



# ST. MARY / ST. BENEDICT PARISH

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St. Benedict | 2207 Third Street SE, Canton, OH 44707

JUNE 19, 2022 | THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

## GET IN TOUCH

### Parish Office

330-453-2110

[www.stmary-stbenedict.com](http://www.stmary-stbenedict.com)

[officestm-stb@sbcglobal.net](mailto:officestm-stb@sbcglobal.net)

### Office Hours

Monday - Friday

9:00am-3:00pm

## MASS SCHEDULE

### Weekdays

#### Tuesday & Thursday

8:30am | Communion Service

St. Mary's

#### Wednesday & Friday

8:30am | St. Mary's

### Weekends

**Sunday** | 8:00am St. Mary's

11:00am | St. Benedict's

### Confessions

#### Second Sunday of the Month

9:00am | St. Mary's

10:30am | St. Benedict's

## PARISH STAFF

### Diocesan Pastoral Associate & DRE

Deacon Randy Smith

330-323-5904

### Secretary/Sacristan

Brenda Jones

### Facilities Manager

Shawn Roush

### Bookkeeper

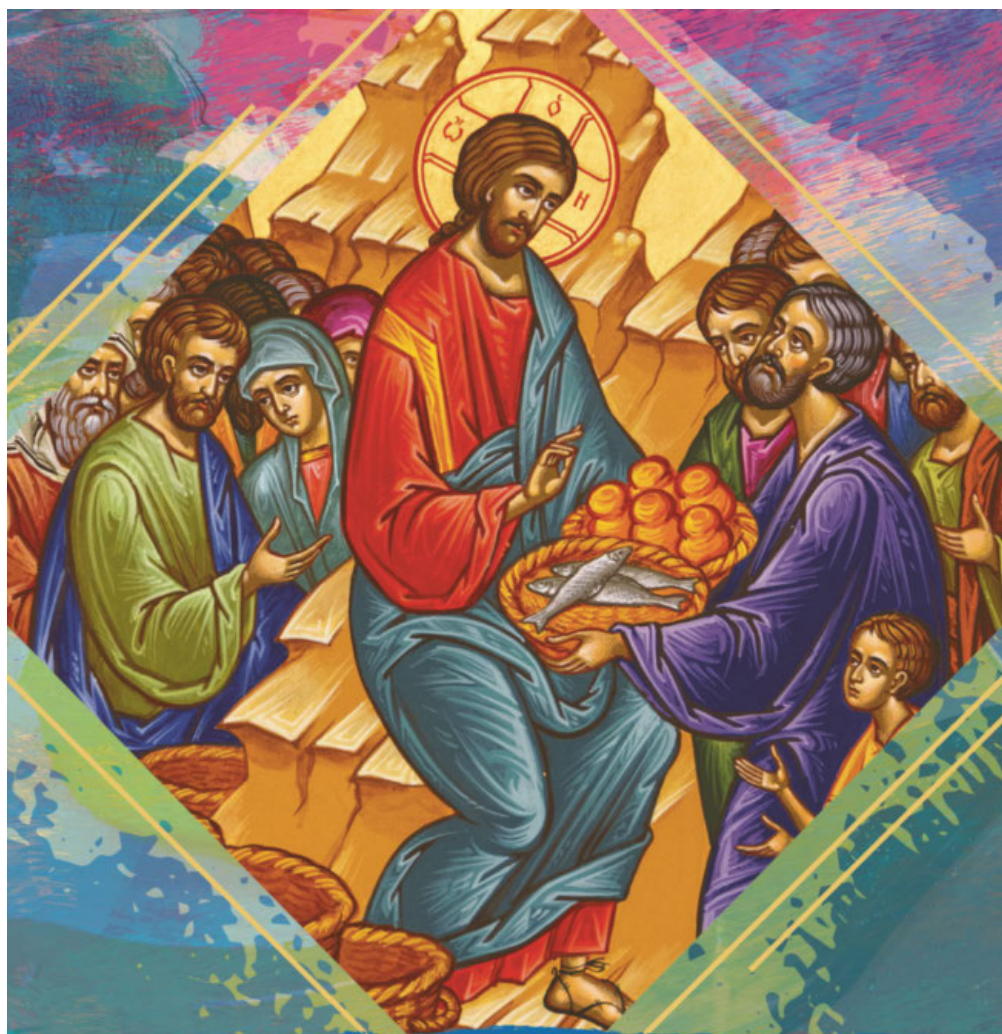
Mary Puskarich

### Children's Faith Formation Principal

Lee Ann Smith | 330-575-0918

### Prayer Chain

Susie Ritzert | 330-488-0721



## THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

They all ate and were satisfied. - Lk 9:16

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## OUR MISSION

We are people of God, celebrating our faith as a parish. With diverse roots and unique talents, we strive to love and serve God and neighbor. As we gather in prayer and worship to praise our Lord, we share a communion of faith, grace, and service. We endeavor to live as Christians by reaching out to our brothers and sisters, proclaiming the Word, demonstrating compassion, and by sharing our faith through evangelization in order to make our parish a community of love and service.

# 2 | THE COMING WEEKS

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## WELCOME!

With a full heart, we open our arms to you in friendship. We are honored to share this day with you as we worship God. We hope that the celebration of the Holy Eucharist and other events posted on our website and Facebook page will touch your heart and that you experience a sense of peace. We also hope you will continue in the knowledge that St. Mary/St. Benedict Parish is a home away from home.

**If you wish to join our parish family, register at the parish office or call the office at 330-453-2110.**

Deacon Randy is always available to you. You are welcome to contact him directly at 330-323-5904.

## PARISH ACTIVITIES FOR THE NEXT TWO WEEKS

### Sunday, June 19

8:00am | Mass (St. Mary's)  
11:00am | Mass (St. Benedict's)

### Monday, June 20

### Tuesday, June 21

8:30am | Liturgy of the Word with Communion (St. Mary's)

### Wednesday, June 22

8:30am | Mass (St. Mary's)

### Thursday, June 23

8:30am | Liturgy of the Word with Communion (St. Mary's)  
1:00pm-2:30pm | Porch Chat | Parish Office

### Friday, June 24

8:30am | Mass (St. Mary's)

### Saturday, June 25

### Next Sunday, June 26

8:00am | Mass (St. Mary's)  
11:00am | Mass (St. Benedict's)

### Next Monday, June 27

### Next Tuesday, June 28

8:30am | Liturgy of the Word with Communion (St. Mary's)

### Next Wednesday, June 29

8:30am | Mass (St. Mary's)

### Next Thursday, June 30

8:30am | Liturgy of the Word with Communion (St. Mary's)  
6:30pm | Book Club | *My Ticket to Ride* (St. Benedict's)

### Next Friday, July 1

8:30am | Mass (St. Mary's)

### Next Saturday, July 2



Pray for the repose of the soul of

**Levi Stanton**

*infant son of William & Alisha Stanton*

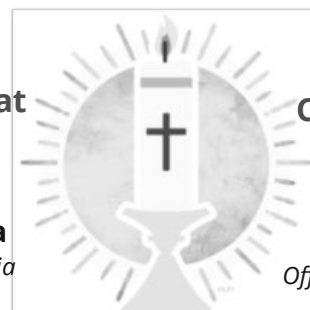
May his soul rest in peace.

**Candle Intention at  
St. Mary's**

Week of June 19

† **Cornell Matronia**

*Offered by Louise Matronia*

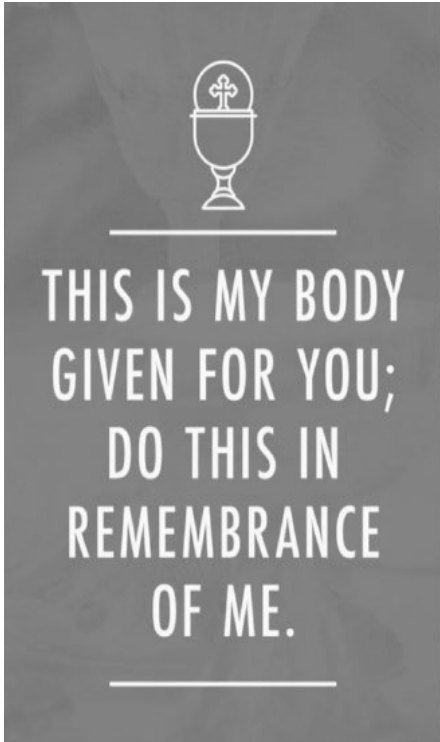


**Candle Intention at  
St. Benedict's**

Week of June 19

† **Teresa Schwing**

*Offered by The Innocenzi Family*



## LIVE THE LITURGY

Good dietitians will remind us that we are not only the product of what we eat but the disciplines we undertake. Many people spend a great deal of time and effort eating a healthy diet, getting a sufficient amount of rest, and engaging in regular exercise. Experts tell us that attending to these increases our chances for a longer life. While this is certainly a worthy pursuit, is our earthly life really the one that requires the most attention and effort? Faith kicks in to remind us that we are meant to live forever with God. Hence, isn't it our eternal destiny that requires most of our effort and attention? The food and

nourishment we need to achieve this goal and fine tune our souls for this promised inheritance are the Body and Blood of Christ. Only this heavenly sustenance will unite us with God and our brothers and sisters, strengthen us to do what the Gospel asks us to do and prepare us for life eternal. Through the discipline of prayer, our desire to receive our Lord is deepened. It is this yearning, above anything else, that we want clearly seen and front and center when we close our eyes in death. God loves us so much that he gave us his only begotten Son. Let us rush to receive him! ©LPi

## PARISH COUNCIL

### Elected to a three year term:

Jeff Dale  
Kimberly Ferguson  
Helen Engel

### Elected to a two year term:

Joe Dale  
India Jenkins  
John Schoonover

## WEEKLY READINGS

### Monday

2 Kgs 17:5-8, 13-15a, 18/Ps 60:3, 4-5, 12-13/Mt 7:1-5

### Tuesday

2 Kgs 19:9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36/Ps 48:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 10-11/Mt 7:6, 12-14

### Wednesday

Kgs 22:8-13; 23:1-3/Ps 119:33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 40/Mt 7:15-20

### Thursday

Vigil: Jer 1:4-10/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5-6ab, 15ab and 17/1 Pt 1:8-12/Lk 1:5-17  
Day: Is 49:1-6/Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15/Acts 13:22-26/Lk 1:57-66, 80

### Friday

Ez 34:11-16/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [1]/  
Rom 5:5b-11/Lk 15:3-7

### Saturday

Lam 2:2, 10-14, 18-19/Ps 74:1b-2, 3-5, 6-7, 20-21/Lk 2:41-51



## VOCATIONS

*"They all ate and were satisfied."*

Are you called to feed his flock  
as a priest?

Call Fr. Scott Kopp at  
330-744-8451  
or email:

skopp@youngstowndiocese.org

# 4 | NEWS AND EVENTS

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## THE TRAVELING CHALICE PROGRAM

Parishioners are encouraged to host the chalice for one week in their home. The program aims to help parishioners become more aware of the need for vocations and to pray for vocations, especially those God might be calling from our Parish family. Please contact the Parish office or sign up in the sacristy.



## SAFE ENVIRONMENT POLICY

### Reporting Child/Vulnerable Adult Abuse

If you or someone you know has been abused at any time by a priest, deacon, religious, seminarian, person in formation, employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Youngstown, or if you believe that abuse has occurred or is currently occurring, contact civil authorities as well as Mr. Dominic Colucy, Safe Environment Coordinator/Victim Assistance Coordinator, (office) 330-744-8451x293 or (response line) 330-718-1388.

Parish Compliance Officer: Brenda Jones  
(330) 453-2110

## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE NEXT TWO WEEKS

### Sunday, June 19

8:00am | Living & Deceased Fathers of our Parish Family  
11:00am | Living & Deceased Fathers of our Parish Family

### Wednesday, June 22

8:30am | † Cornell Matronia *Offered by Louise Matronia*

### Friday, June 24

8:30am | † Richard "Dick" Friday *Offered by Pearl Naste*

### Next Sunday, June 26

8:00am | † Lois & Gabriel Cuenot *Offered by Rick & Debbie Cuenot*  
11:00am | † Teresa Schwing *Offered by The Leo Ehret Family*

### Next Wednesday, June 29

8:30am | † Dorothy Black *Offered by Dean & Annette Dressler*

### Next Friday, July 1

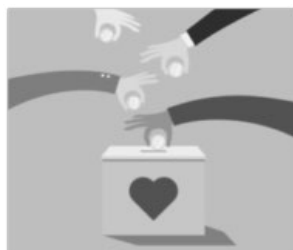
8:30am | † Living & Deceased Members of the Memorial Fund

## TIME Talent TREASURE

## STEWARDSHIP THOUGHTS

*"They all ate and were satisfied. And when the leftover fragments were picked up, they filled twelve wicker baskets." (Luke 9:17)*

The story of the Loaves and Fishes shows us that when you share what you have, even if it doesn't seem like that much, miracles can happen! Do not think that your gift is too small or insignificant! Each of us has a role in God's plan; you just need to place your trust in the Lord. Nothing is impossible with God. You may be the answer to someone else's prayer.



## STEWARDSHIP UPDATE

Offering—June 12, 2022 ..... \$5,057.00

**Thank you for your continued generosity!**

CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF YOUNGSTOWN



ANNUAL DIOCESAN APPEAL

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Please prayerfully consider making a sacrificial commitment to the 2022 Annual Diocesan Appeal. We currently have pledged \$28,941.00 (from 125 families) toward our parish goal of \$34,500.00. This is 88.82% of our goal. If you have not yet made your sacrificial gift to the work of charity and Church, envelopes are available at both worship sites or you may make your donation online at: [www.doy.org.appeal](http://www.doy.org.appeal).

## WAY TO GO!

Congratulations Sydney Sibila and the Strasburg High School softball team on the Division IV state high school softball championship!



## FIRST STEP FOR CHANGE

Thank you to all who participated in Catholic Charities' *First Step for Change* campaign. Please remember to bring your completed **FIRST STEP PACKET** to the parish no later than June 30.

## IN THE GARDEN

### Walk among the angels in Michael's Mary Garden

The Cuenots invite all parishioners and friends to visit their prayer garden at 2322 41st Street NE, Canton 44705 during the weeks of June 20 and June 27 from 6pm-9pm on Monday, Wednesday, or Friday. Over 150 varieties of perennials planted over two decades. Visit nature's paradise and walk their garden rosary.

## SUMMER READING

### June

*My Ticket to Ride* by Janice Mitchell. We will meet on June 30 at St. Benedict's for discussion.

### July

*The Stranger in the Lifeboat* by Mitch Albom. We will meet on July 28 at St. Benedict's for discussion.

### August

*The Boy in the Striped Pajamas* by John Boyne. We will meet on August 25 at St. Benedict's for discussion.



## PORCH CHAT

Bring a chair (and a cold beverage if you would like) and join Deacon Randy on June 23 from 1:00pm-2:30pm on the front porch of the Parish Office.



## MASS IN THE CABIN

Fr. Lang joyfully invites us to the Mass in the Cabin located at **St. Philip Neri in Hanoverton on June 23 at 7:00 p.m.** 11328 Gavers Road Hanoverton, Ohio 44423. [4 miles East of Hanoverton, 2 miles East on U.S. 30, 2 more miles East on Gavers].

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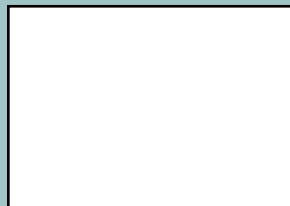
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