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MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

December 26, 2021- January 2, 2022

Sun., Dec. 26, 2021 *The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph*

9:00 a.m. at OLOM

11:00 a.m. at QM +Kenneth and Theresa Bole
+Colin Walsh

Mon., Dec. 27, 2021 *St. John*

(No Mass or Communion Service)

Tues., Dec. 28, 2021 *The Holy Innocents*

8:30 a.m. at CC

Wed., Dec. 29, 2021 *St. Thomas Becket*

8:30 a.m. at OLOM

Thurs., Dec. 30, 2021

8:30 a.m. at QM

Fri., Dec. 31, 2021 *St. Sylvester I*

(No Mass or Communion Service)

Sat., Jan. 1, 2022 *Mary, the Holy Mother of God*

9:00 a.m. at QM

Sat., Jan. 1, 2022 *Epiphany of the Lord*

4:30 p.m. at OLOM

Sun., Jan. 2, 2022 *Epiphany of the Lord*

9:00 a.m. at CC

11:00 a.m. at QM +Colin Walsh

*Sacrament of Reconciliation available before the 4:30 p.m.
Mass on Saturdays, after daily Masses, or by appointment.*

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

PLEASE NOTE:

NO WEEKDAY MASSES JAN. 4-6, 2022

Tuesday, January 4, 2022 No 8:30 a.m. Mass at CC

Wednesday, January 5, 2022 No 8:30 a.m. Mass at OLOM

Thursday, January 6, 2022 No 8:30 a.m. Mass at QM

OUR LADY OF GRACE OFFICE HOURS

Mon-Thurs 9 a.m.— 4 p.m. Phone: 937-274-2107
Please call ahead before visiting the office to ensure
that there is staff currently available and on-site to
assist you. Appointments are recommended.

*Our Lady of Grace parish office will be closed on
Monday, Dec. 27*

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

January 1-2, 2022

Saturday, January 1, 2022 4:30 p.m. at OLOM

Lector: Earl Moreo

Eucharistic Minister: Fr. Benoit

Sunday, January 2, 2022 9:00 a.m. at CC

Lector: Pat Gill

Eucharistic Minister: Fr. Benoit

Sunday, January 2, 2022 11:00 a.m. at QM

Lectors: Steve Koob

Eucharistic Minister: Fr. Benoit

VOCATION VIEW

Jesus grew in wisdom, age, and grace in the midst of
his family. How is your family growing in the midst
of these challenging times? (Luke 2:41-52)

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, Adam Wilhelm,
Martha Moreo, Capt. U.S. Space Force
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Sgt. Jacob Naas, Spc. Jonathan Gladden,
AB Makayla Picker, Ssgt. P. J. Picker*

PRAYER REQUESTS FOR PRAYER LINE

Please call Mary Moell at 937-277-2721

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

*Marie Hodapp, Craig Powell, Betty Raab,
Al Cochran, Mike Mobley, Rachel Woods,
Wanda Offenberger, Fran Rickett,
Gerda OudeGeerdink, Patty Richey, Norm Magoto,
Kira Prikkel, Dave Hoerner, Pat Chirco,
Keith Jones, Teresa Bond, Marion Zwolski,
Jeanne Sipniewski, Bev Ossege, Doncella Parks,
Mikayla Powley, Ken Pendery, Samantha M.,
Detsy Sacksteder, Joan Means, Kathe Weinkauff,
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Kevin Oleckniche, Ryan Ravestein, Toni Schilling,
Peggy Neff, George Noeth, Linda Armstrong,
Pam Hemmelgarn, Betty Meehan, Mike Kessler,
Pat Meyer, Karen Kuritar, Dorianne Minnelli*

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

REGIONAL CALENDAR

THE MOST HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH

	TUESDAY Dec. 28	
4:00 p.m.	Neighborhood Meal	CC Carry out only
	WEDNESDAY Dec. 29	
9:30 a.m.	Bible Study	QM McAuley Hall
11:30 a.m.	Chair Fitness Class	QM McAuley Hall
4:00 p.m.	Neighborhood Meal	OLOM Carry out only
	SUNDAY Jan. 2	
9:30 a.m.	Family Faith Formation/CCD	QM McAuley Hall

Our Lady of Grace Weekend Collection

December 12, 2021

Collection \$4,031.00

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



The Pope Wants To Hear From You!

The Holy Father is asking for many of the baptized as possible to participate in diocesan meetings taking place in Jan and Feb to discuss how we can

collectively better advance the message of salvation. Please consider participating in one of our deanery meetings. To learn more and to sign up, go to www.catholicaoc.org

2021 OLOG Contribution Statements

If you would like a 2021 donation statement, please fill out this form and place it in the collection basket or call the parish office at 937-274-2107 ext.100 to request it.

These will be available in mid January.

NAME _____

MAILING ADDRESS _____

EMAIL _____

RESPECT LIFE CORNER

“Like every other human family, the Holy Family had to confront real and concrete challenges. Yet, ‘in every situation, Joseph declared his own ‘fiat’ (PC 3). His ‘yes’ to the Lord meant that regardless of the hardship and personal sacrifice to himself, he consistently chose to put the needs of Mary and Jesus before his own. Joseph’s devotion helps reveal to us our own call to show special care for the lives of those whom God has entrusted to us.”

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*USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities
2021 Respect Life Reflection*



A note of gratitude to our parishioners whose generosity is appreciated during this Christmas season:

- Those who participated in Our Lady of Grace Giving Tree Project were instrumental in helping our St. Vincent de Paul Conferences make Christmas special for many families whose financial struggles would have kept them from purchasing gifts and Christmas dinner for their families.
- Thank you to those who made donations to our Christmas Flower Fund to help offset the cost of our Christmas poinsettias. We also appreciate the helpers who decorated our worship spaces.
- Much appreciation goes out to our parishioners and friends who donated or will donate to our Annual Appeal fundraiser which is ongoing.

When have you been jealous or fearful of another person? When are such feelings harmful?



Use this question for personal prayer, beginning a meeting, or conversations with others to prepare for the Jan. 2, 2022 readings:

Reading I Isaiah 60:1-6 *Glory of the new Zion*

Reading II Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6 *Commission to preach God’s plan*

Gospel Matthew 2:1-12 *The visit of the magi*

PARISH CONTACT INFORMATION

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Our Lady of Grace

(see info on front cover of bulletin)

Queen of Martyrs

(see info on front cover of bulletin)

*Blended families: woven together by choice,
strengthened together by love, tested by everything,
and each uniquely ours." - Anonymous*

AREA NEWS AND EVENTS

A Lifeline for Marriage – Retrouvaille (pronounced ret-ro-vi with a long i) helps couples through difficult times in their marriages. It is designed to provide the tools to help get your marriage back on track. It will give you the opportunity to rediscover each other and examine your lives together in a new and positive way. This program has helped many couples experiencing marital difficulty at all levels including disillusionment and deep misery. For confidential information about or to register for the January program beginning with a weekend on January 7, 8, and 9, 2022 call 513 486-6222 or visit www.HelpOurMarriage.com

DivorceCare— Healing from separation or divorce - A 13 week support group; Thursday evenings, 6:30-8:30 pm from Jan. 6 to Mar. 31; St. Francis of Assisi Church 6245 Wilmington Pike, Centerville, OH. For more information, contact Marcelle Toma at (937) 312-1157 (Not a texting number) or mtoma@woh.rr.com

The tri-state's largest Catholic Men's Conference of 2022 is coming soon, featuring Matthew Kelly and Gus Lloyd! Please join us for the 2022 E6 Catholic Men's Conference, which will be taking place on Saturday, February 26, 2022, at the East Central High School Performing Arts Center in St. Leon, IN (80 miles southeast of Indianapolis and 35 minutes northwest of Cincinnati). We cordially invite every man to attend this 7th annual event. Please join us for inspiring talks, confession (available all day), celebration of the Holy Mass and fraternity with fellow men of Christ. We pride ourselves on presenting a quality, substance-driven, inspirational and faith-filled event that will change men's lives and help equip them to be the man Christ calls them to be. Do not miss this! Tickets are on sale now at www.e6cmc.com.

**QUEEN OF MARTYRS
PARISH STAFF:**

Pastor: Rev. Benoit Mukamba, CSSp
Deacon: Skip Royer
CRE and Parish Secretary: Marty Phillips
Music Minister: Anthony Davis

**YOUR WEEKLY
DONATIONS**

Sunday Collection:

Dec 12 \$1529

St. Vincent de Paul: Dec 12 \$30

Thank you for your generosity!



Jingle Bell's Bazaar

Thank you again for all those who participated in the planning, advertising, set up, vending, attending, clean-up, and overall success in bringing back Queen of Martyr's Jingle Bell's Bazaar! Our total profit to date \$2123. More sales pending.

Special Thank You to the ladies in the kitchen.
The Hungarian Club -specifically Debbie & Gail and those delicious home-made cabbage rolls
Betty Casey and her mouth-watering, home-made Salisbury Steaks

Jacky's contributions too numerous to mention!

Special thank you to:

Lyle Merta

Donation of Elinor Sluzas' Nativity Triptych

Purchased for \$200.00 by Gail Brockman

Furst the Florist for the beautiful arrangement

Two Anonymous Donations for signs

A huge Thank you to

Scott Zoeller owner of ZO Signs & Wall Graphics
Advertising Banners

See the bulletin board in the Narthex for the break down of the proceeds.

Split the Pot Raffle winner Tina Roberts \$190.00

Grand prize Avon Nativity winner Debbie Demeter

Miami Valley Entertainment Coupon Books

The Queen of Martyrs Rosary Altar Society is offering the new Miami Valley Entertainment Coupon books for \$20.00 a book. These make great Christmas gifts and/or stocking stuffers! If interested in purchasing a book contact Betty Carter 937-275-9619, Nancy McEldowney 937-890-0489, or any member of QM Rosary Altar Society.

UPCOMING QM / REGION 2 WORSHIP NEWS

Dec. 24, Friday, Christmas Eve Mass

3:30 pm at Our Lady of Mercy

6:00 pm at Corpus Christi

Dec. 25, Friday, Christmas Day Mass

9:00 am at Queen of Martyrs

**January 1, Saturday, Solemnity of Mary,
Mother of God Mass**

9:00 am at Queen of Martyrs

Jan 3, Monday, Eucharistic Adoration

9:00 am til noon Queen of Martyrs Church

CHRISTMAS FLOWERS

Thank you to those who donated funds for our beautiful Christmas flowers at Queen of Martyrs: Dennis and Pamela Geglein, Mary Brown, Ralph and Nancy McEldowney, Linda Grewell, Helen Foster, Thomas and Martha Wolfe, Joseph and Barbara Kolakowski, James Miller, Ron and Becky Phillips, Marty and Larry Phillips, Linda Barnes, Christine Kolakowski, Betty Casey, James and Jane Zeller, Johnny Shilt, Brian and Teresa Huntley, John Demeter, Betty Carter, Therese Vidoni, Carl and Anafel Meyer, Theresa Wells, Linda Crowell, Charlotte Minnelli, and Robin Koronich.

We are honoring and remembering the following family members and loved ones:

**Helen and Al Geglein,
Miller / McEldowney Families,
Gerald Grewell, Sr.,
Paul Foster,
Deceased Glaser and Wolfe Family Members,
Ernest Flamm,
Colin James Walsh,
Evelyn Miller,
Dorothy and Chester Phillips,
Deborah Merrick,
Alvena and William Zimmer,
Melvin and Ron Casey,
Vince Vidoni,
Deceased Members of Queen of Martyrs Church,
Mrs. E. Frantz,
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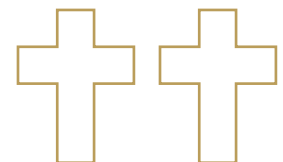
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