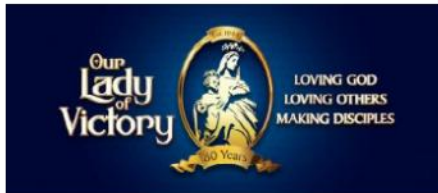


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 with Whom I am well-pleased



"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
<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 4 **(8:00 am) Mass at St Matthew**
St John Vianney, Priest
Nm 11:4b-15; Ps 81:12-17; Mt 14:13-21
- Tuesday, Aug 5 **(8:30 am-C) Gabe Ritzert & Jim Ingram**
Nm 12:1-13; Ps 51:3-7, 12-13, Mt 14:22-36
- Wednesday, Aug 6 **(8:00 am) Mass at St Matthew**
Transfiguration of the Lord
Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9;
2 Pt 1:16-19; Lk 9:28b-36
- Thursday, Aug 7 **(8:30 am-C) Brian & Peggy McCrory & Mark Sedlock**
Nm 20: 1-13; Ps 95: 1-2, 6-9, Mt 16:13-23
- Friday, Aug 8 **(8:00 am) Mass at St Matthew**
Dt 4:32-40; Ps 77:12-16, 21; Mt 16:24-28
- Saturday, Aug 9 **(9:00 am-OLV) Confessions**
(5:45 pm-C) Paolo & Angela Cavallaro
Dt 6: 4-13; Ps 18: 2-4, 47, 51; Mt 17:14-20
- Sunday, Aug 10 **(8:30 am-C) Lorelea Cevasco**
19th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Wis 18:6-9; Ps 33:1, 12, 18-22;
Heb 11:1-2, 8-19; Lk 12:32-48

In Our Parish – What/Where/When

MONDAY, AUG 4

K of C Member Mtg/PCR 101/7:00 pm

TUESDAY, AUG 5

WEDNESDAY, AUG 6

AA Meeting/FH/10:00 am

THURSDAY, AUG 7

Bible Study/PCR 100/2:00 pm

FRIDAY, AUG 8

SATURDAY, AUG 9

Confessions/OLV/9:00 am

SUNDAY, AUG 10

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

GRATEFUL PORTION (OUR FIRST PORTION) *“Give alms in proportion to your means; if you have many possessions, give generously; if you have little, give some of what you have. And when you give, give with a cheerful face; give to the Most High as God has given to you.”*

OFFERTORY COLLECTION:

Regular Collection (7/27/25).....\$ 2,364.00

Like us on **Facebook** at: Our Lady of Victory Church, and our **youth page** at: Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church Youth Ministry! Also, you can follow us on **Instagram**, by going *olv1944* and follow.



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A Note from Father Mike

After being “officially” installed at the end of June, I have now been the pastor at Our Lady of Victory for six months, a milestone of sorts! I am slowly getting to know more folks by name and by face, and I suppose folks are getting used to me as well. What has changed so far? I suppose the biggest change has been the adjustment of the Mass schedule. I am grateful to everyone for your willingness to adapt to the new reality. It has not been easy for some folks, but I do believe we can continue to make this work! The music ministry continues to grow as well. Please feel welcome to share your musical ability in whatever way you like: singing, playing, or even dancing! Just speak to Bridget before or after Mass! There have been a few other smaller things too, I guess. You may notice a few tweaks in the procedure for Mass, and some other adjustments have been made here and there! Mostly, though, I hope we have gotten off to a good start as we learn from one another the best way to proceed into the future. In the fall, there will be new opportunities for faith formation for parishioners of all ages, including the start of weekly faith formation sessions for young folks on Sunday mornings! We’ll move slowly - but steadily – as we grow in faith, ready to build up our parish and the Church! For all that we have already received, we give thanks! For all that is yet to come, we are grateful!

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A few years ago, the Diocese began a seasonal event at various parishes called “Nine Nights of Prayer.” These were novenas held in anticipation of one of the feasts of the Blessed Virgin. Saint Matthew Parish has continued that custom and will begin a “nine nights” novena on Thursday, August 7th, ending on the Feast of the Assumption on August 15th. All are welcome to participate each evening at 8:00 pm! Let’s gather together in a partnership of prayer!

Coming Events & News in our Parish

UPDATE ON CHRISTMAS IN JULY! It was a great success! We were happy to divest of a good part of Fr Mike Matusz's collection of Christmas paraphernalia and make some money in the process. Lots of good buys were to be had! Thank you to the many volunteers who hauled things from the rectory to the center building to Finnerty Hall, to those who helped to sort, price, and sell, and for the crafty ones who made beautiful crafts to sell while waiting for customers. We had a great time working together for the good of our parish, and I thank you ALL!
Ho! Ho! Ho! - Marianne Tomei

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 that morning. All ages welcome! **See you at 9:30 am!**



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

ANNUAL NURSES' TRIBUTE MASS - All nurses, nursing students, their families and friends and anyone of any faith or denomination are invited to the 18th Annual Nurses' Tribute Mass on **Thursday, Aug 7, at 6:00 pm** at Queen of Heaven Church, 1800 Steese Rd, Green. A social will follow in the Parish Hall.



AUGUST 3, 2025!
12:00 PM – 10:00 PM

THEOLOGY ON THE ROCKS WEST - For Adults 40 & Over! Join us **Monday, Aug 11, from 7 – 8:30 pm** at **Westside Irish American Club**, 8559 Jennings Rd, Olmsted Twp! The Most Rev Bishop Robert M. Pipta, of the Byzantine Catholic Eparchy of Parma, will provide an evening of **"Getting to know Eastern Christianity in light of the 1700th Anniversary of the Council of Nicea."** Cost is \$15.00/person. Light appetizers included/cash bar available. **Advance tickets recommended:** www.theologyontherockswest.com. Doors open at 6:30pm.



CATHOLIC AND DIVORCED? YOU'RE NOT ALONE. The **Build a New Life Workshop** is a 12-week intensive online healing program created by Carolyn Klika, a certified Catholic Divorce Healing Coach, who has walked this road herself. Rooted in the Church's truth and compassion, this small-group experience offers emotional healing, spiritual guidance, and practical support for anyone facing separation or divorce—whether discerning separation, newly divorced, or years out. The next cohort begins **Thursday, Sept 11 at 7:00 pm.** Early Bird Discount through July 31. Scholarships available. Register at <https://www.aboundingjoyministry.com/events>.



Celebrating the Sacraments

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CONGRATULATIONS: 60th:

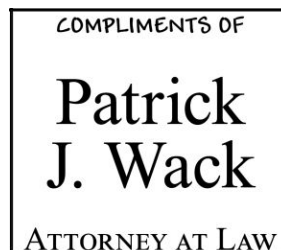
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Caring Commission

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, 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.

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