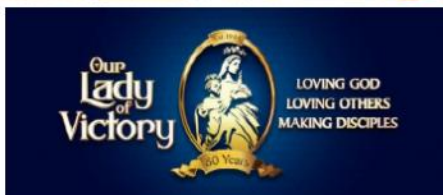


Hail Holy QUEEN Enthroned Above



"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
Holidays & 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
<i>(Offices closed holidays & major holydays)</i>	

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



MASSES & SERVICES FOR THIS WEEK

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

Live stream **Facebook** at:

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Monday, Aug 18	(8:00 am) Mass at St Matthew Jgs 2:11-19; Ps 106:34-37, 39-40, 43ab, 44; Mt 19:16-22
Tuesday, Aug 19	(8:30 am) Leonard Palmer Jr & Joan Smarrito Jgs 6:11-24a; Ps 85:9, 11-14; Mt 19:23-30
Wednesday, Aug 20	(8:00 am) Mass at St Matthew Saint Bernard, Abbot and Doctor of the Church Jgs 9:6-15; Ps 21:2-7; Mt 20:1-16
Thursday, Aug 21	(8:30 am) Anthony Petrovic Saint Pius X, Pope Jgs 11:29-39a; Ps 40:5, 7-10; Mt 22:1-14
Friday, Aug 22	(8:00 am) Mass at St Matthew Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22; Ps 146:5-10; Mt 22:34-40
Saturday, Aug 23	(9:00 am) Confessions at OLV (5:45 pm) Catherine Zelnar & George & Grace Serba Sr Ru 2:1-3, 8-11, 4:13-17; Ps 128:1b-5; Mt 23:1-12
Sunday, Aug 24	(8:30 am) For the Parishioners 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 66:18-21; Ps 117:1, 2; Heb 12: 5-7, 11-13; Lk 13:22-30

In Our Parish – What/Where/When

MONDAY, AUG 18

TUESDAY, AUG 19

****Victoria O'Donnell, Diocesan Publications on-site**

Women's Guild Board Mtg/PCR 100/6:30 pm

WEDNESDAY, AUG 20

****Victoria O'Donnell, Diocesan Publications on-site**

AA Meeting/FH/10:00 am

THURSDAY, AUG 21

****Victoria O'Donnell, Diocesan Publications on-site**

Bible Study/PCR 100/2:00 pm

FRIDAY, AUG 22

SATURDAY, AUG 23

Confessions/OLV/9:00 am

SUNDAY, AUG 24

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

OFFERTORY COLLECTION:

Regular Collection (8/10/25)	\$ 2,526.00
Faith Direct (8/4/25)	\$ 9,756.50

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A Note from Father Mike

A few years back most parishioners made weekly donations to their parishes through the offertory collection, dropping their "church envelopes" into the baskets as the ushers made their way through the church. As a Catholic school student, and later as a CCD student (OK, showing my age a little bit there), I remember having my own box of church envelopes to put in the basket as well, with a quarter from my "piggy bank" or maybe from my parents if I didn't have one of my own! These days, church envelopes are not as popular, though many folks still use them, and thank you all very much for that! More people are now making donations to the parish "electronically" either by having a bank check sent through the mail, or through an "e-giving" service such as Faith Direct, which we use here at Our Lady of Victory.

If you have been using Faith Direct, you may already know that the service is changing its name. Sometime in the coming weeks, Faith Direct Giving will become "ParishSoft Giving." From the perspective of the donors, it is just the name that is changing, although the service will offer a few new "tweaks," and ParishSoft will offer more flexibility to donors. Most importantly, those who have been using Faith Direct will not have to do anything when the switchover takes place. The donation service will continue without interruption. If you signed up for Payment Email Reminders, current Faith Direct donors will receive notification from ParishSoft when the migration is complete.

This may be a good time to consider signing up for e-giving if you are not already using Faith Direct. It's a great way to offer your support to our parish, especially if you cannot attend Mass due to vacation, illness, or some other reason. But donation envelopes, "mail-in" checks are still excellent ways to offer your financial support to our parish though, and your generosity, however it is offered, is greatly appreciated!

Coming Events & News in our Parish

"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 that morning. All ages welcome!. **See you at 9:30 am on Aug 17th!**



BACK TO SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE for the children at St Anthony of Padua School in North Hill – purchase supplies listed on last week's flyer and drop off in the baskets in the front vestibule/Alcove area or give a marked cash or check donation (payable to Our Lady of Victory). **THE DEADLINE IS AUGUST 31!** Thank you very much!



We extend a heart-felt prayer for all our youth as they travel back to school for an exciting new year of learning and fun! Blessings to each of you - we're proud of you, and we know you can do this!!



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.

AUGUST IS NATIONAL MAKE-A-WILL MONTH, AND THERE'S NO BETTER TIME TO CREATE OR UPDATE YOUR WILL. Catholic Community Foundation offers a free resource through FreeWill, a simple online tool that can help you plan ahead in about 20 minutes. Visit <https://www.freewill.com/CatholicCommunity>.

ACME COMMUNITY CASHBACK – Please save your Acme store receipts, dated August 1, 2025 through February 15, 2026, and place them in the containers near the doors of the Church. Please do not cut off the date. As a result of our last collection, our Religious Education Program was supported with **\$1,141.90!** We will again receive 5% of your purchases and are very appreciative of your efforts!

Celebrating the Sacraments

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CONGRATULATIONS:
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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, David Fetchu, Danny Firth, Floss Firth, Carol Fox, Daysha Furtney, 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, Lina Pugliese, Roger Riddle, Edward Siciliano, Ashley Zuponicic. *(Please call the Parish Office to add or remove a name.)*



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We pray with the Church that Phyllis Poole (mother of Kathy Helmuth) may share in the peace and joy of the Risen Lord.

**For anyone interested in advertising to support our church Bulletin, Victoria O'Donnell will be at Our Lady of Victory Aug 19 – 22.**

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