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CHURCH

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MISSION STATEMENT

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.

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 5:00 PM
Sunday..... 8:30 and 11:00 AM
Daily See inside for times
Holy Day 9:30 AM, 7:00 PM

JANUARY 14, 2018

STAFF

Rev. John P. Zapp *Pastor*
Chuck Ivan *Deacon*
Russ O'Neill *Deacon*
Mike Capitena *Deacon*
Mrs. Anne Weeks *Director of Religious Ed.
& Youth Ministry*
Mrs. Catherine Kasza *Coordinator of Rel. Ed.
& Jr. High Ministry*
Mrs. Shannon Miller *Secretary/Bookkeeper*
Mrs. Olive McKissick *Secretary*
Mr. Dale Enix *Custodian*

BAPTISM: Contact the office to arrange parent preparation sessions.

CONFIRMATION: Junior High School students wishing to be confirmed should contact the Director of Religious Education.

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

RECONCILIATION: Saturday: 3:00 PM or anytime by appointment.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAMS
Contact the office for information.

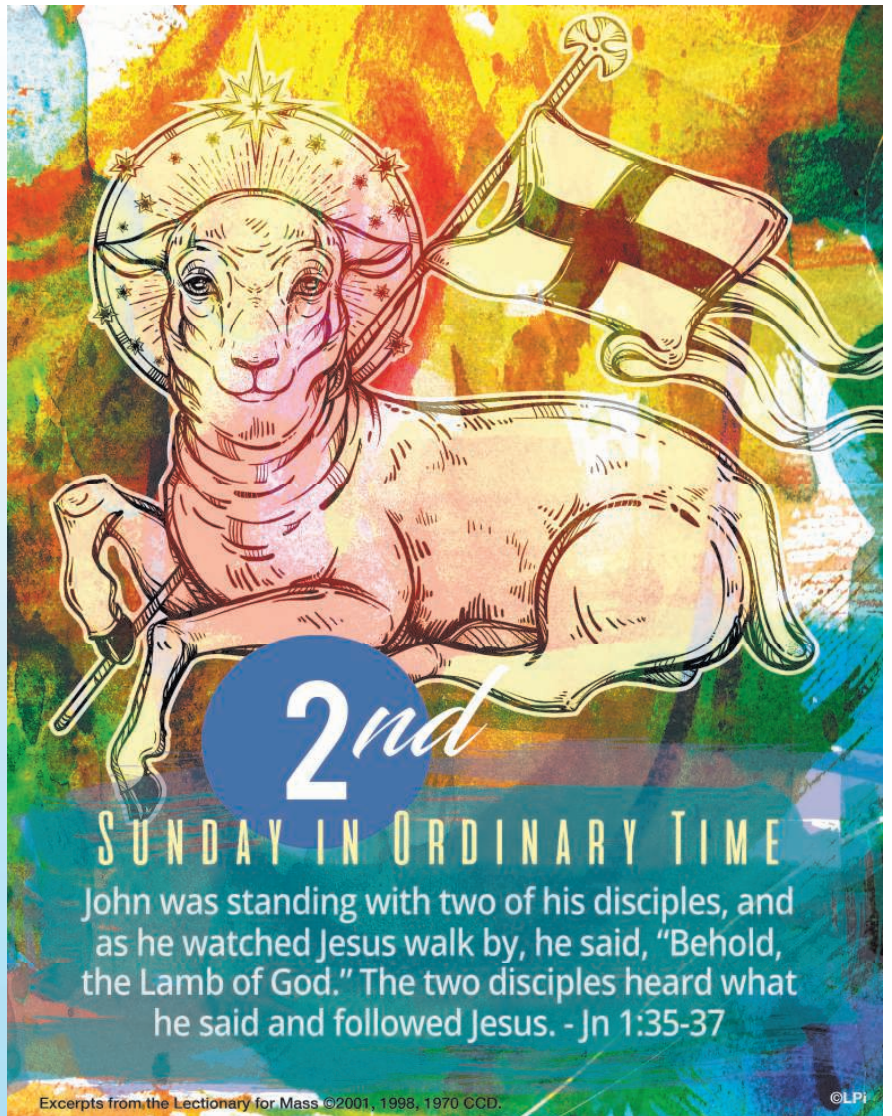
R.C.I.A. RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS & CHILDREN: Adults & children wishing to become Catholic should contact the office.

CATHOLIC SCHOOL EDUCATION
Contact the office for 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.

NEW PARISHIONERS: Contact the parish office.



SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

John was standing with two of his disciples, and as he watched Jesus walk by, he said, "Behold, the Lamb of God." The two disciples heard what he said and followed Jesus. - Jn 1:35-37



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY	JANUARY 13
5:00 pm	Helen Weeks (John & Anne Weeks)
SUNDAY	JANUARY 14
8:30 am	Parishioners of Holy Spirit
11:00 am	Mark & Pauline Kline (Their Family)
MONDAY	JANUARY 15
	NO MASS
TUESDAY	JANUARY 16
9:00 am	Kevin Zimmerman (Anne Zimmerman)
WEDNESDAY	JANUARY 17
7:00 pm	Felix Basug (Carmen Basug)
THURSDAY	JANUARY 18
9:00 am	Jakob Mueller (Bob & Erika Machefski)
FRIDAY	JANUARY 19
9:00 am	Alfred Kovacic (Father John Zapp)
SATURDAY	JANUARY 20
5:00 pm	Nicholas Harp (Robert Harp)
SUNDAY	JANUARY 21
8:30 am	Patrick Miller (John & Marie Miller)
11:00 am	Parishioners of Holy Spirit

LORD'S DAY OFFERINGS

01/01/18 Solemnity of Mary \$254.00
 01/07/18 Sunday Collection (104 envelopes)..... \$4836.00

OUTREACH SUNDAY FOR FISH

FISH, our Lake Township community food pantry, relies on the generosity of the area churches to stock the food pantry with essential items needed on a continual basis. Once a month, each church is given a list of most needed pantry items and this is designated as "Outreach Sunday." This month's "Outreach Sunday" items for Holy Spirit are *deodorant, shampoo, toothpaste* and *peanut butter*. Please bring your donations *next weekend* and place under the wood table by the main entrance.

THANK YOU FROM "A STITCH AND A PRAYER"

"A Stitch and a Prayer" craft group would like to thank everyone who purchased dish cloths or donated money to the group. We will be selling them again sometime in the future. We still have prayer shawls for those who have lost a loved one or have health issues.

"KEEP THE KIDS WARM"

Thank you so much for your generosity to last week's second collection for "Keep The Kids Warm." Your donations will be going towards utility assistance to families with children all across the Diocese of Youngstown.

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JAN. 14, 2018

Sunday: 1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19/Ps 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10 [8a, 9a]/
 1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20/Jn 1:35-42
Monday: 1 Sm 15:16-23/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23 [23b]/
 Mk 2:18-22
Tuesday: 1 Sm 16:1-13/Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28 [21a]/Mk 2:23-
 28
Wednesday: 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10 [1]/
 Mk 3:1-6
Thursday: 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7/Ps 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11,
 12-13 [5b]/Mk 3:7-12
Friday: 1 Sm 24:3-21/Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6 and 11 [2a]/Mk 3:13-19
Saturday: 2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27/Ps 80:2-3, 5-7/
 Mk 3:20-21
Next Sunday: Jon 3:1-5, 10/Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [4a]/
 1 Cor 7:29-31/Mk 1:14-20 ©Liturgical Publications Inc.

PRAYING THROUGH MOVEMENT – YOGA & REFIT

Prayer is an active endeavor. Our series to connect the body, mind and soul continues with sessions of yoga and ReFit. Yoga means "to yoke, to harmonize, to unite." We are offering a gentle, non-vigorous yoga/chair yoga program weekly on *Thursdays* at **10:00 - 11:00 am** until **February 15**. ReFit is a community-centered, value-positive experience designed to engage the heart as a muscle and a soul. The program includes cardio dancing, toning, stretching and strength training. ReFit will meet on *Mondays* from **7:00 - 8:00 pm** beginning **January 22**. Both will be held in the Social Hall. For more information, please pick up a brochure by the main doors of the church, visit holyspiritunoh.org or call the parish office. To register, complete the form on the brochure or email parishoffice@holyspiritunoh.org with your name, phone and the series you will attend.

ANNUAL STATEMENTS

Tax statements for all 2017 contributors will be on the wood tables **THIS WEEKEND**. There is no need to call the parish office unless special arrangements for receiving it is needed. Thank you!

BISHOP'S APPEAL ANNUAL STATEMENTS

The Office of the Bishop's Appeal will send out statements to all those requesting them. Please send your request to appeal@youngstowndiocese.org or call 330-744-8451 ext. 316.



JANUARY WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

If you have a wedding anniversary in January, please call the office by **January 18** and let us know about your special day so we may publish it in the bulletin.

EUCHRE CARD PARTY

Join us for an evening of Euchre on **Saturday, January 20** at **7:00 pm** in the Social Hall. Please bring a snack to share. Look for the sign-up sheet on the wood tables at the main entrance.



WORLD DAY FOR CONSECRATED LIFE

World Day for Consecrated Life will be observed in the Church in February. Please pray for all those who have made commitments in the consecrated life, and be sure to thank them on their special day. May they continue to be inspired by Jesus Christ and respond generously to God's gift of their vocation. Bishop George Murry, SJ, invites you to celebrate the gift of Consecrated Life with him and the religious of our diocese on **Sunday, February 4** at St. Columba Cathedral at the **10:30 am** liturgy. All are welcome. Please mark your calendar.

ALTAR FLOWERS

If you would like to provide flowers for our Saturday and Sunday Masses, the 2018 Flower Chart is now available on the bulletin board. Just place your name & phone number on the chart next to the date that has special meaning for you. A week before your floral arrangement is due, you will receive a reminder call and will be asked about your special intention. For many parishioners it is a wonderful way to commemorate Wedding Anniversaries, Birthdays, Loved Ones (living and deceased), etc. Your name and special intention will be noted in the bulletin to thank you for your thoughtfulness in adding beauty to the Holy Spirit environment.

ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICES AVAILABLE

Personal assistive listening devices are available to assist those attending liturgies at Holy Spirit. If you are in need of a device, please ask an usher for assistance.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 14
Children's Liturgy of the Word, During All Masses
Coffee & Donuts, After All Masses

TUESDAY, JANUARY 16
Liturgy Committee Meeting, 7:00 pm, Conference Room
PSR Planning Committee Meeting, 7:00 pm, Meeting Room
RCIA, 7:00 pm, Cry Room

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 17
Evangelization Committee Meeting, 7:30 pm, Meeting Room

THURSDAY, JANUARY 18
Yoga, 10:00 am, Social Hall
Choir Practice, 7:30 pm, Church

SATURDAY, JANUARY 20
Euchre Night, 7:00 pm, Social Hall

SUNDAY, JANUARY 21
Pancake Breakfast, 9:15 am - 2:00 pm, Social Hall
Elementary PSR, 9:45 - 10:45 am, Uniontown Elementary



JOIN US FOR THE ANNUAL PANCAKE BREAKFAST

In appreciation of your support, the High School Youth invite the Holy Spirit Parish Family (and their guests) to our pancake breakfast **NEXT SUNDAY** starting at **9:15 am**. Come after Mass, before or just come. Menu includes sausage, all-you-can-eat pancakes and drinks. Donations will be accepted for our summer Mission Program trips to Kentucky and New York City.

HIGH SCHOOL BIBLE STUDY

During Mass this year, we primarily read from the Gospel of Mark. What does the Evangelist have to say to us today? What is the context for some of the scriptures? How can I get to know Jesus through this Gospel? We encourage high school students to join us on Sunday mornings beginning **January 28** from **9:45 - 10:45 am** in the meeting room for a bible study of the Gospel of Mark (ending mid-March). If you are interested, please contact Anne Weeks so enough resources are available.

MASS FOR LIFE

Join Bishop George Murry, S.J., to pray for a greater respect for all human life at every stage of its existence at the diocesan Mass for Life on **Sunday, January 21 at 4:00 pm** at Columba Cathedral (154 West Wood Street, Youngstown).

All expectant mothers, fathers and families in attendance will be invited to receive a blessing for their unborn children. The Mass will be followed by a reception including an "Expo" of Respect Life Information. All are welcome; no reservations needed; donations accepted.

NINE DAYS OF PRAYER, PENANCE AND PILGRIMAGE

On *January 22*, our nation remembers the infamous 1973 Supreme Court decisions *Roe v. Wade* and *Doe v. Bolton*. Since then, more than 55 million children's lives have been lost to abortion and their parents' lives have been shattered. Each year, the USCCB calls for "Nine Days of Prayer, Penance and Pilgrimage" taking place this year from **January 18 - 26**. More information may be found at www.9daysforlife.com.

ACME RECEIPTS FOR FISH

The Acme Cashback program ended on *December 30*. Please turn in all receipts to the Office or to Julia Besenyodi no later than **TODAY**. Thank you to all who supported this program.

ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFER (EFT) PROGRAM

An option to make your regular Sunday contributions known as Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) is available. To sign up or to make changes, simply fill out, sign, and turn in an Authorization Form to the parish office. Authorization forms are available on the wood table by the main doors, on our website www.holyspiritunoh.org, or stop in the parish office.

"DIRECTOR OF FISH MINISTRIES" POSITION

Applications are being accepted *immediately* for the position of Director of FISH Ministries by the Lake Township Clergy Association. We are seeking an individual committed to serving God by caring for those in need in our community. The Director must be motivated by Christian faith; have strong administrative and people skills; and be willing to supervise, delegate and communicate at many levels. For a more detailed *Job Description* and application, see Fr. John, contact the parish office or go to laketownshipfish.org. This position is 15-20 hours per week and a stipend is provided.



Please silence your phone in church



"SOUPER" BOWL OF CARING SUB SALE

Our parish will again participate in the nationwide "Souper" Bowl of Caring. By purchasing a sub sandwich to enjoy during the game you will be supporting the Hartville Migrant Center. **Subs will be available after the Sunday, February 4 Masses.** For ordering information, see next week's bulletin insert. *Meat and cheese subs will be available. Order deadline is **Tuesday, January 30**.*

High school students and mission trip participants are needed at **7:30 - 9:30 am** on **Super Bowl Sunday (February 4)** to help make the subs. This is a great way to help others and receive some service hours.

PSR CANCELLATIONS

To find out if PSR or other activities have been cancelled due to weather or other reasons, please check the Holy Spirit Facebook page or follow us on Twitter. Links to Facebook and Twitter can be found on the parish website www.holyspiritunoh.org.

ST. MATTHEW'S SECOND ANNUAL MEN'S CONFERENCE

St. Matthew's Second Annual Men's Conference "Authentic Masculinity," will be on **Saturday, January 27** from **8:30 am - 4:00 pm**. The day includes inspiring talks, music, adoration, opportunities for confession and fellowship. The featured speaker is Father Patrick Schultz from Communion of Saints Parish in Cleveland. It concludes with a Mass at *4:00 pm* and dinner for the men and their families will be at *5:00 pm*. Tickets are **\$10** and the event includes all meals. For more information and to register, call 330-733-9944.

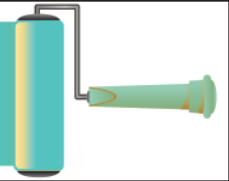
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JANUARY IS POVERTY AWARENESS MONTH

The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops has designated January at "Poverty Awareness Month." Lack of affordable housing, job opportunities and community resources are realities that can trap families in the cycle of poverty. Catholic Charities provides basic needs assistance to help people with such things as food, shelter, clothing and essential prescription medications. They also help families develop budgets, cut unnecessary expenses and set goals that can lead to greater financial stability. To learn more about how Catholic Charities is fighting poverty, visit our website at www.ccdoy.org.

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