

# INDEPENDENCE DAY

GOD BLESS AMERICA

## Saint Mary

### MASS TIMES:

**SATURDAY - 4:30PM | SUNDAY- 9:00AM**

**CONFESSIONS: SATURDAY 3:45-4:15PM**

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION** held on Saturdays 3:45pm to 4:15pm. or any time when requested.

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM** can be administered during Sunday Mass or at a private ceremony. New parents are required to attend a Baptism instruction. Recommended that this take place during the pregnancy.

**SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY**—call the Parish Office to make arrangements at least six months in advance. Marriage instructions are required.

**SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK** administered upon request to those who are sick.

**REGISTRATION**—Persons moving into our area are asked to notify the Parish Office to be registered. Notify the Parish Office with changes in contact information.

**P.S.R. CLASSES** (September—April) Grade School - Sundays: 9:00am (Mass) to 11:00am. [Next classes begin in September 2022]

**FOR ANY QUESTIONS OR TO SCHEDULE ANY OF THE ABOVE, PLEASE CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.**

### PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

MON-THURS 9AM—3 PM—CLOSED FRIDAY

### PARISH STAFF:

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Clyde St. Mary Catholic Church

### Mission Statement

*We, the members of St. Mary Parish, dedicated to Our Lady of Mount Carmel, are conscious of the struggles of our faith-filled ancestors. We strive to become a holy and vibrant community through personal prayer, meaningful liturgies, and opportunities to develop our faith. As God's people, we recognize the values and importance of each person and desire to reach out to all the people in our area who need God's Word, Love and Care.*

### The Diocese of Toledo

remains committed to ensuring the protection of children and providing a safe environment for all young people. If you have any knowledge of abuse that has been committed by a cleric or by any personnel of the Catholic Church, you are urged to report the abuse to your local police department, Children Services, and to contact the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator at (419) 214-4880; or to write to: Victim Assistance Coordinator  
1933 Spielbusch Avenue  
Toledo, Ohio 43604.

# SAINT MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH



*Lord, look upon me with eyes of mercy. May Your healing hand rest upon me.  
May Your life-giving powers flow into every cell of my body and the depths of my soul,  
cleansing, purifying, restoring me to wholeness  
and strength for service in Your Kingdom.*

*Amen.*

## PRAYER LIST

**Victor Rich, Doug Grahl, Meghan Grahl, Linda Burnett,  
Robert & Carolyn Kuhlman, Margaret Selvey, Margaret Ross,  
Marcia Glick, Bob Martin, Jean Garvin, Gene Cook, Linda Hayman,  
Geraldine Hill, Barb Conley, Mike Archer**  
and everyone affected in any way by COVID-19 or any other illness or injury.

*To recommend an individual to be placed on the St. Mary Prayer List,  
please contact the Parish Office.*

*Under HIPAA guidelines, the request must be made by  
either the person or the person's representative/caretaker.*

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What is eternal life in the kingdom of heaven if not a sign of God's hospitality to us? Because Jesus redeemed us on the cross, we are now welcomed into God's home to live forever. Like the woman of Shunem, who made a special place in her home for the prophet Elisha, God has made a special place in heaven for us. Let us follow Elisha's example and ask ourselves what we can do to express our gratitude for God's hospitality.

When we celebrate the Eucharist, whether we are conscious of it or not, we are offering thanks to God for all the God-given blessings we have received, especially the gift of Jesus, through whom we have received redemption. Because the Greek word *eucharistia* means "*thanksgiving*," in offering the Eucharist we are giving thanks. Indeed, before Jesus offered the bread as his body to the disciples, he gave thanks to God. He gave thanks once again before he offered the cup of wine as his blood. For all that God has done for us, we give thanks for the invitation to share Christ's Body and Blood.

To return to Elisha's question, "*Can something be done for her?*", let us look to Jesus in today's Gospel. He calls us to take up our crosses. In taking up our crosses and following Jesus' example, we are doing something for God. Specifically, we are surrendering ourselves to God's will, as Jesus did when he faced persecution. Additionally, Jesus promises a reward even to those who give "*only a cup of cold water*" to a disciple. This is akin to us helping someone else carry their cross, even if only for a short time, even if only expending a small effort. We are surrendering our own will to God's. How is God asking me to sacrifice my will today? Whom can I help carry their cross in an act of Christian solidarity?



### Scripture Readings

#### For the Week of July 3, 2023

- 3—Monday**    **Feast of Saint Thomas, Apostle**  
Eph 2:19-22; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Jn 20:24-29
- 4—Tuesday**    Gn 19:15-29; Ps 26:2-3, 9-10, 11-12;  
Mt 8:23-27
- 5—Wednesday**    **Memorial of Saint Anthony Zaccaria, Pope,  
and Saint. Elizabeth of Portugal**  
Gn 21:5, 8-20a; Ps 34:7-8, 10-11, 12-13;  
Mt 8:28-34
- 6—Thursday**    **Memorial of Saint Maria Goretti,  
Virgin and Martyr**  
Gn 22:1b-19; Ps 115:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9;  
Mt 9:1-8
- 7—Friday**    Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67; Ps 106:1b-2,  
3-4a, 4b-5; Mt 9:9-13
- 8—Saturday**    Gn 27:1-5, 15-29; Ps 135:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6;  
Mt 9:14-17
- 9—Sunday**    **Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
Zec 9:9-10; Ps 145:1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13-14;  
Rom 8:9, 11-13; Mt 11:25-30

### Mass Intentions

- 8—Saturday**    † **Lyle Stallard**  
**4:30 pm**    † **Parishioners**
- 9—Sunday**    † **Patrick Baker**  
**9:00 am**    † **Parishioners**

### Liturgical Calendar

#### July

- 3—**Feast of St. Thomas
- 4—**Independence Day
- 5—**Optional Memorial of St. Anthony Zaccaria  
Optional Memorial of St. Elizabeth of Portugal
- 6—**Optional Memorial of St. Maria Goretti
- 7—**First Friday
- 8—**Optional Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary

## What's Goin' On at St. Mary Parish?!

### Sacrificial Giving for FY 2023

**June 18, 2023**

Offertory Collection: 6/18:	\$3,693
Offertory needed per week::	\$3,600
Over <Under> - 6/18:	\$93
Over <Under> for Fiscal Year 2023—6/18:	\$4,767.92

### St. Mary Bingo

**NO BINGO THIS WEEK**

# Players	
Proceeds:	

### Parish Week at a Glance:

Week of: July 10, 2023

MON	Boy Scouts	6:30 pm	Gym
TUE	<b>Bingo</b>	6:30 pm	Parish Hall
WED			
THU			
FRI	Service	8:15 am	Church
SAT	Rosary	4:00 pm	Church
	Mass	4:30 pm	Church
SUN	Rosary	8:30 am	Church
	Mass	9:00 am	Church

### BINGO "VACATION"

St. Mary Bingo is coming back from its vacation on Tuesday, July 11<sup>th</sup>! Doors open at 4 pm and Bingo begins at 6:30 pm. Hope to see everyone!



PROTECT  
THEM  
BOTH

## Protect Women Ohio

This November, the state of Ohio will vote on the **extreme** and **dangerous** abortion initiative the state has ever seen. Planned Parenthood and the ACLU have initiated an amendment to change the Ohio Constitution that would legalize painful, late term abortions up to the point of birth, paid for with our tax-payer dollars. The proposed amendment would also eliminate parental rights if a minor were seeking

an abortion or even a sex-change operation. Do not sign a petition to legalize painful, late term abortions and join the fight to ultimately defeat this amendment at: [www.protectwomenohio.com](http://www.protectwomenohio.com) or [www.ohiolife.org](http://www.ohiolife.org).

### 2023 Annual Catholic Appeal...

Our 2023 parish goal for the Annual Catholic Appeal is \$10,231.00. Through our contributions, we can assure the continued existence of many important programs that help tens of thousands in our diocese each year, including supporting the education of our seminarians, deacons, caring for the sick and needy, and providing faith formation for our youth. All donations, large or small, are greatly appreciated. Many thanks to the 58 households who have already donated or pledged \$8,679.50 to the ACA (86% of our goal).

## SPECIAL MASS

On Friday, July 14<sup>th</sup>, a bus group of high school students and adults from Wisconsin will be stopping by in Clyde and have requested to have Mass here at St. Mary's. The priest accompanying the group will be celebrating Mass, along with Deacon José. It would be wonderful to have an attendance to greet these visitors and show them some St. Mary hospitality! More details to come.

## St. Mary Parish Important Information

### LITURGICAL ROLES.....

**JULY 8 / 9**

#### ALTAR SERVERS

<i>Saturday</i>	4:30pm	Deborah Kuns	Zachary Davis
<i>Sunday</i>	9:00am	Elliott Lozier	Max Miller

#### USHERS

<i>Saturday</i>	4:30pm	Ken Hoffman	Rita Hoffman
<i>Sunday</i>	9:00am	Paul Kerlin	Paul Swartz

#### LECTORS

<i>Saturday</i>	4:30pm	Terry Schreck
<i>Sunday</i>	9:00am	Kelli Davis

#### EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

<i>Saturday</i>	4:30pm	Becky Cook	Volunteer
<i>Sunday</i>	9:00am	Bob Crockett	Volunteer

#### MONEY COUNTERS

<b>Week 2</b>	Bev Schrickel	Joni Wasserman
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**Bingo Week #: 2**

**July 11, 2023**

#### Kitchen Workers

Helen Gurney	Emily Smathers
Kim Smathers	Jean Taylor

#### Bakers

Kay Dick	Anita Eubanks
Eileen Hay	Grace Leichty
Emily Smathers Gurney	

#### Floor Workers

Sue Lemmon	Sandy Smith
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### SAVE THE DATE:

### FOR "LUNCH 'n LISTEN"!

The next "Lunch 'n Listen" is on the books! Call (419) 547-9687 to sign up for the no-cost next

**LUNCH 'n LISTEN** on

**WEDNESDAY, July 19<sup>th</sup>**

**Presenter: Fr. Ed Schleter**

### DEACON JOSÉ VACATION

Please note: Deacon Jose will be on a family vacation beginning **Monday, June 26 through July 4.**

For any pastoral needs, please contact the Parish Office as someone will be covering Deacon José's duties. Prayers for safe travels for Deacon Jose and Anna!

### 2023 ARS RUMMAGE SALE

St. Mary's Altar Rosary Society is **CELEBRATING!**

This year's sale marks the **50<sup>th</sup>** year of the famous rummage sale held during Clyde's Community-Wide Garage Sales during the last weekend of July. What a legacy for the Altar Rosary Society!

Please start saving your treasures to donate to the sale. More details to come. If you have any questions, please contact Joni Wasserman at (419) 547-9354.



*If an error or omission occurred, call the parish office for correction.*

### Birthday Blessings for the period July 3—9:

- 3—Emily Ysasu, Quintin Deel, Ace Dymond;
- 4—Joseph Barrett, Anastasia Jones, Ron House;
- 5—Jacqueline Davis;
- 7—Andrea Caudill;
- 8—Laney Renfro;
- 9—Sharon Kinnear, Romana Sutphen, Matthew Wasserman, Andrew Wasserman

### ARE YOU SOMEONE OR DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO...

✝ *Has expressed an interest in becoming Catholic?*

✝ *Has a child over the age of seven who has not been baptized?*

✝ *Was baptized Catholic as a child, but has not celebrated the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist?*

We offer an opportunity to come together in a small group to learn more about our faith. Sessions focus on the teachings and experience of Church and prepare individuals to celebrate the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist during the Easter season. There are separate sessions for children or youth.



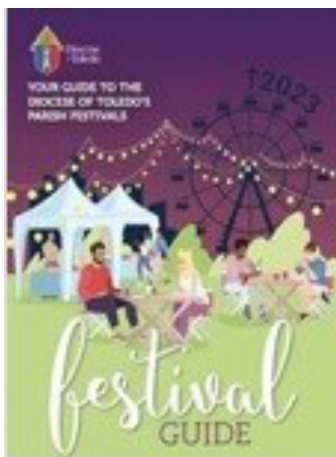
You are welcome to participate in the process with your questions, insights and your faith story in a warm accepting setting. For information contact Deacon José Zamora at (419) 547-9687 or [stmaryleader@gmail.com](mailto:stmaryleader@gmail.com)

## HELP NEEDED IN WEEKEND MASSES

St. Mary Parish is in need of more people to step up and help out with various functions during Mass. These functions may include: altar server, lector, usher, or extraordinary minister. Some training is required for any position and can be done at your convenience. If interested, please contact Deacon Jose Zamora by email: [stmaryleader@gmail.com](mailto:stmaryleader@gmail.com) or via the Parish Office at (419) 547-9687. Doing any of the above volunteer positions can be a rewarding experience. Will you help out your parish family?



**Food Trucks**  
**Beverages**  
**Music**  
**Kids Zone**  
**Pull Tabs**  
**Yard Games**  
**Fun for all ages!**



Check out your one-stop guide to the Diocese of Toledo's parish festivals! Visit [www.toledodiocese.org/festival-guide](http://www.toledodiocese.org/festival-guide)



# Around the Diocese...

## Mass on the Anniversaries of Marriage SAVE THE DATE



REGISTRATION OPENS JUNE 2023

External Event. Open to the Public

[www.toledoanniversarymass.org](http://www.toledoanniversarymass.org)

The Diocese of Toledo will honor couples celebrating 25, 40, 50, 60 and 60-plus years of marriage during the year 2023 at a Mass celebrated by Bishop Daniel E. Thomas on Sunday, October 22nd at 3:00pm at Our Lady, Queen of the Most Holy Rosary Cathedral, (2535 Collingwood Blvd, Toledo). Following Mass, there will be a reception in the gym with light appetizers. Couples may pick up their certificate and take a photo at the reception. Registration will open mid-June, 2023.



### Schedule for the Day

11:30am - Arrival and Boxed Lunch  
12:30pm - Send Off Prayer  
1:00pm - Depart from Fremont  
2:00pm - Arrive at Holy Rosary Cathedral  
2pm-3pm - Guided Cathedral Tours  
3-4:30pm - Faith Sharing Groups  
- Confessions  
- Snack (provided)  
- Gift Shop  
5:00pm - Mass at the Cathedral  
6-6:30pm - Load Bus  
7:30pm - Return to Sacred Heart

**RESERVE YOUR SPOT!**

**CALL THE PARISH OFFICE  
(419) 332 7339**

## BUS TRIP

*Holy Rosary Cathedral  
in Toledo*

**SATURDAY  
July 8, 2023**

### PICKUP LOCATION

Sacred Heart Church  
550 Smith Road  
Fremont, OH 43420

**\$35**  
PER PERSON  
SPACE IS  
LIMITED!



## Help Protect the Dignity of Life in Ohio

Life in its earliest and most vulnerable stages is threatened by groups proposing an amendment to the Ohio Constitution for the November 2023 ballot to expand and enshrine abortion at the expense of protections for preborn children and women. The Catechism of the Catholic Church proclaims that "human life must be respected and protected absolutely from the moment of conception." The Church accompanies and supports women facing unexpected pregnancies and mothers through programs like Walking with Moms in Need and the services of Catholic Charities.

The bishops of Ohio strongly encourage Catholics statewide to unite in prayer and work to defeat this proposed amendment and its grave consequences for women and preborn children in Ohio. Starting this week, the following materials about the proposed amendment are available in Ohio parishes:

**Protect Them Both Prayer Card:** Unite with Catholics across Ohio in asking God to strengthen us as we defend and accompany mothers and preborn children

**Dignity of Life Threatened in Ohio Flyer:** Learn more about the proposed amendment and what you can do now

These are the first of many resources that will be available to help defeat the proposed amendment. Learn more about the proposed amendment and access resources online at: [ohiocathconf.org/protect](http://ohiocathconf.org/protect)



All materials created by the Catholic Conference of Ohio (CCO), in collaboration with the dioceses across Ohio. CCO is the official voice of the Catholic Church in Ohio on public policy, advocating for the dignity of life at all stages, immigrants, Ohioans in need, and Catholic education. [www.ohiocathconf.org](http://www.ohiocathconf.org)



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