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JULY 31, 2022



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LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Daily Mass Schedule

Monday - Tuesday - Friday 9:00am Mass - St. Nicholas Wednesday & Thursday Liturgy of the Word w/ Communion 9:00am - St. Nicholas

Weekend Mass Schedule

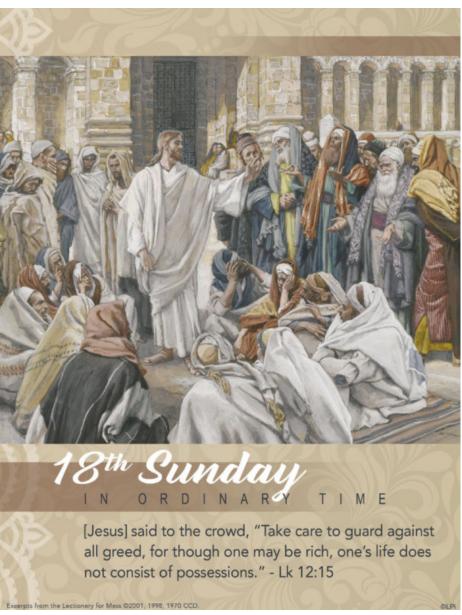
Saturday | 4:00pm - St. Nicholas Sunday | 8:00am - Holy Trinity, 11:00am - St. Nicholas

Confession

Saturday | 3:00pm-3:45pm - St. Nicholas Lower Church Chapel

St. Nicholas School

330-755-2128 stnickelem@youngstowndiocese.org stnicholasschool.com Betty McCullough, Principal Chrissy Goss, Secretary



GET IN TOUCH

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Parish Office Hours

Monday - Friday | 8:00am - 4:00pm

Fr. Marian, Pastor

mbabjak@youngstowndiocese.org

Religious Education

330-755-6245 Ext. 114

Baptism

We baptize the 2nd & 4th Sundays each month. A preparatory class is required. Contact the Religious Education Office to schedule your Baptism and class.

Visiting/Anointing the Sick or Homebound

Contact the Parish Office to make your request.

Matrimony

Make arrangements at least 6 months in advance. Contact the Parish Office.



4:00 pm: SN: Attilio DelSignore (Family)

Mary Lancy (Lancy Family) Nilla DeMarco (Husband, Frank)

Mary Angela Bruno (Marlene & Victor Mauer) Josephine & John Kostelnak (Kostelnak Family)

Ronald Mathews (KofC Council #4471)

Marie Adduch (Mary Sass)

Florence Tirabassi (Husband & Children)

Sunday, July 31

8:00 am: HT: Living & Deceased of Christ Our Savior Parish

11:00 am: SN: Guy Centofanti (Balogh Family)

Monday, August 1 Mass

9:00 am: SN: Lori Filips & Robert Filips (Mom & Wife)

Tuesday, August 2 Mass

9:00 am: SN: Barb Eggleston (SN Altar & Rosary Society)

Wednesday, August 3

9:00 am: SN: Liturgy of the Word w/ Communion

Thursday, August 4

9:00 am: SN: Liturgy of the Word w/ Communion

Friday, August 5 Mass

9:00 am: SN: Albert Baron (Pat & Stan)

Helen White (Husband, Jack White) St. Nicholas Endowment Donors

Saturday, August 6

4:00 pm: SN: Virginia Marapese (Family)

George Roskos (Roskos Family)

Daniel Paul McGarry (Parents, Karen & Dan)

Donald Morell (Wife, Mary)

Benedicto T. Vieitez (Carl Vieitez & Family) Antonio Battaglini (Carmen & Angela Ramunno) Mary & Joseph E. McLandrich (Steve Styranec)

Sunday, August 7

8:00 am: HT: Mr. & Mrs. John Granchie (Emil & Ann Bobby) 11:00 am: SN: Living & Deceased of Christ Our Savior Parish

MEMORIAL CANDLES FOR THE WEEK OF August 7, 2022 William Mastrangelo (Family) SN



First Wednesday of the month in the St. Nicholas Upper Church following morning Mass until noon.



OUR SICK

Linda Agnew Robert Arnoto Carmella Bokros Ed Bonilla Jr. Darlene Caswell Gilda DiPiero Blake Doss Melissa Ferro Regina Graygo Heather Hanlon Patricia Hrusovski Tom Kolat Donna Leone Ashley Lett Shauntelle Lett Dominic Lippillo Jr. Michael Lombard Ed Mahoney James Marco Louis Mastroberardino Maria Meadors Patrick Minno

Joe Mogulich Wendy Pakalnis Irene Parker Sabastian Pieton Doreen Ponigar Elizabeth Ouarm Rita Raymond Jeannette Rusu Ulisse Sevi Julia Skalada Robert Skalada Sgt. Robert Smith Michael Sweder Kathy Tomko Hannah Tringhese Tom Wasko Blake Wilson Michael Yemma Amelia Zaluski Barb, Tony & Family

Donny

OUR HOMEBOUND

Penny Barone Christine Peluso Kinsley Rose Maizel

THOSE IN NURSING HOMES or ASSISTED LIVING

Marie Anos Rich Kosek Ann Kukura Anna Leenheer Mary Jane Roman Audrey Slanina Patricia Watt

COMMUNION

For The Homebound

If you are homebound, unable to attend Mass, and would like to receive Holy Communion, please contact the Parish Office 330-755-9819 and we will make arrangements to come to your home.



"Take care to guard against all greed, for though one may be rich, one's life does not consist of possessions.'

Luke 12:15

The Gospel message is contrary to modern culture that continually tries to convince us that our joy comes from the material things we possess. That the more we acquire, the happier we will be. Jesus shows us that our true joy comes from our "invisible" gifts like love, mercy and forgiveness. True joy comes from "emptying" ourselves, giving of ourselves rather than always taking. We are called not to hoard but to share. True joy comes from living a grateful and generous lifestyle; become more "God-centered" and less "self-centered."

	Envelopes	Online
Giving		
July 24th Collection:	\$5,167.00	\$670.00
Catholic Exponent:	\$9.00	
Rudget: \$12,500,00		

Quo Vadis AA Meetings

Meetings are open to anyone seeking recovery from alcohol addiction. Meetings are held on Fridays at 8pm in the St. Nicholas Lower Church Hall.



The Parish Office will close at 3 PM on Fridays through Labor Day. Enjoy your summer!

Knights of Columbus

Council 4471 is conducting face-to-face meetings on the first and third Monday evenings of the month beginning at 7:00 PM in the St. Nicholas Lower Church. Brother knights are required to wear masks during the meetings and hand sanitizer is being made available.

MOBILITY ON LOAN UPDATE: Our wheelchairs, walkers, crutches, and potty chairs are available for temporary loan, at no cost to the parishioners and immediate families of Christ Our Savior Parish and the brother knights and their families of Council 4471.

Any parishioner having a need for one of the above listed devices or having one to donate, may contact brother knights Joe Wilkos at 330-782-6858, Bob Sepesy at 330-770-9543, or Andy Brincko at 330-782-2400.

A Warm Welcome to Our New Priest



We would like to welcome Very Rev. Philip Rogers to Christ Our Savior. We are excited about the future ministry of our parish under the leadership of our new pastor. Bishop Bonnar will celebrate the Installation Mass for Fr. Rogers on Saturday, August 20 at 4 PM at St. Nicholas. We invite you to join us at this special Mass and share in the joy of welcoming Fr. Rogers. We will continue the celebration with a reception following Mass. You will find more details about the reception in next week's bulletin.

Safely Home

Please remember in your prayers the soul and family of Philip Argiro



Chapel Crochet & Knitting Group

Meetings are held the 1st Monday of the month at **7** PM in the St. Nicholas Lower Church. All skill levels are welcome. Contact Virginia Bartos at 330-406-0364 for more information.



The Annual Bishop's Appeal is now the Annual Diocesan Appeal with a new theme: One in Hope, One in Mission. This new name will help us focus on the good work of our diocesan community, centered in the hope and mission of Jesus Christ. The causes the Appeal supports remain the same: to provide resources for Catholic Charities efforts within our diocese and to strengthen the faith of all parishioners through our many diocesan ministries.

THANK YOU to all who made a commitment to the 2022 Annual Diocesan Appeal. To date, 232 families have collectively committed \$34,346 toward our parish's goal of \$57,400. If you have not yet made your commitment please do so by sending your response to the parish office.

Family Summerfest

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School News

<u>Saint Nicholas School is taking registrations for the 2022-2023 school year.</u> Come and check out what our school has to offer. Students who are attending or would be attending an eligible school can apply for the EdChoice Scholarship. A list of designated schools can be found on the Ohio Department of Education website under EdChoice Scholarships. Call the school office at 330-755-2128 for more information about our school and scholarship information.

<u>Saint Nicholas School Office</u> will be open Monday-Friday between the hours of 8:00am-3:00pm through June 30th, 2022 and will be closed the month of July.

<u>Cash For Cans</u> — This is for aluminum beverage cans. No plastic, glass, newspapers, etc. (Cans cannot be crushed). You can leave cans at the garage door or school entrance door. Thank you to all who support the Cash for Cans program.

<u>Saint Nicholas School Mission Statement</u>: Saint Nicholas School is a Catholic Elementary School, founded in 1928 and serving families with students in grades kindergarten through eight. The school exists to provide an academically excellent Catholic education and promote high standards in behavior and respect. Saint Nicholas School serves the church and Struthers communities as well as the Mahoning Valley bonded together as a family in faith. We are deeply committed to nurturing our students through the teaching of the scriptures and promoting and modeling of service in accordance to the Gospel values.

Religious Education

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION FACEBOOK: @COSRelEd

PHONE: 330-755-6245

EMAIL: bsafranski@youngstowndiocese.org

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WITNESSES FOR CHRIST NEEDED!

The children of Christ Our Savior need catechists for this year. You don't have to be a teacher or a theologian, just someone with a heart for children and for Jesus.

We also need a CCD office assistant - someone to take care of the office and perform very light tasks during CCD on Sundays. This is an important ministry and an easy one!

Please call or email DRE Ben Safranski to volunteer!

BIBLE STUDY

Our **Tuesday Bible study** meets at **6:30 p.m.** in the Great Hall bar room. Each Tuesday evening over the Summer, we will study and reflect on the upcoming Sunday's Mass readings. All are welcome!

Centering Prayer Group

Meetings are held in the St. Nicholas Lower Church Chapel from 4 - 5pm on the 2nd & 4th Tuesdays of the month.

Family Summerfest

We would like to thank everyone who helped with the Family Summerfest. It was a great event that would not have been possible without your support. A special thank you to all our parish bakers who filled the baked goods booth with their delicious treats.

FROM TRUNK TO TREASURE SALE

Sellers and Customers Needed!



Date: Saturday, August 6th

Time: 9:00am - 2:00pm

Place: St. Christine's

Church Parking Lot 3165 S. Schenley Avenue Youngstown, Ohio 44511

Food, Drinks & Car Wash Available 50/50 Raffle

Proceeds Benefit: St. Christine's Celebrate Team

SPACE RENTAL INFO:

Trunk Sale spots are \$10.00 each
Rain or Shine - No refunds for any reason!
Questions? Call Kathy at 330-783-1530
Reservations are due by August 1st

To reserve your space(s) cut and mail this reservation form along with your payment:

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Thursday, August 4 6 - 11 pm Friday, August 5 6 - 11 pm Saturday, August 6 5 - 11:30 pm Sunday, August 7 1 - 11 pm

FREE ADMISSION

LIVE ENTERTAINMENT:

- Thursday, 7 11 pm: RDNA Band
- Friday, 7 11 pm: Hern Brothers Band
- Saturday, 8 11 pm: Chris Higbee Band
- Sunday, 2 5 pm: County Mayo Irish Band
- Sunday, 7 11 pm: Old Skool Band

Parish-made Food, Rides, Games Huge Basket Auction

Children's Matinee on Sunday, 1 - 4 pm



GRAND PRIZE RAFFLE: 2022 Trailblazer or \$20,000 To purchase raffle tickets or to view the entertainment schedule, hours and more go to www.saintpatsfestival.com. Drawing will take place on Sunday, August 7.

In appreciation for all the community support of our parish, all food prices will remain the same as last year.

For more information, call 330-534-1928

Bus Trip to:

PRESQUE ISLE CASINO



MONDAY, AUGUST 8, 2022

Sponsored By: COSP St. Nicholas Church Altar & Rosary

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Bus leaves church at 8:30 AM Leaves Casino at 4:00 PM

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For more information please contact:

Priscilla 330-755-9966 or Bev Pack 330-727-2244 (c) or 330-755-7274 (H)

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COSP Bingo @ St. Nicholas Great Hall Every Thursday - 10 AM

We are offering two bingo packages: Small: \$30.00 - Large: \$40.00

Doors open at 8:30 AM

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Wednesday, August 10, 2022 Cost: \$35 per person Lunch Options: Bring Your Own Brown Bag Lunch or Pre-Order SUBWAY BOXED LUNCH

Please call 330-744-8451 ext. 252 for more information

Departing from Our Lady of Mount Carmel Basilica, Youngstown at 6:00 A.M. ~ RESERVATIONS REQUIRED ~



We are scheduling Volunteers from Christ Our Savior to help in the **St. Vincent de Paul kitchen** the week of **August 8 - 12**. Anyone interested in serving is asked to contact the Parish Office @ 330-755-9819 or call 330-707-4986.

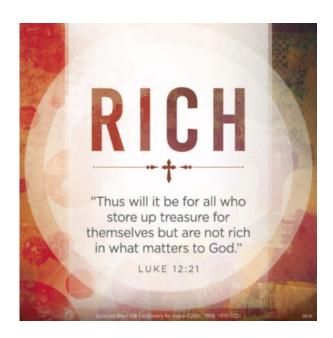


The **COSP Food Pantry** at **Holy Trinity Church** is open from **9:30 AM - 11 AM** on **MONDAYS** for anyone in need of assistance living in Struthers, Campbell or Lowellville.

Until further notice we are asking everyone to open their trunks and remain in their cars. Our food pantry volunteers will load your groceries. Thank you for your cooperation.

Donations of non-perishable food items can be dropped off in the St. Nicholas Lower Church or at the Parish Office.

Suggested Donations for August: Cereal, Soup, Pasta & Pasta Sauce, Canned Tuna & Chicken, Peanut Butter, Jelly, Mashed Potatoes, Canned Vegetables, Baby Wipes, Diapers, Baby Food, Toilet Paper, Paper Towels, Soap, Shampoo, Toothpaste.



What makes us feel secure? Many people look to tangible forms of security that will safeguard their livelihood and prepare for their future. We tend to associate security with things: the accumulation of goods and possessions, retirement funds, savings accounts, and substantial incomes. While acquiring these promises a life with less anxiety and worry, we actually find ourselves more preoccupied and consumed with their growth and preservation. We worry more! We can easily become quasi-hoarders, consumed with obtaining more tangible crutches. Our minds and hearts are always restless, and we never seem to be at peace.

Why do we so easily give our self-worth, value, and sense of security over to things? God certainly does not deny us the pursuit of a productive and enjoyable life but where do we draw the line? A sense of well-being and happiness can easily get deferred to sometime "in the future" while we continue to wrestle with the toils of today. There is no guarantee that there will be an earthly tomorrow and all of the frenzy we bring to securing our state in life will be for naught. When we are called from this world, will we even know where to begin to look for the tranquility and repose our souls so desperately need?

We cannot be hoarders, pursuers of vanity, or greedy. They just don't work as they are too dependent on things that can fall apart. Rather than always feeling the need for more, we need to learn how to be grateful for what we have. By learning to look inward we can learn how to live lives of faithful service to others. "Happiness can only be achieved by looking inward and learning to enjoy whatever life has, and this requires transforming greed into gratitude (St. John Chrysostom)." We all need to be good stewards of what has been entrusted to our care. Grateful hearts recognize the true source of what we have and realize that our true treasure lies not in what matters to us but to God.

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