

Little Flower

CATHOLIC PARISH



JANUARY 16, 2022

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MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKDAY8:00 a.m.
SATURDAY.....4:00 p.m.
SUNDAY.....8:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.
HOLYDAY VIGIL MASS 7:00 p.m.

CONFESSIONS: Saturdays 2:00–3:00 p.m.
Anytime by appointment. Call the office.

MARRIAGE: Arrangements must be made with the Pastor at least six (6) months in advance, preferably one (1) year in advance.

BAPTISM: Diocesan regulations require that parents must attend a Baptism Preparation Class prior to the Baptism. Sponsors/ Godparents are also encouraged to attend. Please call the Office to register for the class.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION CLASSES (R.C.I.A): Anyone interested in becoming a fully initiated Catholic may contact the Office for more information or with any questions.

CCD (Grades K-8): Sundays 9:15-10:30AM according to set schedule. Annual registration is required

YOUTH MINISTRY (Grades 9-12):
Meets on various days and times year round according to set schedule. Annual registration is required.

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS: Please contact directly the school you wish your child to attend.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP: Parishioners entering or leaving the Parish should contact the office.

SECOND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

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OFFICE HOURS: Mon.-Fri 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Closed Noon-1p.m. for lunch

EMERGENCY CALLS: Monday thru Friday, 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m., please call the office. After hours, call office phone number and follow instructions.

NON-EMERGENCY CALLS FOR ANOINTING THE SICK OR HOSPITAL STAY:

Call the Administrative Assistant (ext. 101) at the Parish Office.



2nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

There was a wedding at Cana in Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. Jesus and his disciples were also invited to the wedding. When the wine ran short, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine."
- Jn 2:1-3

Church Overseas Combined Collection

Catholics around the country have always responded to the needs of people everywhere. **Next weekend**, the Diocese of Youngstown will hold the Church Overseas Combined Collection in order to assist the Church in its ministries throughout the world. This combined collection supports four major overseas services: Catholic Relief Services (CRS), Holy Father/Peter's Pence, the Church in Central & Eastern Europe & the Church in Latin America. Please remember, as we move toward the season of Lent, to support these important programs of charity in the Church.

MASS SCHEDULE FOR WEEK OF JANUARY 16, 2022

Monday, Jan. 17th Martin Luther King Jr. OFFICES CLOSES

8:00 a.m. No Mass

Tuesday, Jan. 18th

8:00 am Mass

8:30 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration

9:00 a.m. M 8:20 Inventory

3:00 p.m. Women’s Bible Study

7:00 p.m. Men’s Club

7:00 p.m. Evening Prayer

Wednesday, Jan. 19th

8:00 a.m. Mass

9:00 a.m. Food Distribution

9:30 a.m. Hope & Happiness

6:45 p.m. Men’s Fellowship Study

Thursday, Jan. 20th

8:00 a.m. Mass

7:30 p.m. Boy Scouts

Friday, Jan. 21st

8:00 a.m. Mass

6:00 p.m. Matthew 8:20

Saturday, Jan. 22nd

2:00 p.m. Confessions

4:00 p.m. Mass

5:00 p.m. YM Pizza Party

Sunday, Jan. 23rd

8:00 a.m. Mass

9:15 a.m. CCD

11:00 a.m. Mass

12:15 p.m. RCIA

MONDAY, Jan. 17th—Martin Luther King Jr.

8:00 a.m. No Mass

TUESDAY, Jan. 18th

8:00 a.m. Patricia Kiko (Matthew 8:20 ministry)

St. Therese Roses Merle Baumgardner (Family)

WEDNESDAY, Jan. 19th

8:00 a.m. Patty Wheeler (Trapani/Wheeler Families)

THURSDAY, Jan. 20th

8:00 a.m. Mark & Veronica Schillig (Dale & Peggy Gallucci)

FRIDAY, Jan. 21st

8:00 a.m. Dennis Schafer (Matt & Cathy Schafer)

SATURDAY, Jan. 22nd

4:00 p.m. Bill Sullivan (Carol Sullivan)

St. Therese Roses Dorothy Phillips (Family)

SUNDAY, Jan. 23rd

8:00 a.m. Dale & Mary Lou Baylor (Betty Perkins)

St. Therese Roses Nancy Pastore (Friends & Family)

11:00 a.m. Flo DeGirolamo (Tom & Joann Peters)

St. Therese Roses Judy Engblom (Dean & Donna Heinle)

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Two Masses for Life Scheduled for January 2022



Each year in January we recall the infamous Supreme Court decisions Roe vs. Wade and Doe vs. Bolton that effectively legalized abortion on demand throughout the United States. Our diocese hosts two Masses for Life as a prayerful reminder that we “must protect and nurture human life at every stage of its existence.” Bishop Bonnar will preside at the Masses for Life on: **Tues. Jan. 18th at 6:30 p.m. in the Our Lady of Perpetual Help Chapel at Walsh University and Sunday, Jan. 23rd at 4:00 p.m. at St. Columba Cathedral in Youngstown.** Each Mass for Life will include a Blessing of Children in the Womb and will be followed by a reception. All are welcome—no reservations needed. For more information contact dschmidt@youngstowndioocese.org or 330-744-8451 ext. 272.

Religious Education / Youth Ministry

FAMILY FAITH DAY

You are invited to join us for our next Family Faith Day on **Sunday, January 30, 2022 from 9:15-10:30am in the church.** This time we will take a look at the catholic teaching on the real presence in the Eucharist. This event is open to all, and the CCD families are strongly encouraged to attend!

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9 DAYS FOR LIFE: Please consider participating in the Novena for the protection of human life from January 19-27th. You can find the prayer resources here: <https://www.respectlife.org/9-days-for-life>

COLLECTIONS

Amount Needed per Week \$15,152.

PLEASE REMEMBER YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS BY MAIL OR ONLINE

Collections for Jan. 8th & 9th
E-Giving.....\$ 1,706.
Mail/Pew.....\$ 11,436.
Total..... \$ 13,142.

ONLINE GIVING

We now have Online Giving for parishioners who would like to make online donations to our weekly offerings, capital campaign payments, as well as other parish collections. If you would like to sign up, please go to www.littleflowerparish.com and click **GIVE ONLINE**. If you have any questions please contact Rhonda Turner at the parish office. Thank you!

Date	Eucharistic Minister	Lector	Altar Servers	Gift Bearers
Saturday, Jan. 22nd @ 4:00 p.m.	Marlene Walker Joann Wenger Colleen Flanagan	1) Ray Guarendi 2) John Trapani	Brian Turner	Chris & Michelle Feher & Family
Sunday, Jan. 23rd 8:00 a.m.	Mark Holben Kim Perduk Lori Wise	1) Justin Dublikar 2) Ambrose Perduk	Sebastian Holben Nicholas Holben	Mark & Kristy Holben & Family
Sunday, Jan. 23rd 11:00 a.m.	Helen Shearrow Bill McBrearty Michele McBrearty	1) Beth Hall 2) John Finnucan	Hoffman Family	Dean & Donna Heinle

Matthew 8:20

In September of this year our Matthew 8:20 Ministry began a new monthly "clothing only" outreach. This is in addition to our twice/month Outreaches to the downtown Crossroads United Methodist Church that we've been doing for many years. This new outreach takes place at the Crossroads UMC Fresh Market Food Pantry located at 3412 Harmon Ave N.E. across the street from Walmart. Like the downtown location they work with the Akron-Canton Food Bank to distribute fresh produce, meat and dairy to those in need 5 days a week. This location does not have clothing or household items like the downtown location. We are in need of a driver and 7 volunteers to complete clothing intake requests from our guests and to work in the clothing trailer. Please let us know if you are interested.

Eucharistic Adoration

Eucharistic Adoration is held every Tues. beginning at 8:30 am until 7:40 am Wed. morning. Adorers are needed;
Tuesday **Wednesdays**
 1:00-2:00am
Please call **Connie Corey, 330-608-6622**, if you are able to come & pray.
As Always, we welcome all adorers at all hours. Thank you for your continued support of this sacred ministry.

GIFT BEARERS

Do you have a special Anniversary coming up? Do you want to celebrate a Birthday or celebrate the life on the day a loved one passed away? What a gift it is to bring the Offertory Gifts up to the Altar and to remember these special dates. Please call Debbie Brown at 330-494-4650 to schedule your



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Matthew 8:20

As the days get colder our guests are in need of sweat pants. Please consider donating Men's or Women's sweat pants. Sizes needed: Small, Medium, Large & XL, 2XL & 3XL. Please place all donations in the donation drop behind the church kitchen/pavilion. God Bless & Thank You for your giving heart.

Men's Club

Little Flower Men's Club will hold its monthly meeting Tuesday, January 18th at 7:00 p.m. in the Double Classroom. All men of the Parish are welcome to attend.

Our Appreciation goes out to The Rossi Funeral Home
For providing our 2022 Parish Calendars.
Thank You!!

Our Lady of Peace Men's Club

2022 Men's Stag Fish Fry—Friday, Jan. 28th—6:30-8:00 p.m.—Donation \$20, includes Dinner & Adult Beverages. Must be 21yrs old to attend. Price includes entry & cash drawings of \$100 & \$50. Winner must be present w/ ticket to win. For Tickets, contact Michael Reed @ 330-575-3446 or email mreed@christtheservantparish.org.





Blessing of
unborn children
and their families

MASSSES FOR LIFE



2022

Tue. Jan. 18, 6:30 p.m.

Walsh University, North Canton
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Chapel
2020 E. Maple St.

Sun. Jan. 23, 4:00 p.m.

St. Columba Cathedral, Youngstown
154 W. Wood Street

Most Rev. David J. Bonnar
Bishop of Youngstown

Each Mass for Life will be followed
by a Reception including an
“Expo” of Respect Life Information
Donations accepted

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

LITTLE FLOWER CATHOLIC PARISH

"Could you not watch one hour with me?" Mark 14:37

Eucharistic Adoration is held every Tuesday morning immediately following the 8:00 a.m. mass, concluding just before the 8:00 a.m. mass on Wednesday morning. We have an immediate need to fill the following times, but welcome those who would like to commit to other times.



WEDNESDAY

1:00 a. m. – 2:00 a.m.

**For more information or if you would like to fill
the open hour, please call**

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