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~Luke 5:10

February 6, 2022
The Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Holy Martyrs Catholic Church
3100 OLD WEYMOUTH RD MEDINA, OH 44256



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Mass Intentions

For the week of
February 5 - February 13, 2022

Sat	4:30 PM	Gordon Brain
Sun	9:30 AM	John Zalic (for healing)
	11:30 AM	Helen Jeris
	5:00 PM	Parishioners
Mon	Noon	Jim Conway
Tues	Noon	Mary Gandee
Wed	Noon	Gene Hutloff
Thurs	Noon	Dolores Naidznski
Fri	Noon	Margaret Smith
Sat	4:30 PM	Laura Scheuermann
Sun	9:30 AM	Parishioners
	11:30 AM	Jackie Vanuch
	5:00 PM	Frank Ilijanic

This week at Holy Martyrs

Sun 02/06	Choir Rehearsal Mass Mass Contemporary Mass SPIRIT LIFE TEEN	8:30 AM 9:30 AM 11:30 AM 5:00 PM 6:00 PM 6:00 PM	Pfeiffer Hall A Worship Space Worship Space Worship Space Pfeiffer Hall Martyrs Hall
Mon 02/07	Daily Mass HM Kids Monday HM Kids Online Following Christ Catechist Meeting	12:00 6:00 PM 6:00 PM 6:30 PM 7:15 PM	Worship Space PLC via ZOOM Gathering Area Pfeiffer Hall B
Tues 02/08	CONNECT Group #7 Daily Mass CONNECT Group #1 HM Kids Tuesday CONNECT Group #2 Catechist Meeting	9:30 AM 12:00 1:00 PM 6:00 PM 7:00 PM 7:15 PM	Clarke Room Worship Space Clarke Room PLC Kazel Room Pfeiffer Hall B
Wed 02/09	Daily Mass Choir Rehearsal CONNECT Group #3	12:00 7:00 PM 7:00 PM	Worship Space Worship Space PLC Lounge
Thurs 02/10	Daily Mass CONNECT Group #4 SPIRIT Prayer in the Chapel Stephen Ministry Peer Supervision	12:00 3:30 PM 4:00 PM 6:30 PM	Worship Space via ZOOM Chapel Room 102
Fri 02/11	CONNECT Group #6 Daily Mass	9:00 AM 12:00	Rooms 202/203/ 204 Worship Space
Sat 02/12	Following Christ Retreat Mass	8:30 AM 4:30 PM	Gathering Area Worship Space
Sun 02/13	DONUT SUNDAY Choir Rehearsal Mass Mass Contemporary Mass SPIRIT LIFE TEEN	8:30 AM 9:30 AM 11:30 AM 5:00 PM 6:00 PM 6:00 PM	Gathering Area Pfeiffer Hall A Worship Space Worship Space Worship Space Pfeiffer Hall Martyrs Hall

Daily Mass at Holy Martyrs

is celebrated at 12:00 Noon
Monday through Friday
in the Worship Space.

Come Join us!

Parish Staff

Father Stephen Dohner
Pastor

Diane Bruce
Director of Faith Formation

Christopher Ilg
Director of Music

Father Robert F. Pfeiffer
Pastor Emeritus

Janet Payton
Pastoral Associate

Skip McQuate
SPIRIT Coordinator

Kaitlin Heneghan
Communications Coordinator

Father Mark Ott
Weekend Priest

Brandon Woods
Life Teen Coordinator

Sr. Marie Ellen Kuhel
Bereavement Consultant

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Parish News

Holy Martyrs Homebound Ministry

The early Christian community began the practice of bringing Communion to those who were not able to gather with the community. Today this practice is still an important ministry in the Church. We embrace and pray for those unable to be present with us. Specially trained home visitors will bring the Body of Christ to our homebound members.

Starting this month, Eucharistic Ministers will begin to take the Eucharist to our homebound following the 9:30 AM Mass.

If you know of someone who is homebound and wants to receive the Eucharist, please contact the parish office at 330-722-6633.

Please Welcome the Following New Families



*Douglas Yakich
Terry and Janice Deighton
Randolph and Patricia Lear*

GLORY BEES



THE GLORY BEES give glory to God by cleaning the church. A dedicated team of parishioners come on the second and fourth Tuesday of each month.

Thank you to all who have volunteered their time and are back to clean twice a month.

*Are you or someone you know struggling,
asking yourself these questions?*

Do I doubt God's presence and love for me?

Am I hurting?

Am I feeling lonely?

Have I recently suffered a loss?

Am I confused about events in my life?

Do my job worries seem too great to handle?



**HOLY MARTYRS
STEPHEN MINISTRY**

If you are going through a difficult situation, you do not have to face it alone.

Our Stephen Ministers are lay members of Holy Martyrs Church trained to provide **confidential**, one-to-one Christ-centered emotional and spiritual care to those experiencing a difficult time in life. Stephen Ministers are sometimes called "**The After People**". They come into a person's life immediately **after** a crisis has hit and provide comfort and support for as long **after** as needed. A Stephen Minister will meet with you privately, by phone, video chat, or, if safely possible, in person, usually on a weekly basis.

If you need someone to listen, care, encourage, pray and provide weekly support for as long as you need, ask if a Stephen Minister can help. Call Janet Payton at 330-722-6633.

"Bear one another's burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ."

~Galatians 6:2

Parish News



Life Teen **will meet** this evening,
February 6, 2022 beginning with the
5:00 PM Contemporary Mass.

We look forward to seeing
you all there.



With the return of Donut Sunday and hopefully
the re-opening of the Café, we are in need of
Adults/Youth teams after the 9:30 AM and
11:30 AM Masses.

If you are willing to spend an hour or so after
Mass to serve and clean up, please call Diane
Bruce in the HM Kids Office at 330-952-1466 or
the Church Office at 330-722-6633.

Time Travelers



We are reigniting our
Children's Time Travelers at
the 9:30 AM Sunday Mass.

We are in need of Facilitators,
Helpers, Technicians and
Coordinators.

If you are interested, please contact Diane Bruce in
the HM Kids Office.

Spirit at Holy Martyrs

our 7th and 8th grade youth
group program, will meet on
Sunday, February 6, 2022

starting with 5:00 Mass. Last Sunday the 30th of
January, we kicked off our "A Great Marvel"
series. This Sunday, we will continue with our "A
Great Marvel" series and talk about "How Do I
Know What is Right?". The lounge is open for all
SPIRIT and Life Teen parents during the SPIRIT and
Life Teen sessions on Sunday evening. Please feel
free to come and join us.



*SPIRIT is on the Holy Martyrs website,
Facebook and Instagram*

CONGRATULATIONS!

First Semester Honor Roll Students

ST. IGNATIUS HIGH SCHOOL

Nathan Agnew '23	11	First Honors
Christian Durny '23	11	First Honors
Jackson Durny '22	12	First Honors
Vincent Durny '25	9	First Honors
Michael Klecar Jr '25	9	Second Honors
Augustus Whittier '24	10	First Honors

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HM Kids - 330-952-1466

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time Luke 5:1-11

While the crowd was pressing in on Jesus and listening to the word of God, he was standing by the Lake of Gennesaret.

He saw two boats there alongside the lake; the fishermen had disembarked and were washing their nets. Getting into one of the boats, the one belonging to Simon, he asked him to put out a short distance from the shore.

Then he sat down and taught the crowds from the boat. After he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, "Put out into deep water and lower your nets for a catch."

Simon said in reply, "Master, we have worked hard all night and have caught nothing, but at your command I will lower the nets." When they had done this, they caught a great number of fish and their nets were tearing. They signaled to their partners in the other boat to come to help them. They came and filled both boats so that the boats were in danger of sinking.

When Simon Peter saw this, he fell at the knees of Jesus and said, "Depart from me, Lord, for I am a sinful man." For astonishment at the catch of fish they had made seized him and all those with him, and likewise James and John, the sons of Zebedee, who were partners of Simon.

Jesus said to Simon, "Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching men." When they brought their boats to the shore, they left everything and followed him.



Dear God, your power is so amazing!

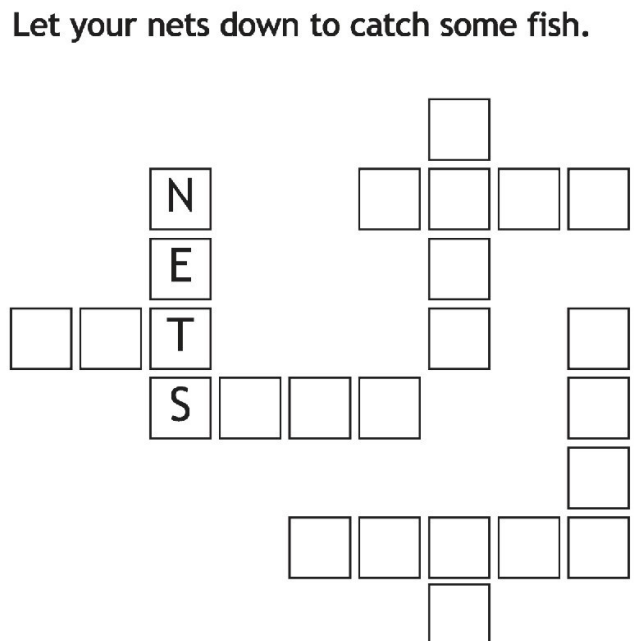
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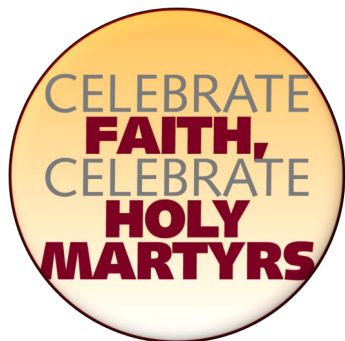


PUZZLE

Fit this Gospel message into the empty squares:



Opportunities for Sharing Time, Talent and Treasure



Grateful Giving December, 2021

Weekly	\$22,285.02
Electronic	\$36,887.14
Christmas	<u>\$32,331.00</u>
Total	\$98,503.16

Thank you!

Even as the pandemic continues to bring uncertainty, the new year is filled with hope and promise—we always seek to grow our vital ministries, explore new ways to share the good news of Christ's love, and reflect His care and mercy to those in need throughout the community. To continue to make a difference in 2022, Holy Martyrs is reaching out to our parishioners.

Begin the new year with eGiving to help sustain and build ministries throughout 2022 that reflect the steadfast promise of God's love. The need is great in our community, and your generous online gifts will help people all around us.

We prayerfully request that you consider signing up for eGiving from your computer, smartphone or tablet. Recurring gifts were a lifeline during COVID-19 and sustained our parish throughout the year. They provide consistent support that helps us always be at the ready with programs, services, and ministries for our church families and for those in need throughout the community.

Just go to our parish website, holymartyrs.net. At the top of the page go to "**Next Steps**" and click on "**Give**" for information about *Faith Direct* and how to sign up.

**If you have any questions or need additional information, please call
Therese McDonnell at 330-722-6633 or
email Tmcdonnell@holymartyrs.net**

*Thank you for your continued support
of our parish family.*

World Day For Consecrated Life February 5 - 6, 2022

This weekend we celebrate *World Day for Consecrated Life*. We recognize and give thanks for those who have consecrated their lives to God and the Church through the vows of poverty, chastity, and obedience. The consecrated life is one way that women and men live out their baptismal commitment as followers of Jesus. Please pray for all those who have made commitments in the consecrated life, and be sure to thank them on their special day.

Handel's ISRAEL in EGYPT A Dramatic Oratorio Adaptation by J. Sorrell February 17—20



**Attend in person or at home.
Your ticket allows both! Video
premiers on March 5 and
available to watch for 30 days.**

*For location information and to
purchase tickets go to:*

<https://apollosfire.org/2021-2022-season-overview/>

Consider a Gift of Stock to Support the Ministries of Holy Martyrs

In gratitude for all that God has given us, we, as Christians, are called to give back to our community and our church. In addition to the Sunday offertory, one way of giving back might be transferring appreciated stock to help Holy Martyrs continue its mission to lead people to encounter Christ, grow in faith, and make disciples. By transferring stock directly to our parish, you may be able to avoid capital gains taxes.

For more information about what you need to do to make such a gift, please contact

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Tmcdonnell@holymartyrs.net

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CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday 9:00 am - 12:30 pm
1:15 pm - 5:00 pm

Friday - CHURCH OFFICE IS CLOSED

Phone: 330-722-6633 - Fax: 330-725-2193

Email: churchoffice@holymartyrs.net

Has Your Contact Information Changed?

If you have recently moved, changed your phone number or email address, please let us know so we may update our records to insure you will not miss out on important information sent from Holy Martyrs.

Please email churchoffice@holymartyrs.net
or call 330-722-6633

SNOW PLOWING

Do you have a snow plow and are interested in helping parishioners who need their driveways or sidewalks plowed or shoveled?



Fee or no fee.

Please call the Church office
at 330-722-6633.



Jesuit Retreat Center
5629 State Road
Parma, OH 44134

Discover God Daily: A Virtual Program

Over the course of the remaining Saturday sessions, we will continue to follow the story of Ignatius of Loyola, explore Ignatian spirituality, and learn how we can discover God daily in our own story.


Saturday, February 12 from 10:00am - 11:15am
Saturday, March 12 from 10:00am - 11:15am
Saturday, April 9 from 10:00am - 11:15am

For more information or to register for any of the events, please go to:

<https://www.jesuitretreatcenter.org/calendar>

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Victims of domestic abuse may call the BATTERED WOMEN'S SHELTER of Summit & Medina Counties' confidential hotline for help 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Medina County Hotline 330-723-3900

Toll Free 877-414-1344

Summit County Hotline 330-374-1111