



January 4, 2026
The Epiphany of the Lord

HOLY MARTYRS
CATHOLIC CHURCH



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Holy Martyrs

Holy Martyrs Catholic Church

Encounter Christ + Grow in Faith + Make Disciples

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Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil	4:30 PM
Sunday	9:30 AM, 11:30 AM, 5:00PM
Monday - Thursday	12:00 Noon
Holy Days	7:00 PM (Vigil) 12:00 Noon

Sacrament of Penance

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



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God is present and active in our lives all the time but we often don't notice his Presence. This year, we invite you to reflect about how you've seen God in your daily life and share those moments with us.

To share, go to:
<https://holymartyrs.net/how-have-you-seen-god-in-your-daily-life/>

Baptism Preparation Sunday, January 18, 2026 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 **Sunday, January 18, 2026 at 1:30PM** in the Worship Space. Please plan to arrive at church between 1:15 PM and 1:30 PM.

To register, please scan the QR Code



or go to:

<https://holymartyrs.net/event-details/?id=12303>

Baptism



Araceli Irene Smith

Daughter of

Ivory Smith and Kaitlyn Holmes

Pray for those who have died in Christ



Sophie Malynn

Rose Hoffman

Parish Staff

Father Stephen J. Dohner
Pastor

Amy Incorvati-Aloisi
HMKids Coordinator

Brandon Woods
Life Teen Coordinator

Father Robert F. Pfeiffer
Pastor Emeritus

Janet Payton
Pastoral Associate

Skip McQuate
SPIRIT Coordinator

Christopher Ilg
Director of Music

Father Mark Ott
Weekend Priest

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<i>Mass Intentions</i> <i>January 3 - January 11</i>			<i>This Week at Holy Martyrs</i>		
Sat	4:30 PM	Parishioners	Sun 01/04	Choir Rehearsal Mass Time Travelers Mass Journey for Teens Contemporary Mass Spirit Life Teen CONNECT Sunday	8:30 AM Pfeiffer Hall A 9:30 AM Worship Space 9:30 AM Rooms 203-204 11:30 AM Worship Space 3:30 PM Kazel Room 5:00 PM Worship Space 6:00 PM Pfeiffer Hall 6:00 PM Martyrs Hall 6:00 PM Kazel Room
Sun	9:30 AM	Delvin Haut			
	11:30 AM	Frank Ivicic			
	5:00 PM	Victor Sopko	Mon 01/05	Daily Mass HM Kids Monday	Noon Worship Space 6:00 PM Parish Life Center
Mon	Noon	Raymond Klubnik	Tues 01/06	Glory Bees Daily Mass CONNECT Women HM Kids Tuesday CONNECT Tuesday Evening	7:30 AM Worship Space Noon Worship Space 1:00 PM Clarke Room 6:00 PM Parish Life Center 6:30 PM Clarke Room
Tues	Noon	Irene Vickers			
Wed	Noon	Eleanor Bozzelli	Wed 01/07	CONNECT Parents with Young Children Daily Mass CONNECT Wednesday Afternoon CONNECT Wednesday Evening CONNECT Men Evening	9:00 AM Lounge Room 105 Noon Worship Space 2:00 PM Clarke Room 6:30 PM Lounge Room 105 7:00 PM Clarke Room
Thurs	Noon	Raymond Luthy			
Sat	4:30 PM	Tony and Mary Ann Spinhirn	Thurs 01/08	Daily Mass Eucharistic Adoration Taizé Prayer Service	Noon Worship Space 12:30 PM Worship Space 7:00 PM Worship Space
Sun	9:30 AM	Parishioners			
	11:30 AM	Iris Johnson	Fri 01/09	Prayer in the Chapel	8:00 AM Chapel
	5:00 PM	Riley Pearson	Sat 01/10	CONNECT Mixed Adults CONNECT Men Saturday Reconciliation Vigil Mass	9:00 AM Clarke Room 9:30 AM Lounge Room 105 3:00 PM Chapel 4:30 PM Worship Space

Friday Morning Prayer



Join Skip McQuate
Fridays @ 8:00am
Oscar Romero Chapel

Sun 01/11	Choir Rehearsal Mass Time Travelers Journey Catechumenate Mass Journey for Teens Contemporary Mass Spirit Life Teen CONNECT Sunday	8:30 AM Pfeiffer Hall A 9:30 AM Worship Space 9:30 AM Rooms 203-204 10:00 AM Lounge Room 105 11:30 AM Worship Space 3:30 PM Kazel Room 5:00 PM Worship Space 6:00 PM Pfeiffer Hall 6:00 PM Martyrs Hall 6:00 PM Kazel Room
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Parish News



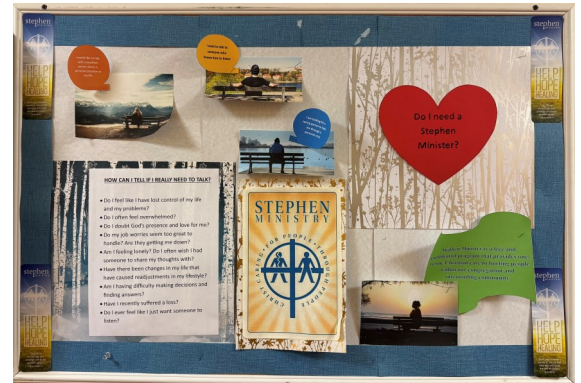
The Blessings of Stephen Ministry

Stephen Ministry multiplies blessings throughout the church and community. Congregations carry out Christ's commandment to "Love one another as I have loved you" (John 15:12 RSV) in a powerful and practical way.

Pastors have a team of gifted, trained, and committed lay caregivers ready to minister to hurting people. Laypeople nurture and use their gifts in meaningful ministry, growing spiritually as they serve others. People who are hurting have a caring Christian presence to provide emotional and spiritual support.

In short, Stephen Ministry helps carry out the mission of the church.

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



Sacrament of Anointing

Please notify the church office in advance of a surgery or scheduled hospital stay so that you may receive the Sacrament of Anointing.

The Church has always prayed for the sick to be freed from pain and restored to health.

To schedule, please call the church office at 330-722-6633

If you would like a prayers shawl at the time of your anointing, please let us know when you schedule the anointing and one will be provided to you.

Holy Martyrs Prayer Shawl Ministry



The prayer shawl gives someone a tangible example of God's love and care. The maker of the shawl prays before, during, and after they work on the shawl.

If you are interested in obtaining a prayer shawl or would like more information on joining this ministry, please contact Nancy Mayes at 330-607-2320.

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Holy Martyrs
St. Martin of Tours
Our Lady Help of Christians

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- 1 Review your tax liability from last year (1040IT, line 8c) to help estimate the amount of your tax liability for this year.
- 2 Make an ASF donation at: www.catholiccommunity.org/angel
While your donation can be any amount, the scholarship tax credit is limited to \$750 per tax payer (\$1,500 for married filing jointly) and cannot exceed your state tax liability for the current year.
- 3 Claim the scholarship tax credit on your Ohio income tax return
You will receive a receipt for your Angel Scholarship donation that can be sent with your current state tax return.

PLEASE CONSIDER DONATING TO ST. FRANCIS XAVIER SCHOOL

Parish News

Thank you to our Arts and Environment Ministry for the great job done in preparing Holy Martyrs Church for Christmas.



Faith Formation

Christmas Eve and Time Travelers



Faith Formation

Spirit
at Holy Martyrs

UNFOLDED:
A God-filled Life: How do you
see God in your life today?

SPIRIT, our 7th and 8th grade youth group,
will meet on Sunday, January 4, 2026.
Wishing all Spirit students and their families a very Happy New Year!



*Spirit is on Facebook, Instagram and the
Holy Martyrs website.*



Life Teen will resume Sunday, January 4, 2026 following the 5:00 PM Contemporary Mass.

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Elsewhere in the Diocese

Your Sunday Offering E-Giving

Ditch the envelope and give digitally
go to:

<https://onrealm.org/HolyMartyrsChur/-/form/give/now>

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First Friday Club of Greater Akron

**Our Lady of Cedars
507 South Cleveland Massillon Rd.
Fairlawn, OH 44333**

**Fr. Jeffrey L. Lindholm
Speaking on
"Reflections of a Newly Ordained Priest."**

January 9, 2026



Fr. Jeffrey L. Lindholm was ordained May 17, 2025. He is currently Parochial Vicar at St. Barnabas and Our Lady of Guadalupe

The cost of the luncheon program is \$25.00.

Reservations can be made by sending a check to:

The First Friday Club of Greater Akron
PO Box 13291, Fairlawn, OH 44334

by calling the office at 330-535-7668

or by registering at:

www.firstfridayclubofgreaterakron.org

No later than Tuesday, January 6, 2026

Pray



Grow



Serve



Give



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