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Parish Mission Statement

As a Roman Catholic Community, St. Mary Magdalene is a community of Christians who profess and share a common, loving faith in Jesus Christ and are nourished through prayer and activity, especially the Eucharist, and are inspired by the Spirit who calls each of us to use our gifts in the midst of our neighborhoods and throughout the world.



WEEKEND MASS

Saturday | 4:30 pm &
Sunday | 8:00 am & 11:00 am
DAILY MASSICHAPEL HOURS

Mon., Tues., Wed., Fri. | 9:00 am Chapel Hours|8:30 am ~ 9:00pm

CONFESSIONS

Saturday | 3:15-4:00 pm In Church Confessional

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday ~ Thursday 8:30 am ~ 4:30 pm Closed Friday & Saturday Sunday ~ 9:00 am ~

Noon
Office Closed from

12:00 to 1:00

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PENTECOST SUNDAY

JUNE 8, 2025

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PRAYER & WORSHIP

CELEBRATING

Monday, June 9, 2025
The Blessed Virgin Mary,
Mother of the Church
9:00 am...Adrienne Armbruster

Tuesday, June 10, 2025 Weekday 9:00 am....Thomas Condon

Wednesday, June 11, 2025
St. Barnabas
9:00 am....Michael Iaconianni

Thursday, June 12, 2025
Weekday
9:00 am.... Morning Prayer

Friday, June 13, 2025 St. Anthony of Padua 9:00 am....Joseph F. Sterk

Saturday, June 14, 2025 Weekday 4:30 pm....George Karlan

> Sunday, June 15, 2025 The Most Holy Trinity

8:00 am.....Fr. Richard Gross, Louis & Josephine Curry

11:00 am...Deceased Members of the Yakkel Family

Readings for the Week of June 8, 2025

Sun.: Gen 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b; Rom 8:22-27; Jn 7:37-39

Mon.: Gen 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14;

Jn 19:25-34

Tues.: 2 Cor 1:18-22; Mt 5:13-16

Wed.: Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3;Mt 5:17-19

Thur.: 2 Cor 3:15-4:1, 3-6; Mt 5:20-26

Fri.: 2 Cor 4:7-15; Mt 5:27-32 Sat.: 2 Cor 5:14-21; Mt 5:3-37

FROM FR. STEVE....

Happy Month of June Everyone! Sorry that the last section of the Church is not done. I am told it will be now completed during the week of July 7th. Thank you for your cooperation with this project. Sorry for the delay. Thank you for your prayers and support for our parish festival. Thank you to all our volunteers, especially those that helped with the wristbands. I enjoyed grilling the burgers. Congratulations to our Main Raffle winners. The winner of the \$10,000 is Ann DeLuca. The 1,000 winner is Andy Culliton. The \$500 winner is Dena Cox. Thank you for participating in our Main Raffle. Hopefully it did well enough to allow us to buy another parish truck. We will have the final numbers soon. But I think we did much better than last year. Much better. This Sunday, June 8th our teens preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation will be confirmed at Saint Noel Parish in Willoughby Hills at their 11AM Mass with Bishop Michael Woost. I am concelebrating the Mass so our guest priest for the 11AM is my classmate Fr. Ken Wallace. Be sure to congratulate Fr. Ken for his 25 years of priestly service. Also, congratulations and God's blessings on our teens being confirmed, may they always follow the Holy Spirit's lead in their life. Plus, thank you Stacy Polasko, Mike Nadolski, Charlie DiFranco and Jim Galloway, for assisting me to prepare our teens for the Sacrament of Confirmation. I think we have a great team! Stacy did a super job keeping us all organized and all the paperwork together. Since 2024 we have been combined with St. Noel Parish for the Celebration of the Sacrament of Confirmation. Our preparation program is separate but the celebration with a bishop is a joint celebration where we take turns hosting the Confirmation Mass. So, we will be hosting the Confirmation Mass in 2026. The Confirmation Mass will be on Monday, May 18th at 7PM. Did you know 68% of Americans do not have a will? One of the reasons people do not have a will is that some find the process of creating a will to be too complex or expensive. With that, Saint Mary Magdalene has recently partnered with My Catholic Will. It is the only online Catholic will-writing tool available. Now you can create your Will for FREE, and in 15 minutes, you can write your will and consider a legacy gift to Saint Mary Magdalene Parish. Secure your legacy of faith and give hope to future generations of Catholics in the most meaningful way! With My Catholic Will, you can also specify your wishes for a Catholic funeral and burial. To create your will, visit https:// mycatholicwill.com/smmwillowick and use the referral code SMMWILLOWICK. God bless and have a wonderful week!

PARISH NEWS

SAVE THE DATES!!

June 8th Confirmation -11:00 am

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at St. Noel's

July 13th Manry Pool Party 6-8:00 pm

July 22nd Concert in the Grove—6:00 pm

August 4-8th Vacation Bible School

Oct. 8th Bus Trip to Marian Shrines

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St. Vincent de Paul Society

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6179 and leave a message. A volunteer member of SVdP
will return your call.

LUNCH PACKING

June 9th & 23rd

The Lunch Packing crew thanks you for your support over the years with this project of helping feed the needy at the West Side Catholic Center. We meet on the second and fourth Mondays from 9:00am to 10:00am to make sandwiches.

These brown bag lunches are delivered by volunteers to the West Side Catholic Center to feed the needy.

PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN

The Diocese of Cleveland's "Protecting God's Children" program is a continuing effort to instruct and inform everyone about the protection of children from sexual abuse. To report any past or present suspected inappropriate behavior toward children by priests, deacons, religious, lay ecclesial ministers or personnel associated with the Church, please contact the Diocesan Response Service Office at 216-334-2999. You are also asked to immediately inform local authorities about inappropriate behavior:

http://www.dioceseofcleveland.org



This week at SMM

Sun., June 8th	Café 9:20-10:50 am	Church
Mon. June 9th	Lunch Packing 9-10:00 am	Multi-Purp.
Tues., June 10th	Prayer Shawl 1-2:30 pm	
Wed., June 11th	K of C 4498 6-8:00 pm	Multi-Purp.
Thurs., June 12th	AA Meeting 6-7:30 pm	Rm. 104

If you were kind enough to display a "SMM Festival" sign in your yard, we are asking you to return to the Parish office!

Thanks for your help in promoting the Festival!



Prayer Shawl Ministry Meeting

Tuesday, June 10th

LOCATION CHANGED ~ CONTACT LIZ FOR ADDRESS

Join in the friendship while we knit or crochet and pray for people who need prayer shawls, lap throws, chemo caps, etc. You do need to donate your own supplies but we can provide patterns.

We gladly accept items from those who are unable to attend. For more information call: Liz at 440-725-0113.

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CONTRIBUTION REPORT

May 25, 2025

Sundays & Holydays: \$ 6,230.50

Capital Improvement: \$ 1,317.00

70.00 1% Need Program:

Automatic Giving:

05-19-2025 to 05-25-2025: \$ 3,210.00

June 1, 2025, 2025

Sundays & Holydays: \$ 4,956.00

Capital Improvement: 399.00

1% Need Program: 437.00

Automatic Giving:

05-26-2025 to 06-01-2025 \$ 3,473.00

Our total collection for Easter Contributions ~ \$32, 272.00. Thank you for your generosity!!! Catholic Diocese Cleveland



On Sunday, June 29, 2025 at 2:00 PM, we will celebrate with all couples married in 1975 at the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist, 1007 Superior Ave., Cleveland, 44114. Couples celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary are invited and may bring family with them. Doors open at 1:30 PM. This is NOT a ticketed event. There is no registration required.

Parking is available on the surface lot off of Rockwell Avenue, next to the Cathedral. Parking can also be found in the garage next to the Cathedral. Handicapped seating available.

A picture opportunity with Bishop will take place on the Superior Avenue side of the Cathedral following Mass. We also invite you to take pictures around the Cathedral in the alcoves etc. WE DO NOT HIRE A PHOTOGRAPHER. Photos are on your own. If a family member is not able to take the photo, the Marriage and Family staff will be available to assist.

Spread the Word!

Join us for the best part of the summer!

On Sunday, August 3, The FEST returns to the Center for Pastoral Leadership in Wickliffe, bringing thousands together for an unforgettable day filled with faith, family, and fun— all for free!

Explore the breathtaking 56-acre campus of our Diocesan Seminary, where you'll find moments for prayer, reflection, Confession, and Adoration. Enjoy inspiring music from Maverick City Music, Danny Gokey, Ben Fuller, and Seph Schlueter.

There's something for everyone! Adults can explore engaging exhibits and giveaways, while kids and grandkids can delight in activities like a petting zoo, crafts, and more!







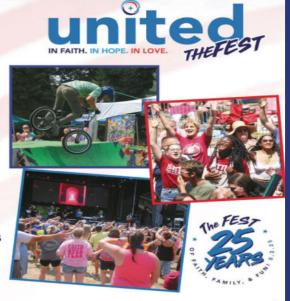












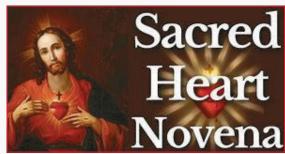
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CATHOLIC CEMETERIES ASSOCIATION

You are not alone. Catholic Cemeteries Association walks with you along your grief journey. We offer free, safe, and compassionate monthly Grief Support meetings and Memorial events throughout the year. The next Grief Support meeting is:

June 22nd – 3:00 pm In-person at 6 locations throughout the Diocese and 5:00 pm Virtual meeting; The June topics are "Loss of a Spouse", "Loneliness", and "Non-Death Loss".

For details, visit: https://www.clecem.org/
Information/Bereavement.aspx. You can view our local Grief Resource Guide and our monthly Bereavement e-newsletter Bulletin there as well. For more information or questions, call Rhonda at 216-930-4866.



On June 6th we began our Sacred Heart Novena. The Novena includes Exposition and Benediction. The Sacred Heart Novena is held on the First Friday of the month for nine months, ending February 7, 2026.

The Novena follows 9:00 am Mass.

It's Baby Bottle Time!

The Knights of Columbus are once again sponsoring a collection to benefit mothers and young children, up to age 5.

Please pick up a baby bottle in SMM's Church Gathering Area to collect your loose change, bills or checks.

Checks should be made out to K of C Council #4498.

All proceeds will be given to Birthright of Lake County on behalf of the parishioners of St. Mary Magdalene.

We will be collecting from Mother's Day to Father's Day.

You can return your donations to the collection box located in the Gathering Area.

If you have any questions, please contact Mike Weikart at (440) 487-8467.



Attention all Married Couples!

Join the Marriage Ministry Team for an ANNIVERSARY MASS celebrating all married couples here at St. Justin Martyr Parish on Tuesday, June 17. We will begin the evening with Mass at 6:30 PM with Fr. Josh Cochrac, followed by the rosary for the Vocation of Marriage, and a social in the gallery.

Please call Sandi at the parish office at 440-946-1177 or reply to this email to RSVP. Please include your anniversary date as well as a picture from your wedding.

There is no cost for the event, we just need to make sure we have enough cake for everyone! Reply to this email to be a part of this special night!



Festival co-chairs - Rosemarie and Jim Sisler Festival Committee Chairpersons and Support Staff

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Baptism

The Infant Baptismal Preparation Process assists parents with newborns through age 6 to understand the basic theology of the Sacrament & realize the responsibilities that come with the baptism of their child. If you are interested please contact the Parish Office. Children between the ages of 7 & 17 who are interested in being welcomed into the Roman Catholic faith should contact the parish office ~ 440-943-2133.

First Communion

Children between the ages of 7 & 17 who would like to receive First Holy Communion must participate in preparation classes. For more information, contact Fr. Steve Breck at 440-943-2133.

Confirmation

Youth begin direct preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation in the Fall of their 8th grade year, but they must have been in Catholic Day School or PSR for AT LEAST one year prior. If you are interested in finding out more, you can call or email Fr. Steve Breck at FrBreck@smmwillowick.org or (440) 943-2133.

Marriage

The Sacrament of Marriage requires a preparation time of at least six months. Please contact Fr. Breck for information.

Anointing of the Sick

All parishioners who are seriously ill, advanced in years, or facing serious surgery are welcome to receive the Sacrament by contacting Fr. Steve or by attending a communal anointing service, held twice per year. Children are to be anointed if they have the sufficient use of reason (age 7) to be strengthened by this Sacrament.



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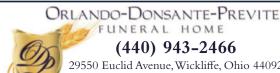
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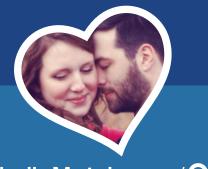
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