



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



Pentecost Sunday
The Great Feast of the Holy Spirit

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

Tuesday, June 7

1 Kgs 17:7-16/Ps 4:2-3, 4-5, 7b-8/Mt 5:13-16

8:00am — † Ann Tokarsky by family

Wednesday, June 8

1 Kgs 18:20-39/Ps 16:1b-2ab, 4, 5ab and 8, 11/Mt 5:17-19

8:00am — † Steve A. Hruska by mother Anna Hruska

Friday, June 10

1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-16/Ps 27:7-8a, 8b-9abc, 13-14/Mt 5:27-32

8:00am — † Kenneth Ferenchak by Mary Ann Krispinsky

Saturday, June 11

Eve of The Most Holy Trinity

Prv 8:22-31/Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [2a]/Rom 5:1-5/Jn 16:12-15

4:00pm — † Holy Name Society and Jeff Jerek

Sunday, June 12

The Most Holy Trinity

Prv 8:22-31/Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [2a]/Rom 5:1-5/Jn 16:12-15

10:30am — † Pete Kutlick by daughter Amy

This Week's Memorial Flames

Blessed Sacrament—† Valerie Erickson by sister Margie

Infant Jesus — † John W. Danko by Donna & Rick Fleck

Sorrowful Mother—Jeff Jerek by Jacques J. Bataille

Saint Matthias — † Bill Gonda by family

Liturgical Ministers**Saturday, June 11, 4:00pm**

Lector: G. Scurti

Eucharistic Ministers: D. Slinwinski

Servers: J. Yablonkai

Greeters/Collectors: J. Schneider, R. Bakes, R. Blasko

Sunday, June 12, 10:30am

Lector: S. Pollock, S. Jones

Eucharistic Ministers: T. Krispinsky, R. McGivern

Servers: S. Babik

Greeters/Collectors: G. Kramer, M. Ekonik, 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



*Rest in
Peace*

Carol Torres and Mary Starr

A message from our pastor ...



Dear parishioners,

Today's Feast of Pentecost celebrates the gift of the Holy Spirit in our church and in our lives. For centuries the Spirit has worked through us to do God's work on this earth, and we have come to learn that the Holy Spirit is never finished with us. Give some thought as to where and whom the Spirit is calling you these days.

Our parish rejoices as our own Johnny Rovnak is ordained to the transitional diaconate this weekend. He joins Brook Benedict, Bob England and Frederick Schlueter in receiving this sacrament which hopefully will result in ordination to the priesthood next spring. Johnny and his family have belonged to Our Lady of Sorrows for generations and he is a St. Matthias School alumnus. Today we give thanks for his vocation and ask God to bless him with joy in his ministry and holy perseverance. Congratulations to him and to his family.

As the heart of summer approaches, we will be gearing up for Slovak Fest on Sunday, August 14. Soon a mailing will go out detailing the components of this annual reunion and celebration. Our parish will also be part of St. Christine's Feast Day Celebration on Sunday, July 24, offering our own Slovak Food Booth whose proceeds benefit our parish. Please consider helping at these enjoyable summer events.

Have a great week!

Fr. John Jerek

jjerek@youngstowndioocese.org

MARK YOUR CALNEDAR NOW! Saturday, June 25th the Holy Name Society will be at it again, preparing their pulled pork sandwiches for sale. Complete menu in next weeks bulletin.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY MEMBERS are reminded that their meeting will be held this Wednesday, June 8th at 6pm.

It's not too late to purchase a **2022 HOLY NAME SOCIETY RAFFLE** ticket. Each ticket costs \$10. Three winning tickets are drawn at their monthly meetings. For more information or to purchase a ticket see a HNS member or call the parish office.

The **INFANT JESUS OF PRAGUE** guild will meet on Monday, June 20th at 1pm in the Cry Room. Members will discuss their summer picnic. Please remember to bring your own beverage.

The Parish Office **SUMMER HOURS** will be Monday-Friday 9am-pm.

The **Seniors Club** of Our Lady of Sorrows Parish will hold its monthly luncheon and meeting on **THURSDAY, JUNE 9TH AT 12:30 PM** at St. Christine's Parish Hall, 3125 S. Schenley Avenue in Youngstown, 44511. Please make your reservation by calling its **VICE PRESIDENT, KAY KALIS-CHAK AT (330) 967-4467**. A meeting with a money raffle and bingo will follow the luncheon. For the month of June, we will celebrate members Birthdays, Anniversaries and Father's Day. **RESERVATION OR CANCELLATION DEADLINE IS MONDAY, JUNE**

6TH. June's menu will be a brunch of Palacinka (Crepes), Scrambled Eggs, Sausage Links, Home Fried Potatoes, Orange Juice, Pastries, Coffee, Tea and Water. Luncheon will be catered by our member Chef Christopher Bonacci. The cost of the luncheon will be **11.00**. No show members will be obligated to pay for their reserved luncheon. See you on **June 9th** and God bless all of our fathers, living and deceased.



Thank You

**Offering for Sunday,
May 28/29
\$4,952.50**

WANTED: If you attended the closing Mass at Saint Cyril & Methodius and took pictures it would be appreciated if you could send them digitally to the parish office at **ourlady915@gmail.com**

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 and membership to **The Friends of Our Lady of Sorrows Parish** is annual.

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: Mary Klucher, and Dorothy Lafko.

Park Vista: Mary Jane Vranches.

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

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.

OUR LADY OF SORROWS PARISH COUNCIL MEMBERS: Laura Mulligan, Bob Babnic, Diane Balog, Mary Ann Baranyi, MaryAnn Dulay, Loretta Ekonik, Fr. John Jerek, David Klacik, Flo Schneider, and Jerry Yablonkai.

OUR LADY OF SORROWS FINANCE COUNCIL MEMBERS: Sandy Anderson, Mike Ekonik, Loretta Smith, Jim Jerek, Mike Sliwinski, MaryAnn Dulay and Father Jerek.

~ 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 Babnich - Son
- † Douglas A. Bott - Wife, Donna
- † Scott Burin - Doreen, Danielle, Brittany
- † Janet Franko Caiazza - Family
- † Frank Casciano - Wife & Family
- † Catullo Family - Cecelia Casciano
- † George Ceremuga - Wife, Marge & Family
- † Helen Chizmar - Michael & Judy Lisko
- † Joanne K. Deemer - Sister, Cyndi Frohman
- † Margaret E. Deemer - Daughter, Cyndi Frohman
- † Ralph DeMichael Sr. - Joe & Marcia Jeswald
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- † Gerchak Family - Family
- † Andrew & Adele, Sr. Glista - Children
- † Bill Gonda - Family
- † Scott Gonda - Family
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- † John & Frances Gordulic - Family
- † Richard Gross - Wife, Gertie & Family
- † Tom & Mary Hamrock - Family
- † Margaret & Mike Hanuschak - Loretta & Mike Ekonik
- † Valent Hlebovy Family - Cecilia Morrison
- † Mr. & Mrs. Frank Hodos - Son, Fred & Betty Hodos
- † Ron Hoffman - Mary Ann Hoffman, Wife
- † Marie Peppy Hripko - Chief & Margaret
- † Joanne Hruska-Testa - Family
- † Steve J. Hruska - Wife, Ann & Family
- † Stephen A. Hruska - Mother
- † John J. Hudak - Wife & Family
- † John & Mary Hutira - Daughter, Mary Ann and Family
- † Mary & George Jacobs - Daughter Mary Lou
- † Stephen J. & Edna L. Kachmar - Daughter, Agnes Kachmar
- † Gerald L. Kotasek - Wife, Judith A. Kotasek
- † Susan & Stephen Kotasek
- † Danny S. Krispinsky - Aunts, Uncles, & Cousins
- † Margaret Kramer - Family
- † Mr. & Mrs. Paul Krispinsky - Children & Grandchildren
- † Mary & John Krol - Titak/Whitaker Families
- † 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
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- † Maddamma Family - Norma Lucansky
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- † Martha M. Martinko - Family
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- † Mr. & Mrs. William Mokrovich - Daughter, JoAnn Mokrovich
- † Krista Musolino - Mom & Dad
- † Holly Nelson - Family
- † Steve & Sophie Novak - Children
- † Martin & Dorothy Novotny Family - Dorothy Rock
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- † Jennie Popovich - Family
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- † Michael T. Senchak - Wife, Mary Lou
- † Rose Sewell Titak - Titak Family
- † Marie O. Scott - Loretta G. Smith
- † Emil Shevetz - Wife, Eleanor & Family
- † Lucy Stanek - Husband, John & Family
- † Helen & Walter Stanyard - Judy Kotasek
- † Joseph & Johanna Stasko & Family - Dorothy Rock
- † Mildred Steffens, Titak/Whitaker Families
- † Stella & Albert Swansiger - John & Alberta Lee Toker
- † Thomas Tinkler - Wife, Shirley
- † John & Barbara Titak - Children
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- † Triveri Family - Patti L. Kosek
- † Trojack Family - Marion & Joseph Chance
- † Mary and Joseph Voytko - Family
- † Joanne Vranches - Husband John & Family
- † Stephen Wash - Family
- † Kathy Wittenauer - Mom, Betty
- † Paul & Irene Zeleny - Titak/Whitaker Families
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