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Holy Name of Jesus Church
Saint Matthias Church**

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WEEKEND MASS TIMES

SAINT MATTHIAS CHURCH

Saturday – 4:00 pm

SAINT CHRISTINE PARISH

Saturday – 4:00 pm

Sunday – 7:00 am

9:00 – am & 11:00 am

SAINT BRENDAN

Sunday – 9:00 am

Sacrament of Penance

Saturday 9:00 am

Saint Christine Parish

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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.

Tuesday, September 30, 2025

8am: — † Florence Pasquale

Wednesday, October 1, 2025

8am: — † Elaine Charnoky by Mildred Campean

Saturday, October 4, 2025

4:00: — † Friends of Our Lady of Sorrows and Joseph Pekarck by family

This Week's Memorial Flames

Blessed Sacrament — † Edward Dulay by daughter MaryAnn Dulay

Infant Jesus — † Randy Krispinsky by cousin MaryAnn Dulay

Infant Jesus — † Joseph Spirko by MaryAnn Dulay

Liturgical Ministers

Saturday, October 4 ~ 4pm

Lector: L. Mihin

Eucharistic Ministers: L. Smith

Servers: D. Sliwinski

Greeters/Collectors: J. Schneider, R. Bakes, R. Balasko, B. Babnic

FRIENDS OF OUR LADY OF SORROWS:

It's not too late to renew yours Friends of Our Lady of Sorrows remembrance. If you would like to renew your remembrance or add a deceased loved one to the Friends list simply call MaryAnn at the parish office 330-792-3829. The new list will be published in next weekend's bulletin.

MASS FOR SHUT-INS may be seen on Sunday mornings at 9am on channel 21 WFMJ.



**Collection for Sunday,
September 21, 2025**

\$3,428.77

Thank you for your continued support!

Bishop David J. Bonnar to Speak at the First Friday Club of Greater Youngstown. As part of a larger diocesan effort to renew devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus on its 350th Jubilee, Bishop David J. Bonnar will speak at the First Friday Club of Greater Youngstown on Thursday, October 2, 2025 about his reflections, including on this practice. Meetings are at Avion on the Water Banquet Center, from 11:30 am to 1:00 pm. For tickets, visit <https://firstfridayclubofgreateryoungstown.org/> or call 330-720-4498.

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Did You Know?

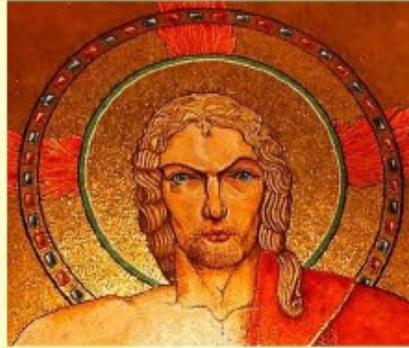
.....from Carmen Roebke. Carmen is the Director of Faith Formation at St. Christine Parish.

Did you know that hospitality is an essential Christian practice?

Consider the many instances of hospitality in the Scriptures. From the Old Testament: Abraham welcoming the three men near the oak tree of Mamre (*Gen 18*) which turns out to be a theophany (an appearance of God), David and his followers receiving beds and grain at Mahanaim as they fled conflict with David's son Absalom (*2Sam 17*) the widow at Zarephath feeding Elijah from her last supply of flour (*1Kgs 17*). The New Testament makes explicit that only where the disciples find hospitality, will they be able to share the Gospel (*Mt 10; Mk 6; Lk 9*). While we have no examples of Jesus hosting any dinner parties, he was a walking example of hospitality expelling demons, curing the sick and socializing with outcasts. His first miracle, turning water into wine at a wedding feast (*Jn 2*), results in saving face for the bridal party and allowing the feasting to continue.

Of course, the practice of hospitality in Christian life requires a bit more than hosting a wedding feast. It is a disposition that makes people feel welcome, regardless of the situation, how inconvenient it may be, or how empty our own well of empathy may feel. Sometimes hospitality merely requires courtesy; other times it may consist of a real cost to us requiring a sharing our time, talent, or treasure. Nevertheless, as followers of Christ we are called to offer hospitality to all that we meet.

As a parish community, the time we find in which we find ourselves provides us with ample opportunities to extend hospitality to those who need to feel welcome in our midst. As the number of local parishes continues to diminish through collaborations, mergers, and closings, we will see more faces that we don't recognize at Mass. That is a good thing, even if they are sitting in your seat (gasp!). Mass isn't a business transaction; it is a communal experience. Take a chance, ask their name, warmly shake their hand. Of course, you won't remember their name next week, but they will remember that you welcomed them. I always find a simple, "Help me with your name." to be very effective at saving myself from the embarrassment of not being able to remember everyone I meet. Just try it.



**The Book of Revelation:
The End, the Beginning, or Both?**

*A six-part series unraveling the mysteries
of the last book of the Bible*

Wednesdays, September 24 through October 29

6:00 pm – 8:15 pm

St. Christine Church and Parish Center

Beginning with Evening Prayer in Church
followed by supper and presentation
in the Parish Center

Please join us as we explore how Catholics approach the Scriptures and the unique place the Book of Revelation occupies in our tradition. We will also discuss the misunderstandings of the book and the ways it can lead us into a deeper appreciation of the place of Jesus Christ in our Church and in our lives.

Free and open to all!

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ANNUAL RED MASS FOR LEGAL PROFESSIONS will take place on Thursday, October 23rd at 12:10pm at Saint Columba Cathedral. The Most Reverend David J. Bonnar, Bishop of Youngstown will preside. A luncheon and program will follow at St. Columba Hall. The annual event is for all men and women involved in legal and judicial professions in the six counties of the Diocese of Youngstown and is sponsored by the Thomas More Society.

There is a cost for the luncheon and registration is required. For additional information and to RSVP, please contact Karen Thomas at 330-744-8451, ext. 278.

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