

**Come to him...like living stones,  
let yourselves be built  
into a spiritual house...  
so that you may announce  
the praises of him  
who called you out of darkness  
into his wonderful light.**

**1 Peter 2:4-9**

5th Sunday of Easter  
May 3, 2026

## **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

### **Weekend Masses**

4:00pm Saturday Vigil  
10:30 am Sunday

**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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**HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC CHURCH**

*Christ is the true temple of God, "the place where his glory dwells"; by the grace of God, Christians also become the temples of the Holy Spirit, living stones out of which the Church is built. (Catechism of the Catholic Church, 1197)*

Dear Holy Spirit Family, We begin the month of May with the reminder that we are made living stones of God’s Church through our baptism into Him! We are one of many stones that make up the structure of the Church and each have a role to play. We are to offer our lives to God (as priests), to witness to His truths by word and deed (as prophets), and to lead through serving others as Christ did (as kings). In the coming weeks, seven of our youth will receive sacraments of initiation established by Jesus to strengthen them as Christ’s living stones. Please join me in praying for each of these young people:

**SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION, May 6, SAOLF Logan Traylor, London Traylor, Payton Thomas, Anaya Domanski, and Nalea Tylor**

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION, June 7, Holy Spirit Ty’Erra Chapman and Liam Machado**



**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**

- 5/2-5/3 5th Sunday of Easter  
4:00pm, People of Holy Spirit Parish  
10:30am, Walter Adams (living)
- 5/4 Monday of the 5th Week of Easter
- 5/5 Tuesday of the 5th Week of Easter
- 5/6 Wednesday of the 5th Week of Easter  
4:00pm, Paul Wagner
- 5/7 Thursday of the 5th Week of Easter
- 5/8 Friday of the 5th Week of Easter
- 5/9 Saturday of the 5th Week of Easter
- 5/10-5/11 6th Sunday of Ordinary Time  
4:00pm, Eunice Smiley  
10:30am, People of Holy Spirit Parish



- 5/3 Joshua Beckles, Shena Ellis-Wilson, Alyson Neal
- 5/4 Paula Everette, Ron James, Kenneth McCoy  
Karla Morson
- 5/5 Bill Jefferson, Ervin Metlock
- 5/6 Nikiya Alexander, Herbert Bossier, Faith Metlock,  
Ralph Morris
- 5/7 Brenda Sanchez, Doris St. Clair  
Jet Westmoreland
- 5/9 Catherine Gibson, Karen Westmoreland

**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
- Cleveland Food Bank Mobile Food Distribution**.....3rd Thursdays, 3-5pm
- Alcoholics Anonymous: 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



*In Memoriam*

**Theodore (Ted) John Horak**, the father of our administrative assistant Ashley Horak, entered eternal life on April 29th, 2026. Funeral arrangements are as follows: Visitation Sunday May 3rd, 2026 from 2-6pm at Corrigan Cracium Funeral Home 14768 Lorain Rd. Cleveland Ohio 44111. Funeral Mass Monday at 10am at St. Leo the Great Catholic Church 4940 Broadview Rd. Cleveland Ohio 44109. Burial Holy Cross Cemetery. Please keep Ted, Ashley, and their family in your prayers. May he rest in the peace of our Lord Jesus Christ.

**Dorothy Mae Myers**, the mother of parishioner Barbara Neal, passed to eternal life on April 15. Please keep Barbara, Steve, and their family in your prayers. May Dorothy rest in the peace of the Lord. Memorial Service: Monday, May 4, 2026 11:00 am - 12:00 pm DeJohn-Flynn-Mylott Funeral Home 4600 Mayfield Road, South Euclid.



**ATTENTION ALL GRADUATES!!!**

If anyone is graduating Middle School, High School, College undergrad, grad, other...please email Ashley with name, level, school going to next year. We would like to recognize all graduates at Mass Sunday, June 14

**A SMALL GROUP BIBLE STUDY IS COMING TO A**

**LOCATION NEAR YOU!**

Join us as we explore the early Church through our study of the Acts of the Apostles. The study groups will be small and located throughout the greater Cleveland area. We are looking to host the study groups at parishioners' homes, local cafés, libraries or any place that will allow for a lively discussion of God's Word. Meeting in small groups at different geographical locations will allow us to get to know each other better as we grow in faith. If you are interested in facilitating or participating in this small group Bible study, please contact Faith Formation Committee member Shawn Kennedy, @ 216-233-0880 for more details. Each small group will determine which day, time and location work best for them.



**ACTS OF THE APOSTLES**



**ARTS REACHING KIDS**



**Drama**



**Reading**



**2+2=4 Math**



**Bucket Drumming**



**Dance**

# SUMMER CAMP

Ages 6-12  
9:00am- 5:00pm

**June 8th-18th 2026**  
Holy Spirit Parish  
4341 E 131<sup>st</sup> Garfield  
Heights OH 44105

Breakfast, Lunch and snack is provided

## \$75

Any questions please contact Ms. Regina:  
Email: artsreachingkids@gmail.com  
Phone: (216) 925-9183

**Operation Good News Spring Weekend Retreat**  
**Fri. May 29th 5pm – Sun. May 31st 3:30pm**  
**at the Jesuit Retreat Center**  
**Parma OH**

The retreat theme is “Navigating Life With God’s Perfect Vision” and is led by two Lay-Directors & Spiritual Director, Sr. Jane Nesmith, SBS. The early registration cost is \$125 for Commissioned OGN members - \$75 for 1st time renewalists, before 4/1/2026. After 3/31, the cost is \$150 for Commissioned OGN members - \$100 for 1st time renewalists. Includes lodging for 2 nights, 6 meals, & retreat program materials. Space is limited, so interested participants are encouraged to register early. Contact Rhonda 216-396-4136, Carol 216-835-0117, or Shawn 216-233-0880 for any questions.

**VBS**

We are currently preparing for summer VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL to be held June 22-26 from 9:00am-12pm. If you are interested in volunteering or have children you would like to attend, please scan the QR code to fill out information form.





**WOULD YOU LIKE TO LEARN MORE ABOUT HOLY SPIRIT CHURCH?**

Holy Spirit is a vibrant parish community that values God’s Word, family, inclusivity, outreach to our surrounding sisters and brothers, and building a legacy of faith in God’s love and mercy! If you would like to learn more about becoming a part our parish family or the Catholic faith you can contact the office at 216-581-0981 and setting up a time to meet with Fr Dave our pastor.

**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 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 parishioners. In particular, please remember in prayer:**

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

*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.*

**PLANNED GIVING**

Many Catholics prayerfully consider remembering their parish with a planned gift in gratitude for a lifetime abundance of God’s blessings. Planned gifts are made through wills or through life-income gifts and often have favorable tax benefits. These gifts derive from the donor’s accumulated assets, unlike annual gifts or pledges that derive from annual income. By including Holy Spirit (Garfield Heights) in your will or estate plan, you elevate the parish to the level of family. Estate gifts are important because they help ensure our children, and future generations, will have similar opportunities for ministry and spiritual life that current parishioners enjoy. All these gifts enhance the vitality of our parish for future generations and continually renew our ministries. Email Moira Wopershall of the Catholic Community Foundation or call 216-696-6525 x8070 with questions or for additional information.

**OUR COLLECTION FOR 4/25-26 WILL BE REPORTED NEXT SUNDAY. THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!**

**PLEASE CONSIDER ONLINE GIVING**

[www.osvhub.com/holyspiritcleveland/giving/funds](http://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:**

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|-------------------|---------------|------------------|
| Sandra Clark      | Steven Rau    | Mario Williams   |
| Uchechi Onwunaibe | Sydney Turner | Maurice Williams |

