



# HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC CHURCH



**MAY 5, 2024 | SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

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### **Administrative Assistant**

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### **Custodian**

**Dale Enix**

### **BAPTISM**

Contact the parish office to arrange.

### **MARRIAGES**

Contact the office at least six months in advance of the wedding date.

### **RECONCILIATION**

See schedule inside or anytime by appointment.



## 6<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER

"It was not you who chose me, but I who chose you and appointed you to go and bear fruit that will remain, so that whatever you ask the Father in my name he may give you. This I command you: love one another." - Jn 15:16-17

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**NEW PARISHIONERS**  
Contact the parish office.

**CATHOLIC SCHOOL EDUCATION**  
Contact the office for more information.

### **HOSPITAL VISITATION**

Notify the Parish of anyone being admitted to a hospital or nursing home.

### **PRAYER LINE**

Please call Cindy at 330.877.0093 to request a prayer intention.

## Mass Schedule

**Saturday**  
5:00 PM

**Sunday**  
9:30 AM

**Daily**  
Tuesday & Thursday  
9:00 AM

**Holy Day**  
9:30 AM and 7:00 PM

Holy Spirit Parish is called to be a family, finding its center in Christ and His Body, the parish and in turn, reflecting that Love of Christ to the community and beyond.

## Office Hours

Tuesday - Friday  
9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

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# MASST INTENTIONS

<b>SATURDAY</b> 5:00 pm	<b>MAY 4</b> Meredith Johnson (L) (Catherine Gullia)
<b>SUNDAY</b> 9:30 am	<b>MAY 5</b> Marsha Caiazza (Jim & Barb Braccio)
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>MAY 6</b> NO MASS
<b>TUESDAY</b> 9:00 am	<b>MAY 7</b> Jason Zils (L) (Lenore Zils)
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>MAY 8</b> NO MASS
<b>THURSDAY</b> 9:00 am	<b>MAY 9</b> Richard Piccin (Gant Family)
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>MAY 10</b> NO MASS
<b>SATURDAY</b> 5:00 pm	<b>MAY 11</b> Susan Testa (The Nadeau Family)
<b>SUNDAY</b> 9:30 am	<b>MAY 12</b> Our Parishioners

# This Week

<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>MAY 4</b> •Confessions, following 5:00 pm Mass
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>MAY 5</b> •PSR & Youth Ministry, 10:30-11:45 am •Mission Trip Meeting, 10:30 am, Meeting Room
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>MAY 6</b> •Weekly Gospel Reflection 10:00 am Meeting Room
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>MAY 9</b> •Cantors Rehearsal, 7:00 pm, Church
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>MAY 11</b> •Stitch and a Prayer, 9:00 am, Meeting Room •Flower Sale, 9:00—11:00 am, Social Hall •Confessions, following 5:00 pm Mass •Meet & Greet with Fr. Zwilling, following 5:00 pm Mass, Social Hall

### WEEKLY EMAILS

Almost weekly Anne sends out an email to parishioners. If you are not receiving it but would like to, please contact the parish office so we can make sure you are on the list.



### CONFESSION SCHEDULE

**May 4th**—after 5:00pm Mass  
**May 11th**—after 5:00pm Mass  
**May 19th**—after 9:30am Mass  
**May 26th**—after 9:30am Mass

### A NIGHT TO HONOR THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Our parish devotional service to honor Our Blessed Mother will be on **Tuesday, May 14** at **6:30 pm**. We will be joining the Knights of Columbus at their monthly Rosary time. There will be song, scripture and recitation of the rosary. Please plan to attend to honor our Lord's mother during the Marian month of May.



### 2ND-ANNUAL YOUNG ADULT SUMMER FESTIVAL

Join young adults throughout the diocese for the 2nd-annual young adult summer festival on Friday, July 26 through Saturday, July 27, 2024! Taken from last year's theme, based on World Youth Day's theme – "Mary AROSE and went in haste" – the ARISE Young Adult Summer Festival tradition has begun! This event includes inspiring talks and speakers, discussion and community-building with other young adults, Mass, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, food and fellowship, and s'mores next to a bonfire under the stars. Confession will be available during Adoration both nights – come experience God's STEADFAST LOVE for you! All young adults across the diocese are welcome to join together at St. Robert in Cortland to celebrate their faith during this special weekend!



To register, scan the QR code or go to <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeBjsRq46oRNss5uCLmqXYWUTND1jwv-lZLYt-OMYTJOrPDw/viewform>

### THE ANNUAL ST. DYMPHNA FEAST DAY

The annual St. Dymphna Feast Day and Anniversary Celebration will take place on Sunday, May 19th at the National Shrine of St. Dymphna in St. Mary's Catholic Church, 206 Cherry Rd NE, Massillon. This year marks the 86th anniversary of the Shrine of St. Dymphna. The Very Rev. John E. Sheridan will preside at the Holy Mass beginning at 2:00p.m. Veneration of St. Dymphna's relic and novena will be held before Mass starting at 1:00 pm. Fellowship and light refreshments will follow Mass in St. Mary School gymnasium. Saint Dymphna is the patroness of those with mental and emotional disorders, including depression, anxiety, autism, dementia, Alzheimer's disease, epilepsy, and other neurological conditions. For more information, please call the Shrine office at (330) 833-8478.

## MEET & GREET WITH FR. ZWILLING

STOP BY AFTER 5:00PM MASS ON MAY 11TH TO MEET FR. ZWILLING AND ENJOY SOME COOKIES

### WELCOME

We welcome Father Zwilling to Holy Spirit. Over the next few weeks, you will have the chance to meet him. We encourage you to introduce yourself and explain how you are involved in the parish. We also encourage you to tell him about Holy Spirit, who we are, what makes us vibrant, and our many stories and traditions. Finally, please pray for Father Zwilling as he takes on this new role and continue to always pray for our Holy Spirit community.

## COFFEE AND DONUTS WITH FR. ZWILLING

MAY 19TH AFTER 9:30AM MASS IN THE SOCIAL HALL

### ANNUAL FLOWER SALE TO SUPPORT THE MISSION TRIP

Please return the order form with payment by **Tuesday, May 7**. Flowers will be available for pick-up on **Saturday, May 11** from **9:00 - 11:00 am** and **after weekend Masses**. Hanging baskets will also be for sale *while supplies last*. The baskets make great Mother's Day gifts! The mission team thanks you!

#### FIRST COMMUNION PRACTICES:

Practices for all First Communion celebrations are **Saturday, May 18**.

- For those celebrating at the 5:00 pm Saturday Mass, practice will be from **9:30 - 10:15 am**.
- For those celebrating at the 9:30 am Sunday Mass, practice will be from **10:15 - 11:00 am**.

Contact Cathy Kasza if you have any conflicts with practice times.

#### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: MAY 18 & 19:

Please pray for all those children preparing to celebrate their First Holy Communion at the 5:00 pm Saturday and 9:30 am Sunday Masses.



#### NEW FAITH LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES FOR ADULTS IN THE DIOCESE OF YOUNGSTOWN

The Office of Faith Formation and Lay Ecclesial Ministry of the Catholic Diocese of Youngstown offers new online and in person opportunities for adults seeking to learn more or deepen their understanding of topics in faith and Catholic Church practice. The online sessions allow flexibility in schedules because learners can read, reflect, and respond at any time of the day. Materials are provided and assignments posted at the beginning of a given week, and participants have the week to respond, until the following week's learning is posted. The in-person sessions allow group discussion and immediate feedback. Courses vary in the number of weeks, from three to fourteen. Course fees vary depending on costs of materials and the length of the course. Course dates and descriptions can be found by going to the website Catechist Café, (<https://catechistcafe.weebly.com>) under "For Catechists/Catechist Courses." For more information, contact the Office of Faith Formation and Lay Ecclesial Ministry at 330-744-8451, ext. 296, or [mhynes@youngstowndioceses.org](mailto:mhynes@youngstowndioceses.org).

#### WITH MUCH THANKS AND APPRECIATION:

Catechesis is the act of resounding or bringing the Church's teachings to the world. Holy Spirit has been blessed with some very dedicated PSR & youth ministry catechists. Be sure to thank the following parishioners for the years they have dedicated to bringing the Church's teaching to the children and youth of our parish:

##### Catechists:

- ◆ Bryan Jankura (19yrs +)
- ◆ Jane Enix (19yrs +)
- ◆ Mike Zink (10yr +)
- ◆ Nick Hill (10yr+)
- ◆ Claire Hobbs (10yr +)
- ◆ Kim Pallas (7yrs+)
- ◆ Tara Kerscher (7yrs+)
- ◆ Colleen Leib (7yrs+)
- ◆ Courtney Dutton (3yrs)

**Substitute Catechists:** Kerrie Kuruc, Mark Leib, Michela Oler, Kristen Ramey, Michelle Gant

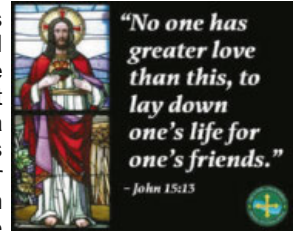


#### EUCCHARISTIC MISSION

A two night Eucharistic Mission—"The Eucharist as the Embodiment of Love" will be held at St. Michael Church, 3430 St. Michael Dr. N.W., Canton with Fr. Michael Driscoll on May 5th & 6th at 7:00pm. Fr. Driscoll is a priest of the Diocese of Helena and Professor Emeritus in Theology at the University of Notre Dame. For more information, please visit [www.stmichaelcanton.org](http://www.stmichaelcanton.org).

#### ANNUAL DIOCESAN APPEAL

In today's Gospel, Jesus tells us where the bar is for great love: "to lay down one's life for one's friends" (John 15:13). Jesus' authority as God is more than sufficient to command people how they should live. Nevertheless, Jesus prefers the influence of humility: Jesus "did not regard equality with God something to be grasped. Rather... He humbled himself, becoming obedient to death, even death on a cross" (Philippians 2:6-8). As God's presence in this neighborhood, our parish has been entrusted with authority in our neighbors' lives: the authority of His kingdom on Earth. We do not seek to wield authority heavy-handedly. We humbly ask you to support our Annual Diocesan Appeal so that we, together, can spread His Kingdom humbly, by the sweet influence of love. Doing so will lead us to lay down our lives for our friends. May God bless you abundantly for your aid! To date, the members of our parish have pledged 93% of our parish goal. Thank you!



#### THERE IS STILL TIME TO SIGN UP FOR THE 2024 HOLY SPIRIT PICTORIAL DIRECTORY

All registered parishioners are encouraged to have their portrait taken for the upcoming 2024 Parish Pictorial Directory. You will receive a free 8 x 10 portrait and a free copy of the directory, which we all use over and over! If you wish, additional portraits will be available for purchase. Portraits will be taken on May 16, 17, & 18. Go to [www.signupgenius.com/go/8050844A5AD28AAFD0-48951648-holy](http://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050844A5AD28AAFD0-48951648-holy) to choose your appointment time or scan the QR code. Please call the Parish office if you are unable to schedule an appointment online.



#### MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR MISCARRIED OR STILLBORN CHILDREN

If you know someone who has suffered the loss of a child through miscarriage or stillbirth, please invite them to one of the following Memorial Services on Sunday, May 19, in the Chapels at: Calvary Cemetery, Youngstown (248 Belle Vista Ave.) at 2:00p.m., Calvary Cemetery, Massillon (3469 Lincoln Way E.) at 2:00p.m., All Souls Cemetery, Cortland (3823 Hoagland Blackstub Rd.) at 4:30p.m. Parents, family, grandparents and others are encouraged to attend. Sponsored by the Diocese of Youngstown Office of Worship, Office of Pro-Life, Marriage and Family Life, and Catholic Funeral and Cemetery Services. For more information call 330-744-8451.

#### TIME TO START THINKING, VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL!

Volunteers are needed for this summer's VBS week of fun set for June 24-28 from 9:30am-noon each day. This year's theme, *Living in God's Kingdom*, will compare members of the Catholic Church to citizens of a medieval castle village. Just like life in the medieval village, many people are needed at VBS to make it a success. Adult volunteers will be needed to help with snacks, crafts, skits, bible stories, music and much more. Those interested in being part of the village that makes VBS a success should contact Cathy at the parish office.



#### PRAYER OF LOVE

God the Father, You created me in love.  
Jesus, your love for me compelled you to come to earth to die for me.  
Holy Spirit, love between God and Jesus, now you surround me with the love of the Father and the Son.  
Help me to live out this reality, today and always.

Amen. ©LPi

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 5, 2024

Sunday: Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48/Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4 (see 2b)/1 Jn 4:7-10/Jn 15:9-17
Monday: Acts 16:11-15/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b/Jn 15:26—16:4a
Tuesday: Acts 16:22-34/Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8/Jn 16:5-11
Wednesday: Acts 17:15, 22—18:1/Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14/Jn 16:12-15
Thursday: Acts 18:1-8/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/Jn 16:16-20
Ascension: Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 (6)/Eph 1:17-23 or Eph 4:1-13 or 4:1-7, 11-13/Mk 16:15-20
Friday: Acts 18:9-18/Ps 47:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Jn 16:20-23
Saturday: Acts 18:23-28/Ps 47:2-3, 8-9, 10/Jn 16:23b-28
Next Sunday: Ascension: Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 (6)/Eph 1:17-23 or Eph 4:1-13 or 4:1-7, 11-13/Mk 16:15-20
Seventh Sunday of Easter: Acts 1:15-17, 20a, 20c-26/ Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20 (19a)/1 Jn 4:11-16/Jn 17:11b-19
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LORD'S DAY OFFERING

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04/28/2024 Building and Land Projects..... \$20.00
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