Church of Saint Clare

5659 Mayfield Road, Lyndhurst, Ohio 44124 Phone: (440) 449-4242 Fax: (440) 646-9648 Parish Web Site: saintclare.net

Fr. Stanley J. Klasinski, Pastor Fr. Joseph R. Brankatelli, Parochial Vicar Mrs. Lori Mascia, Pastoral Associate Daniel and Nancy Maier, Pastoral Musicians



Masses:

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 p.m.; Sunday 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., and 12:00 noon Weekdays: 8:30 a.m. Holy Day of Obligation Vigil: 4:30 p.m. Holy Day: 8:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

Confessions:

Saturday: 3:30-4:00 p.m. or by appointment

Baptism:

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

Marriage:

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

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. Please call the Business Office and a Eucharistic Minister will be provided.

Anointing of the Sick:

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 Business Office.

Registration:

Welcome! Please register in person at the Business Office.

CHURCH OF SAINT CLARE

LYNDHURST, OHIO



Prior to Daily Mass Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet, 7:50 a.m. Come Join Us!

Monday, August 29 ~ The Passion of St. John the Baptist 8:30 William and Pauline Fioritto

Tuesday, August 30

8:30 Rosemary Braun

Wednesday, August 31

8:30 Wesley and Elizabeth Dew 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration 12:00-1:00 p.m. Confessions

Thursday, September 1

8:30 Jerry Murray

Friday, September 2 8:30 Dailey Family

Saturday, September $3 \sim St$. Gregory the Great 4:30 Caroline Porrello

Sunday, September $4 \sim$ Twenty-Third Sunday in **Ordinary Time**

8:00 Celebrant's Intention 10:00 Our Parish Family

- 12:00 Celebrant's Intention
- 1:00 Baptism

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

Office of Faith Formation **Business Office** 113 Lori Mascia, Pastoral Associate 119 Lisa Gros, Business Administrator 101 Administrative Assistant 122 Barbara Dokar, Parish Secretary Janet Homa, Accounting 114 115 Parish Ministries Gayle Jameson, Office Assistant St. Clare Outreach (Voicemail) 161 **Caregiver Support** 165 Fax: 440-646-9648 Youth Ministry, SCYGA 139 Rectory **Business Office and Chapel Hours** Fr. Stanley Klasinski 105 Monday-Tuesday - 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Fr. Joseph Brankatelli 107 Wednesday-Friday - 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Mass Schedule 2 Saturday - 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

This Week at Saint Clare

Monday, August 29 Finance Council, 7:00 p.m. (HR)

Tuesday, August 30 Marian Movement of Priests Rosary Cenacle, 9:00 a.m. (Ch)

Wednesday, August 31 Eucharistic Adoration, 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. (Ch) Confessions, 12:00-1:00 p.m. (Ch) Spiritual Formation, 6:30 p.m. (HR)

Thursday, September 1 Avilas, 9:00-9:30 a.m. (Ch)



A huge Thank-You to all who attended the Adoration, Procession, and Cavatellí Dínner! We appreciated your participation!

Telephone Directory: 440-449-4244 **Corpus Christi Academy**

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Matthew Tabar, Principal	117
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Christina Fink, School Secretary	118
Cara Mia Duncan	
Pre-K Director/Teacher	129
Fax: 440-449-1497	
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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.

Readings for the Week of August 29				
Monday	1 Cor 2:1-5/Mk 6:17-29			
Tuesday	1 Cor 2:10b-16/Lk 4:31-37			
Wednesday	1 Cor 3:1-9/Lk 4:38-44			
Thursday	1 Cor 3:18-23/Lk 5:1-11			
Friday	1 Cor 4:1-5/Lk 5:33-39			
Saturday	1 Cor 4:6b-15/Lk 6:1-5			
Sunday	Wis 9:13-18b/Phlm 9-10, 12-17/ Lk 14:25-33			

Pray for Our Sick



Elizabeth Bryson, Anne Buffa, Rosa Camino, Frank Casarona, Joseph Casarona, Joe Covay, Mary Jane De Penti, Roger De Penti, Jen Fruscella, Sandy Fruscella, Elizabeth Ferenczi, Marie Fiore, Tommy Lewis, Michael Manocchio, Anthony Monastra, Lois Metz, Justin Montello, Karyn Nowak, Barb Orlandi, Anthony Paluckas, Rosemarie Paluckas, Agnes Parsons, Amy Ralston, Bob Sheridan, Dorothy Skiba, Lillian Sutter, Dottie Trvalik, Arch Tunnell, Tom Warner, Joseph Wentzel, Fran Zelko

> Pray for Our Deceased Dolores Mazzocco, Amy Ralston

Sunday, August 28

Rev. Edward Sittinger, Saint Mary Rev. James Maloney

Monday, August 29

Rev. Leonard Cencula Rev. Mark Riley Augustine Drexler, Borromeo

Tuesday, August 30

Rev. Josha Cochrac Rev. Zachary Kawalec Christopher Martin, Borromeo

Pray for The Priests and Seminarians

Wednesday, August 31 Rev. Eric Garris Rev. James Mayer, OdeM

Stephen Vavro, Borromeo

Thursday, September 1

Rev. Christopher Cox Rev. Leonard Bacik Ben Baratian, Borromeo

Parish Support					
Capital Improvement Contributions					
Fiscal year Beginning 07/01/22					
Year-to-Date through 7/31/2022	\$14,811.00				
Goal for the Year	\$90,000.00				
Parish Support					
FOR WEEK OF August 14,2022					
WEEKLY OFFERTORY GOAL	\$16,000.00				
WEEKLY AVERAGE (7 Weeks)	\$14,091.01				
Weekly Offertory Contribution	\$12,184.00				
Online Weekly Offering	\$ 3,622.00				
Fee Offset Donation	\$ 21.00				
Children's Offering	\$.28				
Loose Cash	\$ 574.00				
Total Weekly Offering	\$16,401.28				
Capital Improvement	\$ 1,331.00				
Online Capital Improvement	\$ 213.00				
Saint Clare Community Outreach	\$ 122.09				
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Thank you for your consister	nt giving!				

Please consider Online Giving. Download the app or call the parish office for details.

Saint Clare Calendar Lottery

August 20	Peg Sperli	\$25
August 21	Josephine Rist	\$50
August 22	Charlene McCarthy	\$25
August 23	Mike McKinley	\$25
August 24	Marilyn Vincelli	\$25
August 25	Gayle E. Ebel	\$25
August 26	Mark Malpas	\$25

Congratulations to all of our winners!

Friday, September 2

Rev. Jared Orndorff Rev. Neil O'Connor Sam Cefaratti, Borromeo

Saturday, September 3

Rev. Louis Pizmoht Rev. Robert Wang Jonathan Green, Borromeo

Church of Saint Clare Office of Faith Formation and Religious Education

NOW is the time to register your child for our 2022-2023 PSR classes!

Especially those **first graders in public school** who need to start faith formation and religious education.

Grades Pre-K – 6 ~ Saturday mornings, 9:00-10:15 a.m. starting September 24

Grades 7 and 8 ~ Tuesday evenings, 7:15-8:30 p.m. starting September 20

Registration and payment is online at https://www.osvhub.com/st-clare-church/forms/psr-registration-form-22

All volunteers are background-checked and VIRTUS-trained in child abuse prevention.

For more information, see our webpage: https://saintclare.net/religious-education

To volunteer or for more info, contact Ms. Lori Mascia at lmascia.stclare@att.net



"The family is the fundamental cell of society, where we learn to live with others despite our differences and to belong to one another; it is also the place where parents pass on the faith to their children." *Evangellii Gaudium* (Joy of the Gospel) #66. Pope Francis.

WHAT IS BEREAVEMENT?

Someone you love very dearly has died and the pain, sadness and confusion seem too great for any words to mean anything. Even life itself can seem hollow and meaningless and yet, the Bible tells us that everything works for good for those who love God. The one who suffers this loss is the mourner who must travel through the phases of grief. Working through grief is hard work, accomplished over a period of time and made easier when shared with others. The St. Paschal/St. Clare Bereavement Support Group can help.

WALKING IN HOPE... A BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP



Each of us grieves the loss of a loved one in a different way; yet, many experiences are common to all. St. Paschal and St. Clare wish to offer support to widows and widowers, parents who have lost a child or anyone who has lost a significant person in their life. A six-week support group will be offered beginning on Tuesday, September 13, 2022. We will meet at St. Paschal from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. in a relaxed atmosphere with guest speakers, support materials and refreshments. Come join us and feel free to bring a friend or relative. This support group is open to parishioners and nonparishioners. Any COVID precautions currently recommended by the diocese or the CDC will be followed. There is no charge. For more information, contact Allison Krebs at 440-725-3269, Corky Mondello at 440-449-3584 or the St. Paschal Rectory at 440-442-3410.



Bereavement Group for Loss due to Suicide—A special 10-week closed session Grief Support Group starts Monday, September 12, 2022 and runs for 10 consecutive Mondays, 6:30-8:30 p.m., to support those dealing with the loss of loved ones due to suicide. This specialized support group is limited to 15 participants (at least 10) and an initial in-person intake meeting is required for registration. The meetings will take place at St. Albert the Great Parish, 6667 Wallings Road, North Royalton, Ohio, Hall A, lower level of the church. Please contact Terri Yohman with the Diocese Marriage and Family Ministry Office to schedule your intake meeting at 216-696-6525, extension 2322. The cost of the group is \$40. Sponsored by The Diocese of Cleveland, in collaboration with Cornerstone of Hope.



Congratulations! The Church of Saint Clare has reached our goal for the 2022 Catholic Charities Appeal! Thanks to the generosity of our parishioners, we have exceeded the parish goal for the 2022 Catholic Charities Appeal. Every day, Catholic Charities sees an increase in requests for services and programs that are proven to transform lives. The need continues and we hope your support will continue. Thank you!

"Blanket Sunday" ~ September 11

The Saint Clare Community Outreach is only accepting new wrapped blankets this year. Because of handling concerns, no other items will be collected for the homeless this year. Cash donations will be used to purchase new blankets. A "Blanket Sunday" envelope is included in our monthly packet. Donations are tax-deductible. If cash, please place in an envelope with first and last name of donor. If check, please make payable to Church of St. Clare. Envelopes can be placed in the Community Outreach baskets to the doors of the church or dropped off at the table near the St. Clare Statue in the school building. Thank you for your donations.

> Sponsored by The St. Clare Community Outreach



"Our Catholic Schools: Past, Present and Future"

Speaker: Frank O'Linn, Ed.D Secretary for Education & Superintendent of Schools

Date & Time: Thursday, September 1, <u>2022</u> 11:30 am – 1:00 pm Location: The City Club of Cleveland | 850 Euclid Ave | Cleveland OH 44114

Cost: \$30 per person or \$150 for a table of six

Register online: https://bit.ly/3Ajw3Ub

Email: Firstfridaycleveland@gmail.com



Novena to Our Lady of Sorrows-AM1260 The Rock

The Rock will be offering a Novena for Life to Our Lady of Sorrows at 3:00 p.m. daily, September 7 through the 15th, the Feast of Our Lady of Sorrows. Each day of the Novena will have a different focus/intention and be led by a different member for the Church/pro-life community.

Day One \sim Pray for the Suffering Women of the World

Day Two ~ Pray for Mothers who will Give Birth Today

Day Three \sim Pray for Father at the Birth of their Child

Day Four ~ Pray for all Children

Day Five ~ Pray for Families

Day Six ~ Pray for Life Begins in the Home

Day Seven ~ Secret Suffering

Day Eight ~ The Holy Cross

Day Nine ~ Our Lady of Sorrows

Please join us in prayer as we work to restore a culture of life in our nation. For the complete version of the Novena prayers, visit our website at <u>am1260therock.com</u> or call us at 216-227-1260

Interested in becoming Catholic? Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

The kingdom of heaven is like a treasure hidden in the field, which a man found and hid again; and from joy over it he goes and sells everything that he has, and buys that field (Matt 13:14).



RCIA is designed for those:

- ~ Who have never been baptized
- ~ Who have been baptized in another Christian denomination
- ~ Who were baptized Catholic but never received Confirmation and/or Holy Communion

The RCIA Team will have an informational meeting on <u>Tuesday, September 27th from 7-9 PM</u> in Harvest Room of the Sister Lucy Center and will continue to meet Tuesdays 7-9pm.

RCIA is the life-changing journey where people of any faith background explore, study and pray together with anticipation of entering into the Catholic Church and community faith at the Easter Vigil.

Any questions? Fr. Brankatelli is eager to talk with you! Please contact him at 440-449-4242 Ext. 107 or email: joseph_brankatelli@att.net



GUADETE ET EXSULTATE (LATIN NAME), POPE FRANCIS SMALL FAITH-SHARING GROUPS POPE FRANCIS'S APOSTOLIC EXHORTATION!

- Weeks of program: September 26, October 3, October 10, October 17, October 24
- Join a small faith-sharing group to learn more about your personal holiness in the words of Pope Francis
- Topic: 'REJOICE AND BE GLAD' Pope Francis focuses on call to holiness
 - In 'Gaudete et Exsultate,' Pope Francis wrote that the path to holiness is made up of small steps in prayer, sacrifice and service.
 - "God calls all Christians to be saints not plastic statues of saints, but real people who make time for prayer and who show loving care for others in the simplest gestures," Pope Francis.
 - "Do not be afraid of holiness. It will take away none of your energy, vitality or joy," the Pope wrote.

Registration due: September 12.

For more information, please contact, Rosalie Lewis at 440-227-8718 or Lisa Scaffide at 216-346-6144



August 28, 2022 | Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29 | Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a | Lk 14:1, 7-14

Written by THE FAITHFUL DISCIPLE

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

Pope St. John XXIII, one of the most influential figures of the 20th century, had a wonderful sense of humor. In stories recalled by Fr. Greg Friedman, OFM, Good Pope John would say, "God knew from all eternity I was going to be pope. Couldn't God have made me more handsome?" He also had a deep devotion to St. Joseph. In his writings, he talks about the humble and overlooked role that Joseph played in the life of Christ. He promoted an increased devotion to the humble, loval saint who stayed quietly in the background and provided a home for Christ and his mother. St. Joseph is a model for the humility that our readings speak of today. Being humble doesn't mean being embarrassed or ashamed of the talents and abilities we have. It means acknowledging that these are gifts from God. God does not give us these gifts so we can place ourselves above others, as Jesus observed people doing at the home of the Pharisee. They are to be used to glorify God. By being humble, we "will be loved more than a giver of gifts ... and find favor with God."

GO EVANGELIZE

PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

I always remember what I was told in a volunteer training when preparing to serve hospice patients and their families: sit at eye level or lower when meeting with the patient or their family members. Being "at the same level" not only "lifted up" the patient but also brought the volunteer "down" to their level. This not only made listening easier and showed respect for the dignity of the patient; it also helped the volunteer see things from the patient's perspective. Jesus tells us in the Gospel today that being his disciples is not about elevating ourselves, but about lowering ourselves. He calls us to invite, welcome, and accept those who are least able to repay us. When we forget about ourselves and our place in the world and instead lift up others, he tells us we "will be repaid at the resurrection of the righteous."

ACT One of the greatest acts of humility is to acknowledge when we are wrong, apologize, and ask forgiveness. Is there someone you can reconcile with by admitting you were wrong? Allowing God to forgive you in the sacrament of reconciliation will help you grow in humility.



A very sincere hello and welcome to the 2022-2023 school year at Corpus Christi Academy. As we embark on an amazing educational journey founded in faith, we always want to remember and reinforce our Root Beliefs:

- 1. Jesus is the Model
- 2. We are all Learners

Everything we do at Corpus Christi Academy starts and ends with these foundational facets. We act these out everyday as we model appropriate behavior for the students and pride ourselves on the fact that Corpus Christi Academy is a welcoming and friendly school and environment that embraces and celebrates its diversity exemplified by the fact that we have students and families joining us from 15 different districts and a 25 mile radius. In this new year, we will continue to Inspire, Excel, and Serve but we also have new mission and belief statements:

Mission Statement: Living in the Catholic tradition, Corpus Christi Academy empowers our students and families to take initiative through transformative encounters in mind, body, and spirit and to foster and develop respectful, responsible, and resilient leaders in our world today. Growth is facilitated and realized through curriculum and experiences that balance creativity, effective literacy, and rigor.

Belief Statement: We believe that Corpus Christi Academy is a beacon of Christ-inspired excellence in mind, body, and spirit.

As a Community of Students, Teachers, and Families:

- Our beliefs lead us to Inspire, Excel, and Serve.
- Our beliefs lead us to model Catholic values and support the mission of the school.
- Our beliefs lead us to grow in our Catholic faith and share our faith with others.
- Our beliefs lead us to a lifetime of continual learning and leadership.

Welcome to our seventh year as Corpus Christi Academy, we have truly become "One Body in Christ".

Sincerely, Matthew Tabar Principal, Corpus Christi Academy



