

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.

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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.

15th
Sunday
in
Ordinary
Time

He spoke to them
at length in
parables, saying:
“A sower went
out to sow.”
Matthew 13:3

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, Sandy Hainline.**
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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From the Desk of...

Deacon José Zamora, Pastoral Leader

Inside a mountain on the remote island of Svalbard, hundreds of miles north of the Arctic Circle, sits the Svalbard Global Seed Vault. Its mission is to preserve seeds of every living species of plant, fruit, and vegetable. It now contains over one million different seeds, a priceless repository whose value will be realized when species become extinct. Though God's word is sown so that it may bear fruit, not kept dormant in a vault, it is still important that God's word be preserved so that it may flower again and again for generations. The Bible, for instance, is a storehouse of God's word that continues to educate and inspire. When we put God's word into action, we often build long-term institutions or practices that make our faith and the faith of subsequent generations bloom. But the greatest repository of God's word is God's own Son, who indeed is the Word made flesh. Insofar as he is with us always, we carry this treasury of God's word within ourselves. The seeds God has sown are in us now.

Will the seeds within us bloom and bear fruit? That depends on whether we nurture them well or not. Sometimes we let them dry out and die. Maybe we just do not pay attention to God's word and miss our opportunity. Or we fail to understand it. Or we decide it doesn't relate to our own lives. Or we don't allow it to penetrate deep into our hearts. Or we reject it because it's too challenging. Like the seed in today's parable, there are many obstacles to God's seed-bearing fruit. Let us pray in the hope that God's word in us can eventually bear abundant fruit.

It may be just a coincidence that this passage from Saint Paul's Letter to the Romans is read today, but his line that "all creation is groaning in labor pains . . . we ourselves, who have the first fruits of the Spirit, we also groan" is definitely appropriate. Bringing forth good fruit is painful. It involves sacrifice. It can be exhausting. May the courage we receive from the Holy Spirit impel us to accept the challenge of bringing God's word to fruition. What kind of fruitful work am I able to do? How can I change my behavior or attitude so that I may bear fruit?



Scripture Readings

For the Week of July 16, 2023

- 17—Monday** Ex 1:8-14, 22; Ps 124:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8;
Mt 10:34 – 11:1
- 18—Tuesday** **Memorial of Saint Camillus de Lellis, Priest**
Ex 2:1-15a; Ps 69:3, 14, 30-31, 33-34;
Mt 11:20-24
- 19—Wed.** Ex 3:1-6, 9-12; Ps 103:1b-2, 3-4, 6-7;
Mt 11:25-27
- 20—Thursday** Ex 3:13-20; Ps 105:1 & 5, 8-9, 24-25, 26-27;
Mt 11:28-30
- 21—Friday** **Memorial of Saint Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest
and Doctor of the Church**
Ex 11:10 – 12:14; Ps 116:12-13, 15 & 16bc, 17-18;
Mt 12:1-8
- 22—Saturday** **Feast of Saint Mary Magdalene**
Sgs 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17; Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9;
Jn 20:1-2, 11-18
- 23—Sunday** **Sixteen Sunday in Ordinary Time**
Wis 12-13, 16-19; Ps 86:5-6, 9-10, 15-16;
Rom 8:26-27; Mt 13:24-43 or Mt 13:24-30

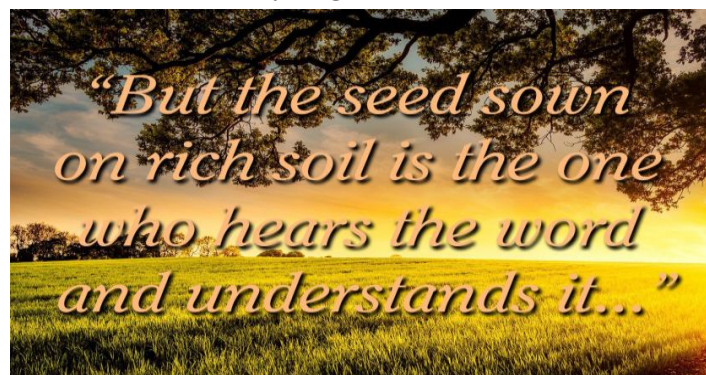
Mass Intentions

- 22—Saturday** † **Barb Nieset**
4:30 pm † **Jose and Israel Rodriguez**
- 23—Sunday** † **Robert Roth**
9:00 am † **Donald Beier**

Liturgical Calendar

July

- 18 - Optional Memorial of St. Camillus de Lellis
- 20 - Optional Memorial of St. Apollinaris
- 21 - Optional Memorial of St. Lawrence of Brindisi
- 22 - Feast of St. Mary Magdalene



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

Sacrificial Giving for FY 2023

July 2, 2023

Offertory Collection:	\$3,416
Offertory needed per week:	\$3,600
Over <Under>	(\$184)
Over <Under> for Fiscal Year 2023:	(\$184)

St. Mary Bingo

NO BINGO THIS WEEK

# Players	N/A
Proceeds:	N/A

Parish Week at a Glance:

Week of: July 16, 2023

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

PRAYER REQUESTS

Many parishioners, family, and friends are going through various hardships. Please remember to keep those in need in your daily prayers and special prayer requests. As a parish, we will continue to pray for everyone and rest a bit easier knowing God will hear and answer prayers. For any special prayer requests or blessings, please contact the Parish Office and speak to Deacon José at (419) 547-9687.

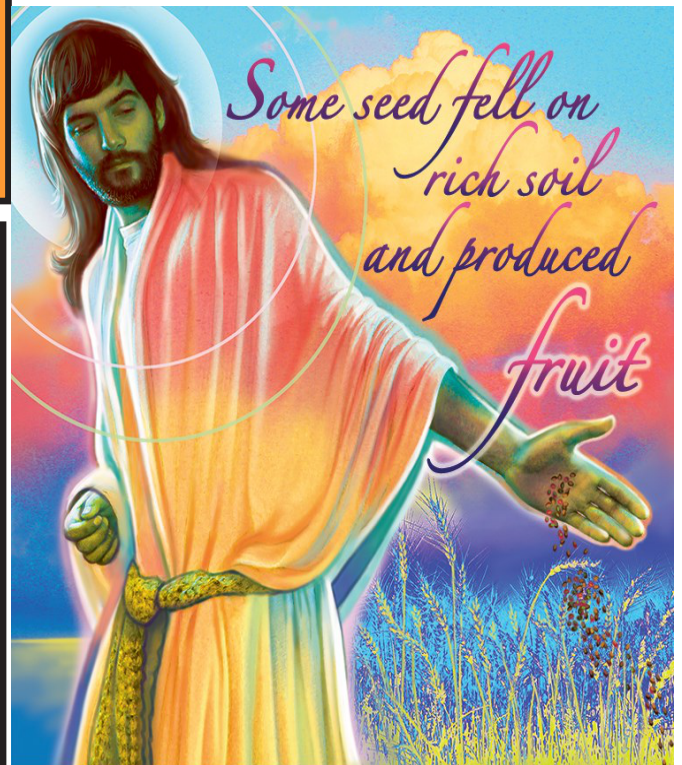
BINGO RETURNS

Bingo is always looking for volunteer help either with selling tickets, helping to call numbers or in the Bingo kitchen—either as a kitchen worker or a baker. For questions about Bingo, please call the Parish Office at (419) 547-9687.

2023 Annual Catholic Appeal...

St. Mary 2023 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). Thank you., Deacon Jose.



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St. Mary Parish Important Information

LITURGICAL ROLES..... JULY 22 / 23

ALTAR SERVERS

<i>Saturday</i>	4:30pm	Volunteer	Volunteer
<i>Sunday</i>	9:00am	Cole Dymond	Zack Davis

USHERS

<i>Saturday</i>	4:30pm	Matt Wasserman	Andy Wasserman
<i>Sunday</i>	9:00am	Virginia Gabel	Adam Kauble

LECTORS

<i>Saturday</i>	4:30pm	Erin Miller
<i>Sunday</i>	9:00am	Joni Wasserman

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

<i>Saturday</i>	4:30pm	Sue Lemmon	Jennifer Meyer
<i>Sunday</i>	9:00am	Anita Eubanks	Bob Crockett

MONEY COUNTERS

Week 3	Sue Lemmon	Volunteer
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Bingo Week #: 4

July 25, 2023

Kitchen Workers

Rosemary Drown	Alexis Payne
Sue and Mark Pumphrey	

Bakers

Rita Hoffman	Mary Kay Oakleaf
Sue Pumphrey	Margie Slatter
Anna Zamora	

Floor Workers

Harold Darr	Joni Wasserman
Sandy Smith	

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 19th.

Presenter: Fr. Ed Schleter

2023 ARS RUMMAGE SALE

St. Mary Altar Rosary and our Boy Scouts Troop 320 will hold their annual rummage sale on Friday, July 28 from 9-5 and on Saturday, July 29 from 9-1. Donations for the sale will be accepted on Thursday, July 27 from 9-5 in the Parish Hall. A portion of the proceeds from the Altar Rosary sale will be donated to the Liberty Center in Fremont. The Boys Scout will be using their sales proceeds for future boy scouts events. If you would like to volunteer to help, please call or text Mary Kay Oakleaf at (419)639-3100. If you have any questions, please contact Joni Wasserman at (419) 202-2009.



Birthday Blessings for the period July 10—16:

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

17 – David Dickman, Michelle Perkins
 18 - Jerry Snyder
 19 - Charlene Barrett, Vicki Rowe, Delaney Gill, Cameron Payne
 21 - Kinsley Taylor, Ava Fosnight, Brooklyn Renwand
 22 - Julie Barnard, Casey Mick, Kyle Flewelling, Collin Stull, Sophia Burner

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

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 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?

The Basilica and National Shrine of Our Lady of Consolation in Carey invites area singers to join the 2023 Assumption Choir. This choir, along with a brass quintet, will lead the music for the Vigil Mass of the Assumption, in the Shrine Park, on Monday, August 14, 2023 at 9:30 p.m. This unique experience gives singers, amateur and professional, the opportunity to sing a wide variety of music with a short-term commitment. Rehearsals will be held from 4:00–5:30 p.m. in the Original Shrine Church (next to the Gift Shop) on Sundays: July 30, August 6, and August 13.

Please direct any questions to the basilica's Director of Music Ministries: Mr. Anthony Gallina, at music@olcshrine.com or 419-396-7107, ext. 104.



Around the Diocese...

Mass on the Anniversaries of Marriage SAVE THE DATE



REGISTRATION OPENS JUNE 2023

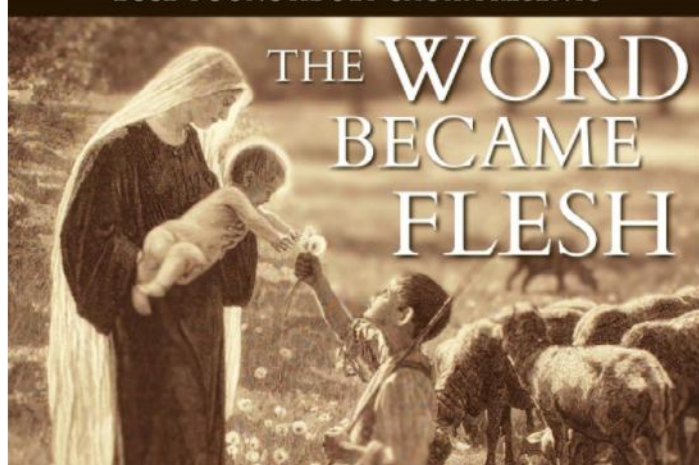
External Event. Open to the Public

www.toledoanniversarymass.org

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.



ECCE YOUNG ADULT CHOIR PRESENTS



A CONCERT of SACRED MUSIC

July 29th at 1:00pm, Queen of Angels Parish
Sacred Music Seminar immediately following, from 2-3pm
1500 W State Blvd, Fort Wayne, IN 46808

July 30th at 3:00pm, Novel Blends
116 S Main St, Bowling Green, OH 43402

August 6th at 3:00pm, St. Wendelin Parish
323 N Wood St, Fostoria, OH 44830

FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

For more information, contact Jessica Schuster, Director: jessica.schuster.155@gmail.com

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



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



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