

September 24, 2017

Liturgical Roles

Mon. September 25	HR	8:00 am	Mass
Servers: Dakota Moore, Lily Rammel			
Tues. September 26	HR	8:15 am	Mass
Servers: Rylin Davis, Ellen Schloemer, Liz Schloemer			
Wed. September 27	HR	12:05 pm	Mass
Servers: Adult Server			
Thurs. September 28	SP	8:00 am	Mass
Servers: Adult Server			
Fri. September 29	HR	8:00 am	Mass
Servers: Brayden Sullivan, Ben Baldwin			
Sat. September 30	HR	4:30 pm	Mass
Servers: Brayden Sullivan, Scott Walden, Ben Baldwin			
Lectors: Dave Helmstetter, Brent Miller			
Extraordinary Ministers of Communion:			
Ron Wilker, Deb Wilker, Dianne Engel, Peg Larkin, Lori Brown, Deacon Marty, Angie Brown, Jason Brown			
Sun. October 1	HR	8:00 am	Mass
Servers: Ellen Schloemer, Liz Schloemer, Ross Henschen			
Lectors: Pam Vossler, Todd Spieles			
Extraordinary Ministers of Communion:			
Kurt Meier, Doug Mielke, Nan Mielke			
Sun. October 1	SP	9:30 am	Mass
Servers: Alex Kantner, Taylor Ott			
Lector: Brooke Yahl			
Extraordinary Ministers of Communion:			
Dustin Knapke, Christine Knatz, Kent Schlegel, Ericka Aller			
Ushers: Allen Scott, Alan Steinke, Jacob Barhorst			
Sacristan: Diane Wright			
Sun. October 1	HR	11:00 am	Mass
Servers: Evan Menker, Ethan Mielke, Max Mielke			
Lectors: Mary Beth Mielke, Jill Schmitmeyer			
Extraordinary Ministers of Communion:			
Teresa Bertke, Ben Brown, Matt Brown, Margene Craft, Joanna Frankenberg, Dave Gossard, Mike Grannan, Chrissy Hensley			

Calendar of Events

Sunday	September 24 8:00 am Wedding Anniversary Celebrations & Mass at HR 9:30 am Wedding Anniversary Celebrations & Mass at SP 11:00 am Mass at Holy Rosary 6:30 pm Wisdom & Works of Mercy Study - Cafeteria
Monday	September 25 8:00 am Mass at Holy Rosary 6:00 pm Holy Rosary Finance Meeting - Rectory 7:00 pm SP Ladies Rosary & Bible Study - SP Rectory
Tuesday	September 26 8:15 am Mass at Holy Rosary 9:00 am RCIA Day Class - Cafeteria 9:00 am Women's Bible Study - Upper Room 7:00 - 8:30 pm Ephesians Bible Study - Upper Room
Wednesday	September 27 11:30 am Confessions at HR 12:05 pm Mass at Holy Rosary Following Mass Legion of Mary - Upper Room 6:30 - 7:30 pm St. Patrick CCD 7:00 - 8:00 pm Holy Rosary CCD 7:00 - 8:30 pm Holy Rosary Adult Choir - Music Room 8:00 - 9:00 pm HRYG Connect - Campfire on Father's Patio
Thursday	September 28 8:00 am Mass at St. Patrick 6:30 - 8:15 pm ConQuest Boy's Club - School 6:30 - 8:15pm Little Flowers - School 7:00 pm RCIA - Upper Room 8:00 pm Knights of Columbus - K of C Hall
Friday	September 29 8:00 am Mass at Holy Rosary
Saturday	September 30 3:30 pm Confessions 4:30 pm Mass at Holy Rosary
Sunday	October 1 8:00 am Mass at Holy Rosary 9:30 am Mass at St. Patrick 11:00 am Mass & Choir at Holy Rosary 11:00 am Sunday School at Holy Rosary - School 3 year olds meet in school 4 year olds & older in Church & will then be released to the school 6:30 - 8:00 pm Wisdom & Works of Mercy Study - Cafeteria

Prayer Hotline	Weekend Mass Attendance	Grief Support
Holy Rosary: Julie 305-7937	4:30 pm 303 8:00 am 222 9:30 am 195 11:00 am <u>384</u> 1104	Steve and Kathy Frankenberg 419-753-2056
St. Patrick: Mary 657-2346		

Holy Rosary Adopt-a-Student

Current Week Donations:	\$ 175.00
Total Donations Received:	\$ 17,150.00
Parishioner Participation:	136 Families

The monthly Adopt-A-Student collection is to help Holy Rosary School with its operating expenses.

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Open House & Celebration of the Newly Renovated Holy Rosary Church

At all of the weekend Masses on October 7 & 8, we be celebrating the completion of the renovations to Holy Rosary Church with snacks and tours of the Campus. All are welcome!

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass Intentions

Mon. 09/25	Weekday <i>Ezr 1:1-6; Lk 8:16-18</i>
8:00 am	HR Harold Wendel
Tues. 09/26	St. John & St. Damian <i>Ezr 6:7-8, 12b, 14-20; Lk 8:19-21</i>
8:15 am	HR Frank Spieles & Norman Menker
Wed. 09/27	St. Vincent de Paul <i>Ezr 9:5-9; Lk 9:1-6</i>
12:05 pm	HR Mark Axe
Thurs. 09/28	Sts. Wenceslaus & Lawrence Ruiz <i>Hg 1:1-8; Lk 9:7-9</i>
8:00 am	SP Vocations
Fri. 09/29	Sts. Michael, Gabriel & Raphael <i>Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Jn 1:47-51</i>
8:00 am	HR Richard Parker
Sat. 09/30	St. Jerome <i>Zec 2:5-9, 14-15a; Lk 9:43b-45</i>
4:30 pm	HR Kay Dingedine
Sun. 10/01	Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time <i>Ez 18:25-28; Phil 2:1-5; Mt 21:28-32</i>
8:00 am	HR Jim & Judy Fortman
9:30 am	SP Vocations
11:00 am	HR Bill Saum

September 17, 2017

Joyfully and Responsibly I Give My First Fruits to God.

Holy Rosary Collection

Adult Envelopes Issued:	540
Adult Envelopes used:	184
Parish Pay (Direct Deposit)	111
Adult Offering:	\$ 7,260.59
Loose Offering:	\$ 829.30
Total Collection:	\$ 8,089.89
Week Budgeted:	\$ 9,335.00
Weekly Collection & Direct Deposit:	\$ 8,089.89
Over/Short to date:	(1,245.11)
YTD Total weekly budgeted:	\$ 112,020.00
YTD Total weekly collection:	\$ 108,387.24
Over/Short to date:	\$ (3,632.76)

St. Patrick Collection

Adult Envelopes Issued:	55
Adult Envelopes used:	31
Adult Offering:	\$ 1,179.00
Loose Offering:	\$ 240.00
Total Collection:	\$ 1,419.00

These collections are for the regular weekly collection envelopes along with Electronic Giving. Special collections are listed separately. Thank you for your generous contributions.

Message from the Pastor

Why does the issue of abortion always get pushed aside and forgotten? When was the last time you heard about this issue in the news? Yes, it was in the news for a little while with the defund Planned Parenthood movement. And last year it made headlines with the video tapes of Planned Parenthood and the sale of baby parts. But why don't we hear about the daily crisis of women throughout the world who are dealing with abortion and who many times feel forced to abort their child? Why don't we hear about the many women who suffer the effects of abortion several years later? Or the many abortion clinics whose practices are suspect from an ethical, medical perspective? Not to mention the horrific procedure itself...why isn't this in the news in all its graphic detail?

It's so easy to not be aware of the millions of unborn babies who have lost their lives; little children, with hands and fingernails and a beating heart? Not to mention the equal number of mothers and fathers who have been traumatized by the ordeal. Shame on the news media for not showing what abortion truly is – the legalized killing, by brutal means, of innocent life! Shame on our lawmakers who have caved before the powerful pro-abortion lobby and have not pursued an end to this heinous crime against humanity! Shame on the liberal left in Hollywood and elsewhere who refuse to face the hideous nature of what abortion is!

Our generation will have to render an account for what we did or did not do in regard to this murder of innocent life in the womb. The future will look back on this time as a barbaric point in history, where millions of innocent children never got to see the light of day, killed at the hands of doctors in clinics for this purpose. History will look back, just as it does today on Nazi Germany's crimes against humanity, and lament that we gave in to this sanitized destruction of human life.

October is Respect Life Month. Let us reconfirm our pro-life stance and continue to pray and work for the right to life of every individual born and unborn. Our Lady of Guadalupe, Patroness of Life, pray for us! *Fr. Danny*

Donation Received

A donation of \$1,000 was received from Patricia Settlemire in honor of Dan & MaryAnn Griffin for all of their spiritual help and support. Two Bradford Pear trees and other landscaping were purchased for the front lawn of the church and along the wall of the new chapel.

**Women of the Bible Study
at Holy Rosary**

Beginning on Tuesday, September 26, Linda Lunz will be offering to the women of Holy Rosary a study of the Women of the Bible at Holy Rosary Church. This will be a morning gathering in the Upper Room from 9-10:30 am.

The first week we will be reading about Sarah. Prior to the first session, those attending are encouraged to read Genesis, chapters 12-25.

Feel free to call Linda with any questions at 419-733-5807. Everyone is welcome.

Wisdom and Works of Mercy Study

It's not too late to join the Wisdom and Works of Mercy Study on Sundays, from 6:30-8pm in the cafeteria at Holy Rosary. Through video and small group discussion, Fr. Michael Gaitley, with humor and ease, will guide us through this study on unlocking the mystery of the Trinity and discovering many teachings of our faith. Cost is \$15 for materials. Come to the cafeteria Sundays at 6:30pm to join! The video for this study is also available on FORMED.

**Women of the Bible Study
at St. Patrick**

On September 25, we will be studying Ruth. Read Ruth chapter 1-4 prior to our gathering. We will begin at 7:00pm in the rectory with the rosary. Call Linda Lunz with any questions at 419-394-8662. Everyone is welcome.

**God's Abundant Mercy
What It Means for Your Marriage**

Come hear Catholic Talk Show Host Teresa Tomeo and her husband Deacon Dominick speak at an evening for married couples. The event is being held at the St. Henry American Legion on Saturday, October 28th.

Doors open at 6pm. Event begins at 6:30pm with dinner served at 7:30p.m.

You will want to get your tickets early as this couples' night out is expected to sell out quickly!

Cost of \$35 includes wedding style dinner and drinks for the evening.

Call Nan Mielke at 419-300-1045, Carolyn Lange at 419-678-2170 or Marleen Evers 419-375-2475 with questions or send your registration with name, phone number, and email with check payable to Carolyn Lange 532 Linn Street, St. Henry, OH 45883.

**MEN'S FELLOWSHIP
Has Resumed Meetings**

All men of the parishes are invited to attend the Men's Fellowship gatherings on the second and fourth Saturdays of each month at 8am in the Upper Room. We gather in Christ's presence in an atmosphere of trust, equality and anonymity to pray, sing, study scripture, and share personal experiences. We unconditionally accept each other and prayerfully support our parishes.

It's OK to just be "present" at a meeting. There are no dues or fees and everything discussed and shared in a meeting is held in strict confidentiality. "Nothing leaves the room." Call Dr. Todd Spieles at 419-753-2235 with questions or just come to the gathering - no need to RSVP!

**DISCOVER YOUR INHERITANCE
BIBLE STUDY**

Discover Your Inheritance by joining the Ephesians Bible Study. This study meets Tuesdays at 7pm in the Upper Room. Call the parish office to register. The cost is \$20 for the optional study guide. BYOB (Bring Your Own Bible)

Paul's letter to the Ephesians reveals many remarkable gifts that we, as Christians, are given in the Church. In this study, you will:

- *Discover what it means to be not just a son or daughter of God, but an heir to all He has to give.*
- *Learn about the great mystery of how we can love one another as Christ loves the Church.*
- *Find out that you have a place in God's "plan of sheer goodness".*

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Joyful News
from Holy Rosary School



Life Skills at HRS

Students are using a program called Skills Streaming by Ellen McGinnis this school year. If a teacher asks a child, "Are you using Skill 8," a child should be able to respond what Skill 8 is. By the way, Skill 8 is Offering Help to an Adult. Each morning for 30 days, teachers are "teaching" a skill, through discussion and modeling, and then that skill is used throughout the school year.

Skills are divided by category. Thus far, students have learned several Classroom Survival Skills, such as listening, ignoring distractions, and how to ask for help. We are also working on skills in making friends, dealing with feelings, and problem-solving. Who doesn't need these skills?? We all do, students and adults alike. Parents are encouraged to practice these skills at home, too.

Stop in sometime and check out how far we are in relearning some of the skills necessary to survive in today's world. We've posted them on the upper and the lower floor to help us remember. Of utmost importance in life are Skill #1 and Skill #4. If you want to know what these two are, ask a Holy Rosary School student!

Virtue of the Month: Charity



One Warm Coat Drive

The 11th Annual One Warm Coat Drive has begun. We are accepting donations of new or clean, gently used men's, women's and especially teen and children's coats. These coats are given to those in need at no cost.

Boxes have been placed at each of the four entrances into our church. We will accept donations through Wednesday, October 11.

In the past years, thousands of coats have been collected and given to those in need right here in our community! Thank you so much for your support in the years' past. Your donations truly are what make the coat drive so successful! Let's work together to make a difference again this year!

St. Patrick's Youth Choir



All youth, kindergarten and up, are invited to participate in the St. Patrick Youth Choir. Most rehearsals are held at 8:30am before the 9:30am Mass at which they sing, and they generally sing twice a month and also at Christmas and Easter. They will begin meeting on Sunday, October 8, at 8:30am. There are sign-up letters in the back of church, or interested families can contact Polly Muhlenkamp at 419-305-8483 or cpmuhl@gmail.com for more information.



CONQUEST
FORGED IN VIRTUE. CALLED TO SERVE.

ConQuest is a national organization that provides leadership and virtue training for boys ages 5 and up. It's programs are designed to instill virtue, develop character, and encourage spiritual growth, while offering its participants challenging physical, intellectual, and spiritual activities within an atmosphere of adventure.

Ages: 5 and Up

ConQuest Meets every Thursday through April 26th

Meeting Time 6:30 – 8:15 (½ Meeting Formation, ½ Sports In Gym)

Meeting Location: Holy Rosary School

Registration Fee: \$50 Per Boy. Maximum \$100 per family.

To Learn More/Register: Ryan Ahlers (419-305-7962), Chad Stolly (614-266-0729) Or go to www.holyrosarychurch.us and select ConQuest under Parish Ministries. Registrations also available in the back of church or parish office.



Little Flowers
Girls' Club



for

Ages K - 3rd Grade

Thursdays

6:30 - 8:15 pm

Held in the School Art Room

Call Sara Ahlers at 419-303-7794,
Erica Bills at 567-644-5720 or
Cathy Brotherhood at 513-615-2163
with questions.

RCIA

If you or someone you know are not Catholic, and are interested in taking a deeper look at the Catholic faith, consider being part of the RCIA this fall. Sessions are on Thursday evenings from 7-8:30 in the Upper Room or Tuesday mornings at 9:00am also in the Upper Room. We will share the truths of the Catholic faith and the fellowship of our church community as we grow closer to Jesus Christ. We invite you to learn what Catholics believe in an open and welcoming environment. If you feel God may be calling you to join the Catholic Church, call Nan at 419-300-1045 to receive further information.

Friends of Holy Rosary

Friends of Holy Rosary received a donation of \$50 in memory of Kay Dingedine. Thank you for your generosity. Donations to the Friends of Holy Rosary goes into a trust fund; it is NEVER spent. It is invested and the earned income is turned over to the parish for tuition assistance once a year indefinitely.

Both membership contributions and donations are tax deductible if you itemize your deductions. Please make your check payable to Friends of Holy Rosary. Your donations can be placed in the collection basket, brought to the Parish Office or mailed to:

Jessica Rammel, 314 N. Augustus St., St. Marys, OH 45885.

Total trust balance is \$ 246,415.45.

New CD's Available

Check Out the new CDs (\$3 donation) and other items at the borrower's book shelf located in the hallway between the office entrance and the old overflow. These CD's and so many others are, also, available on FORMED.ORG.

This week's CD Feature - *Facing Your Fears*

Mark Hart uses Scripture and his experience of surviving an earthquake to share how we can master our fears. He also reveals how our fears will pursue us if we don't meet them head on. Mark encourages us to not only face the proverbial giants in our lives but to slay them as David did Goliath, thereby finding freedom in Christ.

Parishioner Comments

Mark emphasizes that fear immobilizes us, while love moves us to do great things. I now plan to tell my problems how big God is, not vice versa.

Women's Spa for the Soul

SAVE the DATE

February 23rd 5-9p.m.

Holy Rosary Church Cafeteria

Mark your calendar for a Girls' Night Out

This Years' Feature:
The Friendship Project

It's Turkey Party Time!

St. Patrick's turkey party is fast approaching!! We hope your calendars are marked for November 12, 2017, to attend or help at this fun filled evening. This fund raiser provides a wonderful community event and also helps to support the programs for youth and adults at our parish.

As members of the organizing committee, we are requesting your support of the Turkey Party and ask that you consider a donation that would go into one of the themed baskets listed below or a cash donation which will be used to purchase items for one of our basket give-aways or to help defray expenses.

This Year's Basket themes

Ohio State University	Date Night
Christmas	Kids
Wine/Chocolate	Movie Night
Gift Cards/ Monetary Donations	Spa day

If you would like to make a donation, we request it to be turned in by October 15, 2017. Donations can be dropped off at Judy Steinke's, 15595 Moulton Ft. Amanda Rd., or Mary Cogan's, 16133 Glynnwood New Knoxville Rd.

Donations can also be picked up by giving either Judy Steinke, Mary Cogan or Jane Dwenger a call or brought to church after Sunday Mass.

If you have any questions please direct them to:

Judy Steinke 419-738-8702 Mary Cogan 419-657-2346 Jane Dwenger 937-489-9372

