



I am not afraid
**I WILL FOLLOW
THE LORD**

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 2025]

O.C.I.A. (ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS) (September—Easter) For those wishing to become Catholic or Catholics who want to explore more about the Catholic Church.

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.

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Clyde St. Mary Catholic Church

When they are called by the Lord, both Isaiah and Peter initially insist that they are unworthy. After Isaiah calls himself unclean, an angel touches his mouth with an ember from the altar, purging him of his sin. Jesus does not explicitly absolve Peter of his sins, but he responds to Peter's protestations by saying, "Do not be afraid," reassuring him that his sinfulness is not a deal-breaker. He wants Peter to be a fisher of others, despite his being a sinful man. We are sinners as well, but that doesn't mean Jesus wants us to wait until we are perfect before responding to his call. That would be an awfully long wait! "Do not be afraid," Jesus tells us now. Just follow.

We are not told what Jesus taught the crowds when he was a short distance from the shore. But when he finished, he asked Peter to "put out into deep water" to catch fish. Assuredly, it made sense to go out to deeper water to find more fish, but it also foreshadowed what Peter would come to find out over the next few years. Peter would get into deep water, sometimes literally, in following Jesus on his mission.

Our presence here today puts us in the place of the crowds on the shore of Lake Gennesaret (the Sea of Galilee). We are in the presence of God, listening to God's word, attuned to what it can teach us. But Jesus calls us to more than wading in the shallow shoreline. He calls us to deep water as well, to the depths of our faith, to the depths of our being. It can be as scary as the deep end of a pool when you are learning to swim. But we have Jesus' words to assure us: "Do not be afraid." Even far from shore, let us respond as Isaiah did: "Here I am!" When I have felt like I was in deep water, in over my head, when doing something I felt called by God to do? Did I overcome my fear or discomfort and how?

PRAYER LIST

**Sandy Smith, Marcia Glick,
Bob Martin, Gene Cook, Linda Hayman, Barb Conley,**
and everyone affected in any way by any 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.*

Scripture Readings

- 10—Monday** **Memorial of Saint Scholastica, Virgin**
 Gen 1:1-19; Ps 104:1-2a, 5-6, 10, 12, 24, 35c;
 Mk 6:53-56
- 11—Tuesday** Gen 1-20 – 2:4a; Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Mk 7:1-13
- 12—Wednesday** Gen 2:4b-9; 15-17; Ps 104:1-2a, 27-28, 29bc-30;
 Mk 7:14-23
- 13—Thursday** Gen 2:18-25; Ps 128: 1-2, 3, 4, 5; Mk 7:24-30
- 14—Friday** **Memorial of Saints Cyril, Monk,
 and Methodius, Bishop**
 Gen 3:1-8; Ps 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7; Mk 7:31-37
- 15—Saturday** Gen 3:9-24; Ps 90:2, 3-4abc, 5-6, 12-13; Mk 8:1-10
- 16—Sunday** **Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
 Jer 17:5-8; Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6; 1 Cor 15:12,
 16-20; Lk 6:17, 20-26

Mass Intentions

- 15—Saturday** † **Vince Golembiowski**
4:30 pm † **Parishioners**
- 16—Sunday** † **Patrick Baker**
9:00 am † **Parishioners**

Liturgical Calendar

- 9- World Marriage Day
- Scout Sunday
- 10- Memorial of St. Scholastica
- 11- Optional Memorial of Our Lady of Lourdes
- World Day of the Sick
- 12- Lincoln’s Birthday
- 13- Tu BiShvat
- 14- Memorial of Ss. Cyril and Methodius
- Valentine’s Day

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

FEBRUARY 15 / FEBRUARY 16

ALTAR SERVERS

<i>Saturday</i>	4:30 pm	Gene Cook	Deborah Kuns
<i>Sunday</i>	9:00 am	Ella Piasecki	Sophia Burner

USHERS

<i>Saturday</i>	4:30 pm	Bill Tea	Judy Tea
<i>Sunday</i>	9:00 am	Paul Kerlin	Volunteer

LECTORS

<i>Saturday</i>	4:30 pm	Becky Rohrbach
<i>Sunday</i>	9:00 am	Dustin Payne

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

<i>Saturday</i>	4:30 pm	Becky Cook	Sue Lemmon
<i>Sunday</i>	9:00 am		

MONEY COUNTERS

Week 3

ROSARY—MONDAY-FRIDAY

Deacon Jose asks you to join him in saying The Rosary daily (Mon-Fri) at 9:00 am in the Church. All are welcome to attend—or you can watch it via LiveStream on

Sacrificial Giving for FY 24-25

2/2/25

Offertory Collection:	\$4,063
Offertory needed/week:	\$3,600
Over <Under>:	\$463
Over <Under> FY 24-25:	\$7,005.67

St. Mary Bingo

1/28/25

# Players:	69
Proceeds	\$396

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

SAVE THE DATE:

"LUNCH 'n LISTEN"!

The next "Lunch 'n Listen" is on the books! Call (419)

547-9687 to sign up for the **FREE**

LUNCH 'n LISTEN on

Thursday, February 20th

at 12:00 pm

Presenter: Fr. Zack Brown

ATTENTION: Altar Rosary Ladies,

Our next gathering will be Monday, February 17th beginning with 5:30 pm rosary in church. Meeting begins at 6pm in the conference room.

Our Guest Speaker:
Director of Heartbeat.



JOIN THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus are patriotic citizens that are proud of our devotion to God and country and believe in standing up for both. Whether it's in public or private, the Knights remind the world that Catholics support their nations and are amongst the greatest citizens. Want to learn more and be a part of that? Go to: kofcoho.org and click on **Join Us**. For more information, contact Grand Knight Paul Kerlin, (419) 680-8153 or email pkernin@woh.rr.com.

ST. MARY CLOSING POLICY

St. Mary follows the Clyde-Green Springs School District as far as closings. If school is canceled for the day, any events being held that day/night are canceled. You may also check our web page (www.clydestmary.org) and FaceBook page for closing details. Please call the Parish Office (419) 547-9687.

Be sure to regularly check our website and FaceBook page for updates!

It is that time of the year...a reminder as we go into the winter months

Level 1 - A Level One Snow Emergency means that roads (township and county, mainly secondary) are hazardous with the possibility of blowing and drifting snow.

Roads are icy and drivers should use caution, if they choose to drive.

Level 2 - A Level Two Snow Emergency means that roads are hazardous (including primary roads) with blowing and drifting snow a possibility. Only those who feel it is necessary to drive should be on these roadways. Employees should contact their employers to see if they should report to work. **Motorists should use extreme caution.**

Level 3 - A Level Three Snow Emergency means that roads are closed to all non-essential personnel. No one should be out during these conditions unless it is absolutely necessary to travel. All employees should contact their employer to see if they should report to work. Those traveling on any roadway in the county may subject themselves to citation or arrest. **NO MASS SERVICES**



WEATHER ALERT

As always, stay safe!



Birthday Blessings for the period February 10—16

- 11—William Webb;
- 12—Alexis Payne;
- 13—Amy Baker, Alayna Skeel;
- 14—Patricia Leibengood, Samuel Gill;
- 15—Ben Davis, Robert Elder, Cora Liskai;
- 16—Alisha Taylor

Bingo Kitchen Schedule

Bingo Kitchen: **Week 3—February 18th**

Bingo Kitchen Workers

Laura Smathers	Linda Dickenson	Lori Mange
Cheri Hemby	~ vacant ~	~ vacant ~

Bingo Bakers

Virginia Gabel	Cheri Hemby	Dee Nobles
Joni Wasserman	~ vacant ~	~ vacant ~

Bingo Floor Schedule

Bingo Kitchen: **Week 3—February 18th**

Bingo Floor Workers

Mary Shelley	Joanne Wasserman
Tom Beier	Winnie Perkins
Donna Rinard	~ vacant ~

Parish Week at a Glance:

Week of: February 10, 2025

10	MON	Rosary	9:00 am	Church
		Boy Scouts	7:00 pm	Gym
11	TUE	Women's Bible	9:00 am	Conf. Room
		Rosary	9:00 am	Church
		Bingo	6:30 pm	Church
12	WED	Rosary	9:00 am	Church
		Bible Study	6:30 pm	Conf. Room
13	THU	Rosary	9:00 am	Church
		Adoration	6:30 pm	Church
14	FRI	Rosary	9:00 am	Church
15	SAT	Confessions	3:45 pm	Church
		Rosary	4:00 pm	Church
		Mass	4:30 pm	Church
16	SUN	Rosary	8:30 am	Church
		Mass	9:00 am	Church
		PSR	9:45 am	Parish Hall
		OCIA	12:45 pm	Varies

Help Paul and Mary Kay Oakleaf celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary with a special blessing at Mass!

Happy Anniversary to you both and many more to come!



Around the Diocese...

The latest issue of *Graceful Living* is out! You can see the digital version here: toledodiocese.org/GracefulLiving

As usual, parishes receive a small number by mail, and 40,000 copies are direct mailed. Anyone can sign up to receive future issues to their home by emailing glmagazine@toledodiocese.org with your full name and address. Please include the information in your parish bulletin. We'd like everyone in the Diocese to know about this publication.

The women religious congregations in the Diocese of Toledo invite you to come together during Catholic Sisters Week to help end hunger in northwest Ohio through a Food Drive.

All God's Children

**The Toledo Symphony Orchestra
&
The BGSU Gospel Choir presents
Black History Month Concert**

**Under the direction of
Maestro Antoine Clark**

**Sunday,
February 23, 2025
5:00 p.m.**

St. Martin de Porres Catholic Church

**1119 W. Bancroft St.
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For tickets call: 419-241-4544



**Night
of Healing**
WORSHIP WORD HEALING

TUESDAY JAN. 7 7:00 - 8:30 pm

St. Joseph, Tiffin
36 Melmore St, Tiffin, OH 44883

Fr. Anthony Goci
Fr. James Brown
Fr. Kevin Moebius

WEDNESDAY FEB. 5 7:00 - 8:30 pm

St. Patrick, Heatherdowns
4201 Heatherdowns Blvd, Toledo, OH 43614

Fr. Mark Davis
Fr. James Brown
Fr. Kevin Moebius

WEDNESDAY MAR. 19 7:00 - 8:30 pm

Holy Trinity, Assumption
2649 US Highway 20, Swanton, OH 43558

Fr. Walter Tuscano
Fr. James Brown
Fr. Kevin Moebius

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- Promote spiritual growth and moral courage for Catholics serving in the workplace.
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- Share ways to live the Catholic faith through business practices, relationships with all workplace stakeholders, and community service.
- Facilitate opportunities for business and career networking.

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God,
all things
are
possible

Thursday, February 13, 2025

Doors Open | 7:00 a.m.
Complimentary Breakfast | 7:30 a.m.
Program | 8:00 a.m.

St. John XXIII
Parish Life Center - Roncalli Hall
24250 North Dixie Highway
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Register at CBNPat.eventbrite.com
Questions? Call Paula at 419.214.4898



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