CHURCH OF THE **RESURRECTION**



2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME JANUARY 16, 2022





We are a Eucharistic community committed to the teachings of Jesus. We embrace our call to love, to serve, and to build a just world.

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RESPECT LIFE PRAYER

Loving God, Creator of every human heart, thank you for the precious gift of life. Help us to cherish and protect this gift, even in the midst of fear, pain, and suffering. Give us love for all people, especially the most vulnerable, and help us bear witness to the truth that every life is worth living.

Grant us the humility to accept help when we are in need and teach us to be merciful to all. Through our words and actions, may others encounter the outstretched hands of Your compassion and mercy. We ask this through Christ, our Lord.

Amen.

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Order of Worship

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GATHERING	God Is Love	#699
	from the Mass of Joy and Peace by Tony Alonso	#206
	om the Mass of Joy and Peace by Tony Alonso	#207
1ST READING:	Isaiah 42: 1+4, 6-7	_
PSALM	ISAIAH 96: Proclaim To All The Nations	#67
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2ND READING:	Titus 2:11-14, 3:4-7	
	ATION from the Mass of Joy and Peace by Tony Alonso	#208
GOSPEL	Luke 3:15-16, 21-22	
HOMILY		
THE APOSTLE'S C	REED	#175
UNIVERSAL PRAY	ER:	
the entrance to our contributions that e are processed forwo	Preparation of the Altar & Presentation of the Gifts practice at Resurrection Parish is to place the offertory basket for the contril worship space so that people can make an offering as they enter for worship everyone makes in order that we might sustain the ministry and serve to the ard during the preparation of altar, we include the monetary offering of the o and the gifts of bread and wine which will be consecrated for our feasting durin	We are grateful for the community. As the gifts community, food for the
CHANT RES	SPONSE: "We pray to the LORD, hear our prayer." We Are Many Parts	#834
EUCHARISTIC ACC	CLAMATIONS from the Mass of Joy and Peace by Tony Alonso	
HOLY		#211
MYSTERY OF FAIT	n	#212 #215
THE LORD'S PRAY	/ER	
SIGN OF PEACE		
	m the Mass of Joy and Peace by Tony Alonso	#216
	m the Mass of Joy and Peace by Tony Alonso May We Be One	#216 #394

Dear Parishioners,

The German poet Goethe wrote "As soon as you trust yourself, you'll know how to live." Entering into this third week of January, the holidays now a memory, and our New Year's resolutions well... maybe some of you have been better than I have. Each new year I begin with a list of things that I would like to do differently, areas in my life that I would like to improve, things that I'd like to become better at.

Tweaking my personality, improving the quality of my life. I guess we all want that. We all want to live better, be happier, feel fulfilled.

We live our faith by the choices we make.

Life gives us opportunities to learn and gratefully, relearn. God gives us what we need to meet the challenges and to embrace each lesson.

Trust and Faith...small words with huge meaning.

Have faith and trust that life can give us all that we need!



God Bless,

Terry

This Week at the Parish

15, January | Saturday

1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1a/Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mk 2:13-17

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:30pm Confessions

5:30pm Mass Suzanne Cleary – Jack & Helen Rafferty

Collection of Donations for Afghani Refugees

16, January | Sunday

Is 62:1-5/Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10 [3]/1 Cor 12:4-11/ Jn 2:1-11

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00am Mass Christina Lewayne – Gary & Karen Glinski 11:00am Mass James Edward Nelis – Joseph &

Maria Shafran

Collection of Donations for Afghani Refugees

 17, January
 Monday
 St. Anthony

 1 Sm 15:16+-23/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23/Mk 2:18-22

Martin Luther King Jr. Day

8:30am Mass Ken Gerbasi - The Pastoral Staff

7:00pm Taizé Prayer for Justice and Peace – Worship Space and livestreaming

18, January | Tuesday

1 Sm 16:-13/Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28Mk 2:23-28

8:30am Mass John & Agnes Blatnica - Sr. Dorothy Blatnica

5:00pm Solon Mobile Pantry

7:00pm Women's Spirituality

19, January | Wednesday

1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10/Mk 3:1-6

8:30am Mass Judy Bodziony - Adam & Catherine Fender

7:00pm PPC Meeting (ZOOM)

20, January | Thursday

St. Fabian St. Sebastian

1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10/Mk 3:1-6

6:30am Men's Prayer Group

21, January | Friday

St. Agnes

1 Sm 24:3-21/Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6, 11/Mk 3:13-19

8:30am Mass Kevin Riordan - The Pastoral Staff

22, January | Saturday

Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children

2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27/Ps 80:2-3, 5-7/Mk 3:20-21

3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30am PSR

9:30am Synod Listening Session (WS)

10:00am Thea Bowman Hunger Center (*)

4:30pm Confessions

5:30pm Mass Marge Wasie Wyszinski – Holton Family

Collection of Donations for Afghani Refugees

23, January | Next Sunday

Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/PS 19:8-10, 15/1Cor 12:12-30/ Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-211

3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00am Mass Judy Bodziony – Jim Gulick & Finance Office Friends

10:00am Food Pantry Volunteer Meeting

11:00am Mass Violeta Returzo - Aida Aldana

11:00am 7th and 8th Grade Retreat

3:30pm Music In A Sacred Space - ART Trio

Collection of Donations for Afghani Refugees

Readings for the Day To follow along with the daily readings visit **https://bible.usccb.org**

Parish News

Death in the Parish

rish We mourn the death of parishioners Mary Tarczy, 102 and Dr. Marcial Aldana, 83



Mary, wife of the late Alexander Tarczy, mother of Kenneth (Jane) and Jerry (Elise) and grandmother and great-grandmother to many, passed away on January 2nd and her funeral Mass was celebrated on Saturday, January 8th at 12:30pm.



Marcial, husband of Zenaida Aldana, father of Antionette (William), Bernadette and Mark and grandfather to Jacob and Nicholas, passed away on January 4th and his funeral mass was celebrated on Wednesday, January 12th at 12noon.

We pray with the church that having loved the Lord here on earth they may now rejoice in the joys of heaven.

Prayers for our Prayer Sister

Sr. Rita Mary Perl, who prays for our parish every day,

recently lost her twin sister, Sr. Ruth Mary Perl,

unexpectedly to a heart attack. Please keep them in your prayers.

Taizé

Join us on **Monday, January 17th at 7pm** in the Worship Space and Livestreaming as we celebrate Martin Luther King Jr. Day with

a Taizé prayer for Justice and Peace in our nation and in our world.



Afghan Refugee Collection The generosity of our parishioners has been very evident throughout this Christmas Season and only God knows just how many people were gifted because of this! The need continues however, as we all know, and one particular need we would like to address as a parish family is assisting Afghan refugee families arriving in Cleveland at this time. We are partnering with the US Committee for Refugees and Immigrants in their Cleveland Field Office to collect specific items needed for resettling refugees in the Cleveland area. This agency interfaces with other local efforts such as the West Side Catholic Center to service incoming Afghan families. Items needed should be new and include the following:

large frying pan and big pots with lids tea kettles large oven safe baking dishes large microwave safe serving bowls blankets – full & twin new pillows mops & brooms 13 gallon trash cans with lids, trash bags paper towels, toilet paper, tissues general cleaning supplies diapers & baby wipes toddler sippy cups

A collection site will be setup in the Gathering Area from January 15 thru 23. Anyone willing to help transport these items to the USCRI Donation Center at 3167 Fulton Rd. in Cleveland, please contact Sr. Susan at <u>sjavorek@churchofresurrection.org</u> or 440-248-0980.

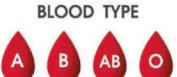
News Continued...

Women's Retreat Ladies of Resurrection, Sr. Susan will be hosting an opportunity for you to slip away for 24 hours of peace and pondering at Bethany, the retreat center of the Sisters of Notre Dame, **Friday, January 28 beginning at 5:00 pm. thru Saturday, January 29 at 5:00 pm.** Bethany is located on the Sisters' property at 13000 Auburn Rd. in Chardon (It is across from NDCL high school). Bethany has 25 private rooms along with a large gathering room and spacious dining area. The time will include casual conversations around prayer, presence and God's providence in our lives. There will be opportunities for prayer together and personal prayer time. Registration fee of \$35 is requested prior to attending. Participants need to be vaccinated. If interested, or for more information, contact Sr. Susan at <u>sjavorek@churchofresurrection.org</u> or 440-248-0980.

Blood Drive The Red Cross urges people to share their good health and resolve to give blood regularly, beginning in January with National Blood Donor Month. Those who come to give blood in January will automatically be entered for a chance to win a getaway to Super Bowl LVI in Los Angeles.

As an extra thank-you from the Red Cross, those who come to donate will also be automatically entered to win a home theater package and a \$500 e-gift card. Terms apply; visit <u>RedCrossBlood.org/SuperBowl</u> for more information. Complete your pre-donation reading and health history at <u>RedCrossBlood.org/RapidPass</u> or with the Blood Donor App before your appointment. **Resurrection's Blood Drive is Tuesday, January 25, at 1:30pm in Trivison Hall.**

The Red Cross continues to address a nationwide blood shortage. Donors of all blood types are needed to give now to ensure blood is available when patients need it.



Blessing of Throats

The weekend of **January 29th and 30th** we will bless throats at the end of each Mass in honor of the **Feast of St. Blaise**, which is February 3rd in the Roman Calendar.







2021 Synod 2023 For a synodal Church communion 1 participation 1 mission

Dear Parishioners,

Pope Francis wants to hear from you! Yes . . .he has asked bishops around the world to organize listening sessions in their parishes to discern world-wide what it means to be Church today and where the Holy Spirit is calling us as we create our future.

Bishop Malesic formally began this process with an opening liturgy at St. John's Cathedral last October. The Diocesan Office of Parish Life developed a process for these listening sessions and made available training materials to all parishes and Catholic Institutions.

The Resurrection Parish staff has scheduled four opportunities the week of January 23rd for parishioners to participate in this process of sharing, listening, and visioning.

Saturday, January 22 from 9:30 – 10:45 a.m. (A good time for PSR parents!) Tuesday, January 25 from 7:00 – 8:30 p.m. (ZOOM - register to receive the Zoom link) Wednesday, January 26 from 9:00 – 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, January 26 from 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.

An additional session is scheduled for those who have stepped away from the Catholic faith for whatever reason. Pope Francis wants to hear from them and why they became disenfranchised. This session will be held on **Thursday, February 17 from 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.** We hope you will extend an invitation to someone you know who no longer finds a home in the Catholic Church.

Once these sessions are completed a summary synthesis will be sent to the Diocesan Office of Parish Life. That office will compile a summary synthesis from all parishes and Catholic Institutions and send it to the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops and who will send the summary synthesis to Pope Francis.

We hope you will think about joining us in this most important process. To help you prepare to participate, please give some thought to the following two questions.

What do you find life-giving in your Catholic faith today? What do you think are the pressing issues challenging the Church today?

It is our hope that many parishioners will invest some personal time to reflect on these questions and participate in the sharing and listening opportunities offered for the good of our entire world-wide church.

Use the sign-up genius on our parish website or email blast to join the session of your choice by January 20.

"We are a pilgrim people, a community of believers on the way to the Father together. How we get there with one another as a Church is the focus of this synodal process." - Bishop Malesic



Chardon Polka Band and **Burning River Brass** helped make the start to our 16th Season of Music In A Sacred Space a great success! Mark your calendars for the rest of our 2021-2022 Concert Season offerings, including **ART Trio** on **Sunday**, **January 23rd at 3:30pm** and **The Cleveland Celtic Ensemble** on **Friday**, **February 4th at 7pm**. All concerts are free (free will offering accepted) and open to the public. Masks are required at each performance.

TAX STATEMENTS

If you would like a copy of your Contribution Statement for the 2021 Tax year, please contact **Diane Lionti** in the business office at **440.248.0980 ext. 23** or email her at **dlionti@churchofresurrection.org.** Please indicate if you would like your statement mailed, emailed or if you want to pick it up in the parish office.



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