives on earth. They found strength and courage in always seeking and being obedient to God's will. This direction came in visits from angels, in their dreams, and in 1/1 their everyday lives as they encountered others whom God had sent them. As we seek to courageously live our faith, 1/2 we too need to trust in God and look for His guidance in our lives. Let us never cease to bring to Him our fears and uncertainties about the future, lay them all before him, hold His love for us in our hearts, and then patiently wait for the steps forward He calls us to take. God never fails. God is madly in love with us. He will always see us through!

The Society for the Propogation of the Faith thanks Holy Spirit Church for the following contributions: \$739 for the Society of African Missions and \$286 for World Mission Sunday. Our parish's generosity demostrates the great interest we have in supporting our sisters and brothers around the world!



OUR VALUES

The Word

We are inspired by God's Word and the Eucharist as the source of our faith and salvation.

Family

We are committed to know, understand, and love each other as members of Christ's Body, the Church.

Inclusivity

We invite all to participate in the life and mission of the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

Outreach

We are called through the Holy Spirit to spread the Gospel message and reach out to the poor and oppressed.

Legacy

We nurture our faith across all generations to build a lasting foundation for our Church.

OUR VISION

A parish where all find nourishment and support in family, life, and faith in Christ.

OUR MISSION

To glorify, praise, and give thanks to God through Jesus Christ, by coming together as a diverse and welcoming community.

LITURGICAL CALENDAR / MASS INTENTIONS

12/27-28 Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph 4:00pm, Kay Tucker 10:30am, People of Holy Spirit Parish

The 5th Day in the Octave of Christmas

12/30 The 6th Day in the Octave of Christmas

12/31 The 7th Day in the Octave of Christmas 5:00pm, Julian Bolton and Minnie Brooks

Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God 10:30am, All our Benefactors

Memorial of Saints Basil the Great and Gregory Nazianzen, Bishops and Doctors of the Church

1/3 Christmas Weekday

1/3-4 The Epiphany of the Lord NO 4:00pm Mass for Epiphany Celebration 10:30am, People of Holy Spirit Parish

HAPPYBIRTHDAY

12/28 Deborah Bunkley, LaShaun Carr, Walter Moore, Ian Williams

12/29 James Garrett, Olivia Nwosu

12/30 Peyton Martin

1/1 Chris Smith

1/2 Myrtle Alexander, Ruby Fett, Alfredo Gonzalez, Marylin Griffin

1/4 Denise Curry, Gabriell Mason

PARISH ACTIVITY CALENDAR

Monday Bible Study......Mondays, 7:00pm, ZOOM

Hardin Martin Men's Bible Study......Mondays,7:00pm,PC

Holy Spirit Food Pantry.....Tuesdays, 4-5pm, PC

Mobile Food Distribution......3rd Thursdays, 3-5pm

Alcoholics Anonymous:

Cleveland Food Bank

Eastside Old Timers.....Tuesday, 7:00pm, PC

Alcoholics Anonymous:

Wednesday Meeting......Wednesday, 10:00am, PC

OGN......2nd Thurs, 7:00pm, ZOOM

Thursday Bible Study......Thursday, 12:00pm, PC

Women's Guild.....1st Saturday, 10:30am, PC

Peter Claver......3rd Saturday, 9:30am, PC

OCIA (Sacramental Prep)....Sunday 9:00am Rectory

Men of Faith.....1st Sunday, 12:15pm, PC

Holy Name Society......2nd Sunday, 12:15pm, PC

PSR (Religious Educ.)......1st/3rd Sunday, 12:15pm,PC

Coffee and Conversation.....4th Sunday after Mass

Arts Reaching Kids......Sundays from 2-4pm, PC Call 216-925-9183 to register for the next session

CHRISTMASSCHEDULE

Sun, Dec 28, THE HOLY FAMILY

4:00pm Saturday Vigil Mass 10:30am Sunday Mass

Wednesday, Dec 31 4:00pm Holy Hour w Confessions and Rosary, 5:00pm Mass

Thurs, Jan 1 SOLEMNITY OF MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD

Holyday of Obligation 10:30am Mass

Sun, Jan 4, THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

Feast Day of Holy Spirit Parish 4:00pm Vigil Mass CANCELLED 10:30am Sunday Mass followed by lunch reception in Mulligan Hall and Church

Sun, Jan 11, THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

4:00pm Saturday Vigil Mass 10:30am Sunday Mass



Proclaiming Christ, Our Hope: Forming Disciples and Enhancing Missionary Vitality

Saturday, January 10 from 10:00am - 2:30pm, Center for Pastoral Leadership, 28700 Euclid Ave, Wickliffe

A focused workshop that helps leaders form missionary disciples through kerygmatic storytelling, spiritual renewal, and practical strategies for evangelization. Rooted in the hope of Christ, participants will explore how to share the Gospel with clarity and compassion, cultivate and build a mission-driven culture, and sustain apostolic vitality in ministry. Event Contact Michelle Nowak: mnowak@dioceseofcleveland.org or Google: "Diocese of Cleveland, Proclaiming Christ, Our Hope: Forming Disciples and Enhancing Missionary Vitality" to register.

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES ASSOCIATION DIOCESE OF CLEVELAND Faith, Hope, and Remembrance

The Catholic Cemeteries Association's next Sunday Grief Support Group will be Sunday January 18th. In-person will meet at 3pm, virtual at 5pm. In a welcoming and supportive setting, find fellowship among others who share their experiences and understand the pain of loss. Meetings are being held on the 3rd Sunday of the month, at no charge to you. Please join us for an hour of listening, healing, and

finding comfort with others who understand. For details, call Renee at 216-930-4866 or visit: www.clecem.org/Events



Join us for a

Memorial Liturgy of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

Friday, January 16th at 9:00AM The Cathedral of St. John the Baptist

Celebrant: Most Reverend Michael G. Woost

Homilist: Fr. Kareem Smith Archdiocese of New York



The Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist 1007 Superior Avenue E Cleveland, Ohio 44114-2582



Jesus, Dollars & Donuts

A FAITH BASED APPROACH TO MONEY MANAGEMENT

October 26, 2025 - Count your costs: Know what's in your wallet? Your big bad budget vs that Big Beautiful Bill.

November 23, 2025 - How can I give 10% to Jesus when I'm paying 25% to my credit card?

January 25, 2026 - Financial talk for black families, Estate planning, wills, trusts, life insurance and planned giving.

IN THE CHURCH

Immediately following Mass
A discussion of scriptures and finances today,
based on

DFREE® Financial Freedom Movement (faith-based curriculum) www.dfree.org

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE	4:00pm	10:30am	Total
11/1-11/2	21	167	188
11/8-11/9	20	149	169
11/15-11/16	26	174	200
11/22-11/23	38	159	197
11/29-11/30	20	113	133
12/6-12/7	64	173	237
12/13-12/14	18	92	110
12/20-12-21	26	160	186



Order of Christian Initiation for Adults

Do you know someone who may be interested in learning more about the Catholic faith?

The Order of Christian Initiation for Adults (OCIA) is for those who are interested in learning more about the Catholic faith and/or possibly becoming a member of the Catholic Church through the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and the Eucharist. Classes will begin this Fall. Please call or text Erin Raines at 216-543-7679 for more information.

Kendall Fortson

WEEKLY COLLECTION	12/21/25
Weekly Collection Goal	\$7,712.00
Sunday Total Collection	\$7,058.00
Sunday Online Contributions	\$3,241.00
Sunday Envelope Contributions	\$3,817.00
Ministry of Mercy Total	\$1,527.00
Ministry of Mercy (online)	\$25.00
Ministry of Mercy (envelopes)	\$ 1,502.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY! 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.

Holy Spirit Church's Ministry of Mercy is funded by the generosity of our Holy Spirit family to assist those in need of emergency assistance. It is primarily for our parish family member. It is also used to purchase food and supplies for our Holy Spirit Hunger Center, Tuesday Food Pantry and third thursday Mobile Food Pantry, which supports our surrounding neighborhood community. Thank you for your generous support of this valuable ministry that is helping so many!

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 recieve 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	Maxine & Shelby Friend	Margaret Luton	Sandra Rose
Thelma Arnold	Merline Goodson	Marian Mauldin	Jean & Len Rosky
Raman Belinson	Tyric Green	Rosemarie McBride	Doris St. Clair
Maureen Belinson	Maria Hanan	Barbara Neal	Sharm Starks
Frank Blackmon	Mary James	Barbara Oliver	Bill & Monica Starks
Bettina & Horace Bowling	Daniel Jefferson	Jimmy Owens	Jonathan Traylor
Allyssa Brand-Bey	Clementine Jefferson	Wilbur & Beverly Parker	Leslie Traylor
Dwight A. Carpenter	Reaver Jones	Ann Payne	Cole Whaley
Jesse & Jessica Carr	John P. Jones, Jr.	Kiana Pearson	Carmen Whaley
Helen Collier	Beverly Jordan	Fletcher & Delores Posey	Preston Whatley
Denise Curry	Tammy Larkin	Della Powell	Linda E. Williams
Patricia Douglas	Rochelle Larkin-Carr	Roger & Connie Raines	Catherine Wilson
Ruby Fett	Tyrone & Terry Lester	Pauline Reed	Marvin Young
Estella Fortson	Wendy Lewis	Horace Reese	

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 Stever Uchechi Onwuanaibe Sydne

Shirley Liston

Steven Rau Mario Williams Sydney Turner Maurice Williams

Edith Richardson

