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AUGUST 27, 2023



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764 Fifth Street, Struthers, OH 44471

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Daily Mass Schedule

Monday - Friday 8:30am - 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



cerpts from the Lectionary for Mass €2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

GET IN TOUCH

330-755-9819 (p) | 330-755-9949 (f) Emergency | 330-755-9810 Ext. 111 cosparishstruthers@gmail.com www.cosparish.org

Parish Office Hours

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

Rev. Philip Rogers, Pastor

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.



Saturday, August 26

4:00 pm: SN: Mary Jane McCormick (Family)

Daniel McGarry (Parents, Dan & Karen)

Harry & Lillian Hollen (Family)
Betty Bickel (Joyce & Bob Suttle)
Chuck Gubany (Joyce & Bob Suttle)
Robert E. Janesh (Daniel Carrocce)

Lawrence, Darrold & Larry Carroll (Family)

Pasquale Agresta (Family)

Jack DiPinto (Dex & Rosie Hollen)

Sunday, August 27

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

Monday, August 28

8:30 am: SN: Enzo Leone (Leone Family)

Tuesday, August 29

8:30 am: SN: Julia Visingardi (Ann Sylvester)

Wednesday, August 30

8:30 am: SN: Dave Tonya (Cathy Kalenits)

Thursday, August 31

8:30 am: SN: Erma Navy (Mary Grace & Pat Briceland)

Friday, September 1

8:30 am: SN: Fr. Marian Babjak (Joann Burgmyer)

Joann Calve (St. Charles 3rd Grade Class)

Helen White (Jack White)
St. Nicholas Endowment Donors

Saturday, September 2

4:00 pm: SN: Benedicto T. Vieitez (Wife, Dolores Vieitez)

Michael Bagnoli (Dina Bornhorst) Georgette Donofrio (Lucy Donofrio) Julia Visingardi (Donald & Diane Bucci)

Ron Havalo (Joanne Vasvari) Ed Lorenz (Lawrence Zetts)

Mary Ginnetti (In The Name Of The Father) Felix Pizzola (Jennifer & Jude Erdman)

Richard Brenner (Children)

Sunday, September 3

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

11:00 am: SN: Frank & Carmel Quattro (Family)

Don Morell (Wife, Mary)

Thoughts and Prayers

OUR SICK

Linda Agnew Catherine Armstrong Ann Bobby Ed Bonilla Jr. Josephine Carabbia Gilda DiPiero Blake Doss Melissa Ferro Stan Floryjanski Heather Hanlon Jack Hart Mary Jurina Tom Kolat Donna Leone Ashley Lett Shauntelle Lett Dominic Lippillo Jr Michael Lombard George S. Maczko Jr Ed Mahoney James Marco Louis Mastroberardino Frances Maszczak

Maria Meadors Patrick Minno Joe Mogulich Wendy Pakalnis Sabastian Pieton Doreen Ponigar Elizabeth Quarm Jeannette Rusu Ulisse Sevi Julia Skalada Robert Skalada Sqt. Robert Smith Christina Spencer Kathy Tomko Hannah Tringhese Tom Wasko Blake Wilson Michael Yemma David Yost Rosemarie Yuhas John Zackasee Barb, Tony & Family

Donny

OUR HOMEBOUND

Penny Barone Christine Peluso Kinsley

THOSE IN NURSING HOMES or ASSISTED LIVING

Marie Anos Irene Parker
Margaret Everly Katherine Semonza
Norma Higgins Patricia Watt
Anna Leenheer Amelia Zaluski

Memorial Candles For The Week Of September 3, 2023

John Gerlach (Gerlach Family) SN
Michael Quaranto (Sis & Joe VanOudenhove) SN
Benedicto T. Vieitez (Wife, Dolores Vieitez) SN
Phillip & Maryann Constantino (Doreen) HT

ADORATION of the BLESSED SACRAMENT

First Wednesday of the month following morning mass until noon



If You or . . . someone you know has expressed interest in becoming Catholic or perhaps you or a member of the family did not get confirmed even though you were baptized, we would be happy to assist in getting you to the Sacraments of Initiation, that is, Baptism, Confirmation and First Eucharist. There are times when people have expressed interest in joining the Catholic Church but have just never followed through. Now is the time to give them that very friendly, very gentle nudge. Even though the typical practice is to receive the sacraments of Baptism, First Eucharist and Confirmation as an infant or a child or a young person, we are more than eager to help any adults who, for one reason or another, never received those sacraments or completed their full initiation into the Catholic faith. If this invitation applies to you or to someone you know, please call the Religious Education Office and speak to our Director of Religious Education, Mr. Jerry Land. Jerry and I would be happy to work with anyone in these circumstances. It has been a few years since Christ Our Savior Parish has had a group of adults completing their sacraments so now is the time, this is the year. Sign up now!

Returning to the "other sign-up" that is on-going please be sure to register your child/children for CCD classes for this school year before the start of the CCD program Sunday, September 10, 2023. You can call the Religious Education Office 330-755-6245 or you can register on-line at cosparish.org, either way, we would like to have the children registered prior to the start of classes. Registrations have been slow coming in and we would appreciate hearing from all of the families of the parish. Thanks for all of your assistance in this matter. We certainly welcome all of the young people who are seeking to strengthen their knowledge and practice of their faith. No one needs to be worried about being turned away. We just want to have everything prepared for our CCD classes. Before the next high school football game, be sure to get the enrollment done! . . . Thanks, Father R

"Who has known the mind of the Lord?" Through prayer our minds become better aligned with the mind of Christ and His will for us. If the Spirit is prompting you to know Christ as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life, contact Fr. Chad Johnson at (330) 744-8451 or cjohnson@youngstowndiocese.org.



"Or who has given the Lord anything that he may be repaid?" -Romans 11:35

St. Paul reminds us of a central fact of stewardship. We cannot give God anything - He already owns it all. God made everything, including us. Since we are made in His image, we too, are called to be generous. How we use our God-given gifts becomes our gift back to Him. Gratitude for all we have been given opens our hearts to joyful generosity! And, through our generosity, we just may be the answer to someone else's prayer.

	Envelopes	Online
August 20 th	\$6,926.00	\$1,090.00
Assumption: Energy:	\$762.00 \$260.00	

September Envelopes:

St. Nicholas School Gift St. Vincent de Paul



First Friday Club of Greater Youngstown

Integrating the principles of religious faith into our everyday lives and work.

Meetings are held at Avion on the Water Banquet Center 2177 W. Western Reserve Road in Canfield on the First Thursday of each month from 11:30 am to 1:00 pm. Join us as we welcome Helen Lafferty, Ph.D., Interim President, Youngstown State University, on **September 7, 2023**. She will present "Touching the Future as I live, Teach, and Serve". Please contact Pat Floryjanski @ 330-755-1108 by September 1st if you would like to attend.



Saint Nicholas School News

Saint Nicholas School is taking registrations for the 2023-2024 school year. Come and check out what our school has to offer. Edchoice Scholarship applications open up on February 1st, 2023. Students who are attending or would be attending an eligible school can apply for the EdChoice Traditional Scholarship. A list of designated schools can be found on the Ohio Department of Education website under EdChoice Scholarships. EdChoice Expansion Full Scholarships are also available to all families who are at or below 450% of the federal poverty level. A decreasing pro-rated amount dependent on the family's economic status over 450% of the poverty level is then available. Call the school office at 330-755-2128 for more information about our school and scholarship information.

Saint Nicholas School had a great first week of school

welcoming our new families and our returning families. We also would like to welcome Mrs. Samantha Mediate to our staff. She comes to us from Ursuline Pre School and is teaching our first grade class. She is a wonderful addition to our family!

School will be closed on Friday, September 1st for a teacher In-Service and Monday, September 4th in observance of Labor Day.

Save the Dates: Christ Our Savior Craft Show Saturday, November 4th, 2023 and Saint Nicholas School Quarter Auction Saturday, November 11th, 2023

<u>Can collection for Saint Nicholas School</u> – This is for aluminum beverage cans. No plastic, glass, newspapers, etc. There are new guidelines for the collection, they are requesting that the cans be crushed. If you are able to crush the cans that would be greatly appreciated, if not we will accept cans as is. You can leave cans at the garage door or school entrance door. Thank you to all who support the can collection for Saint Nicholas School.

Saint Nicholas School Mission Statement: Saint Nicholas School of Struthers, Ohio in the Diocese of Youngstown, was founded in 1928 and exists to teach the Catholic Faith. Saint Nicholas School provides a learning environment committed to educating the whole child academically, spiritually and emotionally within a diverse environment in accordance with the Gospel values. We promote high standards in behavior and respect in a nurturing atmosphere that encourages success for all students in kindergarten through eighth grade.

Religious Education

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION FACEBOOK: @COSRelEd

EMAIL: gland@youngstowndiocese.org **PHONE:** 330-755-6245

"Go to www.facebook.com/COSRelEd or follow @COSRelEd for announcements about religious education programs and events, as well as interesting and fun Catholic content."

CCD News

The COS CCD year begins in two weeks, September 10, 2023. Please register as soon as possible @ cosparish.org or mail your registration form to the parish office.

A catechist meeting will be held on Wednesday, August 30, 2023 at 6:00 pm in the parish office conference room.

The Religious Education department is still looking for help with the new year. We are in need of a third grade teacher and aides. If you feel called to this ministry, please call Jerry at 330-755-6245.

Bible Study

Bible Study will resume in September. The sessions will be held in the St. Nicholas Lower Church on Mondays after the 8:30 am mass, and Thursday evenings at 6:30 pm. The first sessions will be on September 11 and 14. Please call the Religious Education department at 330-755-6245 with any questions.

Book Club

COS Religious Education invites you to join our book club starting on Wednesday September 20, 2023 at 6:30 p.m. in the St. Nicholas Lower Church. The book club is open to adults of the parish, and the first book to be discussed will be *God So Loved the World: Clues to Our Transcendent Destiny from the Revelation of Jesus* by Fr. Robert Spitzer S.J. Please call the Religious Education Office if interested, or if you have any questions.

LIVING BREAD RADIO NETWORK

Deacon Greg Wunderle will be presenting Daily Mass Reading Reflections on Living Bread Radio AM 1060 (NE Ohio), 94.5FM (Canton) and 89.5 FM (Youngstown) the week of August 27, 2023. Reflections will be aired throughout each day to give listeners multiple opportunities to hear Deacon Greg's daily reflection. You can also listen with our cell phone app, Alexa or at livingbreadradio.com.

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.

Centering Prayer Group

The Centering Prayer Group meets from 4 - 5pm on the 2nd & 4th Tuesdays of the month in the St. Nicholas Lower Church Chapel. The next meeting is September 12.

Chapel Crochet & Knitting Group

This group meets the **1**st **Monday** of the month at **6:30pm** in the St. Nicholas Lower Church. All skill levels are welcome. Contact Virginia Bartos at 330-406-0364 for more information.

Knights of Columbus

KofC Council #4471 meetings are held on the *first and third* Monday evenings of the month beginning at **6:30 PM** in the St. Nicholas Lower Church.

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.

25th, 40th, 50th and over Wedding Anniversary Celebration

The Diocese of Youngstown is sponsoring a Wedding Anniversary Celebration on Sunday, October 15th, 2:00pm at the Basilica of St. John the Baptist in Canton, honoring couples observing their 25th, 40th, 50th, and over wedding anniversaries in 2023.

The Wedding Anniversary Celebration will include Mass with the Most Reverend David J. Bonnar, Bishop of Youngstown, renewal of marriage vows and a personalized certificate for each couple. Following the Mass, there will be a reception for the couples and their families in the parish hall. You must make advanced reservations for this event by contacting your parish office and obtaining your pastor's signature before September 15th.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS SEPTEMBER 8 - 10

First Ever Rummage Sale at Christ the Good Shepherd Parish Hall, 159 Reed Ave., Campbell, OH 44405.



Friday, September 8, 2023 from 9 am to 4 pm Saturday, September 9, 2023 from 9 am to 4 pm Sunday, September 10, 2023 from 11 am to 3 pm

Bus Trip to:

MGM CASINO



MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2023

Sponsored By: COSP St. Nicholas Church Altar & Rosary

COST: \$40.00

Coffee & Donut 7:30am St. Nicholas Church Basement

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

Seats assigned when checks are received First paid, first seated.

NO REFUNDS

Checks Payable to:

St. Nicholas Altar & Rosary Society Mail: c/o Priscilla Carlucci 169 Harvey St., Struthers, OH 44471

NOTE: We need your Name, Address, Phone #, Date of Birth & MGM Card #

MUST BRING LEGAL PHOTO ID ON TRIP

For more information please contact:

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

LUNCH & LEARN

Catholic Charities: Who, What, Why

When: Thursday, September 14, 2023 / 12:00 p.m.

Where: St. Columba Parish Hall

Topic: Who, What, When, Where, and Why – Everything you need to know about Catholic Charities – from the agency point of view.

Agency directors and/ or agency staff will discuss the most frequently asked questions about Catholic Charities services and ministries and will also debunk some of the most common myths as well. A free lunch is provided.

Reserve your seats today! RSVP by September 5, 2023 Call: (330) 744-8451 x 321 Email: awells@youngstowndiocese.org



Hear the Cry of the Poor Capital Campaign

Saint Vincent de Paul will be opening a new Thrift Store in Boardman to fund the Dining Hall and food Pantry Downtown to feed the needy and lowincome families in the area!

But we need your help. We will kick off our Capital Fundraising Campaign on **September 12th** to help pay for the upfront costs necessary to open the store.

Stay tuned! More information will be forthcoming.

If you have any questions, contact Saint Vincent de Paul in Mahoning County at 330-333-3601 or speak to one of your Saint Vincent de Paul Church Conference Members.

Thank you and God Bless

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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2023

DOORS OPEN AT 12:00 NOON \$7.00 Admission Includes 25 Tier 1 tickets & Pasta Bowl Lunch

Drawing begins at 2:00 pm. Additional tickets can be purchased for all Tiers.

There will be hundreds of prizes, themed baskets, gift cards, TV, electronics - all the wonderful prizes you could hope to win!

In addition to the Auction, complete Pasta Dinners will be available for carry-out at \$12.00 per dinner and include pasta, meatballs, salad, bread and dessert.



Ohio Night for Life: Learn & Pray Opportunity

What are the dangers of the proposed "Reproductive Freedom" amendment to the Ohio Constitution this November?

Join us as Ohio Right to Life's CEO, Peter Range, explains the amendment, and we pray for the Lord's help before the Blessed Sacrament.

Sunday, September 17, at 6:30 p.m. at St. Charles Borromeo Church, Boardman (7345 Westview Dr.) cosponsored with Men & Women United for Life

For more information contact the Office of Pro-Life, Marriage and Family Life at 330-744-8451 ext. 272 or dschmidt@youngstowndiocese.org.



Christ Our Savior @

St. Nicholas Church Craft Show Saturday November 4th 9am – 3pm

The Great Hall 764 Fifth Street Struthers, Ohio 44471

Rental Fee: \$25 for 1 8ft Table w/ 2 chairs \$40 for 2 8ft Tables
Limited electricity available: \$5.00 additional fee

Non-refundable fee with completed application received NO later than October 20th at St. Nicholas Church at above address,

No DUPLICATIONS of TRADEMARK vendors First come – First served

For more information email:

hih252@sbcglobal.net or call 330-207-9258

Setup is Saturday November 4th from 8am till 9am. You must be setup and ready to go by 9am. No Friday setup.

All tables are to be covered.

No lit candles on tables.

There will be coffee, donuts and light lunch available for purchase.

Please include a daytime phone number so we may confirm your application.

You must leave your table and crafts up until 3pm. NO early departures.

We will have a silent auction and ask all vendors to provide a basket to raffle off.

The earlier your application is received at the church office the better the chance of acceptance. We will do our best to avoid duplication of vendors.

No flea market items and no couponing items.

APPLICATION:

Please make checks payable to: Saint Nicholas Mom's & Dad's Club Mail or drop off at Parish Office: 764 Fifth Street Struthers, Ohio 44471

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City		
State	Zip	
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Phone Night		
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Your craft (please give	detail):	
Applicant does hereby relea St. Nicholas Church from an liability, loss or damage to connection with this show. and displaced at the sole ris accepted, registration fees ar	y responsibili property or t All exhibits k of the appl	ity, personal to person in are placed licant. Once
X	/	/
Signature	Date	



COSP Bingo @ St. Nicholas Great Hall THURSDAYS 10am



Doors open 8:30am

Small Package: \$30.00

Large Package: \$40.00



The COSP FOOD PANTRY at **HOLY TRINITY CHURCH** is open on **MONDAYS** from 9:30am - 11am for anyone in need of assistance living in Struthers, Campbell or Lowellville.

Please park your car and pick up your box at the stained glass doors.

Food pantry donations can be dropped off at the parish office or in the St. Nicholas Lower Church.

SUGGESTED DONATIONS FOR AUGUST

Cereal, Peanut Butter, Jelly, Soup, Pasta, Sauce, Tuna, Canned Vegetables & Fruit, Baby Wipes, Diapers, Baby Food, Toilet Paper, Paper Towels, Soap, Shampoo, Toothpaste.

FOOD PANTRY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Our food pantry is busier than ever as the number of people needing assistance continues to grow. Our volunteers are working very hard to keep this ministry running but they really need more help.

There are several ways that you can be of service if you are interested in helping.

HELP NEEDED

Stocking Shelves
Filling Bags
Carrying Bags to Cars
Home Deliveries

Please call the parish office if you would like more information about the food pantry or would like to volunteer.

LET'S GROW YOUR BUSINESS

Place Your Ad Here and Support Our Parish!

CONTACT ME Larry Burgett

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