

Lord, send out your Spirit &
renew the face of the Earth

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 2024]

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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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

**Sandy Smith, Robert Kuhlman, Marcia Glick,
Bob Martin, Jean Garvin, Gene Cook,
Linda Hayman, 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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“A mighty wind swept over the waters” in advance of the first moment of creation in the initial verses of the Bible. Today we hear that when the Holy Spirit came to the apostles, the noise was *“like a strong driving wind”* Wind is a driving force. It stirred up the chaos that preceded God’s words of creation. It filled the house where the apostles met to pray with noise and fire. It drove their transformed voices out into the streets. Immediately after this scene, it propelled the disciples outside to the crowds, where they gave witness to God’s mighty acts.

The mighty acts they were sure to speak of the most were Jesus’ death and resurrection. God’s unparalleled love and mercy has been made manifest for us through Jesus’ sacrifice for our sins and his promise of eternal life. We received the Holy Spirit at baptism. Now the Spirit drives us to take up our common mission to proclaim the Good News—God’s mighty acts—in unexpected and wondrous ways.

Each version of the coming of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost that we hear today starts in the same setting, with a detail that is easily overlooked or taken for granted. The disciples were gathered together in one place. This was not inevitable. After all, they had scattered like leaves in the wind when Jesus was crucified. They were afraid then and they were still afraid now, on Pentecost. Still, they came together as one. Perhaps that was the work of the Spirit even before its manifestation. Similarly, the Holy Spirit draws us together today. Despite our various fears or concerns or preoccupations, we gather here as one to worship the Lord. How do I carry out the Christian mission in what I say and do? How can each of the gifts of the Holy Spirit—wisdom, understanding, counsel, knowledge, fortitude, piety, and fear of the Lord—aid in my mission?



Scripture Readings

For the Week of May 19, 2024

- 20**— Mon Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary,
Mother of the Church
Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14; Ps 87:1-2, 3 and 5,
6-7; Jn 19:25-34
- 21**—Tue Jas 4:1-10; Ps 55:7-8, 9-10a, 10b-11a, 23;
Mk 9:30-37
- 22**—Wed Memorial of Saint Rita of Cascia, Religious
Jas 4:13-17; Ps 49:2-3, 6-7, 8-10, 11; Mk 9:38-40
- 23**—Thu Jas 5:1-6; Ps 49:14-15ab, 15cd-16, 17-18, 19-20;
Mk 9:41-50
- 24**—Fri Jas 5:9-12; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8-9, 11-12; Mk 10:1-12
- 25**—Sat Jas 5:13-20; Ps 141:1-2, 3 and 8; Mk 10:13-16
- 26**—Sun Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity
Dt 4:32-34, 39-40; Ps 33:4-5, 6, 9, 18-19, 20, 22;
Rom 8:14-17; Mt 28:16-20



Mass Intentions

- 25**—Saturday † Parishioners
4:30 pm † Parishioners
- 26**—Sunday † Deceased Hill Family
9:00 am † Ann & George Pickett

Liturgical Calendar

- May:**
- 20—Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary,
Mother of the Church
Seventh Week in Ordinary Time begins
Victoria Day (Canada)
 - 21—Optional Memorial of St. Christopher Magallanes and
Companions
World Day for Cultural Diversity
 - 22—Optional Memorial of St. Rita of Cascia
 - 25—Optional Memorial of St. Bede the Venerable
Optional Memorial of St. Gregory VII
Optional Memorial of ST. Mary Magdalene de’Pazzi
Optional Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary

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

Sacrificial Giving for FY 23-24

May 12, 2024

Offertory Collection:	\$3,717
Offertory needed per week:	\$3,600
Over <Under>:	\$117
Over <Under> for FY 23-24:	\$4,707.60

St. Mary Bingo

May 7, 2024

# Players:	59
Proceeds	\$886.05

Parish Week at a Glance:

Week of: May 20, 2024

MON			
TUE	Bingo	6:30 pm	Parish Hall
WED			
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

BINGO WORKERS NEEDED!

Volunteers are needed each Tuesday to help run St. Mary's Bingo! Can you spare a couple of hours? Various "jobs" are available. Bingo begins at 6:30 pm each Tuesday and is normally finished around 9 pm. If interested, please see Deacon José or call the Parish Office at (419) 547-9687.



ROGER GOEHRING

Please keep the family and friends of Roger Erwin Goehring in your prayers as he recently passed away and was interred here in St. Mary Cemetery this past week.

LITURGICAL ROLES.....

MAY 25 / 26

ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday 4:30 pm	Ian McBroom	Ella Piasecki
Sunday 9:00 am	Trenton Brown	Cole Dymond

USHERS

Saturday 4:30 pm	Bill Tea	Judy Tea
Sunday 9:00 am	Paul Kerlin	Paul Swartz

LECTORS

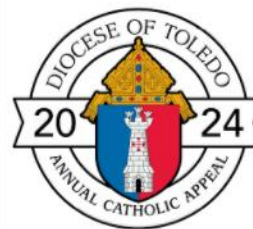
Saturday 4:30 pm	Deborah Kuns
Sunday 9:00 am	Vicki Meade

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

Saturday 4:30 pm	Sue Lemmon	Becky Cook
Sunday 9:00 am	Anna Zamora	Bob Crockett

MONEY COUNTERS

Week 4 **Linda Dickenson** **Sue Lemmon**



2024 ACA

Thank you to all who have contributed to the 2024 ACA. We are very happy to report that St. Mary has reached and exceeded the goal!



St. Mary Parish Important Information



SEVEN SAINTS KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
MOTHERS DAY BBQ CHICKEN DINNER
DRIVE THRU AND DINE IN AVAILABLE
12.00 PER MEAL

SUNDAY, MAY 12TH

11:00 am – 2:00 pm or sold out



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- COOKIE
- DINNER ROLL

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ANNUAL RUMMAGE SALE!!

Start saving your treasures NOW to donate to the Altar Rosary Society Rummage Sale. The sale will take place the last weekend in July, during the Clyde Community Garage Sales. Watch the bulletin for more details! Any questions, please call Joni Wasserman at (419) 202-2009.



2024 PRIEST CONVOCATION

Please pray for our Bishop and Priests.

The priests of the Diocese of Toledo will gather with Bishop Daniel E. Thomas for their bi-annual Convocation from June 17-20, 2024. Once again, the convocation will be at Sawmill Creek Resort, Huron, Ohio. The bishop has the expectation that all active diocesan priests will be joining him for the full duration of the Convocation. Therefore, daily Mass schedules and priests' office hours throughout the diocese will be altered to accommodate the participation of all active priests in the convocation. The convocation provides our priests the opportunity to be together for spiritual nourishment, prayer, fellowship, and recreation. Please remember to pray for all of them, that their priestly fidelity, unity, and identity will continue to be renewed and deepened.





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

Birthday Blessings for the period May 20—May 26, 2024:

20—Shirley Nicely;

21—Michael Mange, Robby Webb,

Caden Gillmor, Cole Davis, Zachary Davis;

22—Karen McBroom, Kaylee Klinski, Brilynn Stiltner;

23—Bret Minnick;

24—Stephen Gabel, Geof Meyer;

25—Elidia Webb, Tim Hermes, Dannielle House,

Austin Payne, Maddox Ransom;

26—Austin Young

2024 Century Farm Award Applications Available

Catholic Charities is now accepting applications for Century Farm Awards. This award designation honors Catholic families who have maintained a farm or homestead within their family for at least 100 years in the Diocese of Toledo, emphasizing well-preserved working farms.

Applicants must submit a registration form, copies of old deeds, and pictures to support claims. The information submitted must show family residence and ownership of a farm for at least 100 years in the Diocese of Toledo.

Applications should be submitted no later than **Friday, October 4, 2024**.

Bishop Daniel E. Thomas will celebrate a Mass honoring Century Farm Award recipients at 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday, October 16, 2024, at St. Joseph Catholic Church, 66 Chapel Street, Monroeville, Ohio 44847.

For more information or to request the registration form, please contact: Paula J. Kidney at (419) 214-4898 or email: pkidney@toledodiocese.org



MARGARET A. SELVEY

Please keep family and friends of Margaret (Marge) Selvey in your prayers as she recently passed away. Her funeral Mass, burial and luncheon will be held at St.

Mary on Wednesday, May 22, 2024. Visitation 10-11 am, Mass at 11 am.

ARS Annual Appreciation Dinner

The ARS Appreciation Dinner will be held on **Thursday, June 13th**, 4-6 pm at **Hall's Winery** in Clyde. This dinner is to honor the women of our parish who so generously donate of themselves and their time to our church. All women of the parish are invited to attend. This year's dinner will have three (3) meal options to choose from: 1) *Chicken Salad Croissant with potato salad*; 2) *BLT Pizza*; or 3) *Italian Panini with potato salad*. We ask that when you make your reservation, also have your meal choice. We are looking forward to an enjoyable evening to treat the women of the parish who do so much for our church!

Please RSVP to: **Sue Pumphrey (419) 271-2831**; **Kim Smathers (567) 201-6554**; or **Jennifer Meyer (419) 680-0264**. Reservations are due by **May 30th**.





TRANSITIONAL DIACONATE ORDINATION

Deacons Travis Kahle, Eric Kaufman, and Kevin McGraw were ordained to the transitional diaconate on Saturday, May 18, 2024. Meet the newest transitional deacons of the Diocese of Toledo!



Deacon Travis Kahle

My name is Travis Kahle and my home parish is St. Mary's in Bluffton. I grew up in a Catholic household and am the oldest of three siblings. I graduated from Pandora-Gilboa High School in 2005 and studied Philosophy at St. Joseph's College (IN). After college I spent a few years in Columbus, OH working a few different jobs including as a musician. In 2014, I returned home to help care for my father in his last year battling with ALS. During this time, I experienced a reinvigoration of my faith life and began seriously discerning the priesthood. I completed an MA in Healthcare Mission Leadership from Loyola University Chicago and got some experience with hospital chaplaincy at Mercy Health in Lima while also leading the high school youth ministry at my home parish. I began my seminary studies in Cincinnati in 2018 and God has blessed me immensely since then. I am so grateful to our Lord for the great gift of calling me to this vocation and to our diocese for supporting me in my formation. The many prayers of the faithful in our diocese who love and support the priesthood have won for me much grace and help along my journey. Blessed Mother, intercede for us and draw us closer to the heart of our savior Jesus Christ!



Deacon Eric Kaufman

My name is Eric Kaufman, and my home parish is St. John the Baptist in Glandorf. From an early age a strong work ethic, caring for others, and the spirit of volunteerism in giving back for the greater good was instilled in me. It was these values, along with the love from family and the community, and the physical and spiritual beauty of the Catholic faith, that my Catholic faith and love for Christ grew.

After graduating high school and then receiving a degree in Computer Aided Design (CAD), I started working for PRO-TEC Coating Company in Leipsic. It was now in my twenties that I gave back even more to the parish and community. From serving on the Parish Council, heading our Capital Campaign Committee, the parish history committee, and the liturgical decorating group, to being a member of the Ottawa-Glandorf Jaycees, Glandorf Lions Club, and serving on the Glandorf Village Council for four and a half years, until I entered the seminary at the age of thirty.

I am currently enrolled in theology studies at Mount St. Mary's Seminary in Cincinnati. Throughout my time in discernment and formation, Mary, especially under her title of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, has had an amazing impact on my spiritual life in leading me closer to her son, and it is Jesus then who has led me to the vocation and mission that he has for me. For I always keep in mind the last words of Mary, recorded in the scriptures to the servants at the Wedding at Cana. "Do whatever he tells you." (John 2:5), reminding all of us to always listen to the Lord and do whatever he tells us.

Please keep our newest transitional deacons and all seminarians in your prayers!

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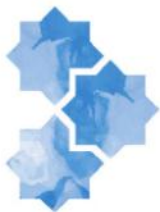


Deacon Kevin McGraw

Hello! I am from Elida, Ohio and my home parish is St. Charles Borromeo in Lima. My parents are Tom and Kathy McGraw. My brother Ryan, his wife Jill, and my niece Rori live in Delaware, Ohio. I also have a sibling who died prior to birth and, please God, is in heaven. I went to Elida Local Schools through high school, graduating in 2006. I attended BGSU (Class of 2011) and while there, after having fallen out of even a minimal practice of the Faith, I had an encounter with Jesus Christ through the campus ministry of St. Thomas More University Parish and Newman Center, and the Lord transformed my life. I grew in love and in zeal for Christ and His Church.

In 2013, it seemed that the Lord may be calling me to not only priesthood, but perhaps the consecrated life as well, so I began formation to become a Redemptorist priest. However, in 2019, the Lord led me out of Redemptorist formation, and I began working as an associate campus minister at the Catholic Campus Ministry serving the University of Mary Washington in Fredericksburg, Virginia. My discernment continued there for the next two years. In 2021, on the Memorial of St. Thomas Aquinas (Jan 28), I began the process and on the Memorial of St. Catherine of Siena (April 29), I became a seminarian affiliated with the Diocese of Toledo. In August 2021, I started at Theology II at Mount St. Mary's Seminary in Cincinnati.

In my years of seminary formation, I have strived to respond generously to the Lord's call, and I am happy where He has led! I am grateful for your prayers and support upon ordination as a transitional deacon and moving towards priestly ordination next year!



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