



"Peace I leave with you, my peace I give you."

Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 22, 2022

Holy Martyrs Catholic Church

3100 OLD WEYMOUTH RD MEDINA, OH 44256



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Encounter Christ + Grow in Faith + Make Disciples

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Mass Intentions

For the week of
May 21 - May 29

Sat	4:30 PM	Larry Ward
Sun	9:30 AM	Mary Flasco
	11:30 AM	Parishioners
	5:00 PM	Russ Mulvaney
Mon	Noon	Jim Guptill
Tues	Noon	NO DAILY MASS
Wed	Noon	NO DAILY MASS
Thurs	Noon	William & Helen Ketterer
Fri	Noon	People of Ukraine
Sat	4:30 PM	Bob Lawrence
Sun	9:30 AM	Anthony Belletti
	11:30 AM	Diane Warren
	5:00 PM	Parishioners

This week at Holy Martyrs

Sun 05/22	DONUT SUNDAY Choir Rehearsal Mass Time Travelers Graduation Class of 2022 Reception Outside Mass Contemporary Mass LIFE TEEN	8:30 AM 9:30 AM 9:30 AM 10:30 AM 11:30 AM 5:00 PM 6:00 PM	Pfeiffer Hall A Worship Space PLC Pfeiffer Hall Pavilion Worship Space Martyrs Hall
Mon 05/23	Daily Mass	12:00	Worship Space
Tues 05/24	NO DAILY MASS TODAY		
Wed 05/25	NO DAILY MASS TODAY Prayer Shawl Ministry Journey for Adults Faith & Community Committee Meeting Choir Rehearsal	1:00 PM 5:45 PM 6:30 PM 7:00 PM	Room 103 Clarke Room Pfeiffer Hall Worship Space
Thurs 05/26	Daily Mass SPIRIT Prayer in Chapel Confirmation Prep for Teen	12:00 4:00 PM 6:30 PM	Worship Space Chapel Kazel Room
Fri 05/27	Daily Mass	12:00	Worship Space
Sat 05/28	Reconciliation Mass	3:00 PM 4:30 PM	Chapel Worship Space
Sun 05/29	Choir Rehearsal Mass Time Travelers Outside Mass Contemporary Mass NO LIFE TEEN TONIGHT	8:30 AM 9:30 AM 9:30 AM 11:30 AM 5:00 PM	Pfeiffer Hall A Worship Space PLC Pavilion Worship Space

Daily Mass at Holy Martyrs

is celebrated at 12:00 Noon
Monday through Friday
in the Worship Space.
Please join us!

*Church Office will be CLOSED, Monday
May 30 in observance of Memorial Day.*

Parish Staff

Father Stephen Dohner
Pastor

Diane Bruce
Director of Faith Formation

Brandon Woods
Life Teen Coordinator

Father Robert F. Pfeiffer
Pastor Emeritus

Father Mark Ott
Weekend Priest

Janet Payton
Pastoral Associate

Skip McQuate
SPIRIT Coordinator

Christopher Ilg
Director of Music

Sr. Marie Ellen Kuhel
Bereavement Consultant

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Parish News

Come Join Us in the Pavilion for Sunday Mass at 11:30 AM



It's that time of year again!

The 11:30 AM Mass will take place outside in and around the picnic pavilion. New benches have been added for additional seating.

For ease of access, you should plan to park in the back parking lot.

If weather is not conducive to sitting outdoors, signs will be posted and Mass will be moved inside.



Saturday, June 4, 2022

8:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Join us for our first Emmaus Conference where we will explore how we grow in faith. This is for all who are or wish to be involved in Holy Martyrs faith formation programs, including ChristLife, CONNECT Groups, Life Teen, Spirit, or HMKids.

To register, scan the QR Code



or go to Holy Martyrs website under What's New

<https://holymartyrs.net>



***Summer Bible Study Beginning
June 13 at 3:00 PM
& June 15 at 6:30 PM***

Many Catholics express frustration that they don't know any thing about scripture.

If that's you, then this is your opportunity to do something about that. Take a little time for yourself this summer to delve into the Bible.

To register go to <https://holymartyrs.net> under What's New

***The Rib Fest is back!
Sunday, June 26***

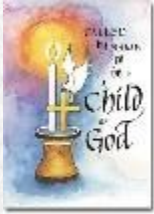
Join us Sunday afternoon, June 26, at 1:00 pm for amazing ribs and awesome activities. The day will conclude with a powerful Mass in the Pavilion at 5 pm.

Let us know how you can help and what side dish you will bring by going to our website at:

<https://holymartyrs.net>

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Baptism

Augustus Luke Rodeheaver

Son of

Eric and Stacy Rodeheaver



HOLY MARTYRS
STEPHEN MINISTRY

How does Stephen Ministry support the Mission of our Congregation?

Over the years, well over one-and-a-half million people have benefited from the one-to-one, Christ-centered care of a Stephen Minister. This care is entirely confidential—no one knows the identity of a care receiver except for their Stephen Minister and the pastor or Stephen Leader who paired them together.

Stephen Ministry aligns with and helps carry out several key components of the mission of the church.

Mission-Focused Actions That are Central to Stephen Ministry:

- Equipping People to Use Their Gifts in Ministry
- Helping People Grow in Their Faith
- Providing Care and Support for Hurting People
- Building Up the Congregation as a Caring Community
- Reaching Unchurched People with the Love of Jesus.

If you are interested in becoming a Stephen Minister or If you need someone to listen, care, encourage, pray and provide weekly support for as long as you need, **call Janet Payton at 330-722-6633 for more information.**



Let Us Be Church Parishioner Needs

Over the past few weeks, the church office has received calls from parishioners asking for help with Transportation to Church, Household Chores and Yard Maintenance.

If you need or know of anyone who needs transportation to Church? Can you provide a ride to a fellow parishioner?

Do you know anyone willing to assist elderly or homebound parishioners with simple household chores or yard maintenance?

If you feel you are able to help with any of the above listed requests, and would like more information, please contact the Church Office at 330-722-6633.



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 who are unable to be present with us. Specially trained home visitors will bring the Body of Christ to our homebound members.

Eucharistic Ministers take the Eucharist to our homebound following the Sunday 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.

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HMKids - 330-952-1466

SPIRIT - LIFE TEEN

Face Painter Wanted



We are planning ahead for the HM Kids August Kick-Off Event and looking for someone interested in Face Painting.

If you are interested or know someone and want to find out more, please contact Diane Bruce in the HM Kids Office at 330-952-1466.

SUNDAY, MAY 22ND
5PM MASS - 8PM

SUMMER KICKOFF PARTY

ALL INCOMING FRESHMEN TO
OUTGOING SENIORS ARE WELCOME



*In observance of Memorial Day,
Life Teen will not meet next Sunday.
The Contemporary Mass however,
will still be held.*

Spirit at Holy Martyrs

SPIRIT is our 7th and 8th grade youth group program. Our last session was Sunday, May 1, 2022. After we made brown bag lunches on that Sunday, May 1, 2022, we took a walk outside and we had planned to walk back out to the cross at the corner of Route 3 and Old Weymouth, as we had done at the beginning of the SPIRIT year. Unfortunately, the lawn was rather wet and muddy, so we walked out and stood near the bottom of the driveway. I told the kids they should often think about where have I been, where am I now and where should I be heading. I asked them in the silence of their hearts to think about where were they at when SPIRIT first started, where are they now and where do they want to go. I always tell them that God is there to walk along side them to help with these thoughts. I pray that they continue to grow spiritually and that they know this is all a journey.



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

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Opportunities for Sharing Time, Talent and Treasure

CELEBRATE
FAITH,
CELEBRATE
HOLY
MARTYRS

Grateful Giving

Making plans for the summer? Make sure to plan for your offertory as well! When your summer travels take you away from Sunday services, eGiving lets you

continue to support Holy Martyrs and the ministries you cherish. You can sign up from your computer, smartphone or tablet, and set up a recurring donation or make a one-time gift.

Recurring gifts sustain our parish through the busy summer months. You'll provide us with consistent support, even if you're away on a Sunday, so the programs, services, and ministries that mean so much to our community will never miss a beat.

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. You may also call Faith Direct customer service at 1-866-0507-8757.

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

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

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

Therese McDonnell at 330-722-6633 or
Tmcdonnell@holymartyrs.net



Saints Anne & Joachim Grandparents and Seniors Workshop

**Tuesday, May 31, 2022
9:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Holy Martyrs Gathering Area**

Grandparents and Seniors are vital at passing on the faith. This will be an opportunity to talk about Pope Francis' vision of the role of grandparents and seniors, learn more about young people, how to evangelize them, and some practical tools that can be used to pass on the faith. The day includes brunch, Mass, talks, and discussion, with practical tips on how to share your Catholic faith with grandchildren of all age.

Cost is \$10.00 per person and cash at the door is accepted.

Register by May 23. Spots are limited, so sign up soon!

For more information or to register online, scan the QR Code



or go to:

<https://www.dioceseofcleveland.org/events>



Launched by Pope Francis, MISSIO connects you with communities around the world and helps you make a direct and lasting impact on the lives of others.

Combat Human Trafficking In Zambia

The Sisters of Mercy in the Archdiocese of Kasama have embarked on a campaign to start awareness programs with emphasis on human trafficking, both cross border and internal, domestic servitude and early marriages. The biggest barriers are poverty and lack of education. For this reason, they want to start a chicken raising project that will provide nutrition, income and build trade skills. Please consider helping the Sisters of Mercy uplift vulnerable women in their local villages.

*For more information on this mission and others,,
please go to:*

<https://www.missio.org/explore.aspx?localization=EN>

