

Welcome to  
Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church

### Mass Schedule

Friday: 8:15 am  
Saturday: 4:00 pm  
Sunday: 8:30 am & 10:30 am

April 24, 2022

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**Lisa Cousino**

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**PARISH OFFICE:** 419-865-2345

**OFFICE HOURS:** Monday-Thursday

8:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m. &

12:30 p.m.- 4:30 p.m.

Friday 8:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m.

**ADDRESS:** 6149 Hill Ave., Toledo, OH 43615

**REGISTRATION:**

New members should call or visit the  
Parish Office

**RECONCILIATION:**

3:00 - 3:30 p.m. every Saturday  
or by appointment

**BAPTISMS:**

Call Parish Office

**MARRIAGES:**

Please contact Parish Office  
6 months in advance

**RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults):**

Contact Marty or Sue Charney at [martyansue@bex.net](mailto:martyansue@bex.net)

**Youth Christian Formation Program**

(classes for public grade school children)

Call the Parish Office

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Holy Days: check bulletin

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**Parish Activities  
This Week**

**Sunday, April 24: 2nd Sunday of Easter**

- **Divine Mercy Sunday**
- **Mass:** 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.
- **Kral Baptism after 10:30 a.m. Mass**
- **Men's Club Breakfast after Masses**

**Monday, April 25: St. Mark**

- **Deadline for May 1 Bulletin:** please submit articles no later than noon
- **Prayer Shawl Ministry:** 1:00 p.m., Lourdes Room
- **St. Benedict School Board:** 5:45 p.m., Parish Life Center

**Tuesday, April 26:**

- **Contemporary Choir:** 6:30 p.m.

**Wednesday, April 27:**

- **Administrative Professionals' Day**
- **Hospitality Kitchen:** 9:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m., Church Parking Lot

**Thursday, April 28: St. Peter Chanel**

- **Bingo:** In the Parish Life Center. Doors open at 10:00 a.m. Paper Lightning at 11:00 a.m. Series at 1:00 p.m. To volunteer call 419-865-2345.
- **Daughters of Mary:** 6:00 p.m., Parish Life Center
- **Choir:** 7:00 p.m., Music Room

**Friday, April 29: St. Catherine of Siena**

- **Mass:** 8:15 a.m.
- **Wine, Women and Chocolate:** 7:00 p.m., Parish Life Center

**Saturday, April 30: St. Pius V**

- **Bobak Marriage Convalidation:** 1:00 p.m.
- **Reconciliation:** 3:00 p.m.
- **Mass:** 4:00 p.m.
- **First Holy Communion at 4:00 p.m. Mass**
- **New Parishioner Welcome after Mass**

**Sunday, May 1: 3rd Sunday of Easter**

- **Mass:** 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.
- **RCIA:** 8:30 a.m., Lourdes Room



**Daughters of Mary Easter Raffle Prize Winners**

- Art Basket - **Chris Thrun**
- White Flower - **Joann Burnham**
- \$25 Sephora G.C. - **Dottie Nortz**
- Swan Creek Basket - **Marcia Buckenmyer**
- Bible - **Jim Tillman**
- Light Up Bunny - **Barb Schmiedebusch**
- \$30 Bed/Bath/Beyond G.C. - **Lisa Cousino**
- Blue Easter Basket - **Frances Abramczyk**
- Hand Made Aprons - **Crystal Franks**
- Pink Easter Basket - **Deb Walters**
- Harry Potter Puzzle - **John McDonough**
- \$25 Amazon G.C. - **Kenny Konoff**
- Bird Cement Decoration - **Jackie Bell**
- Chocolate Candy/\$10 Chic Fil G.C. - **Lisa Cousino**
- \$25 Kroger G.C./Decoration - **Roz Needham**
- Yellow Easter Basket - **Michelle Meyer**
- Beauty Box - **Valerie Adamski**
- Pink/Blue/White Easter Basket - **Norma Hernandez**
- Men's Bath & Body - **Terri Gillen**
- Straw Bunny - **Kay Shrewsbury**
- Stand Up Bunny - **Norma Hernandez**

**THANK YOU** to everyone who donated and contributed to our Bake/Raffle Sale. We really appreciate your support.

Congratulations!

**St. Patrick of Heatherdowns Knights of Columbus Auxiliary are sponsoring a Women's Fellowship Tea for Mothers, Daughters, Sisters, Friends**

Saturday, April 30th

12:00pm in the Holy Family Center

\$10 per person. RSVP by April 26th.

Call or text Phyllis at 419-382-6266 or Jean at 419-260-0115.



**Wine, Women (of the Bible) and Chocolate!**

**Friday, April 29th at 7:00 p.m.  
in the Parish Life Center**

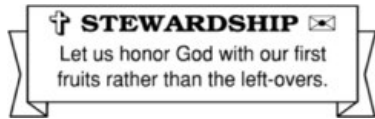
An evening of prayer, reflection, faith sharing and fun for women of the parish. Please bring any or all to share: a bottle of your favorite wine, chocolate (of any kind) and a short story or description of your favorite woman of the bible, saint or religious heroine. It is sure to be an evening of joy and inspiration!

To register, please contact Lisa Cousino in the Parish Office at 419-865-2345 or [lcousino@olltoledo.com](mailto:lcousino@olltoledo.com).



Each year, the Diocese of Toledo is required to undergo an audit to ensure that it is in compliance with the articles of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops' *Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People*. This year's audit examined the audit period of July 1, 2018 through September 30, 2021. Bishop Daniel Thomas is pleased to announce that the Diocese was found to be in full compliance with the requirements in the *Charter* following the audit.

The Diocese of Toledo remains committed to ensuring the protection of children and providing a safe environment for all young people. If you have any knowledge of abuse that has been committed by a cleric or by any personnel of the Catholic Church, you are urged to report the abuse to your local police department, Children Services, and to contact the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator at (419) 214-4880; or to write to the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator at 1933 Spielbusch Avenue, Toledo, Ohio 43604.



**SACRIFICIAL GIVING REPORT**

**Easter Actual: \$10,409.85**

**Easter Budget: \$11,000.00**

**Over/Under: (\$590.15)**

**THANKS** so much to all who support our parish. Call the parish office or drop us a note if you would like to receive contribution envelopes. Please call the Parish Office if you have any changes in your address, phone, household, etc.

**Ministry of Praise Petitions**

- 1) Firefighters and Police
- 2) Evangelization
- 3) Men's Club

**Church Laundry:**

April 24-30: Donna Urban

May 1-7: Linda Dohrmann

**Church Cleaners:**

April 25: JoAnn Erdman

May 2: Carmen Worline



**April 30 4:00 p.m.** OLL Parishioners

**May 1 8:30 a.m.** Michael Kujawa  
Souls in Purgatory  
Ray Kay

**10:30 a.m.** Connie Peer  
Ester Chaves

**Sanctuary Lamp** burns to remind us of the presence of Christ in the Blessed Sacrament. Sponsorship this week is in memory of **OLL Parishioners.**



**Liturgical Ministers**



**April 30 & May 1, 2022**

**4:00 p.m. Saturday Mass**

**CELEBRANT:** Fr. Phil Smith

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:** Pat Cabanski

**LECTOR:** Denise Winston

**SERVERS:** Marty Charney, Georgia Burnham

**8:30 a.m. Sunday Mass**

**CELEBRANT:** Fr. Charles Ritter

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:** Kathy Scott-Williams

**LECTOR:** Robert Amphor

**SERVERS:** Todd Gross

**10:30 a.m. Sunday Mass**

**CELEBRANT:** Fr. Charles Ritter

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:** Deacon Gary

**LECTOR:** Dustin Campbell

**SERVERS:** Luke Vu



**Readings for the week of April 24, 2022**

- Sunday: Acts 5:12-16/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 [1]/Rv 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19/Jn 20:19-31
- Monday: 1 Pt 5:5b-14/Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17/Mk 16:15-20
- Tuesday: Acts 4:32-37/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Jn 3:7b-15
- Wednesday: Acts 5:17-26/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Jn 3:16-21
- Thursday: Acts 5:27-33/Ps 34:2 and 9, 17-18, 19-20/Jn 3:31-36
- Friday: Acts 5:34-42/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14/Jn 6:1-15
- Saturday: Acts 6:1-7/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19/Jn 6:16-21
- Next Sunday: Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41/Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13 [2a]/Rv 5:11-14/Jn 21:1-19 or 21:1-14

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**Divine Mercy Sunday**

Exposition and Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament and the Sacrament of Reconciliation will begin at 1:00pm at St. Rose Church in Perrysburg, followed by Divine Mercy devotions beginning at 3:00pm, the Hour of Mercy. Devotions will include the Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Scripture, Homily and Benediction.

All are invited to attend!



**DAUGHTERS of MARY MEETING  
Thursday, April 28<sup>th</sup>**

- \* Dinner at 6 p.m. in Parish Life Center—come early!
- \* SPEAKER: Valerie Adamski, who will tell us about the four women Doctors of the Church
- \* Last Meeting of the year and Raffles
- \* All ladies are welcome!

**Diocesan Women’s Day of Renewal**

WHO: All Women  
 WHAT: Spiritual & Inspirational Retreat  
 WHEN: Wednesday, May 11, 2022--8:15 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.  
 WHERE: Our Lady of Consolation Shrine, 315 Clay Street, Carey, OH 43316  
 COST: \$20.00 per person  
 FOR REGISTRATION INFO CONTACT: Tammy Schroeder, Communication Chair, at [ews@bright.net](mailto:ews@bright.net) or 419-796-8964

**Our Lady of Lourdes Shrine**

The grotto here at Our Lady of Lourdes provides a quiet place to come and pray in the presence of our Blessed Mother, day or night. Spend a few minutes or an hour to reflect, contemplate and rejuvenate your spirit.



White Shrine Candles for the Shrine are \$2.00 each and are available to pick up after Masses during the weekend from the Ushers and at the Parish Office during the week. Money deposited at shrine box.

**St. Joan of Arc and OLPH Parish Divorced and Separated Support Group**

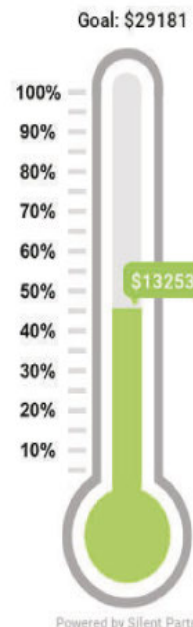
We look forward to welcoming you at our Thurs. May 5 and May 19 meetings, whether you have been divorced or separated recently or for many years. We are continuing to meet on the first and third Thursdays of every month in the Community Room at St. Joan of Arc from 7 to 9 pm. Masks are optional if you have been vaccinated and there is plenty of room for social distancing. Since the new Covid policy has gone into effect, we are following the new guidelines. We welcome new members in their time of need. All parishes are welcome and you do not have to be Catholic to attend. We wish to give others support and hope through sharing our own agonies and experiences. Our group meets year-round and we use the Catholic Divorce Survival Program, discuss various topics related to divorce, and invite speakers to inform us on topics related to our concerns. Those of us who have gone through a divorce or separation can understand as perhaps few others can. Our primary purpose is to help ourselves and others to regain peace and spirituality. If you have any questions, please call Vicki sweeney at 419-865-0085.

**ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL  
2022 UPDATE**

**TOTAL DOLLAR  
AMOUNT DONATED/  
PLEGGED  
\$13,253**

**TOTAL NUMBER OF  
DONORS  
88**

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## SUNDAY'S READINGS

### FIRST READING:

Yet more than ever, believers in the Lord,  
great numbers of men and women, were added to  
them. (Acts 5:14)

### PSALM:

Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, his love is  
everlasting. (Ps 118)  
Or Alleluia.

### SECOND READING:

"I am the first and the last, the one who lives.  
Once I was dead, but now I am alive forever and ever."  
(Rev 1:17-18)

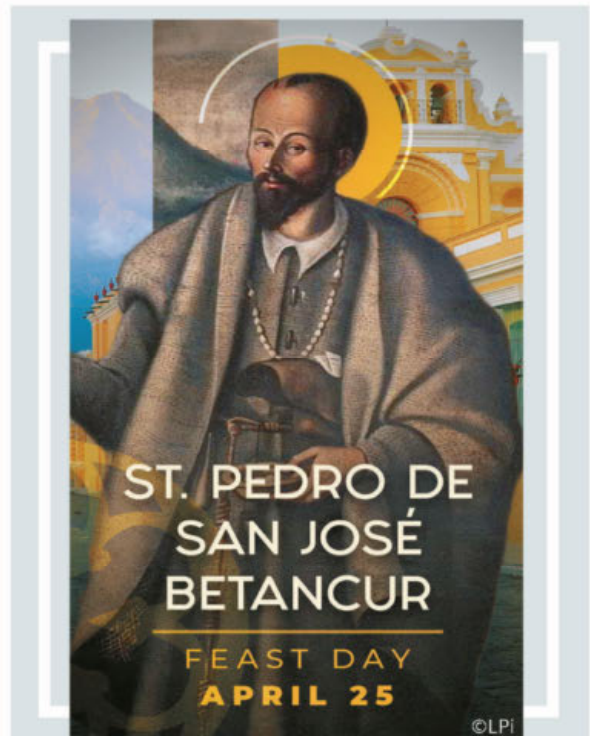
### GOSPEL:

On the evening of that first day of the week,  
when the doors were locked, where the disciples were,  
for fear of the Jews,  
Jesus came and stood in their midst. (Jn 20:19)

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### OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 24, 2022

Sunday:	2nd Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy); St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen, Priest and Martyr
Monday:	St. Mark, Evangelist
Wednesday:	Administrative Professionals' Day
Thursday:	St. Peter Chanel, Priest and Martyr; St. Louis Grignon de Montfort, Priest
Friday:	St. Catherine of Siena, Virgin and Doctor of the Church; Arbor Day
Saturday:	St. Pius V, Pope
Next Sunday:	3rd Sunday of Easter; St. Joseph the Worker



## Saint of the Week

Central America's first saint, St. Pedro de San José Betancur (1626-1667) was born a poor shepherd in the Canary Islands. His family lands were seized because of debt, and he worked as an indentured servant until his early adult life when Pedro left his home to travel to Guatemala. His money for the journey ran out long before he arrived. He was destitute when he did arrive and was forced to join the bread line the Franciscan Friars had for the poor.

In 1655, he joined the Third Order of St Francis. Pedro began to serve the poor, the enslaved, immigrants, abandoned children, anyone that needed him. In 1658 he was given a hut which he made into a hospital for the poor. This small start grew into a shelter for the homeless, a school for the poor, an inn for priests, and several small chapels in poor areas. He was supported by many patrons and was joined in his work by both men and women, who became the Bethlehemite Brothers and the Bethlehemite Sisters.

Pedro prayed for the souls of those in purgatory, walked through the streets of rich neighborhoods ringing a bell and calling the wealthy to repent, and ministered to prisoners. Most accounts credit him with beginning the tradition of *posadas*, a procession in which people representing Mary and Joseph ask for lodging from their neighbors. This tradition continues today in Mexico and Central America. Because of his work with the poor and marginalized Pedro is often referred to as the "Saint Frances of the Americas". St. Pedro was canonized on July 30, 2002, in Guatemala City, Guatemala by Pope John Paul II.



**LOAN REPAYMENT TO DIOCESE FOR NEW CHURCH**

Money borrowed from Diocese: \$1,409,956

OLL payments to date: \$1,402,828

(Paid Principal: \$1,221,209; Paid Interest \$181,619)

Current balance (including interest) owed to Diocese: \$178,054

*\*balances are updated as of April 4, 2022*

*Current interest rate is 3.25%*



**We are grateful for your continued support to the We Build Campaign as it helps us reach our goal of reducing our debt to the Diocese.**

**Preparing Students for First Communion**



St. Benedict students participated in their First Communion retreat. Jesus declared, "I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never go hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty." John 6:35



**New Life in Christ**

**St. Benedict Catholic School Color Run Fun!**



**ST. BENEDICT CATHOLIC SCHOOL COLOR RUN!**

**Saturday, May 14, 2022—\$30 per runner**

**Registration 9:00-9:30 AM—Event Starts 10:00 AM**

**THIS EVENT IS BEING HELD TO HELP SUPPORT ST. BENEDICT SCHOOL AND STUDENTS!**

**Register at <https://shop.schoolathon.org/194910>**

St. Benedict Catholic School is looking for Sponsors for our Color Run event ranging starting at \$150. For more information, please email [ericamiley@stbenedicttoledo.org](mailto:ericamiley@stbenedicttoledo.org).

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