

Taste & See THE GOODNESS of the Lord



"You shall love the Lord, your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind. This is the greatest and the first commandment. The second is like it. You shall love your neighbor as yourself. Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations."

Matthew 22:37 & 28:19

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SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

2nd & 4th Saturday: 9:00-9:30 AM or by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Couples should call the Parish Office upon their engagement to arrange a date for their wedding. The bride or groom must be a registered parishioner of Our Lady of Victory.

SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Saturday Vigil	5:45 PM
Sunday	8:30
Daily (Tues & Thurs)	8:30 AM
Holydays & Other	As announced within

OFFICE HOURS

PARISH: Mon-Fri	8:30-4:30 PM
FAITH FORMATION:	8:30-4:00 PM
LUNCH (offices closed):	12:00-1:00 PM

(Offices closed holidays & major holydays)

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptisms can usually be scheduled for any weekend Mass. Attendance of a preparation workshop for first-time parents is required. Parents can call the Parish Office to arrange a date for Baptism, and to check dates for the Baptismal Workshop. Sponsors can call the Parish Office for details about acquiring a Certificate.

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Available at any time to those who are ill, facing surgery, or in danger of death. Sacramental care is provided by chaplains at all area hospitals. Please call the Parish Office to make arrangements.

O.C.I.A (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults)

This is a process for those interested in the faith of the Catholic Church. For more information, contact Linda Herold at 633-3637 or email her at lherold@ourladyofvictory.net.

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION

Parents can call the Parish Faith Formation Office at 330-633-3672.

PRAYER FOR EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL

(to be prayed before the Blessed Sacrament)

Lord Jesus, as we gather at your altar, you give yourself to us in the Most Holy Eucharist, so that we might become what we receive.

May we be transformed forever by your love that stretches forth to us from this altar.

May your sharing in our humanity humble us to share in your divinity.

Heal our brokenness with your real presence and help us to draw strength from you in the Eucharist. Unite us to you in this Sacrament that brings healing and redemption.

As we glorify you by our lives, give us grace and courage to share your love with a world sorely in need of your mercy. May your true presence bring hope to those on the peripheries, dry the tears of the poor and the wounded, and end our divisions.

May your Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity be a constant source of revival for us. Let us become one with you as we seek the peace of your kingdom where you live with the Father and the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever. Amen.

www.dioceseofcleveland.org/eucharist



MASSSES & SERVICES FOR THIS WEEK

(ALL MASSES ARE LIVE-STREAMED. WEEKEND MASSES ARE ALSO
BROADCAST OVER FM 93.7)

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Monday, Aug 11	(8:00 am) Mass at St Matthew St Clare, Virgin Dt 10:12-22; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20; Mt 17:22-27
Tuesday, Aug 12	(8:30 am) Dec Members of Agape Prayer Grp & Carl Gilbow Dt 31:1-8; Dt 32:3-4ab, 7-9, 12; Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14
Wednesday, Aug 13	(8:00 am) Mass at St Matthew Dt 34:1-12; Ps 66:1-3a, 5, 8, 16-17; Mt 18:15-20
Thursday, Aug 14	(8:30 am) Joan Smarrito & Kaylynn Tafini (4:00 pm) Assumption Vigil Mass at St Matthew Maximilian Kolbe, Priest and Martyr Jos 3: 7-10a, 11, 13-17; Ps 114: 1-6; Mt 18:21-19:1
Friday, Aug 15	(8:30 am) Armando & Angelina Colella (7:00 pm) Assumption Mass at St Matthew Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; Ps 45:10-12, 16; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56
Saturday, Aug 16	(9:00 am) Confessions at St Matthew (5:45 pm) Sebastiano Tilenni Jos 24:14-29; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-8, 11; Mt 19:13-15
Sunday, Aug 17	(8:30 am) Robert Giet 20 th Sunday in Ordinary Time Jer 38:4-6, 8-10; Ps 40:2-4, 18; Heb 12:1-4; Lk 12:49-53

In Our Parish – What/Where/When

MONDAY, AUG 11

TUESDAY, AUG 12

WEDNESDAY, AUG 13

AA Meeting/FH/10:00 am

Prayer Shawl Ministry/Library/1:15 pm

Pastoral Council Mtg/PCR 101/6:30 pm

THURSDAY, AUG 14

Bible Study/PCR 100/2:00 pm

****Vigil Mass at St Matthew at 4:00 pm**

FRIDAY, AUG 15 – ASSUMPTION OF THE VIRGIN MARY

****Morning Mass at OLV at 8:30 am**

****Evening Mass at St Matthew at 7:00 pm**

SATURDAY, AUG 16

Confessions/St Matthew/9:00 am

SUNDAY, AUG 17

Children's Liturgy of the Word/Church/8:30 am

****Grab & Go Lunch Prep/FH/9:30 am**

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Regular Collection (8/3/25)\$ 6,795.00

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A Note from Father Mike

You may remember that the KTF project was initiated a couple of years ago to address the crisis facing Catholic Elementary Schools in our Diocese. Earlier this year, Saint Matthew Parish became the newest part of the local region of the **“Keeping the Faith” Initiative** in the Diocese. Besides Our Lady of Victory and Saint Matthew, our region also includes Saint Eugene Parish in Munroe Falls, Saint Joseph Parish in Cuyahoga Falls, Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish in Cuyahoga Falls, and Holy Family Parish in Stow. The latter two parishes also have parish schools, which our region supports directly. Bishop Malesic has asked that all parishes support at least one Catholic elementary school, with special focus on parishes like ours that do not have schools. The support for the schools can be realized in several different ways, including financial support, sacramental support and pastoral care, governance and administration, Catholic identity, and mutual parishioner interaction. The leadership group of our KTF Region is developing a plan to realize the support objectives laid out by the Bishop. The details of the plan are still being worked out, and there will be opportunities for all parishioners of all the parishes to volunteer, offer financial support, encourage enrollment at the schools, and engage with the families of our parishes who already attend the schools. Watch for more details in the coming months!

Everyone is welcome to participate in the **“Nine Nights of Prayer”** novena at Saint Matthew Church that continues through Friday, August 15th, the Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. The night prayer service is held at 8:00 pm in the church, lasting about twenty minutes. It's a great way to bring your day to a peaceful, prayerful close! The last night of the novena will be on the Holy Day (August 15th) and will conclude with an Ice Cream Social, which is another way to bring your busy day to a peaceful close!

Coming Events & News in our Parish



ASSUMPTION OF THE VIRGIN MARY HOLYDAY OF OBLIGATION – Friday, Aug 15.

On this holy day of obligation, **there will be a Vigil Mass on Thursday at St Matthew at 4:00 pm, an 8:30 am Mass on Friday at OLV, and a 7:00 pm Mass at St Matthew.** To honor our Blessed Mother and to help prepare the church for this day, you are invited to **bring flowers to the church on Thursday, Aug 14, anytime between 8:30 am and 4pm.** Parish vases will be available. If you leave your own container, be sure your name is marked on the bottom.



OUR PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY is held the 2nd Wednesday of each month. Join us **Wednesday, Aug 13 at 1:15 pm in the Parish Center Library.** If you are aware of anyone who would benefit from receiving a blessed shawl, please call or stop by the Parish Office, or if you need more

information about this ministry, call Beth at 330-607-4182 or Rosemary at 330-808-0299.

“GRAB AND GO” LUNCHES – Sunday, Aug 17 – following

the 8:30 am Mass! Last year, Finnerty Hall was buzzing with activity, conversation, and laughter, as 75 parishioners came together to assemble over 70 “Grab and Go” Lunches for OPEN M ministries, as part of our celebration of 80 years of Loving God, Loving Others, and Making Disciples. You’re invited to do it again on **Sunday, Aug 17! Please consider baking and sharing ONE dozen cookies (please-no nuts)** to pack into the lunches, and bring them either Friday morning after the holyday Mass at 8:30 am, or Saturday close to the 5:45 pm Mass time. All ages welcome!. See you at 9:30 am on Aug 17th!



A WARM WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS

TODAY! If you would like to become a member of the family of Our Lady of Victory Parish, we invite you to stop in the Parish Office during office hours and we will assist you in filling out a Registration Form. *Welcome home!*

News & Notes in our Neighborhood

FOOD, FELLOWSHIP AND FAITH FOR ADULTS! Bishop Edward C. Malesic, Bishop of Cleveland, will be speaking on “A Flourishing Apostolic Church”, **Monday, Aug 18, 7:00 pm** at Our Lady of the Cedars, 507 S Cleveland Massillon Rd, Fairlawn. Admission of \$15.00, which includes light appetizers. Cash bar available; registration necessary, but payment will be at the door. **RSVP by Aug 11** to Keith Johnson at johnsonk@stsebastian.org or 330-836-2233 x134.



A CANCER SPIRITUALITY GROUP for those on the cancer journey, those who are facing the diagnosis of cancer at the present time, or who have faced the diagnosis in the past, who are interested in exploring and talking about the cancer experience in the context of spirituality. The next meeting is **Thursday, Aug 21 at 11:00 am** in the conference room at St Matthew Church, 2580 Berne St, Akron. Meetings are held the 3rd Thursday of each month. For more information, please contact Pat Flaherty at 330-671-4613 or at everhiker@sbcglobal.net.

FIRST FRIDAY CLUB OF AKRON speaker for **Sept 5 at Noon**, at Our Lady of Cedars, 507 S Cleveland Massillon Rd, Fairlawn, will be Bishop Edward C Malesic, Bishop of Cleveland. You may pay the \$25 fee at the door, or mail your check to the First Friday Club, PO Box 13291, Fairlawn, OH 44334. Doors open at 11:00 am, speaker and lunch at Noon.

Celebrating the Sacraments

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CONGRATULATIONS:
50th:

MICHAEL & JOANNE PASKO – 8/9/75



Caring Commission

Pray for the Sick: Bob Bryer, Donna Buehler, Elizabeth Butcher and soon-to-be-born Anne Katharine Butcher, Rita Case, Agnes Clark, Mike Courie, Marlene Dineen, Danny Firth, Floss Firth, Daysha Furtney, Carl Gilbow, Earl Iselin, Julianne Jenkins, John P Keller, Debra Kelly, Greta Krukemeyer, Tom Lorkowski, Lin Mattingly, Sheila McCrory, Joyce Mohr, Bernie Mosyjowski, Willie Naso, Frances O’Leary, Mary Ann Oliver, Dorothy Pfeil, Phyllis Poole, Lina Pugliese, Roger Riddle, Ashley Zuponic. *(Please call the Parish Office to add or remove a name.)*

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