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Under the guidance and protection of the Blessed Virgin Mary

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MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKENDS

ICC – Kenton Saturday 4pm
Sunday 9am
7pm Last Sunday of the month (Spanish)
OLL – Ada Sunday 11am

WEEKDAYS

ICC – Kenton Wednesday & Thursday 9am
OLL – Ada Tuesday 5:30pm
Friday 9am

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

ICC – Kenton Wednesday 9:30am-1pm
OLL – Ada Tuesday 6-7pm

VESPERS

OLL – Ada Sunday 6pm



SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

ICC - Kenton Saturday 3:30pm
Sunday 8:30am
Wednesday 9:30-10:30am
OLL – Ada Tuesday during Adoration 6-7pm

Also by appointment.

Please contact Fr. Ed at eshikina@columbuscatholic.org

SACRAMENTAL EMERGENCIES AFTER HOURS

In case of imminent death, please call Fr. Ed at 419-634-2626 x7. For non-emergency anointings, communion visits, baptisms, and marriages, please notify the office.

NEW PARISHIONERS

A warm welcome to all new families and individuals.
To register, please contact your respective church office.

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SUNDAY MASS LIVESTREAM

Visit our YouTube channel at youtube.com/HardinCatholic

FLOCKNOTE

Sign up for *Flocknote* for important news, bulletin links, and weekly updates from Fr. Ed.

To sign up, go to <https://hardincatholic.flocknote.com>

MASS INTENTIONS July 29-August 6

Day	Time	Location	Intention
SAT 8-5	4:00 pm	ICC	People of the Parishes
SUN 8-6	9:00 am	ICC	For Vocations
	11:00 am	OLL	Edwin & Esther King
TUE 8-8	5:30 pm	OLL	Andrew & Barbara Tighe
WED 8-9	9:00 am	ICC	Ann Marie & Tom
			Schumm
THU 8-10	9:00 am	ICC	Orland King
FRI 8-11	9:00 am	OLL	Claire Vaubel
SAT 8-12	4:00 am	ICC	People of the Parishes
SUN 8-13	9:00 am	ICC	John Lewis
	11:00 am	OLL	Robert Hammer

Weekly Offering

	ICC	OLL
	Weekend of July 30	
Mass Collection	\$1,769.00	\$1,799.00
Fiscal YTD	\$9,922.00	\$7,565.00

Welcome Reverend Carmelo Rivera!

This visit is part of a national program in which annually a representative of one of the missionary groups visits parishes of the Diocese to invite parishioners to share in the mission work of the universal Church. The Spiritans are an international community engaged in a wide range of missionary activity in over 60 countries throughout the world. Fr. Carmelo is from Puerto Rico and is presently ministering in South America. If you are able, please place your donation in the second collection basket.

Saint of the Week

Saint Clare, Feast Day August 11

Patron Saint of the Poor Clares and television Clare Offreduccio was born to a high-ranking noble family in Assisi, Italy. From an early age, they led a life of prayer. Nearing her 18th birthday, Clare attended a Lenten mission lead by Brother Francis. The mission resonated deeply with Clare and felt God calling her to join Francis and his brothers by forming a women's branch of their new order. Aware that her family would not approve of her decision, Clare surrendered her noble attire for a coarse habit in the dark of night. She allowed Brother Francis to cut her long hair and cover her head with a veil. When her parents attempted to force her to return, she resisted, clung to the altar, and showed them her cut hair, a symbol of her dedication to God. Realizing they no longer held authority over her, her family reluctantly backed down. This marked not only a pivotal moment in Clare's life, but also the birth of the religious order of the Poor Clares.

Saint Clare, pray for us!

Assumption of Mary Holy Day of Obligation

August 14 Vigil Mass – 5:30 at ICC

August 15 Mass – 5:30 pm at OLL

VOTE TUESDAY!!

As we approach the special election on August 8th, 2023, there have been some questions circulating regarding our stance on Issue 1. Bishop Earl K. Fernandes advises that it is **permissible to encourage parishioners to vote, "YES" on Issue 1**, at the special election on **August 8th, 2023. Issue 1** asks voters if Ohio should "Require that any proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Ohio receive the approval of at least 60 percent of eligible voters voting on the proposed amendment." This would be the quickest way to defeat the abortion amendment working its way toward the polls in November.

Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for August

For World Youth Day

We pray the World Youth Day in Lisbon will help young people to live and witness the Gospel in their own lives.

New Parish Directory

Get the word out!!! In person signups went great last weekend. We will have additional in person signups after Masses in July/August. In the meantime, you can sign up online. Everyone photographed receives a complimentary 8x10 portrait & directory. Pictures will be taken at OLL Mon. Aug 21-Wed. Aug 23 and ICC Thur. Aug 24 – Sat Aug 26.

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Missionaries in Ada!

Ada has been blessed with four FOCUS missionaries to assist the ONUCatholic Students grow closer to God. They will be serving the college students by hosting Bible studies and discipleship groups. If you want to join a Bible study or learn more, you can text or call them!

Anna Sepanic
262-339-5634

Becca-Joy Root
651-274-4908

Josh Treib
810-241-6485

Alex Taylor
317-919-7281



St. Vincent DePaul will be meeting after Sunday's Mass, August 6, in the Center.

Festival News

Sunday, August 13 from Noon to 7:00pm

Raffle Tickets



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Please remember in your prayers

Please remember to keep our nursing home parishioners and homebound and the sick in your prayers:
Diane Jaeger, Rita Scharf, Carol Lowery, Ellen Ramage, Dr. Kate Johnson, Don Conkle, Pat Kusner

F&M Parade & Picnic

We will be walking or riding in the truck bed in the F&M Parade on Saturday, August 12. Line-up for the parade is at the Ada School at 8:30am. The parade will take off at approximately 9:00am. If anyone would like to donate candy to throw, please put it on the kitchen counter.

ICC Festival

Sunday August 13 from Noon – 7:00pm. Head to Kenton to support their Annual Festival. There is yummy food, bingo, music, ice cream, theme baskets, cake booth, and a country store to name a few things!

Ada Community Engagement (ACE) Day

An ONU tradition held the Saturday of Welcome Weekend.

ACE Day 2023 is Saturday, August 19th
Students will be here from 9:30 – 11:30 am.

ACE Day provides an opportunity for incoming freshmen to serve the Ada community, their new home for the next four, five or six years.

Want to help? If you would like to join in the fun of cleaning up the rectory grounds, contact Steve Johnson. It is only for two hours, and we all know that many hands make short the work!

Parish Picnic

We will have our parish picnic to welcome Fr. Schmit and ONU students on August 27th following Mass at the Ada War Memorial Park, shelter house 7. We provide the brats, dogs, and drinks; you are asked to bring a side dish, salad, or dessert to share! If you can help with set up, serving, or clean up, please contact Lisa Ferguson.

The Appeal

Parish Goal: **\$17,867.27** ➤ To Date: **\$15,000.00**
\$2,867.27 to go!

Pick up a BAA brochure and envelope or go online:
<https://columbuscatholicgiving.org/make-a-gift-now>

Thank you to all who have pledged!

... 'LORD, WHEN DID WE SEE YOU HUNGRY AND FEED YOU, OR THIRSTY AND GIVE YOU SOMETHING TO DRINK?... 'MATTHEW 35:37

Our parish is responsible for staffing the Ada Food Pantry in September. It is open Tuesdays from 4pm - 6pm and Saturdays from 10am until noon. Sign up on the sheet in the narthex!

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