



“Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed”

John 20:29

2nd Sunday of Easter

April 12, 2026

HOLY MARTYRS
CATHOLIC CHURCH



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Medina, OH 44256
330-722-6633

<https://www.holymartyrs.net>

April 12, 2026

Sunday of Divine Mercy

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

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Congratulations to Tripp Picard who made his First Holy Communion at the Easter Vigil Mass.



Baptism

Ivy Ruth Chelmins

Daughter of

David and Mary Jo Chelmins

Friday Morning Prayer



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

Parish Staff

Father Stephen J. Dohner
Pastor

Amy Inconvati-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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Mass Intentions April 11 - April 19

This Week at Holy Martyrs

Sat	4:30 PM	Parishioners	Sun 04/12	Choir Rehearsal Mass Time Travelers Journey Inquiry: Adults Journey Inquiry: Teens Mass 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 Clarke Room 10:30 AM Conf. Room 101 11:30 AM Worship Space 5:00 PM Worship Space 6:00 PM Pfeiffer Hall 6:00 PM Martyrs Hall 6:00 PM Kazel Room
Sun	9:30 AM	Thomas Albrecht	Mon 04/13	Daily Mass HM Kids Monday	Noon Worship Space 6:00 PM Parish Life Center
	11:30 AM	Deborah Stamm	Tues 04/14	Glory Bees Daily Mass CONNECT Women HM Kids Tuesday Catholic Charities Advisory Council CONNECT Tuesday Eve	7:30 AM Worship Space Noon Worship Space 1:00 PM Clarke Room 6:00 PM Parish Life Center
	5:00 PM	Marilyn Hassel	Wed 04/15	CONNECT Parents with Young Children Daily Mass CONNECT Wednesday Afternoon CONNECT Wednesday Eve Choir Practice CONNECT Men Evening	6:00 PM Martyrs Hall 6:30 PM Clarke Room 9:00 AM Lounge Room 105 Noon Worship Space
Mon	Noon	Barbara McGreer	Thurs 04/16	Daily Mass Eucharistic Adoration Parish Council	2:00 PM Clarke Room 6:30 PM Lounge Room 105 7:00 PM Worship Space 7:00 PM Clarke Room
Tues	Noon	Tony and MaryAnn Spinhirn	Fri 04/17	Prayer in the Chapel	Noon Worship Space 12:30 PM Worship Space 7:00 PM Room 102
Wed	Noon	Elizabeth Pabst	Sat 04/18	CONNECT Mixed Adults CONNECT Men Saturday Reconciliation Vigil Mass	8:00 AM Oscar Romero Chapel 9:00 AM Clarke Room 9:30 AM Lounge Room 105 3:00 PM Oscar Romero Chapel 4:30 PM Worship Space
Thurs	Noon	Virginia Aiuto	Sun 04/19	Choir Rehearsal Mass Time Travelers Journey Mystagogy Journey Inquiry: Teens Mass Baptism Prep Session Contemporary Mass Spirit Life Teen CONNECT Sunday	8:30 AM Pfeiffer Hall A 9:30 AM Worship Space 9:30 AM Rooms 203-204 10:30 PM Lounge Room 105 10:30 AM Conf. Room 101 11:30 AM Worship Space 1:30 PM Worship Space 5:00 PM Worship Space 6:00 PM Pfeiffer Hall 6:00 PM Martyrs Hall 6:00 PM Kazel Room
Sat	4:30 PM	Dorothy Gianneschi			
Sun	9:30 AM	Parishioners			
	11:30 AM	Sophie Tesny			
	5:00 PM	Cheryl Aschenbener (for healing)			

Daily Mass

MONDAY - THURSDAY
12:00 pm



Parish News

Baptism Preparation Sunday, April 19, 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, April 19, 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=12304>

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.

Holy Martyrs Cafe Ministry Needs You!

We do more than serve Coffee & Donuts 😊



We offer a warm, friendly atmosphere that builds community among our parishioners.

If you enjoy hospitality and serving; if you are looking for a Ministry with a flexible schedule; if you want to connect with others; if you want a fun way to get your steps in - check out our Cafe, it may be a good fit for you!



We're looking for more smiles!
Stop by the Welcome Center
and pick up a flyer.



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.



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To share, go to:

<https://holymartyrs.net/how-have-you-seen-god-in-your-daily-life/>



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STEPHEN MINISTRY

If you need a friend or know someone who does, ask if a Stephen Minister can help.

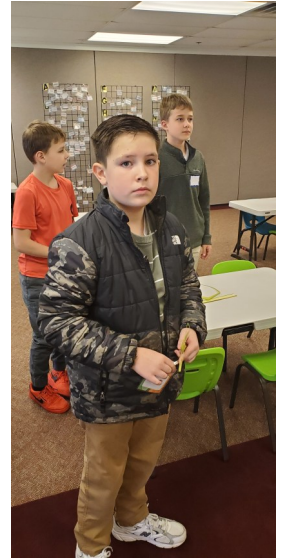
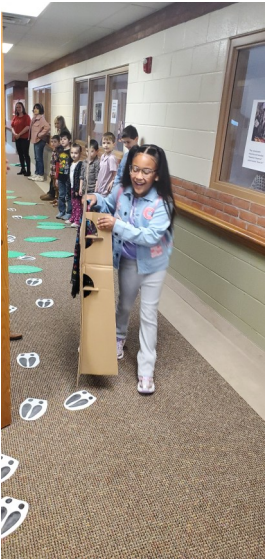
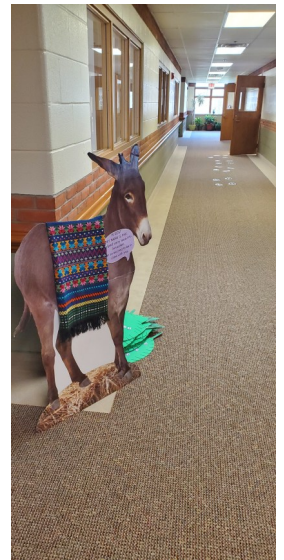
For more information, call Janet Payton or Skip McQuate at 330-722-6633.



Faith Formation

Time Travelers

Palm Sunday pictures with Pax the Donkey



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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, April 12, 2026 and talk about the importance of going to Mass and receiving the Eucharist.



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

XLT - Eucharistic Adoration April 21, 2026 7:00PM

Holy Martyrs is hosting an XLT, which is an evening of Eucharistic adoration with music, a speaker, and refreshments, on April 21st. Join us as we hear from Dc. John Green and his daughter on living out our faith in the family! We can't wait to pray with you!

XLT
COME & ADORE

- Presider and Speaker: Dc. John Green with Holy Family Stow & Evangelical Catholic
- Uplifting Music (Contemporary & traditional)
- Eucharistic Adoration
- Snacks & Refreshments

Tuesday, April 21st from 7:00pm-8:30pm with refreshments to follow. ALL ARE WELCOME!

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Life Teen will meet on
Sunday April 12 following the
Contemporary Mass at 5:00 PM

WE ALL PLAY

SERVICE PROJECT



April 19th-April 26th

Help kids stay active! Donate your gently used sports equipment to support youth athletics in the CYO community (part of Catholic Charities). Donations will be distributed to schools that have students in need of equipment. Donation bins will be placed in the entrance area of the church and/or school. Thank you for supporting my service project "We All Play"!

WHAT YOU CAN DONATE:
BASKETBALLS, FOOTBALLS, SOCCER BALLS
BASEBALL GLOVES AND BATS
SHIN GUARDS AND PADS
CLEATS AND ATHLETIC SHOES
NEW SPORTS EQUIPMENT ALSO WELCOME



Questions? Contact:

ANDREW SHEMO
SERVICE PROJECT COORDINATOR &
HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT
wsheмо@gmail.com

Donate today - every piece of equipment helps!

Thank you for supporting kids in need!

Pray



Grow



Serve



Give



Share

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A Disciple Gives with Gratitude



**"For where your treasure is,
there your heart will be also."**
Matthew 6:21

**Your Easter
Offering**



Thank you for your
support of Holy Martyrs!



Grateful Giving

March, 2026

\$16,189

Needed: \$18,000

Thank you to all those who generously donated



Did you Know?

HM Cares' mission is to serve the less fortunate in our community with dignity, compassion, and faith-based support so hope can be restored through the grace of God. We accomplish this year-round through:

Food Pantry. Our pantry is open twice a month and provides up to 3 weeks of meals for families in need. In 2025, we served over 120 families.

Financial Assistance. Through the generous donations of Holy Martyrs parishioners, HM Cares has provided rent and utility assistance more than \$40,000 in the past year to over 200 local people in need.

Friendship Meals. In partnership with St. Bernard's in Akron, we prepare and serve meals 4 times a year for the St. Bernard's Hot Meals Program.

Please prayerfully consider putting your faith in action by supporting HM Cares throughout the year. If you would like to make a financial donation, please click the QR link below. If you have any questions or want to join our ministry you can email HM Cares at HMCares20@gmail.com

Online Giving Portal (Select Fund for HM Cares):

Upcoming Events:

April 13 -14: Food Pantry

April 18 - 19: HM Cares Pantry Collection Weekend

May 24: Friendship Meal w/ St. Bernard's



Pray ✦ *Grow* ✦ *Serve* ✦ *Give* ✦ *Share*