Holy Rosary Church

Continuing the Tradition
125th Anniversary – 1892-2017

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.
Upcoming Parish Events

Sunday, August 27: Coffee/donuts in the church hall after the Sunday morning Masses.

Wednesday, August 30: Confession from 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Friday, September 1: First Friday – Eucharistic Adoration following the 12:15 p.m. Mass until 1:45 p.m.

Saturday, September 2: First Saturday – Rosary at 8:10 a.m. and First Saturday Mass at 8:30 a.m.

Sunday, September 3: Complimentary pancake breakfast in the hall after 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Sunday morning Masses.

Complimentary Pancake Breakfast!

Please plan to join us for our annual complimentary “Welcome” Pancake Breakfast in the church hall on Sunday, September 3rd after the 8:30 a.m. Mass and 11:00 a.m. Mass. As a parish community, we especially welcome college students and all newcomers to Holy Rosary parish. We invite you to meet the new Newman Catholic Campus Minister, Steve Perry. All are welcome!

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, or 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.

† Rest in Peace †

Peter Marciano
Jean Mastromatto

LITURGICAL MINISTERS for September 2-3

Lectors:
5:00 p.m. Rosetta Vercellino
8:30 a.m. Rebekkah Bamert
11:00 a.m. Cara Milgram
8:00 p.m. Eddie Occhionero

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:
5:00 p.m. Frank DiFranco, Leroy Dierker, Jim Bindas
8:30 a.m. Mary Lynne McCarthy, Margaret Cicirella
11:00 a.m. Ann Krapf, Terri Occhionero
8:00 p.m. Heather & Dave Pindel, Rose Spena

Altar Servers:
5:00 p.m. F. DiFranco, C. Moore
8:30 a.m. P. Gaughan, P. Gaughan
11:00 a.m. N. Milgram, M. Milgram
8:00 p.m. R. Spena, G. McCalligan

Daily Readings, Feast Days & Observances

Monday, August 28: St. Augustine
1 Thes 1:1-5, 8b-10; Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9; Mt 23:13-22

Tuesday, August 29: Passion of St. John the Baptist
1 Thes 2:1-8; Ps 139:1-3, 4-6; Mk 6:17-29

Wednesday, August 30:
1 Thes 2:9-13; Ps 139:7-8, 9-10, 11-12ab; Mt 23:27-32

Thursday, August 31:
1 Thes 3:7-13; Ps 90:3-5a, 12-13, 14 and 17; Mt 24:42-51

Friday, September 1:
1 Thes 4:1-8; Ps 97:1-2b, 5-6, 10, 11-12; Mt 25:1-13

Saturday, September 2:
1 Thes 4:9-11; Ps 98:1, 7-8, 9; Mt 25:14-30

Sunday, September 3:
Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
Jer 20:7-9; Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; Rom 12:1-2; Mt 16:21-27

Mass Intentions

Monday, August 28, 2017
5:30 p.m. Bivie & Louise Sanders (Barnes Family)

Tuesday, August 29, 2017
12:15 p.m. Deceased Members of the Lanza, Celenza & DeMarco Family (Family)

Wednesday, August 30, 2017
12:15 p.m. Sylvia Paterniti (Marilyn Cramer)

Thursday, August 31, 2017
7:00 a.m. Mary Elizabeth (Joanne Radcliffe)

Friday, September 1, 2017 – First Friday
12:15 p.m. Arthur & Angela Levins (Frank & Marilyn Rushen)

Saturday, September 2, 2017 – First Saturday
8:30 a.m. Rochelle Varanese (Eleanor Tropiano)
2:00 p.m. Wedding: Katherine DiGeronimo & Jesse Wohl
5:00 p.m. Ann & Pat DiNunzio (Son, Gary)

Sunday, September 3, 2017
8:30 a.m. Messina Family (Ed & Ebe)
11:00 a.m. John Gruttadaurio (Family)
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.

With Gratitude & Appreciation
Offertory, August 12-13: $ 4,724.00
Assumption, August 15: $ 7,884.00
Offertory, August 19-20: $ 5,144.00
Faith Direct for August: $ 6,350.00

For information about electronic giving through Faith Direct, visit faithdirect.net. Holy Rosary’s Parish Code is OH473. Thank you for your generosity!
Dear Parish Family,

“Who do you say that I am?” This question from Jesus to His disciples causes Peter to utter his famous confession that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God. This truth, of course, is revealed to Peter through the power of the Holy Spirit. No Jewish person of that time would ever consider a human person as God. Yet, that is precisely what Peter does. He acknowledges both the humanity and divinity of Jesus in that simple confession of faith. Since the early church and throughout the centuries, there have been volumes upon volumes written by numerous theologians about that one statement and what it really means – but it all began that day with Peter’s confession.

A bulletin column is insufficient to add to that theological discourse, but we can offer a few thoughts about the reality of Who Jesus is as it relates to our everyday lives and journeys of faith. As He is fully human, Jesus shows us how to be human. We often hear the phrase “I’m only human.” Looked at one way, we do have limitations in our human nature governed by natural law. There are certain things we physically cannot do. Jesus, in His humanity before the crucifixion, was constrained by these same physical limitations. But, being human is more than that.

A human person is both body and soul. These are inseparable during our lifetime. Our soul, our spirit, is meant to work in concert with our body as we live each day. That’s exactly how Jesus lived – perfectly in concert so that He shows us perfectly how to be human. When we speak of human weakness, it is really the case of us not being in concert body and soul in obedience to the natural law of God. All of us have experienced this disconnect inasmuch as we all sin, even in the smallest of ways. We strive each day for greater perfection in our lives – the perfection Jesus had during His earthly life.

The fact that this seems so elusive for us, and perhaps even unattainable, should not lead to despair. Remember, even Peter denied the Lord well after this confession took place. He knew who Jesus was and still struggled to achieve this perfect concert of body and soul. Peter later experienced the healing of God’s mercy. If Peter and the apostles were to be entrusted with care for the Church to dispense the great healing mercy of God, they also needed to experience it for themselves. It would be impossible for them to give what they did not first have.

So, Who is Jesus for us? He is the Christ through whose passion and Resurrection we receive the grace to become more human like He was. While we continually struggle to achieve this perfect concert of body and soul, the experiences of the mercy of God in our lives provide constant growth for us as we strive to be “only human.”

In Christ,

Fr. Joe Previte
Bishop Nelson Perez to be installed as the 11th Bishop of the Diocese of Cleveland

Bishop Nelson J. Perez, former auxiliary bishop of Rockville Centre, New York, will be installed as the 11th Bishop of the Diocese of Cleveland at a solemn Mass on September 5, 2017, at St. John Cathedral. For more information: www.bishopperezinstallation.org.

For only the 11th time in the 170-year history of the Diocese of Cleveland, a bishop will be installed to lead the more than 675,000 Catholics in the eight-county diocese.

The Most Rev. Nelson J. Perez will be installed as Cleveland’s 11th bishop at 1:30 p.m. on Tuesday, September 5 in a special Mass at St. John Cathedral in downtown Cleveland. Bishop Perez, 56, was named by Pope Francis on July 11 to succeed Bishop Richard G. Lennon, who retired for medical reasons on December 28, 2016. Prior to the September 5 installation, a special Vespers (evening prayer) service will take place at the cathedral. It will be led by Toledo Bishop Daniel E. Thomas, Apostolic Administrator of the Diocese of Cleveland. The 5:30 p.m. service on Labor Day, September 4, is invitation-only due to limited seating in the cathedral. Invitation-only policy also applies to the installation Mass on September 5. Tickets are required for both liturgies.

Because of the limited seating, various opportunities to view both services will be made available. A multi-camera production will provide live streaming over the internet. Also, a special website, bishopperezinstallation.org, was created to accommodate the thousands who are expected to view the events online. Live television coverage of the installation Mass will be offered on the EWTN nationwide cable television network, the CatholicTV cable network and on radio stations WCCR AM 1260 The Rock and WILB 1060, Living Bread Radio. The Diocese of Cleveland will feature special live coverage of the two events with commentary. The live stream can be accessed at bishopperezinstallation.org. Other media outlets also are expected to stream one or both liturgies on their websites.

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

Catholic Family Day at Progressive Field

Sunday, October 1st
Pregame Mass at 12:00 p.m., Father Bob Stec, Presider. 3:10 p.m., Cleveland Indians vs. Chicago White Sox. Upper box, $14.00; Family Deck, $15.00; Club Seating, $54.00. Questions? Contact Jackie Plys at 216-420-4162 or jplys@indians.com. To order discounted tickets: http://m.mlb.com/indians/tickets/group/catholicfamilyday. Special Offer Code: Catholic.

The Holy Rosary Capital Campaign

The Holy Rosary parish. If interested in making a contribution, please call (216) 421-2995. Payments may also be made through Faith Direct at www.faithdirect.com.

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

AM 1260 The Rock, your local Catholic radio station, is pleased to be airing a new program from EWTN Radio – ENCOUNTER with Dan DeMatte and Patrick Reis – Saturday nights at 8:00 p.m., Eastern. Listen live on AM 1260 The Rock! ENCOUNTER with Dan DeMatte and Patrick Reis brings young adults the life-changing testimonies of ordinary people that launch them into lives of extraordinary mission for Christ and His Church. Encounter with Dan DeMatte and Patrick Reis is a co-production of EWTN Radio and St. Gabriel Catholic Radio. AM 1260 The Rock, WCCR Cleveland, is a lay apostolate with the mission to provide quality programming that is faithful to the teachings of the Church and presented in a way that inspires conversion of heart and a deepening of faith while building up the local body of Christ.

Preparatory Survey for October 2018 Synod

The Church needs to hear from you. In preparation for the October 2018 synod, a survey has been developed to provide a window to learn from young adults and anyone else interested in the Catholic Church. Your input is crucial as we add the voices from the Diocese of Cleveland to those from around the world to help the Church gain a true understanding of the lives of young adults. This survey is for people of all ages. It is important, easy, and it won’t take long. Your survey results will be in the conversation at the Synod in Rome. This is your opportunity to send your message to Pope Francis to help young adults enter into a more meaningful encounter with Jesus Christ throughout their lives. Take the online survey: www.dioceseofcleveland.org/15synod/
PRAYER INTENTIONS: Please keep the following individuals and 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.
Jim Bindas
Adrian Blondet Villacorta
Joy Buckholtz
Michael K. Buckholtz
Joanne Burns
Stacey Burnette
Ebe Chamberlin
Patricia Comacchione
Gabe Council
Keith Davis
Celeste DiCillo
Mary DiGeronimo
Victor DiGeronimo
Sadie Falorio
John Favorite
John Feighan
Marie Fiori
Mary Fiorilli
Venita Fratantonio
Anthony Gatto
Jackie Gallagher
Gino Gentile
Joe Giancola
Florence Gomez
Nick Grasso
Chris Gruttadaria
Nate Hanna
Anton Hannaford
Terri Hannaford
Cathy Heimburger
Laurie Hemsoth
Michalina Hocevar
Bernadette Iacobucci
Albert Jann
Jayannne Kapostasy
Rose LaMattina
Salvatore C. Lamont
Robert Lay
Richard Lini
Antoinette Malatesta
James Malatesta
Morgan Maloney
Bobby Mandato
Ron Mandato
Denise Martinez
Harry McNally
Melinda & Steve
Patrick McKinney
George Mertel
Joseph Monaco
Gus Nahra
Anthony Nunziata
Nancy Olah
Mark Peck
Daniele Pelesec
Michael Peluso
Emily Pizzone
Shane Prichard
Patrick Pronio
Susan Restifo
Gretchen Richmond
Susan Royer
John Sabetta
Antonino Scarpeti
Charles Skripko
Jim Slavos
Jackie Smith
Cheryl Sweitzer
Sendv Tamilselvan
Karyn Thomas
Margaret Trenkamp
Erin O'Brien Tuttle
Johnny Vorobel
Donald Worthington

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11205 Euclid Avenue
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Website: www.cwrunewman.org.

We warmly welcome the new Newman Campus Minister, Steve Perry!

To contact Steve:
Phone: (216) 421-9614, ext. 302
Email: sperry@dioceseofcleveland.org

This Week’s Schedule:

Sunday, August 27: Mass on the Grass and Welcome Barbecue:
Newman Students: Join us for an outdoor Mass on Case’s Campus at the Clarke Tower Pavilion on the North Side of campus this Sunday, August 27th at 12:30 p.m. This will be followed immediately by a barbecue at the same location. Feel free to invite friends and family to join us for both!

Monday, August 28 at 5:45 p.m.: Labre Homeless Outreach:
We are especially in need of volunteers who can help prepare food for the run starting at 4:00 p.m. or 4:30 p.m. on Mondays. Please contact Gabriella Kaddu, at gok2@case.edu or Joyce Chu, jxc976@case.edu if you can help cook or if you want to sign up to go out on a run this summer.

Tuesday, August 29: Our Lectio Divina Bible Prayer Group
usually meets on Tuesdays. Please contact Peter Liao at pll21@case.edu to find out more!

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Our first Newman Night for Fall of 2017! This night will be a calm night of fellowship as we wind down the first week of classes. We will be sharing a spaghetti dinner, getting to know a little bit about our spiritual directors, and hearing the faith story of our new Campus Minister.

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A Pilgrimage of Compassion –
Saturday, September 9th at
Our Lady of Lourdes Shrine, Euclid
The Faith & Light and Faith & Sharing Communities of the Diocese of Cleveland invite ALL people of the Diocese to attend a one-day Pilgrimage. The event will be held at The National Shrine of Our Lady of Lourdes, 21281 Chardon Road, Euclid, Ohio. The day begins at 10:30 a.m. and will conclude with Mass at 4:00 p.m. A special invitation is extended to people with various disabilities, their families and friends. However, we invite all people to this day of celebration as we will especially pray for a more inclusive Church to continue to grow. Box lunches will be available. For more information, individuals or groups can contact Brian Daw at 216-338-4260 or bdaw314@gmail.com.