

2023: Our 155th Year as Morrow County's Catholic Community



Parish Staff

Fr. Thomas Buffer Pastor

Fr. Seth Keller Parochial Vicar

Saturday: 4:30 pm (Sunday Vigil); Sunday: 9:00 am

<u>Weekdays</u> Tuesday: 6:00 pm Wednesday, Thursday & Friday: 8:45 am First Saturday: 8:45 am

Masses

Holydays of Obligation See bulletin.

> Confession Saturday: 3:30-4:15 pm

Eucharistic Adoration First Saturday of every month, 9:15 am-3:15 pm

Parish Office Hours

Monday	CLOSED
Tuesday	9:30 am-1:30 pm
Wednesday	9:30 am-1:30 pm
Thursday	9:30 am-1:30 pm
Friday	9:30 am-1:30 pm

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In an emergency when there is an immediate need for a priest, please call

740-341-5681

April 29/30, 2023 Fourth Sunday of Easter

MASSES THIS WEEK

Saturday, 4:30 p.m. Sunday, 9:00 a.m. Tuesday, 6:00 p.m. Wednesday, 8:45 a.m. Thursday, 8:45 a.m. Friday, 8:45 a.m. Kevin Monett Pro Populo +Eileen Hess +Ron Thomas

LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS

LECTORS

Sat. 4/29	Stephanie Zmuda
Sun. 4/30	Flo Horton
Sat. 5/6	Julie Blankenship
Sun. 5/7	Allen Wagner

ALTAR SERVERS

Sat. 4/29	
Sun. 4/30	A.J. Brehm
Sat. 5/6	
Sun. 5/7	Josh Goers, Garrett Reeve

SACRISTANS

Sat. 4/29 Sun. 4/30 Sat. 5/6 Sun. 5/7

USHERS

Sat. 4/29

Sun. 4/30

Sat. 5/6

Sun. 5/7

Bill Porter Allen Wagner Jack Christy Roger Yoder

Stephanie Zmuda

Julie Blankenship

Jackie Wagner

Carol Ferguson

COUNTERS

Sun. 4/30Linda Christy, Carl Ferguson,
Ginny and Will SchindleySun. 5/7Greg Goers, Erin Kelty,
Donna and Eric Kill

LINENS FOR APRIL

Stephanie Zmuda

LINENS FOR MAY Pat Thomas



Women of all ages and all children are invited to our Mother's Day Tea on Saturday, May 6th, from 2:00-4:00 p.m. in Foeller Hall. We will have light refreshments, entertainment and a special kid's craft. Spring bonnets, favorite teacups and special teapots are welcome. A sign-up sheet is posted on the bulletin board.

FROM THE PASTOR

During the past week, I met with the Parish Finance Council for our usual quarterly meeting. We welcomed the president and vice president of the HOST Guild (our parish women's club) who presented their budget for the upcoming fiscal year. Because the HOST Guild is a parish auxiliary organization, all funds in the HOST Guild bank account of parish funds and diocesan financial policy requires the pastor to review the financial activity of auxiliary groups. It was clear that the Guild has been very good stewards of funds that area raised on behalf of parish activities, and has very good plans for the upcoming fiscal year. The Finance Council also reviewed procedures for what to do when Fr. Shikina takes over as the new pastor on July 11, to ensure a smooth transition.

Next weekend, our parish will welcome a priest from the Spiritan Fathers who is taking part in the annual Missionary Cooperative Appeal in the Diocese of Columbus. The following weekend, we will have materials available for The Appeal (formerly the Bishop's Annual Appeal). Registered parishioners have received, or will soon receive, a mailing directly from Bishop Fernandes about The Appeal.

Sincerely Yours, in Christ,

Father Thomas Buffer Pastor

MISSION APPEAL

As part of the Diocesan Missionary Cooperation Plan, Reverend James Okoye, CSSp, will visit Sacred Hearts Parish on May 6-7, 2023 to speak about the missionary work of the Church and in particular that of the Spiritans (officially Congregation of the Holy Spirit). To learn more about the Spiritans, please visit their website at www.spiritans.org.

This visit is part of a national program in which annually a representative of one of the missionary groups visits parishes of the Diocese to invite parishioners to share in the mission work of the universal church. The Spiritans are an international community engaged in a wide range of missionary activity in over 60 countries throughout the world. *This weekend's missionary, Fr. James, is from Nigeria, and is presently ministering at the Spiritans' Duquesne University in Pittsburgh.*

When Jesus said: "You shall witness to me in Jerusalem and in Samaria and to the ends of the earth," He made the spread of the Gospel an essential part of our Catholic Life.

If you are able, please place your donation in the second collection basket or use one of the Spiritan collection envelopes.

THE HOST GUILD'S next meeting will be on Monday, May 8th at 6:30 p.m. in Foeller Hall. All women of the parish are invited to attend. Toni Magora and Donna Daugherty will provide refreshments for the evening.

SACRED HEARTS PARISH has been blessed with funding from our endowments stewarded by The Catholic Foundation. By God's varied grace, we honor the many donors whose love for our faith and others is fulfilling the mission of our ministry through The Catholic Foundation. For more information on how you can help build our endowments, please visit www.catholic-foundation.org or call Scott Hartman at 614-443-8893.



Catholic men! Would you like to belong to an active group of men who share your faith? You should definitely consider joining us here at Sacred Hearts.

SAVING OUR SEMINARIANS KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PROJECT: Thank you to all who donated to this worthy cause! We sent the State of Ohio Knights of Columbus Chairman \$1,830.00. We will be colleting after each Mass. Please continue to donate to the S O S Knights of Columbus members holding those plastic jugs.

We are currently selling **Super Cash Bonanza**. This is a charity fund raiser for the Knights of Columbus. Tickets are just \$5.00 each. **1st prize: \$49, 680.00, payable \$414.00/month for 10 years! 2nd prize: \$18, 780.00, payable \$313.00/month for 5 years! 3rd Prize: \$12, 720.00, payable \$212.00/month for 5 years! A total of 25 cash prizes. Should I ask if you could figure out**

what you could do with some extra CASH? We will be selling these tickets until May 3rd. The drawing will

be Saturday, May 20th at the State K of C Convention. Good luck to everyone who buys tickets for this fundraiser.

(By the way, the Football Crazar ticket sales had two winning tickets.)

STEUBENVILLE YOUTH CONFERENCE

June 16-18 on the campus of Franciscan University of Steubenville. Open to current 8th graders to seniors. Cost is \$79.00. RSVP to Mark at St. Mary Church at 740-223-8656 by May 1st. Only 12 spots available, so first-come, first-served.

PRAYER LIST:

Please remember in your prayers the following who have been recommended to our charitable concern:

Carl Hess, Ginny Cox, Hank & Janie Kowalewski, Deanna Kowalewski, Madison Brehm, Frank & Janice Middaugh, Stephan Houser, Mahisha Zoulek, James & Lillian Joering, Marjorie Armbruster, Johanna Conti, Dalton Sherman, Betty Crum, Walter Olsen, Billy Ervin, Judy Manley, Stephen Karigithe, Sabina Busto, Patricia (Trish) Thomas, Robin Hudson, Barb Dickason, Deanna Cox, Dawn Barranco, Mary Jo Fetch, Christa Havel, 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, Allen Wagner, Gene Doon, Patrick Drouhard **CHRISTIAN COUNSELING:** Jodi Schermerhorn, LPCC-S, is offering to our parish Roman Catholic and nondenominational Christian Counseling. She will offer faith-based professional counseling services to parishioners and as an outreach to our surrounding community. Jodi is licensed by the State of Ohio Counselor, Social Worker, Marriage and Family Therapist Board and combines standard clinical counseling practices with the beliefs, practices, and spirituality of our Church to provide a thorough and Christ-centered approach to healing. Areas of focus include children ages 3 and up, Marriage Therapy, Anger, Anxiety, Problem Behavior, Body-focused repetitive behaviors, Conflict Resolution, Depression, Family Systems, Parent Child Relationship, Traumafocused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy. Contact Jodi directly to ask about insurance and scheduling; email Jodi@sopcc.org or call 614-442-7650, ext. 08.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR SACRED HEARTS GROUNDS

CREW: We would like to establish a crew of volunteers to help keep our flower beds and landscaping looking beautiful this season. Would you, your family, or a group of friends be willing to adopt one of our beds to care for? This would include weeding and watering as needed. A map of the beds has been posted on the bulletin board that shows the areas up for adoption. Have questions? Not sure you're ready to sign up but you're willing to consider it? Please feel free to contact Stephanie Zmuda at 419-560-9041 for more information or to sign up. We look forward to working with you!

PARISH MEMBERSHIP: New Members, please contact Sacred Hearts Church Office at sacredheartschurch@gmail.com or by telephone. Present members, please keep our office informed of any changes in name, telephone number(s), address and family members.



SACRED HEARTS

4680 US-42, Cardington, OH

Sunday, April 30th 10:00 AM Following Mass

Beth Vanderkooi from Greater Columbus Right to Life will update us about the extreme proposed abortion ballot initiative, what it would do, and how you can help us stop it.

Breakfast will be served after Mass and before the 30-minute presentation from Beth. Breakfast will include a variety of egg bakes, fruit salad, and coffee.

