

EASTER 2024

*He is  
Risen*

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**APRIL 20/21, 2024  
FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

**MASSES THIS WEEK**

Saturday	8:45 a.m.	
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	<i>Pro Populo</i>
Tuesday	6:00 p.m.	+Jane Ann Dean <i>followed by the Perpetual Novena in honor of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal</i>
Wednesday	8:45 a.m.	+Kathy Cooper
Thursday	8:45 a.m.	+Charmaine Anderson
Friday	8:45 a.m.	+Bryan Humphrey

**Liturgical Assignments**

**LECTORS**

Saturday, April 20	Stephanie Zmuda
Sunday, April 21	Erin Kelty
Saturday, April 27	Michelle LaBarge
Sunday, April 28	Kevin Tebbe

**ALTAR SERVERS**

Sunday, April 21	A.J. Brehm
Sunday, April 28	Josh Goers, Garrett Reeve

**EME**

Sunday, April 21	Carole Yoder
Sunday, April 28	Phil Petitti

**SACRISTANS**

Saturday, April 20	Stephanie Zmuda
Sunday, April 21	Mary Jean Nixon
Saturday, April 27	Roxanne Humphrey
Sunday, April 28	Jackie Wagner

**USHERS**

Saturday, April 20	Bill Porter
Sunday, April 21	Ken Cover, Malcolm Warren
Saturday, April 27	Nathan Bell
Sunday, April 28	John Brehm

**COUNTERS**

Sunday, April 21	Donna and Eric Kill, Erin Kelty
Sunday, April 28	Greg Goers, Ginny Schindley

**LINENS**

April	Joanne Bower
May	Pat Thomas

**OFFERTORY APRIL 13/14, 2024**

Collection	\$ 2,446.00
Mail in/Online	\$ 345.93
Total	\$ 2,791.93

**OPPORTUNITY TO HELP**

We would like to add additional lectors, ushers, servers, counters, sacristans and EMHC. If you are interested in any of these liturgical ministries, call and leave your name and phone number with Susan in the Parish Office at 419-946-3611 or call Joanne Bower at 419-948-0106. **Thank you to all parishioners** who volunteer in the liturgical ministries of Sacred Hearts Church.

**BIBLE STUDY** after Mass on Friday mornings in Foeller Hall. We are studying the Gospel of St. Matthew. Everyone is welcome!

**FROM THE PASTOR**

Christ is risen, Alleluia! This week, I'd like to talk about Mass intentions. The Mass is the highest form of prayer that is offered to God, since it is the sacrifice of Jesus being presented to God the Father. Therefore, it is meritorious to have Masses said especially for the deceased to release them from purgatory. Here are some good things to know about Mass intentions and how they work. When a Mass is offered for someone, the merits of the Mass are applied for that person, even though the Mass itself will be the usual Mass for that day with its own readings, prayers, etc. The priests have a book in the sacristy with all Mass intentions listed there and the priest signs off on it acknowledging that he said the Mass for that intention. Mass intentions are usually offered for the deceased, but they can also be offered for living persons or even particular causes such as "for an increase in vocations to the priesthood" or "for reparation of sins against the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus." Mass intentions are just as effective in any of the following scenarios: 1) On whatever date it is scheduled. An anniversary date may be significant to the person requesting the Mass intention, but the Mass intention is still just as effective even if not scheduled on that exact date. 2) If it is said by any priest. 3) If it is offered at another parish than the one requested. 4) If the one requesting the intention is not in attendance at that Mass. 5) If the Mass intentions are not stated publicly at Mass. 6) If they are not stated by the priest at Mass (weekend Mass intentions are stated by the lector during the Prayers of the Faithful). 7) If they are not listed in the bulletin. 8) If a Mass intention is misstated or not stated out loud. Rest assured that the Mass is still being offered by the priest for the intention that was scheduled for that day.

Other things to know: Mass intentions are customarily a \$10.00 stipend, which is an offering of gratitude to the priest who is offering the Mass. It is not necessary to give that if one is unable to make that offering. The giving of the stipend does not give someone a "right" to hear the name announced. When scheduling Mass intentions, we will do everything we can to accommodate your request. However, if we cannot accommodate your requested date, please know that it is still commendable to request your Mass intention to be on whatever date is available or even if it has to be scheduled at the other parish. The spiritual value of the Mass being offered is what is most important. If you have any further questions on Mass intentions, please let me know.



The following is a bio on Ally Chakroff who became Catholic at the Easter Vigil: Ally Chakroff grew up in Mount Gilead, and recently moved back last July with her husband and two kids. They had been parishioners at St. Mary's in Delaware, so they were happy to find Sacred Hearts after they moved. Ally spent several years learning more about the Catholic faith alongside her lifelong Catholic husband before making the decision to be confirmed. After having both kids baptized and her marriage vows renewed in the Catholic Church, she felt the calling to take that next step in her journey with Christ.

Welcome, Ally!

May God Bless You All!  
Fr. Ed Shikina, Pastor

**PRAYER LIST:** Please remember in your prayers the following who have been recommended to our charitable concern: Roger Yoder, Patty Ortiz, Debbie Zoulek, Neidra Davis, Jack Popadak, David Huffman, Don Askew, Roy Ferguson, America Silva, Howard & Harriet Gompf, Jan Gibbs, Caroline Petitti, Linda Christy, Pam Frysinger, Wes Ramsey, Patrick Drouhard, Hank & Janie Kowalewski, Deanna Kowalewski, James & Lillian Joering, Marjorie Armbruster, Johanna Conti, Dalton Sherman, Betty Crum, Walter Olsen, Billy Ervin, Judy Manley, Stephen Karigithe, Sabina Busto, Trish Thomas, Robin Hudson, Barb Dickason, Dawn Barranco, Mary Jo Fetch, Christa Harvel, Linda Harvey, Donna Spreng, Kyle Conley, Dave & Ethel Evans, Sam Harding, Walt Bakle, Barb May Wilt, Rose Long, Don Goble, Marian Morgan, Mary Ellen Berg, Doyle Rogers, Kathy Tollison

**SEVENTH AND FINAL NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL** is on May 19th, from 3:00-5:00 p.m. A sign-up sheet is on the board in the Narthex.

**DID YOU KNOW THAT THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS** has a great program series called "Into the Breach?" This program helps Catholic men and families lead lives of faith and virtue in today's world. Want to learn more? Talk to a Knight today about the program and join our great fraternal family-based organization! Go to [kofcohio.org](http://kofcohio.org) and click on **Join Us!** For more information, contact Grand Knight Carl Ferguson at 740-360-4340.

**SACRED HEARTS LADIES PARISH TEA** is Saturday, May 4th at 1:00 p.m. Women of all ages and all children are welcome for fellowship, light refreshments, crafts, and tea. Please sign up in the Narthex!

**NET RETREAT AT MARION ST. MARY** – A retreat by a group of college students from St. Paul Minnesota will be held on Sunday, April 28th from 2:00 p.m. until 8:30 p.m. and is open to kids in Grade 9-12. No signup is necessary, just show up. Friends are also welcome. Call Mark Starrs, Youth Minister at St. Mary, with questions: 740-223-8656.



to visit our Lord in quiet prayer.

**FIRST SATURDAY** – Please join us every first Saturday of the month for Mass and Exposition, starting at 8:45 a.m. with open Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until Benediction at 3:15 p.m. Sign up for an hour on the bulletin board or just stop in



Just in time for Mother's Day Weekend, **Saint Vincent de Paul** will be having a dessert auction on Friday, May 10th in Foeller Hall. We are asking for donations of nonperishable desserts, so pull out your favorite recipes and join us for a good cause.

Desserts can be dropped off in Foeller Hall on Friday, May 10th, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and Noon. Please label the dessert with your name and description of your donation. There is a sign-up sheet in the Narthex.

We will be serving a light meal starting at 5:30 p.m. Sheriff John Hinton will start the auction at 6:30 p.m. We hope you can join us for an evening of food, fun and fellowship.

**CATHOLIC MEN'S LUNCHEON – FRIDAY, MAY 3, 2024 – SPEAKER FATHER STEVEN BESEAU.** Join us Friday, May 3 at St. Patrick Church in downtown Columbus for a luncheon featuring a talk by Fr. Steven Beseau, President / Rector of the Josephinum, on the Status of the Josephinum. The May luncheon is sponsored by Jim Flaherty. If you are interested in sponsoring a luncheon, contact Pat Foley at [foleyp513@gmail.com](mailto:foleyp513@gmail.com). Holy Mass (optional) begins at 11:45 a.m. followed by lunch at 12:10 p.m. and Fr. Beseau's presentation. No reservations are necessary. \$12.00 covers the lunch and meeting. Bring a friend! **Our final Luncheon before the summer break is Friday, June 7, 2024, and will feature Patrick Madrid, who will give a talk entitled, "Ten Recent Discoveries That Point to the Existence of God." Mark your calendar now, so you don't miss it!**

**STUEBENVILLE YOUTH CONFERENCE – July 12-14**  
Join 2,000 high school teens from across the U.S. in the most popular Catholic Conference in the country on the campus of Franciscan University in Steubenville, Ohio. Inspiring talks. Deep devotion. Lots of energy. An opportunity to grow closer to God and experience His presence and love in new ways. RSVP by May 1 with a \$30.00 down payment. Total cost is \$79.00. Only 12 spots available. Call or text Mark Starrs, Youth Minister, at 740-223-8656.



Hello, faithful people of Sacred Hearts! I am being ordained to the Priesthood with my classmates on **Saturday, May 18th at 10:00 a.m. at St. Andrew Catholic Church** (1899 McCoy Road in Columbus). Praise God, and thank you for your prayers that have helped me get to this wonderful day! Public seating will be limited, but this Mass will be livestreamed on the Columbus Catholic YouTube page.

However, there will be plenty of room for everyone at the other events that weekend. My post-ordination reception will be Saturday, May 18th from 2:00-6:00 p.m., at El Vaquero Mexican Restaurant (3230 Olentangy River Road in Columbus). Feel free to stop by and say Hi.

My **First Mass will be Sunday, May 19th, at 3:00 p.m., at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church** (414 E. North Broadway in Columbus). Dinner reception to follow at Parish Hall. You can RSVP for the first Mass and reception with your number of guests by May 5th to [danielcolbyordination@gmail.com](mailto:danielcolbyordination@gmail.com)

I hope you can join us and celebrate this joyful occasion for the whole Church!

In Jesus, Mary, and Joseph,  
– Dcn. Daniel Colby

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