# EASTSIDE CATHOLICS

St. Cecilia Oakley | St. Mary Hyde Park | The Oratory of St. John Vianney Madisonville

October 19, 2025

THE STEWARDSHIP OF FINANCE

# A generous spirit is itself great wealth.

- Pope St. Leo the Great

## PARADE OF SAINTS — SUNDAY | OCTOBER 26

(SEE PAGE 4 FOR DETAILS)











#### **EASTSIDE CATHOLICS**

www.eastsidecatholics.org

#### PASTORAL LEADERSHIP

**PASTOR / Fr. Jamie Weber** 

(513) 871-5757, ext. 201 | jweber@eastsidecatholics.org

PAROCHIAL VICAR / Fr. Alex Dugas

(513) 871-5757, ext. 403 | adugas@eastsidecatholics.org

PAROCHIAL VICAR / Fr. Stephen Jones

(513) 871-5757, ext. 205 | sjones@eastsideregion.org

PERMANENT DEACON / Dcn. Nathan Beiersdorfer

deaconnathan@stceciliacincinnati.org

PERMANENT DEACON / Dcn. John Schuler (513) 321-1207 | schuler.john.a@gmail.com

PERMANENT DEACON / Dcn. Chris Bergman cbergman1957@live.com

PASTORAL ASSOCIATE / Marta Misleh

(513) 871-5757, ext. 207 | mmisleh@eastsidecatholics.org

**DIR. OF CATECHESIS + EVANGELIZATION / Haley Metzger** (513) 321-1207, ext. 413 | hmetzger@eastsidecatholics.org

REGIONAL DIR.OF OPERATIONS / Shannon Benvenuti

(513) 321-1207, ext. 405 | sbenvenuti@eastsidecatholics.org

COORD. OF YOUNG ADULT MIN. / MaryBeth Sproull (513) 321-1207, ext. 410 | msproull@eastsideregion.org

**FACILITIES MANAGER / Ken Jackson** 

(513) 871-5757, ext. 204 | ken@eastsideregion.org

#### SACRAMENTAL CONTACTS

**BAPTISMS & WEDDINGS — Sarah LaBarge** 

(513) 321-1207, ext. 414 | slabarge@eastsideregion.org

**HOMEBOUND MINISTRY** — Sean Cunat

(317) 370-4925 | seancunat@gmail.com

OCIA — Haley Metzger

(513) 321-1207, ext. 413 | hmetzger@eastsidecatholics.org

FIRST COMMUNION/CONFIRMATION— Laura Spaugh

(513) 321-1207, ext. 415 | Ispaugh@eastsidecatholics.org

FUNERALS — Carrie Brigger

(513) 321-1207, ext. 7 | cbrigger@eastsidecatholics.org

For more information on weddings, baptisms or funerals, please visit **eastsidecatholics.org** or call the appropriate parish office.

#### **SCHOOL INFORMATION**

ST. CECILIA PRINCIPAL / Michael Goedde SCHOOL OFFICE MANAGER / Stephanie Ringler

(513) 533-6060 | sringler@stceciliacincinnati.org

ST. MARY PRINCIPAL / Jen Reker-Murphy SCHOOL OFFICE MANAGER / Lisa Koslovsky

(513) 321-0703 | lkoslovsky@stmaryhp.org

#### Weekend Mass Schedule

St. Cecilia (Oakley)

Saturday 3:30 PM | Sunday 8 AM, 10 AM, and 8:15 PM

**St. Mary** (Hyde Park)

Saturday at 4 PM | Sunday at 8:30 AM and 10:30 AM

The Oratory of St. John Vianney at St. Anthony

**Church** (Madisonville)

Saturday 3 PM | Sunday 9:30 AM

#### **Daily Mass Schedule**

**St. Cecilia** (Oakley)

9 AM Mass, Monday-Saturday.

All-day Adoration follows the 9 AM Mass on Wednesdays with 7 PM Holy Hour and Confessions from 7-7:50 PM

**St. Mary** (Hyde Park)

5:30 PM evening Mass, Monday-Thursday with Holy Hour on Tuesdays following the 5:30 PM Mass.

The Oratory of St. John Vianney at St. Anthony

Church (Madisonville)

11:45 AM Mass, Monday-Friday

#### **Confession Schedule**

Confessions begin immediately after daily Masses. One hour before weekend Masses, ending 30 minutes before Mass.

#### **Our Churches**

St. Cecilia (Oakley)

3105 Madison Road, Cincinnati OH 45209

Office: (513) 871-5757

www.stceciliacincinnati.org

St. Cecilia — St. Vincent de Paul Society: (513) 871-5757, ext. 1

St. Mary (Hyde Park)

2853 Erie Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45208

Office: (513) 321-1207

www.smchp.org

St. Mary — St. Vincent de Paul Society: (513) 321-1207, ext. 1

The Oratory of St. John Vianney at St. Anthony Church (Madisonville)

6104 Desmond Street, Cincinnati, OH 45227

(513) 271-0920

www.eastsidefaith.org

Oratory — St. Vincent de Paul Society: (513) 271-0856, ext. 1

#### **New Parishioner Registration**



St. Cecilia (Oakley) The Oratory (Madisonville)

eastsidefaith.org/new-parishioner-cecilia

**St. Mary** Hyde Park eastsidefaith.org/new-parishioner-mary





This week we touch on the Stewardship of Finance. The catechism puts it this way: "You shall help provide for the needs of the Church" means that the faithful are obliged to assist with the material needs of the Church, each according to his ability. (Catechism of the Catholic Church – #2043). We have such a wealth of incredible evangelization opportunities in our Eastside Catholic churches. We try to provide for everyone's needs but can not do it without our faithful parishioners. We ask that you give generously but always according to your ability. Some may think that we are taking care of the properties and buildings when we talk about finances but what we are hopefully fulfilling is the means to steward our resources wisely. We want to cultivate and use our financial resources to support God's purposes for our community. Many times, we find ourselves looking at our finances only for our own personal gains. Let us practice this month setting aside what we want to give back, and be grateful for all that we have been given.

#### New Director of Stewardship Position

We are actively seeking a Director of Stewardship. This person will be responsible for promoting and facilitating stewardship as a way of life within our parish communities. This role involves developing and implementing strategies to engage parishioners in sharing their time, talent, and treasure to support the mission



and vision of the parish family. Scan the QR code for the complete job description.



#### All Souls' Day Masses

Join us as we honor and pray for our beloved deceased during the All Souls' Day Vigil Mass on Saturday, **November 1**. We will remember by name those who have died in the past year and the families of the deceased will receive a candle with their loved one's name.

Each church will offer a special addition:

**St. Cecilia** — **3:30 PM Mass**: Names will be added to the Book of the Dead (St. Joseph side), and you may place copies of obituaries or prayer cards on the memorial boards (no original photos, please).

**The Oratory — 3 PM Mass:** Names will be read during Mass.

**St. Mary — 4 PM Mass:** A list of names will be displayed in the vestibule glass case.

To include a loved one's name, contact the parish office at office@eastsideregion.org by **Monday, October 27.** 

#### Join the Oratory in Praying for our Priests!

This week we are praying for Fr. Frank Amberger, Fr. Andrew Cordonnier, Fr. Alex Dugas, Fr. Ethan Moore and Fr. Thomas Nolker. May their lives and ministry bear witness to the mercy and faithfulness of God.

# The Annual All Saints Parade



There will be a *PARADE OF SAINTS* next Sunday, October 26, at The Oratory 9:30 am, St. Cecilia 10 am and St. Mary 10:30 am Masses. Children can dress up as their favorite saints and be part of the procession. Please arrive 15 minutes before Mass in the vestibule if you would like to take part.

1-4 | Welcome, Children of God, Hudson Frank, son of Mitchell and Madison Hudepohl. Welcome, Chase Matthew, son of Matthew and Andrea Saunders. Welcome Sasha Michelle, daughter of Brain and Melissa Straus. And, welcome Thomas Alan, son of Andrew and Lisa Mock. 5-6 | Pet Blessing. Thank you to everyone who helped put together our St. Francis Pet Blessing this year. They went all out to make it special for all of the pets and their owners. A great crowd! 7 | First Place Ribbon. Tom Cropper, a member of the garden crew and the Brotherhood of the Holy Rosary at St. Cecilia, took home the first place ribbon at the Brown County Fair for longest carrot. This is his third consecutive victory in this category and his longest entry yet, measuring in at just over two feet! 8 | Beer Stein Winner. Matt Dempsey won the Beer Stein holding competition again this year. At 5:01, he is still reigning champion! Several Men's Guild members tried to beat his time, but were unsuccessful. 9 | Michaelmas. We had a large turnout for our celebration of Michaelmas. We began with vespers in the church, and then went out for a potluck dinner in the side yard. The Knights of Columbus funded the swords for the "fallen angels and good angels" battle! The children loved it and it looked like the dads had a good time, too.



















#### **Seasons of Hope**

For those of you who are searching for Our Lord in the midst of your grief, Seasons of Hope is a nurturing link to the Church, the Almighty and people who truly understand what it is to be brokenhearted.

Remaining Fall session dates are: Thursday evenings, **October 23 and 30 at 6:15 PM**, in the parish house at St. Cecilia. Contact Peggy Lane at lanepeg53@yahoo.com or 724-759-0085 with questions.







# Cocktails with the Catechism

PRESENTS

#### HALLOWEEN

Pagan, Satanic or Christian?

It's that season once again, which means, that without fail, social media is filled with a myriad of diverse lore regarding the origins of Halloween. What is the truth at the heart of this holiday, and how should we as Catholics celebrate it? Don't be like the Great Pumpkin who never showed! Join us and Fr. Vinh Pham for this festive presentation.

Tuesday, October 28, 2025 | 7-9 PM @ Gatherall at Factory 52 (in Norwood)

**BROTHERHOOD OF THE HOLY ROSARY** Men who have or wish to develop a devotion to the Blessed Virgin through the rosary are welcome to join us the first Saturday of every month at 7:30 AM to pray the rosary on the steps in front of St. Cecilia. Join them next on Saturday, November 1, to offer prayers to our Mother Mary.

### Questions about the Catholic Faith?

Are you, or is someone you know, interested in becoming Catholic? Submit an inquiry today using the QR code at right or contact Haley at hmetzger@eastsidecatholics.org to learn more about the Catholic faith and how to become a fully-initiated member. Remember, if you want to be a sponsor or godparent, this is a canonical requirement that we can help you with!





# 40 DAYS FOR LIFE...

#### **Eastside Catholics days are:**

October 27 | 7AM – 7 PM And all Thursdays in October | 4 PM - 6 PM

Questions? Contact Brigid Duffy @ 513-379-0821 or go to www.40daysforlife.com/cincinnati to sign up.



#### **Vocation Night at the Seminary**

Single men aged 18-35 are invited to come to Vocation Night at the seminary on Wednesday, **October 29**. The evening includes Mass, dinner, talks, a tour and a social with the seminarians. Doors open at 4:45 PM and the evening ends at 8:30 PM. Attendees should register at catholicaoc.org/vocation-night.

#### Religion and the American Constitutional Experience

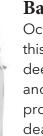
A lecture by Richard Garnett, J.D., University of Notre Dame will take place on **November 12**, at 7:30 PM, at the Bartlett Center Mount St. Mary's Seminary & School of Theology, (6616 Beechmont Avenue, 45230). Free and open to the public.





#### **EPIC** and The Magnificat

EPIC invites you to join your senior community on Wednesday, November 12, in Robisch Hall from 11:30-2:30 PM, as Fr. Kevin Scalf, Missionary of the Precious Blood, McNicholas High School Chaplain, and Theology teacher will present on The Magnificat. We will serve a catered lunch with sandwiches, salads, veggies, dessert, and sodas. There is a \$5 cover charge for this event. Please place it in the collection basket marked EPIC/Mary Landrum. Reservations are due no later than Monday, November 3 to mlandrum@eastsideregion.org



#### **Baby Bottle Campaign**

October is **Respect Life Month** and during this month we should consider more deeply why every human life is valuable, and reflect on how to build a culture that protects life from conception to natural death.

Saint Mary Church is sponsoring the Baby Bottle Campaign now until October 26. Pick up a bottle (or two)

at church, fill them cash, coins, or a check and return them to an usher after Mass. All proceeds will benefit Pregnancy Center Plus. Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus Salva Regina Council #14834.



#### Women's Fellowship Visit to the Art Museum

Please join the Women's Fellowship on a trip to the Cincinnati Art Museum! We will be taking a guided tour of the Marian and Catholic Art permanent collection. This fits very well with our book study on The Mary Pages, so please join us on October 25, at 11 AM, for a guided tour.

The tour is free, but we do ask you to register with the QR code so we can provide the museum with a headcount. Contact MaryBeth at msproull@eastsideregion.org with any questions.

#### Missionaries of Hope Among All Peoples

As the Church prepares to celebrate World Mission Sunday 2025 on October 19, Pope Francis has given us a powerful theme that resonates deeply in this Jubilee Year: "Missionaries of Hope Among All Peoples." In his message, the Holy Father reminds us that hope is at the heart of the Christian mission, calling every baptized person to be "messengers and builders of hope" in a world that often finds itself overshadowed by uncertainty and despair. Please give as generously as you can in your provided envelope this weekend.



#### Join the St. Mary Athletic Commission!

The St. Mary Sports Athletic Commission invites all parishioners to get involved in our school athletic programs. Whether you'd like to volunteer as a coach, lend a hand at concessions, or you have a child that would like to join one of our youth school teams, there's a place for you. Come share your time, talents, and team spirit as we build community through sports! Please email John Mussman at JMussman@ssrg.com.



#### YOUTH BASKETBALL COACHES NEEDED

St. Cecilia School in Oakley is looking for volunteer coaches for its upcoming GCCYS basketball season



OAKLEY-

- Both boys and girls teams grades 3-8
- Practice 2 days a week flexible times
- Games on weekends (occasionally on weekday evening)
- Must be current with SafeParish requirements
- Coaches should be positive individuals who are willing to teach and lead students to learn the game and be competitive

If you are interested, please contact Julie Poux jpoux@stceciliacincinnati.org



#### **Damascus Summer Retreat 2026**

If you have a student in junior high or high school that would like to participate in this once in a lifetime Damascus Summer Retreat 2026, we need to hear from you by October 30, 2025.

We need to reserve spots and we don't want you to miss out. The cost of the retreat will be determined once we know how many students are interested in going. Contact Laura Spaugh at: Ispaugh@ eastsideregion.org or at 513-321-1207, ext. 415.

#### An Introduction to Finance for Young Adults: Saint Cecilia Commons November 5, 12, and 19 at 7 PM

Join the Eastside Catholic Young Adults for a series that will teach you a bit more about the financial world that might be foreign to some young adults. Each night will feature a panel of experts who will speak on various topics. On **November 5:** we'll discuss real estate. On November 12, we'll discuss investing and financial planning. Finally, on November 19, we'll discuss insurance. The experts on each of our panels will give a short presentation, field questions, and give you the opportunity to chat with them afterwards. There will be snacks and drinks available. Join us with your questions. We hope to see you there!

#### ST. CECILIA GIVING

Scan the QR below or text GIVE3105 to 513-434-3577



#### ST. MARY GIVING

Scan the QR below or text GIVESTM to 513-540-0703



#### THE ORATORY GIVING

Scan the QR below or text GIVEORA to 513-998-6080



## MASS INTENTIONS & BANNS | 10



Mass intentions may be requested and paid for online at east-sidecatholics.org, under the "About" section. Masses may also be scheduled at one of our offices. Payment may be made online, in a clearly-marked envelope in the collection basket, or in person during office hours. Intentions are often requested for those who have died, but may include any kind of need that you or someone you know is experiencing for which prayer is needed.

#### Monday / October 20

9:00 AM (STC) Donald Rierson + 11:45 AM (OSJV) Stella De Blasio + 5:30 PM (STM) Karen Warba (L)

#### Tuesday / October 21

9:00 AM (STC) Debi Case

11:45 AM (OSJV) For the Repose of the soul of Mila Ignatz +

5:30 PM (STM) Peggy Elliott +

#### Wednesday / October 22

9:00 AM (STC) Susie Hoffmann and David Gerhardstein (L) 11:45 AM (OSJV) For the Repose of the soul of Mila Ignatz +

5:30 PM (STM) Ann Butler +

#### Thursday / October 23

9:00 AM (STC) Ned Austin +
11:45 AM (OSJV) Jeanne Hord +
5:30 PM (STM) Derrick Steele +

#### Friday / October 24

9:00 AM (STC) Bonnie Cahill +

11:45 AM (OSJV) Jeanne and Grover Hord +

5:30 PM (STM) No Mass

#### Saturday / October 25

9:00 AM (STC) Derrick Steele +

3:00 PM (OSJV) Maria Daniels Roseberry +

3:30 PM (STC) Ellen Lehr +

4:00 PM (STM) Luca and Erica Catoggio +

#### Sunday / October 26

8:00 AM (STC) Margaret Liddy +

8:30 AM (STM) For the Living and Deceased Regional Families

9:30 AM (OSJV) Sharon Marshall and Family (L)

10:00 AM (STC) Carmen Boyle +

10:30 AM (STM) Ellen McCaughey-Dyer + 8:15 PM (STC) Fasano-Kowalczk Family (L)

+ Deceased (L) Living

#### AMOR AETERNUS

#### **WEDDING BANN III**

Justin Wampler & Dakota Sicurella (STC)
Joseph Sprauer & Elizabeth Jelinek (STC)

#### WEDDING BANN I

Timothy Holstein & Sarah Myers (STC) Elias Donovan & Grace Veirs (STC)

#### For the week ending October 5, 2025

	St. Cecilia	St. Mary	The Oratory
Offertory	\$9,400.00	\$5,802.00	\$13,632.00
Online	\$15,047.77	\$16,496.00	\$728.84
Total Collection	\$24,447.77	\$22,298.00	\$14,360.84
Avg. Collection	\$21,341.77	\$19,570.00	\$4,385.90
Budgeted Weekly	\$21,000.00	\$22,308.00	\$4,000.00





CINCINNATI, OHIO 45236

513-891-8373













HEATING & AIR CONDITIONING CO.

513.400.3785



AT MARGARET HALL "The Difference is Love."



Turning 65 or new to Medicare? Call your local licensed sales agent.

Humana.

Katarzyna "Kasia" Hutchinson I speak English and Polish 513-484-5557 (TTY: 711) Monday - Friday 8am - 5pm khutchinson3@humana.com Y0040 GHHHXDFEN 25 BC C



513-721-0865 **CORCORAN** 

& HARNIST Heating & A/C 4924 Winton Rd.

921-2227

Our bulletin is printed at no cost to the parish.

> Our advertisers cover all expenses.

We thank them and encourage you to support their businesses. Bernie Naegele, Parishioner & Director, Tara Fridley & Jackie Hahn, Directors 513-631-2240 · 3900 Montgomery Rd.

www.naegelefuneralhome.com



Contact@Kane.Law



SOF PEACE

Comey & Shepherd

Saint Cecilia parishioner SUSAN M. KELLISON 513.324.9077

skellison@comey.com

CALL FOR A FREE HOME MARKET ANALYSIS

## **CLEPPER Funeral Home & Cremation Center**



2961 Madison Rd., Cincinnati ~ 513-731-1944 ~ 513-531-0105 ~ tredwayfuneral.com



513-541-4444 OH License Satisfying Customers Since 1884

MCS 513-515-2707 **COMMERCIAL AND RESIDENTIAL EPOXY FLOORING** 



**BALDWIN MUSIC** Trusted source for music education for 60 years! Please call or visit our website often for an updated schedule and information 513-351-1109 • www.BaldwinMusicEduCenter.com



CONSTRUCTION, LLC **General Contractors** 

**Barron Peck** 

**DAN BENNIE** 

Attorney

"Since 1910"



The Roehr Agency is a locally-owned, full service, independent insurance agency, servicing needs in the tristate and nationwide. Please call us today 513-985-4200 for a free, no obligation quote. We look forward to "Putting the ROEHR back in your insurance!"



WWW.THEMADISONPRINTSHOPPE.COM

#### 513-871-2266

- **CUSTOM T-SHIRTS** EMBROIDERED LOGOS
- MONOGRAMS . **TEAM NUMBERS** -
- CUSTOM DESIGNS

at Law Serving individual and business clientele. Proud to be a part of the Oakley Community

Bennie & Schlemmer Legal Professional Association

513-533-2005

dmb@bpbslaw.com



noble PEDIATRIC DENTAL Pediatric Dentist in Hyde Park Plaza Shopping Center Call to Schedule 513-514-8440



3500 Erie Avenue Cincinnati, OH 45208 513-321-9282

**WE DELIVER** 



OPEN HOUSE

**OCTOBER 26 & 27** 

Find a location near you mikescarwash.com

Technicians Certified by ASE

3965 Rosslyn Drive, Cincinnati

561-2622 Complete Auto Service Center





513-531-2134 • werlinginc.com SIDING GUTTERS • CHIMNEYS • WINDOWS



Proud to be an Oakley Tradition Since 1965 Catering Available.

Smile.



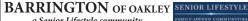
**OPEN DAILY 7 to 9** 



## GENUNG **513-404-6011** Cristina@Genung.realtor

Comey&Shepherd

Contact me today for all uour Real Estate needs!



a Senior Lifestyle community

Katie Moreno, Director of Sales and Marketing main: 513-561-9100, ext. 104 I mobile: 513-926-5222

kmoreno@seniorlifestyle.com 4855 Babson Place, Cincinnati

Independent Living/Assisted Living/Memory Care

GEO. H. ROHDE SON

Funeral Home Since 1910

STEVE ROHDE, DARRELL SCHNEIDER & BELINDA HARPER

Forcht Bank Happier Banking

BUSINESS BANKING & REAL ESTATE LOANS

Greg Niesen, CPA Regional President 513-518-4639

3549 Columbia Parkway Member FDIC | Equal Housing Lender





3183 Linwood Avenue Mt. Lookout Square 513-321-0404 ROHDEFUNERAL.COM

To Place An Ad, Call 1-800-292-9020

**Patronize** 

**CAR CARE**