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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)

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Office: (513) 871-5757

www.stceciliacincinnati.org

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

St. Mary (Hyde Park)

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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)

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New Parishioner Registration



St. Cecilia (Oakley) The Oratory (Madisonville)

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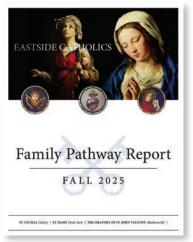
St. Mary Hyde Park eastsidefaith.org/new-parishioner-mary





At Eastside Catholics, we live our faith through worship, community, and outreach. Each Sunday, we gather to celebrate Mass, standing against the negativity of the world; renewed by Scripture, the Eucharist, beautiful hymns, and one another's presence. We are then sent back into the world with hope to share God's word.

From our youngest parishioners to the oldest, we celebrate sacraments from baptism to Christian burial. We welcome new members, serve those in need, and grow together in the Faith. As you see in our weekly bulletins, we have a number of faith-forming events. Events that help us bring our community closer, and a large number of baptisms and weddings that have made our churches grow. To make this possible, we need your financial support. Take some time to prayerfully decide what your commitment will be and how much you will pledge to give each week. We deeply appreciate whatever amount you can offer the Church. Together, we keep God's mission going to renew the world for the future.



Beacons of Light Pathway Report

We have a comprehensive report on **eastsidefaith.org** giving everyone an update on how we are doing in regard to Beacons of Light. Please take time to look it over. Scan



the QR code at left to go to the PDF on the site and scroll down the page. If you'd like a printed copy, please email office@eastsideregio to have a one mailed to you.

Eastside Catholics Men's Guild

Our Men's Guild meets on the first Tuesday of every month, at 7 PM, in the Saint Cecilia Commons. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to reach out to the leadership team at **mensguild@eastsideregion.org**.

Little Dribblers Basketball Registration for Kindergarten-2nd grade students SIGN-UP COMING IN NOVEMBER! Season runs on Friday nights, January 9-February 6

Join the Oratory in Praying for our Priests!

This week we are praying for Fr. George Gabet, Fr. Seraphine Lesiriam, Fr. Joseph Orlowski, Fr. Jeff Stephens, and Fr. Sean Wilson. May their lives and ministry bear witness to the mercy and faithfulness of God.

The Feast of All Souls

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.**

May the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace.

1-3 | Welcome, Children of God, Amelia Rose, daughter of Conn and Alison Gerrard. Welcome, Logan Joseph, son of Geoffrey and Lauren Parker. And welcome Ellie Beth, daughter of Jaden and Molly Nozicka. 4 | Congratulations! to James and Gabrielle Pepple who celebrated the Sacrament of Marriage on Saturday, October 11, at Saint Cecilia. 5-6 | Taste and See. Over 300 parishioners from Eastside Catholics went to the Taste and See event at the Athenaeum last Tuesday evening. We had a great time touring the beautiful building. It was nice to have so many there supporting the seminarians. We were able to visit with Robby our newest seminarian from the family. The Men's Guild held their meeting there. We also had one of our younger parishioners sporting a terrific outfit! 7 | Thank You! The Oratory would like to give a special thanks to Zechariah, our neighbor and friend, for taking good care of our plants and flowers, especially during the hot weather. I am very grateful to Zechariah and all who volunteer their time and energy to keep our church grounds looking beautiful. 8 | Eagle Scout Project Oratory parishioner Elijah Losekamp refurbished and built shelves in the Oratory's SVdP food pantry, and then painted, labelled, and stocked them with donations from parishioners. The food pantry now has more than twice as much shelf space as before. Excellent work, Eli! 9 | New Eve Feminine Genius Retreat. A group of our young adult women gathered in the Saint Cecilia Commons for a retreat on October 11. Ladies from both parishes attended. It was a huge success.



















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. The remaining Fall session is: Thursday evening, **October 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...

The final Eastside Catholics day is: October 27 | 7AM - 7 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 this 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.

Candlelight Mass

Thursday, November 13 / Saint Cecilia Church

Confessions begin at 6:30 PM.

Mass is at 7 PM with a social immediately after.





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, which ends this Sunday, **October 26**. Pick up a bottle

(or two) at church, fill them with 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.

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.



Attention High School Students!

Eastside Catholics is launching High School Small Groups this fall. These groups will provide students with deeper faith formation, stronger community, and increased engagement in the faith and traditions. Through personalized attention and a supportive environment, students can grow in both their Catholic faith and create a community, where they can actively engage and foster spiritual growth. If you are interested in signing up, please reach out to

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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



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- 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

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!

Calling All Moms

Our Mom's Group runs from September through May. Meetings are on the first and third Tuesdays of the month from 7 PM- 9 PM in the Dt. Cecilia parish house. Play dates are the second and fourth Fridays from 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM (location varies). Children's Adoration is the first Wednesday from 10-11 AM in St. Cecilia Church. Email eastsideregion.org/moms-group for more info or to join the grop.



Fun Fact

The newest Cincinnati Bengal, Joseph Vincent Flacco, is Catholic and married his wife Dana in 2012 in the same church where his parents were married. He's also very tall. We wish him all the best during his stay in town.

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Monday / October 27

9:00 AM (STC) Frank Spitzig, Sr. +

11:45 AM (OSJV) For the Repose of the Soul of Mila Ignatz +
5:30 PM (STM) For Healing and Peace for Jason Garcia whose
Mother, Luz Garcia, passed away on July 8, 2025 (L)

Tuesday / October 28

9:00 AM (STC) Donald Rierson + 11:45 AM (OSJV) William Blazer + 5:30 PM (STM) Rev. Paul Ruwe (L)

Wednesday / October 29

9:00 AM (STC) Mary Rabe Abell + 11:45 AM (OSJV) Jose Villalobos + 5:30 PM (STM) Ann Butler +

Thursday / October 30

9:00 AM (STC)

11:45 AM (OSJV)

5:30 PM (STM)

Jacqueline Koenig +

Vincent Halloran +

Helen Siles +

Friday / October 31

9:00 AM (STC) Carrie Kiefer +

11:45 AM (OSJV) For the Sanctification of Oliver O. Bragg (L)

5:30 PM (STM) No Mass

Saturday / November 1

9:00 AM (STC) All Saints Day 3:00 PM (OSJV) All Saints Day 3:30 PM (STC) All Saints Day 4:00 PM (STM) All Saints Day

Sunday / November 2

8:00 AM (STC)
All Souls Day — For the Deceased of our Family
8:30 AM (STM)
All Souls Day — For the Deceased of our Family
9:30 AM (OSJV)
All Souls Day — For the Deceased of our Family
10:00 AM (STC)
All Souls Day — For the Deceased of our Family
10:30 AM (STM)
All Souls Day — For the Deceased of our Family
8:15 PM (STC)
All Souls Day — For the Deceased of our Family

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

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Jack VanSteenkiste & Taylor Miller (STM)
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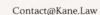
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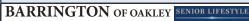


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