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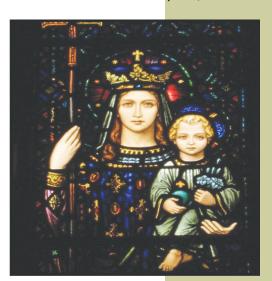
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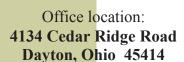


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Office hours:

Tuesday 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Thursday 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

# **REGION TWO INFORMATION**

# **MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS**

August 15-23, 2020

**Sat. Aug. 15, 2020** *20th Sunday in Ordinary Time* 4:30 p.m. at CC

Sun. Aug. 16, 202020th Sunday in Ordinary Time9:00 a.m. at OLOM+Theresa George11:00 a.m. at QMCarl Meyer/Anafel dela Torre wedding<br/>+Mae and Mike Meyring

5:30 p.m. at CC

Mon. Aug. 17, 2020

(No Mass or Communion Service)

Tues., Aug. 18, 2020

8:30 a.m. at CC +Donald Overman

Wed., Aug. 19, 2020 St. John Eudes 8:30 a.m. at OLOM

Thurs., Aug. 20, 2020 St. Bernard 8:30 a.m. at QM +Jerry Grewell

Fri., Aug. 21, 2020 St. Pius X (No Mass or Communion Service)

**Sat., Aug. 22, 2020** *21st Sunday in Ordinary Time* 4:30 p.m. at CC

Sun., Aug. 23, 2020 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:00 a.m. at OLOM
11:00 a.m. at QM +Evelyn Miller
5:30 p.m. at CC
Sacrament of Reconciliation by appointment

- Mass times are subject to change.
- Each Mass is offered for the intentions of everyone present and those listed above.

## PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Norman Neff, Marie Hodapp,
Deborah Merrick, Al Cochran, Betty Raab,
Wanda Offenberger, Mike Mobley,
Pat Chirco, Rachel Woods, Jerry Slone,
Gerda OudeGeerdink, Patty Richey,
Kira Prikkel, Dave Hoerner, Mike Hennessey,
Fran Rickett, Mel Tolle, Margaret Fancett,
Loretta Christon, Keith Jones, Teresa Bond,
Kristin Townsend, Marion Zwolski, Bev Ossege,
Mikayla Powley, Nancy McEldowney,
Ralph McEldowney, Craig Powell,
Kevin Oleckniche, Kathe Weinkauf

PLEASE CALL 274-2107, EXT 100 TO ADD OR REMOVE A NAME ON THE PRAYER LIST

# LITURGICAL MINISTERS

August 22-23, 2020

Saturday, August 22, 2020 4:30 p.m. at CC

**Lector:** Dorothy Mann

Eucharistic Minister: Fr. Benoit

Server: Jess Sacksteder

Sunday, August 23, 2020 9:00 a.m. at OLOM

**Lector:** Ellen Hopkins

**Eucharistic Minister:** Fr. Benoit **Server:** Consuella Wilson

Sunday, August 23, 2020 11:00 a.m. at QM

Lectors: Vivian Koob, Tom Carter Eucharistic Ministers: Charlotte Minnelli.

Doris and Larry Schwieterman **Servers:** Steve Koob, Tony Mantle

Sunday, August 23, 2020 5:30 p.m. at CC

Celebrant: Fr. Ted Cassidy

Lector: Jenna Legg

# Public Masses for Our Lady of Grace Pastoral Region II

Regional Masses have resumed with proper health precautions in place.

The dispensation of the Sunday Mass obligation, however, remains in effect until further notice. Thus, if you are at-risk for COVID-19 or otherwise unable to attend due to the various restrictions surrounding this pandemic – weekly Mass attendance is not obligatory.

A limited number of people will be allowed in each church building at any given Mass time. We will try our best to accommodate those who arrive at any of the Masses, but please embrace the expectation that the occupancy limit may already be reached, especially if arriving shortly before or after the Mass start-time. For the health and safety of others, please be gracious if you are unable to enter due to full occupancy.

Please do not attend if your health is compromised, you are sick, or you are concerned or fearful about catching or giving the virus.

## PRAYER REQUESTS FOR PRAYER LINE

Please call Mary Moell at 277-2721

# **REGIONAL CALENDAR**

	TUESDAY, August 18	
5:00 p.m.	Neighborhood Meal	CC Carry out only
	WEDNESDAY, August 19	
5:00 p.m.	Neighborhood Meal	OLOM Carry out only

NOTE: ALL OLOG EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE DUE TO COVID-19 PANDEMIC

# Our Lady of Grace Weekend Collection

August 2, 2020 \$4,384.56

Thank you to all who are mailing in donations. To give online go to our parish website: www.ourladyofgracedayton.org.

If you were asked, how would you explain Jesus to a person who had not heard of him?

Use this question for personal prayer, beginning a meeting, or conversation with others to prepare for the August 23, 2020 readings:

Reading I Isaiah 22:15, 19-23 Eliakim chosen by God

**Reading II** Romans 11:33-36 *Praise of God* **Gospel** Matthew 16:13-20 *Peter the rock* 

## **Region Two Respect Life Corner**

"Abortion affects countless marriages more than many people recognize. But there is no doubt that God will bring great healing to those who trust in his infinite mercy. If a past abortion can be acknowledged and addressed, a married couple can make great strides in experiencing even more fully God's design that 'the two shall become one' (Mt 19:5)."

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities "Healing within Marriage from an Abortion" (NABRE © 2010 CCD.

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### **VOCATION VIEW**

"The gifts and the call of God are irrevocable." Use the gifts that God has given you to stir into flame the gift of faith. (Romans 11:29)

If you want to talk about your discernment, please contact Fr. Dan Schmitmeyer, Director of Vocations at dschmidtmeyer@catholiccincinnati.org

# TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### COMING SOON: RCIA TEAM ON THE MOVE

In the past year, our parish initiated two candidates for entry into full communion with the Catholic Church. In the process, we formed a small RCIA team with five members in addition to the two candidates. This fall all seven of us will continue as members of the team. We hope to attract catechumens and candidates who seek to become Catholics. We are also seeking new team members who can either serve as sponsors or simply be supportive participants. Whether we are unbaptized or baptized, candidates or confirmed members, in the RCIA community we are all traveling together in the never-ending journey of learning what it means to be Catholic. Please contact the parish office either with names of potential candidates or to express your interest in becoming part of the team.

### LIVING PRO-LIFE SPEAKERS SERIES

Please join us for the upcoming Living Pro-Life Speakers Series on August 23 in McAuley Hall after the 11:00 a.m. Mass. Some questions to ask yourself in preparation:

- How has your life been touched by racial issues in the church and the community?
- Do you know people who have experienced racial prejudice even if you have not?
- How do we build a Christian community in our parish and society that promotes the value of all human life and avoid the polarization that is so popular in our culture today?

#### SEND IN YOUR NEWSLETTER ARTICLES

The next issue of Urban Grace, our parish newsletter, is already in the works! Send in your information and articles to whollinger@ourladyofgracedayton.org. The deadline for the next issue is September 6. With the COVID-19 virus still active and among us, many of our at-risk parishioners are unable to be physically present at Mass. Our newsletter is one of the main means of parish communication since it is mailed to every registered member. Both our bulletin and newsletter are also available on the parish website: www.ourladyofgracedayton.org

# **NEXT BOOK CLUB MEETING IS OCT. 11**

Our next book club meeting will be at 1:30 p.m. on Sunday, October 11, 2020. The coronavirus situation will determine whether we meet in person in Founders Hall or virtually by ZOOM. The selections to read are:

- The Spoiler by Annalena McAfee
- 1st To Die by James Patterson

If you are new to book club and interested in joining in, call the parish office the week of October 5, to find out how the meeting will take place.

# PARISH CONTACT INFORMATION

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#### **PARISH MINISTRY TEAM**

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### **OUR LADY OF GRACE OFFICE HOURS**

Please call 937-274-2107 to make sure the office is open. During the COVID –19 pandemic, working from home has been encouraged and our time in the office has been abbreviated.

# **AREA EVENTS & NEWS**

# Fall Registration Going on Now!

Whether you are interested in preparing for the Diaconate, working at a social service agency, parish, hospital, school, or want to become better informed about the Catholic Faith, we can help! The School of Theology offers M.A. degrees in Pastoral Ministry, Biblical Studies and Theology and Certificates in Pastoral Ministry. Graduate courses are offered at the main campus, 6616 Beechmont Avenue in Cincinnati. Certificates are offered at the main campus and also at our Vandalia satellite location. Take class for credit, audit or begin a degree. Visit our website athenaeum.edu and call or email today to learn more. Barbara Yoder, byoder@athenaeum.edu, 513.233.6129 or 513.231.1200.

How healthy is your marriage during the pandemic? A Marriage Encounter Midweek Experience could be what the doctor ordered. It will treat you and your marriage and get your sacrament healthy in no time. The next Marriage Encounter Midweek experience is not on a weekend. It is a virtual experience via Zoom, held on Tuesday & Wednesday, Sept. 15 &16, where you experience Marriage Encounter from your home. The midweek experience is for those who find it difficult to commit a weekend or work weekends or have difficulty finding childcare, pet care or care for parents. Reserve your place today

at https://esharing.org/applyWeekend.php If you apply by August 17, use discount code Covid19, to pay only \$19 to apply. For more details contact: Andy & Jeanne Folfas at (937) 886-5196 jeannemarie42@hotmail.com or go to esharing.org

**Personal grooming items needed at Catholic Social Services of the Miami Valley Pantry.** Please drop off toiletries such as toothpaste, tooth brushes, shampoo, body lotion, soap, body wash, etc. at the pantry located at 922 W. Riverview Ave in Dayton. Call 937-223-7217 for times to deliver these items.

# **BULLETIN DEADLINE:**

Monday at noon



# WE SALUTE OUR MEMBERS IN THE MILITARY

Lt. Jessica Miller, Captain Matthew Fecke, Tiffany Kracus Lewis, Sgt. Matthew Stull, Lance Corporal Patrick Nevius, Caleb Weaver, Spc. Phoebe Moreo, Capt. Martha Moreo, Pete Gill, EM3 Douglas R. Sortman, Major Darren Ward, Spc. Jacob Naas, Spc. Jonathan Gladden, Adam Wilhelm

# **QUEEN OF MARTYRS PARISH STAFF:**

Pastor: Rev. Benoit Mukamba, CSSp

Deacon: Skip Royer CRE: Marty Phillips

Bookkeeper: Anita Wagner

# YOUR WEEKLY DONATIONS

August 2 Sunday collection: \$1406. August 9 collection: \$2032. Thank you for your support of Queen of Martyrs.

# **CALL TO SERVE**



Have you ever thought of serving your Parish on Pastoral Council? Well, now is your chance! We have several members whose terms are expiring. We will be having an election in August for seats on the Pastoral Council.

If you have any questions or want to submit your name for the ballot, contact Don Tomczak at 937-475-2948 or any council member.



On Sunday, September 13, Archbishop Dennis Schnurr will be at Queen of Martyrs to bless our church – especially our new bell tower. Please join in this liturgical celebration and blessing.

Get ready for this year's QM Parish picnic - Sunday, September 13!

Ms. Sandy is already stocking up on water balloons! Get ready for great food, our annual Dessert Auction, Bingo, Music, Arts and Crafts Corn Hole, More Activities and Surprises

Interested in helping? Contact Sandy after Mass.

# PRAY A MINUTE" – ONE MILLION HOURS OF PRAYER FOR PEACE, JUSTICE AND GOODWILL

Pray A Minute: One Million Hours of Prayer for Peace, Justice and Goodwill

The world feels heavy these days. News headlines are filled with injustices and unrest. It seems as though everywhere we turn we find division and disharmony in our country. The world desperately needs Christians united in prayer.

A million hours of prayer may sound impossible, but if you divide that prayer time among all of the Catholics in the Archdiocese of Cincinnati, it is just one minute of prayer a day. **Just one minute.**From now until January 1, the World Day of Prayer for Peace, you are invited to pray one minute more than you already do, every day, specifically for the intention of peace, justice and goodwill in our country. One more minute might not sound like much, but together with our brothers and sisters in faith, that minute can help change the world. Commit to praying at <a href="https://www.PrayAMinute.com">www.PrayAMinute.com</a>.

# RESPECT LIFE

The next Respect Life presentation for Region will be on Sunday, August 23, in McAuley Hall from Noon until approx. 1:30pm. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend.



# CONGRATULATIONS CARL & ANAFEL

Carl Meyer and Anafel dela Torre will celebrate their nuptials at the 11am Mass this Sunday, August 16. We congratulate them and wish them well in their life together.

EVERYONE is invited to come and be a part of this wonderful ceremony. Please add them to your prayers as they start their life journey!



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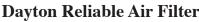
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