

The Epiphany of the Lord

Holy Martyrs Catholic Church

3100 Old Weymouth Road, Medina, OH 44256



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Encounter Christ + Grow in Faith + Make Disciples

January 7, 2024

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Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil 4:30 PM

9:30 AM, 11:30 AM,

5:00PM

Monday - Friday 12:00 Noon

7:00 PM (Vigil)

Holy Days

CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Saturday: 3:00 - 4:00 PM or by appointment

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday 9:00 am - 12:45 pm

1:30 pm - 5:00 pm

Friday - CHURCH OFFICE IS CLOSED

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

email: churchoffice@holymartyrs.net

Holy Martyrs Café is OPEN following all of the weekend Masses.

DONUT SUNDAY and the CAFÉ are supported by your generosity.



Please Welcome the Following Families

Robert and Carole Skoczen Shaun and Kelly Slater Robert and Shannon Sweet

Pray for those who have died in Christ:



Timothy Esser Marilyn Hassel Michael Bukuts Ruth Tender

Da	rich	Ctoff
Pa	rısn	Staff

Father Stephen Dohner

Pastor

Janet Payton

Shannon Federinko *HM Kids*

Skip McQuate SPIRIT Coordinator

Pastoral Associate Brandon Woods
Life Teen Coordinator

Christopher Ilg Director of Music

Alyssa Nadin Communications Father Robert F. Pfeiffer Pastor Emeritus

> Father Mark Ott Weekend Priest

Mass Intentions January 6 - January 14			This Week at Holy Martyrs				
Saturday	4:30 PM	Parishioners	Sun 1/07	Choir Rehearsal Mass Time Travelers	9:30 AM	Pfeiffer Hall A Worship Space Rooms 203-204	
				Journey for Teens/			
Sunday	9:30 AM	David Gladish		Catechumenate Journey Catechumenate		Kazel Room PLC Room 102	
,,,,,	3130 7			Mass		Worship Space	
				Contemporary Mass		Worship Space	
				SPIRIT		Parish Life Center	
	11:30 AM	David Hartmann		Life Teen	5:00 PM	Martyrs Hall	
			Mon 1/08	Daily Mass	12:00	Worship Space	
		Carra and Carrasala		HM Kids Monday		Parish Life Center	
Sunday	5:00 PM	Sam and Carmela Demeo					
		Delileo	Tues 1/09	Glory Bees		Worship Space	
				Daily Mass		Worship Space	
Manday.	Name	Mary Lou		HM Kids Tuesday HM Cares Core Team		Parish Life Center	
Monday Noo	Noon	Cavanagh		HM Cares Core Team	7:00 PW	Martyrs Hall	
			Wed 1/10	Daily Mass	12:00	Worship Space	
				CONNECT Group			
Tuesday	Noon	Glen Bohusch		Leadership Team		PLC Room 103	
				Choir Practice	7:00 PM	Worship Space	
			Thurs 1/11	Daily Mass	12:00	Worship Space	
Wednesday	Noon	Margaret Smith		Eucharistic Adoration Stephen Ministry Peer	12:30 PM	Worship Space	
				Supervision		PLC Room 102	
				Taizé Prayer Service	7:00 PM	Worship Space	
Thursday	Noon	Eleanor Bozzelli	Fri 1/12	Daily Mass	12:00	Worship Space	
			Sat 1/13	Reconciliation	3:00 PM	Chapel	
		C. I. D. III		Mass	4:30 PM	Worship Space	
Friday	Noon	Stephen Domchick	Sun 1/14	Choir Rehearsal	8:30 AM	Pfeiffer Hall A	
			3uii 1/14	Mass		Worship Space	
				Time Travelers		Rooms 203-204	
Saturday	4:30 PM	Michael Leach		Journey for Teens/			
				Catechumenate	9:30 AM	Kazel Room	
				Journey Catechumenate	10:00 AM	PLC Room 102	
				Mass		Worship Space	
Sunday	9:30 AM	Parishioners		Contemporary Mass	5:00 PM	Worship Space	
				SPIRIT		Parish Life Center	
				Life Teen	5:00 PM	Martyrs Hall	
	11:30 AM	John Degli		Daily Mass at Ho	oly Mari	tyrs	
	5:00 PM	Marlene Cendar		is celebrated at 12 onday through Friday in Adoration every Thursda	the Worsh		

Parish News



Baptism Preparation Sunday, January 28, 2024 1:30 - 3:00 PM



Those parents seeking to have a child Baptized will need to complete a Baptism Preparation

Session if this is your first child or if it has been 2 years or more since you last attended a session.

Holy Martyrs will be holding a Baptism Preparation Session on <u>Sunday</u>, <u>January 28th at 1:30PM</u> in the Worship Space. Please plan to arrive at church between 1:15 PM and 1:30 PM.

To register, please scan QR Code



or go to:

https://holymartyrs.net/event-details/?id=8826



Life Teen's annual retreat will be February 9-11. This year's theme is *Face to Face*. Join us for a weekend of prayer, food, friends, and fun!

Sign up on our website today!





Are you or someone you know struggling with challenges like...

Isolation and Ioneliness
Anxiety over health
Grief due to losses
Tension from juggling work, childcare & schooling
Financial strain or job loss
Uncertainty about the future "
Other unexpected life challenges?

If you need a friend or know someone who does, ask if a Stephen Minister can help.
Call Janet Payton at 330-722-6633.

Pray + Grow + Serve + Give + Share

HM Kids, SPIRIT, and Life Teen



The Epiphany of the Lord

Find and circle these words from today's Gospel.

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Sharing the Gospel

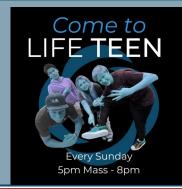
Jigsaw puzzles are fun. Solve a puzzle with your whole family, and it comes together even faster. God helped the wise men solve a puzzle. They wanted to find the newborn king. Together the wise men read God's promises, did their homework, and followed the star. When all of their answers fit, they found baby Jesus.

Mission of the Week

Solve a puzzle together with your family. Work together like the wise men did.

Prayer

God, thank you for all the people who helped me find Jesus.



Life Teen will meet tonight, January 7 beginning with the 5:00 PM Contemporary Mass.

Spirit

at Holy Martyrs

SPIRIT, our 7th and 8th grade youth group program, will meet on Sunday, January 7, 2024 starting with Mass at

5:00 PM. *Thank you* to all those that attended our Bowling Event on Thursday, December 28, 2023.

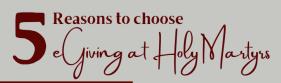
On Sunday, January 14, 2024 we will put together brown bag lunches for St Bernard's church in Akron.

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



Opportunities for Sharing Time, Talent and Treasure

A Disciple Gives with Gratitude



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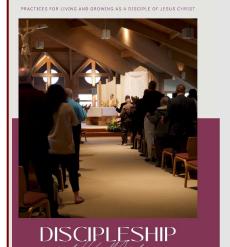
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Pray without Ceasing

Grow in Relationship with Christ

Serve with Love

Give with Gratitude

Share the Good News

ANGEL SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The Angel Scholarship Fund was created as a Scholarship Granting Organization to facilitate this program in our diocese through the Catholic Community Foundation.

The intent of the Angel Scholarship Fund is to offer donors the option of making

- A contribution that supports schools and students across the Diocese of Cleveland based on financial need ("undesignated gift"), or
- A contribution that is designated to benefit students at a specific Catholic school ("designated gift").

Please visit: www.catholiccommunity.org/angel to make an online contribution or to download a mail-in form.

For more information:

CALL: 216-902-1312 EMAIL: asfinfo@dioceseofcleveland.org





Military Family Mass

"Military families often deal with the struggles of sending loved ones away from home into dangerous or isolating situations. The military ministry at St. Ambrose would like to invite people from across the Medina County area to join us at St. Ambrose parish for a night where we offer them up in prayer in the Mass. Please join us as we pray for the protection of our community members who serve in isolated, lonely, or dangerous places in our world, and pray for God's comfort and peace to be with their loved ones who are still with us."





5629 State Road Parma, Ohio 44134 https://www.jesuitretreatcenter.org

Journaling with Teilhard: Love and Morality: A Virtual Program.

Mondays 7:00 - 8:30pm EST, January 8, 15, 22, 29. Presented by Michael Reiling, M.Ed.

We will explore an evolutionary way of living that Teilhard expounded and what it means for our loving relationships and for our moral judgment and behavior. Cost: \$40

Liturgy & Ignatian Spirituality: Mass & Ignatian Reflections in January.

Tuesdays, 8:00 - 8:30am. January 9, 16, 23, 30.

On Tuesdays, the Jesuit Retreat Center offers Mass in the Main Chapel followed by a brief reflection on Ignatian Spirituality. Free will offering (registration is not necessary).

January Morning Prayer for Women. Monday, January 15, 9:30 - 11:00am.

Women from all walks of life are invited to pray together and learn more about the beauty of prayer. Led by Sr. Mary Ann Flannery, S.C., this prayer group will refresh your spirit and help you find strength in regular prayer habits. Free Will Offering (walk-ins welcome, registration not required).

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