Holy Rosary Church
Continuing the Tradition

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.

Parish Staff:
Father Joseph Previte,
Pastor
Deacon Bruce Battista,
Permanent Deacon
Anne De Marco,
Pastoral Associate
Tammy Moore,
Pastoral Associate
Laura Bastulli Parran,
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Lorenzo Salvagni,
Director of Ministries of Music
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Upcoming Parish Events:

**Sunday, March 11:** • Coffee and donuts after 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Mass.
• Atrium/Religious Formation — 9:30 a.m. to 10:50 a.m.; First Communion Session for children from 11:10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. (3rd floor Parish Center).

**Monday, March 12:** Lenten Mission from 6:30-9:00 p.m.

**Tuesday, March 13:** RCIA from 7:00-9:00 p.m.

**Wednesday, March 14:** Confession, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

**Friday, March 16:** • Eucharistic Adoration following 12:15 p.m. Mass until 1:45 p.m. (all Fridays of Lent).
• Stations of the Cross at 6:30 p.m.

**Saturday, March 17:** Men’s Ministry – Rosary and Morning Prayer in church at 8:00 a.m. Discussion to follow.

**Sunday, March 18:**
• Coffee and donuts after 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Mass. (Hall)
• Atrium/Religious Formation — 9:30-10:50 a.m. (3rd floor Parish Center).

Solemnity of Saint Joseph
**Monday, March 19**
Solemn Mass at 6:00 p.m. and Annual Saint Joseph Table Dinner
Mass at 6:00 p.m. on Monday, March 19, with dinner to follow in the hall. Tickets are available in the Parish Office or on Sunday morning in the hall following the 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Masses. Or you may reserve tickets by calling (216) 421-2995. Proceeds to benefit the poor. Tickets: Adults: $15.00; and children under age 12 are $5.00 each.

Lenten Schedule
• Eucharistic Adoration for one hour after the 12:15 p.m. Masses (through 1:45 p.m.) on all Fridays of Lent.
• Stations of the Cross Lenten Fridays at 6:30 p.m.
• Lenten Mission and Soup Dinners concludes on Monday, March 12 at Holy Rosary.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS for March 17-18
Lectors:
5:00 p.m. Therese Kastelic
8:30 a.m. Bill Laufer
11:00 a.m. Michael Ialacci
8:00 p.m. Tammy Moore

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:
5:00 p.m. Frank DiFranco
8:30 a.m. Deacon Bruce Battista
11:00 a.m. Deacon Bruce Battista
8:00 p.m. Jonathan Moore

Altar Servers:
5:00 p.m. F. DiFranco, H. Lantzman
8:30 a.m. L. Karboski, P. Karboski
11:00 a.m. N. Milgram, M. Milgram
8:00 p.m. J. Moore, C. Moore

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.

Daily Readings, Feast Days & Observances

**Monday, March 12:**
Is 65:17-21; Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12a, 13b; Jn 4:43-54

**Tuesday, March 13:**
Ez 47:1-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 5:1-16

**Wednesday, March 14:**
Is 49:8-15; Ps 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18; Jn 5:17-30

**Thursday, March 15:**
Ex 32:7-14; Ps 106:17-20, 21-22, 23; Jn 5:31-47

**Friday, March 16:**
Wis 2:1a, 12-22; Ps 34:17-18, 19-20, 21 and 23; Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

**Saturday, March 17:**
Jer 11:18-20; Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-10, 11-12; Jn 7:40-53

**Sunday, March 18:**
Jer 31:31-34; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 14-15; Heb 5:7-9; Jn 12:20-33
Scrutinies: Ez 37:12-14; Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8; Rom 8:8-11; Jn 11:1-45

With Gratitude & Appreciation

Offertory, March 3-4: $ 4,793.00

Thank you for your generosity!

For information about electronic giving through Faith Direct, visit faithdirect.net. Holy Rosary’s Parish Code is OH473.
My Dear Parish Family:

On the third, fourth and fifth Sundays of Lent, the Church celebrates the “scrutinies” for those who are seeking baptism at the Easter Vigil. What are the scrutinies? For any of us, when we scrutinize something, we look at it methodically and in-depth. The Elect are asked to find anything that keeps them from Christ. This rite helps the Elect to discern through an examination of conscience their weaknesses, make sense of the root cause of any guilt, and with God’s grace, will lead them to the peace of wholeness and healing through Christ.

The scripture readings during these three weeks will, for the most part, be proclaimed from Cycle B, with the exception of the 11:00 a.m. Mass. The Church has set aside three specific readings from Cycle A for the Elect to focus upon: the Samaritan Woman at the well, the healing of the Blind Man, and the raising of Lazarus. During the Rite, the Elect will stand before Father Previte and the entire assembly. They will be prayed for in the prayers of the faithful, followed by Father Previte extending his hands and praying over them, asking God to protect them from their reliance on self and grant them “a thirst for living water, to free them from false values, and free them from the death-dealing power of the spirit of evil.” (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)

Both Gospels of John for this Sunday speak of darkness and light – the light being the Son of God. The blind man was shamed by the Pharisees who claimed that it was his sin (or that of his parents) that caused his darkness. Nicodemus, a ruler of the Pharisees, sought out Jesus in the dark of the night seeking to know about him, and so he did. Through Jesus, His light was revealed to both men; they believed and gave witness.

The scrutinies are not a test. When candidates first enter the RCIA process, they are told that there is no written examination – grades are not given. All that is asked of them is to be diligent, open to God’s Word, and live according to the way of Christ Jesus. It does not happen overnight for them – nor for you and me; it is a journey we take for a lifetime.

How are you doing this Lent? Have you searched yourselves deep within? Are you willing to examine your conscience and acknowledge your weaknesses – shortcomings? Have you discovered your strengths to build upon, the gifts God has given you? Have you admitted your sins to yourself and God in the reception of the sacrament of Reconciliation, only to know His love and mercy? It’s not too late – with God, it’s never too late. “God does not want any of us to be trapped in guilt nor does he want us to remain in need of healing. He loved us before we ever asked Him to forgive us.” (Journey of Faith)

In Christ,
Anne De Marco Pastoral Minister

Lenten Mission at Holy Rosary Concludes on Monday
March 12
6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

The Diocesan Office of Evangelization presents:

Joyfully Gifted:
What Spiritual Gifts Has God Offered You?

Join us for:
• Regularly scheduled Mass at 5:30 p.m. on Monday (in the church)
• Free soup dinner at 6:00 p.m. (in the church hall)
• Presentation from 6:30-8:00 p.m. (in the church hall)

You are welcome to attend the presentation only, but if you are able to arrive earlier, please join us for the soup dinner and Mass. All are welcome!

If you have any questions or would like to help with the soup dinners, please contact the Parish Office at (216) 421-2995.

See the flyer on the website at www.holy-rosary.org.

Note: While you may participate on any of the days individually, it is optimal to participate on all three dates if possible.

Holy Rosary 2018 Contribution Envelopes

The 2018 contribution envelopes for registered parishioners may be picked up on Sunday mornings after either Mass (ask in the hall). Or, stop by the Parish Office during business hours on Monday through Saturday or call (216) 421-2995.

Please note that we are no longer mailing contribution envelopes and that a full year of envelopes, including special collections, are included in the box. If you are interested in online giving instead, please visit www.faithdirect.com and enter our parish code: OH473. We are grateful for your year-round support of Holy Rosary Parish, the Catholic presence in Little Italy and University Circle. Thank you!
Lenten Work of Mercy for Adults with Developmental Disabilities sponsored by Holy Rosary Culture of Life Ministry

Rose-Mary community group homes throughout Cuyahoga County offer adults an opportunity to live in a home-like setting. A licensed and professional staff, including nurses, 24/7 direct care staff assistance and daily activities and field trips to promote personal growth are provided for residents. In support of their mission to adults, this Lent Holy Rosary’s Culture of Life committee will collect donations in the bins near the church doors for Rose-Mary homes. The two houses in our area are in need of the following:

Verona House – New: Men’s and women’s socks, Men’s and women’s body wash, Coloring supplies (thick markers, etc.), Arts and craft supplies, Latch hook crafts. New or gently used: Puzzles, Bean bags.

Warrington House – New: Undershirts (sizes medium and large), Men’s body wash. New or gently used: Large Lego blocks/Duplo blocks.

Monetary Donation: If you prefer to make a monetary donation, please write a check to Rose-Mary Center and place it in an envelope marked Rose-Mary Center in the collection basket or give it to office staff during office hours.

Please do not leave monetary donations in the collection bins. Thank you for your continued generosity!

Adagio (at ease): Learn Italian at your own pace and learn more about the Italian way of life!

Every Wednesday night for 6 weeks, from April 11 to May 16, in the Parish Center from 7:00-9:00 p.m., our Music Director and native speaker Lorenzo Salvagni will teach Italian language and culture to at least 6 students eager to learn more about the bel Paese. The course fee is $150.

Dr. Salvagni earned a Ph.D. in Italian Literature from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and has taught Italian language and literature at all levels at CWRU, UNC-Chapel Hill and Duke University. He has published numerous essays and articles in peer-reviewed journals, academic books and music magazines both in the USA and abroad. The course has no prerequisites besides patience and a keen interest in Italian culture. If interested, please email Lorenzo directly at lsalvagni@gmail.com.

Hope and Healing After Abortion

Bethesda the House of Mercy at Holy Rosary

Presentation and Soup Dinner on March 23

Rachel Benda, founder and director of Bethesda the House of Mercy, will speak at Holy Rosary in the Parish Center on Friday, March 23rd at 7:30 p.m. Her talk will follow the 6:30 p.m. Stations of the Cross and a light supper of soup and bread, which will be offered by Holy Rosary’s Culture of Life committee. Bethesda exists to offer hope, healing, and reconciliation to women and men experiencing post-abortion pain and trauma. Questions and discussion will follow Rachel’s presentation. For more information, contact Mora Meluch at (216) 932-9515.

The Holy Rosary Capital Campaign

Parish Goal: $1,300,000.00

Pledges Made to date: $1,426,983.13

Payments Made to date: $1,423,179.13

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 interested in making a contribution, please call the Office at 216-421-2995. Payments may also be made through Faith Direct at www.faithdirect.com.

Thank you for your prayers and generosity!

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

- Third District Cleveland Police
- Battalion I Cleveland Firefighters
- Firefighter Nicholas Angie, Euclid • Major Timothy Berger, Marines • Sgt. Dan Clementi, Shaker Hts. Police Dept. • Basic Patrol Officer Danny Clementi, Cleveland Heights Police Dept. • First Lieut. Evan Campbell, Marines • David D’Eusiano, Parma & Willoughby Hills Police Departments • Rct. Frank DiPentti, 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 • Miles McGreehan, U.S. Federal Police Officer • Sgt. James Mixon • Sgt. Sean Moriarty, U.S. Army • Lt. Kevin Owens, Beachwood Police Dept. • SrA 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.

GardenWalk Cleveland

Gardens Needed in Little Italy!

GardenWalk Cleveland is planning for this year’s walk on July 7-8, 2018. Little Italy can be considered for this year’s walk if there are 20+ gardens. If you’re interested in having your yard/garden on the tour in 2018, please contact Charlie Reed-Mundell at 216-231-0340 or Charlie2193@sbcglobal.net. For info: GardenWalkCleveland.org.

The 2018 Spring Campaign continues through March 25. You’re invited to join other Christians for forty days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion; pray peacefully in the public right-of-way outside Preterm at 12000 Shaker Boulevard, Cleveland; or Planned Parenthood at 25350 Rockside Road, Bedford Hts.; or Family Planning, 54 S. State Street in Painesville. Join other members of Holy Rosary Parish at Preterm at 9:00 a.m. Thursdays. It is a sacrifice to be in the cold for an hour. The message of Fatima asked us to make sacrifices for the salvation of souls. The souls involved in Preterm are in grave danger. Plan to bundle up and come out. For more information, visit www.40daysforlife.com/cleveland.
FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT MARCH 11, 2018

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
Joy Buckholtz
Michael K. Buckholtz
Joanne Burns
Stacey Burnette
Ebe Chamberlin
Patricia Comacchione
Gabe Council
Gary Davila
Keith Davis
Celeste DiCillo
Mary DiGeronimo
Victor DiGeronimo
Sadie Falorio
John Favorite
John Feighan
Marie Fiori
Mary Fiorilli
Joe Frank
Anthony Gatto
Jackie Gallagher
Gino Gentile
Joe Giancola
Florencio Gomez
Nick Grasso
Chris Gruttadaria
Anton Hannaford
Terri Hannaford
Cathy Heimbager
Laurie Hemsoth
Michalina Hocevar
Bernadette Iacobucci
Albert Jann
Jayname Kapostasy
Rose LaMattina
Salvatore C. Lamont

Robert Lay
Antoinette Malatesta
James Malatesta
Morgan Maloney
Bobby Mandato
Ron Mandato
Denise Martinez
Harry McNally
Melinda & Steve
Patrick McKinney
George Mertel
Joseph Monaco
Dave Nadeau
Gus Nahra
Richard Damian Nero
Anthony Nunziata
Nancy Olah
Mark Peck
Danielle Pelesec
Michael Peluso
Emily Pinzone
Shane Prichard
Patrick Pronio
Gretchen Richmond
Susan Royer
John Sabetta
Antonino Scarpeti
Charles Skripko
Jim Slavson
Viv Strong
Cheryl Sweitzer
Sendev Tamilselvan
Karyn Thomas
Margaret Trenkamp
Erin O’Brien Tuttle
Annmarie Varga
Johnny Vorobel
Donald Worthington

Happy Spring Break from us at Newman. We hope you enjoy a restful, fun, and well-deserved break. Keep an eye out for sign-ups for our Spring Retreat, the 13th will be here before you know it!

Events Coming Up

“New Creation” Spring Retreat: April 13-14
This Spring, Case, Wooster, and Baldwin-Wallace’s Newman Ministries will be hosting an off-campus Easter retreat, called “New Creation,” in beautiful Villa Maria in Western Pennsylvania. Sign ups will be available right after Spring Break!

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Cornerstone of Hope Hosts

Pain to Purpose Retreat Weekend
Are you grieving the death of a loved one? Has it changed your life forever? Come and experience Christ’s love for you in this pain, meet others with similar losses, and be transformed by a retreat weekend hosted by Cornerstone of Hope from Friday, April 27-Sunday April 29, 2018 at the Jesuit Retreat House in Parma. Space is limited so please register early. For more information or to register, call 216-524-4673, ext. 235. Online registration available at www.cornerstoneofhope.org.

Palm Sunday – Parish Pancake Breakfast!
Complimentary Pancake Breakfast after the 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Masses on Palm Sunday, March 25, instead of donuts. Free will offering. Volunteers are needed to help cook and clean-up. Please contact Tammy at tmoore@holy-rosary.org or (216) 421-2995 if you’d like to help!

Join our parish community and more than 13,000 Catholic communities across the U.S. in a life-changing Lenten journey with the Catholic Relief Services Rice Bowl. Pick up your rice bowl from the ushers today! For more information, visit www.crsricebowl.org, where you can view Lenten reflections, read stories of hope, print meatless recipes from around the world and download the free CRS rice bowl app!