Holy Rosary Church
Continuing the Tradition

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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

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**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

**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**

**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, September 16:
- Coffee and donuts in the church hall after 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Masses.
- Parish School of Religion/Atrium begins today. Please meet on the 3rd Floor of the Parish Center at 9:30 a.m. for PSR and 11:15 a.m. for Confirmation preparation.

Tuesday, September 18:
- RCIA – Parish Center, 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, September 19:
- Confession, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Thursday, September 20:
- No 7:00 a.m. Mass today. We apologize for the inconvenience.
- Coffee and donuts in the church hall after 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Masses.
- PSR/Atrium – 3rd Floor of the Parish Center at 9:30 a.m. for PSR and 11:15 a.m. for Confirmation preparation.

Are You Interested in Registering as a Member of Holy Rosary Parish?
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. Or, please stop down in the hall during the coffee/donut hours on Sunday, September 30th at 9:30 a.m. or noon (following either of the Sunday morning Masses) to meet with a Staff member and to register. It only takes a few minutes and we look forward to welcoming you to Holy Rosary!

Daily Readings, Feast Days & Observances

Monday, September 17:
1 Cor 11:17-26, 33; Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17; Lk 7:1-10

Tuesday, September 18:
1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a; Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5; Lk 7:11-17

Wednesday, September 19:
1 Cor 12:31-13:13; Ps 33:2-3, 4-5, 12 and 22; Lk 7:31-35

Thursday, September 20:
Sts Andrew Kim Tae-gon and Paul Chong Ha-sang
1 Cor 15:1-11; Ps 118:1b-2, 16ab-17, 28; Lk 7:36-50

Friday, September 21: Saint Matthew
Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19:2-3, 4-5; Mt 9:9-13

Saturday, September 22:
1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-29; Ps 56:10c-12, 13-14; Lk 8:4-15

Sunday, September 23:
Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Wis 2:12, 17-20; Ps 54:3-4, 5, 6, 8; Jas 3:16-4:3; Mk 9:30-37

With Gratitude & Appreciation

Offertory, September 8-9: $3,972.00
Thank you for your generosity!

For information about electronic giving through Faith Direct, visit faithdirect.net. Parish Code OH473.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS for September 22-23

Lectors:
5:00 p.m. Vigil    Rebecca Knab
8:30 a.m.        Lucy Zaharko
11:00 a.m.       Joe Parks
8:00 p.m.        Kathy Jirus

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:
5:00 p.m.         Vigil    F. DiFranco, Len & Lyn Okuly
8:30 a.m.         Claire Miller, Fred Karboski
11:00 a.m.        Sheri Parks, Pete Kaczor
8:00 p.m.         Rose Spena, Denise Feyes, T. Moore

Altar Servers:
5:00 p.m.        Vigil    F. DiFranco, H. Lantzman
8:30 a.m.         M. Trentanelli, S. Miller
11:00 a.m.        N. Milgram, M. Milgram
8:00 p.m.         R. Spena, D. Feyes
Dear Parish Family,

In our Gospel this weekend, Peter reveals who Jesus is: “You are the Christ,” Peter exclaims! This reality is confirmed by our Lord who also explains its deeper meaning – that it would require suffering, death, and ultimately resurrection to new life. It requires for Christ’s followers that they, too, must deny themselves and take up their cross each day to be His disciples.

Are we afraid of the cross? Are we afraid to take it up each day and follow in the footsteps of the Lord? Are we afraid to lose our lives for the sake of Christ and the Gospel? On Friday, September 14th we celebrated the Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross. By being lifted up, Christ draws all to Himself. It is only through the Cross that Jesus saves us. So, why should we fear? As Isaiah reminds us, “The Lord God is my help; who will prove me wrong?”

It isn’t easy to live our faith in our culture today, but that has been true since the day Peter proclaimed Jesus as the Christ. Despite this, we must always keep Peter’s confession in the forefront of our minds and hearts—Jesus is the Christ! By His Cross and Resurrection He has redeemed the world and won the victory over sin and death.

So, then, to keep this foremost in our minds and to take up our cross each day means exactly what St. James explains in his letter – that we must demonstrate our faith from our works. Taking up our cross and losing our lives for the sake of the Gospel means that we do the works of the Lord at all times. Everything we do is God’s work and stems from our faith that we are citizens of heaven, pilgrims on the journey to that Kingdom.

Whether we are doing the work of raising and caring for children and helping them to grow in holiness and knowledge of the Lord; using the gifts and talents given to us by God by studying in our particular fields in school; ministering in the church to the people of God; or simply offering our prayers for all the above and others, we do God’s work. That is our daily cross. That is how we lose our lives for Christ’s sake. It’s not necessarily just doing some special service or volunteer work once in a while, even though that also serves God. It is the whole of our lives. Our faith drives us to do the work of the Lord at all times and in all things. There’s no need to be afraid. After all, the Lord God is our help; who will prove us wrong?

In Christ,
Fr. Joe Previte

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**Holy Rosary Parish School of Religion (PSR) and Sacramental Preparation Program Begins on September 16th**

The Holy Rosary Religious and Spiritual Formation Program, serving children from 3 years of age to middle school students preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation, begins on Sunday, September 16th.

The Parish School of Religion program meets on Sundays from 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. (between the two morning Masses) and offers a combination of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) protocols for religious and spiritual formation, the Loyola Press and Sophia Press series, supplemented with The Good Shepherd Atrium Program. This method, process and environment for presentation of catechetical material seeks to meet the child’s developmental, religious, and spiritual needs.

There is also preparation for the reception of the sacraments of Penance, First Holy Communion, and Confirmation. The Sacrament of Confirmation will be celebrated on Sunday, January 20th at the 11:00 a.m. Mass. Preparation for students in 8th grade or older begins on September 16th at 11:15 a.m., so please register as soon as possible.

The preparation your child/children receive at Atrium will serve their personal development throughout life and aid their understanding and participation at Mass. Parental support and involvement is very important as one’s child internalizes the Christian message and lives out Jesus’ mission of incorporation into the Kingdom of God in their hearts, minds and actions and in their participation in His Church on earth.

Registration information has been emailed to families who were enrolled last school year. For new families and those who did not receive an email, we invite you to please contact the Parish Office at 216-421-2995 for more information. Or, simply show up on September 16th at 9:30 a.m. and register in person. We look forward to seeing you and your child on September 16th!

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**Are you interested in the Catholic Faith? The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) Process Begins This Week**

We invite you to learn what the Church teaches and to ask any questions you may have about the Catholic faith or to inquire about the process for becoming Catholic. Sessions are on Tuesdays at 7:00 p.m. For more information, please contact Deacon Bruce Battista by calling the Parish Office as soon as possible at (216) 421-2995. If you are baptized Catholic, but were never confirmed, we invite you to also call the office. Adult Confirmation classes will be available later this fall. The journey of faith continues throughout our lives as we accept Christ’s invitation to grow closer to Him each day. We invite you to come and learn more!

Baptism ~ Confirmation ~ Eucharist
CULTURE OF LIFE MEETING
Friday, September 21, 7:00 p.m.
What impact can you have? More than you think when you join fellow parishioners in promoting a Culture of Life. Join us at our next meeting on Friday, September 21, in the Church Hall at 7:00 p.m. If you cannot make it to the meeting, but want to be involved, call Mora Meluch at 216-932-9515.

Save the Dates: Theology of the Body Series
Thursdays from September 27th to November 1.
A six-part series from 6:30-8:00 p.m.
in the Holy Rosary Church Hall
September 27: Introduction & Overview (Steve Eyerman)
October 4: Original Man (Andrew Kustec)
October 11: Historical Man (Jen Ricard)
October 18: Eschatological Man (Fr. Pat Schultz)
October 25: Vocation, Especially Sacraments of Matrimony & Holy Orders
(Jen Ricard & Fr. Mike McCandless)
November 1: Current Issues
(Fr. Pat Schultz & Andrew Kustec)
The Theology of the Body is derived from 129 Wednesday audiences delivered by St. John Paul II between 1979 and 1984 encouraging true reverence for the gift of our sexuality. His reflections are based on Scripture and emphasize the dignity of the human person and how all vocations are called to live and love in the image of God.

Fall Campaign Begins with Mass and Kickoff Rally at Holy Rosary
From September 26 to November 4, you’re invited to join other Christians for 40 Days for Life – 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. You’re also invited to stand and peacefully pray any time between 7:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m. during the 40-day vigil in the public right-of-way outside Preterm, 12000 Shaker Boulevard, Cleveland.
The campaign begins with a special Mass time of 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday, September 25th at Holy Rosary followed by the Kickoff Rally in the church hall. We welcome Fr. Denis Wilde, O.S.A., Associate Director of Priests for Life, as the Keynote Speaker for the rally. Contact John at clevelandpraysforlife@gmail.com or 216-245-9744.

Natural Family Planning Sessions at Holy Rosary
Free, total, faithful, fruitful: How married love images the Trinity. Learn more about this at a class in Natural Family Planning. Classes starting in September at Holy Rosary in Cleveland: September 23, October 21, and November 18 at 2:00 p.m. in the Parish Center. Online classes are also always available. To register or for more information, please visit online at neo-nfp.com.

Sisters of Notre Dame 56th annual BBQ and Boutique, Sunday, September 30,
from noon to 5:00 p.m.
Enjoy a BBQ chicken or rib dinner with coleslaw or applesauce, chips, roll, beverage, and apple pie. $13.00/chicken and $16.00/ribs. Shop the craft boutique and Country Kitchen plus tour newly opened Notre Dame Village from Noon-5:00 p.m. Info/order tickets at sndchardon.org.

Sunday, September 16, from Noon to 5:00 p.m.
Singer Steel Building 2100 Random Road
Cleveland Montessori invites you to attend the inaugural Fall Fest in Little Italy. This family-friendly event features live musical entertainment, children’s activities, raffles, food, drink and more! A winner will be drawn for a trip to Italy or a cash option at the event (winner need not be present). $35.00 general admission (includes tickets for two signature food items); $70.00 VIP ticket includes tickets for two signature food items, two premium alcoholic drinks and one grand prize raffle ticket. All proceeds benefit Cleveland Montessori. Purchase raffle and event tickets at fallfestlittleitaly.org or (216) 421-0700.

Two Opportunities to view Sexual Revolution – 50 Years Since Humanae Vitae movie screenings hosted by Holy Rosary.
Free admission – Donations accepted.
Cedar Lee Theater on Sunday, October 21 at 4:00 p.m. and in the Holy Rosary Church Hall on Tuesday, October 23 at 7:00 p.m.
For more info, see www.sexualrevolutionmovie.com.
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.

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

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 Depts. • 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 • Miles McGrechan, 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.

This Week’s Schedule:

Wednesday, September 19, 3:00 p.m. at Spiritual Life Center (formerly known as IFC) || Prayer Wagon: For those looking to share a little bit of the love of Christ on Campus, this Wednesday we’ll be taking a wagon and a cooler full of popsicles around campus, offering prayer for the intentions of those who come to join us. Time is subject to change based on student input, so keep an ear to the ground.

Thursday, September 20, 6:15 p.m. in the Parish Center || Newman Night, Speaker TBA: As always, we’ll be having our Newman Night this Thursday at 6:15. Our speaker and topic is still to be decided! Check out our Facebook and keep an eye out on your email for any updates!

Starting Next Week

Thursdays || Through the Eyes of Faith: Theology of the Body: For the next six weeks, for our Newman Nights, we will be joining the rest of Holy Rosary as we co-host a six-week series on the Theology of the Body, John Paul II’s seminal work looking at Human embodiedness, gender, sex, and sexuality all through the eyes of faith. All of this will be presented by a phenomenal series of speakers, beginning with the Newman Campus Minister for Baldwin Wallace University, Steve Eyerman, Schedule for students remains the same: 6:15 p.m. gathering for dinner in the Parish Center, followed by the presentation in the Parish Hall immediately afterward.

Check out our Podcast!
New episodes starting this week. Find us free wherever you get your podcasts!

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Free Lecture at Borromeo Seminary

Science + Religion: The Myth of Conflict
September 22, 2018 at 7:00 p.m.
Speaker: Stephen Barr, Ph.D., Professor of Physics and Astronomy, University of Delaware.
President, Society of Catholic Scientists
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