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 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
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

Parish Office Hours:
Monday through Thursday, 9:00 AM to 7:00 PM;
Friday, 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM;
Saturday, 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM
Mass Intentions

Monday, February 18, 2019
5:30 p.m.  Razek Family (Family)

Tuesday, February 19, 2019
12:15 p.m.  Antonio DiNunzio (Wife, Michelina)

Wednesday, February 20, 2019
12:15 p.m.  For those diagnosed with cancer (Nancy Tamburro)

Thursday, February 21, 2019
7:00 a.m.  Sammy Klein (Mother and Father)

Friday, February 22, 2019
12:15 p.m.  Todd Bozung (Dina Vitantonio)

Saturday, February 23, 2019
5:00 p.m.  Dino Pappas (Tim & Lisa O’Brien)

Sunday, February 24, 2019
8:30 a.m.  In Honor of St. Anthony (St. Anthony Women’s Society)
11:00 a.m.  Tony & Fifi Brescia (Family)
8:00 p.m.  Living and Deceased of Holy Rosary Parish

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, February 18:
Gn 4:1-15, 25; Ps 50:1, 8, 16bc-17, 20-21; Mk 8:11-13

Tuesday, February 19:
Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10; Ps 29:1a, 2, 3ac-4, 3b, 9c-10; Mk 8:14-21

Wednesday, February 20:
Gn 8:6-13, 20-22; Ps 116:12-13, 14-15, 18-19; Mk 8:22-26

Thursday, February 21:
Gn 9:1-13; Ps 102:16-18, 19-21, 22-23 29; Mk 8:27-33

Friday, February 22: Chair of St. Peter, Apostle
1 Pt 5:1-4; Ps 23:1-3a, 4, 5, 6; Mt 16:13-19

Saturday, February 23: Saint Polycarp, Bishop & Martyr
Heb 11:1-7; Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 10-11; Mk 9:2-13

Sunday, February 24: Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
1 Sm 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8, 10, 12-13;
1 Cor 15:45-49; Lk 6:27-38

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Upcoming Parish Events:

Sunday, February 17:
• No PSR/Atrium today and no First Communion
  meeting.
• Coffee and Donuts in the church hall after the 8:30 a.m.
  and 11:00 a.m. Masses.

Tuesday, February 19:
• RCIA, 7:00 p.m. (Parish Center)

Wednesday, February 20:
• Confession and Eucharistic Adoration, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.

Sunday, February 24:
• PSR/Atrium, 9:30 a.m. (3rd Floor Parish Center)
• First Communion Preparation for students only, 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
• Coffee & Donuts in the church hall after the 8:30 a.m. and
  11:00 a.m. Masses.

Weekly Adoration and Confession
on Wednesday Evenings at Holy Rosary
Holy Rosary offers one hour of Eucharistic
Adoration on Wednesday nights from 6:30-7:30 p.m. Confession is also offered during this time.
If you are looking for an opportunity to spend an
hour in quiet prayer before the Blessed Sacrament, please
take this opportunity to pray for our Church, clergy,
families and our world.

Rest in Peace
John DiFranco

2019 Mass Intentions
The Mass Book for 2019 is now open for all requests. The
suggested donation is $10.00 per Mass. Please call or stop
in the office at any time during business hours: Monday
through Thursday from 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., Friday from
9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. or Saturday from 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m., or
call (216) 421-2995.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS for February 23-24

Lectors:
5:00 p.m.  Vigil  Anne DeMarco
8:30 a.m.  Bill Laufer
11:00 a.m.  Cara Milgram
8:00 p.m.  Suzanne Marquart

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:
5:00 p.m.  Vigil  F. DiFranco, M. Grimaldi, D. Gordon
8:30 a.m.  Margaret Cicirella, Claire Miller
11:00 a.m.  Marie Frank, Ann Krapf
8:00 p.m.  Rose Spena, Denise Feyes

Altar Servers:
5:00 p.m.  Vigil  F. DiFranco, C. Moore
8:30 a.m.  P. Gaughan, F. Gaughan
11:00 a.m.  N. Milgram, M. Milgram
8:00 p.m.  R. Spena, D. Feyes
Dear Parish Family,

Our gospel this week is Luke’s version of the beatitudes. While not as comprehensive as Matthew’s version with which we are most familiar, Luke does focus his readers on the core element of complete trust in God. The prophet Jeremiah had mentioned this in his writings as well—that trust in God is what is most important. God bestows life upon us and provides for all our needs. Trusting in human persons alone will never satisfy us. That is an easy maxim to say or read, but one much more difficult to live.

We all know struggles in our lives. There are times that we believe things seem hopeless; that nothing can be done about a particular situation. It is in those moments that we have no option other than to place our trust in God. This requires a complete leap of faith. God never lets us down. Perhaps, we might falsely believe that God has—if we do not get what we wanted—but it simply is not so. What we wanted may not have been right or good for us. God knows this. Getting angry or upset with this is nothing more than a lack of trust in God.

Jeremiah also reminds us that trust in God comes with a blessing. We do not have to fear difficulties. God provides for us in times of distress and we continue to bear fruit. That all stems, however, from a trust in God that is total and complete. Do we have that level of trust? Intellectually, it is easy to say yes; emotionally and spiritually, that yes often comes with tension throughout our lives. The world pulls us in many directions and offers many distractions to steer us off track. Yet, if we reflect on those times in our lives when we put it all in God’s hands, we notice that things turn out well. It is hard lesson to learn and maintain.

Today, let us pray for the strength to trust God with everything. Only in this way can we truly be free from anxiety and know that the Lord will take care of us in ways good for us now in our earthly life and lead us ultimately to eternal life with Him. Thomas Merton, a Trappist monk and spiritual writer, offers us a great prayer to strengthen our trust in God.

MY LORD GOD, I have no idea where I am going. I do not see the road ahead of me. I cannot know for certain where it will end. Nor do I really know myself, and the fact that I think that I am following Your will does not mean that I am actually doing so. But I believe that the desire to please You does in fact please You. And I hope I have that desire in all that I am doing. I hope that I will never do anything apart from that desire. And I know that if I do this You will lead me by the right road though I may know nothing about it. Therefore, will I trust You always though I may seem to be lost and in the shadow of death. I will not fear, for You are ever with me, and You will never leave me to face my perils alone.

In Christ,
Fr. Joe Previte

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**Are You Registered at Holy Rosary?**
If you are attending Mass regularly at Holy Rosary Church and have not yet registered as a parishioner, we invite you to fill out a registration form. Please stop down in the hall on Sunday morning after either Mass, or call the Parish Office at (216) 421-2995. We look forward to officially welcoming you!

**Solemnity of Saint Joseph**
**Tuesday, March 19**
**Annual Solemn Mass and Saint Joseph Table Dinner**

Mass at 6:00 p.m. and dinner to follow in the hall.

Tickets are available in the Parish Office during business hours or on Sunday mornings in the hall during coffee/donuts following the 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Masses.

Adults: $15.00; Children under age 12 are only $5.00. Proceeds to benefit the poor.

**Save the Date!**
**Communion of Saints**
**Lenten Parish Mission**

March 10, 11 & 12
7:00-8:00 p.m.

*Made for Communion – “Rediscovering the Gift & Mission of Being Human”*

with Bill Donaghy, Senior Lecturer and Content Specialist of the Theology of the Body Institute.

**Forty Days for Life**
From March 6 to April 14th, join other Christians in prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. You’re invited to stand and peacefully pray anytime between 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. in the public right of way outside Preterm, 12000 Shaker Boulevard, Cleveland Kickoff Rally at St. Columbkille Church on March 5 at 7:00 p.m. Bishop Nelson Perez will be the Keynote Speaker. Call 216-245-9744 for more information or visit www.40daysforlife.com/cleveland.
The Parish

**Offertry Envelopes Have Arrived!**

Offertry envelopes for parishioners have been delivered. Please pick up your box of envelopes in the Parish Office during business hours. Please deliver envelopes to family members or neighbors also. If you need envelopes printed for you, please call the Office at 216-421-2995. Thank you!

### Interested in Building a Stronger Marriage Right From the Start? Consider Learning About Natural Family Planning

Engaged and married couples of child-bearing years are invited to sign up for classes to learn about *Natural Family Planning*. It is a three-class series on the teachings of the church regarding fertility awareness and incorporating John Paul II’s Theology of the Body to help build stronger marriages and families. The next classes for those who are registered will be on **February 24, and March 24, 2019 at 2:00 p.m.** in the Holy Rosary Parish Center. For more information or to sign up for a class, visit [www.ccli.org](http://www.ccli.org). Questions? Call Margaret & Fred Karboski at 216-321-4596 or send e-mail to karbo7@yahoo.com.

### Ozanam Center in East Cleveland – Volunteers and Donations are Needed

Holy Rosary is one of fifteen local parishes supporting the Ozanam Center located on the campus of Saint Philomena Church on Euclid Avenue in East Cleveland. The center provides food and clothing to clients living in seven nearby zip codes including our own parish’s zip code of 44106. Each Saturday, volunteers assigned from the different parishes help pack and distribute groceries, sort and distribute clothing as well as provide hospitality assistance and registration for the clients. The next date Holy Rosary will provide volunteers is **Saturday, March 9th, from 9:40 a.m.-1:00 p.m.** If interested in volunteering, call Deacon Bruce, 216-421-2995.

**Clothing Donations:** Seasonally appropriate clothing donations are welcome. Please drop off clothing donations in the Holy Rosary Church hall on Sunday mornings ,between 9:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m..

**Food/Supply Donations:** The following items ONLY are accepted: cans of soup, peanut butter, canned fruit, canned chicken, canned tuna, meal-in-a-can (i.e. chili, etc.), toilet paper, paper towels. Items may be dropped off in the Church hall on Sunday mornings, between 9:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m., or at the Parish Office during business hours.

### Shrines of France Tour

**September 23-October 3, 2019**

11-Day tour hosted by Father Philip Racco. Visiting Lourdes, Nevers, Tours, Loire Valley, Chartres, Mont St. Michel, Bayeux, Normandy, Caen, Lisieux, and Paris. $3,879.00 per person from Cleveland (Air/land tour price is $3,429.00 plus $450.00 government taxes/airline surcharges) $500.00 deposit will reserve a spot. Tour price includes: Roundtrip Air from Cleveland, First Class/Select Hotels, Most Meals, Comprehensive Sightseeing, Professional Tour Escort, Transfers to/from/Airports and more! For a brochure and more information, contact Father Racco at St. Bernadette Parish at (440) 734-1300.

### Pilgrimage to Italy: September 12-24

Saint Pascal Baylon Parish is hosting a pilgrimage to Italy from September 12 to 24, 2019. Thirteen days with air/land tour price of $4,249.00 from Cleveland, seeing Milan, Turin, Ravenna, Florence, Siena, Assisi and Rome. Contact the St. Pascal Parish Office (440-442-3410) to request a brochure.

### Reporting of 2018 Offertory Contributions

**Year-End Statements**

Please note that year-end contribution statements are not automatically mailed to parishioners. If you would like to receive a statement, please complete this form and drop it off at the Holy Rosary Parish Office, place in the collection basket at Mass, or call the Parish Office Monday-Friday, 9:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m. or Saturday, from 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. at 216-421-2995. We will be happy to prepare one for you.

Name: __________________________________________________________________________ Envelope #: ______________

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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.

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