



Bless All God's CREATURES

Saint Mary

MASS TIMES:

SATURDAY - 4:30PM | SUNDAY- 9:00AM

CONFESSIONS: SATURDAY 3:45-4:15PM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION held on Saturdays 3:45pm to 4:15pm. or any time when requested.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM can be administered during Sunday Mass or at a private ceremony. New parents are required to attend a Baptism instruction. Recommended that this take place during the pregnancy.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY—call the Parish Office to make arrangements at least six months in advance. Marriage instructions are required.

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK administered upon request to those who are sick.

REGISTRATION—Persons moving into our area are asked to notify the Parish Office to be registered. Notify the Parish Office with changes in contact information.

P.S.R. CLASSES (September—April) Grade School - Sundays: 9:00am (Mass) to 11:00am. [Next classes begin in September 2024]

FOR ANY QUESTIONS OR TO SCHEDULE ANY OF THE ABOVE, PLEASE CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

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Clyde St. Mary Catholic Church

Mission Statement

We, the members of St. Mary Parish, dedicated to Our Lady of Mount Carmel, are conscious of the struggles of our faith-filled ancestors. We strive to become a holy and vibrant community through personal prayer, meaningful liturgies, and opportunities to develop our faith. As God's people, we recognize the values and importance of each person and desire to reach out to all the people in our area who need God's Word, Love and Care.

The Diocese of Toledo

remains committed to ensuring the protection of children and providing a safe environment for all young people. If you have any knowledge of abuse that has been committed by a cleric or by any personnel of the Catholic Church, you are urged to report the abuse to your local police department, Children Services, and to contact the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator at (419) 214-4880; or to write to: Victim Assistance Coordinator 1933 Spielbusch Avenue Toledo, Ohio 43604.

SAINT MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH



*Lord, look upon me with eyes of mercy. May Your healing hand rest upon me.
May Your life-giving powers flow into every cell of my body and the depths of my soul,
cleansing, purifying, restoring me to wholeness
and strength for service in Your Kingdom.*

Amen.

PRAYER LIST

**Sandy Smith, Marcia Glick,
Bob Martin, Gene Cook, Linda Hayman, Barb Conley,**

and everyone affected in any way by COVID-19 or any other illness or injury.

*To recommend an individual to be placed on the St. Mary Prayer List,
please contact the Parish Office.*

*Under HIPAA guidelines, the request must be made by
either the person or the person's representative/caretaker.*

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From the Desk of...

Deacon José Zamora, Pastoral Leader

Once again, the religious authorities put Jesus to the test by asking him a thorny question, this time about divorce. Rather than giving a simple yes or no, Jesus attempts to change their perspective. God blesses a marital union by making the husband and wife a new creation, "*one flesh*"). They then go on to create new life themselves. (It's no accident that Jesus follows this lesson by welcoming children.) Marriages, Jesus is saying, are holy. Holy not because they are perfect, but because they are blessed by God. Unfortunately, some turn out to be difficult or even broken, but God's grace is always present. Let us make the effort to see that glimmer of grace even in failing marriages.

Jesus spent his ministry reaching out to those who were on the margins of society: tax collectors and prostitutes, widows and beggars, those with afflictions and those with disabilities. At the end of today's Gospel, he reaches out to another group who has no power, no authority, and no standing in that society: children. Sometimes we imagine this scene as peaceful and serene, but anyone who has young children can easily imagine the scene completely differently. No doubt many of the children did not understand why they were being dragged to see this unfamiliar man. Some were likely whining, or crying, or even screaming. That would explain why the disciples wanted to send them all away. But Jesus insisted on embracing them just as he did lepers, blessing them just as he did the poor and hungry. May we learn from what he taught his disciples that day.

To that end, we are reminded on Respect Life Sunday that we are called to care for all human life, for we are all members or potential members of the one body of Christ. We witnessed Jesus' care for the vulnerable in his ministry, from those with terrible diseases and those possessed by demons to Samaritans and little children, none of whom were welcomed by those around him. Jesus could sympathize with them, for he himself was made lowly so that he could suffer and die for us. Today we defend the lives of the vulnerable and care for those who are least able to do so themselves. What will I do during Respect Life Month to defend those who are vulnerable, or care for those who are unable to care for themselves?

Scripture Readings

For the Week of October 6, 2024

- 7—Monday** **Memorial of Our Lady of the Rosary**
Gal 1:6-12; Ps 111:1b-2, 7-8, 9 and 10c;
Lk 10:25-37
- 8—Tuesday** Gal 1:13-24; Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15;
Lk 10:38-42
- 9—Wednesday** **Memorial of Saints Denis, Bishop and Martyr,
and John Leonardi, Priest**
Gal 2:1-2, 7-14; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Lk 11:1-4
- 10—Thursday** Gal 3:1-5; Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75; Lk 11:5-13
- 11—Friday** **Memorial Saint John XXIII, Pope**
Gal 3:7-14; Ps 111:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 11:15-26
- 12—Saturday** Gal 3:22-29; Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Lk 11:27-28
- 13—Sunday** **Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
Wis 7:7-11; Ps 90:12-13, 14-15, 16-17;
Heb 4:12-13; Mk 10:17-30 or Mk 10:17-27



Mass Intentions

- 12—Saturday** † **Helen Gurney**
4:30 pm † **Vince Golembiowski**
 † **100th Birthday-Mary Nickell**
- 13—Sunday** † **Parishioners**
9:00 am † **Parishioners)**

Liturgical Calendar

October

- 6—Respect Life Sunday
7—Memorial of Our Lady of the Rosary
9—Optional Memorial of St. Denis and Companions
 Optional Memorial of St. John Leonardi
11—Optional Memorial of St. John XXIII
12—Optional Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary
 Yom Kippur (begins at sundown August 11)



What's Goin' On at St. Mary Parish?!

Sacrificial Giving for FY 24-25

September 29, 2024

Offertory Collection:	\$3,307
Offertory needed per week:	\$3,600
Over <Under>:	(\$293)
Over <Under> for FY 24-25:	\$1,023.17

St. Mary Bingo

	9/25/24
# Players:	68
Proceeds	\$318



**LITURGICAL ROLES.....
OCTOBER 12 / OCTOBER 13**

ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday 4:30 pm	Eva Counts	Brynnleigh Watson
Sunday 9:00 am	Ace Dymond	Cole Dymond

USHERS

Saturday 4:30 pm	Ken Hoffman	Rita Hoffman
Sunday 9:00 am	Volunteer	Volunteer

LECTORS

Saturday 4:30 pm	Sue Lemmon
Sunday 9:00 am	Erin Miller

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

Saturday 4:30 pm	Rita Hoffman	Becky Cook
Sunday 9:00 am	Paul Swartz	Virginia Gabel

MONEY COUNTERS

Week 2 Bev Schrickel Joni Wasserman

Parish Week at a Glance:

Week of: **October 6, 2024**

MON			
TUE	Bingo	6:30 pm	Parish Hall
	Bible Study	9-10:30 am	Conf Room
WED	Bible Study	6:30 pm	Conf Room
THU	Adoration	6:30 pm	Church
FRI			
SAT	Rosary	4:00 pm	Church
	Mass	4:30 pm	Church
SUN	Rosary	8:30 am	Church
	Mass	9:00 am	Church
	PSR	9:45 am	Parish Hall

SAVE THE DATE!!!

Sunday, October 20th

FAMILY HALLOWEEN PARTY

Co-sponsored by: Altar Rosary Society and Knights of Columbus of St. Mary Parish. Join us for a family get-together 4:00-5:30 pm in the Parish Hall for Halloween-themed goodies! Details to come.....

SAVE THE DATE:

"LUNCH 'n LISTEN"!

The next "Lunch 'n Listen" is on the books!
Call (419) 547-9687 to sign up for the **FREE**

LUNCH 'n LISTEN on

Thursday, October 17th

at 12:00 pm

Presenter: **Gene Smith**
from **Clyde Museum**



Birthday Blessings for the period September 30—October 6, 2024:

30—Laurene Golembiowski, Betty Shaw, Guy Kutz, Char Gillmor,
Michael Cleveland, Jeffery Maag, Jacob Combsk Emilia Maag;

Oct 1—Mary Jo Ulman;

2—Michael Beier, Aaron Pumphrey, Corey Weinheimer;

4—Mary Ryan, Ryan Stewart;

5—Cheri Hemby, Jillian Baker;

6—Manuel Castillo

LUNCH 'n LISTEN

The first Lunch 'n Listen, with special guest, Fr. David Halm, was enjoyed by many parishioners! Coming from Arizona, Fr.

Dave presented Deacon Jose with his church's Knights of Columbus pin. Fr. Dave not only spoke at Lunch 'n Listen, he was also the special guest at the first meeting of the season of the Altar Rosary Society. Following their meeting, Fr. Dave

also led Adoration in the church. On Friday, Fr. Dave also hosted Mass in the morning. Fr. Dave's visits are always one to look forward to. Keep your eyes open in the weekly bulletin for Fr. Dave's next visit to St. Mary!



THANK YOU, BISHOP THOMAS!

Our PSR kids lined up to send a BIG thank you to **Bishop Daniel Thomas** for 10 years and counting!



Parish Important Information



PARISH PICNIC 2024 & DEACON JOSE's 3rd ANNIVERSARY

This past weekend was a busy one! The Parish Picnic was held on SUNDAY instead of Saturday this year, hoping to have more in attendance. The Knights of Columbus did an outstanding job of grilling perfect burgers & hot dogs.

Those who attended also brought an assortment of dishes to share—there was plenty of food! There was also a HUGE cake in Deacon Jose's



honor to celebrate his 3rd year of ordination as a Deacon. Many, many blessings to Deacon Jose and **THANK YOU** for the countless hours you put in making St. Mary all it can be!

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

World Mission Sunday will be celebrated October 19-20, 2024. The theme for this year's Mission

Sunday is "Go and invite everyone to the banquet" (cf. Mt 22:9). World Mission Sunday is a global effort for the entire Church. All Catholics of the world join into one community of faith to provide for the building up of over one thousand local churches in Asia, Africa, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe, an area that covers more than half of the territory of the globe.

Through the work of these churches and their witness to Christ, the poor receive practical help and experience God's love and mercy, His hope and peace.

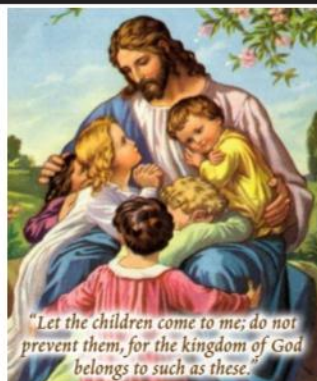


BINGO KITCHEN SOS!!

The Bingo kitchen is in dire need of workers! Can you spare a couple of hours on a Tuesday evening, serving food and drinks to our Bingo patrons? If you are willing to step up and help, please contact the Parish Office ASAP by calling (419) 547-9687. The commitment is for one Tuesday each month...help us!!

MONEY COUNTERS

We are in need of two (2) money counters to handle the 5th weekend. The 5th weekend counters only operate about 4 times per year. If interested, please contact the Parish Office at (419) 547-9687. It takes roughly an hour after Sunday Mass.



Happenings Around the Diocese of Toledo



Love and Life Programs Program 1: *I + YOU = WE*



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October 12-13, 2024

St. Joseph Catholic Church 709 Croghan St. Fremont, OH 43420

This is a unique weekend filled with lectures, dynamic workshops, and individual couple dialogue that leads you through 6 simple steps to real joy in your marriage. All married couples will benefit from this workshop.

Program Leader

Fr. Jarosław "Jay" Szymczak
Institute of the Holy Family • Warsaw, Poland



Registration



Cost
\$250 per couple. \$300 after Sept. 30th

Includes

- Lecture & detailed workshop materials
- Coffee, tea & refreshments
- All meals

More Information

loveandlifeprogams.ohio@gmail.com
Aaron & Stephanie Gonya 614-378-6975

Saturday, October 12th 8 am - 9 pm and Sunday, October 13th 8 am - 4 pm

Public Square Rosary Crusade

America is at a historic crossroads. God is more grieved than ever as people ignore Our Lady's request to stop offending Him by our own sins. As a result, America is suffering collapse. We must urgently heed Our Lady's request and stop sinning if we hope to enjoy God's blessings and to avert His wrath. He will hear us, if we pray through the intercession of His Blessed Mother. That's why we're doing the Public Square Rosary Crusade.

In *The Secret of the Rosary*, Saint Louis de Montfort said: "Public prayer is far more powerful than private prayer to appease the anger of God and call down His mercy, and Holy Mother Church, guided by the Holy Ghost, has always advocated public prayer in times of public tragedy and suffering."

****Join us for the Public Square Rosary Crusade****

Where: Immaculate Conception Church
231 East Center Street
Bellevue, Ohio 44811

This will take place in front of the school on Main Street
Please park in the Church parking lot

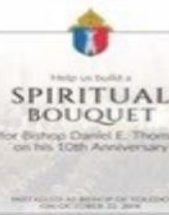
Date: Saturday, October 12, 2024 12:00 pm

For More Information Contact:

Name: Patricia Gray
Phone: 419-624-7614



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In celebration of Bishop Daniel E. Thomas' 10-year Anniversary as Bishop of the Diocese of Toledo, we are building a "spiritual bouquet" to present to him.

WHAT IS A SPIRITUAL BOUQUET?

A spiritual bouquet is a collection of prayers, sacrifices, or devotional acts offered by one person or a

group of people for a particular intention or as a gift to another person. It is a way to show support, love, and gratitude through spiritual means. Instead of physical flowers, the "bouquet" consists of spiritual offerings like:

1. **Prayers:** Specific prayers, such as the Rosary or Divine Mercy Chaplet.
2. **Eucharistic Holy Hours:** Spending an hour in front of the Blessed Sacrament praying for the intention.
3. **Masses:** Having Masses offered for the person's intentions.
4. **Fasting:** Offering a period of fasting or abstinence.
5. **Acts of Charity:** Engaging in acts of kindness or service.

These spiritual gifts are often presented to the recipient in a card or letter, sometimes beautifully designed to resemble a bouquet of flowers, indicating the types and numbers of spiritual acts being offered.

Visit toledodiocese.org/10years to send in your offerings for the spiritual bouquet. They will be presented to Bishop Thomas on October 22, 2024.

Please note: This will be a surprise for Bishop Thomas! Please do not mention it to him.



Sacred Heart Church invites you to an evening with the

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*"Unleashing the Profound
Meaning of Your Life"*

Thursday, October 10

6:30 PM talk followed by prayer

held at Sacred Heart Church
550 Smith Road, Fremont

SAVE THE DATES!

**The 35th Annual
Craft Show**

FRIDAY, NOV. 8
5:00 - 8:00 PM

SATURDAY, NOV. 9
9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH
550 Smith Road, Fremont, OH 43123-7339

Vendor spots still available!

Contact Mary Mayle at 419-463-0700 or sacredheartcraftshow@gmail.com to learn more.



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