



ST. MARY / ST. BENEDICT PARISH

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JUNE 26, 2022 | 13TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

GET IN TOUCH

Parish Office

330-453-2110

www.stmary-stbenedict.com

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

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Deacon Randy Smith

330-323-5904

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Brenda Jones

Facilities Manager

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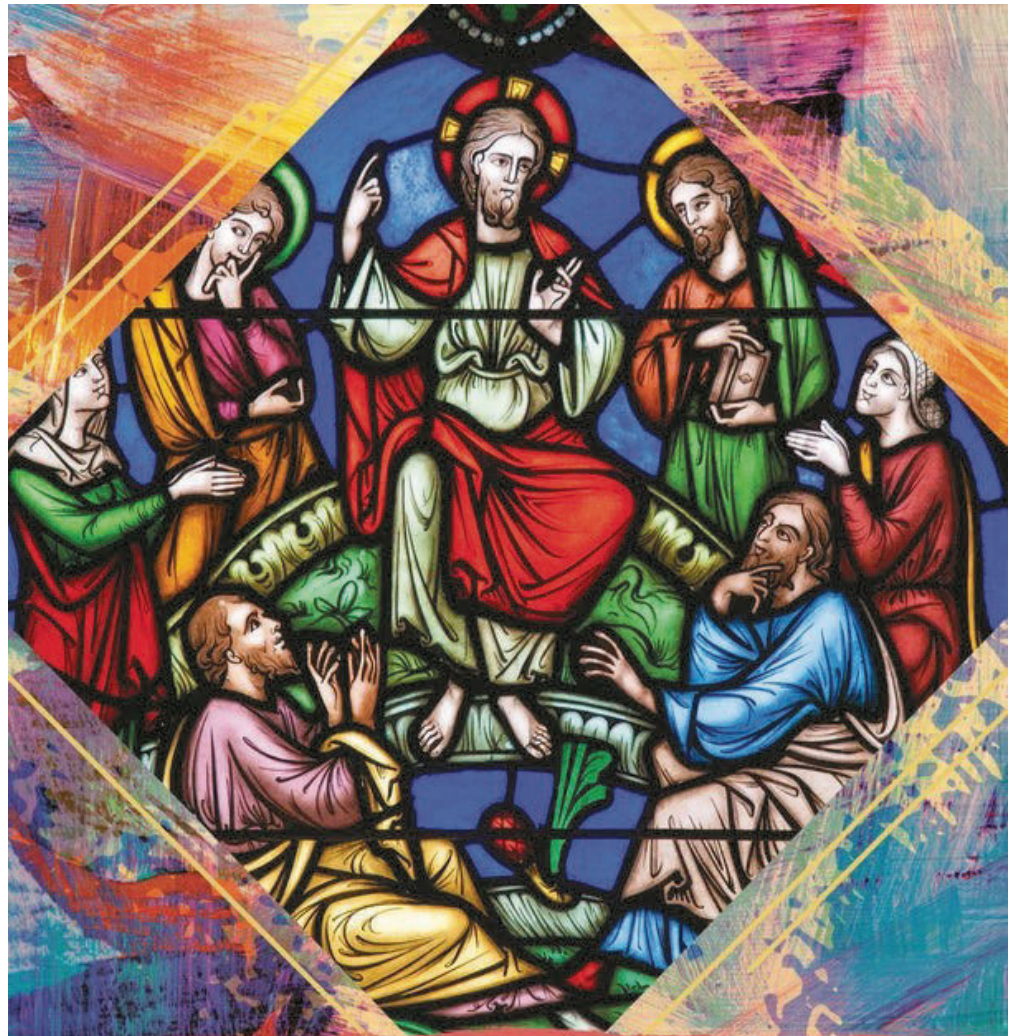
Mary Puskarich

Children's Faith Formation Principal

Lee Ann Smith | 330-575-0918

Prayer Chain

Susie Ritzert | 330-488-0721



13TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"No one who sets a hand to the plow and looks to what was left behind is fit for the kingdom of God." - Lk 9:62

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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.

HOSPITAL CALLS

Please notify the parish office when you or a loved one is hospitalized. Due to HIPAA privacy laws, **hospitals do not notify us if you or your loved one is admitted.** Please understand that the office message system is not connected to private cell numbers. You are always welcome to contact Deacon Randy directly.

PARISH ACTIVITIES FOR THE NEXT TWO WEEKS

Sunday, June 26

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

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

Monday, June 27

Youth Group Mission Trip (Cincinnati/Kentucky)

Tuesday, June 28

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

Youth Group Mission Trip (Cincinnati/Kentucky)

Wednesday, June 29

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

Youth Group Mission Trip (Cincinnati/Kentucky)

Thursday, June 30

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

Youth Group Mission Trip (Cincinnati/Kentucky)

6:30pm | Book Club | *My Ticket to Ride* (St. Benedict's)

Friday, July 1

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

Saturday, July 2

Next Sunday, July 3

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

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

Next Monday, July 4

Happy 4th of July!

Office Closed

Next Tuesday, July 5

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

Next Wednesday, July 6

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

Next Thursday, July 7

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

Next Friday, July 8

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

Next Saturday, July 9

9:00am | Food Pantry Distribution (St. Mary's)

Candle Intention at St. Benedict's

Week of July 3

† **Teresa Schwing**

Offered by The Ehret Family





LIVE THE LITURGY

God calls us in the midst of ordinary things. Often only looking for God in the dramatic, spectacular, the ritual or the sacred places, we miss that He is walking beside us. Every moment of every day, in every circumstance and experience, God is calling to us, "Follow me." Sometimes, we are too distracted to hear this call. Other times, we would rather ignore it or pretend it wasn't heard. God, however, is very persistent. Whether we fine tune our hearing to receive this invitation now or when we close our eyes in death, we need to make a choice. The choice involves leaving some things behind and moving forward, taking risks. Choosing to keep focused and

single-minded, the lens we then use to see our world and one another is God's, not our own. Life is no longer about what is important or matters to me but what matters to God. We acquire a new filter and are asked to use that filter to make choices, establish priorities, and determine what direction we will take, and how to love. Once we accept God's invitation, we cannot keep looking back to what was left behind, only forward to the surprises yet to come. ©LPi



A big thank you to all who helped make Vacation Bible School (VBS) 2022 a success! The children spent each evening learning about the power of faith, hope, and love and how these virtues changed the lives of Juan Diego, Brigid of Ireland, Martin de Porres, Nicholas of Myra, and Kateri Tekakwitha.

WEEKLY READINGS

Monday

Am 2:6-10, 13-16/Ps 50:16bc-17, 18-19, 20-21, 22-23/Mt 8:18-22

Tuesday

Am 3:1-8; 4:11-12/Ps 5:4b-6a, 6b-7, 8/Mt 8:23-27

Wednesday

Vigil: Acts 3:1-10/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Gal 1:11-20/Jn 21:15-19 Day: Acts 12:1-11/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/Mt 16:13-19

Thursday

Am 7:10-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/Mt 9:1-8

Friday

Am 8:4-6, 9-12/Ps 119:2, 10, 20, 30, 40, 131/Mt 9:9-13

Saturday

Am 9:11-15/Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14/Mt 9:14-17



VOCATIONS

"Serve one another through love."

Does a life of prayer and service as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life attract you?

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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 26

8:00am | † Lois & Gabriel Cuenot
11:00am | † Teresa Schwing

Offered by Rick & Debbie Cuenot
Offered by The Leo Ehret Family

Wednesday, June 29

8:30am | † Dorothy Black

Offered by Dean & Annette Dressler

Friday, July 1

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

Next Sunday, July 3

8:00am | † John, Dorothy & Tami Garner
11:00am | † Jim Reagan

Offered by Family
Offered by Jean Reagan

Next Wednesday, July 6

8:30am | † Bryce Ross

Offered by Analyn Taylor

Next Friday, July 8

8:30am | † Todd Madison

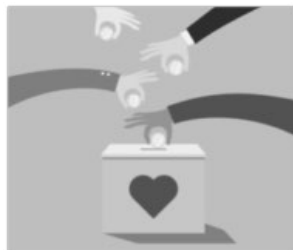
Offered by Helen Engel

TIME Talent TREASURE

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHTS

"For you were called to freedom, brothers and sisters. But do not use this freedom as an opportunity for the flesh; rather serve one another through love." (Galatians 5:13)

We like to celebrate that we are free to "live the good life." We can do what we want, anytime we want, with no regard for laws. But, Jesus calls us to a different kind of freedom. St. Paul reminds us that by imitating Jesus we are freed from becoming a slave to our own self-interests and desires, so that we can serve one another. We are free to share our gifts and promote God's work on earth to glorify His name and not honor ourselves.



STEWARDSHIP UPDATE

Offering—June 19, 2022 \$2,997.00

Thank you for your continued generosity!

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ONE IN HOPE,
ONE IN MISSION

ANNUAL DIOCESAN APPEAL

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Please prayerfully consider making a sacrificial commitment to the 2022 Annual Diocesan Appeal. We currently have pledged \$31,541.00 (from 126 families) toward our parish goal of \$34,500.00. This is 89.10% 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.

FOOD PANTRY

Our Food Pantry operates on a monthly basis. If you would like to register, or know someone who could use help with food, cleaning supplies and home products, please contact Linda Miller: 330-936-2335 or lmfaithfamily@gmail.com to register.



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 this week 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.

RECORDS UPDATE

Please notify the parish office of any changes to your address, phone number, receiving bulletins, or "robo calls", etc.



OUR LADY OF LOURDES GROTTO

July 1, 2022 7:00 p.m.

Outdoor Mass and Rosary on the grounds of Central Catholic High School. If it rains, Mass will be celebrated in the school gym.



NEW DRIVER'S LICENSE

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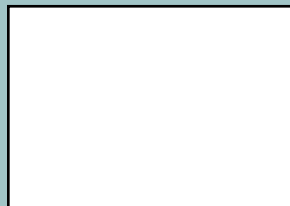
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