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WEEKEND MASSES

ST. JOHN CHURCH 1405 FIRST AVENUE SATURDAY 4:30 PM

SUNDAY 10:30 AM

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

201 CLARK STREET SUNDAY 9:00 AM This Mass Live Streamed

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SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION ST. JOHN CHURCH SATURDAY 3:30 PM

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 11, 2020

Annual Pet Blessing Last Sunday

The turnout was really great this year!

Dogs, cats and a horse all received special blessings from Deacon John Lyons.

Many thanks to Keith Lewis for taking pictures at this year's Pet Blessing.

Find more photos on the parish website!













HOLY FAMILY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday and Sunday - October 10 and 11

4:30 PM Mass SJ Mary & Steve Piedel

9:00 AM Mass HT Joe Stugmyer - Wedding Anniv. Rem.

9:00 AM Mass live streamed and available on the website anytime.

10:30 AM Mass SJ Delaney Family

Monday, October 12

6:00 PM Mass HT Ralph Esposito

Tuesday, October 13

12:10 PM Mass HT Steve Meyer

Wednesday, October 14

12:10 PM Mass HT Ann Hensley

Thursday, October 15

12:10 PM Mass HT Jackie Moore

Friday, October 16

8:00 AM Mass HT Claire Esposito

Saturday, October 17

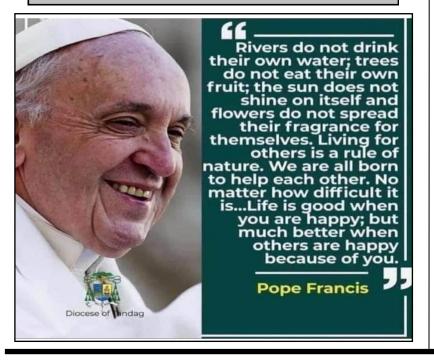
4:30 PM Mass SJ Paula Burke

Sunday, October 18 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 AM Mass HT Helen Rocco - Birthday Remembrance 10:30 AM Mass SJ Jim Kramer - Anniversary Remembrance

Weekly Collections Stewardship Sunday, October 4th \$11,595.52

Thank you for your generous stewardship!



Daily Scripture Readings

Mon: Gal 4:22-24,26-27,31—5:1 / Lk 11:29-32

Tues: Gal 5:1-6 / Lk 11:37-41 Wed: Gal 5:18-25 / Lk 11:42-46

Thurs: Eph 1:1-10 / Lk 11:47-54

Fri: Eph 1:11-14 / Lk 12:1-7 Sat: Eph 1:15-23 / Lk 12:8-12

Sun: Is 45:1,4-6 / 1 Thes 1:1-5b / Mt 22:15-21

Our Prayers and Sympathy are Extended

to the family and friends of Thomas Trent, who died October 1st.

See the Bulletin in COLOR! www.holyfamilymiddletown.com!



Health Ministry Simple Ways to Help Others During the COVID-19 Pandemic

The best and easiest ways to help others at this time is to wash your hands, social distance when out, and self-quarantine if you're sick or think you've been exposed to COVID-19. For most of us, self-isolating is a challenge, but all this distance from one another doesn't make us helpless. Whether you have time, money, a car or even a phone, there are big and small ways to help others.

- Schedule regular chats by phone with homebound individuals. Call a friend or relative who's far away and lives alone. Reach out to them, let them hear your voice, listen to them and make sure they're doing ok.
- Shop or do errands for quarantined families who need to stay home or don't want to take their kids out in public areas.
- Only buy what you need, so everyone in your community can get what they need.
- If your employer allows you to gift your sick time, donate some to a coworker who needs to be off to care for themselves or family.
- Be extra kind to medical staff and those working in grocery stores and in food delivery.
- Have dinner delivered from a great local restaurant to the health care professionals, seniors or quarantined families on your block. www.care.com

RCIA Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults
October 11th, 18th, and 25th

October 11th - The Saints 11:30 PM St. John Undercroft

Class forming during this Period of Inquiry!

If you're interested in becoming Catholic, or you know someone who may be interested, please call the parish office 422-0602.

World Mission Collection Next Sunday

During the Mission Month of October, Pope Francis reminds us that, as baptized Christians, we are called personally to mission – especially at this time – to bring Christ's love to those most forgotten around the world. Jesus is God the Father's own Missionary; He asks us to respond to this call to mission, this invitation to "step out of ourselves for love of God and neighbor." What will your answer be? "Here I Am, Send Me" is the response we will all endeavor to live out this World Mission Sunday, October 18th, through prayer, participation in the Eucharist, and generosity to the collection for the Society for the Propagation of the **Faith**. Please use the special envelope included in the October pack or give online https://www.givecentral.org/pontificalmissionsocieties. Many thanks for your support!

St. Vincent de Paul Society Monthly Update

Thanks to everyone for your continued support and contributions, with which the SVDP volunteers were able to assist needy neighbors again this past month. Here is the **September** data:

SVDP Pantry Food Donations

123 Households 342 people

74 senior citizens 184 adults 84 children

SVDP Help Line Utility Bill Assistance

12 households - Duke 33 households - Water

NEW SVDP Help Line Rent Assistance

We have set aside some funds to help the community with rent during this difficult time.

4 direct pay to landlord / 1 join another agency to pay SVDP Outreach Ministry

- 4 home visits to assess needs
- 2 deliveries of bedding or vouchers

THANKS FOR YOUR GENEROSITY & CONTINUED SUPPORT!

Introductions to Sunday Readings

by Bishop Ken Untener, in collaboration with Catherine Haven and Fr. Bill Taylor



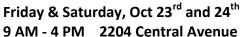
First Reading - Isaiah 25:6-10

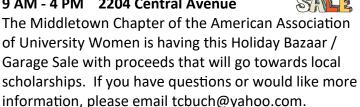
The mountain dearest to the people of Israel was Mount Zion, the place upon which Jerusalem's temple was built. The prophet Isaiah, preaching during a time of political upheaval, foresees a day when God will gather on Mount Zion all the people of the world for a great banquet.

Second Reading - Philippians 4:12-14,19-20

On his missionary journeys, Paul took pride in supporting himself as a leatherworker. Now it's different. Paul is in prison and dependent upon his beloved Philippians. They generously sent him help, the only Christian community known to do so. As he now concludes his letter to them, Paul thanks them for their support and encouragement.

Holiday Bazaar / Garage Sale Friday & Saturday, Oct 16th and 17th Clearance Sale





Last date for donations was Saturday, Oct 10th but there's plenty of days left for shopping!!

State Route #122 Clean Up Crew Last Pick Up of the Season! Saturday, October 24th 8:30 AM Jacot Park

In honor of Bob Ryan, the guy who made it fun to wake up early and pick up trash! Join the gang as we do Bob proud - picking up trash along SR #122 from SR #25 to Breiel Blvd. Everyone's invited to join in the fun. We'll meet at Jacot Park at 8:30 a.m. and should finish up by 10:30 a.m. This is a great chance for kids to perform - and for the important adults in their lives to model - community service!

Stay In Touch With Your Catholic Faith!

Sacred Heart Radio – 910 AM / 89.5 FM



Readings for Saturday and Sunday

First Reading - Isaiah 25:6-10a

On this mountain the Lord of hosts will provide for all peoples a feast of rich food and choice wines, juicy, rich food and pure, choice wines. On this mountain he will destroy the veil that veils all peoples, the web that is woven over all nations; he will destroy death forever. The Lord God will wipe away the tears from every face; the reproach of his people he will remove from the whole earth; for the Lord has spoken. On that day it will be said: "Behold our God, to whom we looked to save us! This is the Lord for whom we looked; let us rejoice and be glad that he has saved us!" For the hand of the Lord will rest on this mountain.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Second Reading - Philippians 4:12-14, 19-20

Brothers and sisters: I know how to live in humble circumstances; I know also how to live with abundance. In every circumstance and in all things I have learned the secret of being well fed and of going hungry, of living in abundance and of being in need. I can do all things in him who strengthens me. Still, it was kind of you to share in my distress. My God will fully supply whatever you need, in accord with his glorious riches in Christ Jesus.

To our God and Father, glory forever and ever. Amen.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel - Matthew 21:33-43

The Lord be with you.

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew

And with your spirit. Glory to you, O Lord.

Jesus again in reply spoke to the chief priests and elders of the people in parables, saying, "The kingdom of heaven may be likened to a king who gave a wedding feast for his son. He dispatched his servants to summon the invited guests to the feast, but they refused to come. A second time he sent other servants, saying, 'Tell those invited: "Behold, I have prepared my banquet, my calves and fattened cattle are killed, and everything is ready; come to the feast."' Some ignored the invitation and went away, one to his farm, another to his business. The rest laid hold of his servants, mistreated them, and killed them. The king was enraged and sent his troops, destroyed those murderers, and burned their city. Then he said to his servants, 'The feast is ready, but those who were invited were not worthy to come. Go out, therefore, into the main roads and invite to the feast whomever you find.' The servants went out into the streets and gathered all they found, bad and good alike, and the hall was filled with guests."

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Caregiver Help - Do you feel like you need to get back control of your life?

Caregiver groups meet to discuss the challenges and pitfalls of caregiving and how we can get out of crisis mode and begin managing caregiving from an empowered place. We're here to encourage caregivers with online or in person support groups, telephone support calls, and



to encourage caregivers with online or in person support groups, telephone support calls, and self-care classes. If you know a caregiver who needs encouragement and support, please tell them about our Caregiver Assistance Network and have them call Angie Homoelle at 513-672-3834 or visit our website at https://ccswoh.org/ programs/caregiver-assistance-network/ for the program calendar. The Caregiver Assistance Network is a program of Catholic Charities Southwestern Ohio funded through the Council on Aging. You are not alone!

Mass Prayers and Responses

Gloria

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will.

We praise you,
we bless you,
we adore you,
we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King,
O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.

Amen.

Invitation to Communion

Priest: Behold the Lamb of God,
behold him who takes away
the sins of the world.
Blessed are those
called to the supper of the lamb.

All: Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

Profession of Faith

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, At the words that follow, up to and including and became man, all bow.

and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come.

Amen.

Hymns for Saturday and Sunday

Entrance - At the Table of the World

 At the table of the world, Some have plenty, some have none. At the table of our God, All are plentifully fed.

Refrain

Blow among us, Spirit of God, Fill us with your courage and care! Hurricane and Breath, Take us on a journey of love!

- At the table of the world,
 Some have honor, some have scorn.
 At the table of our God,
 All are welcomed and acclaimed.
- Set the table of our God
 In the Church and in the world,
 Till the children, fed and loved,
 Taste and see that life is good.

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Communion - Jesus Christ, Bread of Life

Refrain:

Jesus Christ, Bread of Life, fill us with your love, Jesus Christ, Lamb of God, fill us with your peace.

- 1. Thankfully, here we bring simple bread and wine, For the life of the world, once and for all time.
- 2. Faithfully, we recall, gathered here as one, Bread of Life, cup of peace, which we now become.
- 3. When we drink of this cup, when we eat this bread, We proclaim Jesus Christ risen from the dead.
- 4. Are not all hearts aflame when we break this bread? Are not all one in Christ by this blood He shed?
- 5. Joyfully we partake in this holy food.

 Offering all we have, praise and gratitude.

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Closing - City of God

Awake from your slumber! Arise from your sleep!
 A new day is dawning for all those who weep.
 The people of darkness have seen a great light.
 The Lord of our longing has conquered the night.

Refrain

Let us build the city of God.

May our tears be turned into dancing!

For the Lord, our light and our love,

Has turned the night into day!

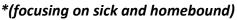
We are sons of the morning; we are daughters of day.
 The One who has loved us has brightened our way.
 The Lord of all kindness has called us to be
 A light for his people to set their hearts free.

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Calling All Eucharistic Ministers! Online Free Formation Workshop

Choose from the following dates to learn, or refresh your knowledge about, serving as a Eucharistic Minister, including service to the sick, hospitalized, or homebound.

Tuesday, Oct 13th
7 - 8:30 pm English
Thursday, Oct 15th
1:30 - 3 pm English *
Friday, Oct 23rd
7 - 8:30 pm Spanish
Thursday, Oct 29th
1:30 - 3 pm English



Register at www.catholiccincinnati.org/ministries
-offices/worship/. For more information please call 513-263-6609.



OUR DOORS ARE OPEN: No matter what your present status in the Catholic Church, no matter what your current family and marital situation, no matter what your age, race, background, personal history, etc., no matter what your own self-image — you are invited, welcomed, accepted, loved and respected here at Holy Family Parish. Our doors are open!

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Baptism Preparation Class - These classes are held quarterly: March, June, September and December.

The actual date, time and location will be announced in the weekly bulletin. Please call the parish office to register.

Baptisms - Please call the parish office to schedule a baptism.

Becoming a Member of Holy Family Parish - Fill out a Census Form at the parish office or download it under FORMS at www.holyfamilymiddletown.com. Drop your completed form in the collection basket or mail it to the parish office.

Becoming Catholic - Please call the parish office to find out more about the RCIA process.

Bulletin Deadline - Submit announcements in hard copy or to monica@holyfamilymiddletown.com by noon Tuesday.

Hospitalization or Death in the Family - Please notify the pastor as soon as possible by calling the parish office.

Marriages - Couples wishing to be married must set the date with the pastor at least six months in advance.

Nursery - Due to the coronavirus, the 10:30 AM Mass Nursery is temporarily closed.

Parish Religious Education Program - Due to the coronavirus, Sunday Preschool is canceled and Monday K-8th Grade have an in home program. Contact Dee Golembiewski, DRE, with questions.

St. John XXIII Catholic School - Parish school for Preschool - 8th Grade - www.stjohn23school.org.



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