BAPTISMS

All Baptism inquiries must begin by filling out a Baptism form on our website at www.stmatthew.net/baptism. For more information, please contact Katie Ryzenga at 614-532-0620 or kryzenga@stmatthew.net.

MARRIAGE

Marriage preparation must begin at least 6 months before a desired wedding date. All inquiries begin on the Parish website at www.stmatthew.net/marriage.

ANOINTING & VISITATION OF THE SICK

Contact the Parish Office to schedule an anointing and/or to arrange a visit from our pastoral staff.

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CHARITABLE WORKS MINISTRY - 614-471-5320

Monday-Friday, 10:00 a.m.-12:00 noon; Thursday, 6:00-8:00 p.m.

PARISH REGISTRATION

To register as a parish member, stop by the office or register online at www.stmatthew.net/online-parishioner-registration.

BULLETIN DEADLINE

Announcements must be submitted to Hillarie Michaels by email to hmichaels@stmatthew.net by 12:00 noon on Monday.



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MASSES

Weekends

Saturday – 5:00 p.m. Vigil Sunday – 8:00 & 10:00 a.m., 12:00 noon

Holy Days

Please consult the bulletin or website.

Weekdays

Monday thru Friday, 6:30 & 8:30 a.m. Saturday – 8:30 a.m.

CONFESSIONS

Wednesday 7:00-7:30 a.m. Saturday 4:00-4:45 p.m. Sunday 11:00-11:45 a.m. Or by appointment

OFFICE HOURS

Monday and Friday, 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Tuesday-Thursday, 8:30 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

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MASS INTENTIONS AND SCRIPTURES

MONDAY, MAY 29 - Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14; Jn 19:25-34

6:30 a.m. NO MASS

8:30 a.m. Intentions of Paul Rovnak, Jr./Paul & Joan Rovnak

TUESDAY, MAY 30 - Sir 35:1-12; Mk 10:28-31

6:30 a.m. Intentions of Brigitta Immaculata 8:30 a.m. Abilardo Nerida/Peter Nerida

WEDNESDAY, MAY 31 – Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16;

Lk 1:39-56

6:30 a.m. Intentions of Sarah Sturgill/Martha Upp

8:30 a.m. Intentions of the 8th Graders of St. Matthew School

THURSDAY, JUNE 1 - Sir 42:15-25; Mk 10:46-52

6:30 a.m. Intentions of Allison & Anthony Panariollo/

Lisa & Hunter Fugger

8:30 a.m. Sam Hardwick/Kathy Martin

FRIDAY, JUNE 2 - Sir 44:1, 9-13; Mk 11:11-26

6:30 a.m. Fr. Ray Larussa/Dan Russo

8:30 a.m. Art Ulrich/3:00 p.m. Friday Prayer Group

7:00 p.m. Nancy Dilullo/George & Anita Lombardo

SATURDAY, JUNE 3 – Sir 51:12cd-20; Mk 11:27-33

8:30 a.m. Juna Cutlip/Nancy & Andy Sonderman

5:00 p.m. John Zaino/Darlene & Dan Rotella

SUNDAY, JUNE 4 – Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9; 2 Cor 13:11-13; Jn 3:16-18

8:00 a.m. Panfilo S. Reyes/Ceny Reyes

10:00 a.m. For Saint Matthew Parishioners/Fr. Theodore K. Sill

12:00 p.m. Joseph & Jackie Tiberio/Family

STEWARDSHIP							
2022-2023 Through	May 21, 2023	Year to Date					
Parish Budgeted Expenses	\$42,957.00	\$2,018,979.00					
Contributions	\$42,081.50	\$1,976,288.15					
Surplus (Shortage)	(\$875.50)	(\$42,690.85)					

Note: St. Matthew's fiscal year is July 1, 2022 to June 30, 2023. Contributions include offertory and parish facilities fund donations.

DISCIPLESHIP

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- 1. Participate 1 hour per week in community prayer (Sunday Mass).
- 2. Devote 1 hour per week volunteering in a parish ministry.
- 3. Contribute 1 hour of weekly income (2.5%) for financial support.

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UPCOMING SPECIAL ENVELOPES

Whether you donate through Online Giving or use envelopes, we are grateful for your support for the upcoming collections: St. Matthew School Support and Parish Facilities Fund. If you use Online Giving, simply log in to your account at https://www.osvhub.com/stmatthew and select the fund to which you'd like to donate. Thank you!

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES								
	SATURDAY, JUNE 3 5:00 P.M.	SUNDAY, JUNE 4 8:00 A.M.	SUNDAY, JUNE 4 10:00 A.M.	SUNDAY, JUNE 4 12:00 P.M.				
EXTRAORDINARY	Max Maksimoski, rmaksimo@stmatthew.net - 614-607-4799 (Extraordinary Ministers, Lectors) Vicki Wengert, vwengert@icloud.com - 614-270-2118 (Sacristans)							
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PENTECOST SUNDAY MAY 28, 2023

FAMILY OF FAITH

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION FOR K-8 IS OPEN – Registration for the 2023-2024 year is now open. Find more information and register at our website: https://stmatthew.net/religious-education. Please contact Ashley Allwein (aallwein@stmatthew.net) with any questions.

IN OUR PARISH

BANNS OF MARRIAGE

Let us pray for those preparing for marriage: ▼ II – Meghan Springer & Harry Laiveling ▼

JOIN US FOR 8:30 A.M. MASS TOMORROW, MONDAY, MAY 29, MEMORIAL DAY – There will be no 6:30 a.m. Mass. The Parish Office will be closed.

SAINT MATTHEW CHARITABLE WORKS COLLECTION is this weekend, **May 27-28**, after all Masses. Your kindness is appreciated.

DIVINE MERCY PERPETUAL ADORATION – "O Mary, Mother of Jesus Christ, and our dear Mother! O all ye holy angels, who, by your Adoration in our churches, make up for the little love which your God and our Saviour receives from men, obtain for us the grace to comprehend a little the love of Jesus Christ in the Most Holy Sacrament." – St. Margaret Mary Alacoque. As we celebrate the Feast of the Visitation (May 31), rejoice with our Risen Lord by visiting with Him in Eucharistic Adoration! Learn more about our Perpetual Adoration Chapel online at https://stmatthew.net/dmc.

SAVE THE DATE! The Ladies of St. Jude will be collecting diapers and monetary donations for their annual drive supporting Women's Care Center after all Masses the weekend of **June 10-11**. Thanks to the support of the local St. Matthew community, we have been able to donate over \$22,000.00 and thousands of diapers for this cause. Here is to another great year and thank you in advance for you generosity.

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE GETTING MARRIED! Engaged couples are the future families of our parish! Some couples from our parish will attend their Pre-Cana retreat on June 3 to prepare for their upcoming marriage. The Pre-Cana retreat day offers couples the opportunity to reflect on marriage, get to know other couples in the parish, and spend time in prayer. Please keep these couples in your prayers this week, that their marriage may be a gift to each other, their families, and the world!

FREE BOOKS! Do you want some summer enrichment in your home? Grab a free *Catholic Trivia Book* in the back of the Gathering Space for your home and family!

SEVEN SISTERS APOSTOLATE – One Holy Hour, One Priest, Each Week, One Heart of Prayer (In prayerful support of Fr. Sill & Fr. Carmody). The Seven Sisters Apostolate is a call to strengthen the Church by ensuring that a Holy Hour is prayed each day of the week for the sole intention of a specific priest or bishop—a "holy wasting" (cf. Mt. 26:10) or lavishing of prayer for his deeper conformity to Christ. Each member commits to a Holy Hour on a distinct day of the week, thus the seven spiritual sisters cover a complete week. The Holy Hour is ideally prayed in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament – either in an Adoration Chapel or in front of a Tabernacle – but not restricted to the parish of which the Seven Sisters is a member. (SevenSistersApostolate.org). "In strengthening the priest, you strengthen the whole Church..." — Fr. Gerald Fitzgerald, S.P. For information, please contact Vicki Wengert at vwengert@icloud.com or 614-270-2118.

FIVE FIRST SATURDAYS ROSARY – Act of Reparation to the Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Please join us in this prayerful dedication to honor Our Lady and the devotion to her Immaculate Heart after the 8:30 a.m. Mass next Saturday, June 3 in the church.

ST. MATTHEW PARISH FESTIVAL RAFFLE TICKETS – You should be receiving your raffle tickets very soon! Please return them as soon as possible so that you can be entered into the weekly drawings to win \$50.00. Winners will pick up their money at the Festival being held July 14-15. Our first drawing will be Friday, June 2 and will continue weekly through June 30. Please see the letter that was enclosed with your tickets for details.

ANNOUNCING A VERY SPECIAL WEEK FOR THE YOUTH OF OUR PARISH – During the week of June 25-29, we will welcome a team of young adults to our parish to lead a VBS-like program called Totus Tuus ("Totally Yours"). Please see the different graphic images in the bulletin, visit our website at https://www.stmatthew.net/totustuus or contact Julie Ratliff at jratliff@stmatthew.net for more information. We hope your children can join us!

ST. MATTHEW JUNIOR MUSTANG VOLLEYBALL CAMP – Join us for volleyball camp at St. Matthew with support from Bishop Hartley's girls and boys volleyball teams! All experience levels welcome. This is a great opportunity to try out a new sport. The camp is being held on June 14-15 from 4:00-6:00 p.m. in the St. Matthew PAC and is open to girls and boys entering grades 2-5. The cost is \$40.00 and includes a Mustang camp T-shirt, snacks and lots of fun with friends! Please register at https://go.teamsnap.com/forms/367883.

PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN CLASSES THIS SUMMER – St. Matthew will host three *Protecting God's Children* classes this summer via Zoom on Tuesday, June 13 at 6:00 p.m., Monday, July 10 at 6:00 p.m. and Thursday, August 10 at 6:00 p.m. Please register for the class at https://www.stmatthew.net/protecting-gods-children. The *Protecting God's Children* class is only ONE of the three requirements an adult needs to interact with minors on our campus; please see the link above for the other two. Please contact Michelle Lantz at mlantz@cdeducation.org with any questions!

ST. MATTHEW SCHOOL SEEKING TEACHER ASSISTANT POSITIONS – St. Matthew Catholic School has several teaching assistant position openings for the 2023/2024 school year including a full-time Pre-K teacher assistant. Requirements: High School diploma/equivalent; (previous childcare experience preferred and CPR training for Pre-K); recent satisfactory FBI and BCI background check; and must participate in a VIRTUS *Protecting God's Children* training safe environment seminar. Interested candidates for Pre-K should send a letter of interest and resume to Sr. Paulina, Pre-K Director at sr.paulina@stmatthew.net; all others please send a letter of interest and resume to John Rathburn, Principal, at jrathburn1@cdeducation.org.

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SAVE THE DATE – PARISH Festival JULY 14-15 – Some exciting changes are coming for the St. Matthew Parish Festival in 2023. The Festival will focus on the community, our families, and the parish across two nights – emphasizing creating a safe environment for all attendees. This year's Festival will see several food truck offerings added, the addition of Bingo for adults and children, a more convenient location for Kiddieland, and an expansion of Festival games. To create a safer Festival, we are taking a break from rides in 2023. There are still many ways to get involved before sign-ups are published in a few months – if you are interested in assisting our captains or have questions/feedback, please reach out to Dan Heinmiller at stmatthewparishFestival@gmail.com.

HELP NEEDED FOR THE GAHANNA SUMMER LUNCH PROGRAM, JUNE 20-23! Our parish, in cooperation with G.R.I.N. (Gahanna Residents in Need) will prepare and serve hot lunches for Gahanna area school children the week of June 20-23. Meals will be distributed from Goshen Lane & Royal Manor Elementary Schools on a "To Go" basis. Volunteers are needed at the lunch sites each day (11:30 a.m. – 1:15 p.m.) to fill "to-go" containers that families will take home. GRIN requires that volunteers be age 12 or older at the sites. Help is also needed each morning (9:00-11:00 a.m.) to prepare the food at the St. Matthew School kitchen. To volunteer, contact Linda at momlakes@aol.com. To donate dessert items (cookies or brownies) please use this link: https://stmatthew.net/summerlunch. Contact Dolores at stmattsummerlunch@gmail.com if you have any questions. Thank you in advance for your generosity.



CALL TO PRAYER FOR OUR NATION – We can help our country turn back to God through prayer. It can change hearts, our families, our communities, our country and our world. Please join us for an hour of prayer for our nation, our leaders, journalists and social media. It will be held in the church on Sunday, June 4 at 3:00 p.m. Everyone is welcome.

PENTECOST SUNDAY MAY 28, 2023



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ST. JUDE COUNCIL 5801

Knights are the right arm of the Church and involved in charitable works in our Parish.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN

The Knights will once again have baby bottles out in the Gathering Space for your participation in their pro-life baby bottle campaign. The bottle says it all, your change for life will help with pro-life programs in our area. For those who prefer to donate through Online Giving, please select the **Knights of Columbus 5801 Charity Fund** and **specify "Baby Bottle Campaign" in the notes section.** All proceeds will be distributed among the Women's Care Center, Ohio Right to Life, Birthright and Bethesda Healing Ministry. Bottles can be returned on Father's Day weekend, June 17-18. Thank you for your generosity.

WE WELCOME INTO OUR FAMILY OF FAITH the following children who were baptized on Sunday, May 21: Tessa Noll Charles, Ellison Ann Jernigan, Madeleine Elizabeth Miller and Imogen Samantha Templeton.

PARISH PROJECTS

Given the generosity of our parishioners, the Facilities Team is pleased to provide updates on St. Matthew campus projects, repairs, improvements, and ongoing initiatives to provide a safe, healthy, and prayerful environment for you and our children.

The massive project list compiled for completion this summer has moved into the prioritization and planning phase. The highest priority is given to health, safety and security projects. These projects include entry systems, access control, emergency procedures, visibility, fire safety, electrical repairs, and surveillance upgrades. Cleaning, disinfecting, preventive maintenance, and current playground repairs also fall in the high priority category.

The next level of priority goes to several larger projects requiring contractor coordination and permit applications. Topping this list is the new electronic monument sign on Havens Corners Road which is currently in the Gahanna Zoning and Permitting approval process. We are also working on the Sanctuary repair and restoration project requiring involvement of the Diocese, several contractors, architects, and city permitting.

The next level of priority relates to campus and building efficiency. This includes operational efficiencies related to heating, cooling, lighting, water usage, electric, and gas usage. Continual improvement in space utilization also falls in this category. We are always looking for ways to consolidate and organize storage space enabling us to add tutoring rooms, meeting space, and offices.

Please don't forget we are always looking for volunteer involvement. No experience needed. Flexible hours ranging from a couple hours to a couple weeks and an opportunity to accrue service hours. Please feel free to contact the office anytime. Thank you.

Please do not hesitate to email suggestions on how we can better serve you and move our current projects forward. Send requests and suggestions to gharvey@stmatthew.net. Be safe, stay healthy, and God Bless.

PRO-LIFE CORNER



Next **Wednesday, May 31**, we celebrate the feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary. While there are many spiritual truths to be learned

from this event, it is clearly a statement on the full humanity of an unborn child. As one pro-life author commented, Elizabeth did not say "as soon as I heard your greeting, *the clump of cells* leaped in my womb." It was an unborn baby, a person, who leaped in Elizabeth's womb. It was an unborn baby, a person human and divine, who conveyed to John the Baptist the Holy Spirit. From a biblical perspective, what further testimony do we need for the Church's teaching that life begins at conception?

The more experienced pro-abortion advocates recognize the stages of fetal development and will readily admit that the fetus is a human – but that it's not a person. This allows them to rationalize that if you perform an abortion soon enough, you are not killing a person. Somehow a "fetus" becomes a person in the later stages of prenatal development, or at birth. But this is flawed thinking. As a civilized society, we do not assign personhood based on size or capability, unless we are ready to call the disabled, the chronically ill, or those in a coma, "nonpersons" and undeserving of life. The only qualification to be a "person" is to be a member of the human race.

As Vatican II stated, "Human life is a precious gift from God. Our society, through its laws and social institutions, must protect human life at every stage of its existence, from the moment of conception." Let us ask Mary on the feast of the Visitation for the grace to return our nation to this founding principle.

Upcoming Events:

• June 3 – First Saturday prayer vigil at the Planned Parenthood building on 3255 E. Main Street, at 10:30 a.m.

If you are interested in learning more about St. Matthew's Pro-Life group, please contact Jeff Solinger at jksolinger@aol.com or (614) 506-2382.

BOOK CLUB – The next meeting will be this **Wednesday**, **May 31** at **7:00 p.m.** in the Saint Michael Room. We will be discussing the book *Jesus and the Jewish Roots of Mary* by Brant Pitre. All are welcome!

MONTHLY DEMENTIA/ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT GROUP — Are you a caregiver for a dementia patient or have you lost a loved one to dementia? An Alzheimer's/dementia support group is offered the first Saturday of every month at 10:00 a.m. in the St. Gabriel Room (Saturday, June 3). There is no cost, but registration is required. Call or text Gene Poirier at 614-615-4111 or email genepoirier779@gmail.com to register.

SUNDAY MASS READINGS EXPLAINED – Looking for a place to understand the Sunday readings based on the Church's teachings and the mindset of a first century Jew hearing the Word preached for the first time? Join us as we dive deeper into the study of the Word every Thursday morning in the Church library at **9:15 a.m.** Our lesson presenter, Dr. Brant Pitre, is noted for his scholarship on connecting the Old and the New Testament scriptures in such works as *Jesus and the Jewish Roots of the Eucharist, Jesus and the Jewish Roots of Mary, Jesus and the Last Supper* and others that are in our library. The sessions are free and materials will be provided for you. If you are new to reading the Scriptures, these sessions will encourage you to read them with more understanding. Questions? Please contact Lorraine Curtin at lorraine.curtin@icloud.com.

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CHARITABLE WORKS MINISTRY NEWS

RECAP OF APRIL 2023 – <u>A VERY busy month for CWM</u>. The St. Matthew Charitable Works Ministry provided an estimated **14,355** meals to **957** individuals (record) in **294** households (record) within the greater Gahanna community during the month of April. We continue to see increasing demand from large families (note the "Average Family Size" below). Our food costs continue to be high as we get less free/low cost food from Mid-Ohio Food Bank, and we purchase more at retail. Thank you for your continued support to those families who are experiencing difficult times through your financial support and volunteer efforts.

	FAMILIES SERVED	INDIVIDUALS SERVED	AVERAGE FAMILY SIZE	EST. MEALS PROVIDED*	AVG. COST PER INDIVIDUAL	AVG. COST PER MEAL
EOY 2021	2,291	5,283	2.31	79,245	\$5.11	\$0.34
EOY 2022	2,534	6,780	2.68	101,700	\$8.98	\$0.60
March 2023	262	795	3.03	11,925	\$10.48	\$0.70
1Q 2023	742	2,214	2.98	33,210	\$8.87	\$0.59
April 2023	294 (record)	957 (record)	3.26	14,355	\$10.72	\$0.71

*3 meals/day x 5 days

Our normal hours of operation are from 10:00 a.m.-noon, Monday-Friday and 6:00-8:00 p.m. on Thursday. We are located within the PSR building (the old convent). All are welcome to visit the location to observe what we do and, if the Spirit moves you, become a part of our Ministry. You can sign up to volunteer through the first half of 2023 at: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040945aeaa2aa5f94-charitable.

AROUND THE DIOCESE

SUMMER CAMPS AT ST. FRANCIS DESALES HIGH SCHOOL – We invite all 1st through 8th graders to join us for one (or more!) of our Stallion Enrichment Camps this summer. Families can choose from a broad menu of programs that include a variety of sports, academic enrichment, adventure, design, and faith-based activities. Sign up at www.sfdstallions.org/summercamps.

CATHOLIC MEN'S LUNCHEON ON FRIDAY, JUNE 2, 2023 – Join us **Friday, June 2** at St. Patrick Church in downtown Columbus for a luncheon featuring a talk by Fr. Adam Streitenberger, the Diocese Vicar for Evangelization and Executive Director of the St. Thomas More Newman Center at The Ohio State University, about The Newman Center Today. The June luncheon is sponsored by Able Printing. Established in 1954, Able Printing has continued to be a reliable printing resource in Columbus and Central Ohio, offering experienced Graphic Design services. More information is available at https://ableprintingco.com/. If you are interested in sponsoring a luncheon, contact Jim Gernetzke at jimgernetzke@noslumine.com. Holy Mass (optional) begins at 11:45 a.m. followed by lunch at 12:10 p.m. and Fr. Adam's presentation. No reservations are necessary and \$12.00 covers the lunch and meeting. Bring a friend! Our next luncheon, following the summer recess, is Friday, September 1, 2023.

ST. CHARLES OFFERING 24 SUMMER PROGRAMS, CAMPS AND CLASSES – This June and July, St. Charles will offer summer camps for all interests and ages with 24 different camp sessions. Basketball Camp starts as young as incoming 1st graders, and there are co-ed camps available in Robotics, Volleyball, and Ice Hockey! All-day camp options are available by pairing Camp Cardinal (a day-camp all about having fun and exploring the best of St. Charles!) with Baseball, Football, or Soccer. To learn more and to register, visit scprep.org under "Admissions" or use the QR code provided. Camp Cardinal, Speed Camp, Baseball, Basketball, Basketball Shooting, Football, Lacrosse, Soccer, Volleyball, Ice Hockey, and Robotics. Contact Ned Gruber at (614) 804-7230 or ngruber@scprep.org with questions.

MISSION FOR PEACE WITH THE DOMINICAN SISTERS OF PEACE, JUNE 2-6 – The Dominican Sisters of Peace invite single, Catholic women, ages 18-45, to attend a no-cost "Mission for Peace" prayer and service immersion program, designed to help women explore contemporary Dominican life. Experience Dominican prayer and community with our Sisters and reflect on God's call for your life. The service program begins at 9:00 a.m. on Friday, June 2 and concludes at noon on Tuesday, June 6 at the Dominican Sisters of Peace Motherhouse, 1230 West Market Street, Akron, OH 44313-7108. For more information, call or text Sister June Fitzgerald at 570-336-3991 or email jfitzgerald@oppeace.org. The sisters can offer some travel assistance on an as needed basis.

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