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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.



Mass Intentions

Prior to Daily Mass, Rosary and Divine Mercy 7:50 a.m.

Come Join Us!

Monday, August 7 ~ Saint Sixtus II, Saint Cajetan 8:30 Gary DeBenedictis

Tuesday, August 8 ~ Saint Dominic 8:30 Loretta lannetta

Wednesday, August 9 ~ Saint Teresa Benedicta of the Cross

8:30 Rina Andreano

9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Adoration

12:00-1:00 p.m. Confessions

Thursday, August 10 ~ Saint Lawrence

8:30 Joseph Forristell

Friday, August 11 ~ Saint Clare

8:30 Caroline and Stanley Klasinski, Sr.

Saturday, August 12 ~ Saint Jane Frances de Chantal

4:30 Clarence and Catherine Bucaro

Sunday, August 13 ~ Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 Celebrant's Intention

10:00 Celebrant's Intention

12:00 Our Parish Family

1:00 Baptisms

This Week at Saint Clare

Monday, August 7

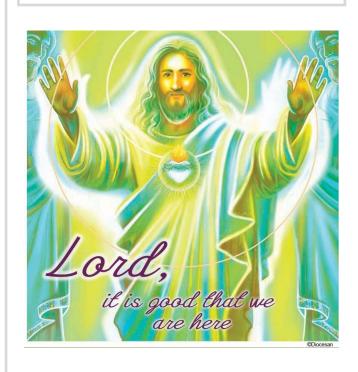
Finance Council, 7:00 p.m. (HR) Procession Meeting, 7:00 p.m. (Conf. Room)

Tuesday, August 8

Marian Movement of Priests Cenacle, 9:00-10:25 a.m. (Ch)

Wednesday, August 9

Eucharistic Adoration, 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Confessions, 12:00-1:00 p.m.



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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 7
Monday	Nm	11:4b-15/Mt 14:13-21

Tuesday Nm 12:1-13/Mt 14:22-26

Wednesday Nm 13:1-2, 25—14:1, 26-29a, 34-35/

Mt 15:21-28

Thursday 2 Cor 9:6-10/Jn 12:24-26

Friday Dt 4:32-40/Mt 16:24-28

Saturday Dt 6:4-13/Mt 17:14-20

Sunday 1 Kgs 19:19a, 11-13a/ Rom 9:1-5/

Mt 14:22-33

Pray for Our Sick



Elizabeth Bryson, Anne Buffa, Frank Casarona, Joseph Casarona, Joe Covay, Nicholas Covelli, Ken Cudnik, Mary Jane De Penti, Roger De Penti, Darlene Dula, Elizabeth Ferenczi, Marie Fiore, Krissy Horacek, Tony LaVerde, Tommy Lewis, Lois Metz, Justin Montello, Karyn Nowak, Anthony Paluckas, Rosemarie Paluckas, Alyssa Parino, Agnes Parsons, Lauri Powaski, James Razzante, Mary Ann Rody, Lena Salvatore, Bob Sheridan, Dorothy Skiba, Edward Synk, Arch Tunnell, Tom Warner, Joseph Wentzel, Steven Zganger

Parish Support

Capital Improvement Contributions Fiscal year Beginning 07/01/23

Year-to-Date through 6/30/2023 \$94,299.04 Goal for the Year \$90,000.00

Parish Support

FOR WEEK OF July 23, 2023

FOR WEEK OF Duly 25, 2025					
WEEKLY OFFERTORY GOAL	\$16,000.00				
WEEKLY AVERAGE (4 Weeks)	\$14,122.46				
Weekly Offertory Contribution	\$ 5,623.00				
Online Weekly Offering	\$ 5,469.00				
Fee Offset Donation	\$ 21.00				
Children's Offering	\$ 2.00				
Loose checks	\$ 425.70				
Loose Cash	\$ 1,020.00				
Total Weekly Offering	\$12,560.70				
Capital Improvement	\$ 1,260.00				
Online Capital Improvement	\$ 300.00				
Saint Clare Community Outreach	\$ 258.00				

Community Days \$18,300.00

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Saint Clare Calendar Lottery July 29 Rose Ann Lauro \$25 July 30 Martha Crowley \$50 July 31 \$25 Kathy Jenik Margaret Stalker \$25 August 1 JoAnne Cianciolo August 2 \$25 August 3 Sara Stanton \$25 \$25 August 4 Libby Parsons

Congratulations to all of our winners!

Sunday, August 6

Bishop Edward C. Malesic

Monday, August 7

Rev. James Stenger Rev. Paul Bernier, SSS Christopher Cotone, Saint Mary

Tuesday, August 8

Rev. Anthony Marshall, SSS

Rev. Louis Carey

Anthony Donatelli, Saint Mary

Pray for These Priests and Seminarians Wednesday, August 9

All Priests

Jon Hawkins, Saint Mary

Thursday, August 10

Rev. Frederick Benda, SJ Rev. Thomas Montavon Jeff Lindholm, Saint Mary

Friday, August 11

Rev. Leonard Oblav Rev. Michael Denk James Parisi, Saint Mary

Saturday, August 12

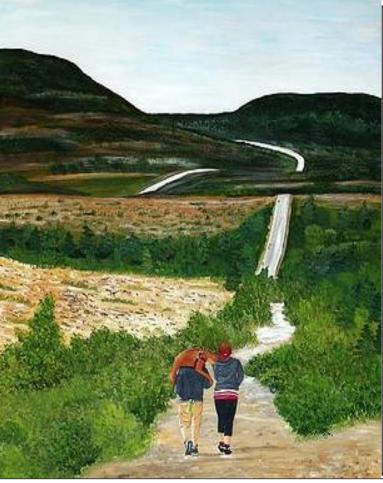
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John 1:38



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To learn more about the RCIA Program at the Church of Saint Clare, come to an informational meeting and informal dinner on:

Tuesday, September 12, 6:00-8:30 p.m.

Harvest Room of the Sister Lucy Center Classes will continue every Tuesday from 6:00-8:30 p.m.

For questions and to sign up, contact either:

Joan Agresta, RCIA Director, 216-509-3130 or email: ilaquiche@aol.com.

Fr. Brankatelli, Parochial Vicar, 440-449-4242, extension 107 or email: joseph_brankatelli@att.net.



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August 6, 2023 | Feast of the Transfiguration of the Lord

Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 | 2 Pt 1:16-19 | Mt 17:1-9

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

According to the dictionary definition, to be transfigured is to "transform into something more beautiful or elevated." This is what we see happening in Matthew's Gospel today: Jesus takes his closest disciples up the mountain and there he is transformed - he is transfigured before them: "His face shone like the sun and his clothes became white as light." He is also joined by Moses and Elijah as a sign that he is the fulfillment of God's promises of old. Jesus completes the old covenant that God made with his people and brings us the new covenant of salvation. The Transfiguration parallels the Baptism of the Lord in that we once again hear God speaking from the heavens to say, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased." But during the Transfiguration, God adds the words, "Listen to him." That's a command not just for his disciples there on the mountain but for us today as well.

GO EVANGELIZE

PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

In elementary school, we were often reminded to listen. I remember one teacher who made a point to impress upon our class that listening is different from hearing. It is easy to hear, but to listen, you need to take the time to understand what is being said. In his letter today, Peter is urging us to listen to the prophetic message of Jesus. He says, "You will do well to be attentive to it" and then compares doing so to being "a lamp shining in a dark place." The world today can be a very dark place, but we don't have to be content to live in the shadows. By following Jesus' example and commands, we can bring light - along with hope and joy - to our corner of the world. Sometimes that takes courage, though. It might involve making uncomfortable or unpopular choices, but Peter promises that the "day will dawn." When that happens, we will undoubtedly see the fruits of our good works in our efforts to build God's kingdom.

PRAY This week, let us pray in both words and actions as Jesus taught us. If the Lord's Prayer is not already part of your daily prayer routine, try incorporating it this week. Then, look for ways to follow in the footsteps of Jesus by reaching out to someone who may appreciate a phone call or a visit.



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Young Catholic Professionals of Cleveland invites young adults in their 20s & 30s to get involved in our ministry focused on Working in Witness for Christ. We'd love to see you at one of our upcoming events!

Upcoming Events

August 9: Executive Speaker Series: Stephen Henley - The President of Legatus, an international organization for lay Catholic business executives, visits Cleveland to share wisdom with the future of the Catholic business world. (Holy Spirit Parish, 410 Lear Road, Avon Lake, 6pm)

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