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# Church of Saint Clare

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# **MASS SCHEDULE**

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 p.m.
Sunday 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m., and 12:00 Noon
Tuesday and Wednesday Only: 8:30 a.m.
Holy Day Vigil: 4:30 p.m.
Holy Day: 8:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

# **CONFESSIONS**

Saturday, 3:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m., Wednesday Noon-1:00 p.m. during Adoration, or by appointment

# PARISH OFFICE and CHAPEL HOURS

Monday and Tuesday: 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday: 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Friday: 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Saturday: 9:00 a.m.-12:00 Noon

# PARISH REGISTRATION

Welcome! Please register in person or online at https://saintclare.net/parish-registration.

# SAINT CLARE PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

Saint Clare Parish is a Roman Catholic community that cherishes its faith tradition, celebrates the sacraments, and cultivates lives of Gospel service and stewardship

LYNDHURST, OHIO



Pray the Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet Daily at 7:50 a.m.

\*Come Join Us!

# mass intentions

Monday April 21

Acts 2:14, 22-33/Mt 28:8-15

Tuesday April 22

Acts 2:36-41/Jn 20:11-18

Wednesday April 23

Acts 3:1-10/Lk 24:13-35

Thursday April 24

Acts 3:11-26/Lk 24:35-48

Friday April 25

Acts 4:1-12/Jn 21:1-14

Saturday April 26

Acts 4:13-21/Mk 16:9-15

Sunday April 27

Acts 5:12-16/ Rv 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19/

Jn 20:19-31

8:30 Emilda and Cesare Refe

5:30 Emilda and Cesare Ref

8:30 Al Salvatore

4:30 Nick and Carrie DiSanto

8:00 Celebrant's Intention10:00 Parish Family

12:00 Celebrant's Intention

# Baptism:

First and third Sunday of the month at 1:00 p.m. Please contact the Business Office.

### **Communion for the Sick and Shut-Ins:**

We are most anxious that all who cannot get to church be able to continue to receive the Eucharist. Contact the Business Office and we will provide a Eucharistic Minister.

# **Anointing of the Sick:**

440-646-9648

A priest will gladly come to your home by request to Anoint the ill or aged. Anointing for hospital patients is provided by the hospital chaplain.

### **Sponsors:**

Sponsor certificates are given to those who are registered parishioners, confirmed and practicing Catholics. Contact the Business Office.

# Marriage:

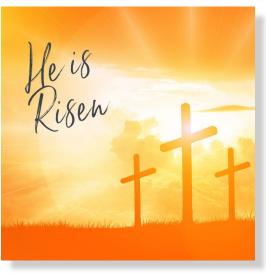
Fax:

Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance. Initial contact is to be made directly with a priest of Saint Clare.

# Church of Saint Clare Telephone Directory: 440-449-4242

Rectory Fr. Stanley Klasinski Fr. Joseph Brankatelli Mass Schedule	105 107 2	Office of Faith Formation Lori Mascia, Pastoral Associate Brad Jasko, Administrative Assistant	119 122
Business Office Lisa Gros, Business Administrator Parish Secretary Gayle Jameson, Office Assistant Mark DeSilvio, Bulletin Editor	113 101 115 101	Parish Ministries Joan Agresta, OCIA Director St. Clare Outreach (Voicemail) Caregiver Support	109 161 165

# **Easter Sunday**



On the first day of the week, Mary of Magdala came to the tomb early in the morning, while it was still dark, and saw the stone removed from the tomb.

So she ran and went to Simon Peter and to the other disciple whom Jesus loved, and told them,

"They have taken the Lord from the tomb, and we don't know where they put him."

For they did not yet understand the Scripture that He had to rise from the dead.



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Easter Sunday April 20, 2025

# Saint Clare Calendar week of April 20

# **Monday April 21**

Nourish 6:30 p.m. (HR)

# **Tuesday April 22**

Cenacle 9:00 a.m. (CH)

Saint Anthony Novena 6:00 - 6:30 p.m. (CH)

# Wednesday April 23

Adoration 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. (CH) Confessions 12:00 - 1:00 p.m.

# **Thursday April 24**

Outreach 7:00 p.m. (HR)

# **Saturday April 26**

4:30 p.m. Mass

Knights of Columbus - Measure-Up campaign

# **Sunday April 27**

All Masses

Knights of Columbus - Measure-Up campaign

Year-to-Date through 2/28/2025	\$59,663.27	
Goal for the Year	\$90,000.00	
Parish Support		
FOR THE WEEK OF April 6,	2025	
WEEKLY OFFERTORY GOAL	\$16,000.00	
WEEKLY AVERAGE (40 Weeks)	\$16,072.89	
Weekly Envelope Offering	\$ 6,910.00	
Online Weekly Offering	\$ 8,193.75	
Fee Offset Donation - Weekly	\$ 102.19	
Children's Offering	\$ 10.25	
Loose Checks	\$ 1,733.00	
Loose Cash	\$ 800.00	
Total Weekly Offering	\$ 17,749.19	
Capital Improvement	\$ 767.00	
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# Pray for Our Sick

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Justin Montello, Bob Moravick, Karyn Nowak,
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Jodi Piscitello, Lauri Powaski, Lena Salvatore,
Virginia Schmitz, Bob Sheridan, Dorothy Skiba,
Regina Szabo, Theresa Vodka,
Joseph Wentzel, Donna Zenobi, Brian Zupancic

Saint Clare Calendar Lottery			
April 12 Carmine Lanese	\$ 25		
April 13 Theresa Caspio	\$ 150		
April 14 Roberta Stomski	\$ 25		
April 15 Barbara Engoglia	\$ 25		
April 16 Debbie Ondercin	\$ 25		
April 17 Nicole Daher	\$ 25		
April 18 Gary R. Bindel	\$ 25		

Congratulations to all of our Winners!

# Pray for These Priests and Seminarians

# Sunday, April 20

Rev. John R. Hengle Rev. Ralph W. Thomas Those Discerning God's Call

# Monday, April 21

Rev. Damian Ezeani Rev. John R. Olsavsky Jeremy Shafer - St. Mary

# Tuesday, April 22

Rev. Donald H. Dunson Rev. R. Stephen Vellenga Charles Caimie - St. Mary

# Wednesday, April 23

Rev. Joseph P. Boznar Rev. William M. Jerse Mitchell Carson - St. Mary

# Thursday, April 24

Bishop Martin Amos Rev. Richard A. Gonser Cameron Ferrell - St. Mary

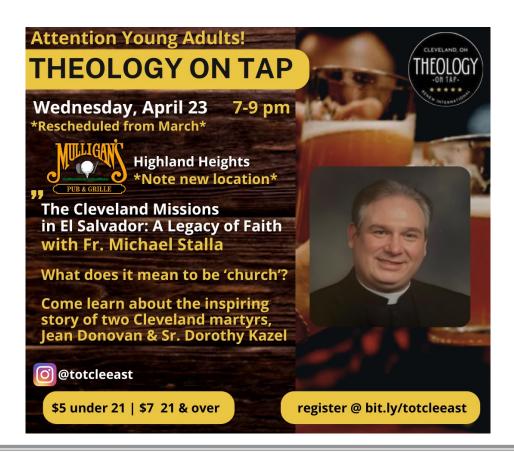
# Friday, April 25

Rev. Robert A. Burge Rev. Stephen A. Flynn Nathan Frankart - St. Mary

# Saturday, April 26

Rev. John C. Chlebo Rev. Matthew Pfeiffer

Joseph Truong Viet Ho - St. Mary





# Something grrrrreat is coming! Saint Clare Vacation Bible School, June 9 - 13, 9am-12noon

Open to ALL children (including non-parishioners and all faiths)

Pre-K (age 4 by 9/30/25) to just finished 6th Grade

Invite your friends to join us!

The \$50 fee per child includes *daily Totally Catholic* Wild Bible Adventures, Saint of the Day, Catholic ID, T-Shirt, backpack, daily crafts, Tundra Treats, Sing & Play Peak, Glacier Games, Evening Program and Open House on June 12th for family and friends, Field Day with snacks & activities for *children and staff only* Friday morning, June 13th, and so much more! Payment is due at the time of registration online with check or credit card.

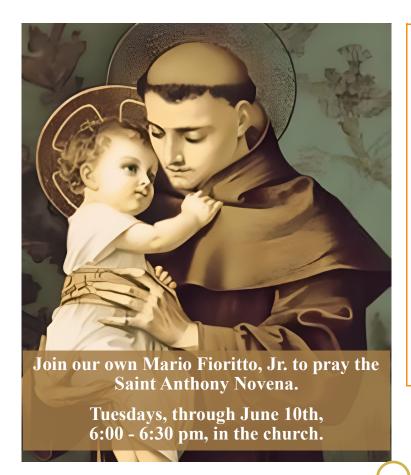
Your children are very important to us and all of those involved in your child's faith formation take their ministry very seriously. We have a wonderful group of dedicated background checked and VIRTUS trained volunteers to journey with your children as they grow in knowledge of our Catholic faith and traditions during this fun and spirit-filled week!



To Register, browse to https://www.osvhub.com/st-clare-church/forms/2025-vacation-bible-school or scan:

Volunteers are needed, adults and teens: Contact Lori Mascia lmascia.stclare@att.net , 440-449-4242 Ext. 119 or Brad Jasko bjasko.stclare@gmail.com , 440-449-4242 Ext. 122

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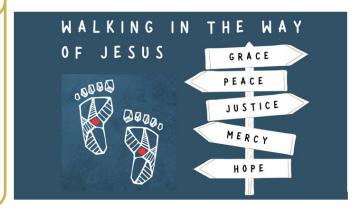
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There is someone that I love even though I don't approve of what he does. There is someone I accept though some of his thoughts and actions revolt me. There is someone I forgive though he hurts the people I love the most. That person is.....me.

~ C. S. Lewis

# The Diocese of Cleveland's Office of Marriage & Family Ministry 50th Wedding Anniversary Celebration

The 50th Jubilee celebration for marriages in 1975 is scheduled for June 29, 2025. Couples may request a letter from Bishop Malesic and a certificate to commemorate their very special occasion. The certificates and letters are compiled **once a month** and must be requested online in advance.

Request a certificate at the link below:

https://www.DioceseOfCleveland.org/offices/parish-life/marriage-and-family-ministry/marriage/50th-wedding-anniversary-celebration.



April 20, 2025

# The Resurrection of the Lord

Acts 10:34a, 37-43 | Col 3:1-4 | Jn 20:1-9

Written by THE FAITHFUL DISCIPLE

# GROW AS A DISCIPLE | PRAY, STUDY, ENGAGE, SERVE

After years (and, for many of us, decades) of celebrating Easter, we may not be sensitive to the sheer peculiarity of the Resurrection accounts. But a close reading of today's Gospel prompts us to ask: If most of us were dreaming up the greatest event in history, wouldn't we have made it more exciting? A little fanfare would have gotten the message out to the world and nipped future skepticism in the bud. Yet this is not what God did. The account of Jesus' resurrection has no fanfare; in fact, it is not an account of a resurrection at all. It is a story of an empty tomb discovered by a woman from whom Jesus had cast out seven demons (cf. Lk 8:2), and two fishermen. Awestruck by the simplicity of these circumstances, we are inspired to adore the profound humility of God who invites – but never forces – us to respond to him in faith.

### GO EVANGELIZE

### PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

Although we cannot know exactly why God chose to arrange the events this way, today's second reading offers a hint: "For you have died," writes St. Paul, "and your life is hidden with Christ in God." This world which we consider home, and everything that comes to mind when we say "my life" - these are only shadows of the life that is found in Christ alone. Like the disciples in the Gospel, we are meant to gaze past the outward appearances of our mundane and sometimes painfilled lives and, with the eyes of faith, place our hope in the true life that comes from God. But how often we forget! How often we live as if this world were all there was, without hope for eternal life! We are not alone in forgetting God's promises; Mary Magdalene and the disciples do not seem to expect Jesus' resurrection - even though he had repeatedly predicted it. At the tomb, they sought a dead body; but Jesus wished to offer them his life. We, likewise, must desire and seek his life by laying aside everything that does not lead us to him.

### REJOICE

Alleluia! Christ is risen! Although we don't place our hope in this life, marking the Church's feasts in our homes and families can inspire us to seek "what is above" by giving us a foretaste of the joys of heaven. Today through next Sunday, as we celebrate the "Easter Octave," every day is Easter Day! Use simple reminders – decorations, an extra treat, an additional time of prayer – to rejoice each day of the Octave.

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