ST. HENRY CATHOLIC CHURCH

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We are one family - gathered around the table of the Lord reaching out to those in need.

SEPTEMBER 11, 2022



24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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"I tell you, there will be rejoicing among the angels of God over one sinner who repents." - Lk 15:10

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SVDP FURNITURE DRIVE OCTOBER 7-8

St. Vincent de Paul is sponsoring a furniture drive on Friday through Sunday, October 8 and 9

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ALIVE FALL COOKOUT SEPT 11 | 5:00PM - 7:00PM

All teens and families are invited to join us as we kick off the school year! Food, fellowship, meet the team ...

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FAMILY OF PARISHES MASS TIMES

Our Lady of Good Hope Saturday 4:30pm

Sunday 8:30, 11:00am

St. Henry

Saturday 5:00pm Sunday 8:00, 9:30, 11:00am

St. Mary of the Assumption

Saturday 4:00pm Sunday 8:30, 10:30am, 6:00pm

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Online Giving, July	\$6,580.00
August 29, 2022	
St. Vincent	

Thank you for your support!

Consider setting up online giving! Visit sthenryparish.com/donate and click the "WeShare" link in the first bullet point.

SATURDAY CONFESSION TIMES

2:45-3:45 at St. Mary 3:15-4:15 at Our Lady of Good Hope 3:45-4:45 at St. Henry Or, anytime by appointment.

PRAYER CHAIN

For prayer requests contact Stephanie Kassman at markstephjosh@aol.com.

"Pray, Hope, and don't worry. Worry is useless, God is merciful and will hear your prayers." - St. Padre Pio

SAFEPARISH replaced VIRTUS several months ago. The link and pass code are below.

www.aocsafeenvironment.org passcode: protectcincy

Contact Jennifer Zwiers
(jzwiers@sthenryparish.com) for a
token to complete the online
background check. This process takes
2-4 weeks to complete. Until it is
complete, you may not minister with
children.

BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS

Please send bulletin submissions to: info@sthenryparish.com

BULLETIN DEADLINES: Bulletin submissions are due the Sunday two full weeks prior to the Sunday of the bulletin.

Expect a reply confirming receipt of your announcement. If you do not receive a reply within a couple days, kindly follow up.

Schedule	Intention
8:00 am Mass Sunday September 11	Geraldine Cissell
9:30 am Mass Sunday September 11	James Miller & Family
11:00 am Mass Sunday September 11	Miracle/Madden Families
7:00 am Mass Tuesday September 13	Joe Duell
9:00 am Mass Wednesday September 14	Joyce Wendeln
9:00 am Mass Friday September 16	Marilyn Huber
5:00 pm Mass Saturday September 17	Cathy Rauch
8:00 am Mass Sunday September 18	Art Komorowski
9:30 am Mass Sunday September 18	Carolyn Streisel
11:00 am Mass Sunday September 18	Charles, Francie & Carl Dittmer

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

ST. HENRY

First Friday of Every Month

After the 9:00am Mass until **6:45pm**: Adoration with Exposition. Note the time change!

You are invited to sign up for an hour by calling Clara Hodgson 937-859-4606 or 937-516-1421. Can't do an hour? Just drop in for as long as you are able.

All Other Fridays

8:30pm - 10:00pm: Adoration (no exposition)

Please note: the handicap door in the front is the only door unlocked. Should it be locked (happens sometimes) knock on the door and someone will let you in.

OUR LADY OF GOOD HOPE

Mondays

5:30 - 6:30pm

WELCOME TO THE PARISH

Mary Casey

The Reinemann Family: Scott, Christine & Oliver



CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

11:00 Sunday Mass at St. Henry Church Beginning Sunday, September 11

All children from St. Henry's and from our family of parishes are welcome! Come hear God's word as we listen, sing and experience the Gospel! We will hear about Jesus and His great love for us. Parents of younger children are always welcome.

Questions? Email Jill at jmckids@yahoo.com

From the Pastor's Desk

Announcing the 'Transition Committee.' I am very pleased to inform you that I have asked three people from each parish to assist me on a Transition Committee. The purpose of this group will be to help me make some critical decisions as I organize our three parish staffs as a united staff, and sort out questions about offices and related matters.

As I explained when I called each of the people below, in my prior assignment I directly supervised six or



FATHER MARTIN FOX

seven employees; now I have so many I'm not even sure how many report directly to me! This is a recipe for missing things and not being a good supervisor of employees and volunteers, or a good pastor to all. This invites minor problems to be neglected and to fester into major problems, even as I get bogged down in administrative tasks. And it means that neither I, nor our staff, will be able to pivot nimbly in response to an unexpected challenge or opportunity.

There will be some re-arranging of responsibilities and some new positions created, and all this needs to be thought out carefully, and yet this can't drag on.

Another task will be to sort out office needs. We'll probably always have an office at each parish site; yet one will be the "main" office, the other "satellite" offices. Some staff will need to work in the same office; but not all. Sorting the office needs will, in turn, will help clarify our options for Fathers Bishop and Howard and me to live under one roof, which is impossible right now.

Can you see why I needed this group? Here are the folks who graciously accepted my invitation to serve on the Transition Committee:

From Our Lady of Good Hope: Wayne Baumgarten, Martin McGinley and Mike Thomas. From St. Henry: Kristi Estep, J.R. Hochwalt and Joyce Washington. From St. Mary: Rob Bardua, Becky Iverson, and Mike Zettler. This includes several members of our pastoral and finance councils, Knights of Columbus, and other parish organizations. There are many backgrounds represented with lots of expertise in many fields. I had the help of Father Jim Manning and Tom Shearer in putting together a list of folks to call that was much larger than this.

The next step will be for this group to do some homework and then meet sometime in the next few weeks to get started. I will do my best to report on these efforts going forward.

- Fr. Martin Fox, frmartinefox@gmail.com, (937) 434-9231



WHAT'S BLESSINGS IN A BAG?

Our Blessings-in-a-Bag ministry helps feed children in our community who experience food insecurity.

In collaboration with other organizations in the area, we provide food for around 300 children each week.

HOW TO CONTRIBUTE:

Bring any of the following requested items to the tubs in church entry or drop off in tubs at either campus of BLS.

We are always interested in financial contributions to help purchase food that is not donated. You can put donations in the basket at the back of church in an envelope marked with "Blessings-in-a-Bag." You can also give through the parish online giving platform (WeShare).

REQUESTED FOOD ITEMS:

Vienna Sausages

Fruit Cups

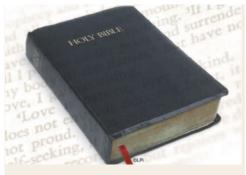
Tuna Pouches

Ramen Noodles

Beanee Weanees (when available)

Questions?

Text Donna 937-776-2888, Fred 937-776-5728, or Jill 937-609-1581.



WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Meetings are Fridays from 9:30 am -11 am either at St. Henry parish meeting room or our homes.

The goals of our Bible study are to grow in our prayer lives, support one another in our faith walks, strengthen our understanding of Church teaching, and hear God's Word more clearly.

Consider joining us - contact denisejasek@gmail.com

TWO JOB OPENINGS AT:

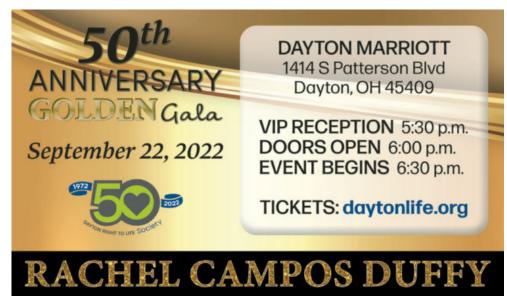
DAYTON RIGHT TO LIFE & THE STORK'S NEST BABY PANTRY

The Events & Volunteer Coordinator will need a marketing-driven mindset and will be responsible for recruiting and managing volunteers, vendors, and donors and will assist in event planning.

The Baby Pantry Coordinator must have inventory management skills and will be responsible for scheduling appointments, managing stock, and assisting clients.

Both positions require phone etiquette, proficiency in Microsoft Excel, Outlook, & Word, and a giving heart.

To schedule an interview, please send your resume to kfarmer@daytonlife.org.



2022 ST VINCENT DE PAUL FURNITURE DRIVE OCTOBER 7-9

St. Vincent de Paul is sponsoring a furniture drive on Friday through Sunday, October 7-9.

FURNITURE PICK UP: Your furniture can be picked up Fri. 2P-6P, Sat. 10A-6P, or Sun. 10A-2P at your residence by contacting Matt Graybill (937)545-0679 or Denny Lammlein (937)-287-4214) prior to Wednesday, Oct 5th.

FURNITURE DROP OFF: You can also drop off furniture at the Incarnation Church parking lot the same days and times.

WE ARE LOOKING FOR: Furniture – particularly twin, full, queen beds, pillows and bedding; couches; love seats; living room chairs; dinette sets (especially small tables and chairs); small dressers; end tables, lamps, and coffee tables.

WE CANNOT ACCEPT: king beds, entertainment centers, hutches, TV's, or appliances at this time. We can also not take very large/awkward items as furniture typically goes to neighbors in apartments with narrow steps, doors and hallways. We can also not accept items in poor condition or with pet damage.

Cash donations ALWAYS accepted!



It is not too late to join our Christian-based divorce-recovery support group. Let us walk with you as you navigate through this difficult journey. 13 weeks, held on Thursday evenings, 6:30-8:30 PM from Sep. 8th to Dec. 15th at St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church, For information call Marcelle Toma (937) 312-1157 (Not a texting number) or mtoma@woh.rr.com

Youth Ministry



All teens and their families are invited to join us as we kick off the school year!

Whether you are registered for Confirmation Prep or our 8th grade/High School Alive Sessions, join us for fellowship, food, and meet our team for the year. We will see you there!

If you have questions please contact Jen Sens at jsens@olghchurch.com.



All adults 18+ are invited to join one of our ministry teams:

The Confirmation Team ministers to our 7th grade Confirmation Candidates.

The Youth Ministry Team ministers to 8th through 12th grade students.

Both ministry teams rely on volunteers in different volunteers to accompany students on their way to Sainthood. Become a Small Group Leader and walk students in through faith through small group discussions, activities. We are also looking for support Volunteers to help with things such as preparing meals for our sessions, providing transportation for off-campus events, and more.

If you are interested in becoming a volunteer with either Youth Ministry or Confirmation, please contact Jen Sens at jsens@olghchurch.com All volunteers must be willing to be SafeParish Compliant.

PLEASE REGISTER FOR THE FOLLOWING 2022-23 PROGRAMS BY SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11TH



8th through 12th grade students, if you have not registered for our Alive Sessions please do so at our Youth Ministry Website (see below) Sunday, September 18th we will meet at OLGH from 5-7. Join us and bring a friend!

Help Needed: We are in need of 1-2 Small Group Leaders for our 8th through 12th grade groups! Adults interested in helping out with our Alive Sessions please contact Jen Sens at jsens@olghchurch.com



CONFIRMATION CORNER

Upcoming Confirmation Schedule:

September 11:

Meet the Team Cookout 5-7pm Our Lady of Good Hope

September 25:

Parent and Student Session 5:30-7pm St. Henry

More info? Need to register for events and programs? Visit the Youth Ministry Website!





SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL **FEAST: SEPTEMBER 27**

St. Vincent de Paul is much more than a patron saint of thrift shops!

Young Vincent became a priest hoping to advance and rise above his modest upbringing.

His early ambition amounted to little when he was assigned to a poor rural parish. Here he experienced a new joy in his vocation.

Hearing the profound deathbed confession of a dying servant, Vincent became more convinced of the special attention that must be given to the poor.

In 1625, Vincent founded the Congregation of the Mission for the purpose of caring for the poor.

Originally priests only, the mission expanded to include groups of laity who provided for spiritual and material needs of the poor in each parish.

Nearly 400 hundred years later, his legacy lives on!

FORMED

WHAT IS FORMED?

FORMED is FREE for you to use because our parish subscribes to the content. See below for how to register - you don't even have to make a password! FORMED is full of great Catholic content for all ages to evangelize and enrich your faith journey. There's something for everyone!

WHO IS FORMED FOR?

You! Me! All of us! Individually, in small groups, and as a community. FORMED offers great resources including long and short-form videos, audio, serial content like Bible studies, and more!

Our parish uses FORMED for adult faith formation in small groups and in various ways for Sacramental preparation and religious education. But, that's not all FORMED is for!

Try popping onto the platform yourself and looking at FORMED Now or FORMED Daily Reflections under the "programs" menu to see what might stick out to you!

HOW DO I ACCESS FORMED?

FORMED is available across many platforms. The simplest way is to go to **FORMED.org** on your web browser. There's also an app for your smart devices - phone, tablet, and even Roku. Once you register, you don't need to make or remember a password, you can simply access all the content by entering your email address.

FORMED° PICK OF THE WEEK

Sept 11, 2021

THE RELUCTANT SAINT: THE STORY OF ST. JOSEPH OF CUPERTINO

Maximilian Schell stars as "the flying friar," St. Joseph of Cupertino, in this story of the humble Franciscan friar. In Cupertino, Italy, Joseph's peasant mother convinces the reluctant Abbott to accept her son into the monastery. With the support of the kindly local Bishop who sees in him a great deal more than others do, and by a series of miraculous incidents, the simple but pious Joseph is ordained a priest.





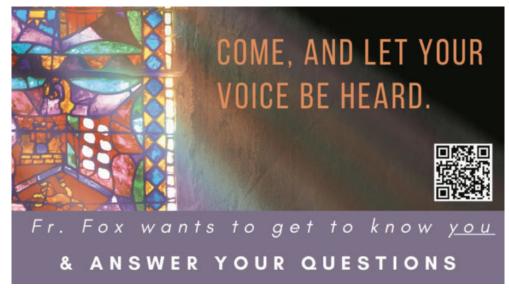
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All members of our new Family of Parishes are invited to meet with Fr. Fox so you can get to know him and he can get to know you. This is a great opportunity to ask him questions!

These events will be capped at 100 attendees to make sure you get an opportunity to make a genuine, personal connection with Fr. Fox.

Should the below meeting times fill, more dates will be added!

You are invited to attend ANY of these meeting opportunities regardless of which parish you attend. Just pick the best time for you!

Gatherings will be from 7:00-8:30pm on the following dates:

Thursday, September 15 at St. Mary Parish Center Thursday, September 22 at OLGH, St. Joseph Parish Center Thursday, October 6 at St. Mary Parish Center - **Note the date change!!**

Ways to RSVP:

- 1. Call any parish office
- 2. Go online: https://rb.gy/gsxvla
- 3. Scan QR code





The Q & A gatherings are going great! Don't miss your opportunity to get to know Fr. Fox in this unique setting. Come, ask your questions!

RSVP now at https://rb.gy/gsxvla or by calling any of the parish offices.

NAIM, THE ORGANIZATION FOR WIDOWED CATHOLICS

SEPTEMBER MEETING

The September Naim meeting is a "Turnabout". The men will host the women at a 6 PM dinner, followed by the regular meeting and cards.

St. Henry PAC at 6660 N. Springboro Pike is the site.

For more information about this social and religious organization for widowed Catholics, contact Sunny Hickey at 937-433-1437.

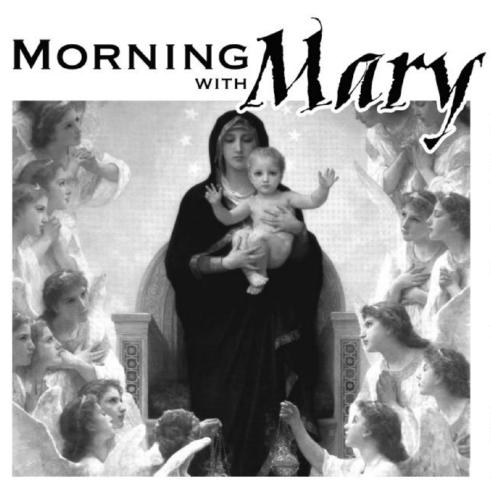
CHRIST CHILD SOCIETY SAVE THE DATE!

November 4, 2022
Red Wagon Luncheon sponsored by
Christ Child Society at the
Presidential Banquet Center

Doors open 10:00 am for socializing and shopping

Luncheon 11:30 am Cost \$55.00

For reservations email Mary Jean Walter at mjwalter72@gmail.com



SCHEDULE



8:00

Gather in church for personal prayer time and song

8:30

Praying of the Rosary

9:00

Potluck Breakfast in the Parish Center

9:30

Speaker



SATURDAY, OCT 1, 8:00–10:30 OUR LADY OF GOOD HOPE CHURCH AND PARISH CENTER

This program is for women interested in fellowship and growing in their knowledge of the faith.

Bring a friend or two and join us in prayer and fellowship!





Please bring an item to share for breakfast and drop off in parish center kitchen when you arrive. If bringing friends/family, no need for them to bring food also. We should have plenty.

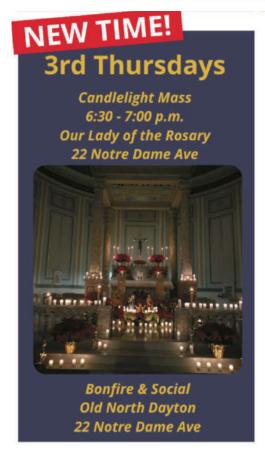
Last Name: A-G fruit • H-M donuts/muffins/breads • N-S hot dish/casserole • T-Z juice

Please RSVP no later than September 29 to Beth Allaire sballaire@att.net

or use the evite link, evite.me/3MchT2rsKM

SPEND YOUR THURSDAY NIGHTS WITH DAYTON CATHOLIC YOUNG ADULTS

MAY - SEPTEMBER 2022 LOCATIONS



4th & 5th Thurs

Social Night 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.



Location: Eudora Brewing Co. 3022 Wilmington Pike,



@DAYTONCATHOLICYA WWW.DAYTONCATHOLICYA.COM



COUNCIL 4587 IS NOW COLLECTING OLD EYEGLASSES!

Always trying to clear the clutter in your house? Well, in conjunction with the local Lions Club, your Knights of Columbus Council is now collecting old prescription eyeglasses.

And just to make it extra easy on you, the Knights will maintain a drop box in the Vestibule for you to use prior to Mass. If your glasses come in a case, you can drop that off as well.

This is a Good Deal for all involved! Remember, somewhere out there is a person who really needs your glasses!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS "SWING FOR CHARITY"



In Partnership with Miami Valley Alzheimer's Association

The Knights of Columbus 14882 from St. Henry and St. Mary of Assumption are hosting a Golf, Sports Auction and Dinner.

Wednesday Sept 14th at 1:00pm Yankee Trace, Centerville.

Dinner only options available for event at 6:00pm.

More info at http://golf.kofc14400.org/

Join us as proceeds go to KofC Charities and ALZ.







Alter Girls Soccer Car Wash

Sunday, September 11, 2022

Time: 4-7 pm (rain or shine!)

Place: Alter Parking Lot

Car Wash: \$15, \$10 for seniors

free for any local, on-shift, first responder

Burger, Drink, Chips: \$10

Raffle: \$5/ticket or \$20/5 tickets

Hat Trick (Car Wash+Burger+raffle): \$20

Proceeds go to the Alter Girls Soccer Team & our local First Responders
Purchase tickets from any girls soccer player

















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