



OUR LADY OF SORROWS PARISH

**Saint Cyril and Methodius Church
Holy Name of Jesus Church
Saint Matthias Church**

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WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Saturday 4:00 pm

Saint Matthias Church

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Sunday 10:30 am

Saint Matthias Church

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Sacrament of Penance

Saturday 3:00 pm

Saint Matthias Church

PARISH STAFF

Father John M. Jerek

Pastor

Mr. Robert Chismar

Music Director

MaryAnn Dulay

Administrative

Assistant

Parish Office Hours

9 am to 4 pm

Weekdays



The Fifth Sunday of Easter

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

Our Lady of Sorrows Parish, a Roman Catholic Community immersed in its Slovak heritage, proclaims the Good News of Jesus Christ to those we encounter. Under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, we build up the Kingdom of God by our expression of Faith through our experience of culture. We share the Good News through proclamation, catechesis, ongoing conversion and service to others, especially the poor and disadvantaged.

This Week in the Liturgy
All Masses at Saint Matthias Church

Tuesday, May 4

Acts 14:19-28; Jn 14:27-31(a)
8:00am - † Mary Ann Buday by John & Betty Malenic

Wednesday, May 5

Acts 15:1-6; Jn 15: 1-8
8:00am - † Jack Maxgay by family

Friday, May 7

Acts 15:22-31; Jn 15:12-17
8:00am - Sacred Heart and Rosary Society
8:30-10am - Adoration

Saturday, May 8

Vigil of the Sixth Sunday of Easter
Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48; 1 Jn 4:7-10; Jn 15:9-17
4:00pm † Frances Triveri by Patty and Kenny Kosek
† Holy Name Society and John Buday

Sunday, May 9

Sixth Sunday of Easter
Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48; 1 Jn 4:7-10; Jn 15:9-17
10:30 am † Mary Scurti by family

This Week's Memorial Flames

Sacred Heart by Sacred Heart and Rosary Society

Saint Matthias † John J. Hudak by family

Liturgical Ministers

Saturday, May 8, 4:00pm

Lectors: A. Pavalko
Eucharistic Ministers: M. Oravec
Servers: B & M Allgower
Greeters/Collectors: J. Schneider, R. Bakes

Sunday, May 9, 10:30am

Lectors: P. Gallo
Eucharistic Ministers: P. Werner, M. Baytos
Servers: M. Shaffer, L. Smith
Greeters/Collectors: G. Kramer, M. Ekoniak, R. Makovec

Sacraments at Our Lady of Sorrows Parish

Anyone seeking the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, Anointing of the Sick or Marriage should contact Father Jerek at the parish office. Anyone discerning a vocation to the priesthood, religious life, the diaconate, or other forms of church ministry is encouraged to discuss these matters with Father Jerek.

Parish Prayer Line

Pat Thomas at 330.788.8018

Campora To-Go on Thursday, May 6th. Breaded or plain chicken breast over: pasta broccolini—\$14 or pasta with red sauce—\$13. Both served with salad. To order, call or text 330-717-2046. No walk in orders taken. Dinners can be picked up at the **Saint Luke Banquet Centre, 3235 South Avenue, between 3:30-5:30.**

As of May 7th the **Sacred Heart and Rosary Society** will resume the First Friday Novena to the Sacred Heart after the 8am Mass. Novena and rosary will be recited. We stopped the devotions during the Covid 19 quarantine, but it is time to get back to the basics and re-start the devotion. All are welcome to attend. God Bless!

Mass Intentions and Memorial Flames for 2021 are available. Please call the parish office.

Spring Raffle tickets have been mailed. If you have not received your mailing yet or would like additional tickets please call MaryAnn at the parish office. The first winning ticket will be drawn on May 12th. The proceeds from this raffle as well as the other cash raffles and the parish dinners are used to defray some costs of the daily operating expenses for our parish. Please support our raffle.

25th, 40th, 50th and over Wedding Anniversary Celebration The Diocese of Youngstown is sponsoring a **Wedding Anniversary Celebration on Sunday, June 13, 2:00 p.m. at St. Columba Cathedral in Youngstown**, honoring couples observing their 25th, 40th, 50th and over wedding anniversaries in 2021.

The Celebration will include Mass with Bishop Bonnar, renewal of vows and a personalized certificate for each couple. Couples may opt to attend the Wedding Anniversary Mass at the Cathedral or they may participate via livestreaming on the diocesan website at www.doy.org. Limited spaces are available at the cathedral. You must make reservations in advance by contacting the parish office before **May 13.**

The Infant Jesus of Prague Guild will meet on Monday, May 17th at 1pm in the church vestibule. Please bring your own beverage. Food will be supplied.

The Our Lady of Sorrows Holy Name Society will offer a Pulled Smoked Chicken Sandwich Dinner on Saturday, May 22. Carry-out may be picked up from 5 to 6 pm on the church portico. Dinner includes smoked chicken sandwich, chips, cole slaw, a cookie and water for \$10.00. Tickets will be available following weekend Masses or at the parish office during the week.

Slovak Fest 2021 will be held on Sunday, August 15, from noon to 4 pm on our parish grounds. Please give some thought as to how you can help with the Fest. We will need baskets for the basket raffle, baked goods for our Bake Sale, and many volunteers to help cook and prepare food at the Fest and in the months preceding it. Last year, we were the only parish festival in the Valley and respecting social distancing protocols, ours turned out to be a great success.



Thank You...

Offering for
Sunday, April 24/25
\$4051.00

2021 Bishop's Appeal for Church and Charity

Please do your part to help Our Lady of Sorrows reach its 2021 goal of \$38,300.

This important appeal funds the good work of Catholic charities, and other diocesan ministries. We count on your support and thank all those who have given! Thus far 160 households have pledged \$24,577.

Friends of Our Lady of Sorrows Parish

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. Membership to ***The Friends of Our Lady of Sorrows Parish*** is annual. Contact the parish office for further information.

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.

Ohio Living Park Vista: Mary Jane Vranches.

Omni Manor: Dorothy Close and Philomena McCaffrey.

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

Windsor House Canfield: Ed Skokan.

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.

~ Friends of Our Lady of Sorrows ~

- † Dorothy M. Babnic - Husband, Bob & Family
† Dorothy J. Babnic - Cousin, Bob
† Steve T. Basic - Family
† Julia Basic - Family
† Mr. & Mrs. Andrew Babinich - Son
† Douglas A. Bott - Wife, Donna
† Scott Burin - Doreen, Danielle, Brittany
† Janet Franko Caiazza - Family
† Frank Casciano - Wife & Family
† George Ceremuga - Wife, Marge & Family
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† Theresa DeMichael - Joe & Marcia Jeswald
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† Stephen J. & Edna L. Kachmar - Daughter, Agnes Kachmar
† Gerald L. Kotasek, Wife, Judith
† Susan & Stephen Kotasek
† Danny S. Krispinsky - Aunts, Uncles, & Cousins
† Mr. & Mrs. Paul Krispinsky - Children & Grandchildren
† Mary & John Krol—Titak Family
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† 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
† Mr. & Mrs. Mike Lisko - Family
† Andy Lucansky - Wife, Norma & Family
† Maddamma Family - Norma Lucansky
† John R. Martinko - Family
† Martha M. Martinko - Family
† Jack Maxgay - Wife & Family
† Mr. & Mrs. William Mokrovich - Daughter, JoAnn Mokrovich
† Krista Musolino - Mom & Dad
† Holly Nelson - Family
† Steve & Sophie Novak - Children
† Martin & Dorothy Novotny Family - Dorothy Rock
† Richard Pearce - Wife, Catherine & Family
† Margaret & Mike Penich - Daughter, Barbara Titak
† Frank & Jennie Popovich - Family
† Marissa Plakosh - Mother, Jeanne
† Joseph Popovich - Family
† Pauline Popovich - Family
† Jennie Popovich - Family
† Frank Popovich—Family
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† Leonard Puhalla - Wife, Marge
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† Robert Rock—Wife, Dorothy
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† Michael T. Senchak - Wife, Mary Lou
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† John & Rose Titak - Children
† Rose Sewell Titak - Titak Family
† Frances Triveri - Patti L. Kosek
† Triveri Family - Patti L. Kosek
† Trojack Family—Marion & Joseph Chance
† Mary and Joseph Voytko—Family
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