

*Your word, O Lord, is truth;
consecrate us in the truth.
Alleluia, alleluia.*

Gospel Acclamation
Cf. Jn 17:17b, 17a

Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 29, 2024

Holy Spirit Catholic Church

4341 East 131st Street
Garfield Heights, Ohio 44105
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Saturday Vigil Mass
4:00 pm

Sunday Mass
10:30 am

Wednesday Weekday Mass
5:00 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Wednesday, 4:00-4:50pm
or by appointment

Eucharistic Adoration
Wednesday, 4:00-4:50pm
(*Holy Rosary, 4:30 pm*)

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HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC CHURCH

Whoever causes one of these little ones who believe in me to sin, it would be better for him if a great millstone were put around his neck and he were thrown into the sea.

-Mark 9:42

Dear Holy Spirit Family,

Jesus often uses exaggerated statements, or hyperboles, to catch our attention. In this Sunday's Gospel reading from Mark, He is speaking to the disciples on the importance of seeking holiness in their lives if they are truly going to lead others to the life in God. If your hand, your foot, your eyes cause you to sin, it would be better to remove them! Exaggerated statements, yes, but to be taken to heart, yes! Our Saviour does not want anything to get in the way of living our life in Him, forever! He wants us to take a good look at ourselves...examine our consciences daily, and see where we need His grace and mercy. We not only do this for our own salvation, but for the salvation of those around us. We need to consider how our words and our actions are leading those we see everyday. Are our words building people up or tearing them down? Are we allowing God's light to shine through us or covering it with our fears, resentments, grudges, or envy? Ask God today to purify your mind and heart so that you can know His peace and love and be an instrument of that peace and love in others lives today! -Fr Dave



HOLY SPIRIT
CATHOLIC CHURCH

OUR VALUES

The Word

We are inspired by God's Word and the Eucharist as the source of our faith and salvation.

Family

We are committed to know, understand, and love each other as members of Christ's Body, the Church.

Inclusivity

We invite all to participate in the life and mission of the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

Outreach

We are called through the Holy Spirit to spread the Gospel message and reach out to the poor and oppressed.

Legacy

We nurture our faith across all generations to build a lasting foundation for our Church.

OUR VISION

A parish where all find nourishment and support in family, life, and faith in Christ.

OUR MISSION

To glorify, praise, and give thanks to God through Jesus Christ, by coming together as a diverse and welcoming community.

LITURGICAL CALENDAR / MASS INTENTIONS

9/28-29 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00pm, People of Holy Spirit Parish

10:30am, Hewitt Richardson

9/30 Memorial of Saint Jerome, Priest and Doctor of the Church

10/1 Memorial of Saint Thérèse of the Child Jesus, virgin and doctor of the Church

10/2 Memorial of the Holy Guardian Angels

5:00pm, Oona Temple-Lucienne

10/3 Thursday of the 26th Week in Ordinary Time

10/4 Memorial of Saint Francis of Assisi

10/5 Saturday of the 26th Week in Ordinary Time

10/5-6 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00pm, Ted and Elizabeth Allen

10:30am, People of Holy Spirit Parish



9/30 Vallery Gaines, Frankie Lawrence

10/01 Carter Collier, Mary James

10/02 Taylor Calhoun

10/04 La'Shanti Pearson

PARISH ACTIVITY CALENDAR

Monday Bible Study....Mondays, 7:00pm, ZOOM

Little Rock

Men's Bible Study.....Mondays, 7:00pm, PC

Holy Spirit Food Pantry..2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month, 4-5pm, PC

Cleveland Food Bank

Mobile Food Distribution..3rd Thursdays, 3-5pm

Alcoholics Anonymous:

Eastside Old Timers.....Tuesday, 7:00pm, PC

Alcoholics Anonymous:

Wednesday Meeting.....Wednesday, 10:00am, PC

OGN.....2nd Thursday, 7:00pm, ZOOM

Women's Guild.....1st Saturday, 10:30am, PC

Peter Claver.....3rd Saturday, 9:30am, PC

Men of Faith.....1st Sunday, 12:15pm, PC

Holy Name Society.....2nd Sunday, 12:15pm, PC

PSR.....1st/3rd Sunday, 12:15pm, PC

Coffee and Conversation...1st and 3rd Sunday, following 10:30 Mass in Mulligan Hall

Arts Reaching Kids.....Sunday, 2-4pm, PC, Oct 6-Nov 17



**HOLY NAME SOCIETY
SOCKS AND UNDERWEAR DRIVE**
BEGINS THIS WEEK AND WILL RUN
THROUGH THE END OF OCTOBER.
DONATION BOXES IN THE FRONT
AND BACK OF THE CHURCH



THURSDAY BIBLE STUDY

Will resume in October as we begin a study of the Acts of the Apostles. Participants meet in the Parish Center from noon to 1:00 pm. To register, text or call Pat at 216-233-4028. Please leave your name, phone # and email.

ZOOM, 7PM, STARTING ON BOOK II OF EXODUS
Contact Betty Holden (216-570-1443. Pick up and sign out one of the books on the sacristy counter

LITTLE ROCK MEN'S BIBLE STUDY
NOW MEETING AT HOLY SPIRIT PARISH CENTER
Mondays @ 7:00pm



**SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL ANNUAL
BLANKET SUNDAY**

Appeal, October 12-13, 2024 The 38th Annual Blanket Sunday in-parish appeal kicks off the weekend of October 12-13, 2024. Last year, funds from the appeal were used to purchase nearly 5,000 new winter blankets, in addition to winter hats, gloves and other necessities that were provided to unhoused neighbors. The need is great throughout Northeast Ohio and donations can be made securely online: svdpcle.org
Checks may also be mailed to: St. Vincent de Paul Society Blanket Sunday, 1404 East 9th Street-3rd Floor, Cleveland, OH 44114. Thank you for helping us "blanket" neighbors in warmth and compassion!

HOLY SPIRIT SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION



Please contact **Erin Raines at 216-543-7679** for any sacramental needs: *Infant Baptism, First Communion, Teen Confirmation, Adult Baptism/Communion/Confirmation (OCIA- Order of Christian Initiation for Adults)*



**FATHER DAVE'S
MASS OF INSTALLATION AS PASTOR**
Presided by The Most Reverend
Edward Malesic, Bishop of the Diocese of
Cleveland
10:30 AM SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2024



**WOMEN'S GUILD FOOD
DRIVE**

From September 15th to October 15th, the Women's Guild will have a food drive for the Holy Spirit Food Pantry, please put canned and boxed foods in boxes on the side of the church.



**OPERATION GOOD NEWS
FALL ONE-DAY RETREAT
SAT. OCT. 12TH 8AM - 4PM,
JESUIT RETREAT CENTER:**

Operation Good News is a lay-led Catholic renewal ministry that has encouraged spiritual growth in the urban diocesan parishes in Cleveland's African-American communities since 1979. We host bi-annual renewal retreats that help to evangelize and encourage spiritual development for ALL Catholics. The invitation to participate in OGN is extended to any adult over 18yrs.

Operation Good News invites anyone seeking a spiritual uplift and a renewed sense of God's presence to our Summer One-Day retreat, Saturday, October 12, 2024 8am - 4pm at the Jesuit Retreat Center, 5629 State Rd., Parma OH 44134. The cost is \$65 per person which includes breakfast, lunch, and retreat materials. Registration is due by October 3rd. The retreat theme is "Come to the Table" and our Spiritual Director is Rev. James Watson, OFM Cap. All are welcome. For more information call Carol 216-464-4443, Juanita 216-659-3569, or Shawn 216-233-0880.



**Holy Spirit
New Marriage Ministry
Date Night**

"God himself is the author of marriage."

Please join us, Saturday October 19 for our first Marriage Date Night! Enjoy drinks and appetizers after Mass, then enjoy a home cooked meal by Deacon Ed and Leslie Linsky, a presentation by guest speakers Kim and Brian Steigerwald from St. Ed's/Lucy's; 1 on 1 time talking with your spouse, and spending time with other Holy Spirit couples. Free will offering for the night.

4:00pm Mass: Fr. Dave will be giving a blessing to all couples (Optional attendance)

5:30: Appetizers and drinks in Mulligan Hall

6:00: Dinner served

6:30: Marriage Talk

7:30: Say our good byes and give hugs

Sign up and please drop off a picture of your wedding day or any other early marriage pictures you may have. Please put your names on the back, put inside of an envelope and place in the box that says, "Marriage Night." (all pictures will be returned).

**WANT TO BECOME A PARISHIONER AT
HOLY SPIRIT CHURCH?**

You can register to be a member of Holy Spirit by contacting the office at 216-581-0981 and setting up an introductory meeting with Fr Dave Domanski.

FAITH FORMATION AT HOLY SPIRIT CHURCH

We have many opportunities for people of all ages to grow in faith, learn about the Catholic Church, and prepare to receive the sacraments of the Church. Children and teen ministries include Parish School of Religion (PSR), Sacramental preparation (Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation), and middle school and high school youth groups. Adult ministries include Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA), Catholicism courses, bible studies, and men's and women's groups of service to our parish and beyond. If you are interested in assisting in these ministries, registering your child for PSR or sacramental preparation, or becoming Catholic as an adult, please contact Ashley at the parish office, office@holyspiritcleveland.org or 216-581-0981, ext 1

WEEKLY COLLECTION	9/22/24
<i>Weekly Collection Goal</i>	\$7,365.00
Sunday Total Collection	\$3,809.41
Sunday Online Contributions	\$1,865.00
Sunday Envelope Contributions	\$1,944.41
Ministry of Mercy Total	\$10.00
Ministry of Mercy (online)	\$0.00
Ministry of Mercy (envelopes)	\$10.00

Thank you for your generosity!

PLEASE CONSIDER ONLINE GIVING!

www.osvhub.com/holyspiritcleveland/giving/funds

Take advantage of the simplistic convenience of safe, automatic, regularly scheduled contributions (or one-time gifts for special collections) through Our Sunday Visitor. You can see reports on your contribution history and generate tax statements at each year's end.



PRAY FOR OUR SISTERS AND BROTHERS

If you or members of your family are admitted to the hospital and would like to be visited and remembered in prayer, please notify the parish office. If you are unable to attend Mass and want to receive a visit from the pastor or an extraordinary minister, please contact the parish office.

Let us always pray for our sick and shut-in parishinors. In particular, please remember in prayer:

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| Carrie Aaron | Maxine & Shelby Friend | Wendy Lewis | Horace Reese |
| Thelma Arnold | Rachel Gason | Shirley Liston | Edith Richardson |
| Raman Belinson | Merline Goodson | Margaret Luton | Sandra Rose |
| Maureen Belinson | Tyric Green | Marian Mauldin | Jean & Len Rosky |
| Frank Blackmon | Maria Hanan | Rosemarie McBride | Jesse Smiley |
| Bettina & Horace Bowling | Bobby Harris | Don Miller | Doris St. Clair |
| Allyssa Brand-Bey | Mildred Jackson | Barbara Oliver | Sharm Starks |
| Dwight A. Carpenter | Mary James | Jimmy Owens | Bill & Monica Starks |
| Jesse & Jessica Carr | Daniel Jefferson | Wilbur & Beverly Parker | Jaylon Traylor |
| Helen Collier | Clementine Jefferson | Ann Payne | Jonathan Traylor |
| Denise Curry | Reaver Jones | Kiana Pearson | Henry Tucker |
| Cordell Curry | John P. Jones, Jr. | Patricia Pendleton | Cole Whaley |
| Mike Daly | Beverly Jordan | Fletcher & Delores Posey | Carmen Whaley |
| Patricia Douglas | Tammy Larkin | Della Powell | Preston Whatley |
| Ruby Fett | Rochelle Larkin-Carr | Catherine Powell | Linda E. Williams |
| Estella Fortson | Tyrone & Terry Lester | Roger & Connie Raines | Cora Williams |
| Kendall Fortson | Star Lewandowski | Pauline Reed | Catherine Wilson |
| Gerri Fracasso | Amanda Lewis | Sophonra Reed | Marvin Young |

If you decide that it is no longer necessary for your name to appear on this list because your condition has improved, please contact the parish office.

PRAY FOR OUR PARISHINORS IN THE MILITARY:

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| Sandra Clark | Steven Rau | Mario Williams |
| Uchechi Onwunaibe | Sydney Turner | Maurice Williams |

