

Catholic Church of the Sacred Hearts

2022: Our 154th Year as Morrow County's Catholic Community



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Masses

Sunday

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

Weekdays

Tuesday: 6:00 pm
Wednesday, Thursday & Friday: 8:45 am
First Saturday: 8:45 am

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	9:30 am.-1:30 pm
Tuesday	9:30 am.-1:30 pm
Wednesday	9:30 am.-1:30 pm
Thursday	Closed
Friday	9:30 am.-1:30 pm



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May 28/29—The Ascension of the Lord

Saturday 4:30 p.m. Vigil Mass
Sunday 9:00 a.m. People of the Parish
 Tuesday 6:00 p.m. Mass Canceled
 Wednesday 8:45 a.m. Weekday Mass
 Thursday 8:45 a.m. Weekday Mass
 Friday 8:45 a.m. Weekday Mass

LECTORS

Sat. 5/28 Michelle LaBarge
 Sun. 5/29 Dennis Zoulek
 Sat. 6/4 Carl Hess
 Sun. 6/5 Flo Horton

USHERS

Sat. 5/28 Bill Porter
 Sun. 5/29 Malcolm Warren
 Sat. 6/4 Nathan Bell
 Volunteer
 Sun. 6/5 Carl Ferguson
 Volunteer

ALTAR SERVERS

Sat. 5/28 Volunteer
 Sun. 5/29 Josh Goers
 Garrett Reeve
 Sat. 6/4 Volunteer
 Sun. 6/5 Josh Goers
 Garrett Reeve

COUNTERS

Sun. 5/29 Linda Christy,
 Will & Ginny Schindley
 Sun. 6/5 Dominique Adkins,
 Greg Goers, Erin Keltz

SACRISTANS

Sat. 5/28 Abby Porter
 Sun. 5/29 Joanne Bower
 Sat. 6/4 Julie Blankenship
 Sun. 6/5 Carol Ferguson

Linens for June:

Ginny Schindley

OFFERTORY

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Deficit</u>
May 15	\$2,373	\$2,367	(-\$0)
May 22	\$1,961	\$2,367	(-\$406)

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

Requests for Your Prayers

Please remember in your prayers the following who have been recommended to our charitable concern: **Janice Middaugh, Stephan Houser, Mahisha Zoulek, James & Lillian Joering, Marjorie Armbruster, Jennie Lou DePaolo Susi, Johanna Conti, Pat Thomas, Dalton Sherman, Aidan Frye, Mary Getts, Aiden Hayes, Nicole Elsey, Betty Crum, Walter Olsen, Billy Ervin, Kathy & Mike Popadak, Judy Manley, Ashley Sherman, Ken Osborne, Stephen Karigthe, Sabina Busto, Patricia (Trish) Thomas, Robin Hudson, Cindy Green, Barb Dickason, Deanna Cox, Dawn Barranco, Mary Jo Fetch, Christa Havel, Linda Harvey, Donna Spreng, Kyle Conley, Chuck Large, Dave & Ethel Evans, Sam Harding, Walt Bakle, Barb May Wilt, Rose Long, Don Goble, Erin Wright, Marian Morgan, Mary Ellen Berg, Doyle Rogers, Nick Gerasimof, Kathy Tollison.**



Please join us every 1st 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 office bulletin, or make a stop in to visit our Lord in quiet prayer.

Bishop-elect Fernandes' Ordination/Installation Liturgies

May 30 Solemn Vespers at 7:00 p.m.:

Link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FLffNI7f9gE>

May 31 2:00 p.m. Ordination and Installation of Bishop Earl K. Fernandes, 13th Bishop of Columbus:

Link: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DTC3_tm10-8

FROM THE PASTOR

Dear Friends in Christ,

This weekend we see a kind of collision between the calendar of the Church and the civil calendar. As Catholics, we are celebrating the Ascension of the Lord, while all Americans, of any or no religions, are preparing to observe Memorial Day on Monday. The history and present practices of Memorial Day might help us appreciate the mystery of Christ's Ascension in a new way.

Memorial Day was originally called "Decoration Day." It was a day to go to the cemeteries to decorate the graves of veterans, especially those who died in the Civil War. In the North, May 30 was proposed as a suitable date, in part because it was not the anniversary of any major battle of the Civil War. After the United States participated in the First World War, the holiday became an occasion to honor all veterans. Beginning in 1971, it has been observed as a federal holiday on the last Monday in May.

When you visit a cemetery on Memorial Day, it is stirring to see flags placed by all the veteran's graves. We are reminded especially of those who gave their lives in a just cause, to end slavery, to make the world safe for democracy, to put an end to racist dictatorships, to stop the spread of communism, to limit terrorism. At the same time, we know that war is always a sign that human beings have failed to build up and maintain a civilization of love, based on respect for the human dignity of all. Those who died for a just cause in war need to be honored, and we do not disrespect their sacrifice by observing that the world is still a dangerous place, and that their valor has not eliminated the danger of war for all time. We can see that truth all too vividly today. Even those who returned from war alive and well went on to face the usual difficulties and sad realities of life, including, eventually, death.

The death of Jesus was different. That is the lesson of his Ascension. Where did Christ go when he ascended? The sky? Outer space? No, the planets and stars are part of creation, like the world we inhabit. Pope Benedict XVI pointed out, "Christ's Ascension means that he no longer belongs to the world of corruption and death that conditions our life. It means that he belongs entirely to God. He, the Eternal Son, brought our human existence into God's presence, taking with him [our] flesh and blood..."

The death, resurrection, and ascension of Christ did not remove war from human history, but it did put an end to something more deadly: the separation between God and man. Now that Jesus Christ is seated at the right hand of God, the human race is permanently joined to the life of God. That is the victory of Christ: the establishment of an everlasting peace between God and sinners in need of redemption.

Sincerely Yours, in Christ,
 Father Thomas Buffer, Pastor

PARISH OFFICE will be closed on Monday May 30 and Tuesday May 31.

HOST GUILD: The May meeting was well attended. There was not a lot of business to conduct. We discussed our upcoming Yard Sale. It was decided that we would begin collecting items for the sale the weekends of July 23rd and 24th and July 30th and 31st. All items will be collected in the garage after masses on those weekends. Set up for the sale will begin on Monday, August 1st. Also, save the date of Sunday, December 4th. We will be having a lasagna dinner that evening like we did last year. We will also be having our silent auction and raffle as we did last year. We don't need items collected yet for the auction and raffle, but please be thinking about what you can do for this event or if you know someone that would be willing to donate items or services for the auction or raffle. We decided to skip June and will have our next meeting on Monday, July 11th. We will have pizza for the meeting. Bring a drink of your choice.



HOST Guild will be holding their annual Rummage Sale on Thursday, August 4th and Friday, August 5th. Start saving your clean unwanted items for the sale. We will not be collecting items until mid July. To help us out this year, we would appreciate it if you would please mark items with sizes. For example, if it is a set of sheets, bundle the set together with painters tape and mark them king, queen, etc. It would be nice to also mark bedspreads, table clothes, etc. This will save us many hours of sorting and measuring. So get started on your spring cleaning and save us your unwanted treasures! As in the past, we will not accept mattresses, large upholstered furniture, microwaves or outdated electronics (no regular tv's and non-laptop computers).

Daniel Colby's last Mass at Sacred Hearts will be Pentecost weekend, June 4-5.

KNIGHTS NOTES



We are saying the Rosary every Sunday starting at 8:30 a.m. before 9:00 a.m. Mass. If you are interested in leading the Rosary, please contact Dennis Zoulek or any Knights of Columbus member.

Knights of Columbus Council #14671

Pancake Breakfast

Saturday, June 11, 2022

Serving from 7:00-10:00 a.m.

Pancakes and Sausage Patties

Sausage Gravy w/Biscuits, Omelets

Coffee, Tea, Juice and Milk

A Parish and Community Social Event

Proceeds benefit Hospice of Morrow County



The pancake breakfast is a monthly parish social event that is also a community fundraiser for 12 different charities in Morrow county. Proceeds for the month of June go to Hospice of Morrow County. We have seen people visit with one another for more than an hour! It is a great opportunity to see and talk with fellow parishioners and visitors to the parish. I, personally, always like to be able to put a name and a face together. We, the Knights of Columbus, are looking forward to serving up more pancakes on June 11th, see you there!

Welcome to our new member Mitchell Messenger.

Next business meeting is June 1, 2022

Men of the parish, now is a great time to join the Knights of Columbus! By using the code MCGIVNEY2020, your first year of dues are paid! Find a Knight collecting donations after Mass, and start your conversation by telling him that you want to join. We are looking forward to having more men doing charity work around the parish and county.

Men of the parish, would you like to do things alongside the Knights of Columbus? Well, ask one of us what we are doing next, and perhaps we could use an extra hand. You are also welcome to come to our social meetings which are on the 4th Wednesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. in Msgr. Foeller Hall. Get your gloves ready!



There's Still Time to Give to the BAA Your gift to the 2022 Bishop's Annual Appeal is vital to the success of this diocesan wide campaign and will benefit our parish. We are off to a good start toward our parish goal of **\$17,356.71**. Thank you to

all those families that have made a gift or pledge. If you have not yet made your gift to this year's appeal, please consider doing so in the days ahead. Your gift will help to continue the vital work of the various ministries and services that reach so many in need. Please pray for the success of the Appeal and remember no amount of giving is too small. Volunteers will be stationed after Masses this coming weekend to answer questions and help you make your gift.

Ukraine support: Catholic Relief Services continues to support our Ukrainian sisters and brothers and pray for peace. This war reveals the interconnectedness of so many global problems. Millions of people continue to be displaced. It is also aggravating hunger in a world already grappling with a food security crisis. Many of our global family members are being forced into extreme poverty and undoing years of humanitarian development progress. CRS can't fix these problems alone—they need us. Together and through Christ, we can change the trajectory of our world toward a path of peace and justice. For more information on the continuing CRS humanitarian responses, visit www.crs.org or www.crsespanol.org.

Relic of St. Bernadette: A relic of St. Bernadette Soubirous, to whom the Virgin Mary appeared in 1858 at Lourdes, France, is touring the United States and will be displayed for veneration at two parishes of the Diocese of Columbus in June. Read more about this in the Catholic Times: <https://catholictimescolumbus.org/news/the-catholic-times/relic-of-st-bernadette-to-visit-diocese>.

Senior Citizen Day Mass: After a two-year hiatus, the Senior Citizen Day Mass and luncheon is June 7th, at St. Pius X Church, 1051 Waggoner Road, Reynoldsburg, OH 43068. Bishop-Elect Earl K. Fernandes will be the celebrant. Mass is at 10:30 a.m. with a luncheon to follow. Cost: \$20.00. Register online at <https://dioceseofcolumbus.org/social-concerns-online-payments> or through the Office for Social Concerns: socmailbox@columbuscatholic.org or 614-241-2540.



Alexis Adkins

Congratulations!

Mary Clare Cooper

Mary Kelty

Diocesan Council of Catholic Women: Women of Faith and Action Conference: June 14—at St. Mary Church, 61 South Paint St., Chillicothe, 8:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. This conference is open to all women of the Diocese, 16 and older. It will begin with Mass at 8:30 a.m. Speakers following in the Family Life Center. Box Lunch will be included. Please indicate choice of bacon turkey club or a veggie sandwich. Door prizes and a basket and quilt raffle also. Cost for the day is \$25.00. Send check made out to DCCW to 197 E. Gay Street, Columbus Ohio 43215.

2022 Jubilee of Anniversaries: Save the date! The 2022 Jubilee of Anniversaries is being held on Sunday, September 18th. Couples celebrating their 25th, 30th, 35th, 40th, 45th, 50th, 55th, 60th, and every year after, anniversaries of marriage are cordially invited to attend. More details will be coming soon.

Real Presence, Real Future: For the past two years, the Diocese of Columbus has been working on a strategic planning initiative called *Real Presence, Real Future* in an attempt to anticipate and meet the future needs of the diocese in view of changing demographics, declining church attendance, and an ongoing shortage of priests. At this stage, a set of proposals called draft models have been publicized. These are a first attempt at defining how parishes might be cared for by the clergy: which parishes are clustered together, how many priests are at each parish, etc. You are invited and strongly encouraged to provide feedback on the draft model for our parish. To do so, please go to <https://realpresencerealfuture.org/draft-models-spring-2022/> and view the video containing the draft models for planning area 3-North. You may provide your reflections and reactions in the Feedback Form by clicking the link next to the video. The deadline for feedback is June 30. Your input is critical in order for the planning committee to assess the viability of the draft model and, if necessary, to determine a more reasonable alternative.

CATHOLIC MEN'S LUNCHEON CLUB – FRIDAY JUNE 3, 2022. Father Stash Dailey returns and presents the final of his four-part series entitled “RE-BUILDING A CHRISTIAN CULTURE.” Please join us Friday, June 3 at St. Patrick Church in downtown Columbus for lunch followed by Fr. Dailey's talk, “Sacred Heart of Jesus: Frequent encounters with Jesus in Scripture, in Adoration, in the Holy Mass.” If you missed any of Fr. Dailey's first three talks in the series each are available along with information about Catholic Men's Luncheon Club on the web at <https://www.catholicmensministry.com/about-cmlc>. The entire series is sponsored by Nos Lumine & Attollo (<https://noslumine.com/>), AM 820 St. Gabriel Radio (<https://stgabrielradio.com/>), Egan-Ryan Funeral Service (<https://www.egan-ryan.com/>), and Bottoms Up Diaper Drive (<https://www.bottomsup.life/>). Holy Mass (optional) begins at 11:45 am followed by lunch at 12:10 p.m. and Fr. Dailey's talk. Free parking available in the Columbus State Grant Avenue parking lot (25-S) across the street from St. Patrick. No reservations are necessary. \$12.00 covers the lunch and meeting. Bring a friend! This is our last luncheon before our summer break. Our first Friday luncheons will resume on Friday September 2, 2022.

The diocesan Museum of Catholic Art and History is now reopened after some major underground plumbing repairs. Check out our website (www.catholicmuseum.org) and social media for wonderful events that are scheduled at the Museum over the next few months. Group tours are available as well as package tours that include a tour of St. Joseph Cathedral directly across the street from our new location at historic Cathedral Square in downtown Columbus. Call us for details at 614-618-4060.



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