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)

Parish Staff:
Father Joseph Previte, Pastor
Deacon Bruce Battista, Permanent Deacon
Tammy Moore, Pastoral Associate
Laura Bastulli Parran, Parish Catechetical Leader
Lorenzo Salvagni, Director of Ministries of Music
Maureen Brown, Office Administrator
Johanna Bacik, Office Assistant

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.

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Parish Office Hours:
Monday through Thursday, 9:00 AM to 7:00 PM;
Friday and Saturday, 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM
Mass Intentions

Monday, August 6, 2018
5:30 p.m. Patti and Sopnicar Families (Family)

Tuesday, August 7, 2018
12:15 p.m. Mary Beth Kovanda (Patrice Kearney Behnke)

Wednesday, August 8, 2018
12:15 p.m. Pat and Ann DiNunzio (Family)

Thursday, August 9, 2018
7:00 a.m. Reina Aguilar (Family)

Friday, August 10, 2018
12:15 p.m. Rose and Mike Spena, Sr. and Beth and Mike Spena, Jr. (Spena Family)

Saturday, August 11, 2018
5:00 p.m. Geraldine Malinowski (Family)

Sunday, August 12, 2018
8:30 a.m. Mary Trivison (Browngardt Family)
11:00 a.m. Elizabeth Ann Martello (Joe & Sally Gallitto)
8:00 p.m. Living and Deceased of Holy Rosary Church

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, August 5: Coffee & donuts in the church hall after the 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Masses.

Monday, August 6: Annual Feast Novena begins today. The Novena prayers are prayed before each Mass from August 6 through August 14.

Wednesday, August 8: Communal Penance Service at 6:30 p.m.; Culture of Life meeting at 7:30 p.m. in the church hall.

Thursday, August 9: Eucharistic Adoration begins following 7:00 a.m. Mass and continues for 40 hours.

Friday, August 10: Eucharistic Adoration continues all day and closes with Benediction and Night Prayer at 11:00 p.m.

Sunday, August 12: Coffee & donuts in the church hall after the 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Masses.

Important Note: The parking lot will be closed tonight after 8:00 p.m. Mass and will remain closed through Monday, August 20th for the Feast of the Assumption! Buona Festa!

Daily Readings, Feast Days & Observances

Monday, August 6: Transfiguration of the Lord
Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9; Pet 1:16-19; Mt 9:2-10

Tuesday, August 7:
Jer 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22; Ps 102:16-18, 19-21, 29, 22-23; Mt 14:22-36

Wednesday, August 8: Saint Dominic
Jer 31:1-7; Jer 31:1-0, 11-12ab, 13; Mt 15:21-28

Thursday, August 9:
Jer 31:31-34; Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19; Mt 16:13-23

Friday, August 10: Saint Lawrence
2 Cor 9:6-10; Ps 112:1-2, 5-6, 7-8, 9; Jn 12:24-26

Saturday, August 11: Saint Clare
Hab 1:12–2:4; Ps 9:8-9, 10-9, 12-13; Mt 17:14-20

Sunday, August 12: Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
1 Kgs 19:4-8; Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Eph 4:30-5:2; Jn 6:41-51

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Offertory, July 28-29: $3,407
Thank you for your generosity!

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40 Hours of Adoration in Preparation for the Feast of the Assumption at Holy Rosary

We invite you to “save the date” and consider spending at least one hour in prayer before the Blessed Sacrament prior to the Feast. Our time spent with the Blessed Sacrament is a way to deepen our relationship with Christ, to pray for our world, and to ask God for the strength to share our faith joyfully with others.

Adoration begins Thursday, August 9th following 7:00 a.m. Mass and continues until 11:00 p.m. on Friday, August 10th, concluding with Benediction and Night Prayer. You may sign up for a specific hour of prayer or simply come for Adoration as your schedule permits. The sign-up sheet will be in the church hall following Sunday morning Masses or you may call the Parish Office at 216-421-2995 to commit to a specific hour or if you have any questions.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS for August 11-12

Lectors:
5:00 p.m. Lisa O’Brien
8:30 a.m. Letitia Dornfeld
11:00 a.m. Joe Parks
8:00 p.m. Edward Occhionero

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:
5:00 p.m. F. DiFranco, Dan Gordon, Anne De Marco
8:30 a.m. Margaret Cicirella, Mary Lynne McCarthy
11:00 a.m. Mary Grimaldi, Sheri Parks
8:00 p.m. R. Spena, Chris Trotta, Rebecca McCalligan

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

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Wedding Banns

I Stephanie Winget & Alex Teuscher

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The Fourth Glorious Mystery of the Rosary: The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary into Heaven

“Henceforth all generations will call me blessed; for he who is mighty has done great things for me” (Lk 1:48-49).

“The Most Blessed Virgin Mary, when the course of her earthly life was completed, was taken up body and soul into the glory of heaven, where she already shares in the glory of her Son’s Resurrection, anticipating the resurrection of all members of his Body” (Catechism of the Catholic Church, 974).

Why is there Devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary?
As the 120th parish observance of the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary approaches, it is important for Catholics to understand devotion to the Our Blessed Mother. The following excerpts from the Catechism of the Catholic Church explains in part this devotion:

By pronouncing her “fiat” at the Annunciation and giving her consent to the Incarnation, Mary was already collaborating with the whole work her Son was to accomplish. She is mother wherever he is Savior and head of the Mystical Body. (CCC, 973)

After her Son’s Ascension, Mary “aided the beginnings of the Church by her prayers.” In her association with the apostles and several women, “we also see Mary by her prayers imploring the gift of the Spirit, who had already overshadowed her in the Annunciation.” (CCC, 965)

The Immaculate Virgin, preserved free from all stain of original sin, when the course of her earthly life was finished, was taken up body and soul into heavenly glory, and exalted by the Lord as Queen over all things, so that she might be the more fully conformed to her Son, the Lord of lords and conqueror of sin and death. (CCC, 966)

By her complete adherence to the Father’s will, to his Son’s redemptive work, and to every prompting of the Holy Spirit, the Virgin Mary is the Church’s model of faith and charity. Thus she is a “preeminent and... wholly unique member of the Church”; indeed, she is the “exemplary realization” (typus or image) of the Church. (CCC, 967)

Her role in relation to the Church and to all humanity goes still further. “In a wholly singular way she cooperated by her obedience, faith, hope, and burning charity in the Savior’s work of restoring supernatural life to souls. For this reason she is a mother to us in the order of grace. (CCC, 968)

The Church rightly honors “the Blessed Virgin with special devotion. From the most ancient times the Blessed Virgin has been honored with the title of “Mother of God,” to whose protection the faithful fly in all their dangers and needs... This very special devotion... differs essentially from the Adoration, which is given to the incarnate Word and equally to the Father and the Holy Spirit, and greatly fosters this adoration.” The liturgical feasts dedicated to the Mother of God and Marian prayer, such as the Rosary, an “epitome of the whole Gospel,” express this devotion to the Virgin Mary. (CCC, 971)

Our Lady of the Rosary, Pray for us.

Feast Novena Begins on August 6th
Each year, the Parish of Holy Rosary prays a Novena for the nine days prior to the four-day parish observance of the Feast of the Assumption. We invite all parishioners to arrive a few minutes early for Mass to pray the Novena prayers before Mass begins. The Novena booklets are available from the ushers as you enter church. Thank you for your prayers for a safe and prayerful 2018 Feast of the Assumption.

Communal Penance
in preparation for the Feast of the Assumption
Wednesday, August 8th
at 6:30 p.m.
Several priests will be in attendance.

Feast Raffle Tickets – Please return ticket stubs and payment soon!

~ $5,000 Grand Prize ~

Each parish family has been asked to sell or purchase two books of tickets this year. Tickets are $5 each or a book of 5 tickets for $20. The Grand Prize is $5,000 and the drawing will take place at the conclusion of the Feast following the fireworks on Saturday, August 18th. The winner does not need to be present to win. If you have not picked up your tickets, they are available in the back of church near the children’s room – or call the Parish Office as soon as possible to make arrangements to pick them up.

Please bring your ticket stubs and payment to the Parish Office before the Feast or place in the collection basket at Mass. During the Feast hours, ticket stubs and payment may be brought to the front entrance of the Parish Center on Mayfield Road. If you need additional tickets to sell, please stop at the Parish Office or call (216) 421-2995. We are grateful for your support of the parish’s only annual fund raiser.

Culture of Life Meeting
Wednesday, August 8th
You can be a part of the exciting things the Culture of Life Ministry is doing. Join us at our next meeting, Wednesday, August 8th, at 7:30 p.m. in the church hall. We also are in need of a few more volunteers for the Culture of Life stand during the Feast, so please come to the meeting for more info about volunteering.
Give Glory to God in Procession on August 15th – the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

All children and teens are invited to give glory to God and honor to the Blessed Virgin Mary in the traditional August 15th procession on the Feast of the Assumption at Holy Rosary Church in Little Italy following the 10:00 a.m. Solemn Mass. There is a special opportunity to participate as angels, saints and in the Honor Court. First Communicants are especially invited to participate. For costumes and information, please call Virginia at 440-473-6107.

ATTENTION, LEKTORS:

Now is the time to place your order for the 2018-2019 Lector’s Workbook. Know that the entire congregation appreciates your prayerful efforts in preparing to deliver the Word of God to them at the Sunday Liturgy. The readings always take on more meaning when the Lector knows and understands the mind and heart of the inspired writer.

Cost: $13.00, Orders will be placed on August 10, 2018. Please call Maureen Brown at 216-421-2995 to place your order.

Traditional Italian Costumes for the Feast Processions on August 15 & 18

If you are interested in wearing a traditional Italian costume for the Feast of the Assumption on Wednesday, August 15th during the morning procession – or during the closing procession on Saturday, August 18th, we invite you to please contact Pattie Puliafico at 216-403-1210 as soon as possible. We invite young boys and girls, teenage girls and both male and female adults to wear traditional Italian costumes in the two processions. The deadline to respond is August 10th. Thank you!

2018 Feast of the Assumption at Holy Rosary Church
120th Annual Celebration in Little Italy

Wednesday August 15th through Saturday, August 18th

This is our parish’s only annual fund raiser and a wonderful opportunity to joyfully share our Catholic faith with the many visitors who attend each year! We especially need help with set-up on Tuesday, August 14th and clean-up on Sunday, August 19th.

HOW CAN YOU PARTICIPATE?

• Pray for the blessing of good weather and a safe and prayerful experience for all.
• Bake cookies, pizzelles or other desserts to be sold at the Cafe.
• Volunteer! We need many people to staff dozens of church stands. Please offer a few hours of your time if possible.
• Sell raffle tickets! If you already sold the two books you were given, please try to sell a few more.
• Come for Mass on the 15th and evening vigil Masses on the 18th. Invite family and friends to join you! Enjoy the fireworks following the Feast on Saturday, August 18th after the night procession.
• Enjoy an affordable and delicious meal at the annual cavatelli dinner on Wednesday, August 15th from Noon to 3:30 p.m.

Schedule for the Holy Rosary Church stands:
Wednesday, August 15th–Noon to 11:00 p.m.
Thursday, August 16th – 6:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.
Friday, August 17th – 6:00 p.m. to Midnight
Saturday, August 18th – Noon to Midnight

For more info about volunteering, please visit the parish website at www.holy-rosary.org/feast-of-the-assumption or send an email to tmoore@holy-rosary.org. Volunteer forms are available near the church exits or online. Thank you in advance for your support!

Ozanam Center in East Cleveland
Food & Clothing Donations

As we prepare for the parish celebration of the Feast of the Assumption, please note that we will not be accepting food or clothing donations at Holy Rosary until the weekend of August 25th – following the conclusion of the Feast. Also, Holy Rosary volunteers are next assigned to work at the Ozanam Center on Saturday, August 11th. If you are interested in becoming involved in this ministry or have questions regarding donations, please contact Deacon Bruce at the Parish Office for more information at 216-421-2995.

18th Annual FEST – August 5th
An Amazing Family Day

Are you looking for an opportunity for your family to grow in faith this summer – for FREE? Join us TODAY for a family retreat day! The 18th Annual FEST on Sunday, August 5th at beginning at noon at the Center for Pastoral Leadership in Wickliffe. Outdoor Mass, Eucharistic Adoration, praise and worship (with We Are Messengers, Mandisa, Big Daddy Weave, and TobyMac)... and more...it will inspire and engage the whole family! Of course, the highlight of the whole day is the outdoor Mass beginning at 8:00 p.m. with Bishop Perez. Plan to head out to the Center for Pastoral Leadership in Wickliffe today for a day full of faith, family, friends and fun. Questions? Go to www.theFEST.us.
EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  AUGUST 5, 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.

Maria Alvares
Jim Anderson
Michael Antonacci, Jr.
Pearl Beningo
Joy Buckholtz
Michael K. Buckholtz
Joanne Burns
Stacey Burnette
Ebe Chamberlin
Patricia Cornacchione
Gabe Council
Gary Davila
Keith Davis
Celeste DiCillo
Marie Elena DiFrancisco
Mary DiGeronimo
Sadie Falorio
John Feighan
Marie Fiore
Mary Fiorilli
Joe Frank
Anthony Gatto
Jackie Gallagher
Gino Gentile
Joe Giancola
Florencio Gomez
Nick Grasso
Chris Gruttadaria
Anton Hannaford
Terri Hannaford
Cathy Heimburger
Laurie Hemsoth
Michalina Hocevar
Bernadette Iacobucci
Albert Jann
Jayannne Kapostasy
Rose LaMattina
Salvatore C. Lamont
Robert Lay
Antoinette Malatesta
James Malatesta
Morgan Maloney
Bobby Mandato
Denise Martinez
Harry McNally
Melinda & Steve
Patrick McKinney
George Mertel
Joseph Monaco
Gus Nahra
Mary Nero
Richard Damian Nero
Anthony Nunziata
Nancy Olah
Mark Peck
Danielle Pelesec
Michael Peluso
Emily Pinzone
Shane Pichard
Patrick Pronio
William Principi
Alice Puliafico
Flo Rapposelli
Gretchen Richmond
Susan Royer
John Sabetta
Antonino Scarpeti
Charles Skripko
Jim Slavson
Viv Strong
Cheryl Sweitzer
Sendev Tamliselvan
Karyn Thomas
Annmarie Varga
Johnny Vorobel
Donald Worthington

Are you interested in the Catholic Faith?  
The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults
We invite you to learn what the Church teaches and to ask any questions you may have about the Catholic faith.

For more information, please contact the Parish Office at (216) 421-2995.

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!

On campus this summer to take a class or work in a lab?  
Moving in to start a graduate or professional program?

We welcome you to attend Mass and other events at Holy Rosary Church and invite you to contact Steve Perry, Newman Campus Minister.

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Pray for All Those in the Military, Law Enforcement & Firefighters
• Third District Cleveland Police • Battalion 1 Cleveland Firefighters • Firefighter Nicholas Angie, Euclid • Major Timothy Berger, Marines • Sgt. Dan Clementi, Shaker Heights Police Dept. • Basic Patrol Officer Danny Clementi, Cleveland Heights Police Dept. • First Liet. Evan Campbell, Marines • David D’Eusiano, Parma & Willoughby Hills Police Depts. • Rct. Frank DiPenti, Marines • SFC Daniel Geraci Elliott • Patrol Officer Christopher Frato, Jr., Euclid • Firefighter Joseph Frato, Euclid • Ryan Gvora, Mayfield Heights Firefighter • R.J. Harmon, Willoughby Hills Police Dept. • William Madan, Mayfield Heights 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.

2018 YCP National Member Conference in Cleveland!
Theme: Mary Star of Hope
The YCP annual Member Conference gathers together young professionals from diverse industries and geographies for an inspirational weekend conference led by some of the nation’s most exciting Catholic role models. In addition to numerous social events, attendees grow stronger in their conviction to Work in Witness for Christ through challenging speeches, inspiring meditations, and renewing faith formation, equipping them to leave the weekend with the confidence and courage needed to become the next generation of Catholic leaders. September 7-9, 2018 at St. Ignatius High School, 1911 West 30th Street, Cleveland OH 44113. More information and registration is online at www.ycpconference.org.