

Liturgical Roles

Mon. August 10 Servers: Adult Server	HR	8:00am	Mass
Tues. August 11 Servers: Adult Server	HR	8:00am	Mass
Wed. August 12 Server: Adult Server	HR	12:05pm	Mass
Thurs. August 13 Server: Adult Server	SP	8:00am	Mass
Fri. August 14 Servers: Adult Server	HR	8:00am	Mass
Sat. August 15 Servers: Adult Server	HR	8:00am	Mass
Sat. August 15 Servers: Adult Servers Lectors: Jennifer Tester, Randy Wilker Extraordinary Ministers of Communion: Volunteers	HR	4:30pm	Mass
Sun. August 16 Servers: Adult Servers Lectors: Andy Rammel, John Rammel Extraordinary Ministers of Communion: Volunteers	HR	8:00am	Mass
Sun. August 16 Servers: Adult Server Lector: David Oen Sacristan: Diane Wright Ushers: Janet Ott, Mike Ott, Mark Ruppert	SP	9:30am	Mass
Sun. August 16 Servers: Adult Servers Lectors: Morgan Henschen, Ross Henschen Extraordinary Ministers of Communion: Volunteers	HR	11:00am	Mass

OFFICE SUMMER HOURS

Our summer hours:
Weekdays (M,T, TH, F) 7:30am - Noon
Wednesday 10:00am -1:00pm.

Prayer Hotlines	Weekend Mass Attendance	
Holy Rosary: Julie 305-7937	4:30pm	140
	8:00am	117
St. Patrick Mary 657-2346	9:30am	75
	11:00am	153
		485

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Mass Intentions

Mon. 08/10 8:00am	St. Lawrence 2 Cor 9:6-10; Jn 12:24-26 HR Lavera Rhoades
Tues. 08/11 8:00am	St. Claire Ez 2:8—3:4; Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14 HR Louise Rye
Wed. 08/12 12:05pm	St. Jane Frances de Chantal Ez 9:1-7; 10:18-22; Mt 18:15-20 HR Florence Jones
Thurs. 08/13 8:00am	Sr. Pontian & St. Hippolytus Ez 12:1-12; Mt 18:21—19:1 SP George Brown
Fri. 08/14 8:00am	St. Maximilian Kolbe Ez 16:1-15, 60, 63 or 16:59-63; Mt 19:2-12 HR Theresa Axe
Sat. 08/15 8:00am 4:30pm	The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56 HR Latin Mass HR Mark Axe
Sun. 08/16 8:00am 9:30am 11:00am	Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 56:1, 6-7; Rom 11:13-15, 29-32; Mt 15:21-28 HR Jackie Lininger SP Mary Burke HR Donna Fischer

Virtus Class

As we are gearing up for a new school year, we have a friendly reminder to all adults who will be volunteering in CCD or at the school or chaperoning a field trip, that they need to take a Virtus, Child Protection Class offered through the Archdiocese of Cincinnati. The next offered class at Holy Rosary will be Wednesday, August 12th, at 6:00p.m., in the cafeteria. Please call Patti Folk for instructions on signing up for this class. Everyone who has previously taken this class and is current with their monthly bulletins, need not attend.

Holy Rosary Collection

Weekly Collection	\$ 5,318.00
Online Giving	\$ 3,467.12
Mailed in Donations	\$ 570.00
Total Collected for the Week	\$ 9,355.12
Total Collected for July	\$ 28,410.23
Budgeted for Month of July	\$ 38,000.00
Budget Short/Over	\$ (9,589.77)

St. Patrick Collection

Weekly Collection	\$ 951.00
Mailed in Donations	\$ 25.00
Total Collected for the Week	\$ 976.00
Total Collected for July	\$ 2,223.00
Budgeted for Months of July	\$ 6,666.67
Budget Short/Over	\$ (4,443.67)

NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Calendar of Events	
Sunday	August 9 8:00am Mass at Holy Rosary 9:30am Mass at St. Patrick 11:00am Mass at Holy Rosary - Live Streamed
Monday	August 10 8:00am Mass at Holy Rosary 6:00pm HR Finance Meeting
Tuesday	August 11 8:00am Mass at Holy Rosary
Wednesday	August 12 11:30am Confessions at Holy Rosary 12:05pm Mass at Holy Rosary Following Mass Legion of Mary - Upper Room 6:00pm Virtus, Child Protection Class - Cafeteria
Thursday	August 13 8:00am Mass at St. Patrick 8:00pm Knights of Columbus - K of C Hall
Friday	August 14 8:00am Mass at Holy Rosary
Saturday	August 15 8:00am Latin at Holy Rosary 3:30 - 4:15pm Confessions at Holy Rosary 4:30pm Mass at Holy Rosary
Sunday	August 16 8:00am Mass at Holy Rosary 9:30am Mass at St. Patrick 11:00am Mass at Holy Rosary - Live Streamed

RCIA News

Are you or someone you know interested in joining the Catholic Church? Classes for Adults will begin on Thursday, September 10th, at 7p.m. at Holy Rosary. Please call Nan Mielke at 419-300-1045 for more information and to register.

August 23

Following the 11:00a.m. Mass

Fr. Witt and Deacon Marty will be having a special "Surprise" following the 11:00a.m. Mass on August 23rd, in the parking lot. More details coming soon!

STAY CONNECTED
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holyrosarychurch.us

Holy Rosary will continue **live streaming** our 11a.m. Mass on our website & on Facebook. You will find the link at holyrosarychurch.us. Click on **StreamSpot**.

Message from the Pastor

5 Things I Want to Do at Holy Rosary and St. Patrick's (Series)

Number 4- Bless Homes

Can you bless that? For a Catholic, the answer is probably "yes"! But for many people, when they think of "a blessing", their definition might be a lot more limited in scope than what the Church provides. They might think of the blessing at the end of Mass or maybe of "Benediction" at the end of Adoration. But I actually have an entire book filled with blessings of various things from the "Blessing of a Telegraph Station", to the "Blessing of Vestments", and my personal favorite, the "Blessing for Beer"!

In reality though, it's less the love of beer and more the love of blessings that urges the Church in her generosity to provide so many avenues for God's grace. Whether it's the "Blessing of the Car" or the "Blessing of a Farm" and "Equipment" and "Animals", every blessing does two things. Firstly, it *sanctifies* (makes holy) the person or object being blessed. The second thing every blessing does is it gives the person or object God's *protection*. That's why every Mass ends with a blessing. As Christ in the priest sends His Faithful People off into the world to "glorify God by your lives", He knows we need the help. The *sanctification* helps us to be more open to God's grace and His movements in our lives; the *protection* is like spiritual armor against the attacks of the Evil One. So when we leave Mass, we have His active presence within us and His protection around us.

And that's why having our homes blessed is so important. When a home is blessed, the home becomes a place where, insofar as the family is open to it, they can grow in holiness and relationship with God (so the home itself helps *sanctify*!). The home can also become a place where the family is protected against the Evil One. The blessing transforms a home into a fortress for us to find protection in time of distress or temptation.

So if you haven't had your home blessed, if you've built on to it since it was last blessed, if you've moved to a new home (I just had Fr. Jed from Wapak over the other day for lunch and had him bless the priest house!), or even if you just can't remember if you've ever had it blessed. I would love it if you called the office and got Deacon Marty or I out there.

Your Pastor,

Fr. Witt

The Rest to Follow!

1. *Get People to Heaven*
2. *Get People to Daily Mass*
3. *Get People to Adoration*
4. *Bless Homes*

Number 5: August 16

Tuesday Night Is Adult Faith Formation Night

Join a **Biblical Walk Through the Mass** – beginning Tuesday, September 8th from 7-8 p.m. in the Holy Rosary Church Cafeteria. The class will run for 5 consecutive weeks on Tuesday evenings through October 6th. This short 5 session study will help you grow closer to Christ and gain a greater appreciation for what and why we do what we do during Mass.

The recommended study guide is just \$20. Call the parish office at 419-394-5050 to register.

Don't let the cost keep you from joining as scholarships are available by simply calling or stopping by the parish office.

Beginning Tuesday October 20th, at 7p.m., we will be offering **The Sacraments** class where we'll use videos and discussion from Bishop Barron as he takes a fresh look at the seven sacraments of the Church in all their depth, spirituality, and wonder: Baptism, Confirmation, the Eucharist, Reconciliation, the Anointing of the Sick, Matrimony, and Holy Orders. This class will run for 6 consecutive weeks until November 24th.

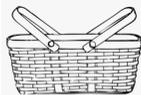
Reverse Raffle Baskets

We are working on putting together the 100 gift baskets which will be included in the Reverse Raffle. In the past, the parishioners have been so generous in giving to the Novelty Booth baskets and we are hoping for this to continue with this newest event of the parish.

Donations of "new" items, lottery tickets and monetary donations along with filler items (candles, bottles of wine, kitchen towels, back to school items, etc.) are some ideas.

Also, large baskets or totes would be appreciated.

Please drop items off at the parish office. Thank you!



Holy Rosary CCD & Sunday School News

Holy Rosary **CCD** for Grades 1-12 is scheduled to begin Wednesday, September 9th, at 7p.m. Registrations and schedules will be available at Mass on the SCRIP table.

Due to COVID restrictions, we will not be offering **Sunday School** for our Pre-school 3-5 year olds. We **WILL** offer classes for the Public School Kindergartens on Wednesday evenings beginning September 9th from 7 - 8p.m.

KNIGHTS HOSTING CARRYOUT CHICKEN DINNERS SUNDAY, AUGUST 16

The Father James O. Byrne Knights of Columbus Council 1592 will be selling carry-out chicken dinners Sunday, August 16 from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m. in the K of C Hall. The hall is located at 427 E. Spring St., St. Marys.

Cost for the dinner, which includes four-pieces of chicken with two sides, is \$8. Also, offered will be a 12-piece bucket with two sides for \$20. Buckets can be ordered in advance by contacting Ben Brown at 419-733-4552. Sides will be cole slaw and macaroni & cheese.

Those picking up dinners can enter the Spring Street door and exit the Pine Street door. Social distancing will be used when picking up the dinners.

Lucky 10 Tickets 2020-2021

Lucky 10 tickets are available for pickup after weekend Masses on the SCRIP table and in the parish office entrance during the week. Each ticket is \$20. There are 10 drawings. If your ticket is drawn, it goes back in for the other drawings! If you need more tickets, they are available in the parish office or at the SCRIP table after weekend Masses.



**ONLY
340 TICKETS
LEFT!**

340 tickets still available

Each ticket is \$100.

This raffle will be in place of our festival this year.

Each person who purchases a ticket will receive one chicken dinner, compliments of Father Barry.

Additional chicken dinner tickets are available for purchase for \$10.

All tickets can be purchased at the parish office, weekdays (M,T, TH, F) 7:30am - Noon, Wednesday 10:00am -1:00pm. & after weekend Masses.

You can also send a check to the office: 511 E. Spring St., St. Marys, OH 45885

GUIDELINES FOR RETURNING MASS

Please remember that the faithful have been dispensed from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass. Thus, those who wish to participate in Mass and receive Holy Communion can do so by attending a Mass any day of the week. Those who are at risk or fearful that they or their family might become sick are encouraged to join us for a Mass that is live-streamed online each weekend.

Appropriate social distancing and the regulations put forth by public health authorities must be observed. Here are the guidelines for Holy Rosary & St. Patrick.

- Entry doors will be open for you to have a *touch-free* entry into church.
- Hand sanitizer will be available as you enter. *Please use it.*
- **You will be required to wear a mask when attending any Mass or event on the Holy Rosary Campus. If you are medically fragile or unable to wear a mask please view the live streamed Sunday Mass at 11am on our church website or our Facebook page.**
- Use all available (every other row will be marked for usage) space in the church. Families who have been in contact with each other may sit together. All others must be spaced at least 6 feet apart. Please start sitting in the middle of the pew so that others can fill in the outside later.
- No physical contact at the Our Father and there will be no Sign of Peace, similar to Advent & Lent.
- No Holy Communion will be given from cups by the faithful. You will stay 6 feet apart from every individual as you approach for Communion, ushers will release you from pews. (A family with small children can approach together, keeping 6 feet from other parishioners.) There will be properly spaced Eucharistic ministers per section. Eucharistic ministers will do their best to drop the host into your hand without touching. (Eucharistic ministers will sanitize their hands & be wearing masks prior to distribution of communion and will have a hand wet wipe in their hand in case of contact when distributing.)
- There will be no missalettes or hymnals in the pews. Missalettes are available at the entrances of the church. Take one home, put your name on it and bring it back each time. Any left behind will be disposed of.
- The cry room will be available during Mass with proper social distancing.
- Collection baskets will not be passed during Mass. As you enter or exit Mass, please drop your envelopes into the basket in the entrances.

We appreciate your gifts so much during this difficult time!

- Bulletins will be distributed as you leave and are also available online.
- The church will be sanitized after each Mass.

Please DO NOT congregate in the Vestibule or entrance ways in order to keep social distancing for all arriving & leaving.

Remember, the responsibility to keep others healthy is one that we all share. If you are sick or have been exposed to someone who is sick, please do not join us for Mass.

Most importantly, always be kind and patient. We are in a confusing and sometimes overwhelming situation. Your parish is doing its absolute best to help you, protect you and share our love for Christ with you. Please show your love of Christ by being Christ to others!

Questions? Please contact Fr. Witt, Deacon Marty, Jess Rammel at 419-394-5050 or email the office at holyrosary@bright.net.

Minutes of the Holy Rosary Pastoral Council – July 28, 2020

Meeting was called to order at 6:30 pm by Matt Kinkley and Fr. Witt opened with prayer.

Members present: Matt Kinkley, Nick Kiel, Doug Moran, Charlotte Duncan, Peg Larkin, Al Meinerding, Linda Tebbe, Pam Rammel, Tom Scott, Deacon Marty and Fr. Witt.

The minutes of the May 26, 2020 meeting were approved as printed.

Altar Society - A set of 4 dalmatics are being purchased for Deacon Marty. They have purchased Latin - English Missal booklets for praying the traditional Latin Mass. Meetings are planned to resume in September at Eagles. A gift of \$500 was presented to Fr. Barry.

K of C - The All-Ohio Charity Raffle campaign is complete, with the local council selling 1,234 tickets, adding to their 7 year string of selling more than 1000 tickets. The proceeds from this raffle goes directly into their charity account which should amount to \$3000 – 4000.

Their 2nd chicken dinner carry out was Sunday, July 19th, which netted about \$1000 for their General Fund. Dinners are \$8, buckets are \$20 and can be pre-ordered by contacting Ben Brown at 419-733-4552. At a recent business meeting, the Knights provided \$350 to Holy Rosary School for the purchase of a table used in the autistic program. Fr. Barry was presented with a \$500 check for an additional vestment purchase as a token of appreciation for his service to our parish.

The Council recently bought 5 Reverse Raffle tickets in support of the parish. During the past service year (July – June) 9 new members have been brought in. You can learn more about the Knights at kofc.org/joinus. Joining can be done by viewing an online video that explains their history and principles.

Education//Religious Education - Baptism Class - We offer this class monthly to new parents or those who have not had a child Baptized in the past 5 years. We have 3 couples stepping down and 3 new couples coming on to assist. Thank you to Tom and Kathy Bruggeman, Theresa Rowen - who have taught this for about 14 years, and to Beth and Ryan Buck who taught for 7 years! Deb Wilker who has taught 14 years is continuing, along with Russell and Emily Kill, Mike and Missy Chalk, and Zack and Olivia Spieles who are all coming forward to teach.

Sunday School - usually offered to 3 year olds - public school Kindergarten - big change this year. Kindergarten will move to Wednesday Nights and we will hold off on preschool and for the other age groups at this time due to the current Covid situation and restrictions. (Little ones are very hands on, teacher student ratio in the room, more rooms more cleaning, all volunteers with children helping)

CCD Planning for Catechists is underway - we plan to begin classes for K-12 on September the 9th following all Auglaize County Health Department recommendations and guidelines. Youth Group will follow for grades 7-12.

RCIA - will begin Thursday September 10th.

Adult Faith Formation - Tuesday Evenings in the fall - Sept 8 - Oct 6 - *The Biblical Walk through the Mass* with Dr Edward Sri. October 20- Nov 24th will be *The Sacraments* class by Bishop Barron. All starting at 7p.m. Advent Study - Dr Scott Hahn's book - *Joy to the World* will be Sunday nights 6:30p.m. and Tuesday mornings at 9a.m. in December.

School - Start date is August 25 - will follow Auglaize County Health Department and State of Ohio recommendations. New staff members are Tina Travis - Title Reading, Mary Thornsberry - Music and Erica Bills - ABLE Classroom since they added three 6 year olds this year.

We will have a staggered start to Kindergarten in the first 2 weeks - to help with screening and orientation for them. Also, PreK will be a 9:1 student/ teacher ratio following guidelines.

Maintenance - Completed concrete work around the parking lot. If you are interested in the paver blocks replaced by the concrete, contact Deacon Marty. Landscaping at the south entrance of the school will be completed in the Fall. Talking to Buehler's about resealing the parking lot.

Storm damage from a week ago resulted in 2 trees at the cemetery needing removal. A 5hp motor needed to be repaired/ replaced and batteries for the elevator... Schindler is behind on service.

More shingles were lost from the Rectory roof ... repair/ replace? Checking with Archdiocese.

Cemetery guidelines & regulations are being reviewed and revised. Sales of plots continue. Pouring foundations with concrete purchased from ACE has resulted in using ACE Rewards to purchase LED lighting for the school. There has been a request to spray entire cemetery ... checking into the cost to weed & feed.

Finances - Jess Rammel reported that collections are down. Have picked up some on-line donations.

PPP loan: waiting for guidance from the Bank and the Government. Bank is keeping us updated.

School will cost more this year, mostly due to cleaning supplies needed during this pandemic.

Will be receiving \$5,500 from CARES ... this is about half of what we thought we would be getting.

Budgeted for some of these losses and have made some cuts to the adjustments. Lost a few students to home schooling due to Covid. Met with SMCS regarding cafeteria procedures; classes will rotate eating in their rooms 2 days & in the cafeteria 1 day. Only 1/3 of the students will be in the cafeteria to allow for social distancing.

Liturgy Board - Restructuring 1st Thursday Adoration time, still 6:30 – 7:30 PM, but will allow an opportunity for Confession from 6:35 - 7:25p.m.

Old Business –

Update on Capital Campaign: waiting for the most recent update.

Strategic Direction: discussion continued, no action taken .

Church construction update: Cement work is finished. HVAC manufacturer is resolving programming issues. Work is about ¾ finished. Rectory roof repair/ replace option being looked at with insurance options & alternative funding.

New Business – Festival Raffle is September 12th, still working on details. There are @ 400 tickets left to sell.

Open Agenda - Still in process of re-naming the *Adopt-A-Student* campaign.

Pastor's Report – All is going well so far.

Holy Rosary Pastoral Council

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