



BLESSED SACRAMENT MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 8:00 a.m. & 4:30 p.m.
 Sunday: 8:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.
 Weekday Mass: 8:00 a.m.

CONFESSIONS

Tuesdays: 7:00 to 8:00 a.m.
 9:00 to 10:00 p.m.
 Saturdays: 3:30 to 4:25 p.m.
 or by appointment at Blessed Sacrament.

OUR LADY OF LOURDES MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday: 9:30 a.m.

BAPTISMS

Holy Baptism is the basis of the whole Christian life, the gateway to life in the Spirit, and the door which gives access to the other sacraments. Through Baptism we are freed from sin and reborn as sons of God; we become members of Christ, are incorporated into the Church and made sharers in her mission: Since Baptism is not a private celebration, but an incorporation in the large community of the Church, Baptisms are ordinarily celebrated on the fourth Sunday of each Month after the 9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Masses.

WEDDINGS

Couples intending Marriage should call the Rectory at least six months in advance of the planned date.

RCIA

Please call the Rectory if you know of someone who is interested in learning about the Catholic Faith.

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday–Friday 8:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m.

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Fr. Michael says.....

I'd like to tell you about something that happens every week in Wintersville that you may not know about.

Every Monday, a group called Bosco Boys meets at Blessed Sacrament. This is a group of mostly junior high and high school guys who gather with the common purpose of being at least open to the possibility of hearing God's call to be a priest.

The group is named for **St. John Bosco, the patron saint of youth**, who spent much of his life caring for boys and leading them to a deeper relationship with God through the sacraments.

They start out in the church where there is a holy hour of Eucharistic adoration. They pray the Rosary, sit in silence before the Lord, and end with Evening Prayer (also known as Vespers) from the Liturgy of the Hours - the official set of prayers prayed by priests, religious, and laypeople all around the world. Confessions are also available during this time.

After their prayer, the young men head over to the rectory for food. Sometimes it's pizza, sometimes sandwiches, and sometimes someone makes something.

They spend the rest of the evening socializing, playing games, and (when the weather is nice) being outside.

As director of vocations, Fr. Josh supervises this event every Monday starting at 6:30pm.

It's truly a beautiful thing to see so many young men gather for prayer and fellowship. I really believe it's going to lead some of them to give seminary a try.

If you have a son who is in this age group, feel free to bring them to Bosco Boys. Young people can really be surprising with their openness to the Lord - we just need to give them a chance to express it.

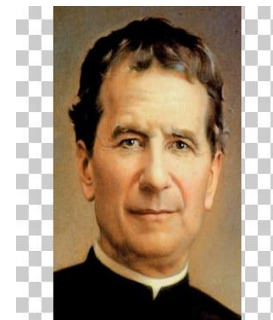
*May God bless you for your goodness to His Church
for the week of July 2nd, 2023*

(BLS) Adult Envelopes	\$4,980.00
Children's Envelopes	\$1.00
Candles	\$163.00
SVdP	\$355.00
Improvement Fund	\$70.00
Loose	\$158.00
(OLL) Adult Envelopes	\$1,263.00
Children's Envelopes	\$3.00
Candles	\$48.00
SVdP	\$540.00
Improvement Fund	\$25.00
Loose	\$35.00

If you have questions about Bosco Boys, please get in touch with Fr. Josh.

Prayer to St. John Bosco

O Saint John Bosco, Father, Teacher, and Friend of Youth, you have labored so much for the salvation of souls: teach me to be patient and gentle as I seek the good of my own soul and the souls of my neighbor.



Three great loves gave purpose and meaning to your earthly life: help me deepen my own reverence to Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament, devotion to Mary, Help of Christians, and loyalty to our Holy Father the Pope.

Together with the grace for which I now pray... [pause]... pray for me to obtain final perseverance and grace of a happy death. Through Christ, our Lord. Amen.



Please pray for the repose of the soul of **Donna (Zoric) Hicks**, sister of Joe Zoric (BLS), who recently passed away.

May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

Mass Intentions for the week

Sat.	July 22	Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
4:30pm	(BLS)	Carl Stasiulewicz (Carolyn Monday)
Sun.	July 23	Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00am	(BLS)	Jenny Sferrella (Skater family)
9:30am	(OLL)	Living and deceased members of our Wintersville parishes
11:00am	(BLS)	Beverly Fijewski (husband, Robert, Todd & Kimberly)
Mon.	July 24	Weekday
8:00am	(BLS)	Katherine Grantonic (Bob & Mary Frances Phillipson)
Tues.	July 25	St. James, Apostle
8:00am	(BLS)	Joseph Maruchek (Katherine Williams)
Wed.	July 26	Sts. Joachim & Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary
8:00am	(BLS)	Joe Izzi (Thomas Wilson)
Thurs.	July 27	Weekday
8:00am	(BLS)	Carleen Scurti (husband, Adam & family)
5:15pm	(BLS)	Cynthia Phillipson (M / M LeRoy Sharpe)
Fri.	July 28	Weekday
8:00am	(BLS)	Bill DiMarzio (Kerry & Rosemary O'Brien)
Sat.	July 29	Sts. Martha, Mary & Lazarus
8:00am	(BLS)	Doris Luparello (Richard & Noreen Saxon)
Sat.	July 29	Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary time
4:30pm	(BLS)	Adam Scurti (Serra Club of Steubenville)
Sun.	July 30	Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00am	(BLS)	Mary Bozsik (Pat Zorne)
9:30am	(OLL)	Irene Rozsa (Marjean Sizemore)
11:00am	(BLS)	Living and deceased members of our Wintersville parishes

In the hospital as of July 20, 2023:

Trinity West: Lisa Kramer, Jody Hutter Pownell

Denise Smith & Judy Yates

If you are admitted to a hospital, please call (or have a family member call) the parish office and let us know. **The hospitals do not call us.** We cannot visit you if we are not made aware.



**Sts. Martha, Mary & Lazarus with Jesus
Their Feast Day is July 29**

**Please remember in your prayers the intentions
of our Holy Father, Pope Francis**

JULY

(For a Eucharistic Life)

We pray that Catholics may place the celebration of
the Eucharist at the heart of their lives,
transforming human relationships in a very deep
way and opening to the encounter
with God and all their brothers and sisters.



LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

for July 29th & 30th

Saturday 7/ 29 4:30pm	
Lector	Lou DiGregory
EMOCH	Sandy Morelli
Servers:	John & Christian Mitchell
Sunday 7 / 30 8:00am	
Lector	Tony Dondzila
EMOHC	Linda Berkey
Servers:	Joe Hewitt & Alex Solema
(At OLL) 9:30am	
Lector	Laura Froehlich
Servers:	(Volunteers)
11:00am	
Lector	Rob Zaleski
EMOHC:	Kaci Chaney
Servers:	Zaleskis
If you are unable to be at your designated ministry when you are scheduled, <u>it is your responsibility</u> to find a replacement. Thank you! Please don't just not show up.	

PARISH & LOCAL NEWS / EVENTS

ST VINCENT DE PAUL MINISTRY gratefully acknowledges generous donations in memory of Msgr. Jerry from Claudia Dorich and 2 anonymous people.



ATTENTION ALL BAKERS! – the BLS CWC still needs your help! We know it's summertime, but we still have events coming up that we hope to participate in by selling baked goods to benefit our CWC. **WE NEED YOU** to help us by baking some treats. If you would like to help us, please contact Janet Stasiulewicz at 740-264-4153. We greatly appreciate your support!



MEN'S CLUB: The 50 / 50 raffle held during our Church picnic last weekend (which made \$200.00), was won by Nancy Robinson (Geno Carinci's daughter) who graciously donated it back to the club. Thank you Nancy!

Our next **WORK PARTY** will be held on **Thursday, July 27**, beginning at 6:00pm, at Blessed Sacrament. Thank you to those who come out to help in maintaining our church and its grounds. Even if you can give just a little bit of your time, it helps a lot!

BJKM ELEMENTARY: There are a **limited openings** for the 2023-2024 school year in grades Preschool through 5th. The school office is open on Wednesdays from 8:00am – 12:00noon. Call to schedule an appointment or email tdanaher@bishopmussio.org.



BACK TO SCHOOL RALLY: Thursday, August 10, in the CCHS Pavilion. Doors open at 5:00pm. Food, refreshments, CCHS apparel & gear will be sold. Come out to hear the marching band, watch the Royalettes and Cheerleaders perform and meet the Fall 2023 sports teams in grades 6 – 12. We look forward to seeing you!

CCHS ATHLETICS REVERSE RAFFLE: Saturday, August 12. Gates open at 5:00. Raffle begins at 6:00pm. **1st ticket: \$100.00, 2nd ticket: \$250.00 & Final: \$3,000.00.**



Winner need not be present! Ticket admits one person & provides one dinner. Tickets are available at the min school office or by contacting Teresa at 740-317-9243. 50/50 drawing & auction items will be available along with a cash bar. All proceeds benefit CCHS athletics!!

Gone to the Dogs

Muldoon lived alone in the Irish countryside with only a pet dog for company. One day the dog died, and Muldoon went to the parish priest and asked, "Father, me dog is dead. Could ya' be saying' a mass for the poor creature?"



Father Patrick replied, "I'm afraid not, we cannot have services for an animal in the church. But there are some Baptists down the lane, and there's no tellin' what they believe. Maybe they'll do something for the creature."

Muldoon said, "I'll go right away Father. Do ya' think \$5,000 is enough to donate to them for the service?"

Father Patrick exclaimed, "Sweet Mary, Mother of Jesus! Why did ya' not tell me the dog was Catholic?"

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