

Catholic Church of the Sacred Hearts

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



Parish Staff

Fr. Thomas Buffer

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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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September 17/18 – 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, 4:30 p.m. †Raymond A. Rogers
 Sunday, 9:00 a.m. People of the Parish
 Tuesday, 6:00 p.m. Weekday Mass
 Wednesday, 8:45 a.m. Weekday Mass
 Thursday 8:45 a.m. Mary & Robin Cooper
 Friday, 8:45 a.m. † Jane Ann Dean

LECTORS

Sat. 9/17 Roxanne Humphrey Sun. 9/18 Flo Horton
 Sat. 9/24 Michelle LaBarge Sun. 9/25 Dennis Zoulek

ALTAR SERVERS

Sat. 9/17 Volunteer Sun. 9/18 AJ Brehm
 Sat. 9/24 Volunteer Sun. 9/25 Josh Goers, Garrett Reeve

USHERS

Sat. 9/17 Bill Porter, Volunteer Sun. 9/18 Allen Wagner, Volunteer
 Sat. 9/24 Jack Christy, Volunteer Sun. 9/25 Malcolm Warren, Volunteer

SACRISTANS

Sat. 9/17 Mary Jean Nixon Sun. 9/18 Jackie Wagner
 Sat. 9/24 Julie Blankenship Sun. 9/25 Carol Ferguson

COUNTERS

Sun. 9/18 Ron & Martha Meier; Allen & Jackie Wagner
 Sun. 9/25 Will & Ginny Schindley; Dennis Zoulek

Linens for September: Stephanie Zmuda

Linens for October: Martha Meier

OFFERTORY

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Deficit</u>
September 5	\$2134	\$2367	(-\$233)
September 11	\$2697	\$2367	(-\$ 0)

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.

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

Madison Brehm, Ron Thomas, Carole Yoder, Lou Ann Wendel, Frank & Janice Middaugh, Stephan Houser, Mahisha Zoulek, James & Lillian Joering, Marjorie Armbruster, Jennie Lou DePaolo Susi, Johanna Conti, Dalton Sherman, Betty Crum, Walter Olsen, Billy Ervin, Judy Manley, Stephen Karigithe, 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, Marian Morgan, Mary Ellen Berg, Doyle Rogers, 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.

FR. BUFFER WILL BE ON THE RADIO: Fr. Buffer's radio visit will be on Friday, September 23rd, 12:15-1:00 p.m. The Columbus Catholic community has a lot of great things happening so let's celebrate it and have some fun. Join over 30 local priests, including Fr. Buffer and Bishop Fernandes for a live, three-day marathon radio event from Wednesday, September 21st-Friday, September 23rd during the St. Gabriel Catholic Radio AM 820 Fall Spirit Drive. Your donations during his visit will give him additional chances to increase his Skee-Ball score and win a trophy. For more information about the Spirit Drive or to donate to your local Catholic radio station, go to StGabrielRadio.com or call 614-459-4820.

FROM THE PASTOR

Dear Friends in Christ,

During the past week, I learned more about the Church in two different dioceses in two different countries. On Sunday afternoon, I drove to the Detroit airport to fly to Montreal, where I took part in the ordination ceremony of the new auxiliary bishop, Msgr. Frank Leo. I enjoyed the kind hospitality at the cathedral residence, where I was able to practice speaking French. I think I could learn to speak it well if I had another ten years to practice. While in Montreal I was struck by the sight of the Canadian flag flying at half-mast over the Queen Elizabeth Hotel. I was told that the French-speaking majority in Quebec had great respect for the Queen as a person, but are not in favor of the monarchy.

Returning to Ohio late Tuesday night, I then traveled to Columbus on Wednesday afternoon to take part in a meeting of a group that is working on the reorganization of the presbyteral council of the Diocese of Columbus, at the request of Bishop Fernandes.

On Thursday my attention was focused on more local matters, including reviewing the first meeting of the PSR program at Sacred Hearts parish, and the monthly meeting of the parish pastoral council in Marion.

Next week I intend not to travel much!

Sincerely Yours, in Christ,
 Father Thomas Buffer
 Pastor

PRAY FOR PRIESTS: Our Lady of Peace Parish has created a Pray for Priests initiative in which they encourage parishioners to pray for a different priest or seminarian of the diocese every day. The parish wishes to share the calendar link with all parishes in the Diocese of Columbus to encourage the faithful to join in praying. Pray for Priests Project - Our Lady of Peace Catholic Church - Columbus, OH (olp-parish.org)



SUNDAY, OCTOBER 9, 2022 Come join us after the 9:00 a.m. Mass for fellowship and refreshments

HOST GUILD: What a wonderful meeting we had in September. We had many new faces that included Fr. Keller. We had many discussions of interest to us. One of them was our "Parish Wish List". Fr. Buffer has requested an aspergillum, which we approved to purchase. This a portable holy water sprinkler that the priests can take to the cemetery without having to take an open container with holy water in it. Fr. Buffer said his vehicle is well blessed since he has spilled the holy water in it before. Fr. Keller is also working on a list for us. Fr. Keller told us that he really likes all the new vestments we purchased for the church. We discussed our upcoming Lasagna Dinner on December 4th. We will be having a raffle with four door prizes, a silent auction and new this year is a live auction. We will be asking for donations for the auctions from the parishioners. Be thinking of something you can donate. If you don't want to do a basket, maybe you can donate something that we can make a basket with other items donated. More information on this to come. If you haven't joined HOST Guild yet, there is still plenty of time. There are extra membership forms on a table in the narthex. You can put your form in the mail slot in the office or bring it to our October 10th meeting. Our meeting will be at 6:30 p.m. in Foeller Hall. Hope to see you on the 10th!

RED MASS SEPTEMBER 28: All are invited to the annual Red Mass, which will take place at St. Joseph Cathedral on Wednesday, September 28, 2022, at 5:15 p.m. Bishop Earl K. Fernandes will be the principal celebrant and homilist. This is an occasion when people from around the Diocese can witness all three branches of our government together at prayer. While the Mass is focused on the judicial branch of government, we nonetheless receive representatives from the legislature, the executive branch, the justice professions. In addition, the priest judges of the Diocesan Tribunal will be present and concelebrate the Mass.



KNIGHTS NOTES

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

The Knights of Columbus are sorry to announce that we will not be having any more pancake breakfasts on the second Saturday of the month. The proceeds went to twelve different charities in Morrow County each month. Our numbers have been very low. In September, we had less than 30 breakfasts served. We would like to thank the few parishioners that supported this effort every month.

Our social meeting this month will be on Wednesday, September 28th at 7 p.m. in Foeller Hall.

We will be having a highway trash pickup on Thursday, October 6th at 5:30 p.m. We will meet in the church parking lot. Anyone interested in helping that evening, is more than welcomed to come out and help.

Thank you to everyone that donates to support our seminarians. Last year we donated \$2,000.00 From April through August of this year, we have collected \$619.00. We will continue to collect money after each weekend mass. There is also a container in the Narthex for your donations during other times. The Columbus Diocese received \$68,000 for the seminarians in May. This was the largest donation from all six dioceses in Ohio.

As of July 1st, a new fraternal year has begun. We have some new members as well as some new officers for the year. Our business meeting is on the 1st Wednesday of the month with our social meeting on the 4th Wednesday. Both start at 7:00 p.m. Catholic men aged 18 and over can be a Knight of Columbus. Currently, your first year of dues are free. Just ask us how.

Belonging to the Knights of Columbus may just make you a better Catholic!

Join today!

CHRISTIAN COUNSELING: Jodi Schermerhorn, LPCC-S is offering to our parish Roman Catholic and ondenominational 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 up, Marriage Therapy, Anger, Anxiety, Problem Behavior, Body-focused repetitive behaviors, Conflict Resolution, Depression, Family Systems, Parent Child Relationship, Trauma-focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy. Contact Jodi directly to ask about insurance and scheduling: Email: Jodi@soecc.org, Phone: 614-442-7650 ext. 08.

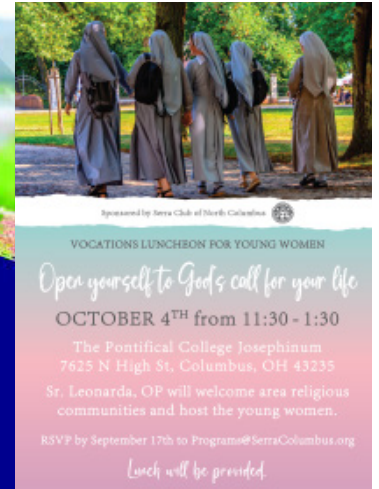
COLUMBUS CATHOLIC YOUNG ADULT CONFERENCE 2022
Young adults (18-35) are invited to an impactful day of learning, discussing and reflecting on our shared Catholic Faith. The 2022 Columbus Catholic Young Adult Conference on Saturday, October 15th at St. John Neumann in Sunbury is a one-day conference that can have a long-term, positive impact on both participants and their peers whose lives they go on to touch. From our perspective, it doesn't get much more important than that as church attendance continues to decline! Please join us in our mission to empower young adults to transform their communities through their identity in Christ. This will be our fourth annual conference, and we're expecting it to be our most successful conference yet! Admission costs only \$35.00 for full day of prayer, fellowship and amazing content relevant to all Catholics ages 18-35: married, single, male or female. Keynotes by Fr. Michael Fulton from Christ the King Parish and Kim Zember from Overcome Ministries.

BREAST CANCER AWARENESS: St. Agatha is the patron saint of breast cancer and October is Breast Cancer awareness month! Join St. Agatha Parish for a special Mass to honor those who have been affected in any way by breast cancer 6:00 p.m. Sunday October 16, 2022. St. Agatha - 1860 Northam Rd. Columbus, Ohio 43221

CATHOLIC MEN'S LUNCHEON CLUB – FRIDAY OCTOBER 7, 2022. Newly ordained Father Paul Marich O.P., Parochial Vicar for St. Patrick Church will speak at our October luncheon. Please join us Friday, October 7 at St. Patrick Church in downtown Columbus for lunch followed by Fr. Marich's talk entitled, "A New Priest's Journey to Ordination." Holy Mass (optional) begins at 11:45 a.m. followed by lunch at 12:10 p.m. and Fr. Marich'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 covers the lunch and meeting. Bring a friend! If you are interested in sponsoring this luncheon or another luncheon, contact Jim Gernetzke at jimgernetzke@noslumine.com. **Our November luncheon will feature Major General (Ret) Edward J. Mechenbier who spent nearly 6 years as a POW during the war in Viet Nam. The title of his talk is "A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to Vietnamese Prison." Mark your calendar for the first Friday in November to hear General Mechenbier.**



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