

Masses February 9 - 16, 2020

Sunday

8:30 AM (STP) Wendel & Larry Sheridan (Trudy & Dave Montle)
 8:30 AM (SMH) Mary Dewhurst (Family)
 9:30 AM (SH) Traci Bartels Houdashelt (Maureen E. Hennessy)
 10:00 AM (CTK) William Kregosky (Suzanne & Robert Vazzano)
 10:00 AM (HC) Gladys Richards (Family)
 11:30 AM (STP) George Weisenbach (Anita Weisenbach)
 6:00 PM (CTK) OU Faculty & Staff

Monday

8:15 AM (STP) Saunders & Halley Families, Living & Deceased (John & Blaine Halley)
 5:30 PM (Chapel) Vocations

Tuesday

8:15 AM (STP) Leo Carrillo
 5:30 PM (Chapel) Kathleen Kutsko (JoAnne Vrabel)
 6:30 PM (SMH) Peter Stetson (SMH CWC)

Wednesday

8:15 AM (STP) Healing & Strengthening For Those With Terminal Illness
 8:30 AM (SH) Greater Respect for All Life
 5:30 PM (Chapel) OU Catholics

Thursday

8:15 AM (STP) Military on Active Duty
 6:30 PM (SH) Anniversary of Edward & Jennifer Starcher (Fr. Tim Kozak)
 6:30 PM (HC) Debbie Richards (Don & Marilyn Holbert & Family)

Friday

8:15 AM (STP) Extraordinary Form Seminarian Jeremiah Hahn (Lori Zofchak Linscott)
 12:15 PM (CTK) Armandino Colaizzi (Maria Henning)

Saturday

4:30 PM (SH) Erika Bowen (Dale & Ann Colburn)
 5:00 PM (CTK) Irene & Louise Van Vossel (Yolande Helm)

Sunday

8:30 AM (STP) 71st Anniversary of Gerry & Evelyn Hann
 8:30 AM (SMH) Bill Hill (Karen Pidcock & Family)
 9:30 AM (SH) Beulah Voltin (Frank Broderick Family)
 10:00 AM (CTK) Wesley Coban (Bob & Sharon Colvin)
 10:00 AM (HC) William Van Hall (Libby Bartz)
 11:30 AM (STP) People of the Parishes
 6:00 PM (CTK) Roy & Helen Smith (the Oswald Family)

LITURGICAL MINISTERS CTK/STP next weekend: February 15/16

Mass	Greeters/Gift Bearers	Servers	Readers	EMHC
5:00 PM CTK	Beatrice Selotlegeng	Janet Hogan	Joe McLaughlin Beatrice Selotlegeng	Dcn. Dan Murray, Marguerite Kostival, Lisa Murray, Mary Anne Reeves
8:30 AM STP	Susanne Strachota	Lucy & Claire Ingram	Dave Swanson Susanne Strachota	Connie & Doug Woodruff, Mike Baum, Carol Adelsberger, Casey Koth
10:00 AM CTK	the Blair Family	Ruth & Theresa Haruna	Godwin Haruna Karl Kontyko	Dcn. Dan Murray, Joyce & Karl Kontyko, Milagros Santoni, Grace Wilson
11:30 AM STP	Chris & Penny Purdy	Nancy Sand	Lisa Carson Nan Cooley	Kim Miller, Nancy Sand, Nan Cooley
6:00 PM CTK		Luke Frost	David VandenBerghe Jessica Rutkowski	Dcn. Scott Carson, David VandenBerghe, Madison Eftink

THE WEEK AHEAD @ CTK, STP & SH

Date	Time	Event	Place
February 9 FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME			
Sunday	9:45 AM	CWC	STP
	10:45 AM	Pancake Breakfast	SH
	10:45 AM	CCD Classes	SH
	10:00 AM	R.E. 5th Grade Retreat	
	10/11 AM	R.E. Classes	HFC
	7:00 PM	ACT Meeting	HFC
February 10			
Monday		No Saints Session	
	6:00 PM	CLC Meeting	HFC
	7:00 PM	RCIA	HFC
February 11			
Tuesday	1:30 PM	Study Group	HFC
	5:30 PM	Holy Hour	SMH
	7:00 PM	K of C Meeting	HFC
	8:00 PM	Young Adults	HFC
	8:00 PM	OUC Team Mtg.	HFC
February 12			
Wed.	9:00 AM	Holy Hour	SH
	7:00 PM	OU Catholics	HFC
February 13			
Thursday	9:00 AM	Adoration	Chapel
	7:00 PM	Pastoral Council	SH
February 14			
Friday	9:00 AM	Church Cleaning	SH
	6:30 PM	PNO & Family Movie Night	HFC
February 15			
Saturday	7:00 AM	TMIY	HFC
	10:30 AM	ACT Team	HFC
February 16 SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME			
Sunday	10:45 AM	Rosary for Life	SH
	10:45 AM	CCD Classes	SH
	10/11 AM	R.E. Classes	HFC
	7:00 PM	ACT Meeting	HFC

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS - The next Knights meeting is Tuesday, February 11, at 7:00 PM in the Knights room at the HFC.

The men's program, "That Man Is You," meets on Saturday mornings from 7:00 - 8:00 AM at the HFC. All men are welcome. Please see any Knight of Columbus if you have any questions.

LINEN CARE	February 9	February 16
CTK	Carol Sauber	Karen Oswald
STP	Bruce Nottke	Sabrina Kotts

ALTAR FLOWERS - At St. Paul this weekend, the flowers are for *Chelsea Purdy* from Chris & Penny Purdy.



CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CLUB - The next meeting of the CWC is Sunday, February 9, at St. Paul Church in the Hall following 8:30 AM Mass. All women of the parishes are invited.



SAINTS IN HALF AN HOUR - The group will not meet on Monday, February 10. Plan to join us again on Monday, February 17, at 9:30 AM to view a 30-minute on the life of a saint. Discussion will follow the movie. Come to Kate Kahler's house, 356 Carroll Road, Athens. Contact Kate for more information, 440-781-7410.

CLC MEETING - On Monday, February 10, members of the Catholic Ladies of Columbia will meet at 6:00 PM in the HFC. Contact Trudy Montle, 740-698-4185, or Sandee Bishman, 740-591-0643, with regrets or for more information. Get ready for Bingo Hearts!



COLLECTIONS: FEBRUARY 2

Christ The King

Sunday Collection \$ 4417.00
 Propagation of the Faith \$ 370.00

St. Paul

Sunday Collection \$ 3541.00
 Propagation of the Faith \$ 290.00

Sacred Heart

Sunday Collection \$ 1871.00
 Propagation of the Faith \$ 375.00
 Roof Fund \$ 633.00

Thank you for supporting your parish!

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

There is a retreat at the Sacred Heart Retreat House today for Confirmation students in the fifth grade. Students will leave the HFC at 11:10 AM & return for Confessions at 4:30 PM.

Relax & enjoy . . . Family Movie Nights are coming to the HFC from 6:30 to 9:00 PM on Fridays, February 14 (kids only), & 21.



SPIRITUAL EXERCISES OF ST. IGNATIUS - A walk through of the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius of Loyola is being offered on Thursdays, February 27 - April 23, at 10:00 AM & again at 6:30 PM. A commitment of at least 1 hour of prayer a day for 5 days a week is recommended.

If you are interested please sign up at the office or online at: <https://athenscatholic.org/spiritual-exercises-of-st-ignatius-of-loyola>. Deadline for sign up is February 20.

For more information contact Janet Hogan at 740-590-6558 (please leave a voicemail) or e-mail: earthpony@gmail.com Subject: "Exercises"

ACC FOOD PANTRY - For the month of February we are asking for tooth brushes, tooth paste, bar soap, tuna, & simple macaroni & cheese.

Thank you for helping to make a difference in our community!



ST. PAUL SCHOLARSHIP - Applications are now available for this scholarship & can be picked up at the parish office. To be eligible for this scholarship students must:

- ♦ be a graduating high school senior with a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher;
- ♦ be accepted to a 2- or 4-year college or university, or a 2-year technical or performing arts school (e.g. music conservatory, graphic design);
- ♦ & the family must be registered members of St. Paul Catholic Church or Christ the King University Parish.

Applications are due by 5:00 PM, April 30, 2020, & should be delivered to the parish offices at 75 Stewart Street.

WOMEN'S CONFERENCE - The Columbus Catholic Women's Conference will be held next Saturday, February 15, from 8:00 AM - 4:30 PM at the Ohio Expo Center. Registration is \$45 online or \$50.00 at the door. Tickets includes breakfast & lunch. You will have the opportunity to hear nationally recognized speakers, attend Mass, spend time in Eucharistic Adoration, go to Confession, enjoy awesome musicians & singers to name a few of the highlights of the day.

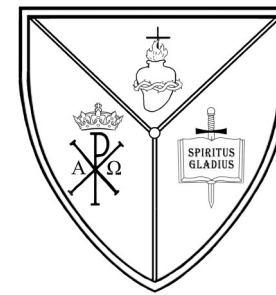
For more information, go to columbuscatholic-women.com or contact Angela Cross at angelamecross@gmail.com.



MEN'S DAY OF RENEWAL - The Diocese of Steubenville is sponsoring a Men's Day of Renewal on Saturday, March 7, from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM, at the Basilica of St. Mary of the Assumption, 506 Fourth St., Marietta. The patron of the conference is St. Joseph.

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Mass Times

SACRED HEART CHURCH

WEDNESDAY 8:30 AM

THURSDAY 6:30 PM

FIRST FRIDAY MASS 8:30 AM

FIRST SATURDAY MASS & DEVOTIONS 8:30 AM

SATURDAY VIGIL

4:30 PM

SUNDAY

9:30 AM

ST. PAUL CHURCH

MONDAY - THURSDAY

8:15 AM

SUNDAY

8:30 AM, 11:30 AM

CHRIST THE KING CHURCH

MONDAY - WEDNESDAY (CHAPEL)

5:30 PM (DURING THE ACADEMIC YEAR)

FRIDAY 12:15 PM

SATURDAY VIGIL

5:00 PM

SUNDAY

10:00 AM

6:00 PM (DURING THE ACADEMIC YEAR)

ST. MARY OF THE HILLS

TUESDAY 6:30 PM

SUNDAY 8:30 AM

HOLY CROSS

THURSDAY 6:30 PM

SUNDAY 10:00 AM

Confessions

SACRED HEART: SATURDAY 4:00 PM

SUNDAY 8:45 AM

CHRIST THE KING: SATURDAY 4:00 PM

SUNDAY 5:00 PM (DURING THE ACADEMIC YEAR)

THURSDAY 8:00 - 9:00 PM

CONFESSIONS ARE HEARD ANYTIME BY REQUEST.

Prayers

Please remember in your prayers the health (H), intentions (I), or repose (R) of the following people:

Betty Bechter (H)	Connie Casci (H)	Dawn Class (H)
Ann Collins (H)	Angie Dioguardi (H)	Shirley Edwards (H)
Scott Gruesser (H)	Nick Gwiazdowski (H)	Bev Harter (H)
Sandy Henderson (H)	Jane Huffman (H)	Andy Iannarelli (H)
Blaycen Jeffers (H)	Ryan Jeffers	Linda Maher (H)
Marilyn Meier (H)	Zach Newtz (H)	Marlene Radford (H)
Wilma Reiber (H)	Regina Sass (H)	Pam Sharp (R)
Gale Shrimplin (H)	Stacy Smith (H)	Jennifer Starcher (H)
Sophie Truszka (H)	Horace Turner (H)	

Prayers for the clergy of our Diocese:

Rev. Ryan Gray	9th
Bishop Gilbert I. Sheldon	10th
Rev. Bradley Greer	11th
Rev. David Gaydosik	12th
Rev. Joseph Safranec	13th
All Priests	14th
Rev. Angelo Casimiro, MIC	15th

Prayers for the Deceased Clergy of the Diocese:

Rev. Clair Dinger	10th
Rev. Paul Richter	12th
Rev. James Dirker	14th
Rev. William Hayes	14th
Rev. Donal O'Carroll	14th
Rev. Charles Ryan	15th

SACRED HEART CHURCH
FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
FEBRUARY 9, 2020

We pray for an increase of devotion to the Holy Family.



ALTAR FLOWERS - This weekend the altar flowers are *in memory of Len Gwiazdowsky* from Rae Gwiazdowsky.

SYMPATHY - Please pray for the repose of the soul of parishioner *Pam Sharp* who passed away last week. We offer Mike & his family our sincere sympathy & prayers.

We also ask prayers for the repose of the soul of *Richard Radford* who was Susie Stewart's brother. He passed away recently. We offer Susie & her family our sincere sympathy & prayers.

Eternal rest grant to them, O Lord, & let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls & the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

PANCAKE BREAKFAST TODAY! Stop by after the 9:30 AM Mass for a delicious Pancake Breakfast. CCD students & teachers eat free; all others are asked to make a donation. All profits support the CCD program!



CHURCH CLEANING - On Friday, February 14, the church will be cleaned beginning at 9:00 AM. Cleaning ministers are Sheila Cozart, Diana Bartels & Marie Johnson.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

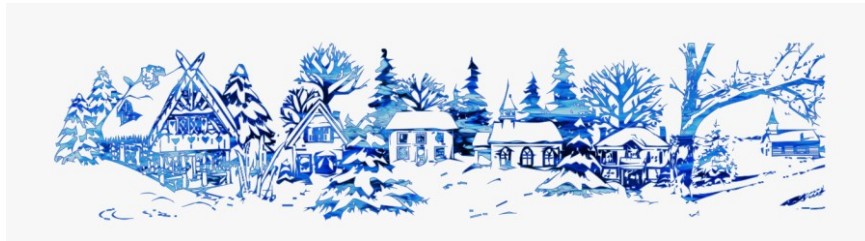
	February 15 4:30 p.m.	February 16 9:30 a.m.
Eucharist	Kris Harris & Cecelia Lisle	Emilia Alonso-Sameno & Joan Anderson
Word	David Hollis	Judy Graf
Gifts	Harold & Susie Stewart	Jay & Christy Blackwood
Ushers	Joseph Layne & Harold Stewart	Patrick & Stephen Brown
Altar Server	Michael Martin	Michael Brown & Cassium Powell
Hospitality	Irene Dill & Marylyn Harris	Ed & Diana Bartels

BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN - If you haven't already done so, please return your baby bottle, filled or unfilled, to the church. The PRC reuses the bottles to cut down on their costs. Thank you for supporting the work of the Pregnancy Resource Center!



ROSARY FOR LIFE - Come & pray a Family Rosary for Life on **Sunday, February 16**, following 9:30 Mass. Students in third grade & higher will be praying for an increase in respect for human life. Parents & family members are invited to stay & pray with the students. This event is sponsored by the Sacred Heart Culture of Life Group.

MARDI GRAS - We are having a Mardi Gras celebration on **Sunday, February 23**, for all religious education families. We will learn about the history & tradition of Mardi Gras, eat some delicious donuts, & prepare ourselves for the beginning of Lent. Join us downstairs after Mass!



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Sunday, February 9, 2020
The Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Masses February 9-16

Saint Mary of the Hills & Holy Cross

Sunday, February 9
8:30 AM (SMH) Mary Dewhurst (Family)
10:00 AM (HC) Gladys Richards (Family)

Tuesday, February 11
6:30 PM (SMH) Peter Stetson (SMH CWC)

Thursday, February 13
6:30PM (HC) Debbie Richards (Don & Marilyn Holbert and Family)

Friday, February 14
8:15 AM (STP) Extraordinary Form Mass

Sunday, February 16
8:30 AM (SMH) Bill Hill (Karen Pidcock & Family)
10:00 AM (HC) William VanHall (Libby Bentz)

The Rosary will be prayed at 9:40AM before every Sunday morning Mass at Holy Cross.

If a level 2 or 3 snow emergency is issued for Athens County, Masses will be cancelled at Holy Cross and St. Mary of the Hills.

Liturgical Ministers-St. Mary of the Hills

February 16

Lector Richard
EMHC Jean & Cheryl

Liturgical Ministers-Holy Cross

February 16

Server Donna
Lector Gary
EMHC Tom & Joyce

Holy Cross After Mass Refreshment Schedule

February 16 JoAnna, Josephine, Paula
February 23 Marilyn, Kerry, Jill

Prayer Requests

Please pray for our sick and homebound.

Jim & Jean Bickley	Chris McDonald
Gary Braglin Sr.	Jack Maurer
Larry Bycofski	Carl Myers
Joe Bokovitz	Casey Moore
David (Dabo) Brunton	Pete Moore
David & Norma Carter	Marion Mucha
Randy Cavella	Ethan Peacock
William Devine	Al (Steve) Richards
Victor Fox	Kim & Lisa Roback
Daniel Frank	Carol Sciance
Shirley Kamento Harper	Linda Shafer
Caroline Herd	Georgia Simons
Betty Higgins	Harry Smith
Mary Carter Hillyer	Gary Stufflebean
Don Holbert	Bob Stoncel
Paul & Doris Jameson	Helen Walker
Marsha Jewell	Ron Westfall
John Koons	Kim Wolf

Dear Jesus, Divine Physician and Healer of the sick, we turn to you in this time of illness. O dearest comforter of the troubled, alleviate our worry and sorrow with your gentle love, and grant us the grace and strength to accept this burden. Dear God, we place our worries in your hands. We place our sick under your care and humbly ask that you restore your servant to health again. Above all, grant us the grace to acknowledge your will and know that whatever you do, you do for the love of us. Amen.

February Birthdays

11-Paul Jameson	18-Kerensa Kilzer
13-Tom Kottyan	18-Mike White
16-Richard Burdette	18-Vicki Westfall

Anniversaries

February 26-Michael & Linda McCatherine

Holy Cross Parish School of Religion Schedule for February

February 9 Class
February 16 Class
February 23 Class

The just man is a light in darkness to the upright.

Psalms 112

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED- The Bishopville Church of Christ food pantry needs volunteers for the first, third and fourth Monday and the fourth Saturday of each month. Hours of operation are 10:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon. Anyone interested please call Monna Taylor at 740-767-4177.

SMH CWC MEETING- SMH CWC will meet on February 11 after the 6:30 Mass.

HOLY CROSS CWC ANNUAL VALENTINE'S PARTY- The Holy Cross Women's Appreciation Valentines Bingo Party will held on Wednesday, February 12 beginning at 6:30PM. This is for the women of the parish to have an evening of fun and fellowship. Please mark your calendar, bring a covered dish to share, and a wrapped gift for playing bingo. We also ask that each woman attending bring an item for the kitchen for our Sunday morning refreshments. Suggestions are plates, napkins, plastic tableware, styrofoam cups, paper towels, etc.

LOOKING AHEAD- The Christmas cycle has ended. Valentine's Day is coming soon. In 17 days we will observe Ash Wednesday and the beginning of Lent. We plan for months in advance for Christmas. For weeks we may plan out sweet surprises for someone we love on Valentine's Day.

What about Lent? Do we "plan" for entering this season of fasting, praying, and self-sacrifice, or do we just suddenly realize it is here? How are we going to prepare our hearts for Easter? Perhaps the next 17 days can be a time to reflect and pray on how we are going to enter Lent and make it a true journey of spiritual growth.

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is kind
it does not envy
it does not boast
it is not proud
it is not rude
it is not self seeking
it is not easily angered
it keeps no record of wrongs
never fails




Schedule for the Week
February 9-15

Tuesday, February 11
Adoration- 5:30PM (SMH)
SMH CWC meeting following the 6:30 Mass

Wednesday, February 12
Holy Cross CWC Valentine's Party-6:30PM

Thursday, February 13
Adoration- 9AM till 9PM at the Holy Family Center

Friday, February 14
 **Happy Valentine's Day**



Saturday, February 15
That Man is You - Knights of Columbus men's group- 7:00 AM (HFC)

ADORATION- On Thursdays from 9AM-9PM there is Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at the Holy Family Center in Athens. Please come and spend some time with our Lord. We are in need of volunteers for subs as well as volunteers to cover the hours: 12PM, 2PM, 4PM and 5PM. To volunteer or for more information, contact Fr. Tom at the parish office.

CATHOLIC MEN'S DAY OF RENEWAL- A Lenten retreat for men of the Diocese will be held on Saturday, March 7, from 8:00AM-4:00PM at the Basilica of St. Mary of the Assumption in Marietta, Ohio. Information/Registration flyers are available in the back of the church.

DONATION RECEIVED- We would like to express our sincere gratitude to a recent donor who made a generous contribution to St. Mary of the Hills. The thoughtful consideration of this individual to the parish is greatly appreciated.

Our Weekly Stewardship

Sunday Collection for February 2

St Mary of the Hills	\$3056.00
Maintenance & Repair Fund	\$170.00
Holy Cross	\$654.00
Maintenance & Repair Fund	\$460.00

Thank you for supporting your parish!