



# ST. MARY / ST. BENEDICT PARISH

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

JULY 3, 2022 | 14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## 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



## 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.

**Sanctuary Candle Intention at St. Benedict's**  
Week of July 3  
† **Teresa Schwing**  
*Offered by The Ehret Family*

**Blessed Mother Candle Intention at St. Benedict's**  
Week of July 3  
† **Kathleen Chipko**  
*Offered by Ruth Chipko*

## PARISH ACTIVITIES FOR THE NEXT TWO WEEKS

### Sunday, July 3

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

### Monday, July 4

**Happy 4th of July!**  
Office Closed

### Tuesday, July 5

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

### Wednesday, July 6

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

### Thursday, July 7

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

### Friday, July 8

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

### Saturday, July 9

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

### Next Sunday, July 10

8:00am | Mass (St. Mary's)  
11:00am | Mass (St. Benedict's)  
*Confessions after 8:00am Mass and at 10:30am before the 11:00am Mass*

### Next Monday, July 11

St. Benedict Feast Day

### Next Tuesday, July 12

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

### Next Wednesday, July 13

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

### Next Thursday, July 14

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

### Next Friday, July 15

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

### Next Saturday, July 16



**Sanctuary Candle Intention at St. Mary's**  
Week of July 10  
† **John & Nettie Majestic**  
*Offered by Toni Ostapack-Padgett*



**St. Benedict Candle Intention at St. Benedict's**  
Week of July 10  
† **Ryan Jedel**  
*The Stropki Family*



## LIVE THE LITURGY

The celebration of our country's independence gives us cause to reflect on the gift of freedom. We treasure the liberties our country provides, but are they the real source of freedom? True freedom is a gift given to us by God, not by the world. In fact, the world robs us of freedom by tethering us to a need for money, power, possessions, and prestige as vehicles to success and measures of self-worth. Even though we possess certain

liberties, we are held captive by a system that sees no value in the Cross of Christ. It is no wonder Jesus sent his seventy-two disciples into the world with only what they were wearing. The freedom given to us by God is a matter of the heart and requires detachment from the very things we think we cannot do without. A heart secure in God's peace is something no one can take away and something really worth dying for. ©LPI



## WEEKLY READINGS

### Monday

Hos 2:16, 17c-18, 21-22/Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Mt 9:18-26

### Tuesday

Hos 8:4-7, 11-13/Ps 115:3-4, 5-6, 7ab-8, 9-10/Mt 9:32-3

### Wednesday

Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12/Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mt 10:1-7

### Thursday

Hos 11:1-4, 8e-9/Ps 80:2ac and 3b, 15-16/Mt 10:7-15

### Friday

Hos 14:2-10/Ps 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-13, 14 and 17/Mt 10:16-2

### Saturday

Is 6:1-8/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Mt 10:24-33



## VOCATIONS

*"The harvest is abundant but the laborers are few." Are you called to be a laborer for Christ as a priest, deacon, brother or sister?*

For more information: contact  
Fr. Chad Johnson  
(330) 744-8451 or  
email:  
[cjohnson@youngstowndiocese.org](mailto:cjohnson@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, July 3

8:00am | † John, Dorothy & Tami Garner *Offered by Family*  
11:00am | † Jim Reagan *Offered by Jean Reagan*

### Wednesday, July 6

8:30am | † Bryce Ross *Offered by Analyn Taylor*

### Friday, July 8

8:30am | † Todd Madison *Offered by Helen Engel & Mary Jane Weaver*

### Next Sunday, July 10

8:00am | † Living & Deceased Members of the Altar Rosary Society  
11:00am | † Lawrence Stuckey, Jr. *Offered by Rick & Debbie Cuenot*

### Next Wednesday, July 13

8:30am | † Teresa Schwing *Offered by The Innocenzi Family*

### Next Friday, July 15

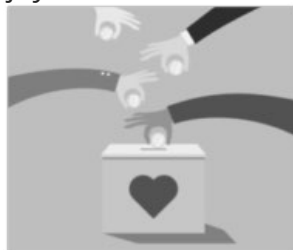
8:30am | † Cletus "Clete" Rohr *Offered by Leo & Carol Soehnen*

## TIME Talent TREASURE

### STEWARDSHIP THOUGHTS

*"He said to them, 'The harvest is abundant, but the laborers are few...'" Luke 10:2*

As Catholics we are all called to serve. Each of us has been given "charisms" otherwise known as gifts from the Holy Spirit to help build God's Church. Our charisms can only be used for good. We know that we are using them in the right ministry when we are filled with joy and we want to share stories about our charitable works. Discern how God is calling you to use your charisms. Say "yes" to what God is calling you to do and then do it! Share your joy and invite others to do the same.



### STEWARDSHIP UPDATE

Offering—June 26, 2022 ..... \$3,304.00

**Thank you for your continued generosity!**

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ONE IN MISSION

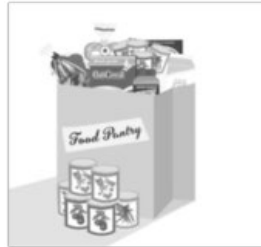
ANNUAL DIOCESAN APPEAL

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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](http://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](mailto:lmFaithFamily@gmail.com) to register.



## SUMMER READING

### 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.

## 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 call Deacon Randy directly.

## MISSION CO-OP APPEAL

Fr. Anthony Kekai from the Diocese of Bomadi, Nigeria will be celebrating the Masses on July 17 for the annual Mission Co-op Appeal. This visit is part of a national program in which annually a representative of one of the missionary groups visits parishes of the Diocese to invite parishioners to share in the mission work of the universal Church.

## RECORDS UPDATE

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



## CONGRATULATIONS

### TOM CHIAPPINI

Tom was inducted into Stark State College's 2022 Alumni Hall of Fame in recognition of his professional and community achievements!



## NEW DRIVER'S LICENSE

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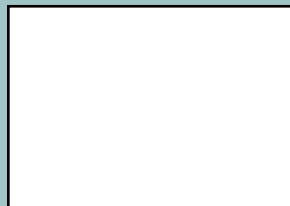
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