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APRIL 24, 2022

2nd SUNDAY OF EASTER

Jesus said to Thomas, "Put your finger here and see my hands, and bring your hand and put it into my side, and do not be unbelieving, but believe." - Jn 20:27

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday 9:00am - 4:00pm
Friday 9:00am - 1:00pm
office@saintclareparish.org

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:00pm
Sunday: 8:30am & 10:30am

DAILY MASS

Tuesday - Saturday: 8:30am

CONFESSION

By appointment only
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Envelopes 73 / 51	\$4,074	\$3,991
Loose Cash	\$ 343	\$ 0
Electronic Donations 56 / 59	\$2,267	\$3,300
Total	\$6,684	\$7,291
Easter Collection	\$11,770	
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SACRAMENTS

Baptisms

First time parents are required to attend a baptismal preparation session, preferably during the pregnancy. Please plan to attend one of these reflective and supportive sessions which are offered on the first Thursday of February, April, August, and November at 7:00pm. Contact the parish office to register.

Matrimony

Engaged couples must make an appointment with the pastor at least six months in advance of the wedding date. Please contact the parish office.

Anointing of the Sick

Any parishioner who is seriously ill and would like to receive the Anointing of the Sick should contact the parish office.

Holy Eucharist for the Sick & Homebound

Arrange for a visit or receive Holy Communion by contacting the parish office.

MEMBERSHIP & CATECHESIS

Parish Membership

If you would like to join the parish, please see Fr. George. Parishioners leaving or moving are asked to contact the parish office.

Hospitalized Parishioners

If you know of a parishioner in the hospital or have a planned hospitalization, please let the parish office know. HIPPA laws do not allow hospitals to call us.

Parish School of Religion (PSR)

PSR passes on the faith to St. Clare children in elementary school (grades 1-8) who are not attending Catholic schools. PSR meets Sunday mornings September through April. Contact the parish office to register or to learn how you can become part of this ministry.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)

A process that provides instruction in the Catholic faith. Meetings are from September through Easter. Contact the parish office for information.

OUTREACH

Prayer Line

Provides prayer for those in need.

Contact the parish office: 513.541.2100 (option 4)

Email: prayer@saintclareparish.org

St. Vincent de Paul

Assists neighbors in need in the parish and neighborhood community.

Contact: 513.205.3046

PRAYER AND WORSHIP

TODAY'S STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT

"Blessed are they who have not seen and yet believed," Jesus says in today's Gospel. For those who have not seen to believe, however, we must be good stewards of our faith, living it joyfully and sharing it generously. Then, in our time too, "men and women in great numbers" will be "added to the Lord."



The Sanctuary Candle is lit this week for a **Special Intention.**



MON
25

No Communion Service

Readings: 1 Peter 5:5b-14
Mark 16:15-20

TUES
26

8:30am **Stevens & Klosterman Families**

Readings: Acts 4:32-37
John 3:7b-15

WED
27

8:30am **Jean Follmer**

Readings: Acts 5:17-26
John 3:16-21

THUR
28

Tom Stark

Readings: Acts 5:27-33
John 3:31-36

FRI
29

Deceased members of the George T. Smith family

Readings: 1 John 1:5b—2:2
Matthew 11:25-30

SAT
30

Laarni Monzones

Readings: Acts 6:1-7
John 6:16-21

SAT
30

3rd Sunday of Easter

Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41
Revelations 5:11-14
John 21:1-19

Saturday **Fr. George**

5:00pm **Ignatius Ang**

Sunday **Fr. Bob**

8:30am **Mary Alberta Suer**

Sunday **Fr. George**

10:30am **JoAnn Summer**

SUN
1



First Eucharist of 12 children will be during the 10:30am Mass on May 1. Please keep the young people and their families in your prayers as we welcome them to the table. Thanks again to Ellen Poppleton for preparing our young people and to the parents for their dedication.

Rest in Peace

Please pray for the repose of the souls of
Irene Wallace

(mother of Trudy Wentsler)
and long time member **Jeanne Masset.**



Measure Up 2022 Campaign

The Northside K of C Council #1683 will collect donations following Masses this weekend (April 23 & 24) for the Measure Up 2022 campaign. These donations go to benefit adults with developmental disabilities at the Beckman Center in Cincinnati.



Little Brothers Friends of the Elderly



Carryout Italian Dinner & Art Show!

Enjoy homestyle Italian food with Mary Seguin in the kitchen! There will be artwork made by their elderly friends for sale, raffle baskets & Split the Pot. **Sunday, May 1, 2022 4:00-7:00pm**
5530 Colerain Ave. Dinner: \$20 for adults & \$10 for children (10 & under). No reservations required. Questions? Call 513.542.7555.

NEWS & INFORMATION

Save the Date and Get the Book:

Monday, June 6, 7-8:30pm,
Church Conference Room
The Way of the Disciple
by Erasmo Leiva-Merikakis



Please read the book before June 6. Men and women welcome. New people are especially encouraged! Each book club session is independent; come as often as you are able.

Save the Date:

St. Clare Pentecost
Potluck Party
Saturday June 4
6:00-7:30pm
Parish Center



Living Stewardship in Every Season

Resurrection! New Life! Easter Joy! As spring and activities around St. Clare continue to bloom, how might you be the steward God is calling you to be? How do you see God's generosity in your life and how do you respond in gratitude? During Lent, we encouraged you to intentionally create and commit to specific prayers, thoughts, and actions as your response to a truly generous God in all aspects of your daily routine (what Stewardship is all about!). We highlighted six aspects of daily life for focus (home, car, work, shopping, community, and parish) and provided a *Living Stewardship* handout as a visual reminder of your commitments. What fruits did you see grow in your life as a result of the practice? It's not too late to give it a try as living stewardship is always in season – be intentional over these next few weeks of the Easter Season! *Living Stewardship* handouts are available at the doors of church.

Summer Sundays: Refreshing the Soul

Breathe new life into your soul this summer with a bit of refreshing and inspiring morsels from Fr. Dave Pivonka, TOR of the The Wild Goose Ministry. No long-term commitment is required as each session stands on its own. We will meet on Sunday mornings between the Masses (9:35am-10:15am) on June 5, 12, 26, and July 3 in the Church Undercroft. Attend one, two, three or all four! Coffee and snacks provided. Taste and see how good God is!



QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK FOR APRIL 24, 2022

First Reading

Luke tells us of the success and healing power of the apostles in the Jerusalem church in the early days, weeks, and months following Jesus' resurrection. Where do you see this level of enthusiasm for the faith today?

Second Reading

The resurrected Jesus appears to John on the island of Patmos during his exile for bearing witness to the faith. In this encounter, John is initially fearful but then reassured by Jesus. When have you turned to Jesus in moments of fear in your life?

Gospel Reading

The apostle Thomas challenges his fellow apostles about the reality of Jesus' resurrection, seeking direct evidence from Jesus himself. How often do you encounter fellow believers who are skeptical in their faith?



NEWS & INFORMATION

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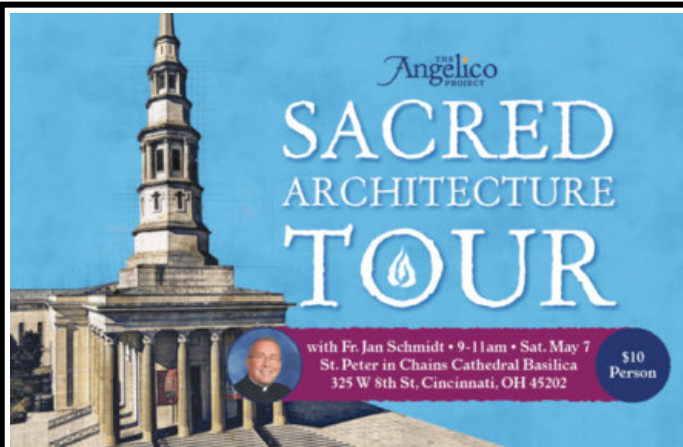
Next week our parish will take up The Catholic Relief Services Collection. Funds from this collection provide food to the hungry, support displaced refugees, and bring Christ's love and mercy to vulnerable people here and abroad. Next week, please give generously to the collection and reveal Christ's Love to those most in need. Learn more about the collection at www.usccb.org/catholic-relief.



Easter Memorial Flowers

Additional donations arrived after our Easter bulletin deadline in memory of the following:

Bare Family
Buente Family
Mary Ann DuMont
Warren Ficker
Shannon McDermott
McMahan Family
Genevieve Iskender Munson
Jean Elsie Weldishofer



Sacred Architecture Tour

Cincinnati's Cathedral Basilica is waiting for you to discover her wonders!

You may think you know Cincinnati's St. Peter in Chains Cathedral Basilica, but do you? Did you know that it's one of America's most unusual cathedrals and that it was once the city's tallest structure? This Greek Revival treasure has been waiting in your own backyard since 1845 for you to uncover its wonders, and the wait ends on May 7th!

Our Sacred Architecture Tour takes you behind the facade and through the masterpieces of architecture, art, and craftsmanship nestled under St. Peter in Chain's single-spired roof. Join the Basilica's rector, Father Jan Schmidt, as he reveals the cathedral's hidden marvels and precious treasures. See a replica of Michelangelo's Pieta, be dazzled by an original Caravaggio and a host of European delights, and discover anew the massive mosaic that St. Peter in Chains is famous for.

If you loved our fall tour of Covington's Cathedral Basilica, you won't want to miss this! Retreat into the beauty of this architectural masterpiece and let it inspire wonder in your heart for the God it serves. Get your tickets today!

Event: Sacred Architecture Tour: St. Peter in Chains Cathedral Basilica

When: May 7, 2022 Saturday 9:00—11:00am

Where: St. Peter in Chains 325 West 8th Street, Cincinnati, OH 45202

Tickets: \$10.00 available through the website: <https://angelicoproject.org/>

HONOR ROLL

Catholic High School Honor Roll Third Quarter ~ 2021-2022 School Year Congratulations to the following students:

LaSalle

Cameron Caton — 2nd Honors
Alexander Fischer-Samano — 1st Honors
Caleb Herzog — 1st Honors
Quentin Morgan — 1st Honors

Moeller

Brennan Arnold — 2nd Honors

McNicholas

Temisha Smith — 2nd Honors

St. Xavier

Mason Clouse — 2nd Honors
Alexander Dillon — 1st Honors
Nolan Haley — 1st Honors
Ted Hammond — 1st Honors
Ewan Jones — 1st Honors
William Stackpole — 1st Honors

St. Ursula Academy

Emily Lamping — 1st Honors

Roger Bacon

Ethan Caton — 2nd Honors
Catherine Curran — 2nd Honors
Mia Huber — 2nd Honors
Jack Hudgens — 2nd Honors
Emily Macey — 2nd Honors
Claire Merkle — 2nd Honors
Hannah Stark — 2nd Honors
Sarah Vogler — 2nd Honors
Zachary Vogler — 2nd Honors
Devin Walls — 2nd Honors
Nathan Weigand — 2nd Honors
Nicholas Weigand — 2nd Honors
Clare Wiley — 1st Honors

UPCOMING OPPORTUNITIES

Attention Women of St. Clare

Ladies, looking for a little spiritual boost? Does a relaxing and community-building morning with other women of faith appeal to you? Save ***Saturday, June 11*** for a reflective and inspiring retreat, *Prophets Among Us*. We will meet in the Church Undercroft Café from 9am-12:30pm.

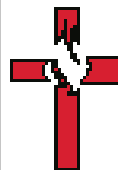


Save the date now Sunday, May 22

The famous "one and only"
St. Clare Pancake Breakfast
is back!!

Presented by the Peace & Justice Commission.

MASS and HEALING SERVICE



An invitation to attend Mass on **Wednesday, May 4 at 7:30pm, St. Ignatius Church**, 5222 North Bend Rd. Sponsored by Lighthouse Renewal Center. For more information, visit their website at www.LRC1.org or call **513.471.LITE (5483)**.

HEALING SERVICE

Our Lady of the Holy Spirit Center
5440 Moeller Ave., Norwood, OH 45212
Phone 513.351.9800
April 27, 2022
Rosary: 6:45pm
Mass: 7:15pm
Healing Service after Mass
Come to Jesus for Healing

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Attention St. Clare JPII School Families

All St. Clare families who are currently registered at John Paul II for the 2022-2023 school year should have received a packet in the mail with a **Covenant Form** and **Education Fund Scholarship Application**. The Covenant form must be filled out and returned before a family can be notified of their final tuition amount. We will once again be able to offer a few tuition scholarships to St. Clare families with tuition assistance needs. The Education Fund has been established thanks to the generosity of St. Clare parishioners who support the Angel Fund through the Christmas Wish List as well as friends of St. Clare with a strong commitment to Catholic education.



Covenant Forms and Scholarship Applications must be returned to Fr. George by May 8. Contact the parish office if you have any questions.

Catholic High School Scholarships Available



Thanks to the generous support of St. Clare parishioners and our anonymous matching gift donor, we are blessed to be able to offer tuition scholarships to St. Clare families with students attending a Catholic High School in the 2022-2023 school year. Applications have been mailed.

Applications must be returned to Fr. George by May 8. Contact the parish office if you have any questions.

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HAVE YOU MOVED, DONE AWAY WITH YOUR LANDLINE OR CHANGED YOUR EMAIL?

Please help us keep our records updated. If you have moved recently or changed any information (address, phone, email, children have married and/or moved out), please let us know.

Contact the parish office 513.541.2100 or email us at office@saintclareparish.org. Thank you!

CALENDAR

Wednesday, April 27	9:00am	St. Vincent de Paul Outreach	Undercroft
	7:00pm	Choir Rehearsal	Church
Saturday, April 30	9:00am	First Eucharist Practice & Preparation	Church & Café
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Sunday, May 1	10:30am	First Eucharist at Mass	Church

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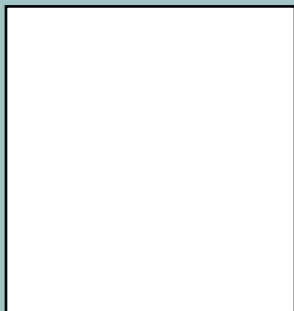
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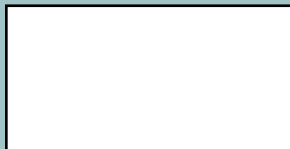
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