Message from the Pastor

So this past weekend was a little disappointing for me and I'm sure for a lot of you, too. Someone pointed out to me that it was about this time two years ago that Fr. Chris Alar, MIC was supposed to come to our parishes and it was cancelled then, too. It's funny how things tend to repeat themselves...

But the question is: what do we do with disappointments? The world says, "Stew in them" or "Get angry" or "Quit". And we know a lot of people who have probably done that when they met with a social, professional, or even spiritual disappointment or failure. How many of us have already failed in our Lenten sacrifices and have been tempted to just give up? I know I already have! But a better solution is to give those disappointments or failures to Christ.

How do we do that? By saying just that: "Jesus, I'm disappointed by this, but I give it to You. I trust that You can make even this into something greater!" When He sees disappointments or failures, Jesus doesn't see it like you and I do. He sees it as an opportunity for us to fully rely on Him. And when we fully rely on Him, that's when Jesus does miracles! Maybe you were ready to make the sacrifice to be at this mission. You wanted to make those sacrifices for your God. But God is going to do something even better with the decision that you and I can make to rely more fully on Him, to unite our disappointment and failure with Him on His Cross. Sacrifice is the fertilizer that makes our life fruitful.

In Christ,

Fr. Witt

Three-Night Parish Mission With Fr. Nathan Cromly

Fr. Nathan Cromly is a nationally known speaker, writer, retreat leader, educator, and devotee of Our Lady. His teaching and dynamic witness has touched the lives of thousands of teenagers, families, and professionals. All are welcome to join us at St. Augustine Church, Minster, for this amazing parish mission!

- Day One Monday, March 28th at 7:00 PM; "Jesus Christ: Our Path Forward through Chaos" followed by Adoration.
- Day Two Tuesday, March 29th at 7:00 PM; "Jesus Christ: Hope for My Family" followed by Praise & Worship Adoration.
- Day Three Wednesday, March 30th at 7:00 PM; "Jesus Christ: Hope for Our World" followed by Adoration

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Help Wanted

Holy Rosary Church has an opening for an adult to clean the main level of the church.

The schedule is flexible with one day at the start of the week and one day before the weekend Masses—approximately 7-8 hours per week.

For more information contact Jess Rammel, at busmgr@bright.net or 419-300-1051.

NATR Thank You

Many thanks to everyone that made the 2022 Night at the Races such a success! We raised \$23,500 for the school!

A huge thank you to the committee that helped put on this event: Jess Rammel, Beth Buck, Beth Luthman, Stacy Smith and Heather Kincaid.

Our appreciate also goes to the corporate sponsors: St. Marys Chiropractic, Bambauer Fertilizer and Seeds, Westaff, Miller Funeral Homes, Moeller Trucking, Believe Art from the Heart, R. J. Burke Insurance, St. Marys Foundry, Dogs R Us, VFW Post 9289, and also to Don Glaser & Vehorn Lawn Care for the donation towards the tuition voucher.

Thank you businesses and individuals that donated to the live and silent auctions! We could not have done it without your support!

K of C Fr. James O. Byrne Council 1592



March 25, April 1 & 8

4:30 - 7:00pm

Dine-In: \$10 per dinner Carryout: \$10 per dinner

Desserts Available (Free will offering)

Stations of the Cross



Led by Fr. Witt or Deacon Marty

Fridays at 5:00pm

At Holy Rosary Church

Palm Sunday Mass Times

Saturday, April 9 - 4:30pm at Holy Rosary

Sunday, April 10 - 8:00am at Holy Rosary 10:00am at St. Patrick

12:00pm at Holy Rosary

Times are being changed to allow for extra time for the blessing of palms and the Passion.

Lent 2022 Confession Schedule

March

Tuesday, March 22

6:00 - 6:45pm** Holy Rosary

Wednesday, March 23

11:30 - 11:55am** Holy Rosary

Thursday, March 24

6:00pm Holy Rosary

Saturday, March 26

3:30 - 4:15pm** Holy Rosary

Saturday, April 2

3:30 - 4:15pm** Holy Rosary

Tuesday, April 5

5:00pm Holy Rosary

Wednesday, April 6

11:30 - 11:55am** Holy Rosary 5:00 - 5:45pm** Holy Rosary

Saturday, April 9

3:30 - 4:15pm** Holy Rosary

Thursday, April 14

9:00am Holy Rosary 6:00 - 6:45pm ** Holy Rosary

Friday, April 15

10:30am Holy Rosary

Monday, March 28

5:00 - 5:45pm** Holy Rosary

Wednesday, March 30

11:30 - 11:55am** Holy Rosary 5:00 - 5:45pm* Holy Rosary

April

Monday, April 11

5:00pm St. Patrick

Tuesday, April 12

5:00pm Holy Rosary

Wednesday, April 13

11:30 - 11:55am** Holy Rosary

Holy Week

Saturday, April 16

9:00 -10:30am** Holy Rosary

Individual confessions can be scheduled by calling the parish office. ** Indicates time Father must be done hearing confessions.

MARCH 26 & 27 Fr. Reynaldo Frias-Santana

The weekend of March 26-27, 2022, Father Reynaldo Frias-Santana, OFM Cap. will be visiting our parish on behalf of Fellowship of Catholic University Students (FOCUS).

Fr. Reynaldo was born in San Pedro de Macoris, Dominican Republic. Currently, Fr. Reynaldo serves at the Archdiocese of Philadelphia as a spiritual director for the secular Franciscans and as assistant director of the Padre Pio Prayer Center in Philadelphia, PA. FOCUS is a national organization serving college students on more than 180 campuses across the United States and five international locations. Almost 800 FOCUS missionaries on these campuses invite students into a relationship with Christ and His Church, while equipping them for a lifetime of Catholic evangelization. Fr. Reynaldo is excited to be with you soon and share the hope of the New Evangelization! To learn more, please visit www.focus.org

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Lenten Breakfast

Everyone is welcome! Saturday, March 26 9:30am

Wayne Street United Methodist Church Guest Speaker: Julie Jacobs from JTDMH

Ladies of the Parish Desserts Needed

The ladies of the parish have been asked to provide fruit pies, cookies and brownies for the Lenten Fish Fry's at the K of C Hall. Items can be dropped off at the K of C Hall at 4:00pm on these days: March 25 & April 1, 8.

The K of C will make a donation to the Holy Rosary Altar Society for items donated.



Spa for the Soul Women's Night Out

Friday, April 22, 2022 5:30 - 8:30 pm

Union Hall - Cost \$30

Call the Parish Office to be put on a wait list.

*** If you have registered by phone/email, please pay your registration fee in the parish office.

Annual Pro-Life Oratory Contest For High School Juniors & Seniors

Auglaize County Right to Life is sponsoring its Annual Pro-Life Oratory Contest for current High School Juniors and Seniors. The contest will be virtual for the convenience of participants.

Submissions may be turned in via Google drive and are due by midnight Friday, April 8th.

Top prizes include:

1st place-\$1000, 2nd place-\$500, and 3rd place-\$250.

Please prayerfully consider participating and email <u>auglaizecountyrtl@gmail.com</u> for full details. We look forward to the Pro-Life Generation making it's mark!

Friends of Holy Rosary Update

The Friends of Holy Rosary have received donations in memory of Kay and Ray Dingledine (\$200) and Louise Barga (\$50). These contributions bring the trust total to \$300,340.16.

LITURGICAL ROLES

Saturday, March 26 HR 4:30pm Mass

Lector: Randy Wilker, Dave Helmstetter **Servers:** Kara Kleinschmit, Kaleb Kleinschmit,

Kolby Kleinschmit

Extraordinary Ministers of Communion: Volunteers

Sunday, March 27 HR 8:00am Mass

Lectors: Andy Rammel, John Rammel

Servers: Luke Rammel, Jett Roettger, Robert Williams Extraordinary Ministers of Communion: Volunteers

Sunday, March 27 SP 9:30am Mass

Lector: Linda Lunz Sacristan: Kaden Brackman Eucharistic Minister: Irene Heilers Servers: Chloe Ott, Owen Ott

Ushers: Nick Brackman, Virgil Brown, Dave Dwenger

Sunday, March 27 HR 11:00am Mass

Lectors: Carla Eaglowski, Greg Eaglowski

Servers: Jackson Rammel, Trevor Lunz, Gavin Rowen **Extraordinary Ministers of Communion:** Volunteers

MASS INTENTIONS				
Mon. 03/21	Lenten Weekday			
8:00am	2 Kgs 5:1-15ab; Lk 4:24-30 HR Rosemary Ricker			
Tues. 03/22	Lenten Weekday			
8:15am	<i>Dn 3:25, 34-43; Mt 18:21-35</i> HR Patricia Muter			
Wed. 03/23	St. Turibius			
12:05pm	Dt 4:1, 5-9; Mt 5:17-19 HR Edith Doenges			
Thurs. 03/24	St. Oscar Romero			
8:00am	Jer 7:23-28; Lk 11:14-23 SP Bishops, Priests & Deacons of the Archdiocese of Cincinnati			
Fri. 03/25	The Annunciation of the Lord			
8:00am	Is 7:10-14; 8:10; Heb 10:4-10; Lk 1:26-38 HR Janet Reineke			
Sat. 03/26	Lenten Weekday			
9:00am 4:30pm	Hos 6:1-6; Lk 18:9-14 HR Private Intentions HR Members of Holy Rosary & St. Patrick			
Sun. 03/27	Fourth Sunday of Lent			
8:00am 9:30am 11:00am	Jos 5:9a, 10-12; 2 Cor 5:17-21; Lk 15:1-3, 11-32 HR Joe Lynch SP Catechumens & Candidates HR Verlene Lawler			

Collection for March 12 & 13

Holy Rosary

Weekly Collection	\$ 4,558.40
Online Giving	\$ 0.00
Mailed in Donations	\$ 0.00
Total Collected for the Week	\$ 4,558.40

St. Patrick

Weekly Collection	\$ 1,108.10
Online Giving	\$ 0.00
Total Collected for the Week	\$ 1,108.10

Holy Rosary Adopt-a-Student

Current Week Donations: \$ 645.00 Total Donations Received: \$ 76,256.17

The monthly Adopt-a-Student collection is to help the school with its operating expenses.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS				
Sunday	March 20			
	Mass & Choir - Holy Rosary			
	Mass - St. Patrick			
6:30pm	Mass - Holy Rosary Consoling the Heart of Jesus - Cafeteria			
Monday	March 21			
	Mass - Holy Rosary Patriotic Rosary - Holy Rosary			
Tuesday	March 22			
	Mass - Holy Rosary Confessions - Holy Rosary			
Wednesday	March 23			
11:30 - 11:55am	Confessions - Holy Rosary			
	Mass - Holy Rosary			
	Legion of Mary - Upper Room CCD - St. Patrick			
	CCD - St. Father CCD - Holy Rosary (Grades 1-6) - School			
	IHOP - All RCIA & CCD Grades 7-12 - HR Church			
Thursday	March 24			
	Mass - St. Patrick			
	Confessions - Holy Rosary			
8:00pm				
Friday	March 25			
	Mass at Holy Rosary Fish Fry - Knights of Columbus			
5:00pm				
Saturday	March 26			
8:00am	Men's Fellowship - Cafeteria			
9:00am	, ,			
3:30 - 4:15pm 4:30pm	Confessions - Holy Rosary Mass - Holy Rosary			
Sunday	March 27 Fr. Raynaldo			
1	Mass - Holy Rosary			
	Mass - St. Patrick			
	Children's Liturgy - St. Patrick			
11:00am	Mass & Choir - Holy Rosary Sunday School - Holy Rosary			
6:30pm	Consoling the ricart of Jesus - Caletena			

Prayer Hotlines Holy Rosary Julie	Weekend Mass Attendance March 12 & 13	This Week's Bulletin Sponsor
419-305-7937 St. Patrick Melissa 419-733-6341	4:30pm 245 8:00am 164 9:30am 140 11:00am <u>312</u> 721	Villa Nova Pizza & Drive Thru