

St. Francis OF ASSISI



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

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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.

**BLESSING OF
THE PETS**



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 Ross, Marcia Glick,
Bob Martin, Jean Garvin, Gene Cook,
Linda Hayman, Geraldine Hill, Barb Conley ,**
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

It certainly does seem unfair that a virtuous person can be undone by a single instance of sin, but Ezekiel insists that the LORD does not see it as we do. It is wise to use this example as a reminder to not be complacent, to think that it's not a big deal to act sinfully from time to time because we have a history of doing the right thing. Note that Ezekiel uses the word turn repeatedly to describe the change in behavior of both people. It is our fundamental orientation toward God, toward discipleship, toward virtue, that determines our future. Always keep in mind that we can turn in either direction at any time.

Saint Paul has excellent advice for Christians who wish to stay oriented toward God: *"Have in you the same attitude that is also in Christ Jesus"*. Let us consider Jesus' attitude toward others. During his ministry, he reached out to sinners—like the tax collectors and prostitutes he mentions in today's Gospel—with love and mercy. He reached out as well toward others who were marginalized by society, whether it was because of their background, their gender, a disability, or their poverty. He invited everyone to repent and hear the good news that he was sent to bring. May we aspire to mirror that same attitude in how we treat others.

Paul also tells the Philippians to reject selfishness, advising them to *"regard others as more important than yourselves,"* and so put others' interests before their own. This is the natural result of living with empathy. When we empathize with others, we care about them. We do what we can to bring them joy and comfort and love. When we focus our attention on others, we shift that focus away from ourselves. This reorients us away from selfish thinking. How would my behavior change if I reorient myself toward others and away from myself? What could I do this week that I hadn't planned to do and for whom?



Scripture Readings

For the Week of October 1, 2023

- 2—Mon** **Memorial of the Guardian Angels**
Zec 8:1-8; Ps 102:16-18, 19-21, 29 & 22-23;
Mt 18:1-5, 10
- 3—Tue** Zec 8:20-23; Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7; Lk 9:51-56
- 4—Wed** **Memorial of Saint Francis of Assisi**
Neh 2:1-8; Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6; Lk 9:57-62
- 5—Thu** **Saint Faustina Kowalska, Virgin**
Neh 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11;
Lk 10:1-12
- 6—Fri** **Saint Bruno, Priest and Blessed Marie-Rose Durocher, Virgin**
Bar 1:15-22; Ps 79:1b-2, 3-5, 8, 9; Lk 10:13-16
- 7—Sat** **Memorial of Our Lady of the Rosary**
Bar 4:5-12, 27-29; Ps 69:33-35, 36-37;
Lk 10:17-24
- 8—Sun** **Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**
Is 5:1-7; Ps 80:9, 12, 13-14, 15-16, 19-20;
Phil 4:6-9; Mt 21:33-43

Mass Intentions

- 7—Saturday** † **Kay Frankart**
4:30 pm † **Richard Kuns**
- 8—Sunday** † **Donald Fox**
9:00 am † **Parishioners**

Liturgical Calendar

October

- 1—Respect Life Sunday**
- 2—Memorial of the Holy Guardian Angels**
- 4—Memorial of St. Francis of Assisi** Synod on
Synodality Assembly begins (October 4–29)
- 5—Optional Memorial of St. Faustina Kowalska**
Optional Memorial of Bl. Francis Xavier Seelos
- 6—Optional Memorial of St. Bruno** Optional

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

Sacrificial Giving for FY 2023

September 17, 2023

Offertory Collection:	\$2,924
Offertory needed per week:	\$3,600
Over <Under>	<\$676>
Over <Under> for Fiscal Year 2024:	<\$2,505>

September 24, 2023

Offertory Collection:	\$3,359
Offertory needed per week:	\$3,600
Over <Under>	<\$241>
Over <Under> for Fiscal Year 2024:	<\$2,746>

St. Mary Bingo

September 12, 2023

# Players	83
Proceeds:	\$3,012

September 19, 2023

# Players	84
Proceeds:	\$2,081.05

Parish Week at a Glance:

Week of: October 1, 2023

MON	Boy Scouts	6:30 pm	Gym
	Men's Bible	6:15 pm	Conf. Rm.
TUE	Bingo	6:30 pm	Parish Hall
	Women's Bible	9:30 am	Conf. Rm.
WED	Bible Study	6:30 pm	Conf. Rm.
THU	Adoration	6:30 pm	Church
FRI			
SAT	Rosary	4:00 pm	Church
	Mass	4:30 pm	Church
SUN	Rosary	8:30 am	Church
	Mass	9:00 am	Church
	PSR	9:45 am	Parish Hall

ST. MARY CEMETERY TOUR Monday, October 9th

The Clyde Museum will be conducting a tour of the St. Mary Cemetery on **Monday, October 9th at 5:30 pm!** "Famous" or notable names will be pointed out during the tour. C'mon out and view history right here in our community. If you'd like to take part, simply come to the cemetery.

LITURGICAL ROLES..... OCTOBER 7 / 8

ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday 4:30pm	AnnMarie Davis	Cole Davis
Sunday 9:00am	Elliott Lozier	Max Miller

USHERS

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

LECTORS

Saturday 4:30pm	Becky Rohrbach
Sunday 9:00am	Vicki Meade

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

Saturday 4:30pm	Deborah Kuns	Jennifer Meyer
Sunday 9:00am	Bob Crockett	Virginia Gabel

MONEY COUNTERS

Week 2 Bev Schrickel Joni Wasserman



CEMETERY CLEAN-UP

It's once again that time of year to remove spring/

summer decorations from the cemeteries. Please do so by **October 15th**. Fall/winter decorations may be placed after

November 1st. As customary, if any decorations are not removed, they will be removed and disposed of by cemetery staff. If any questions, please call the Parish Office at (419) 547-9687 or email Deacon Jose or the Parish Office.

St. Mary Parish Important Information

PARISH PICNIC

The annual Parish Picnic was held on Saturday, September 23rd. As always, our **Knights of Columbus** provided excellently grilled hamburgers and hot dogs; side dishes provided by those in attendance were great! Many thanks to all who took part in some way to make this event enjoyable for all!



eMail Changes

The Parish staff now have new, working emails. The change was done due to a requirement from the Toledo Diocese for security issues. The new email addresses are as follows

(please update your records!):

Deacon José:

deaconjose@clydestmary.org

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bookkeeper@clydestmary.org

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CLYDE ST. MARY YOUNG ADULT

**BRUNCH
MEET + GREET**

Looking to connect through faith, values and friendships?

Anyone age 21-30 - Join our monthly gatherings to meet new people, connect with others & continue building on your foundation.

*October 1st - 10 am (following Sunday Mass).
Bring a friend!*

Questions? Text Molly Davis at 567-201-9539

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, October 18

Presenter: Gene Smith,

Curator of Clyde Museum

Mass on the Anniversaries of Marriage

REGISTRATION is OPEN

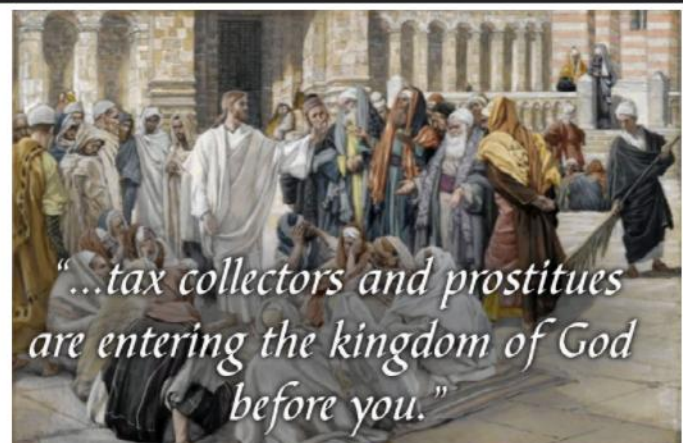


MASS ON THE ANNIVERSARIES OF MARRIAGE

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 October 2—8:

- 2—Michael Beier, Aaron Pumphrey, Corey Weinheimer;
 3—Patricia Lukac, Geraldine Hill; 4—John Branski, Mary Ryan;
 5—CAH, Jillian Baker;
 6—Manuel Castillo;
 7—Richard Ulman, Pamela Archer, Logan Zieber, Kasen Larimer;
 8—David Dick, Joseph Eubanks, Justin Trick

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 61 households who have already donated or pledged \$8,994.50 to the ACA (87.91% of our goal). Thank you., **Deacon José.**

We will be hosting our first ever Trivia night at St. Ann's in Bishop-Hoffman Hall

October 28
7pm to 10pm

Cost is \$10 per person or \$75 for a team of 8

• 50/50 Raffle
• Raffle tickets also available for a chance to win scratch-off lottery board

1st place prize Trophy/Cash

Call Jen at Parish Office 419-334-2638 to register by 10/20



Join us in prayer

for the protection of human life and dignity and the defeat of Issue 1.

Catholics across Ohio are praying a 54-Rosary Novena for the defeat of Issue 1. This week the Sorrowful Mysteries of the rosary will be prayed Sunday and Monday followed by 9 days of praying the Glorious Mysteries.

Sign up for a daily email reminder with novena prayers here, or at pray54ohio.org.



Register to Vote by October 10th

This November, Ohioans will vote on a proposed change to the Ohio Constitution that would enshrine abortion into law. Our Catholic faith tells us that God places no condition on the value of human life from conception until natural death. Therefore, the Catholic Church cannot be silent when vulnerable women and preborn children are threatened by an amendment that...

- Puts women at risk by endangering medical and safety standards
- Allows painful, late-term abortions by not setting any clear limits on abortion
- Threatens parental rights by challenging notification requirements when minors seek abortions or other reproductive interventions

Your vote is needed to save Ohio from this extreme amendment. Register to vote or update your information by October 10th at www.voteohio.gov

Jesus calls us to stand up for "the least of these" in our society, including preborn children and vulnerable women. Catholics must protect both women and children by **Voting No on Issue 1.**



The Catholic Conference of Ohio 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



Around the Diocese...



Friday, November 17, 2023

Holy Angels Parish Hall

Open to **EVERYONE!**

Doors open 5 PM | Dinner 5:30 PM | Bingo begins 6:30 PM

PRE-SALE TICKETS AVAILABLE!

Ticket Sale Information

- Tickets are \$40 each; includes dinner, 2 drink tickets & 1 bingo card per round (10 rounds total)
- **Pre-Sale Tickets** for Sandusky Catholic parishioners are now available through our parish website.
- **General Public Tickets** begin on September 29.
- **Only 175 tickets will be sold!**



Call the St. Mary's Parish Office for any questions (419) 625-7465

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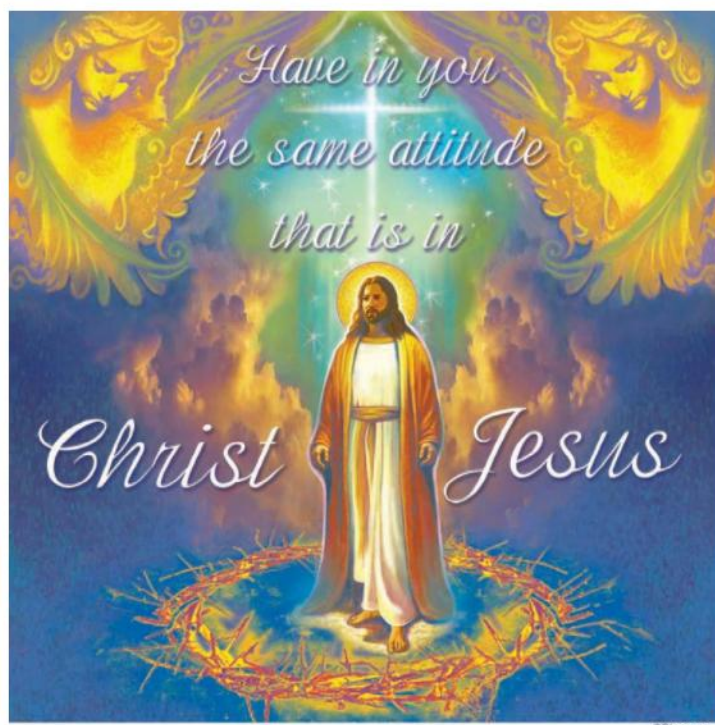
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