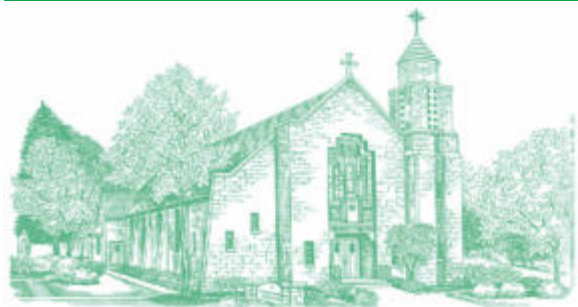


# St Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Parish



**Sts. Cyril & Methodius Church Site**  
185 Laird Ave. NE  
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**St. James Church Site**  
2532 Burton St SE  
Warren, Ohio 44484

## March 21, 2021 Fifth Sunday of Lent

### PARISH INFORMATION

**Pastor:** Fr. Christopher Cicero 330-372-2215  
**Retired Priest:** Rev. John Trimbur  
**Deacons:** Joseph Toth, Robert Simmerly, Edward Kleese  
**Administrative Assistant:** Mary Kay Krisman  
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**St. Cyril's Sacristan:** Ruth Emerson  
**St. James Sacristan:** Marie Therese Weil

#### Pastoral Council Members:

Father Christopher Cicero, Beverly Kook, Chairman, Deacon Joe Toth, Deacon Robert Simmerly, Deacon Ed Kleese, Terri Bishop, Mary Jo Braden, Sal Ciferno, Paul Layshock, Jill Merolla, Kathy Patrone, Cindy Rowland, Diane Schlosser, Mae Stark, Mary Jo Dugan, DRE

#### Sacraments:

**Baptism:** Call: Director of Religious Education.  
**Sacrament of Marriage:** Call pastor at least six months in advance.  
**Homebound & Nursing Home Communion:**  
 Call parish office  
**Parish Membership: Welcome!** Call parish office for registration.

#### MASS TIMES

<b>Tuesday</b> 8:30 am	Blessed Sacrament
<b>Wednesday</b> 8:30 am	St. James
<b>Thursday</b> 6:00 pm	Blessed Sacrament
<b>Friday</b> 8:30 am	St. Cyril
<b>Saturday</b> 4:00 pm	Blessed Sacrament
<b>Saturday</b> 4:00 pm	St. Cyril
<b>Sunday</b> 8:30 am	Blessed Sacrament
<b>Sunday</b> 11:00 am	St. James
<b>Sunday</b> 11:00 am	Blessed Sacrament

#### ADORATION

<b>Tuesday:</b> 9-10 am	Blessed Sacrament
<b>Wednesday:</b> 5:00 pm	St. Cyril
<b>Friday:</b> 9-10 am	St. Cyril

#### HOLYDAY

To be Announced due to Covid-19

#### PENANCE & RECONCILIATION

<b>Saturday:</b> 3:15-3:45 pm	St. Cyril
<b>Saturday:</b> 3:15-3:45 pm	at Day Chapel at Blessed Sacrament

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**OFFICE HOURS**  
MON-FRI 9:30 AM-3:00 PM  
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To contact Father Cicero call Blessed Sacrament at 330-372-2215 or email ccicero@warrencatholic.org  
 For afterhours emergency anointing and last rites, please select the emergency extension at Blessed Sacrament.

# FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Easter is just two weeks away. To handle social distancing, overflow seating will be available in the social halls where we will project the livestream of the Mass and distribute Holy Communion. Ushers will direct congregants to the hall once seating capacity is reached in the church. All seats will be available on a first come, first served basis. I recommend coming early. Doors will open one hour prior to the Easter Sunday Masses. Blessed Sacrament will be following the same procedures.

Holy Week begins next weekend with Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord. For Catholics, this is the most sacred week of the year. We commemorate Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem, the Last Supper, his passion and death, and finally the resurrection. If you have not attended the liturgies of the Paschal Triduum of Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and the Easter Vigil in the Holy Night on Holy Saturday, I encourage you to join us this year. Times and locations are listed in this bulletin.

We are observing the tradition of veiling statues and crucifixes during Passiontide or the period from the Fifth Sunday of Lent to Good Friday. I offer the follow-

ing explanation from the U.S. Bishops' Conference: "The veiling of crosses and images is a sort of "fasting" from sacred depictions which represent the paschal glory of our salvation. Just as the Lenten fast concludes with the Paschal feast, so too, our fasting from the cross culminates in a veneration of the holy wood on which the sacrifice of Calvary was offered for our sins. Likewise, a fasting from the glorious images of the mysteries of faith and the saints in glory, culminates on the Easter night with a renewed appreciation of the glorious victory won by Christ, risen from the tomb to win for us eternal life." (United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, BCL Newsletter, March 2006). May God bless you!

*Yours in Christ, Fr. Cicero*

## Chrism Mass for March 21 & March 28, 2021

The Chrism Mass from St. Columba Cathedral can be live streamed on Tuesday, March 30 at 10:30 am at [doy.org/Media/Cathedral Live Stream](http://doy.org/Media/Cathedral%20Live%20Stream).

It will rebroadcast on ETC-Ecumenical Television Channel on Tuesday, March 30 at 8:00 pm and on Wednesday, March 31 at 10:00 am.

The Ecumenical Television Channel can be live streamed at [doy.org/Media/ETC Live Stream](http://doy.org/Media/ETC%20Live%20Stream) For more information, please contact CTNY at 330-533-2243

## Holy Week Mass Times

<b>Palm Sunday:</b>	Usual Weekend Schedule
<b>Holy Thursday</b>	7:00 pm, Mass of the Lord's Supper—St. James
<b>Good Friday</b>	3:00 pm, Stations of the Cross—BSP
<b>Good Friday</b>	7:00 pm, Celebration of the Lord's Passion—St. Cyril
<b>Holy Saturday</b>	8:00 pm, Easter Vigil in the Holy Night—BSP
<b>Holy Saturday</b>	12:00 noon Blessing of Easter Baskets—St. James Church
<b>Easter Sunday</b>	8:30 am, Easter Mass St. Cyril
<b>Easter Sunday</b>	11:00 am, Easter Mass St. James



## Easter Sunday Mass Social Distancing

To facilitate social distancing on Easter Sunday, an overflow space of distanced seating will be set up in church social halls during the 8:30 AM (Sts. C&M) and 11:00 AM (St. James) Masses. We will show the livestream feed of the Mass from St. Elizabeth Ann Seton on the projector screen and Holy Communion will be distributed in the hall. Congregants will be directed to the halls once seating capacity in the churches is reached: 225 at St. James and 90 at Sts. C&M. Seating in the churches and halls will be available on a first come, first served basis. The parish council and I believe that this is our best option for Covid safety. To be clear, we will NOT be issuing tickets for Easter Masses. Come early!

## Stations of the Cross

**Blessed Sacrament:** Every Friday, 7:00 pm church

**St. James:** Friday March 26, 6:00 pm church

## Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation

**Every Thursday** 5:15-5:45 PM- BSP

**Every Saturday** 3:15-3:45 PM- BSP, St. Cyril

**Sunday, March 28** 12-12:30 PM- BSP (Fr. Cicero)  
& St. James (Fr. Trimbur)

~*Mass Intentions*~

*March 20/21 Fifth Sunday of Lent*

<b>SAT</b>	<b>4:00 pm</b>	<b>Barbara Bailey</b> Don Bailey Jr. <i>- Father Trimbur</i>
	<b>St. Cyril</b>	
<b>SUN</b>	<b>11:00 am</b>	<b>Mary Iacozili</b> Robert M. Karl <i>-Fr. Cicero (Livestream)</i>
	<b>St. James</b>	
<b>WED</b> <b>3/24</b>	<b>8:30 am</b>	<b>Betty Camarata</b> (Family)
	<b>St. James</b>	
	<b>5:00 pm</b>	<i>Adoration in Church</i>
	<b>St. Cyril</b>	
<b>FRI</b> <b>3/26</b>	<b>8:30 am</b>	<b>John &amp; Celeste Caniglia</b> (Mary Jo & Allen Braden)
	<b>St. Cyril</b>	

*March 27/28 Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord*

<b>SAT</b>	<b>4:00 pm</b>	<b>Mass for the Parishioners of</b> <b>St. Elizabeth Ann Seton and</b> <b>Blessed Sacrament</b> <i>- Father Cicero (Livestream)</i>
	<b>St. Cyril</b>	
<b>SUN</b>	<b>11:00 am</b>	<b>Jerry &amp; Valerie Kopiak</b> Family <i>-Fr. Trimbur</i>
	<b>St. James</b>	



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**300 Raffle & Dinner**

**TICKETS ON SALE NOW!!!** The 300 Raffle and Dinner will be held at Leo's Restaurant on Saturday, August 14, 2021. The cost of the tickets are \$60. The 300 Raffle is a Reverse Raffle that includes \$4075 in prize money, including \$50 drawings each month from January through August. The grand prize of \$1500 will be held the evening of the raffle dinner.

To purchase a ticket call the Parish Office, 330-393-9766 or contact one of our sellers: Ann Churman, Ruth Emerson, Betsy Esposito, Eleanor Fairbanks, Sandi Saluga, Ray Sinchak, George Yuricek, Mary Jo Braden, Charlotte Knock, Ron Zelenak and Sal Ciferno.

**Announcements/Meetings**

**Dispensation from the Obligation to Attend**

**Sunday Mass.** All the Catholic faithful especially those who are sick, or at high risk of becoming sick continue to be dispensed from their Sunday obligation for one year from the end of the Easter season 2020.

**St. Vincent DePaul** wants to help parishioners with food and utility assistance. All info provided will be kept in the **strictest confidence**.

Call 330-369-5153

**Fridays of Lent:** The Fridays of Lent are obligatory days of abstinence from meat for Catholics from age 14 and above.

**Evening Prayer** is held at 6:15 pm. every Tuesday in Blessed Sacrament Church. Masks and social distance will be practiced. All are welcome!

**Crochet Group** will meet at the parish office Wednesday March 24 from 10 am until noon.



**Pontifical Good Friday Collection**

Pope Francis has asked our parish to support the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, which helps Christians in the Holy Land. Your support helps the church minister in parishes, provide Catholic schools and offer religious education. The Pontifical Good Friday Collection also helps to preserve the sacred shrines.

**25th, 40th, 50th and over Wedding Anniversary Celebration**

The Diocese of Youngstown is sponsoring a **Wedding Anniversary Celebration** on **Sunday, June 13, 2:00 pm** at **St. Columba Cathedral in Youngstown**, honoring couples observing their 25th, 40th, 50th *and over* wedding anniversaries in 2021.

The Wedding Anniversary Celebration will include Mass with Bishop David J. Bonnar, renewal of marriage vows and a personalized certificate for each couple. Couples may opt to attend the Wedding Anniversary Celebration Mass in person at St. Columba Cathedral or they may participate remotely via livestreaming on the diocesan website at [www.doy.org](http://www.doy.org). Limited spaces are available for couples at the cathedral. You must make reservations in advance for this event by contacting the parish office before **May 13**.



Pray for the souls of our recently departed:

**John J. Kachurik Jr.**

Our sympathy is extended to family & friends.

### It's Easter Bread Time!!!



We plan on having our Easter Bread Sale on **Friday, March 26, 2021.** Sign-up sheets are

in the back of the church for those able to help. You may also call the office to sign up. Even if you can only *spare one or two hours* it will be much appreciated! We make them at St. Cyril's Hall.

**Both Wednesday, March 24 and Thursday, March 25**  
**7:30-3:00**

Each day the same tasks are done. We have many jobs available and we will show you how it's done.

On Friday orders are filled from 8:30 am until finished.

**Pickup is noon-4pm Friday.**  
**(NO EARLY PICKUPS)**

**IF WE DON'T GET ENOUGH VOLUNTEERS WE CAN'T HAVE THE EASTER BREAD SALE**

The cost is \$5 each

**Deadline to order Easter Bread is Tuesday, March 23!!**

Please call **330-393-0781** to place your order!!  
Thank-you!



**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

### Thank-you!!

A special thank-you to all the volunteers who helped make the **Easter Pirohy Sale** a Huge Success!! We sold **over 600 dozen** of our home-made pirohy!! It was a lot of work and we couldn't have succeeded without everyone's help! Thank you again to all who helped!!



### Lenten Fish Dinners

Saint William Parish will be holding its annual Lenten Fish Dinners on Fridays through **March 26, 2021**, 4 pm-7:00 pm as a "drive-thru" Carryout only for \$12 each.



### Reflections for the Fifth Sunday of Lent

Jesus says to each of us, "Come out of your tomb, come out of your bondage. Do not live in darkness, live in light. Do not live in fear, live in faith." When Lazarus came out of the tomb, Jesus then said, "Unbind him, let him go free." Jesus also says to each of us, "Be unbound and go free. Live with my life."

Jesus raised Lazarus from the dead physically in his body. He had been dead for four days. Jesus had previously raised the daughter of Jairus (Luke 8:42, 49-56) and the son of Nain (Luke 7:11-17) and in the Old Testament Elijah and Elisha raised people from the dead (1Kings 17:17-24); 2 Kings 4: 17-37). But no where is there an instance of someone being raised from the dead after four days. This is the crowning miracle of Jesus' ministry. In fact in John's Gospel it becomes the main reason leading to Jesus' death. If Jesus can restore a body that had been in the tomb for four days and has begun to decompose he can certainly mend the brokenness and wounds of our lives. Jesus said to Martha, "I am the resurrection and the life, Whoever believes in me, even if he dies will live, and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die. Do you believe this?"



Jesus asks the same question of us also, do you believe this? Do you believe that I am the resurrection and the life? Do you believe that Jesus calls you to enjoy the fullness of his life now? Do you believe that Jesus is now calling you out of any tomb you may be in? Do you believe that even now Jesus is saying to you, "Be unbound and go free?" Let us today accept Jesus' invitation, let us walk out of any tomb we may be in and allow ourselves to be unbound and go free.

How do we achieve this freedom? How do we get out of our tombs? Notice that Martha and Mary sent a message to Jesus. We have to send a message to Jesus and we do this by spending time with Jesus in prayer and sharing with him our wounds, hurts, and anxieties. One of the psalms says, "I kept it secret and my frame was wasted." (Ps 32-3) Let us keep no secrets from Jesus but lay all bare before him in prayer.

*Happy Easter, Deacon Joe*

### Saint Patrick Church Fire Update

We received a letter from Rev. Michael Swierz, Pastor of St. Patrick Church in Hubbard. He has thanked our parish for the \$1425, prayers and kindness in our response to the fire. He says he is reminded that our future is full of *Hope*, and we are not in this alone. Our generosity and kindness will not be forgotten.

**Announcement from Youth Ministry**

Greetings Fellow Parishioners!

I hope your Lenten promises are being kept up! During the season of Lent, the Church ascribes to her faithful ones certain actions that help to redirect themselves back to Christ. These actions include prayer, almsgiving and fasting. I hope you have considered implementing these stated actions during Lent.

I would like to offer to all the families of our parish a plan to renew in our homes a time for more community and habitual prayer by **establishing a day during the week, possibly two or more as you progress through Lent, and pick a time in the evening to pray together. During this time, either: read the Readings of the day and end with an Our Father or pray a devotional prayer (like the Rosary, Stations of the Cross, Divine Mercy Chaplet, etc.). Find a quiet place in your homes to do this. Light a candle and have a Crucifix present as a reminder of Christ's presence among you. Let it be a moment of respite from the business of the day and a return back to our God!**

Please keep my ministry, my kids within it and myself in your prayers, as I continue to pray for all of you! God Bless!

*Daniel LaPolla, Youth Minister*  
[dlapolla@warrencatholic.org](mailto:dlapolla@warrencatholic.org)  
 330-372-2215 x102

**Say Hello to our Seminarian**

Travis Seagraves is in his second year in Seminary Education. He is from St. Elizabeth Ann Seton. If you would like to send him encouraging words or letters of encouragement to remind him we are behind him his address is:

Travis Seagraves  
 St. Mary Seminary  
 28700 Euclid Ave.  
 Wickliffe OH 44092-2582



**Rice Bowls:**

Each Lent, Catholic families across the country unite to put their faith into action through prayer, fasting and almsgiving. Through CRS Rice Bowl, families learn about how our sisters and brothers across the globe overcome hardships like hunger and malnutrition, and how through Lenten alms, we have the power to make the world a better place for all. Visit [crsricebowls.org](http://crsricebowls.org) for additional information. Rice bowls are available in the back of the church Rice Bowls are to be **returned by Easter Sunday**. Thank-you!



**Diocese of Youngstown**  
**2021 Annual Bishop's Appeal**

Thank you to all who made a commitment to the 2021 Annual Bishop's Appeal. To date, \$10,535 has been committed by our membership. This is 32 families. However, we need the support of every member of our parish if we are to be successful in reaching our parish goal of \$38,800.

If you have not yet made your commitment, please find the commitment envelope in the back of the church and place it in the collection basket.

**Religious Education**

A Confirmation session will be this Sunday, March 21, 2021 from 12:15 to 1:45pm. This session will help our youth know they have a unique mission from God to serve others. Our parish needs to support these young people in prayer as they prepare for their future as vital members of the Catholic church and the life of the parish.

Our CCD Faith Formation classes have been doing some Lenten lessons on prayer, fasting and almsgiving. The fifth and sixth graders have studied the readings for each Sunday in Lent. The third graders did the Stations of the Cross. Kindergarten children learned about St. Patrick and made a shamrock with facts about this saint. On Palm Sunday all the grades will have a simple Sedar meal to commemorate the Last Supper.

**A meeting for parents** of those receiving **First Communion** on May 2<sup>nd</sup> will be on **Tuesday, March 23, 2021 at 6:30pm in the parish office of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton.**

*Mary Jo Dugan, Director of Religious Education K-8*

**CCD Schedule Through May**

March	21, and 28
April	11, 18, and 25
May 2	First Communion
May 9	May Crowning of Mary





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