

Holy Rosary Church

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MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday: 5:00 p.m. (Vigil Mass)

Sunday: 8:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m., & 8:00 p.m.

Weekday: Monday - 7:00 p.m.; Tuesday, Wednesday &
Friday - 12:15 p.m.; Thursday - 7:00 a.m.

Holy Day: 5:30 p.m. (Vigil), 12:15 p.m. & 8:00 p.m.

First Saturday: 8:30 a.m. Mass

First Friday: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
after 12:15 p.m. Mass until reposition at 1:45 p.m.

Reconciliation: Saturday 4:00 - 4:45 p.m.; and
Wednesday 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. or by appointment.

Baptisms: Call the Rectory at 216-421-2995.

Marriages: Arrangements must be made at least six
months in advance. Contact Fr. Previte.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A.):
Contact Anne DeMarco or Fr. Previte.

Rosary: Twenty minutes before weekday Masses.
First weekend of month—twenty minutes before
all Masses with the exception of 8:00 p.m. Mass.

Hall Rental: Contact Jerry Novario at 216-346-5399.

Dear Parish Family,

We are privileged to have Bishop Lennon celebrate the 11:00 a.m. Mass this weekend during which he will administer the Sacrament of Confirmation to eleven adolescents and five adults. All the confirmandi have been preparing in various ways to receive this final sacrament of initiation by which they fully incorporate themselves into the life of the Church. It is a great day of joy for them, their families, and our parish.

As a parish community, we can be proud of all those who receive Confirmation this weekend. Each of them has embraced their preparation for this sacrament and is prepared to accept the responsibilities it brings to integrate their lives in both prayer and service for building up the Body of Christ, the Church. We are grateful to all those who helped prepare these candidates: their parents as the primary teachers of the faith, and our catechetical leaders, Laura Parran, Deacon Bruce and Anne DeMarco. Let us pray that the Holy Spirit will continue to guide their lives.

This coming week, we look forward to the beginning of Lent on Ash Wednesday. It is the time for the Church's annual retreat—a time of more intense prayer, fasting from those things that keep us from experiencing the Presence of God in our lives, and giving to those more in need than ourselves as we recognize our blessings.

Lent offers us a profound opportunity for conversion, a change not only in what we do but in who we are. That change can only happen if we abandon our own desires to those of a loving and merciful God, who earnestly wants to share his life and love with us. God seeks our response. Will we turn toward the Lord this Lent and enter more deeply into the paschal mystery or will we turn away? It is easy to just want to escape, to ignore the sacrifice that conversion requires. But escape leads us to an undisciplined life in which God is absent. Ultimately it leads to slavery.

Christ offers us freedom. Our Lenten practices, while sacrificial and difficult, discipline us to live in the freedom of the children of God. Authentic freedom means to live a life to which we are called, to love God and our neighbor, and doing this well brings us joy. The season of Lent helps us to increase our ability to love through its penitential practices. The choice is up to us. Pray that Holy Spirit gives us the courage to allow ourselves to experience deep conversion this Lent.

As a parish community, there will be many opportunities for us to enter more deeply into the mysteries of this Lenten season. Respond to God's invitation and experience the change within.

In Christ,
Father Joe Previte

With Gratitude and Appreciation

Weekly Budget: \$ 6,500.00
February 12: \$ 5,827.08



Upcoming Parish Events—Please Mark Your Calendar:

Sunday, Feb. 19:

- Atrium 9:30-10:30 a.m. (Dismissed early for 11:00 Mass);
- Confirmation at 11:00 a.m. Mass

Tuesday, Feb. 21: • Sant' Egidio. 7:00 p.m. (Church); and

- RCIA 7:00 p.m. (Adult Ed Room)

Wednesday, Feb. 22: ASH WEDNESDAY—morning prayer at 7:30 a.m.; Mass at 12:15 p.m. and 8:00 p.m.

Friday, Feb. 24: Eucharistic Adoration after 12:15 p.m. Mass until Reposition at 1:45 p.m. (Adoration on all Fridays of Lent)

- Stations of the Cross at 7:00 p.m. (Church)

Sunday, Feb. 26: • Atrium 9:30-11:00 a.m. • First Communion

Preparation for children only from 11:15 a.m. to 12:45 p.m. (3rd Floor School)

Confirmation at Holy Rosary Sunday, February 19, 2012 Sacrament conferred by the Most Reverend Richard G. Lennon, Bishop of Cleveland



Congratulations Confirmandi:

- John Alexander • Alex Allegretto • Eva Bajko,
- Gina Bompiedi • Gabrielle Boylan
- Jerome Comella • Blaise DeRoberts
- Astra Driscoll • Amber Evans,
- Rose Eyerman • Nick Gaba • Emma Kopp
- Ina Martin • Katharine Moore • Laura Schneider
and Thomas Tube.

Your parish family offers you our promise of prayers and support as you live your Catholic faith in school, the marketplace, at home, and as you share your gifts and talents in the Church of Holy Rosary and the Church throughout the world.



ASH WEDNESDAY

Wednesday, February 22 is **Ash Wednesday**. Ashes will be distributed at the Morning Prayer Service at 7:30 a.m. and at the 12:15 and 8:00 p.m. Masses.

Reminder: Ash Wednesday is a day of fasting (ages 18 to 58) and abstinence from meat (over age 14).

† Rest in Peace †

Louis Yafanaro
Fr. Francis Curran

Remembering our past with gratitude...Looking to our future with hope...

Parish Council Meeting:

The Parish Pastoral Council will next meet at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, Feb. 27 in the Adult Ed Room. Council members are welcome to attend 7:00 p.m. Mass before the meeting.

St. Joseph Table—Tickets on Sale

This year's Saint Joseph's Table will be held on Monday, March 19, the Solemnity of Saint Joseph. Mass will be celebrated at 6:30 p.m. followed by a special St. Joseph's Table dinner hosted by Social Concerns in the church hall. Proceeds from the dinner will benefit the poor and needy of our parish. Monetary donations are welcome to defray the cost of food and supplies so that 100% of the proceeds will go directly to the poor and needy. If you would like to make a contribution, please place your donation in the offertory basket in an envelope marked "St. Joseph Table." Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$5 for children under age 12.

To purchase tickets, please contact the Parish Office at 216-421-4995.

Volunteers for the Rite of Election and Call to Continuing Conversion of Catechumens and Candidates

The Rite of Election of Catechumens and Call to Continuing Conversion of Candidates will be held on Sunday, Feb. 26, 2012 at 5:30 p.m., at the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist. The Diocese is asking for volunteers to act as ushers. Ushers should arrive at 4:30 p.m. and assist until the beginning of the liturgy at 5:30 p.m. It is a wonderful time for Holy Rosary parishioners to witness the commitment made by hundreds of people throughout the Diocese as they continue their journey of faith in the RCIA Process. If you are interested and would like to participate, please contact Anne DeMarco, 216-421-2995. Thank you.

Outdoor Stations of the Cross

This Lent we would like to have crosses in the locations listed below for our outdoor Stations of the Cross on Good Friday. If you would like a cross to be placed as a station in front of your home, please call Anne DeMarco at 216-421-2995. *Two homes are needed on each of the following streets:* E. 120th, Fairview, Coltman, E. 123rd, Random & Murray Hill; and *one home is needed on E.124th Street*. Participants are asked to provide a purple draping for the Lenten Season and a white draping for the Easter Season. Thank you.

Urgent Need for Winter Clothing-Ozanam Center

Used but usable cold weather clothing is needed for distribution at the Father Michael Wittman Ozanam Center in East Cleveland. The donations should be placed in the boxes in the church hall by February 24th. Clothing only please. Holy Rosary volunteers are also needed to work on Saturday, Feb. 25 from 10:00 to 1:00 p.m. Please call Fred at 216-321-4596, or at karbo7@yahoo.com to volunteer your time, or if you have any questions. Thank you!

Holy Rosary Choir—Invitation

Parishioners and students with musical ability are invited to join the Holy Rosary Choir. Please come to the choir loft after any Mass to talk to the Music Director, Ülle Laido, to discuss what ensemble would work best for you. Instrumentalists are always welcome too!

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS (RCIA)



The RCIA process continues weekly on Tuesdays from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. If you—or someone you know—are interested in learning more about the Catholic faith, have not been baptized, were baptized in a non-Catholic Christian tradition, or were baptized in the Catholic Church and have not yet received the sacraments of Eucharist and/or Confirmation, please contact Father Joe Previte or Anne DeMarco at the Rectory Office at 216-421-2995.

40 Days for Life — and Kickoff Rally

Monday, Feb. 20 7:00 p.m. at Grace Church in Middleburg Heights. Kickoff Rally, Guest Speaker: Shawn Carney, National Director for 40 Days for Life. In 2004, Carney helped lead the first 40 Days for Life campaign in College Station, Texas - in front of the Planned Parenthood where "Unplanned" author Abby Johnson worked. Weds, Feb. 22 - April 1 40 Days for Life: Join with others in prayer to seek God's favor in turning hearts and minds to a culture of life through peaceful prayer, fasting, and community outreach. www.40daysforlife.com/cleveland

Little Italy Rummage Sale!

The Montessori School at Holy Rosary invites you to participate in a neighborhood sale at the Alta House on Saturday, February 25th from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Come and browse to find new treasures! Proceeds benefit the MSHR's International Day spring festivities. A donation will also be made back to the Alta House. Anyone wishing to donate items to the sale, may drop them off at the Alta House on Friday, February 24th or contact the school for a pick up (in the neighborhood). You may also wish to purchase a space and sell your own items. Tables are available for \$25 each. Homemade crafts, household items, clothing, toys, small appliances, etc. Call the school for more info 216-421-0700. Let Spring fever come a little early this year!

Men's Retreat—Feb. 25th: Saturday, Feb. 25th, Catholic Men's Fellowship of Northeast Ohio is holding their annual "Answer the Call" conference at Villa Angela-St. Joseph High School. Breakfast at 8:00 a.m. and concludes with 4:00 p.m. Mass celebrated by Bishop Lennon. Registration includes breakfast, lunch & conference programs. www.cmfneo.com

Marriage Enrichment 2012

Marriage and the Four Classical Temperaments: A Deeper Discovery of Your Spouse and Yourself. Saturday, March 3, 1:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. Talks, Reconciliation, Mass with Renewal of vows, candlelight dinner and social. St. Michael's Woodside, 5025 Mill Road, Broadview Heights, OH 44147. For information contact: Bill & Tanis Merimee at MarriageRenewal@gmail.com or 440-570-1523. Flyers are available in Holy Rosary's literature rack. Cost: \$80.

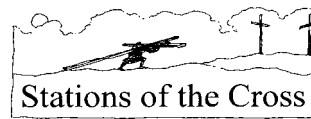
2012 H.E.A.P. Energy Assistance Applications Available

Please see information and 2012 applications on the bulletin board in the main church entrance to apply for the Home Energy Assistance Program.

Stations of the Cross at Holy Rosary

Please mark your calendar for the Lenten Stations of the Cross at 7:00 p.m. in the Church.

- February 24** On the Way of the Cross with St. Paul (St. Anthony Women's Society)
- March 2** Way of the Cross Toward Justice and Peace (Social Concerns)
- March 9** Way of the Cross (Holy Rosary Society)
- March 16** Mary's Way of the Cross (RCIA)
- March 23** Stations of the Cross for Religious Vocations (Fr. Joe Previte)
- March 30** The Way of the Cross According to Mark (Youth Ministry)



Newman Catholic Campus Ministry

Office: InterFaith Center, 11205 Euclid Avenue.
 Tony Vento, Newman Catholic Campus Minister,
 Phone: (216) 421-9614, x. 302

Email: Tony Vento: tvento@dioceseofcleveland.org

- **Lenten “Reverse Happy Hour Mardi Gras”** for graduate and professional students on Tuesday, Feb 21, 7:00 to 10:00 PM at the Euclid Tavern. Free appetizers and dessert.
- The **Catholic Graduate and Professional Students** will also have a **weekly free Lenten dinner** at the **InterFaith Center** from **5:30 to 7 PM** each Friday of Lent.
- Newman invites all to the **on-campus Ash Wednesday** service which will be at **4 PM, February 22** with a **free light meatless dinner** right afterwards at **Amasa Stone Chapel**.

www.NCCM.org, or Facebook: *Newman Catholic Student Association*

Our Lady of Lourdes Shrine & Gift Shop has a variety of Confirmation and First Communion items, gifts and books. Open 7 days a week from 10 to 4:30 year round. 21281 Chardon Rd near Euclid Ave. (216) 481-0900.



Pray for our men and women in the military, law enforcement & fire fighters

- Third District Cleveland Police • Battalion I Cleveland Fire Fighters • City of Bedford Safety Forces • Fire Fighter Nicholas Angie, Kirtland • First Lieut. Timothy Berger, Marines • Lt. Colonel Christopher E. Brown, Army • Sgt. Dan Clementi, Shaker Hts. Police Dept. • Rct. Frank DiPenti, Marines • Lt. Guy Estergall, Cleveland Fire Department • Patrol Officer Christopher Frato, Jr., Shaker Heights • Fire Fighter Joseph Frato (NC) • Pvt. Aaron Gobidas, Marines • James Kastelic, Army Special Forces • William Madan, Firefighter • Nicholas Mandato, Air Force • Spc. Miles McGreehan, US Army • Spec. 4 Sean Moriarty, Army • Inv. Kevin Owens, Beachwood Police Dept. • Joseph Della Rosa, US Coast Guard • Captain Jonathan Royer, Marines • Deputy Rex Smith, Minnehaha County, SD*
- Mark Stack, Marine Reserves & Lorain Fire Fighter
 - Patrol Officer Matthew Sustarsic

PRAYER INTENTIONS:

Please pray for the following members of the Holy Rosary community & for their caregivers:

Michael Antonacci	Frank Dottore	Norma Mandato
Danny Antonacci	Sadie Falorio	Ron Mandato
Judy Barnhart	Alison Feighan	Melissa Matthews
Andi Baumoeel	John Feighan	Terri McGee
Esther Bakos	Gerard Felver	Tim McKeon
Betty Bierut	Anthony Gatto	GeraldineMelakowski
David Black	Jackie Gallagher	Danielle Pelesec
Susan Borgmann	Marilyn Hanlon	Emily Pizone
Nick Capretta	Michalina Hocesvar	Susan Royer
Ebe Chamberlin	Frank Iacobucci	Anna Ruolo
Marie Cilenti	Ron Johns	John Sabetta
Margaret Cipullo	Josie Falorio Kulus	Joann Sack
Marie Consolo	Rose LaMattina	Francine Scharf
Jackie Crabi	Salvatore C. Lamont	Charles Skripko
Mary D'Angelo	Tom Loretta	Karyn Thomas
Leonard DePalma	Jim Malatesta	John Tizzano
		Jeff Vandermeulen

Please call 216-421-2995 to be added to or removed from the prayer list.

MASS INTENTIONS AND READINGS**Monday****February 20, 2012**7:00 p.m. **Frank J. D'Amico DDS, Family***Readings:* Jas 3:13-18; Mk 9:14-29**Tuesday****February 21, 2012**12:15 p.m. **John Kennedy; Sally***Readings:* Jas 4:1-10; Mk 9:30-37**Wednesday****February 22, 2012, Ash Wednesday****7:30 a.m. Prayer Service**12:15 p.m. **Tom Gustin; Mansell Family**8:00 p.m. **Living and Deceased of Holy Rosary***Readings:* Jl 2:12-18; Ps 51; 2 Cor 5:20-6:2; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18**Thursday****February 23, 2012**7:00 a.m. **Basil Ross; Joni & Dan Stahura***Readings:* Dt 30:15-20; Lk 9:22-25**Friday****February 24, 2012**12:15 p.m. **Pete Manocchio; Children (Adoration after Mass)***Readings:* Is 58:1-9a; Mt 9:14-15**Saturday****February 25, 2012**5:00 p.m. **Rebecca McCalligan; Family***Readings:* Is 58:9b-14; Lk 5:27-32**Sunday****February 26, 2012**8:30 a.m. **Joseph & Letitia Marino; Daughter & Family**11:00 a.m. **Carmela, Joseph, John & Vincent D'Alessandro; Family**8:00 p.m. **Living & Deceased of Holy Rosary***Readings:* Gn 9:8-15; Ps 25; 1 Pt 3:18-22; Mk 1:12-15**Saints and Special Observances****Sunday:** Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**Monday:** Presidents' Day**Tuesday:** St. Peter Damian; Shrove Tuesday; Mardi Gras**Wednesday:** Ash Wednesday (Fast and Abstinence)**Thursday:** Saint Polycarp**Friday:** Abstinence**LITURGICAL MINISTERS for February 25-26****Lectors:**

5:00 p.m. M. Campanelli

8:30 a.m. S. Eyerman

11:00 a.m. C. Koepke

8:00 p.m. M. Fernandez

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:

5:00 p.m. M. Santucci, F. DiFranco, M. Campanelli

8:30 a.m. F. Karboski, L. Dierker

11:00 a.m. E. Schneider, T. Schneider

8:00 p.m. R. McCalligan, P. Swansinger, S. Bacik

Acolytes:

5:00 p.m. F. DiFranco, P. Caroscio, H. Campanelli

8:30 a.m. B. Karboski, L. Karboski, R. Eyerman

11:00 a.m. L. Schneider, T. Schneider

8:00 p.m. T. Parran, Jr.; S. Bacik

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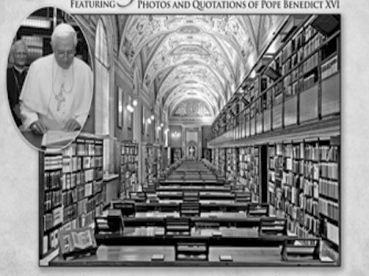
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