

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time



Saint Mary

MASS TIMES:

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

CONFESSIONS: SATURDAY 3:45-4:15PM

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.

He said to them,
"But who do you
say that I am?"
Simon Peter said
in reply, "You are
the Messiah,
the Son of the
living God."
Jesus said to him
in reply, "Blessed
are you, Simon,
son of Jonah. For
flesh and blood
has not revealed
this to you, but
my heavenly
Father. And so I
say to you, you
are Peter, and
upon this rock I
will build my
church, and
the gates of the
netherworld
shall not prevail
against it.

Matthew 16:15-18

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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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
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Toledo, Ohio 43604.



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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

**Char Gillmor, Victor Rich, Doug Grahl, Meghan Grahl,
Linda Burnett, Robert & Carolyn Kuhlman, Margaret Ross,
Marcia Glick, Bob Martin, Jean Garvin, Gene Cook, Linda Hayman,
Geraldine Hill, Barb Conley, Thomas and Joanne Crockett**
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

Not much more is known about Eliakim than what we learn in this brief passage from Isaiah. But he serves an important role in the history of God's people, for as the holder of the key of the House of David, even if only for a short time, he provides a necessary link between David and Jesus. The line of those descended from David and chosen by God remained uninterrupted to the birth of the Messiah. Later, Peter becomes an even more pivotal link in the history of our religion: the link between Jesus and the church he founded. Between the key of the House of David and the keys of the kingdom, a line can be drawn from Pope Francis back to King David, all entrusted to lead the people of God.

The line Jesus uses to praise Peter on his affirmation of Jesus as the Christ (the Greek word for Messiah) is interesting: *"For flesh and blood has not revealed this to you, but my heavenly Father"* (Matthew 16:17). Jesus is *"flesh and blood,"* fully human and fully divine, and he is correct in saying that he himself has not revealed this to Peter nor to anyone. He did not wish anyone to think the Messiah came to overthrow the government and reestablish the earthly kingdom of Israel. But recall that Jesus himself taught his disciples how to pray. He had already taught them the prayer we know as the Lord's Prayer. So, when Jesus tells Peter that his heavenly Father has revealed to him that Jesus is the Christ, he may be suggesting that Peter has learned this through prayer. Then and now, prayer can be an opportunity for better understanding God.

When Jesus restates his question to his disciples, changing *"people say"* to *"you say,"* he is changing the question from one of opinion to one of faith. Faith gets to truth, but a truth that we cannot prove. Faith can be difficult to maintain without conclusive evidence, especially in the face of evil in the world, of seemingly senseless tragedy. It is in that light that Paul's words today are comforting. God's wisdom is inscrutable. God's ways are unsearchable. God's will is ultimately unknowable. May our faith console us. What have I learned about God and God's will through prayer?

Scripture Readings

For the Week of August 27, 2023

- 28— Mon** **Memorial of Saint Augustine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church**
1 Thes 1:1-5, 8b-10; Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a & 9b; Mt 23:13-22
- 29—Tue** **Memorial of the Passion of Saint John the Baptist**
1 Thes 2:1-8; Ps 139:1-3, 4-6; Mk 6:17-29
- 30—Wed** 1 Thes 2:9-13; Ps 139:7-8, 9-10, 11-12ab; Mt 23:27-32
- 31—Thu** 1 Thes 3:7-13; Ps 90:3-5a, 12-13, 14 & 17; Mt 24:42-51
- 1—Fri** 1 Thes 4:1-8; Ps 97:1 & 2b, 5-6, 10, 11-12; Mt 25:1-13
- 2—Sat** 1 Thes 4:9-11; Ps 98:1, 7-8, 9; Mt 25:14-30
- 3—Sun** **Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**
Jer 20:7-9; Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; Rom 12:1-2; Mt 16:21-27

Mass Intentions

- 1—Saturday** † **Kay Frankart Herbig**
4:30 pm † **Walter Smathers**
- 2—Sunday** † **Faye Walters**
9:00 am † **Marian Beier (30-day)**

Liturgical Calendar

August/September

- 28—Memorial of St. Augustine
- 29—Memorial of the Passion of St. John the Baptist
- Sep. 1—World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation
- First Friday
- 2—Optional Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary
- First Saturday



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

Sacrificial Giving for FY 2023

August 13, 2023

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| Offertory Collection: | \$3,470 |
| Offertory needed per week: | \$3,600 |
| Over <Under> | <\$130> |
| Over <Under> for Fiscal Year 2024: | <\$1,637> |

St. Mary Bingo

August 8, 2023

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| # Players | 85 |
| Proceeds: | \$2,489 |

Parish Week at a Glance:

Week of: August 27, 2023

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| 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 |

Lord, your love is eternal; do not forsake the work of your hands.



Bann 1

Becky Keller and
Alex Marshall

LITURGICAL ROLES..... SEPTEMBER 2 / 3

ALTAR SERVERS

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| Saturday 4:30pm | Gene Cook | Volunteer |
| Sunday 9:00am | Ella Piasecki | Cole Dymond |

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| Saturday 4:30pm | Greg Fox | Jim Fox |
| Sunday 9:00am | Paul Kerlin | Paul Swartz |

LECTORS

| | |
|-----------------|----------------|
| Saturday 4:30pm | Sue Lemmon |
| Sunday 9:00am | Joni Wasserman |

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

| | | |
|-----------------|----------------|--------------|
| Saturday 4:30pm | Becky Rohrbach | Deborah Kuns |
| Sunday 9:00am | Anita Eubanks | Anna Zamora |

MONEY COUNTERS

Week 1 Mindy Stokes Volunteer

ALTAR Rosary SOCIETY

The **Altar-Rosary Society** will meet on **Monday, Sept. 18th**, beginning at **6:30 pm** in the St. Mary Conference Room. Our guest will be Deacon José Zamora. All women of the parish are invited and encouraged to attend.



St. Mary Parish Important Information

ST. MARY SCHOOL REUNION

Please mark on your calendar for the school reunion—**Sunday, September 10th**, beginning with 9am Mass until 2 pm. Do you have any memorabilia in your keepsakes? The committee would LOVE to borrow any items for the reunion displays that will be set up in the Parish Hall. Questions? Please call the Parish Office at **(419) 547-9687** or email clydestmary@gmail.com. There has been really great response on people wanting to attend. Some are making special arrangements to fly “home” just for the reunion!



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, SEPTEMBER 20

Presenter: Dr. Bryan Kuns

“Galilee”



**Annual
St. Mary
Parish Picnic**

Saturday, September 23rd

SAVE THE DATE

Held after Saturday’s 4:30 pm Mass.

Our Knights of Columbus will provide the meats, drink and utensils—please bring a side dish to share with other parishioners! The picnic will be held *rain or shine*— in the Parish Hall.

Questions? Please call the Parish Office.

Mass on the Anniversaries of Marriage

REGISTRATION is OPEN



MASS ON THE ANNIVERSARIES OF MARRIAGE

OCTOBER | 22 | 3:00pm | 2023

OUR LADY, QUEEN OF THE MOST HOLY ROSARY CATHEDRAL

External Event, Open to the Public





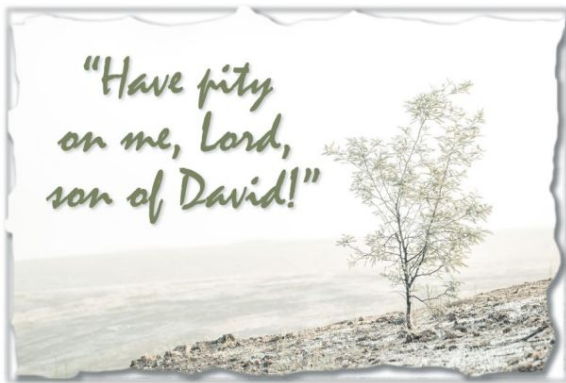
If an error or omission occurred, call the parish office for correction.

Birthday Blessings for the period August 28—September 3:

28—Rita Hoffman, James Foax, Daphne Dearth, Hector Garza;
 30—Brooke Smetzler, Noah Perkins;
 31—Ray Hayman, Marilynn Halbeisen,
 Dillon Liskai, Elizabeth Crockett;
 1—Hether Covert, Francesca Minch;
 2—Caleb Prunty, Madilyn Stokes

2023 Annual Catholic Appeal...

St. Mary's 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 60 households who have already donated or pledged \$8,954.50 to the ACA (87.52% of our goal). Thank you., **Deacon José.**



Protect Women Ohio



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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

or

www.ohiolife.org.

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. Classes begin on September 17th.



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



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and gifts - come unite with us in prayer!

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| TUESDAY | JULY 18 | Mass at 6:30, NoH 7:00 - 8:30 pm |
| St. John the Baptist, Toledo | | Fr. Jim Morman Fr. James Brown |
| 5153 Summit St., Toledo, OH 43611 | | |
| WEDNESDAY | AUG. 23 | 7:00 - 8:30 pm |
| St John XXIII, Perrysburg | | Fr. Jeff McBeth Fr. James Brown Fr. Kevin Moebius |
| 24250 N Dixie Hwy, Perrysburg, OH 43551 | | |
| TUESDAY | SEPT. 12 | 7:00 - 8:30 pm |
| Sacred Heart, Fremont | | Fr. Krzysztof Kardis Fr. James Brown Fr. Kevin Moebius |
| 550 Smith Rd, Fremont, OH 43420 | | |

2023 FEAST OF

OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY

Kindly join Bishop Daniel E. Thomas in welcoming as principal Celebrant and Homilist Archbishop Dennis M. Schnurr of the Archdiocese of Cincinnati

Join In Preparation
SEPT. 28 - OCT. 6:
Pray a Rosary Novena in preparation for the Feast Day

Join In Celebration
SATURDAY, OCT. 7, 2023:
4:30 p.m.: Holy Rosary led by Archbishop Schnurr, Bishop Thomas and a guest family
5 p.m.: Holy Mass, Archbishop Schnurr, Celebrant and Homilist; Bishop Thomas, Concelebrant

OUR LADY, QUEEN OF THE MOST HOLY ROSARY CATHEDRAL
2535 Collingwood Blvd., Toledo

Saturday, Oct. 7
4:30 p.m. Holy Rosary
5 p.m. Feast Day Mass

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THE SON OF THE LIVING GOD



SEVEN SAINTS KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
PERCH OR SHRIMP DINNER
DINE IN AND DRIVE THRU

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 2023
4:00pm to 6:30 pm



PERCH DINNERS:
1/2 LB PERCH
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COLESLAW
DINNER ROLL
\$16.00

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9 PIECE BUTTERFLY SHRIMP
FRENCH FRIES
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