Mass Schedule:
Saturday: 5:00 PM (Vigil Mass)
Sunday: 8:30 AM, 11:00 AM, & 8:00 PM
Monday: 5:30 PM
Tuesday: 12:15 PM
Wednesday: 12:15 PM
Thursday: 7:00 AM
Friday: 12:15 PM
Holy Day: 5:30 PM (Vigil), 12:15 & 8:00 PM
First Saturday: 8:30 AM
First Friday: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after 12:15 PM Mass until 1:45 PM

Sacrament of Penance:
Saturday: 4:00 PM to 4:45 PM
Wednesday: 6:30 PM to 7:30 PM (or by appointment)

Rosary: Prayed a half hour before weekday Masses & before 8:30 AM and 5:00 PM Masses on the first Saturday of each month, as well as before 8:30 AM and 11:00 AM Masses on the first Sunday of each month.

Miraculous Medal Devotions: After 5:30 PM Mass on Mondays

Please call the Parish Office at (216) 421-2995 regarding:
Anointing of the Sick and Home Visitation: Please call the Parish Office if you or a family member are seriously ill and desire to receive the Eucharist or to be anointed, or are homebound & would like to request a visitor.
Baptism: Parents must attend a pre-baptism class before the baptism of your first child only. Please call at least a month before the baptism date you wish to schedule.
Marriage: Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance. Please call the Parish Office for guidelines of the marriage preparation process.
Parish School of Religion: Call to register your child (preschool through grade 8) or for more information about our program which includes sacramental preparation.
Registration: We invite new parishioners to contact the Parish Office to register. We look forward to welcoming you!
Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A.): For those seeking Baptism, Confirmation or full Communion with the Catholic Church, or to learn more about the Roman Catholic faith, we invite you to contact the Office.
Hall Rental: Contact Parish Office at (216) 421-2995.
**Mass Intentions**

Monday, May 29, 2017 – Memorial Day, special Mass time
9:00 a.m.  Bill & Margie Anquillare (Barnes Family)

Tuesday, May 30, 2017 – Special Mass time for St. Anthony
Novena (each Tuesday through June 6)
7:00 p.m. Pasquala Tirabasso (Family)

Wednesday, May 31, 2017
12:15 p.m. Deceased priests and religious of Holy Rosary

Thursday, June 1, 2017
7:00 a.m. Marie Grace Fratello (Tony Kellers)

Friday, June 2, 2017 – First Friday
12:15 p.m. John Gruttadaurio (Family)

Saturday, June 3, 2017 – First Saturday
8:30 a.m. Domenic Tropiano (Leonard & Linda LoDuca)
  Noon Wedding: Calie Marie Simari & Jeffrey Hollinshead
2:00 p.m. Wedding: Gina Ferris & Aaron Kuehn
5:00 p.m. Jack Tomaselli (Family)

Sunday, June 4, 2017
8:30 a.m. Jean Cipullo (Pat & Nick Capretta)
11:00 a.m. Mary Consiglio Jerome
  (Larry & Ginny Van Sice)
8:00 p.m. Living and Deceased of Holy Rosary

**NOTE:** If your family has requested a weekend Mass intention, we invite you to bring up the offertory gifts. Please inform an usher before Mass begins.

**Upcoming Parish Events:**

| Sunday, May 28: | Coffee/donuts after 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Masses in the hall. |
| Monday, May 29: | Memorial Day: Parish Office will be closed for the holiday. There will be a special Mass time of 9:00 a.m. only on Memorial Day. |
| Tuesday, May 30: | There is no 12:15 p.m. Mass today due to the St. Anthony Novena. There is a 7:00 p.m. Mass only each Tuesday through June 6. |
| Friday, June 2: | First Friday – Eucharistic Adoration after the 12:15 p.m. Mass until 1:45 p.m. |
| Saturday, June 3: | First Saturday – Rosary prayed at 8:10 a.m.; Mass at 8:30 p.m.; Women’s Ministry following Mass (hall). |
| Sunday, June 4: | Coffee/donuts after 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Masses in the hall. |

**Daily Readings, Feast Days & Observances**

**Monday, May 29:**
Acts 19:1-8; Ps 68:2-3a, 4-5acd, 6-7ab; Jn 16:29-33

**Tuesday, May 30:**
Acts 20:17-27; Ps 68:10-11, 20-21; Jn 17:1-11a

**Wednesday, May 31:** Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6; Lk 1:39-56

**Thursday, June 1:** Saint Justin, Martyr
Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11; Jn 17:20-26

**Friday, June 2:**
Act 25:13b-21; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab; Jn 21:15-19

**Saturday, June 3:**
St. Charles Lwanga and Companions, Martyrs
Acts 28:16-20; 30-31; Ps 11:4, 5 and 7; Jn 21:20-25

**Sunday, June 4:** Pentecost Sunday
Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13; Jn 20:19-23

**With Gratitude & Appreciation**

Offertory Total for May 20-21: $3,332.00
Faith Direct for May: $6,220.00

Thank you for your continued support of Holy Rosary Parish!
www.faithdirect.net — Church code: OH473

**Culture of Life**

All parishioners are invited to join in the parish’s pro-life work. Bring your ideas or just come to see what it is all about. We will meet Wednesday, May 31, in the Church Hall at 7:30 p.m. Contact Mora with questions at (216) 932-9515.

**Women’s Ministry:** The Women’s Ministry meets on the first Saturday of each month to pray the Rosary at 8:10 a.m. and attend First Saturday Mass at 8:30 a.m. followed by coffee and discussion in the hall. The Women’s Ministry finished reading *The Hiding Place* by Corrie Ten Boom and will view the film on June 3 in the hall. Newcomers to the group are invited and welcome! Questions? Call Tammy at 216-421-2995.

**WEDDING BANNS**

| III Calie Marie Simari & Jeffrey Hollinshead | III Gina Ferris & Aaron Kuehn |

**LITURGICAL MINISTERS**

**Lectors:**
5:00 p.m. Anne DeMarco
8:30 a.m. Marietta Santucci
11:00 a.m. Eric Seddon
8:00 p.m. Kathy Jirus

**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:**
5:00 p.m. Frank DiFranco, Lyn & Len Okuly
8:30 a.m. Margaret Cicirella, John Royer
11:00 a.m. Gail Francioli, Anna Battista
8:00 p.m. Rose Spena, Heather & Dave Pindel

**Altar Servers:**
5:00 p.m. F. DiFranco, C. Moore
8:30 a.m. P. Gaughan, P. Gaughan
11:00 a.m. K. Seddon, B. Seddon
8:00 p.m. R. Spena, G. McCalligan
My Dear Parish Family,

Today’s readings are best understood in the order in which they occurred: the gospel first, then the reading from Acts and then the reflection on their meaning from the letter to the Ephesians. In the gospel, Jesus delivers to the Apostles what is known as the great commission, “Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit.” These are their “marching orders” so to speak. But how are they to go about this?

Further instructions come from our reading from the Acts of the Apostles. The anxiety of the Apostles is running high as Christ prepares them for His Ascension. Just when they thought they were in the “happily ever after” phase, Jesus prepares them for yet another departure by telling them “Do not depart from Jerusalem…in a few days you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit.” Confused by this statement, they ask if the time for the restoration of the nation of Israel is now. Jesus reiterates the necessity of waiting upon the “Holy Spirit.”

The Ascension is a very significant event because it is a transition into the next to the last phase of our salvation story. The final phase is Christ’s return in glory. Any transition, any change is difficult, especially when it involves the departure of a loved one. This transition is a part of God’s perfect plan to complete our salvation. If Jesus doesn’t return to the Father where “seated at the right hand of the Father far above every principality, authority, power and dominion and every named that is named,” we weak humans will be forever leaning on Him to build the Kingdom. We would never fulfill the great commission.

If we think about it, is it not true that our lives are a series of transitions – from youth to maturity, from doubt to faith, from maturity to “more maturity,” from health to sickness or from single life into married or consecrated life? These challenges can heighten our anxiety just like the Apostles in today’s readings. We can face these challenges boldly if we cling to the promise of the coming of the Advocate (Holy Spirit) and trust in God’s full plan for our salvation. With Jesus our Lord having ascended to the right hand of the Father interceding for us and relying on the Holy Spirit to guide His Bride, the Church, we should have nothing to fear during any transition.

Buona Pasqua!

Peace of Christ,
Deacon Bruce

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Saint Anthony Novena –
Tuesday Mass time at 7:00 p.m.!
The Novena to St. Anthony continues on Tuesday evenings. The Saint Anthony Novena will precede the weekday Liturgy which begins at 7:00 p.m. Please note that there is NOT a 12:15 p.m. Mass on Tuesdays during the Novena which continues every Tuesday through June 6, 2017.

Pre-Baptism Session at Holy Rosary
If you are planning the Baptism of your first child and have not yet attended a Baptism preparation class, we invite you to call Tammy Moore at 216-421-2995 to register for the next session.

It is a diocesan requirement to attend a pre-baptism class once before the Baptism of your first child and an opportunity to reflect upon the meaning and importance of our Catholic faith.

Annual 50th Wedding Anniversary
Diocesan Celebration
The annual celebration will be held on Sunday, July 30, 2017, at the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist. Reservations will be accepted for couples married 50 years (married in 1967). Couples who are celebrating other significant anniversaries (55 or over) or have missed previous celebrations are welcome to register and attend. Seating is limited so the number of guests will be determined by total number registered.

Date & Time: Sunday, July 30, 2017, at 2:30 p.m. Mass
Place: Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist
Holy Rosary Parishioners must contact our Parish Office to register. Please contact Maureen Brown at (216) 421-2995. Deadline is June 19th.

Holy Rosary Tuition Assistance
2017-2018 School Year
The Diocese of Cleveland encourages parishes who do not operate a Catholic School to provide assistance for children whose families are registered at that parish to attend a Catholic elementary school. This program subsidizes an amount sufficient to cover the difference between parishioner and nonparishioner tuition rates at area Catholic grade schools and allows families to remain active parishioners of their home parish. Any parish family with children enrolled in Kindergarten through 8th grade at a Catholic elementary school, and who is not currently participating in the parish tuition assistance program, is invited to contact Father Joe Previte at (216) 421-2995 regarding specific details.

Memorial Day Mass
All are welcome to attend the Memorial Day Mass at Holy Rosary at 9:00 a.m. There will be a ceremony honoring the fallen and deceased members of the local Marino Piscopo VFW Post 5799 in the piazza following Mass.
Events Outside Our Parish

Feast of Saint Anthony at Holy Redeemer Church in Collinwood on June 10 & 11, 2017

Saturday, June 10 – Mass at 4:00 p.m.; Stands/Food – 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.;
Musical Entertainment: Joel Scigliano Trio

Sunday, June 11 – Mass at 10:30 a.m., followed by Religious Procession through the streets, Festival from Noon to 8:00 p.m.
Musical Entertainment: Joel Scigliano & Dennis DeSapri
Children’s Activities, Raffles $ 3,000 in Cash Prizes at 7:00 p.m.
Homemade Italian food and desserts! Parking in the Church Lot at 15712 Kipling Avenue, Cleveland. Phone: 216-531-3313.
www.holyredeemer-cleveland.weconnect.com

Vacation Bible School – Church of St. Clare
Join us at the Church of Saint Clare for Maker Fun Factory Vacation Bible School, Monday, June 12th-Friday, June 16th, 9:30 a.m.-Noon. Open to all children from 4-years old (as of September 30, 2017) to those just finishing 6th Grade. To register or for more information, call Mary O’Neill, 440-449-4242, ext. 122 or email moneill.stclare@att.net. Forms are available online at www.saintclare.net. Registration deadline is June 9th.

Communion of Saints is opening a Preschool this fall!
• 3-year old half-days from 8:30-1:00 a.m., Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Tuition = $1,800
• 4/5-year old half-days from 8:30-11:00 a.m., Monday through Friday. Tuition = $2,100
Both classes encourage play-based, hands-on learning while following Diocesan standards and guidelines. Tuition payment plans are available. For info or to schedule a tour, call 216-932-4177 or email ljfisher@communionofsaintsparish.org.

Spaghetti Dinner to Benefit the Poor Clares of Perpetual Adoration
Saturday, June 10, 2017 at the Sacred Heart of Jesus Gym, 1545 S. Green Road, South Euclid; Donation: $25.00 per person. Entertainment, raffles, sideboards. Featuring singing of Carmellina Antonelli and artwork by Mother Mary Thomas. Sponsored by Knights of Columbus Council 15023. RSVP to John at grandknight@kofc15023.org or call (216) 534-7766.

Lake View Memorial Mass
The Annual Memorial Mass at Lake View Cemetery is scheduled for Thursday, June 8 at 6:30 p.m. in the Community Mausoleum. Please enter at the Mayfield Gate. All are welcome. Father Joseph Previte will preside at the Mass.

Baby Bottle Distribution – Change for Life! To Benefit Womankind
We invite each family to take home a baby bottle to collect loose change to benefit Womankind. The donations are used to support pregnant women and new mothers in need – in our local area. Womankind is a Cleveland based nonprofit for Clevelanders that supports women to continue pregnancies not covered by insurance plans, and offers prenatal care, counseling and other support services to women and babies in need. Please help Womankind. Remember to return your baby bottle and donations on Father’s Day weekend, June 17-18. Thank you!

Traditional Italian Costumes for Feast Processions
A Special Thank-you to all those who generously donated to the “Italian Conversation and Cultural Association” for the collection of traditional Italian Costumes. Our efforts continue as we are in the process of replacing and repairing many pieces and full costumes. If interested in donating, please contact Monica at 216-337-2064 or Dina at dinavitt@aol.com.

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a journey of conversion to God and what He intends for us. RCIA is the process by which persons who were never baptized, or were baptized in another Christian tradition, baptized Catholic and have not been confirmed or received First Eucharist, can become members of the Church, a people on a pilgrimage to our Heavenly Father. For information, please contact Father Joseph Previte or Anne DeMarco, at the Parish Office at 216-421-2995.

Holy Land Gifts
Handmade articles and traditional olive wood religious items including Nativity scenes, rosaries, crucifixes and more will be for sale in the hall after all Masses on June 24-25. Thank you for supporting Christians in Bethlehem, the land of Jesus’ birth.

Are You a Registered Parishioner?
If you have been attending Mass at Holy Rosary but haven’t yet registered, we invite you to please call the Parish Office at (216) 421-2995. We look forward to welcoming you to Holy Rosary!

The Holy Rosary Capital Campaign
PARISH GOAL: $ 1,300,000.00
Pledges Made to date: $ 1,323,189.64
Payments Made to date: $ 1,309,199.64

Thank you for your generosity & prayers!

We are grateful for the sacrificial payments made by parish families and friends who believe in Continuing the Tradition that is Holy Rosary parish. If you are interested in making a contribution, please call (216) 421-2995. Payments may also be made through Faith Direct at www.faithdirect.com.
THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

MAY 28, 2017

PRAYER INTENTIONS: Please keep the following individuals & their caregivers in your prayers. Names will remain on the list for one year. If you wish to add a name to the list, please call the Parish Office at (216) 421-2995.

Jim Anderson  
Michael Antonacci, Jr.  
Joy Buckholtz  
Michael K. Buckholtz  
Joanne Burns  
Stacey Burnette  
Ebe Chamberlin  
Patricia Cornacchione  
Gabe Council  
Keith Davis  
Mary DiGeronimo  
Victor DiGeronimo  
Sadie Falorio  
Marie Fiori  
Mary Fiorilli  
Venita Fratantonio  
Anthony Gatto  
Jackie Gallagher  
Gino Gentile  
Florencio Gomez  
Nick Grasso  
Chris Gruttadaria  
Nate Hanna  
Anton Hannaford  
Terri Hannaford  
Cathy Heimburger  
Laurie Hemsot  
Michalina Hocevar  
Bernadette Iacobucci  
Albert Jann  
Jaynane Kapostasy  
Rose LaMattina  
Salvatore C. Lamont  
Robert Lay  
Virginia Lini  
Antoinette Malatesta  
James Malatesta  
Morgan Maloney  
Bobby Mandato  
Ron Mandato  
Denise Martinez  
Maryce Kyomukama  
Harry McNally  
Melinda & Steve  
Patrick McKinney  
George Mertel  
Joseph Monaco  
Gus Nahra  
Anthony Nunziata  
Nancy Olah  
Mark Peck  
Danielle Plessec  
Michael Peluso  
Emily Pinzone  
Shane Prichard  
Patrick Pronio  
Susan Restifo  
Gretchen Richmond  
Susan Royer  
John Sabetta  
Antonino Scarpeti  
Charles Skripko  
Jim Slavos  
Jackie Smith  
Cheryl Sweetzer  
Sendev Tamilselvan  
Karyn Thomas  
Eri O’Brien Tuttle  
Jessica Vorobel  
Johnny Vorobel  
Donald Worthington

PRAY for All Those in the Military, Law Enforcement & Firefighters

- Third District Cleveland Police
- Battalion I Cleveland Firefighters

- Firefighter Nicholas Angie, Euclid  
- First Lieut. Timothy Berger, Marines  
- Basic Patrol Officer Danny Clementi, Cleveland Heights Police Dept.  
- First Lieut. Evan Campbell, Marines  
- Ret. Frank DiPenti, Marines  
- SFC Daniel Geraci Elliott  
- Patrol Officer Christopher Frato, Jr., Euclid  
- Firefighter Joseph Frato, Euclid  
- Ryan Gvora, Mayfield Hts. Firefighter  
- R.J. Harmon, Willoughby Hills Police Dept.  
- William Madan, Mayfield Hts. Firefighter  
- Nicholas Mandato, Air Force  
- Sgt. Miles McGreehan, U.S. Army Reserves  
- Sgt. James Mixon  
- Sgt. Sean Moriarty, U.S. Army  
- Lt. Kevin Owens, Beachwood Police Dept.  
- AIC Stevan Previte, Air Force  
- Joseph Della Rosa, U.S. Coast Guard  
- Captain Jonathan Royer, Marines  
- Firefighter Michael Scabbo, Bedford  
- Matthew Scalisi, Cleveland Clinic Police Dept.  
- Deputy Rex Smith, Minnehaha County, SD  
- Mark Stack, Marine Reserves & Lorain Firefighter  
- Patrol Officer Matthew Sustarsic  
- Sgt. Ralph Valentino, Cleveland Police Dept.

Newman Catholic Campus Ministry

Sharon Bramante, Campus Minister  
Email: sharon.bramante@case.edu  
Phone: (216) 421-9614, ext. 302  
Office: Inter Faith Center  
11205 Euclid Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44106  
Website: www.cwrunewman.org

On campus this summer to take a class or work?  
Starting a graduate or professional program?

You Don’t Need to Wait Until Fall to Connect with Newman!

Sharon Bramante, our campus minister, will be in much of June. She’s always happy to connect with students. Just email her for an appointment.

***Summer Weekly Schedule***

Monday, May 29 – No Labre Homeless Outreach due to the Memorial Day Holiday. Please contact Gabriella Kaddu, gok2@case.edu or Joyce Chu, jxc976@case.edu for more information about Summer Labre which will start on Monday, June 5.

Our Lectio Divina Bible Prayer Group Will Be Meeting Over the Summer. However, day of the week, place, and format may be variable. Please contact Peter Liao at pll21@case.edu to find out about this week!

***Upcoming Events***

It’s not too soon to think about our Saturday, June 17th E. Cleveland Community Connections Meal!

If you would like to help, please email Sharon at sxb671@case.edu. We need volunteers from:

- 1:00-3:00 p.m. – Help cook the meal in Holy Rosary’s Parish Hall, 3:00-5:30 p.m. – Travel to E. Cleveland to serve the meal and converse with our E. Cleveland neighbors.

Save the Date! The 2017 Feast of the Assumption

Saturday, August 12 through Tuesday, August 15th.

Please save these dates and plan to volunteer! Holy Rosary thanks you in advance for your prayers and support! If you are interested in becoming more involved in our parish festival this year, please contact Tammy at tmoore@holy-rosary.org. The Feast requires many volunteers – and it’s a great opportunity to honor our Blessed Mother, prayerfully serve our parish, and meet other parishioners. See: www.holy-rosary.org/volunteer-form

- Saturday, August 12th, from Noon to Midnight
- Sunday, August 13th, from Noon to 11:00 p.m.
- Monday, August 14, from 6:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.
- Tuesday, August 15, from Noon to 11:00 p.m

(Solemn Mass at 10 a.m. on 8/15 with procession to follow)