



## St. Barnabas Catholic Parish

*A people called to proclaim  
The Good News*

# February 28, 2021 Second Sunday in Lent

### Confession

Wednesdays: 6:00-7:00 p.m.

Saturdays: following 8:30 a.m. Mass and  
3:30-4:30 p.m., or by appointment

### Perpetual Adoration

Seven days a week, 24 hours a day  
(currently suspended)

Eucharistic Adoration Wednesdays: 7:30  
a.m.-6:00 p.m., Holy Hour 6:00-7:00 p.m.

### Baptism - Confirmation - Anointing of the Sick - Marriage - PSR - RCIA - Funerals

For more information on celebrating  
Catholic sacraments or requesting  
assistance with any of these services,  
please contact the Parish Office.

### Parish Membership

Welcome! To register as a member of our  
church, stop by the Parish Office.

### St. Barnabas Catholic School

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Sunday Masses: 8:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.  
Weekday Mass: Monday, Tuesday, Friday and Saturday,  
8:30 a.m.; Wednesday and Thursday, 7:00 a.m.

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**Office Hours:** Monday - Thursday: 8:30 a.m. - 7:30 p.m.,  
Friday: 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

# A MESSAGE FROM OUR PASTOR



The Second Sunday of Lent provides us with some incredibly spectacular events: the call to Abraham to sacrifice his son, and the Transfiguration of Jesus. Putting them together during the season of Lent gives us a whole new perspective on what all this means. Here at St. Barnabas, we also have the addition of our Lenten Mission provided for us by Fr. Jacob Bearer. All in all, there is a lot happening here!

We know that Abraham is called "our father in faith," and today's Scripture from the Book of Genesis tells us a lot about why he deserves such a distinction. It is good to remember that Abraham had no others around him to support him. God had revealed Himself to Abraham in a way that he had not done for any other person. Abraham had no history to look back on, he had no Scriptures to read. He was truly the first of the chosen people. He had received a promise from God that he would be the father of many nations, yet now he found himself and his wife to be quite elderly persons wondering how all of this was to come about. But then it did happen, and Abraham and Sarah became the parents of Isaac. Isaac began to grow and now Abraham was near the century mark himself. Then the episode recounted in today's first reading took place. Abraham was asked to sacrifice his one and only son. How could this be? How could the Lord ever fulfill his promise to Abraham? But then, at the last minute God did intervene and held back Abraham's hand, telling him to do no harm to his son. Can any of us imagine the depth of the faith of Abraham? Trusting that God would somehow make the impossible possible. Whatever experience Abraham must have had with God must have been so overwhelming to be able to carry him through to this point.

The Gospel of the Transfiguration comes at us from another direction entirely. Here, centuries after Abraham, Jesus has become one of us and is trying to lead us to the Father. Peter, James and John accompany Jesus up a high mountain and experience Jesus being transfigured before them. While they are dazzled by the experience, they are not quite sure exactly what all this means. They hear a voice saying "this is my beloved Son, listen to Him" but then Jesus tells them not to tell anyone about this until after He has risen from the dead. They must have been as mystified as Abraham was so many centuries before. But now they did have a community with them, they did have Scriptures to read and a history to fall back on.

Now we come to today. We can all have many questions and doubts of faith, and since God knows we are all human, He really doesn't mind. This time of Lent and, in a particular way, the occurrence of a Lenten Mission are great opportunities for us to look into the depths our hearts and come to a deeper appreciation of the love God has for us in making us to be the people that we are, for placing the people in our lives that are so precious to us and, most of all, for loving us as tenderly and completely as He loved Abraham and Sarah and Peter, James and John. What a wonderful family we are a part of simply because of the love of God!

Have a blessed Lent!

*Fr. Raych*

## MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, March 1, 2021 - Lenten Weekday  
8:30 a.m.....Nick Rositano  
*Month's Mind - Laverne Krempasky*

Tuesday, March 2, 2021 - Lenten Weekday  
8:30 a.m..Living & Deceased Members of Perpetual Adoration

Wednesday, March 3, 2021 - Saint Katharine Drexel, Virgin  
7:00 a.m.....Bernard Hovan  
*First Anniversary - Florence Cartellone*

Thursday, March 4, 2021 - Lenten Weekday  
7:00 a.m.....Janice Boczek

Friday, March 5, 2021 - Lenten Weekday  
8:30 a.m.....Jomarie Young and Lawrence Groves

Saturday, March 6, 2021 - Lenten Weekday  
8:30 a.m..Living & Deceased Members of Perpetual Adoration  
5:00 p.m.(RW).....Sharon Krawchuk

Sunday, March 7, 2021 - Third Sunday of Lent  
8:30 a.m.(JK).....Irene Palley  
11:00 a.m.(JK).....For The Parish  
5:30 p.m.(RW).....Joseph Terrano  
*Vigil Light - Lou Montesano*

## ST. BARNABAS PARISH NEWS:

MASS is streamed live, seven days a week, at 7:00 or 8:30 a.m. at [stbarnabasfamily.org/live/](http://stbarnabasfamily.org/live/) Video is available for 24 hours and updated the next day. Updated information will be posted on the parish *website: stbarnabasfamily.org* and on *Facebook: St. Barnabas Parish Family.*



**ST. BARNABAS PARISH MISSION - A Journey of Healing** led by Fr. Jacob Bearer. Sunday, February 28 - Wednesday, March 3, 7:00 p.m. in the church. See the flyer in today's bulletin for more information. The event will be live-streamed. Go to [StBarnabasParishFamily](http://StBarnabasParishFamily.com) on Youtube - or go to the parish website and click on the Live Stream Tab at the top of the page. Then click on the MISSION link.

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 28, 2021

Sunday: Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/Ps 116:10, 15, 16-17, 18-19 [9]/Rom 8:31b-34/Mk 9:2-10

Monday: Dn 9:4b-10/Ps 79:8, 9 11 and 13 [cf. 103:10a]/Lk 6:36-38

Tuesday: Is 1:10, 16-20/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23 [23b]/Mt 23:1-12

Wednesday: Jer 18:18-20/Ps 31:5-6, 14, 15-16 [17b]/Mt 20:17-28

Thursday: Jer 17:5-10/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [40:5a]/Lk 16:19-31

Friday: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21 [5a]/Mt 21:33-43, 45-46

Saturday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12 [8a]/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

Next Sunday: Ex 20:1-17 or 20:1-3, 7-8, 12-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 [Jn 6:68c]/1 Cor 1:22-25/Jn 2:13-25 or Ex 17:3-7/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 [8]/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42

Then a cloud came, casting a shadow over them; from the cloud came a voice, "This is my beloved Son. Listen to him." Suddenly, looking around, they no longer saw anyone but Jesus alone with them. - Mk 9:7-8



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Excerpts from the Lectionary

“TO EVERYTHING, THERE IS A SEASON,  
AND A TIME FOR EVERY PURPOSE  
UNDER HEAVEN.” Ec 3:1



#### A time to heal...

Please pray for all who are ill, especially: Mike Ahern, Therese Armstrong, Katie Ayers, Dennis Balis, Dolores Barcik, Dianne Basile, Arlene Beilstein, Virginia Bellitto, Gene Best, Joseph Blasko, Joshua Blouir, Georgiann Broz, Josephine Bruce, Robin Bugenske, Joanne Buss, Dorothy Cale, Joe Candio, Leroy Ceccardi, Teri Curnutte, Ann Davis, Barbara Davis, Regina Day, Jill Deal, Mary Demerest, Demetriades Family, Ted Derbin, Tricia DeWitt, Anthony DiFranco, Ehrman Family, Cathy Farley, Jonathan Fedor, Mike Ferrara, Carolyn Fiktus, Betty Fisher, Margaret Galus, Bob Garcar, Marge Gibbons, Ronald Grobelny, Anna Grzybowski, Ron Haydocy, Nautica Heddlesten, Maddy Heller, James Hobson, Helen Hocevar, Edward Holicky, Kevin Hoogenboom, Dan Houlahan, Dennis Houlahan, Donna Hupcey, Dolores Jacobs, Pat Janotka, Agnes Karaba, Karen Kazel, Tony Kazmierczak, Raisa Koroleva, Irene Kovar, Robert Kozak, Ken Krawczyk, Tom Lantos, Stephanie Lairson, Susan Lee, David Lenczewski, Lee Letterle, Denis Liederbach, Martin Mawyer, Belle Michaels, Adam Milewski, Ben Miller, Diana Miller, Elizabeth Milosovic, Richard Milosovic, Mark Morgan, Sally Page, Jim Pearl Jr., Jackie Rice, Margaret Schillero, Janice Schnurr, Rita Schnurr, Rachel Schoonmaker, Richard Sega, Rose Mary Slezak, Robert Snyder, Josephine Snyder, Joyce Sporck, Jim Sprosty, Markus Steinberger, Lori Stossel, Bernie Szczepanski, Bob Szczepanski, Jim Thomas, Lisa Thornburg, George Tomaselli, Betty Trabert, Ann Turnick, Charlotte Vercek, Carmen Vitale, Philip Ward, Bill Watkins, Richard Wintucky, Richard Witt, and all the sick of our parish.

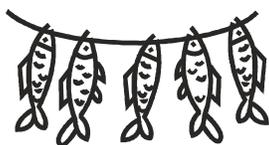
(Please notify the Parish Office, 330-467-7959, to add or remove a name from the list. And please remember to pray for the needs written in the Book of Intentions and those placed in the Perpetual Adoration Prayer Box.)

#### A time to mourn...

Our loving prayers are extended to the family of Dale A. Jennings and the families of all of our faithful departed relatives and friends. May their souls rest in peace.



This week in your daily prayers please remember these individuals, **Seminarians at St. Mary and Borromeo** who are called to the priesthood: Paul Baker, Benjamin Baratian, Brook Benedict, Kevin Bertleff, Arthur Bodenschatz, Scott Brand.



**LENTEN FISH FRY** Serving from 4:30 - 7:00 p.m. - **DRIVE-THRU ONLY** all Fridays in Lent. Featuring lightly battered Pub Style Cod and premium long cut French Fries. Phone in your order to go, starting at 2:00 p.m. each Friday at 330-800-6804 (note new phone number) or **order online** at [www.mkt.com/575fishfry](http://www.mkt.com/575fishfry). Senior meal discounts available. Sponsored by and benefiting the Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts of Troop 575. See the Fish Fry Menu on our parish website: [stbarnabasfamily.org](http://stbarnabasfamily.org).

**BULLETIN DEADLINE—TUESDAY 8:30 A.M.**  
All bulletin articles should be emailed to:  
[stbbulletin@barnabasohio.org](mailto:stbbulletin@barnabasohio.org)

## St. Barnabas School

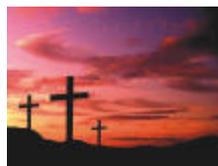
As we have entered the season of Lent, the fourth graders are reflecting on what this season could bring to their lives this year. During our religion classes we



have discussed that even though we might look forward to this time as an opportunity for spiritual growth, quite often this season fills us with trepidation as we become concerned with, “What am I going to give up?” or “How many more days before I don’t have to give up whatever it is that I am giving up?” And especially during this year, when many of us have already sacrificed so much, we are challenging ourselves to think beyond this focus. Instead, we are turning our thinking towards the idea that when we give something up, it is to make room for God and to truly appreciate the gifts that we do have in our lives. With this in mind the fourth graders have come up with some new ideas of what to “give up” this Lent. Here are a few examples from our ‘give up’ list:

- Saying unkind words about people
- Buying something we don’t need
- Complaining
- Hiding our faith

As we begin our Lenten journey let us reflect on the power this season can have in our lives and the real potential this time of renewal and reflection can have to strengthen our faith and deepen our relationship with God.



**STATIONS OF THE CROSS** - Stations of the Cross are held in the church every Friday of Lent at 7:30 p.m. The school will live-stream Stations of the Cross on Thursday, March 4 and Thursday, March 18. Go to [StBarnabasParishFamily](http://StBarnabasParishFamily) on

Youtube - or go to the parish website and click on the Live Stream Tab at the top of the page. Then click on the Station of the Cross link. Take some time to meditate on the events of Christ's last day.



**LENTEN ADORATION** Adoration will be offered during Lent on Mondays from 9 a.m. to 10 p.m., February 22 through March 29. The Blessed Sacrament will be in the church and all are welcome. This is in addition to the Wednesday 7:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Adoration.



St. Barnabas Athletic Association (SBAA) Virtual Reverse Raffle 2021 on March 13 at 7 p.m. via Facebook Live. Tickets for the raffle are \$100 each and only 200 will be sold. Grand Prize is \$5,000. Additional payouts will total \$3,800. Along with the main raffle, a wine bottle raffle and a 50/50 raffle will be held. Ticket holders need not be watching the night of the event to win, but we hope you'll want to 'tune in'. Please see the flyer in today's bulletin for more details and to purchase tickets. Tickets can also be purchased by completing the form at: <https://forms.gle/auutV43iXPKDw3c77>. All proceeds from the fundraiser support the Athletic Association and our student athletes at St. Barnabas.

## FAITH FORMATION

**RCIA:** Please pray for Tamiyka Rose and Derrick Winger as they are received into Full Communion with the Church on March 7 at the 11:00 a.m. Mass.

**Family Faith PSR:** We celebrate our 5:00 p.m. and 11:00 a.m. masses this weekend for our Family Faith PSR families. We meet various times throughout each month to pray and learn more about the Catholic faith. Thank you and blessings to all families, for your commitment to your family's faith and education as you continue to grow closer to the Lord and each other every day!

**Children's Liturgy of the Word:** Until further notice, Children's Liturgy of the Word will not occur during Mass. Please go to the following website and join Miss Heidi as she explains and sings through the Word each week with your child: <http://www.catholictv.org/shows/childrens-liturgy>

**Parish Mission Comes to St. Barnabas!** We are so excited to tell you about our 2021 Parish Mission! Fr. Jacob Bearer will be leading us through a Journey of Healing for four evenings beginning Sunday, February 28, with Father Jacob presiding at the 5:30 pm mass!

Evening One: *The Cross*

Evening Two: *The Real Jesus (Bring Your Own Bible)*

Evening Three: *Holy Spirit Discipleship*

Evening Four: *Night of Praise and Worship (Praying for Healing)*

Please mark your calendars for February 28 – March 3 at 7:00 p.m. Join us for prayer, worship and healing!



- **The Faith Feeds Program** from C21 at Boston College, brings individuals together safely or virtually to share food and drink while discussing faith. [https://www.bc.edu/bc-web/centers/church21/programs/faith-feeds/lentfaithfeeds.html?cq\\_ck=1610595334824](https://www.bc.edu/bc-web/centers/church21/programs/faith-feeds/lentfaithfeeds.html?cq_ck=1610595334824)
- **An Illustrated Guide to Fasting and Abstinence** by Fellowship of Catholic University Students. <https://focusequip.org/an-illustrated-guide-to-lenten-fasting-and-abstinence/>
- Creighton University has **Daily Reflections**: <https://onlineministries.creighton.edu/CollaborativeMinistry/daily.html>
- Ignatian Solidarity Network is offering **Steadfast: A Call to Love** that will be delivered to your inbox each morning: <https://ignatiansolidarity.net/steadfast-lent-2021/>
- **Pray More Novenas Lenten Retreat**: <https://praymoreretreat.org>

## LOTTO

Congratulations to the following lottery winners:

2/14 - 514 - no winner  
2/15 - 503 - no winner  
2/16 - 806 - no winner  
2/17 - 318 - ANNIE O'CONNOR  
2/18 - 946 - no winner  
2/19 - 904 - MJ CAMARATO  
2/20 - 859 - JO SNYDER

Lotto tickets for **January through June 2021** are now available at the Parish Office for **\$10 each**. Good luck, and thank you for supporting this Capital Improvements Fundraiser.



**LIFE NIGHTS** Every Sunday from 5:30-8:30 p.m. all high school teens are welcome to our Life Nights! We start with Mass and have dinner, games, discussion, and more. Please bring a mask to wear indoors. We will have social distancing, and lots of hand sanitizer!

**CONFIRMATION MINISTRY – YEAR ONE** Confirmation Households meet either the first or second Sunday of the month, from 5:30-8:30 p.m., starting with the 5:30 p.m. Mass. Join us for Life Nights on the Sundays when you aren't meeting with your Confirmation Household!

**SPRING RETREAT REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN** We are excited to announce that our Spring Retreat will be happening March 26 - March 28. This will be a great opportunity for teens to dive deeper into their faith and grow in fellowship with their friends. The retreat is open to high school students in grades 9-12, and you can find registration for the retreat in the "forms" tab on our website: [www.stbarnabaslifeteen.org](http://www.stbarnabaslifeteen.org). Sign up before February 19 for our early bird special fee! We look forward to seeing you there!

**SUMMER EVENTS ANNOUNCEMENTS** Be on the lookout of registration announcements for some of our summer events like the Lifeteen Leadership Conference, Tollelege, and the Steubenville Conference! Registration for these events will open in March. Contact us if you would like more information.

website: [stbarnabaslifeteen.org](http://stbarnabaslifeteen.org)

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**50+ COMMUNITY** This week we reflect on the Transfiguration of Jesus. You have noticed that whenever important things are about to happen, Jesus always takes it to prayer first. The mountain top and the seashore seem to be his favorite places to commune with his Father. Today is no exception. On that mountain of mystery, Jesus was ready and willing to sacrifice himself for his Father's plan to die for the good of all. So Jesus took Peter with Him because he was the appointed head of the apostles, John because he was the beloved disciple, and John's brother James who was to be the first of the apostles to shed his blood for the Gospel. "And behold, Jesus was transfigured before them, and his face shone like the sun, and his clothes became dazzling white." It's a defining moment for Peter, James and John. For a brief time, they encounter the full glory of the Lord. And they want to make three tents for them: "*Rabbi, it is good that we are here.*" But they/we can't stay on the mountain. Although the disciples witnessed healings, miraculous meals, thoughtful teachings, and even the transfiguration of their friend into dazzling white, there was more work to be done. What then does the Transfiguration have to do with us today? We must also be transformed by sharing love, compassion, and forgiveness with others. Each sacrament that we receive transforms us. During Lent, it is the Sacrament of Reconciliation where God brings us back to the path of holiness. Finally, this Gospel today gives us a glimpse of the Heavenly glory awaiting those who do God's will by putting their trust and faith in Him.

So far, our trips are doing well with the numbers. Please drop off your requests and down payments at the Parish Office. We will eventually have to give a count to all venues and a down payment so that they keep our dates open. Let us pray for one another, use this time of Lent and separation for additional prayer and reflection. Stay safe.

**Notes from the Blue Army:** On December 8, 2020, Pope Francis declared a Year of St. Joseph and the month of March is traditionally dedicated to St. Joseph. Fr. John Hardon wrote, "In the litany of St. Joseph, we say, "St. Joseph, Head of the Holy Family, pray for us." There is more hidden behind this invocation than meets the eye. We know that Mary is the Virgin Mother of Jesus Christ. We know that the Savior was not conceived of a human father. Yet the Church has never tired insisting on the fatherhood of St. Joseph in the Holy Family. It is crucially important to understand that there are two levels to fatherhood. There is the physical level of providing for the conception of a human body. In this sense, Christ did not have a human father. But a father is not only to cooperate with his wife in generating a child. He is also to cooperate with her in rearing the offspring which his spouse brings into the world. From all eternity, Joseph was destined to be the spouse of the Blessed Virgin. They were truly married. Joseph was Mary's husband, and she was his wife. Marriage is the most intimate of all unions between two human beings. It imparts a community of gifts between those joined together in matrimony. Consequently, in giving Joseph the Blessed Virgin as his spouse, God appointed him to be not only her life's companion, but also the witness of her virginity, the protector of her honor. No, by reason of his conjugal tie to Mary, he participated in her sublime dignity. We cannot exaggerate the importance of seeing St. Joseph as the true spouse of Mary. Under God, he was to share in her unique role as Mother of the Word made flesh who dwelt among us. St. Luke tells us that, on returning to Nazareth after Mary and Joseph found the young Christ in the temple, "Jesus advanced in wisdom and age and grace before God and men (Luke 2:52)". What are we being told? We are being told that the Christ child constantly manifested greater wisdom as he grew in age. In God's mysterious providence, both Mary and Joseph contributed to this manifestation of greater wisdom in Jesus."



**DIOCESAN-WIDE RETREAT DAY FOR WOMEN**

Join us in person or via livestream on Saturday, March 20, at St. Francis de Sales Parish in Akron from 9:00 a.m. to noon. You are also welcome to attend Mass at 8:15 a.m. Mother Theodora, of Christ the Bridegroom Monastery, will be our guest speaker. This year's theme is "Friendship and the Saints." For more details and to register, visit [stfparish.com](http://stfparish.com) and click on the Women's Retreat link. See the flyer in today's bulletin.

**ST. BARNABAS EL SALVADORIAN MISSIONS** "Thank you from St. Peter the Apostle Parish, El Salvador. Your help in these times of so many difficulties encourages us to continue striving for the good of the poorest among us. The situation with the Pandemic is still very strong in our country. The hurricanes that hit Central America at the end of last year left us many losses in crops and now we have to face a possible food shortage due to the high prices of these products in the shops, although for our farmers, when they sell their harvest, are paid only a pittance. During the month of January, Father Juan delivered more than 200 bags of food to families together with the Works of Charity Ministry (Obras de Caridad). We also shared a delicious chicken dish lunch prepared for 300 elders of the parish. This is a small sample of the great work that the Charity Works group has been able to do with the support of all of you. Thank you for always supporting our parish." You can continue to support this effort by using the **St. Barnabas Salvadorian Missions envelope** dated February 28.

**YOUR GIFTS TO THE PARISH**

	<u>February 21, 2021</u>	<u>Totals</u>
Target Collections:	\$23,500.00	\$799,000.00
Envelopes	\$11,334.00	\$461,513.14
Electronic Giving	<u>\$14,255.65</u>	<u>\$267,551.98</u>
Total Collections	\$25,589.65	\$729,065.12
Variance	\$2,089.65	(\$69,934.88)
Mandatory Diocesan Assessment (11.5%)	(\$2,942.81)	(\$83,842.49)
Remaining in Parish	\$22,646.84	\$645,222.63
Capital Fund:		
Envelopes	\$421.00	\$27,186.57
Electronic Giving	<u>\$949.56</u>	<u>\$24,728.45</u>
Total Collections	\$1,370.56	\$51,915.02

St. Barnabas parishioners are remarkably generous. Thank you for sharing a portion of your income with the Church - thank you so much for your faith and generosity!

*May God bless you!*



Last year's palms need to be discarded in an appropriate manner. Due to COVID restrictions, we will not be able to collect palms this year. DO NOT drop off palms in the church. Palms should be buried or burned

(with the ashes returned to the ground).

**SVDP NEWS**

∞ ST. VINCENT DE PAUL AND YOU ∞  
DONATIONS OF TIME, TALENT, and TREASURE



**LENTEN FOOD DRIVE** is underway. We encourage church members to approach the Lenten season as an opportunity to make their Lenten sacrifice an offering to provide food to the hungry. We will be collecting non-perishable food items, paper products, cleaning items and personal care items that will be distributed to our local families through our Easter food delivery program. These items will also be sent to our parish outreach program at The Ozanam Center at Holy Name Parish. When heating and electric bills go up in the winter, there is less money to go toward food. We appreciate your generosity to this collection and hope you can help. Drop-off times and a list of the most needed items can be found in the **Lenten Food Drive flyer** in today's bulletin.

**EASTER HELP** If you know of anyone who would benefit from added food help for Easter, please contact us and we will try to help. We will be delivering food baskets and food gift cards to local area families the week before Easter. To contact us, call the Parish Office at 330-467-7959, press "7" for the SVDP line, and leave a message. We will try to return your message within 48 hours.

**WE ARE HERE TO HELP** We want to assist our parishioners who are struggling during the COVID 19 Pandemic. If you are in need, or know someone who is, please contact our SVDP. Your call is confidential. We have grocery gift cards, gas gift cards and a food pantry with non-perishable food, paper products, personal care products. We can also try to assist with rent, utilities, clothing, car repairs or diapers. Our parishioners are very generous to our SVDP and want to help those in need. If you need assistance, please call the Parish Office at 330-467-7959, press 7 and you will be connected to our confidential information line.



Jesuit Retreat  
Center

March 2021 - Jesuit Retreat Center Programs & Retreats *Jesuit Retreat Center, 5629 State Rd, Parma, OH 44134. <https://www.jesuitretreatcenter.org>.*

**Way of the Cross for Those in Recovery** (In-person and Virtual Options).

Monday, March 1, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. *Presented by Fr. Bob Kraig.* Using his recently published booklet on the Stations of the Cross dedicated to the Jack Mulhall Center, Fr. Bob will lead us in praying the Stations of the Cross. The evening will include a visual presentation of each Station as well as personal reflections by members of the recovery community on the meaning of different Stations in their lives. All members of the recovery community are invited as well as their families and friends. Cost: Free.

**Men's Lenten Retreat.** Friday, March 12, 5:30 p.m. - Sunday, March 14, 11:00 a.m. Join Fr. Greg Hyde, SJ, retreat director and facilitator, for two days of prayer, reflection and presentations. Explore the themes and movements of this great season of Lent as we move towards Holy Week and the Easter Triduum. After a challenging year, come to the peace of the Jesuit Retreat Center to reflect on God's grace and activity in your life. Retreat begins with dinner on Friday evening and concludes with Liturgy on Sunday morning. Cost: \$180.

**March Morning Prayer for Women.** Monday, March 15, 9:30 - 11:00 a.m. Women from all walks of life are invited to pray together and learn more about the beauty of prayer. Led by Sr. Mary Ann Flannery, S.C., this prayer group will refresh your spirit and help you find strength in regular prayer habits. Just bring your Bible and come as you are! Price includes coffee and pastry. Registrations are encouraged, but walk-ins welcome! Cost: \$10.

**Women's Lenten Retreat.** Friday, March 19, 5:30 p.m. - Sunday, March 21, 11:00 a.m. Join Sr. Mary Ann Flannery, SC, retreat director and facilitator, for two days of prayer, reflection and presentations. Explore the themes and movements of this great season of Lent as we move towards Holy Week and the Easter Triduum. After a challenging year, come to the peace of the Jesuit Retreat Center to reflect on God's grace and activity in your life. Retreat begins with dinner on Friday evening and concludes with Liturgy on Sunday morning. Cost: \$180

**Cinema & Conversation: *Son of God.*** Monday, March 22, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. Join us at Jesuit Retreat Center on the 4th Monday of each month for films that inspire and entertain. After each movie, there will be time for conversation and questions. We continue in February with the 2014 film, *Son of God.* Due to COVID social distancing, please make a reservation and wear a mask. Free Will Offering.

**Holy Week Individually Directed Retreat and Days of Prayer.** Monday, March 29, 5:30 p.m. - Friday, April 2, 1:00pm. Jesuit Retreat Center will be offering individually directed retreats during Holy Week. Come for a five-day silent retreat with spiritual direction. Cost includes room, meals and spiritual direction. There will also be days of private prayer and reflection on Holy Thursday (April 1st) and Good Friday (April 2nd) from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. (free will offering). Cost: \$450.



**BAPTISM CLASS** The next Baptism preparation class will be held on Sunday, May 2, at 12:15 p.m. in Rectory Room 1. Face coverings are required and current social distancing practices will be followed. If this is your first child or if you have not attended a class in the last five years, you will need to attend before the baptism of your child. Please contact the Parish Office at 330-467-7959 for more information or to register.



February 17 – March 28, you are invited to join with other Christians for 40 Days for Life – 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. You are also invited to stand and peacefully pray anytime from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. during the 40-day vigil in the public right-of-way outside Preterm - 12000 Shaker Blvd, Cleveland, 44120; Planned Parenthood - 25350 Rockside Road, Bedford Heights, 44146 or Family Planning – 462 Chardon St, Painesville, 44077. For more information contact John Noall at [clevelandpraysforlife@gmail.com](mailto:clevelandpraysforlife@gmail.com) or 216-245-9744. **WEBSITES:** [www.40daysforlife.com/cleveland](http://www.40daysforlife.com/cleveland), [www.40daysforlife.com/painesville](http://www.40daysforlife.com/painesville), [www.40daysforlife.com/bedfordheights](http://www.40daysforlife.com/bedfordheights).



The *Demkee Family Scholarship Fund of the Catholic Community Foundation* will award one \$1,200 scholarship to a student enrolled at the University of Akron or satellite. Applicants must be a parishioner at a Catholic parish in Wayne or Summit County and maintain a 3.0 GPA. Scholarship applications are available online at: [www.catholiccommunity.org/grants](http://www.catholiccommunity.org/grants) or call toll free at 800-869-6525 x4080.



**Catholic Cemeteries Association** continues with our free monthly in-office grief support groups on Sunday, February 21, with limited seating for social distancing. We offer a comfortable, private, and safe environment where you are free to explore your grief. Meetings are open discussion format, surrounding a monthly topic or whatever is on your heart. They do not build off each other so you can stop in any month and fit right in. If you are not yet able to talk about your grief, come and listen and be in the presence of those who understand. The February topic is "Experiencing God's Loving Embrace." We meet the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of every month from 3-4 p.m. at six locations, including All Saints Cemetery, Northfield. Meeting sites are sanitized and seating is arranged so everyone is at a safe distance. Participants are asked to RSVP so we can plan appropriate social distancing at each location. We require all in attendance to wear protective facial coverings. To RSVP or for questions, please contact Rhonda at [rabrams@clecem.org](mailto:rabrams@clecem.org) or 216-930-4866.



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## SAINT BARNABAS PARISH CALENDAR FEBRUARY 28 - MARCH 7

### Sunday, February 28, 2021

1:00-4:30 p.m. SBAA Basketball-Parish Center 1,2  
6:30-8:30 p.m. StBLT Life Night-Cafe, Parish Center 1,2  
7:00-9:00 p.m. Parish Mission-Church

### Monday, March 1, 2021

9:00 a.m.-10:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration-Church  
4:00-6:00 p.m. SBAA Basketball-Parish Center 1,2  
6:00-8:00 p.m. Boy Scouts-School Band Room  
6:30-8:00 p.m. Men's Fellowship-Bedell Commons  
7:00-9:00 p.m. Parish Mission-Church

### Tuesday, March 2, 2021

9:15-10:00 a.m. Church Care-Church  
4:00-9:00 p.m. SBAA Basketball-Parish Center 1,2  
7:00-9:00 p.m. Knights of Columbus-Rectory Room 1  
7:00-9:00 p.m. Parish Mission-Church

### Wednesday, March 3, 2021

7:30-6:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration-Church  
4:00-9:00 p.m. SBAA Basketball-Parish Center 1,2  
6:00-7:00 p.m. Holy Hour/Confession-Church  
6:00-8:00 p.m. SBAA Cheer-Squad-Cafeteria  
7:00-9:00 p.m. Women's Fellowship-Rectory Room 1  
7:00-9:00 p.m. Parish Mission-Church

### Thursday, March 4, 2021

4:00-9:00 p.m. SBAA Basketball-Parish Center 1,2

### Friday, March 5, 2021 - NO SCHOOL

4:00-9:00 p.m. SBAA Basketball-Parish Center 1,2  
4:30-7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts Fish Fry-Drive-Thru  
7:30p.m. Stations of the Cross-Church

### Saturday, March 6, 2021

8:00-4:00 p.m. CYO Basketball-Parish Center 1,2  
9:15-9:30 a.m. Pro-Life Rosary-Church  
9:15 a.m. Reconciliation-Church  
3:30-4:30 p.m. Reconciliation-Church

### Sunday, March 7, 2021

1:00-4:30 p.m. SBAA Basketball-Parish Center 1,2  
6:30-8:30 p.m. StBLT Life Night-Cafe, Parish Center 1,2

**LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK** How is your Lent going so far? In changing the circumstances and order of our lives a bit, perhaps we can hear God's voice more clearly and drink more deeply of graced moments we experience. Having God as a friend always involves several things. First, there is God's call. We become attuned to the echo of God's voice in the depth of our souls calling and beckoning us to listen. Second, there is a request. We begin to see that God asks us to do certain things, to order our lives a particular way, and become more intentional in the choices we make. Third, there is trust. Do we trust this call and request? Trust commits us to the relationship and makes a claim on who we are. Finally, we are asked to act. We find ourselves acting, not in the way we used to, but in a transformed, more enlightened way. Things seem clearer and all that is around us shines with the brilliance of God's presence. God's call came through a cloud, "This is my beloved Son. Listen to Him," This is the call and the request. Can we give God our trust and do as God asks?  
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**2021 Bringing America Back to Life Convention -- March 12 & 13.** The Bringing America Back to Life Convention is the premier Diocesan-wide pro-life event: two jam-packed days filled with the nation's top speakers, workshops, and exhibitors. To discover more about this must-see event, to view the impressive line-up of speakers, and to register, visit [www.bringingamericabacktolife.org](http://www.bringingamericabacktolife.org) or call 440-281-1502. Join us as we Bring America Back to Life!

## PRO-LIFE



Spring 2021 Campaign continues through March 28 (Palm

Sunday): 40 days of prayer, fasting, and witnessing to save babies from abortion

† Pick up a 40 Days For Life Prayer Card on the tables at the church entrances.

† Pray a Rosary at the same hour each week during Lent for an end to abortion and the protection of babies in the womb, and on Saturdays following the 8:30 a.m. Mass.

† PEACEFUL PRAYER at Planned Parenthood, Bedford Hts., for one hour a week. Visit [www.40daysforlife.com/bedfordheights](http://www.40daysforlife.com/bedfordheights) or call 216-245-9744 to sign up. To join St. Barnabas parishioners, call Marlene Wisniewski at 330-467-7645.

† Fast from something you spend money on and donate it to a pregnancy center or pro-life organization.

† Let your elected officials know you want an end to abortion and no money for Planned Parenthood. See last week's bulletin for how to contact them or call the U.S. Capitol Switchboard at 202-224-3121 to be connected to any senator or representative.

**EDUCATE YOURSELF** on pro-life websites: [www.priestsforlife.org](http://www.priestsforlife.org); [www.all.org](http://www.all.org); [www.studentsforlife.org](http://www.studentsforlife.org); [www.rtolofneo.com](http://www.rtolofneo.com); [www.lifeworksohio.com](http://www.lifeworksohio.com); [www.lldf.com](http://www.lldf.com).

**BRINGING AMERICA BACK TO LIFE** Convention: March 12-13, 2021, Embassy Suites, Independence, OH. COVID restrictions will be observed. Many speakers, presentations, workshops, prayer, exhibitors, etc. Highlights include Fr. Shenan Boquet, President of Human Life International; Donna Marie Murphy, Co-Founder, Heaven's Gain Ministries; and "Roe V Wade: The Movie." For more info go to <https://bringingamericabacktolife.org>.

**DID YOU KNOW** "Planned Parenthood's newly released report documents the abortion giant killed at least 354,871 babies in the year 2019-2020, while receiving over \$618 million dollars in taxpayers' money." (reported on [www.lifesitenews.com](http://www.lifesitenews.com))

**PREGNANT & NEED HELP?** Zelig's Home, 440-886-2620; Embrace Clinic & Care Center, 330-825-1900; Womankind, 216-662-5700; Call 1-800-712-HELP (4357) or visit [www.OptionLine.org](http://www.OptionLine.org).



*Faith, Hope and Remembrance*

**CCA One-Year Anniversary Mass -- March 19, 10:00 a.m.** We pray for your

peace and consolation and we remember your dearly departed loved ones from the past year in our special One-Year Anniversary Mass. This Mass is celebrated annually on March 19, the feast day of St. Joseph, the patron saint of a happy death. This year's One-Year Anniversary Mass will be celebrated at 10:00 a.m. at Holy Spirit Catholic Church, 4341 E 131st Street, Garfield Heights, OH 44105. For more information contact Rhonda at 216-930-4866 or [rabrams@clecem.org](mailto:rabrams@clecem.org).



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# Lenten Services/Events 2021

St. Barnabas Parish/Northfield, Ohio

## **Ash Wednesday – Wednesday, February 17**

Distribution of Ashes: Mass: 7:00 a.m., 8:30 a.m. (with school), 7:30 p.m.  
Liturgy of the Word: 12:00 Noon

## **Stations of the Cross (Church)**

Fridays, February 19 – March 26, 7:30 p.m.  
Thursdays, March 4 and March 18, 8:15 a.m. (With School)  
Friday, April 2, 12:00 p.m.

## **Lenten Adoration (Church)**

Mondays, February 22 – March 29, 9:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.  
(This is in addition to the regular Wednesday, 7:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.)

## **Parish Fish Fry Fridays (Cafeteria)**

February 19 – April 2, 4:30 – 7:00 p.m. – Take-out only  
(Sponsored by Scout Pack 575)

## **Sacrament of Reconciliation (Church)**

Saturdays – following 8:30 a.m. Mass and 3:30 – 4:30 p.m., or by appointment  
Wednesdays – 6 – 7p.m.  
Monday, March 29 and Wednesday, March 31 – 4 to 5 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m.

## **Lenten Communal Penance Service (Church)**

Monday, March 22, 7:00 p.m. – Our Lady of Guadalupe Church

## **Lenten Program**

Mission – Fr. Jacob Bearer  
Sunday, February 28 – Wednesday, March 3,  
7:00 p.m. in the Church.

## **Lenten Obligations**

Catholics between the ages of 18 and 59 are obliged to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. Fasting means partaking of only one full meal; some food is acceptable to be eaten at the other two mealtimes. Anyone who is ill or who has medical concerns is not obliged to fast. In addition, all Catholics 14 years and older must abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, and all the Fridays of Lent.

**See future bulletins for Holy Week Schedule**

# St. Barnabas Parish Mission 2021

Save the Date

Led by Fr. Jacob Bearer  
A Journey of Healing

Sunday, February 28 -  
Wednesday, March 3  
7:00 p.m.

Fr. Jacob will open by celebrating mass  
on Sunday at 5:30 p.m.



Evening One: The Cross  
Evening Two: The Real Jesus (Bring Your Own Bible)  
Evening Three: Holy Spirit Discipleship  
Evening Four: Night of Praise and Worship  
(Praying for Healing)

You are invited! All events are held in the church.  
Pre-registration is not required, but space is  
limited due to Covid protocols. Please contact the  
Faith Formation office at 330-467-7601, ext.1 or  
ffo@barnabasohio.org with questions.

**Visit website for livestream.**

All are welcome to this inspiring Lent event!

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## Lenten Food Drive

40 CANS FOR LENT



During this Lenten season, consider taking up the challenge to provide food and necessities to the poor for each day of Lent.

Large quantities of food and paper products are needed for our holiday food deliveries to needy local families. These items will be distributed to local families through our Easter food delivery program, and also be given to our parish outreach Ozanam Center at Holy Name Parish. Your donations can be dropped off at the back door of the Rectory (near the garage doors) Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., or during the Saturday, 5:00 p.m., Sunday 8:30 a.m. or 11:00 a.m. Masses. **No items should be left in the church.** This year's Lenten food drive runs through Sunday, March 20. We appreciate your generosity to this collection and hope you can help.

### FOOD BASICS

- Pasta noodles
- Spaghetti sauce
- Canned meals  
(ravioli, spaghettios, stew, etc.)
- Canned fruit
- Pancake mix
- Pancake syrup
- Canned tuna
- Peanut butter
- Jelly
- Cereal/oatmeal
- Rice/potato/noodle side dish
- Boxed macaroni and cheese

### PAPER/PERSONAL CARE

- Toilet paper
- Paper towels
- Shampoo/Conditioner
- Deodorant
- Toothpaste
- Toothbrushes
- Liquid hand soap
- Dish soap
- All purpose cleaner
- Laundry detergent

NO EXPIRED FOOD OR  
GLASS CONTAINERS PLEASE!



## Saint Barnabas Lenten Fish Fry Cub Scout Pack and Scouts BSA Troop 575 2021 Menu



Dinners:	Includes:	Price
1 Piece Fish Dinner	1 piece fried fish, french fries, cole slaw, roll	\$6.50
2 Piece Fish Dinner	2 piece fried fish, french fries, cole slaw, roll	\$8.50
3 Piece Fish Dinner	3 piece fried fish, french fries, cole slaw, roll	\$10.00
Shrimp Dinner	6 shrimp, french fries, cole slaw, roll	\$10.00
Combination Dinner	2 piece fried fish, 2 shrimp, french fries, cole slaw, roll	\$10.00

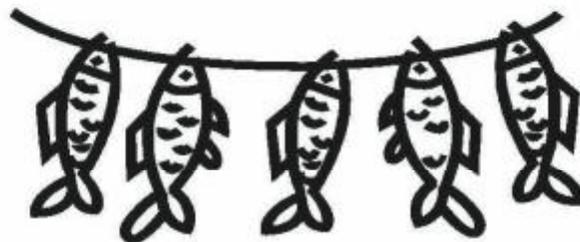
  

Sides:	Includes:	Price
Bosco Sticks	2 Bosco Sticks and cup of Marinara Sauce	\$3.50
Extra Piece of Fried Fish	1 Piece of Fried Fish	\$3.00
3 Piece side of Shrimp	3 Shrimp	\$4.50
French Fries	French fries	\$2.50
Pop/Bottled Water	Assorted brands of soda and bottled water	\$1.00
Dessert	Piece of Oreo cheesecake or Chocolate Mousse cake	\$3.00

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**RAFFLE TICKET PURCHASE**

Payment can be made via FACTS or by check. Please make checks payable to SBAA. Send check and completed form to Patty Preisel or drop off or mail to the parish rectory. 9451 Brandywine Rd, Northfield, OH 44067

Registration can also be made paperless using the Google Form and FACTS at: (preferred!) <https://forms.gle/HBx8vvX4pphHpDqx7>

Tickets are \$100 each and include OPEN BAR. (It's your house, drink whatever you got!)

\*NOTE: You do not need to watch the live virtual event to win. Everyone who buys a ticket is eligible.

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NUMBER OF TICKETS: \_\_\_\_\_

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ONLY 200 TICKETS WILL BE SOLD!

(In the event that less tickets are sold, winnings paid out will be adjusted accordingly.)

**\$100 EARLY BIRD TICKET DRAWING: buy a \$100 ticket by Friday, February 5th<sup>th</sup> and be entered into our EARLY BIRD DRAWING – plus earn a family dress down pass for Wednesday, February 10<sup>th</sup> for St. Barnabas students**

**ADDITIONAL RAFFLES**

**Wine Raffle - \$10/ticket**

20+ bottles of wine valued at \$20 or more will be raffled off. One lucky winner will get \$120 bottle of World's End Crossfire Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon!

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50/50 \_\_\_\_\_ tickets x \$10 = \_\_\_\_\_ TOTAL

\*Additional tickets for the 50/50 can be purchased during the live event!

**HOW WILL THIS VIRTUAL EVENT WORK??**

When you purchase a ticket, you will be assigned a ticket number. The list of ticket numbers and names will be sent out via email the day before the event. We will be doing a Facebook Live virtual event the evening of March 13<sup>th</sup>. You can watch from the comfort of your own home as we pull raffle tickets for the reverse raffle. The way that a reverse raffle works is that the last number remaining wins the grand prize of \$5,000! We will also be having a wine bottle raffle and a 50/50 raffle along with some 'door prizes' for those who are watching. We hope that you will watch the event, but you don't need to be 'present' to win (except door prizes). All winners will be contacted after the raffle to arrange for prize pick up.

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First ever virtual event will give multiple opportunities to advertise your business. To advertise, please provide camera-ready art or email a jpg or PDF to [pattyp2570@gmail.com](mailto:pattyp2570@gmail.com).

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Please provide ads and/or donation by Friday, March 5, 2021 to ensure recognition the night of the event..

**QUESTIONS OR TO VOLUNTEER**

Please contact Patty Preisel [pattyp2570@gmail.com](mailto:pattyp2570@gmail.com)



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▶ **Mail-in:** Send form below with check for \$10

**Questions:** [AkronCatholicWomensRetreat@gmail.com](mailto:AkronCatholicWomensRetreat@gmail.com) or 234-738-0282



**Women's Retreat Registration Form – Deadline Friday, March 12**

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City of parish

**How will you be participating? Please check one box.**

- I will participate in person at St. Francis Parish
- I will participate by viewing the live stream online.

**If you will be participating online, please check one box.**

We will reserve a goodie bag for you only if you are able to pick it up at St. Francis Parish. You will receive details in an email.

- I will pick up my goodie bag at St. Francis Parish
- I won't be picking up a goodie bag. No need to save one for me.

Mail form and check for \$10 written to "St. Francis de Sales Parish" with "Women's Retreat" on memo line to:  
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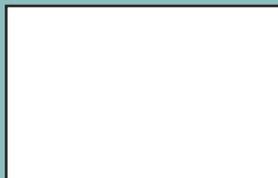
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