



Our Lady of Peace *Family of Parishes*

Holy Family - Holy Name of Jesus - Our Lady of Sorrows

NOVEMBER 2, 2025 | ALL SOULS DAY

Pastor: Rev. Paul Gebhardt, Sr. Parochial Vicar: Rev. John Civile, Parochial Vicar: Rev. Benjamin Mersch,
Deacons: John Lyons, Bill Schaefer, Larry Gronas, & Jack Schaefer

Our Lady of Peace

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Holy Family

201 Clark Street, Middletown, OH 45042

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Weekend Mass Schedule

Holy Trinity Church

201 Clark Street

Sunday 9:00 am (*Live streamed*)

St. John Church

1405 First Avenue

Saturday 4:30 pm & Sunday 10:30 am

Reconciliation: Saturday 3:30 pm

St. John XXIII Catholic School

3806 Manchester Road

Middletown, OH 45042

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Weekend Mass Schedule

Sunday - 8:30 am

Reconciliation (Confessions)

2nd & 4th Wednesdays 6:30-7:00 pm

Sundays 7:30-8:00 am

Our Lady of Sorrows

330 Lebanon St., Monroe, Ohio 45050

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Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday - 4:00 pm, Sunday - 10:30 am

Reconciliation (Confessions)

1st & 3rd Wednesdays 6:30-7:00 pm

Saturdays 3:00-3:30 pm



THE COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

"And this is the will of the one who sent me, that I should not lose anything of what he gave me, but that I should raise it on the last day. For this is the will of my Father, that everyone who sees the Son and believes in him may have eternal life, and I shall raise him up on the last day." - Jn 6:39-40

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Upcoming Events

Speaker Jeanne Hunt St. John Undercroft.....	Nov 8
Donut Sunday Holy Trinity.....	Nov 9
Leisure Group Meeting OLOS.....	Nov 19
Pilgrimage to Downtown Cathedral.....	Nov 22
First Sunday of Advent.....	Nov 30
Bless the Children St. John Church.....	Dec 9

WELCOME



Readings for the week of November 2, 2025

Sunday: Wis 3:1-9/Rom 5:5-11 or Rom 6:3-9/Jn 6:37-40

Monday: Rom 11:29-36/Lk 14:12-14

Tuesday: Rom 12:5-16b/Lk 14:15-24

Wednesday: Rom 13:8-10/Lk 14:25-33

Thursday: Rom 14:7-12/Lk 15:1-10

Friday: Rom 15:14-21/Lk 16:1-8

Saturday: Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27/Lk 16:9-15

Next Sunday: Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12/1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17/Jn 2:13-22

Introductions to Sunday Readings: by Bishop Ken Untener, in collaboration with Catherine Haven & Fr. Bill Taylor



First Reading - Wisdom 3:1-9

The book of Wisdom was written by a teacher who lived in Alexandria, Egypt, a center of Greek philosophy in the ancient world. It was written about 50 years before Christ when belief in the afterlife was far from settled, so the author's intent is to persuade as well as comfort.

Second Reading - Romans 5:5-11

The theme of today's section from Paul's letter to the Romans is the great theological question of how sinners can be united with God who is all holy. Paul presents the Christian answer to this question.

Parish Staff

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HF Religious Education: Joseph Barnett

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OLOS Music Ministry: Michelle Markert

Bulletin/Announcement Deadline: Friday at noon - 1 week in advance via email to your parish office.

MASS SCHEDULE FOR OUR LADY OF PEACE WEEK OF NOV. 3 - 9

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
HOLY TRINITY CHURCH	N/A	N/A	12:10 PM	12:10 PM	8:00 AM	N/A	9:00 AM 2:00 PM Spanish
ST JOHN CHURCH	N/A	*8:15 @ St. John XXIII School	N/A	N/A	N/A	4:30 PM	10:30 AM
HOLY NAME OF JESUS	N/A	N/A	8:30 AM	8:30 AM	N/A	N/A	8:30 AM
OUR LADY OF SORROWS	8:30 AM	N/A	N/A	6:00 PM	9:00 AM	4:00 PM	10:30 AM

Baptisms.....Contact your Parish Office. Baptismal preparation is required.

Marriages.....Contact your Parish Office at least 6 months before the desired date.

Vocations.....Contact a member of your pastoral staff or visit cincinnati vocations.org.

Pastoral Care of the Sick.....May be arranged through your Parish Office.

Becoming Catholic.....Contact your Parish Office.

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



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 personal history, age, background, race, etc., no matter what your own self-image, you are invited, welcomed, accepted, loved and respected here at Our Lady of Peace Family of Parishes.

Special Collection for the AMS Archdiocese for Military Services

November 8th & 9th



Our family of parishes will take up a Collection for the Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA (AMS), next weekend, a collection approved by the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops to be taken every three years. The AMS provides pastoral care to Catholic men and women serving in the U.S. Armed Forces, enrolled at a U.S. Military Academy, being treated as a patient at any of the 153 U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Centers, or who work for the federal government beyond U.S. borders - including those from our own parish and diocese. The AMS does not receive any funding from the government or military, and has no parishes from which to receive a weekly assessment. Please use the special envelope included in the November packet. Thank you for your generosity! To learn more go to:

www.milarch.org/nationalcollection.



AAUW Middletown Holiday Bazaar

Fridays & Saturdays, 9 AM - 4 PM

November 7th & 8th and 14th & 15th

Sunday, November 16th Noon - 4 PM

**Towne Mall Blvd. Middletown Behind
Gabe's by loading dock B**



Come and find something fun to take home. *The proceeds from the sale will be used to support the program and mission of the branch which includes local scholarships, the national AAUW Greatest Needs Fund and building up the AAUW Branch scholarship fund at Middletown Community Foundation.* For more information contact Chris at tcbuch@yahoo.com.

Save the date: November 22nd



Father Ben will lead a pilgrimage to the Cathedral Basilica of the Assumption in Covington Kentucky. We will meet at Our Lady of Sorrows at 9:45 am and carpool to Covington from there. The tour will begin at 11:00 am and last about an hour. After that we will plan to grab a bite to eat somewhere on the way back to Monroe(place to be determined). Look for more information in next weeks bulletin and to sign up in the gathering space.

Pre-Plan Today
for Peace of Mind
Tomorrow

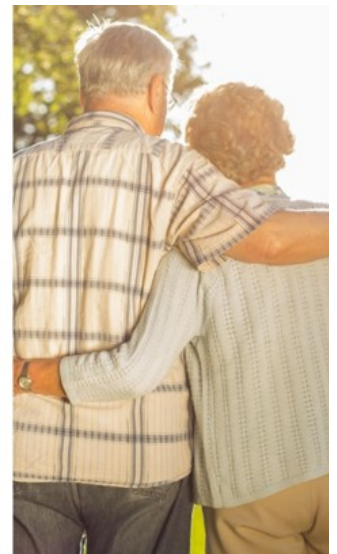
Pre-Planning Seminar

Tuesday, November 25th

11:00am, 2:00pm, or
6:00pm



RSVP to 513-489-0300



Celebrate Advent with
local parish choirs at...

Tidings of Comfort and Joy Gate of Heaven Cemetery

Friday, December 5th | 7:00 - 9:30 PM

- Join us at Gate of Heaven for a special Advent evening of fellowship and sacred music, featuring performances by several local parish choirs.
- Enjoy **complimentary appetizers** and refreshments as we gather in the spirit of the season.
- During the evening, Gate of Heaven will be accepting donations to help provide car seats for Pregnancy Center Plus.



Collection for Our Lady of Peace Family of Parishes



- (1) Please **do not** make checks payable to Our Lady of Peace. The legal entity has not yet been established.
- (2) Any checks or envelopes designated for a specific parish will go to the designated parish.
- (3) Please write checks payable to the parish you want to receive your donation. **Thank you for your generosity!**

COMMUNITY



Join us for a morning of reflection and
brunch as we prepare to head into the
Advent season.



Jeanne Hunt will speak about
**Living Catholic: What it Takes to Live
your Life with Gusto!**

Saturday November 8, 2025

St. John's undercroft

11am Brunch

11:45 Presentation

Please RSVP so we can prepare brunch
(call the office or sign up on the sheet in the
gathering space.)



Thank You from Embrace Grace and Josie & family:



From the bottom of our hearts, we want to thank each and every one of you for the love, support, and prayers you've given our family and baby Lincoln. Even those of you who don't personally know us have shown such kindness and compassion, and it has touched our hearts more than words can express.

This journey hasn't been easy, but your prayers and encouragement have given us strength and reminded us that we're never alone. Every gift, every message, and every prayer has been a beautiful reminder of God's love shining through each of you.

We are so incredibly grateful for the way you've embraced our family and lifted Lincoln up in prayer. Your generosity and faith have meant more to us than you'll ever know. Thank you for being part of this miracle with us.

With love and endless gratitude,
Josie, Cody, and Baby Lincoln

Author Jeanne Hunt... Married, **Mother** of four children. Degrees BA - Fine Arts, Art History - University of Cincinnati MA - Theology/ Religious Studies - Athenaeum of Ohio Teacher - Archdiocese of Cincinnati Associate. **Director** of the Family Life Office/Cincinnati, Director of Religious Education (St. James, Sacred Heart, St Bernard parishes), Director of Product Development - Franciscan Media Pastoral Associate for Catechesis and Evangelization - Our Lady of the Visitation Parish, Cincinnati, Ohio. Preaching Parish Mission throughout the United States and Canada. **Presenter** at workshops, retreats and conferences. **Author** of eight books Writer for Homily Helps, Catholic Update, RCL /Benzinger Publications, Catholic newspaper column - The Catholic Moment.

"Jeanne is a nationally recognized speaker and authority in catechesis and evangelization."



HOLY FAMILY

Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed

It is the custom of our parish to remember every individual who has been buried from Holy Family during the last year. Candles will be lit as their names are read and placed in the Books of Remembrance at both churches. Everyone is invited to add deceased loved ones' names to these books beginning next weekend. We ask you to pray with us for all the faithful departed.



<i>Diane Childers</i>	<i>Kenneth Schultheiss</i>	<i>Suzann Soppanish</i>
<i>Dawn Sullivan</i>	<i>Frances Byrd</i>	<i>Douglas McQueen</i>
<i>David Warrick</i>	<i>Donald Dent</i>	<i>Justin Holweger</i>
<i>Mary Spears</i>	<i>Donald Smith</i>	<i>Norma Reardon</i>
<i>Mary Garrison</i>	<i>Robert Simpson</i>	<i>Eugene Casstevens</i>
<i>Mark Combs</i>	<i>Thomas Osust</i>	<i>Stacy Pfeffer</i>
<i>Lawrence Pratt</i>	<i>Frank Pressler</i>	<i>Sandra Mulligan</i>
<i>Marguerite Amatulli</i>	<i>William Schneider</i>	<i>Jerome Clark</i>
<i>Cheryl Landen</i>	<i>Robert Penny</i>	<i>Albert Berns</i>
<i>Russell Hess</i>	<i>Andrew Hasselbach</i>	<i>Mary Weidle</i>
<i>Charles Feters</i>	<i>Jerold Pennington</i>	<i>Michael Kurdila</i>
<i>Benjamin Johnson</i>	<i>Paul Collette</i>	<i>Walter Farquis</i>
<i>Karl Kraeutle</i>	<i>Ramiro Caceres Lopez</i>	<i>Sarah Chaney</i>
<i>Charles Rouster Sr.</i>	<i>Shawnee Culbertson</i>	<i>John Sora</i>
<i>Richard Ristaneo</i>	<i>Stasia Caudill</i>	<i>Sandra Sora</i>
<i>Jane Hufziger</i>	<i>Calvin Fite</i>	<i>Arnold Hurst</i>
<i>Arlie Vaughn</i>	<i>Arthur Bidwell Jr.</i>	
<i>Gail Long</i>	<i>Sharon Verhoff</i>	



Leftover Halloween Candy?



If you were short on trick-or-treaters and ended up with leftover Halloween candy this year, SVDP could add it to gift baskets for Thanksgiving and Christmas. Just bag it up and drop it in the blue donation bins at the church doors. THANKS!

Welcome Back Fr. Dan Dorsey



Fr. Dan Dorsey will be the presider at all the Masses this weekend. Welcome back Fr. Dan!

Neighborhood Reps! It's Calendar Pick Up Time!

Sunday, November 9th

2026 Calendars will be available for the neighborhood reps to pick up in the Parish Office following the 9 AM Mass and again in the St. John Undercroft after the 10:30 AM Mass. **Didn't receive a calendar last year? Maybe YOU can be your neighborhood representative....?**



HOLY FAMILY

HOLY FAMILY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday and Sunday - November 1 and November 2

4:30 PM Mass SJ John Soppanish - Birthday Rem.

9:00 AM Mass HT Richard Ristaneo

This Mass live streamed and available on the website anytime.

10:30 AM Mass SJ People of the Parish

Monday, November 3

No Mass

Tuesday, November 4

8:15 AM Mass SJ23 Mary Ellen Wesley

Wednesday, November 5

12:10 PM Mass HT Virginia Mulligan Quatman

Thursday, November 6

12:10 PM Mass HT Janice Madlinger

Friday, November 7

8:00 AM Mass HT Deceased Members of Nori, Kelly Families

Saturday, November 8

4:30 PM Mass SJ Dr. Omer Hurlburt II - Birthday Rem.

Sunday, November 9 Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

9:00 AM Mass HT Judy Walters - Anniversary Rem.

10:30 AM Mass SJ Ed Harpring - Birthday Rem.

Weekly Collections Stewardship

Sunday, October 26th \$14,702.95

Thank you for your generous stewardship!

MINISTERS NEXT WEEK

Nov 8/9	4:30 PM SAT	9:00 AM SUN	10:30 AM SUN
Eucharistic Ministers	Carolyn Kraft 1B	Barb VonderHaar 1B	Bridget Clark 1B
	Kathy Kraft 2B	Ginger Bruggeman 2B	Marcia Egelston 2B
	Barbara Heinle 3B	Karen Dillon 3B	Melissa Bauer 3B
	Bernie Driscoll 1C	Jason Dwenger 1C	Rick Gregosky 1C
	Mike Klapheke 2C	Kathy Farler 2C	Linda Jester 2C
Lectors	Kelley Hale Pat Montgomery	Amy Bray John Herr	Christy Hawkins Chris McCarthy
Server	Dick Montgomery	Luke Bray	CeCe Hawkins
Greeters	Bill Purcell D1	Jinnie Raney D1 Don Accurso D2	J. Puthoff D1

In Your Prayers Remember

Ruth Ann Wills at Arlington Point and Janet Chase at Atrium.

Mass in Spanish...2 PM at Holy Trinity Church

Please join us for Mass every Sunday at 2 PM at Holy Trinity Church. **All are welcome.**

The Books of Remembrance

Everyone is invited to add the names of their deceased loved ones in the *Books of Remembrance*, which will be in both churches for the entire month of November.



Giving Trees in the Churches This Weekend!

Again this year parishioners are invited to choose an ornament, purchase the suggested gift, wrap it, and **bring the gift**

with the tag attached to the 9:00 AM Thanksgiving Day Mass celebrated at St. John Church OR to the parish office by Friday, December 5th.



Prison Ministry: Angel Tags

We team with Messiah Lutheran to provide Christmas gifts for Middletown children whose parent or guardian is currently in prison. Through the chaplain, inmates request gifts for their children.

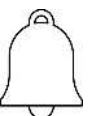


Messiah Lutheran passes out these gifts in early December!

SVDP Outreach & Pantry Families: Bell, Ornament and Tree Tags

Our SVDP volunteers invite families to sign up for Christmas Food baskets and gifts this year. **Our SVDP passes out these gifts on Friday, December 19th!**

We start early to give everyone almost a month to shop / wrap / and turn in their gift so that our SVDP and Messiah Lutheran can pass them out in time for Christmas!



HOLY FAMILY

St. John XXIII Catholic School

Pre-K to Grade 8

Traditional Values • Exceptional Education

Principal Mrs. Dawn Pickerill

513-424-1196

Calvary Cemetery Collection

by Dr. Steph Burk - parishioner &
Calvary Cemetery Assoc. Member



On a hill in Ireland, overlooking the rolling green landscape just northwest of Dublin, there is a tomb. It is a huge mound, covered with grass and faced with white quartz. It's not alone: at least 35 smaller, similar tombs can be found nearby.

Within a day or two of the winter solstice, the rising sun pierces the mound, dramatically illuminating its central burial chambers. The remains of five individuals have been discovered there and it has been suggested from DNA analysis that at least one may be a king or prince.

Newgrange, as it is called, was built approximately 500 years before the Great Pyramid of Egypt, and a thousand years before it Neolithic British neighbor, Stonehenge. Fast-forward to the more recent past. Not quite two hundred years ago, the prosperity and grandeur of ancient Ireland had been replaced by a desperate time: The Great Famine. The potato crop, a staple for Irish farmers, was infected with a disease that devastated the plants on which rural residents depended for survival. About one million died of starvation and related diseases. Almost twice that emigrated, many to American.

If you take a quiet hour to wander through our Calvary Cemetery, you will see the graves of many individuals whose birthplaces in Ireland are listed: Donegal, Taum, Tipperary. To them the famine was not just history-it was a memory. A drama that played out in the shadow of burial mounds like the ones in Newgrange.

Newgrange is just one of many examples throughout pre-history which prove that commemorating our deceased loved ones is not a new phenomenon. Newgrange fell into disrepair over the millennia and has been restored to what scholars believe was its original appearance. Some burial places aren't so fortunate, and it's up to the living to maintain them. And so once again at this time of year when we remember the dead-and incidentally, Halloween has its roots in ancient Ireland-we ask for your contributions to help us maintain the grounds of Calvary Cemetery-our own way of honoring our loved ones and their past.

Parents of Second Graders!

Meeting for First Reconciliation & Eucharist

Monday, November 3rd 6:30 PM St. John Church

There will be a meeting for the parents of second graders at 6:30 p.m. on Monday, November 3rd in the St. John Church in preparation for the sacraments of First Reconciliation and Eucharist. If you have any questions, please call the parish office 513-422-0602.



UPCOMING EVENTS

End of Trimester – Thursday, November 6

Records Day – Friday, November 7 -This is a teacher only work day and students do not attend school so that teachers can work on report cards

Report Cards go Home – Friday, November 14

Conferences – Thursday, November 20, starting at 3:30 and Friday, November 21, starting at 8:00.

Thanksgiving Break – Begins Friday, November 21, with school resuming on Monday, December 1

Giving Tuesday – Tuesday, December 2

ATHLETICS AT ST. JOHN XXIII

We welcome students in the parish to play for the St. John XXIII Catholic School athletic teams. To be eligible to play, students must meet the following requirements:

1. The family is a registered member of one of the churches in our family of parishes - Our Lady of Peace which is comprised of Holy Family (Middletown), Our Lady of Sorrows (Monroe), and Holy Name (Trenton).
2. The student wishing to join our athletic program is registered and regularly attending (no more than three absences without medical excuse) PREP for the current and / or prior year.
3. The public school the student is currently attending, or assigned to attend, does NOT offer the sport the student is wishing to play.

HOLY NAME OF JESUS



Prayer List.... *Pray for the Sick at Holy*

Name of Jesus: Orville Brown, Deacon Bill & Jean Schaefer, Sue Harris, Steve Drake, Becky Hedges-Kamps., Jose Gonzalez, Raymond Martin, Wendall Draman, Bebe Orth, Blair and Casey Mitchell, Teresa Adams, Nancy Carroll, Brenda Hicks, Diane Frain, Anna Hunsinger, Rob Burgher, Adam Willke, Doug Ritter, Betty Issacs, Agnes Kuzma, Paul Foley, Tina Smetek, Trevor Lacey & Dr. Thomas Willke. ***If you want to be on this list, or have recovered & would like to be removed from this list, please call the office.***

Traveling Chalice....



For Vocations to the Priesthood:

Mike & Kay Hutchinson received the chalice after Mass on Sunday, October 26th and will have it for 2 weeks. If you would like to be a part of this ministry, please contact the office. ***When to return the chalice?*** Anytime during the week before Sunday. ***Deacon Larry requests that you leave the chalice on the altar rail.***

PRAY FOR OUR PRIESTS.... *Please continue to pray for the priests in the Archdiocese of Cincinnati!*

A list of priests to pray for this week is available on the table in the back of the church.

Financial Stewardship Summary

16th Sunday of fiscal year as of 10/19/2025

	Last Week	Year to Date
Parish Needs	\$ 4,710	\$ 75,360
Parish Receipts	\$ 3,921	\$ 62,000

Total Envelopes Used: 38

Total Electronic Givers: 20

Note: Fiscal year budget for 7/1/2025 to 6/30/2026 is \$244,920

This week's receipts: Sunday & Holy Day Offerings - \$2,192, Donut Fund - \$13, CMA Rebate - \$1,668, & Candles - \$48

Designated Collection: World Mission Sunday - \$608

Your generosity helps us do God's work. Thank you!

Traveling Chalice....We need



others to help with the traveling chalice. Please prayerfully consider becoming a part of this important ministry! Call the office if you would like to join us in praying for vocations to the priesthood. **513-988-6335. Thank You!**

OCIA (formerly RCIA)...



Continues at **6:30 PM** in the Church basement. Contact Deacon Larry or call the office if interested in becoming Catholic or even just learning the faith.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR NOVEMBER 9

SUNDAY 8:30 am Mass

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS	Ron Angst (1) Harry Hunsinger (2)
SERVERS	Alison Hasler Brianna Kyle
READER(S)	Frank Hicks (1)
USHERS	Chris Boyland Christian Peerzada
COMMUNION HOMEBOUND	Larry Gronas
COLLECTION TEAM	Mary Draman Chris Lewis Debbie Peter

LIVE THE LITURGY

INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

To live with Christ, we must die with him. But what does this mean? What does this look like in the ordinary life of a Christian? We must ask God for the wisdom to see our own crosses, so that we may carry them into the newness of life.

ALL SOULS DAY

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HOLY NAME OF JESUS

Purgatorial Society... The Purgatorial Society Masses will continue to be offered at Holy Name. We plan to have a Mass offered 3 to 4 times per month for one year starting January 2026 for your deceased family and friends. You may enroll your loved ones using the familiar red envelopes located in the pamphlet racks. A stipend of \$5.00 per name is requested (*cash or checks made out to Holy Name*) and there is no limit to the number of loved ones you are able to enroll. Drop your completed envelopes into the collection baskets beginning in October and continuing until December 18th.



K of C 2025 Award Winners...



The HNOJ Knights of Columbus 2025 Award Winners will receive:
A plaque, \$100 gift and pizza party on **Thursday, November 6th**, in the Parish Hall @ 7:00 pm. *We thank all the winners for their dedicated service to our parish!*

Holy Name of Jesus Council #15330
2025 AWARD WINNERS
CONGRATULATIONS!

Family of the Year: **Debbie & Ken Peter Family**

Lady of the Year: **Carolyn Angst**

Volunteer of the Year: **Connie Schenck**

Youth of the Year: **Maggie Roberts**

Knight of the Year: **Chris Flowers**

Special Appreciation: **Vera Slamka**

Events in the Holy Name of Jesus Parish

Saturday, November 1

Sunday, November 2

7:30 - 8:00 am Confessions

8:30 am Mass

****Welcome Weekend w/Coffee & Donuts after Mass****

Monday, November 3

Tuesday, November 4

NO Mass

6:30 pm-OCIA in church basement

Wednesday, November 5

8:30 am Mass

6:30 - 7:45 pm—PSR

Thursday, November 6

8:30 am Mass

9:00 am - 12:00 pm - Exposition
& Adoration

7:00 Knights of Columbus

Meeting w/Rosary @ 6:30 pm

Friday, November 7

Saturday, November 8

Sunday, November 9

7:30 - 8:00 am Confessions

**8:30 am Mass—Collection for
Military Services**

Welcome Weekend... with Coffee
and Donuts after Mass will be monthly
on the **first Sunday** of the Month.
Please join us for food and fellowship!



Mass Intentions for the Week

Day	Date	Mass	For	Requested By
Sunday	11/2	8:30 am	Robert & Doris Zehler	Zehler Family
Tuesday	11/4	8:30 am		
Wednesday	11/5	8:30 am	Dr. Thomas Willke	Donna Lell
Thursday	11/6	8:30 am	Doug Daughetee	Joe Scarpa
Sunday	11/9	8:30 am	Chris and Doug Daughetee	Sharon Lacy & Gary Daughetee

OUR LADY OF SORROWS

Stewardship: Giving Time, Talent & Treasure as a Way of Life

The budget is based on a fiscal year ending June 30, 2026.

The weekly need of \$11,250 X 16 weeks = \$180,000

Week of October 19 (2 weekends ago)

		Total
Sunday Offerings:	\$ 3,689	\$ 95,091
Electronic Contributions:	\$ 1,624	\$ 63,178
Total	\$ 5,313	\$ 158,269



SCAN TO GIVE

Total Envelopes Used: 48

Total Cash (not in envelopes): \$ 487

Parish Needs: \$ 180,000

Collections: \$ 158,269

Amount Behind Goal: \$ 21,731

Or visit: give.olosmonroe.com/give

Music Ministry News:

Adult Choir Schedule:

- Saturday, Nov. 8th: Morning Prayer at OLOS followed by Jeanne Hunt for daytime retreat.

Children's Choir: Ages 7-12 (or 13)

Tuesday Night Rehearsals: 5:30 pm at OLOS Church. Rehearsals will continue on a weekly basis until Christmas. Children will sing for Christmas Eve plus one other Sunday mass TBA.

Teen Liturgy Group: Ages 12 – 18

For singers & instrumentalists. Rehearsals *First Saturday of the month* to sing/play for the Saturday evening mass. Dates are:

- Saturday, Nov. 1st: Rehearse 2:00 – 3:15. Snack and break in the Meeting room for 30 minutes. Sing for mass at 4:00 pm.
- Saturday, Dec. 6th: Rehearse 2:00 – 3:15. Snack & break in the Meeting room for 30 minutes. Sing for mass at 4:00 pm.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS November 8 – 9

MASS	Saturday 4:00 pm	Sunday 10:30 am
COORDINATOR	Cil Reisner	Barb Downs
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	Ron Adkins Joyce Adkins Joyce Bath Barb Dineen (Sub Req) Mary Varga	Rick Bacon Steve Baumgardner Annette Lauer Jenny Schwarz Jim Staffan Rose Thiemann
SERVERS	Tom Schindler	Lesley Anjang Bruce Hatfield
GREETER	Diane Coch	Patsy Rehe
READERS	Beverly Gorman (1) Vicky Gerber (2)	Beckie Schretter (1) Bill Schretter (2)
USHERS	Chuck Sperrick Rick Ziemba	Jim Bachmann Teresa Pifher
HOSPITALITY	Scott Wilford Amy Wilford	Jon Barnes Sarah Barnes
COLLECTION TEAM		Pete Weingartner Mary Ann Weingartner

Pray-N-Play Sessions... Parents of toddlers and preschoolers! Session time may include stories, crafts, music, and of course PLAY! These are intended for children ages 2 - 5 (not yet in kindergarten). At least one parent should be in attendance with their child. **The next session is Sunday, November 16th from 9:00 - 9:45 am.** Registration is not required. Questions, contact Gene in the parish office at 513-539-8061 or olos@olopeace.com



Baby Bottle Campaign....

Thank you to all who donated for our baby bottle campaign! You can still donate online through their website at: friendsofpregnancychoice.net/donate or bring in items such as diapers, wipes, and formula. **Thank you!**



November First Fruits Living Opportunity...

This year we will learn about First Fruits Living by highlighting ministries, community events, and ways to give of your time talent and treasure. The November Ministry focus is Family Services of Middletown. **How can I get involved?** See the poster in the gathering space for details on specific opportunities.

Indoor Rosary Begins...Tuesdays at 6:30 pm! Come join us in the Daily Mass Chapel!



OUR LADY OF SORROWS

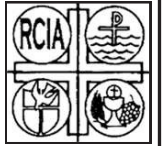
Thanksgiving Food Collection Has Begun!

OLOS Parish will again partner with other area churches and organizations to help support Choice Pantry of Middletown during November and December. Parishioners can help by donating needed food items. Please take a post-it note from the display board in the Gathering Space and then drop off donated food items in the Gathering Space ***no later than November 16***. We will also be asking for cash donations to provide a turkey for each food box. This year's Confirmation candidates and their families will be sorting and packing the donations, and then delivering the food boxes to families during the weekend of November 22-23. ***Thank you for your generosity!***



Religious Education Corner....

- **PSR** (Parish School of Religion) – Classes meet on Sunday morning. Parents and students are invited for opening prayer in the church at 9:00 am.
- **Baptism** – Are you expecting or recently had a baby - if so congratulations! Please contact Gene for prep, dates and details.
- **OCIA** (formerly RCIA) – **Sessions have begin.** If you are interested, or know someone who is interested in learning more about our Catholic faith, contact the church office for more details!
- **Blue Sheets** are a great way to prepare for next week's Gospel reading. Available in the Gathering Space.
- **Small Church Communities**—Week of November 2nd - The Gospel will be John 2:13-22 - The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica. Topic: The Basilicas of Rome.
- **Pray N Play** – Next Session - **November 16th from 9:00 - 9:45 am.**



\$1000 Scholarship...

For parents who have a student attending a Catholic High School, the Knights of Columbus provides numerous \$1000 scholarships for Ohio Catholic students. Qualification details and applications can be found at this website: <https://ohiocharityfoundation.org/scholarships/>. ***Deadline is last Friday in November.***



Book of the Dead... will be out in the Gathering Space for the month of November. Parishioners are invited to add the name of a loved one who has passed away over the last year.



Leisure Group News:

The Leisure Group will meet Wednesday **November 19th at 6:00 pm** in the parish hall for cards and games. Bring a snack to share and your drink of choice. If you have any questions, please call Vicki Grau at 513-708-1721. ***Come join us!***

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Mass Intentions & Events at Our Lady of Sorrows

Saturday, November 1

3:00 - 3:30 pm

4:00 pm Mass

Confessions in the Reconciliation Chapel

† **The Deceased Members of the Knights of Columbus**

Sunday, November 2

9:00 - 10:15 am

10:30 am Mass

The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed

Parish School of Religion Grades K-8

† **Mike Frankey**

Monday, November 3

8:30 am Mass

9:00 – 10:00 am

† **Souls in Purgatory**

Eucharistic Exposition & Benediction

Tuesday, November 4

6:30 pm

Rosary in the Daily Mass Chapel

Wednesday, November 5

6:30 – 7:00 pm

Confessions in the Reconciliation Chapel

Thursday, November 6

6:00 pm Mass

† **Daniel Meseroll**

Friday, November 7

8:30 am

9:00 am Mass

Morning Prayer (Lauds)

† **Bill Drusky**

Saturday, November 8

3:00 - 3:30 pm

4:00 pm Mass

Confessions in the Reconciliation Chapel

† **Robert George Hall**

Sunday, November 9

9:00 - 10:15 am

10:30 am Mass

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