

MASSES for the WEEK

Tuesday Priest Convocation
Readings: No Mass
8:00 AM Saint Matthias Church
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Wednesday Priest Convocation
Readings: No Mass
8:00 AM Saint Matthias Church
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First Friday Priest Convocation
Readings: No Mass
8:00 AM Saint Matthias Church
No Adoration

Saturday Weekday
Readings: Col 1:21-23; Lk 6:1-5
4:00 PM Saint Matthias Church
 Sacred Heart and Rosary Society

Sunday September 8, 2019 - Grandparent's Day
Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
Readings: Wis 9:13-18b; Phlm 9-10, 12-17; Lk 14:25-33
9:30 AM Holy Name of Jesus Church
 † Eleanor Bryer - Family
11:00 AM Saint Matthias Church
 Living and Deceased Members of the Parish

MEMORIAL FLAMES WEEK September 1, 2019:

SAINT MATTHIAS MEMORIAL FLAMES:

Blessed Sacrament: †
Sacred Heart: † Bill Gonda - Family
Infant Jesus: †
Sorrowful Mother: †
Saint Joseph: †
Saint Anthony: †
Saint Matthias: †

HOLY NAME OF JESUS MEMORIAL FLAMES:

Blessed Virgin: †
Saint Joseph: †
Sanctuary Lamp: †

PLEASE NOTE: Mass time schedule changes back to 11:00 AM on Sunday, September 1st, 2019.

PRIEST ANNUAL CONVOCATION: Takes place on Monday, September 2nd through Friday, September 6th. There will be No Masses celebrated at Saint Matthias Church next week. The priests will be attending this annual Convocation.



Holy Name of Jesus

Sunday, September 8, 2019 - 9:30 AM

Lectors: G. Scurti
Extra Ordinary Ministers: Sister Carole, D. Dolak, P. Werner
Servers: T. Hassay and L. Kent
Greeters: J.A. Maxgay and G. Mazzone
Collectors: J.A. Maxgay, G. Mazzone, L. Prusak, S. Prusak

Saint Matthias

Saturday, September 7, 2019 - 4:00 PM

Lectors: K. Stilson and L. Nelson
Ordinary Minister: Father.
Extra Ordinary Ministers: R. Allgower, L. Nelson, K. Stilson, J. Oravec, M. Oravec
Servers: B. Allgower and M. Allgower

Sunday, September 8, 2019 - 11:00 AM

Lectors: F. Gallo and C. Duritza
Ordinary Ministers: Father Jerek
Extra Ordinary Ministers: F. Gallo, C. Duritza, S. Jones, T. Krispinsky, T. Leonard.
Servers: E. Zornjak **server needed**



Your Prayers Are Requested For The Sick Of
Our Parish: Saint Elizabeth-Boardman:
 Philip Kurek.



BISHOP OF YOUNGSTOWN: Your prayers are requested for The Most Reverend George V. Murry, S.J., Bishop of the Youngstown Diocese. If you would like to submit a message or offer up a prayer request for Bishop Murry, you can submit them to prayer requests@youngstowndiocese.org. The Diocese will collect them all and deliver them to Bishop Murry.

SACRED HEART AND ROSARY SOCIETY: The Sacred Heart and Rosary Society will hold it's second annual meeting on First Friday in September which is the 6th. Any new members are welcome. Dues will not be collected till January 2020. We are desperately in need of a vice-president and treasurer. Our main goal is prayers, no raffles or fund raisers. Please consider joining our group. Thank you. Florence Bolchalk, President.

SLOVAK FEST SIGNS: Anyone who has a Slovak Fest sign, please return them to the vestibules at either Saint Matthias or Holy Name of Jesus.

PARISH OFFICE: Will be closed Monday, September 2, 2019, Labor Day and will reopen on Tuesday, September 3, 2019 at 8:00 AM.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS: Schedules for September and October 2019 are in the sacristies of the Churches.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY: Meeting will be held on Wednesday, September 4th, 6:00 PM, Holy Name of Jesus, Founders' Hall.

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT: *"Rather, when you hold a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind; blessed indeed will you be because of their inability to repay you." (LUKE 14:13-14)* We have a difficult time with the concept of giving without expecting something in return. Even when we give to charity we often want something in return - a raffle ticket, a dinner, a chance to play golf or our name in print. Yet, as Christian stewards, we need to remember that the true reward for our giving awaits us in heaven.



Thank You! Ďakujem!

August 25, 2019 Collection Total: \$4,004.00
 Envelopes Mailed Adults: 777 Children: 42
 Envelopes Returned: Adults: 151 Children: 01

2019 ANNUAL BISHOP'S APPEAL: Our parish has achieved 37.00% of participation towards our goal of 100% participation. There are many ways in which you can participate. Please **PRAY** for the success of the Annual Bishop's Appeal. **DONATE** to the Appeal. Use the response card you received in the mail. Please submit a response card even if you are unable to make a gift of any dollar amount. Your response will count towards our parish participation goal. **VOLUNTEER** your time and talents to any of the ministries of the Church.

ONE DAY RETREAT OPPORTUNITY AT VILLA MARIA EDUCATION AND SPIRITUALITY CENTER: Saturday, September 21, 2019 *More on Mandalas as Prayer*. The retreat will be held from 10 AM to 3 PM. For more information or to register go to vmesc.org or call 724-964-8886.

ATTENTION PARISH ORGANIZATIONS, CLUBS AND FEDERATIONS: It is time to schedule for the year 2020 your Masses, meetings, dinners, and social events; regardless of the building where the events are taking place: (Saint Matthias, Holy Name of Jesus, Saints Cyril & Methodius, or Our Lady of Mount Carmel) all events must be scheduled at the parish office 330-788-5082.

MASS BOOK OPENING: The Mass Book for 2020 will be opening in the middle of September. Right around September 16, 2019. Also the Candles for 2020 will be available. Remember, you are only allowed to schedule two Masses per year. But the Candles you can schedule as many as you want throughout the year. Price of Masses are \$10.00 each and Candles or Flames are also \$10.00 each. The Sanctuary Lamp at Holy Name of Jesus is \$15.00.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Sept 2 Parish Office will be closed. **Happy Labor Day!!**
- Sept 4 Holy Name Society meeting, 6:00 PM, HNJ, Founders Hall.
- Sept 7 Catholic Men's Fellowship, 8:30 AM, SM Church
- Sept 8 Picnic for Slovak Fest Workers, 4:00-7:00 PM, Saint Matthias Rectory Lawn. Must RSVP.
- Sept 10 Quilters, 10:00 AM - Noon, SM Church.
- Sept 12 OLOS Seniors Meeting & Lunch, 12:30-3:30 PM Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church basement.

OUR LADY OF SORROWS SENIORS' CLUB: Will hold their monthly luncheon and meeting on **Thursday, September 12 at 12:30 PM** in St. Joseph's Hall at **The Basilica of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church basement**. The hall is handicap accessible with plenty of parking in the Church's parking lot. **Please make your reservation or cancellation by calling Vice President, Kay Kalischak at (330) 967-4467 by Monday, September 9th.** A meeting with a money raffle and bingo will follow the luncheon. For the month of September, we will celebrate members Birthdays and Anniversaries. September's Menu will be: Spaghetti Dinner with Meat Balls, Wedding Soup, Salad, Bread, Butter, Dessert, Coffee, Tea, and Water. The cost will be **\$10.00**. No show members will be obligated to pay for their reserved luncheon. All who are 50 years of age and older are welcome to join the Seniors Club.

SLOVAK FEST QUILTER WINNERS: Congratulations to the following winners: Quilt: Carole Moadus. Other winners: Betty Malenic, Pat Thomas, Nancy Clausen, Kathy Vigliotti, Sister Mary Ann Genovich, Pat Thomas, Carol Amicone, Lyndsey Strines, Bonnie Smith. A HUGE THANK YOU to all who supported our raffle. Thank you to the Quilters who donated the material and their time to make our beautiful gifts.

LABOR DAY, the first Monday in September, is a creation of the **labor** movement and is dedicated to the social and economic achievements of American workers. It constitutes a yearly national tribute to the contributions workers have made to the strength, prosperity, and well-being of our country.

CATHOLIC MEN'S FELLOWSHIP: Meeting, Saturday, September 7th. 8:30 AM, Saint Matthias Church.

QUILTERS: Will meet on Tuesday, September 10th, 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM, Saint Matthias Church.



PICNIC FOR SLOVAK FEST WORKERS: Next Sunday, September 8th, 4:00-7:00 PM Saint Matthias Rectory Lawn!! Must Sign Up!! This the last weekend to sign up!!

A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE BY BUD OZAR: Family life well lived confirms the words of Jesus in today's gospel, "Those who humble themselves will be exalted." Commitment, intimacy, loyalty and love are the rewards of humble service and care for one another.

VOCATIONS: "The one who humbles himself will be exalted." When we are humble, we live selflessly and put God first. In putting God first, is He calling you to be a priest, deacon or in a religious order? To learn more of your calling, contact Father Christopher Luoni by email: cluoni@youngstowndiocese.org or call (330) 744-8451.

SAVE THE DATE: SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 2019: Tenth Annual Faith and Family Festival. A Day of fun and fulfillment for families, students and friends. It will be held on the West Quad of the campus of Walsh University at 2020 East Maple Street, North Canton, Ohio. The day will begin with Mass with Bishop George Murry, S.J. There will be activities for kids and young people, vendors, and affordable food by Café Augustine. More details to come. For more information contact dschmidt@youngstowndiocese.org or call 330-744-8451 ext 272.

7TH ANNUAL CARPATHO-RUSYN/SLAVIC YOUNGSTOWN "VATRA"(BONFIRE) TRANSPORTS YOU TO MOUNTAIN VILLAGES AND ANCIENT TRADITIONS OF VATRA: Saturday, September 7, 2019 from Noon to 8:00 PM on grounds of Infant Jesus of Prague Byzantine Catholic Church, 7754 South Avenue, Boardman, OH. A great way to get people together to socialize, enjoy food, and to strengthen both our Slavic ethnic identity and religious heritage. Homemade Slavic foods. Celebrate the Fall harvest season like our ancestors did in the Carpathian Mountains.

MARRIED COUPLES GET-AWAY WEEKEND: How would you like to learn more about your spouse and God on the same weekend? A Marriage Encounter Weekend can do that for you! The Fall Weekend is just around the corner, so make plans now to attend; October 11-13 at the Homewood Suites in Solon, Ohio. Call Jack and Fran at 330-305-9963 or GreatMarriagesOhio.org



PARISH REGISTRATION FORM Please print.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone: _____

ATTENTION MEMBERS OF THE PARISH: If you are entering an assisted living facility or a long term nursing facility, you or a family member must call the rectory at 330-788-5082, if you wish this information to appear in the bulletin under the heading Parishioners in Health Care Facilities. We do not mean to make things difficult for you, but, we must respect your privacy in this transitional time of your life.

PARISHIONERS IN HEALTH CARE FACILITIES: Your continued prayers and support are requested for the following members of our parish family who are living in area nursing facilities:

Assumption Village: Louise Cintala, Mary Klucher, and Dorothy Lafko.

Briarfield Ashley Circle: Mary Ann Buday and Mary Kocurek.

Glenellen Senior Living: Edward Hudak.

Humility House Nursing Home: Mary Farkas and Dorothy Ryznar.

Ohio Living Park Vista: Mary Jane Vranches

Omni Manor: Philomena McCaffrey

Shepherd of the Valley: Georgieann Martinko, Catherine Pearce, and Ann Topolovcak.

Windsor House Canfield: Dorothy Close, Dolores Kolar, Ed Skokan and Agnes Siragusa

The purpose of *The Friends of Our Lady of Sorrows Parish* is to have a visual reminder of our beloved deceased not only on special days such as birthdays and anniversaries but also throughout the entire year. On the first weekend of each month, a Mass is celebrated for the repose of the souls of *The Friends of Our Lady of Sorrows Parish*. Friends who are remembered are not necessarily parishioners of Our Lady of Sorrows Parish and membership to *The Friends of Our Lady of Sorrows Parish* is annual. Contact the parish office for further information.

SMILES: One Easter Sunday morning as the pastor was preaching a children's sermon, he reached into his bag of props and pulled out an egg. He pointed at the egg and asked the children, "What in here?" "I know, I know!" a little boy exclaimed, "panty hose!"

Several children found a dead robin. Feeling that a proper burial should be performed, they secured a small box and some cotton batting, dug a hole in the back yard and made ready to dispose of the deceased. The minister's 5 year old son was chosen to say the prayer. And so with great dignity, he intoned, "Glory be the Father...and unto the Son...and into the hole he goes."

HAVE A SAFE AND HAPPY LABOR DAY!!



THE FRIENDS OF OUR LADY OF SORROWS PARISH

- † Dorothy M. Babnic - Husband, Bob & Family
- † Dorothy B. Babnic - Cousin, Bob
- † Steve T. Basic - Julia Basic & Sons
- † Mr. & Mrs. Andrew Babnich - Son, Bob & Family
- † Douglas A. Bott - Wife, Donna & Family
- † Edwin Buday - Wife, Mary Ann
- † Josephine Bugbee - Niece, Betty Medina
- † Scott Burin - Doreen, Danielle, & Brittany
- † Janet Franko Caiazza - Family
- † Frank Casciano - Wife & Family
- † George Ceremuga - Wife, Marge & Family
- † Helen Chizmar - Family
- † Lisa Currao - John & Ann Ferenchak
- † Joseph R. Danko - Son, James & Denise
- † Carole Deley - Family
- † Virginia L. (Ginny) DeLuca - Family
- † Mr. & Mrs. Ralph DeMichael - Family
- † Salvatore & Anna DiFrancesco - Children
- † Ervin Dodge - Louise, Children, & Grandchildren
- † Ethel Draia - Family
- † William Drapcho - Wife, Gloria & Family
- † Mr. & Mrs. George L. Elias - G. Roger & Carole Elias
- † Dorothy & John Ferenchak - John & Ann Ferenchak
- † Michaelena Ferenchak - Daughters, Arlene, Karen, & Lisa
- † Martha J. Ferenchak - John & Ann Ferenchak
- † Edward E. Franko - Family
- † Gerchak Family - Family
- † Bill Gonda - Family
- † Scott Gonda - Family
- † Carl J. Gordulic - Family
- † Frances Gordulic - Family
- † Bertha & Ed Grisdale - Granddaughters, Arlene, Karen, & Lisa
- † Richard Gross - Wife, Gertie & Family
- † Tom & Mary Hamrock - Family
- † Nancy Hassay - Hassay Family
- † Valent Hlebovy Family - Cecilia Morrison
- † Mr. & Mrs. Frank Hodos - Fred & Betty Hodos
- † Steve J. Hruska - Wife, Ann & Family
- † John J. Hudak - Wife & Family
- † Mary & George Jacobs - Mary Lou
- † Jennie & Red Jason - Karen, Gav, Cody, & Jamey
- † Stephen & Edna L. Kachmar - Daughter, Agnes Kachmar
- † Mary L. & Michael W. Klucher - Family
- † Dolores Koshan - Cousin, Betty Medina
- † Susan & Stephen Kotasek, Sr. Family - Gerald & Judy Kotasek
- † Danny S. Krispinsky - Aunts, Uncles, & Cousins
- † Mr. & Mrs. Paul Krispinsky - Children & Grandchildren
- † George E. Krusel - Wife, Betty
- † Ronald Krusel - Mom, Betty
- † John R. Kulifay - Wife, Theresa
- † Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Kulifay - Sister In-Law, Theresa
- † Christopher Lafko - Mom, Dorothy
- † George Lafko - Wife, Dorothy
- † George & Jane LaHita - Daughter, Betty Medina
- † George R. LaHita - Sister, Betty Medina
- † Judge John J. & Ethel V. Leskovyansky - Son, John & Family
- † Mr. & Mrs. Mike Lisko - Family
- † Rita Petty LoGiudice - Sue Yarab
- † Andy Lucansky - Wife, Norma & Family
- † Lawrence McCaffrey Family - Wife, Philomena McCaffrey
- † Maddamma Family - Norma Lucansky
- † Martha M. Martinko - Family
- † Frank & Mary Jane Masonic - Niece, Betty Medina
- † Jack Maxgay - Wife & Family
- † Dr. Federico Medina - Wife, Elizabeth
- † Matilde Medina - Betty Medina
- † Ann Marie Miller - Mom
- † Mr. & Mrs. William Mokrovich - Daughter, JoAnn Mokrovich
- † Krista Musolino - Mom & Dad
- † Holly Nelson - Family
- † Mr. & Mrs. Steve Novak - Children
- † Martin & Dorothy Novotny Family - Dorothy Rock
- † Helen Olbrych - Husband, Joseph & Family
- † Al Pasquale - Wife, Flo & Family
- † Richard Pearce - Wife, Catherine & Family
- † Robert D. Patrick - Wife, Rita
- † Robert D. Patrick, Jr. - Mom, Rita
- † Mike & Margaret Penich - Daughter, Barbara
- † Gert & Nick Petrus - John & Ann Ferenchak
- † Dave Petty - Sue Yarab
- † Frank & Jennie Popovich - Family
- † Marissa J. Plakosh - Mother, Jeanne
- † Joseph & Pauline Popovich - Family
- † Leonard Puhalla - Wife, Marge
- † Joseph & Eleanor Rock Family - Dorothy Rock
- † Paul S. Rovnak, Sr. - Wife, Mary Ann Rovnak
- † Mr. & Mrs. Stephen Ruschak - Ted & Diane Russell
- † Mr. & Mrs. Ted Russell, Sr. - Ted & Diane Russell
- † Janice V. & Michael J. Scavina - Son & Daughter
- † Marie O. Scott - Loretta Smith
- † David Senchak - Mom, Mary Lou
- † Michael T. Senchak - Wife, Mary Lou
- † David Senvisky - Rose, Dana, David, Frankie, & Gracie
- † Emil Shevetz - Wife, Eleanor & Family
- † Anna & William F. Stana - Family
- † Lucy Stanek - Husband, John & Family
- † Helen & Walter Stanyard - Judy & Gerald Kotasek
- † Edward & Emily Swierz - Son, Denis
- † Thomas Tinkler - Wife, Shirley
- † John Titak - Wife & Children
- † Rosemarie Sewell Titak - Titak Family
- † Frances Triveri - Patti L. Kosek
- † Triveri Family - Patti L. Kosek
- † Arlene & Anthony Van - John & Ann Ferenchak
- † Beverly Varso - Mother, Ann & Brother, John
- † John Varso, Sr. - Wife, Ann & Son, John
- † Kathy Wittenauer - Mom, Betty
- † Eugene D. Zentko - Wife, Kathryn & Family