

# St. John the Baptist Catholic Church

Missionaries of the Precious Blood  
St. George Deanery



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**Office Closed**

**Monday, May 27, 2024**

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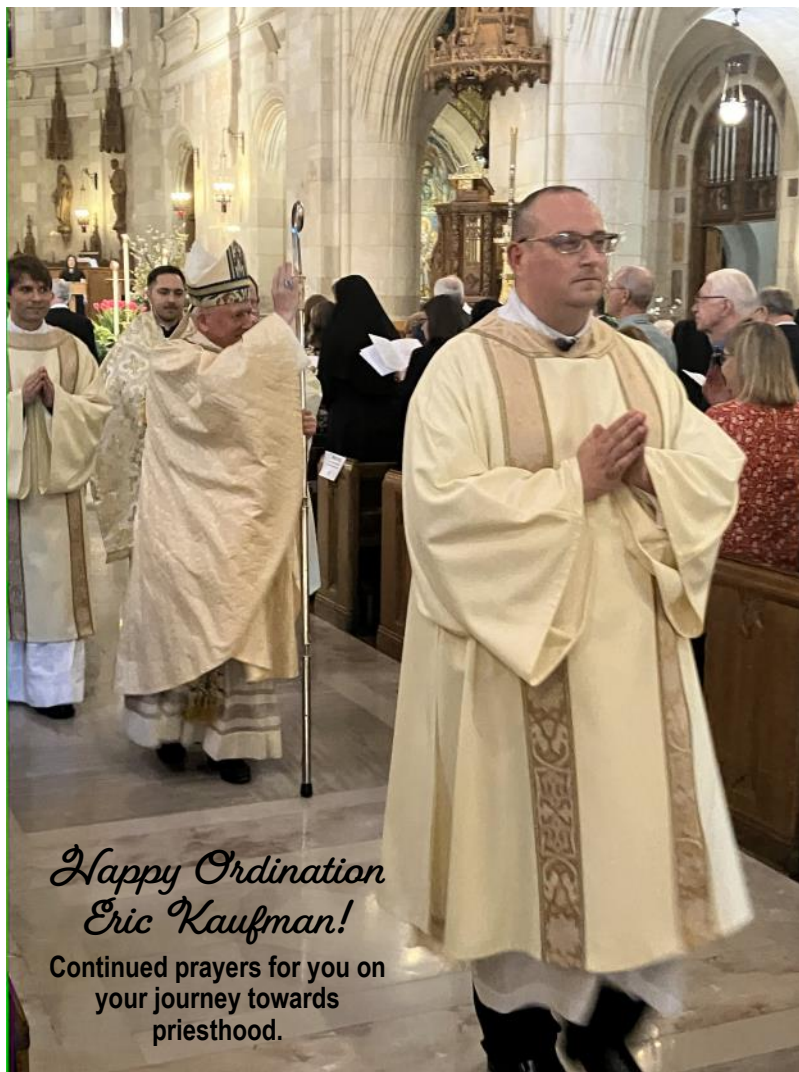
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*Happy Ordination  
Eric Kaufman!*

Continued prayers for you on  
your journey towards  
priesthood.

### PARISHIONERS

- New Members
  - Any status or address changes
  - To keep informed, register for Bulletin and Parish Notifications by email or visit St. John's website
- Call or email the Parish Office

### WANT TO GET INVOLVED IN OUR PARISH?

- If you are interested in becoming a Lector, Extraordinary Minister, Usher, Funeral Server, Choir, Spirit and Song Group and any other way.
  - If Interested in becoming a member on our Finance Committee or Parish Council Committee. Please call the parish office for more information and to be put on the next ballot.
- Call or email the Parish Office.

# 2 FROM THE DESK OF DEACON ERIC

[www.stjohnlandorf.org](http://www.stjohnlandorf.org)

Today we celebrate the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity. We celebrate our God who is Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, three separate distinct persons, yet one God. This is one of the great mysteries of our faith. Throughout the course of our church's history, we have theologians that have tried to explain how this great mystery of our faith works. At times their explanations can seem to be quite profound, amazing, complicated, confusing, and hard to understand all at the same time. I think it is important for us to try to understand and study this teaching. At the same time, I think it is important that we do not get all bogged down on understanding the Most Holy Trinity but focus more on the importance of believing in the Most Holy Trinity, being in relationship with the Most Holy Trinity and giving praise to the Most Holy Trinity. As we focus on our belief, the relationship, and giving our praise to the Most Holy Trinity we gain understanding we seek.

Our scriptures today invite us to focus on this relationship aspect. Our scriptures today invite us to focus particularly that we have a unique relationship with our God. Moses in speaking to the Israelites and Paul in writing to the Romans are both addressing people that live in a polytheistic (multiple god) culture/world and in their address, they say that our God is unique in our relationship with us. Moses asks the Israelites did anyone ever hear the voice of God speak from fire and live? "Or did any god venture to go and take a nation for himself from the midst of another nation, by testings, by signs and wonders by war, with his strong hand outstretched arm, and by great terrors, all of which the LORD, your God, did for you in Egypt before your very eyes?" (Deuteronomy 4:34). Moses points out to the Israelites the great things God has done for them in freeing them from slavery in Egypt and no other god has done similar for a nation. Paul in writing to the Romans tells them that they are children of God. Paul uses the phrase "Abba Father" to speak of our relationship with God. Jesus in the gospel often uses this same phrase "Abba Father" when he speaks to God. Us living in 2024 can easily overlook the significance of endearment of this phrase "Abba Father" quite literally it means to be saying "God is Jesus daddy, God is our daddy," God's relationship to us is like that of a parent. To refer to God's relationship to us a parent relationship for some might be difficult for some who have less than an ideal relationship with parents. But God's relationship to us is that ideal parent relationship.

Moses and Paul in scriptures today speak of a unique relationship with God. We have a unique relationship with God and Jesus in our scriptures today speaks of the unique relationship. After Jesus commissions us to baptize, Jesus tells us "Behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age" (Matthew 28:20). Our God is always there with us, our God never leaves or abandons us from time to time I think we need to be reminded of this. Particularly those moments in life when life becomes a challenge, God is there with us. Just as we feel that soft gentle pulse below our necks, that is how close our God is to us.



I will be away June 17-19 2024 in St. Louis for our annual Missionary Precious Blood Assembly. I will celebrate Mass on Monday morning June 17 before I leave and then there will be Communion Services on June 18 and 19 while I am away. I ask that you hold the Missionaries of the Precious Blood in prayer during our time of meeting.  
Fr. Matt

## MONDAY, May 27 St. Augustine

7:35am Rosary

**8:00am Poor Souls - this is a Mass**

## TUESDAY, May 28

7:35am Rosary

8:00am Edna Gerdeman, Ray Fortman,

Margaret & Ralph Dorman, Karen Fortman, Carol Okuley,  
Chett Bryant, Dan Poulson, Ann Renvi, Special Intention

## WEDNESDAY, MAY 29 St. Paul VI

7:15am-7:45am Confession

7:35am Rosary

8:00am John Brinkman

6:30pm-7:30pm Adoration

7:00pm-7:30 Confessions

## THURSDAY, MAY 30

7:35am Rosary

8:00am Karl Kleman

## FRIDAY, MAY 31

7:15am-7:45am Confession

7:35am Rosary

8:00am Fr. Harry Anniversary in the Priesthood,  
L/D Morman/Meyer Family

12:00pm Rosary

6:00pm Wedding Rehearsal-Sharon Meyer

## FIRST SATURDAY, JUNE 1 St. Justin

7:35am Rosary

8:00am Kathryn Meyer

8:30am Confessions

**8:30am - 4:30pm All Day Rosary**

4:00pm Confessions

4:30pm Mass in Thanksgiving for Richard & Sue Schroeder 50th,  
L/D Members of the Harry & Alberta Selhorst Family,  
Alvin & Gertrude Schmitz, Gerald Schmitz

**5:30pm - 8:00am Adoration**

## SUNDAY, JUNE 2 The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

7:35am Rosary

8:00am L/D Robert & Alice Schroeder Family,

L/D Jerome & Alma Schmitz Family,

L/D Victor & Dorothy Duling Family

Terri Leopold

10:30am L/D Thomas Meyerhoffer Family,

L/D Dan Thompson Family,

L/D Carl & Lucille Ellerbrock Family, Melvin Lauf,

Bob Wueller, L/D Arnold & Henrietta Langhals

Family, Harry & Frances Gerding

11:30am Corpus Christi Sunday Procession

1:00pm Baptism - Fr. Oedy

## SERVERS

Mon	8:00am	Jonathan Klear, Ella Brady, Quinn Crumrine
Tue	8:00am	Caleb Schroder, Andrew Schroeder, Landon Heckman
Wed	8:00am	Caroline Sarka, Kaitlyn Kuhlman, Ella Schroeder
Thurs	8:00am	Calista Vennekotter, Jace Vennekotter, Luke Bockrath
Fri	8:00am	Emmit Miller, Luke Haselman, Lyla Walker
Sat	8:00am	Megan Miller, Graham Miller, Noah Leopold
Sat	4:30pm	Adam Maag, Ross Maag, Mylie Bockrath, Thurifer-Ethan Weis
Sun	8:00am	Allison Kuhlman, Ethan Kuhlman, Peyton Kuhlman
Sun	10:30am	Grant Schroeder, Grant Maag, Abby Recker, Thurifer-Ace Nienberg

**ATTENTION: New Summer Weekday Mass schedule (next year 6th-8th graders) and Weekend Mass schedule (next year 9th - 12th graders) have been sent out. If you didn't receive the Server schedule please check your e-mails or our parish website under Ministry Schedules. Thank you very much!**

## EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Sat	4:30pm	Diane Recker Alicia Nussbaum
Sun	8:00am	Mark Schroeder Tammy Schroeder
Sun	10:30am	Jason Kleman Julie Pothast

## LECTORS

Carole Schroeder
Kathy Schmitz
Nicole Ruhe
Elizabeth Ruhe
Michelle Schroeder
Dawn Giesige

## GIFT BEARERS

Sat	4:30pm	Richard & Susan Schmitz
Sun	8:00am	Steve & Jane Alt
Sun	10:30am	Paul & Marlene Kleman

## JUNE USHERS

Sat	4:30pm	Richard and Sue Schroeder Grandkids
Sun	8:00am	Bryan Kaufman, Michael Recker
Sun	10:30am	Jerry Recker, Al Kaufman

**COMMUNION TO MEADOWS:** Gene & Rose Warnecke  
**COUNTERS FOR SUNDAY: 1**

**ATTENTION: New Counters schedules that starts June 2nd have been sent out if you didn't receive your Counter schedule please check your e-mails or our parish website under Ministry Schedules. Thank you very much!**

**ROSARY NEXT SUNDAY:** Ginny Schroeder & Karen Parker

**JUNE FUNERAL ROSARY LEADERS:** Helen & Leon Meyer,

Rose Ann & Kenneth Kaufman, Alice Swetland, Virgil & Mary Lou Riemann, Henry & Jane Kaufman

## THANK YOU

I would like to say thank you to everyone: Fr. Matt, the Parish Staff, Parishioners, Family, and Friends for the breakfast reception, all of the prayers, cards, gifts, and support over the last six years and last weekend for my ordination to the Diaconate. Please continue to pray for and encourage priestly and religious vocations. Thank you again, and God Bless!

- Dcn. Eric Kaufman





# 4 ABOUT OUR PARISH

## SACRAMENTS

### BAPTISM

Instruction is necessary when this is your first child. To arrange a baptism or register for the parental baptism class, please contact the Parish Office.

### PARENTAL BAPTISM CLASS (by Deacon Don)

Parish Center Room 15 9:00am –10:30am

**Upcoming classes:** September 15

### MARRIAGES

Please contact the Parish Office six months in advance to start planning your wedding. A marriage preparation class is required.

### MARRIAGE PREPARATION CLASS (REQUIRED)

**1-DAY CLASS** organized by Dr. Craig and Wendy Imm in the Parish Center Cafeteria

Sunday, November 3, 2024 at 8:00am

### RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION)

Wednesday 7:15am –7:45am, 7:00pm—7:30pm

Friday 7:15am—7:45am

Saturday 8:30am, 4:00pm—4:15pm

### ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please call the Parish Office if you need a Priest for Anointing of the Sick or Last Rites. If a Sacramental Emergency call 419-778-9339.

### HOLY ORDERS AND RELIGIOUS LIFE

Contact the vocation office at the Toledo Diocese at 419-244-6711 ext. 4945 or e-mail

psmith@toledodiocese.org or contact the vocation office at the Missionaries of the Precious Blood 937-228-9263 or e-mail vocation@cpps-preciousblood.org.

### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Wednesday 6:30pm—7:30pm

1st Friday 1:00pm—4:00pm with Benediction

1st Saturday 5:30pm - 8:00am

### INITIATION OF ADULTS INTO THE CATHOLIC FAITH (RCIA/OCIA)

Is a journey through which interested adults and older children are welcomed and gradually introduced to the Roman Catholic Faith, Sacraments, Worship and way of life. In response to their inquiries, these people are properly instructed so that you can discern (through reflection and prayer) whether you are indeed called to Catholicism. If you would like more information or want to register please contact the Parish Office. The next session will start in the fall.

## CATECHISM CORNER

The Work of Mercy we will look at this week is:

### ***Spiritual Work of Mercy: Forgive Offenses Willingly from “The Works of Mercy Explained” by Silvia Vecchini***

*“But I say to you, love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you, so that you may be children of your Father in heaven; for he makes his sun rise on the evil and on the good, and sends rain on the righteous and on the unrighteous. For if you love those who love you, what reward do you have?” Matthew 5: 44-46*

Jesus’ teaching urges us to be like God. In fact Jesus says, “Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful. Do not judge, and you will not be judged; do not condemn, and you will not be condemned. Forgive and you will be forgiven...” (Luke 6: 36-37)

As God’s children we are called to forgive and to be like God who is full of mercy.

The fifth spiritual work of mercy highlights one of the most important of Jesus’ teachings: loving one’s enemies by forgiving those who have offended us.

Every time we pray the Our Father, we ask God to “forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us.” With this phrase we ask God to forgive us for what we have done and what we have failed to do. We also tell God, however, that we will do the same by forgiving our neighbors when they harm us. The forgiveness we receive from God is a gift that we ought to be quick to pass on to our neighbor. We cannot keep forgiveness to ourselves.

**Virtue / Character Development:** GENEROSITY overflows to others most deeply in mercy. God fills us with His love despite our sins, and this should move us to pour out His gifts on all those around us without counting the cost. We are more able to forgive others when we live in GRATITUDE for God’s many gifts. The grateful person who can see all that God has done for him is too joyful to hold onto any injury. He trusts that God will restore whatever he has lost.

**Action Ideas:** Write a letter of forgiveness to someone who has hurt you. If you cannot send it, as Christ Jesus to have mercy on you both and then throw it out. • If you were mean to someone, admit that you were and ask the person to forgive you. • Get into the habit of saying the words “I forgive you” when someone apologizes. • Make a list of your “enemies.” Then, everyday, say a prayer for them. • Learn to review your day before going to bed: recall the ways God showed you his love that day as well as the ways you failed to love like God. Remembering God’s mercy each night helps us to be merciful. • Say “I am sorry.” Be the first to apologize. • Go to confession.

STEWARDSHIP		May 19, 2024
<b>Offering</b>		
Loose	\$	1,338.00
Adult Envelope	\$	8,685.00
Children	\$	207.30
Maintenance	\$	380.00
Online Giving	\$	2,290.00
Catholic Communication	\$	334.00
<b>Total Collection</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>13,234.30</b>

Thank you to all of you who have been continuing to make your Weekly/monthly contributions to your St. John's parish family and for sharing your treasure, time, & talent with your St. John's parish family!

### Give Online Today!

Visit our website to get the E-Giving Form to fill out and return to the Parish Office. It is located in the left side above the Menu options. [www.stjohnsglandorf.org](http://www.stjohnsglandorf.org)

### Heartbeat needs Baby Wipes

*Heartbeat Hours:* Tuesday 1-5pm and Thursday 9-1pm

**Foods Needed at the Ottawa Food Pantry:** pineapple, mandarin oranges, pears, ready to eat soup, pancake mix, pop tarts or breakfast bars, boxed or canned potatoes, rice, dry beans, canned pasta, egg noodles, condiments, salad dressing, sloppy joe sauce, hamburger helper, spaghetti sauce, snacks.

Note: Monetary gifts are also welcome. (Send in care of Trinity UM Church, 137 N. Pratt, Ottawa)

**2024 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL**

**Yesterday, Today, & Forever**

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Give Today at [acatoledo.org](http://acatoledo.org)

COUNTLESS LIVES ARE TOUCHED BY EVERY CONTRIBUTION TO THE ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL THEMED YESTERDAY, TODAY AND FOREVER. CHILDREN, SEMINARY STUDENTS, THE SICK AND AGED, THE NEEDY—THEY ALL DEPEND ON OUR GENEROSITY. FAITH, HOPE, AND LOVE COME ALIVE THROUGH THE ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL. THANK YOU FOR PLEDGING TODAY TO HELP MEET OUR PARISH GOAL AND ASSURE THE CONTINUATION OF THESE PROGRAMS AND SERVICES. FOR MORE INFORMATION ON MINISTRIES FUNDED BY THE APPEAL, VISIT [ACATOLEDO.ORG](http://ACATOLEDO.ORG). THANK YOU!

**Our goal this year is \$45,834.00**  
**Total pledged and paid \$41,471.71**  
**We are 90.48% of goal**

St. John's 2023 Annual Catholic Appeal rebate check for 50% of the amount raised over your parish goal last year is \$6,645.52. Thank you for your support!

PRAYERFULLY CONSIDER YOUR DONATION.

## New Altar Rosary Officers

President: **Abby Nussbaum**  
 President Elect: **Sharon Mayhew**  
 Vice President: **Barb Siefker**  
 Treasurer: **Sarah Faber**  
 Treasurer Elect: **Andrea Giesige**  
 Secretary: **Karen Maag**  
 Secretary Elect: **Emily Kemp**  
 Commissioner: **Ashley Ellerbrock**

Thank you for saying "yes" to this ministry! Thank you for the wonderful Baccalaureate Luncheon for our Seniors and their parents last weekend!!

Thank you to Betsy Maag, Heather Haselman, Gwen Klear, Jackie Schroeder, Beth Trombley for being Altar Rosary Officers for the past few years. We greatly appreciate all you have done for St. John's !!

## Please Include them in your prayers

### WEDDING BANN

**II Hannah Hiegel** of this parish, daughter of Matthew & Angela Hiegel & **Trevor Niese** of St. Nicholas, Miller City, son of Kevin & Beverly Niese

**III Jordan Verhoff**, of this parish, son of Sharon & Randy Verhoff & **Taylor Kuenzli**, of St. Christopher, Columbus, daughter of Bryan & Andrea Kuenzli

### BAPTIZED

**Elijah Robert Duling**, son of Nathan and Kialea Duling

### 2024 GRAND-orf Club



**2024 GRAND-orf Club** drawing will be June 9th by **Mary and Clea Birkemeier**. There will be no coffee and donuts because of an Outreach Breakfast. Extra tickets are in the racks in the church vestibules.

### Pray For Those Who Have Gone Before Us

*The past 20 years*

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|---------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Melvin T Gerding 5/26/18  | Jeffery E Gerdeman 5/30/17  |
| Margaret M Morman 5/27/08 | Edna M Ellerbrock 5/30/20   |
| Nicholas L Vorst 5/28/03  | Doris M Rosengarten 5/31/20 |
| Loretta A Halker 5/29/01  | Jeffery A Brinkman 5/31/23  |
| Jane M Gerding 5/29/13    | Elijah Victor Macke 6/1/16  |
| Nicholas Langhals 5/29/20 | Esther Trombley 6/1/18      |

### Joint Parish and Finance Council Meeting Minutes

Opening Prayer was offered by Fr. Matt Keller.

Joint Parish and Finance Council Meeting Minutes from March 12, 2024, were reviewed. Curtis Miller made a motion to approve the minutes, Kelly Morman seconded the motion. Motion passed.

#### Grounds Committee Updates:

1. Waiting on pricing for painting the ceiling, seats, and rails. Will update once pricing is received.
2. BoDeck roofing provide quotes for repairs and replacement of sections of the parish council roof. Planning to go ahead with the repair to the divider wall from the 87 addition to the main section ~\$4,500. Joe is reviewing the main section of the roof and creating division points to replace a portion each year to spread out cost. Estimate came in at \$10/sq. ft. Will be reviewed at the next Grounds Committee meeting.
3. Will be adding the basement room (scout room/tornado shelter) to the Parish Center carpet project. Target is late May or July to work on carpet replacement.

**Parish Rental House Update:** Making good progress on the interior. Discussed pricing for rental agreement. Councils voted on charging \$1075/month minus \$75/month to cover the cost of the steeple light that is part of the electrical. Vote passed. Carl to look at relocating the outdoor A/C unit or possible replacement. Target is to allow tenants to move in in June.

**Blanchard Ave. Access Discussion:** Mike shared that Elton and Jeanette are discerning how to start small as requested by the councils. A Letter of Intent to provide driveway access is being drafted and expected to be sent to council members for review soon.

New Business:

**Parish Council Elections:** Intend to have ballots ready to vote on new Parish Council members this weekend at all Masses. Ashley has a list of potential clients for the ballot.

Jenny Warnecke was hired as the new high school CCD coordinator. The survey has been completed for the parish property related to an easement for Giesken Holdings. The easement document has been drafted and reviewed. It is submitted to the Bishops office. Ottoville Hardware will visit soon to look at the church carpet and get measurements. Want to get a budget price and discuss timing for the work to begin the planning discussion. The thought is to schedule in 2025 or 2026.

Fr. Matt shared that there will be chalk art and other activities coming up related to Corpse Christi on June 1/2. Also shared that first communion is scheduled for afternoon mass on May 5. Bryan asked if we can find volunteers for ushers at that mass.

Discussed collection from special envelopes that are provided to parishioners. The collection amount for these special envelopes is rather low.

**Next Meeting** will be May 14, 2024 at 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Center Cafeteria. The new Parish Council members will be invited to attend. We will also be holding elections for positions for both councils. We intend to follow the schedule for the meeting the second Tuesday of the month at 6:30 p.m.

Closing prayer was offered by Fr. Matt Keller. Kim Ansley motioned

### PRAY FOR THE MISSIONARIES OF THE PRECIOUS BLOOD ASSEMBLY

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### PRAY FOR OUR BISHOP AND PRIESTS

The priests of the Diocese of Toledo will gather with Bishop Daniel E. Thomas for their bi-annual Convocation from June 17-20, 2024. Once again, the convocation will be at Sawmill Creek Resort, Huron, Ohio. The bishop has the expectation that all active diocesan priests will be joining him for the full duration of the Convocation. Therefore, daily Mass schedules and priests' office hours throughout the diocese will be altered to accommodate the participation of all active priests in the convocation. The convocation provides our priests the opportunity to be together for spiritual nourishment, prayer, fellowship, and recreation. Please remember to pray for all of them, that their priestly fidelity, unity, and identity will continue to be renewed and deepened.

Calling all Mass Servers High School and Jr. High on June 2nd is Corpus Christi (Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ) after the 10:30 we are going to have Eucharistic procession out to our Shrine and have Benediction. I think we have roughly 30 server albs, I would like to fill them with as many servers as we can for the procession. Come early so you can be a part of the procession.

## CYO VOLLEYBALL



Any 5th or 6th grade girl enrolled in the religious education program at Glandorf St. Johns and would like to participate in CYO Volleyball, please fill out the form online <https://forms.gle/FTJgGS6qqq7fT1jDA> by June 21st. Any questions please contact Lindsay Duling 419-615-2510 or by email [wduling@brightnet.net](mailto:wduling@brightnet.net)

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**Knight of Columbus  
Charter Award**



**Liturgical Volunteers  
Awards**



**Benning Scholarships  
Winners  
Ashlyn Siefker and  
Anthony Kahle**



We gave thanks to God for a successful school year and all the learning and blessings given to us this year. Go out this summer and live out the mission with Jesus to spread His Kingdom here on earth by loving and serving God through others. Have a safe, relaxing, and faith filled summer!



## 2nd Grade Eucharistic Drawing WINNERS

The 1st Communicant had a drawing contest. Below are the winners and the pictures that will be drawn on the



Stella Niese Blake Riepenhoff Nathan Leopold Adah Hanneman



Kinley Schroed- Kason Jason Lammers

## Eucharistic Adoration



**First Friday, June 7th 1:00pm - 4:00pm.**  
**Benediction starting at 4:00pm**

Sign-up sheet is available on the radiator back in church or sign up on line using the following link <https://shorturl.at/dkmJX>



**First Saturday, June 1st and 2nd**  
**After 4:30pm Mass until 8:00am on Sunday morning.**

Sign-up sheet is available on the radiator back in church or sign up on line using the following link <https://shorturl.at/bqAF8>



We would like at least two people signed up for each hour. If you can't make it to church to sign in, please call Katie Verhoff 480-236-7305.

## Come and Adore Jesus

**Sunday June 2**  
**9:05 -10:00 am in Church**

**\*Come, Pray & dedicate yourself to the Sacred Heart of Jesus \***



O Sacred Heart, by Your goodness, I implore You, let my name be deeply engraved in You, for in Your service and in Your love I will live and die.

**Everyone is welcomed!**

Whether you spend 10 min. 20 min. or the whole hour.

## CHALK WALK FOR CHRIST

**WHO:** EVERYONE!

**WHEN:** Saturday, June 1st @ 5:30 PM

**WHERE:** Marion Shrine sidewalk across from the church followed by food & fellowship in the Park

Come and help replicate the prize pictures from the 1st communicant's CCD classes with chalk on the Marion Shrine sidewalks for the Corpus Christi Sunday Procession!

Afterwards, enjoy brats and hot dogs, grilled by Fr Matt, in the Glandorf Park for all participants & their families.

Feel free to bring a dish to share. (Shelter House labeled "Family Fellowship")

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

## FAMILY FELLOWSHIP

COME AND JOIN US!

FIRST SATURDAY OF EVERY MONTH  
BEGINNING MARCH 2ND  
AFTER 4:30PM MASS UNTIL 8:30PM

FAMILY ADORATION  
FREE PLAY  
PIZZA, DRINKS, SNACKS PROVIDED

FELLOWSHIP LOCATIONS:

MARCH 2ND- PARISH CENTER 8TH  
APRIL 6TH- GLANDORF PARK  
MAY 4TH- PARISH CENTER 8TH  
JUNE 1ST- GLANDORF PARK  
MORE DATES & LOCATIONS TO COME!

WHAT IS FAMILY ADORATION?

- Family Adoration will be offered from 6-7:30pm in the Church. You can stay for as long as you'd like!
- Enjoy this special opportunity to introduce your children of all ages to adoring Jesus with other parish families
- Soft meditative music will be playing at this time
- Crying, soft whispers, & fidgeting is OK! Jesus wants ALL the little children to come to Him!

QUESTIONS? CONTACT:  
BROOKE CASSIDY @ 419-233-4312  
SHANA DULING @ 419-615-8988  
WENDY IMM @ 614-634-1043







## TAKE A WALK WITH CHRIST



**WHEN:** June 2nd, Corpus Christi  
Sunday procession after  
10:30 AM mass

**WHO:** Everyone!

**1st Communicants** are invited to wear their special attire again and be a part of the procession.

\***Girls** may sit on Mary side of church;  
\***Boys** on St. Joseph side

\***Parents** seated behind pew bows.

\***All servers** are invited to put on an alb and join the procession.  
Pamphlets for procession will be at end of pews.

**\*\*Benediction at the Marion Shrine\*\***  
Process back into church to repose Jesus.  
Parents may pick up their children in church.



## YOUR INVITED TO MARIA STEIN RELIC SHRINE

ON JUNE 9 TH , I AM GOING TO BE CELEBRATING MY ANNIVERSARY OF PRIESTHOOD ORDINATION. TO CELEBRATE I WOULD LIKE TO INVITE YOU AND YOUR FAMILIES TO A TOUR OF THE MARIA STEIN RELIC SHRINE AT 2 PM AND THEN AFTER THE TOUR ENJOY A SHARED IN POTLUCK OF SNACKS IN THE UPPER ROOM OF THE SHRINE. FEEL FREE TO BRING YARD GAMES TO PLAY IN THE YARD OR BALLS AND BATS AND PLAY BASEBALL IN THE PARK. PLEASE RSVP TO THE RECTORY BY JUNE 5 TH

### EXCITING NEWS!

*It's time for St. John's*  
PARISH PICTORIAL

*St. John's dates for photography will be:*

- August 13-17, 2024
- August 20-24, 2024
- September 3-7, 2024

St. John's has selected Universal Church Directories to help us with our new church directory. Our directory will not be complete without you and/or your family.

- Everyone who is photographed by Universal will receive a complimentary 8x10 portrait and directory.
- Universal provides a complete professional portrait studio right here at our church! You'll enjoy a variety of poses, backgrounds, portrait sizes, finish and framing options AND have the opportunity to purchase portraits to give to family and friends.

*Schedule your appointment soon, in person or online*

In person scheduling will be available (at Church or at Outreach breakfast)

- June 1st - June 9th
- June 15th - June 16th
- June 22nd - June 23rd
- June 29th - June 30th

To schedule in person, updated schedules will be on the radiators or at a table for someone to assist you.

Online scheduling will be available on

- May 22nd - May 31st
- June 10th - June 14th
- June 17th - June 21st
- June 24th - June 28th
- July 1st - July 5th

To schedule online follow instructions on the back side

\*\*\*\*If you don't see your name on our list of appointments, we will be calling you to invite you to participate.

If you have 6 or more in your family please use 2 consecutive time slots. No pets permitted.

Appointments fill quickly, so schedule as soon as possible to secure your preferred date and time.

We need volunteers to help with the sign-up process for our families. Please contact: Marlene Beckett at 419-303-6531.

### ONLINE SCHEDULING!

*for your Family appointment*

#### STEP BY STEP INSTRUCTIONS

1. Go to the Universal Church Directories website  
<https://www.ucdir.com/schedule/login.php> or scan the QR code.

2. Enter your church code **OH2742**
3. Enter your church password **photos**
4. Click on the Enter button

5. Click on the desired photography date

6. Click on the Reserve Time button beside the desired photography appointment time.
7. Enter the appropriate information in all required fields (indicated by the asterisk).
8. Click on the Schedule Appointment button at the bottom of the screen to reserve the photography appointment time in your family's name.

If you have more than six family members being photographed, please reserve two appointments consecutively (such as 6:00 and 6:10). You will need to do steps 5 through 8 again to schedule the second appointment.

9. Print the next screen to use as a reminder of your family's photography appointment
10. Contact Marlene Beckett (419-303-6531) to change or cancel your photography appointment.

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

We need your help to make this 2025 pictorial directory successful. We need help in a variety of different capacities during the different phases of the pictorial. Below is a list of the different tasks we need help with currently.

1. To help parishioners sign up for their Portrait appointments. Your responsibility is to help them find an appointment and then sign them up for that appointment.
2. To help call parishioners that have not signed up yet. We do not want any of our parishioners to feel that they were not included. Your responsibility is to call them and ask them if they would like to schedule an appointment.
3. To greet and help families get checked in for their portrait appointments. Your responsibility is to greet them, make sure they are on the list, have them validate some data and whatever else the photographers need.

Photo dates are August 13-17 , August 20- 24, September 3-7  
Photo hours are Monday - Friday 2:00pm -8:30pm, Saturday 10:00am - 4:00pm

You can help with one or all the tasks. It is up to you and what fits in your schedule. If you can help us out, please call or email Marlene Beckett at 419-303-6531 or [mabecket81@gmail.com](mailto:mabecket81@gmail.com). We cannot wait to hear from you.





Restore 23 presents..  
**Cooking with Christ:  
Summer Son-shine**

"Build houses and live in them;  
plant gardens and eat their produce." - Jeremiah 29:5

Come and explore ways to nourish our minds, bodies and  
souls with fruits of the soil and light from the "Son"

**When:** Sat., June 8  
11 am - 1 pm

**Where:** 620 E Blake St. Ottawa

To register: Email [Christine@Restore23.net](mailto:Christine@Restore23.net)  
OR text #419.230.2953

\$25 per person/

\$15 per person for Restore 23 clients

**Restore  
23**

Health Coaching for Women,  
Rooted in Catholic Faith



**SOULCORE**

BODY MIND SOUL

Join Chris Schroeder, with Restore 23, to nourish  
body, mind & soul with a prayer experience that combines  
the prayers of the rosary with core strengthening,  
stretching and functional movement.

*\*No fitness level, age or experience required.\**

**Registration required, \$10/session**  
**Call Chris at #419-230-2953 to sign-up**

Sat. June 1, 9-10 AM

Sat. June 15, 9-10 AM

Sat. July 27, 9-10 AM

Sat. Aug. 10, 9-10 AM

Sat. Aug. 24, 9-10 AM

Join the **Eucharistic  
Pilgrimage Prayer Challenge**  
on **Hallow**

As the National Eucharistic Pilgrimage to Indianapolis kicks off, our partners  
at Hallow have an exciting prayer challenge starting today to support the  
Eucharistic Revival and National Eucharistic Congress.

Join the Eucharistic Pilgrimage Prayer Challenge on Hallow now and  
begin your virtual pilgrimage alongside the pilgrims accompanying  
the Eucharist to Indianapolis. You will be guided by many of the voices  
from the Congress, including **Tim Glemkowski, Jonathan Roumie, Dr.  
Edward Sri, Matt Maher**, and more.

Visit the website to join [https://  
shorturl.at/NPnYh](https://shorturl.at/NPnYh) or scan the QR code



The Eucharistic Pilgrimage Prayer Challenge is a great way to go deeper in  
your knowledge, love, and pursuit of the Eucharist and to learn about the  
various routes leading to Indianapolis. You can follow along with this  
challenge even if you are unable to join at a Pilgrimage stop or attend the  
Congress, and the challenge is completely free for everyone.



**Knights of  
Columbus**

Newsletters are available in the back of  
Church.



Glandorf Community  
Garage Sales  
May 29 & 30, 2024

**Glandorf Community Park  
Memorial Donations**

include Deter's Park 12" x 12" black granite  
plaques, benches and trees. The Main Park also  
has memorial shelter house tiles and benches still  
available. For donation questions, please  
email [glandorfpark@gmail.com](mailto:glandorfpark@gmail.com).



*the mustard seed*

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**The mission of St. Catherine's  
Embrace**

is to reach out to, assist and embrace all  
families in the St. George Deanery,  
regardless of faith affiliation, who have  
lost a child from  
miscarriage, stillbirth, or infant death.  
Please call the rectory 419-538-6928



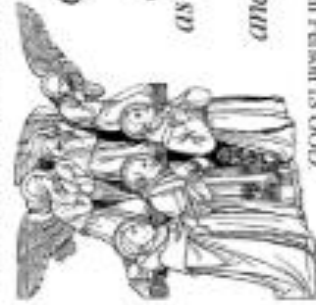
# GOD, THE HOLY TRINITY



Jesus taught us that God is not just one Person, but three Persons in one God. The three Persons in God are God the Father, God the Son Who is Jesus, and God the Holy Spirit.

The three Persons in God know each other perfectly and all want the exact same thing. The Blessed Trinity is a mystery that we can't really understand. It is the three Persons of God loving each other so much we could never even measure or understand it! And God, the Blessed Trinity, decided to create us so that we could adore them and join in their love! That's what Heaven is: being with the Blessed Trinity in total happiness forever!

We pray that the Blessed Trinity will be glorified by all creatures when we say this prayer:



*Glory be to the Father  
and to the Son  
and to the Holy Spirit  
as it was in the beginning,  
is now,  
and will be forever. Amen.*



Answers: Dot to dot on front; a shamrock represents the Holy Trinity.  
Trinity puzzle: Each Person IS NOT any other Person, but each Person IS GOD

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# The Kids' Bulletin

Feast of the Most Holy Trinity  
Sunday May 26th, 2024



There are three Persons in God:  
The Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.  
But there is still only one God!  
Saint Patrick taught the Irish people about  
the BLESSED TRINITY by showing the  
people something else that is three-in-one.  
What is it? Connect the dots to find out!

# Saint Joan of Arc

May 30



ST. JOAN OF ARC IS A GREAT EXAMPLE TO US OF BEING BRAVE AND DOING THE RIGHT THING EVEN WHEN PEOPLE THINK YOU ARE BEING WEIRD. GOD WANTED HER TO HELP SAVE FRANCE, BUT MANY FRENCH PEOPLE DID NOT TRUST HER. ALWAYS DO WHAT GOD WANTS YOU TO, NO MATTER WHAT PEOPLE THINK.

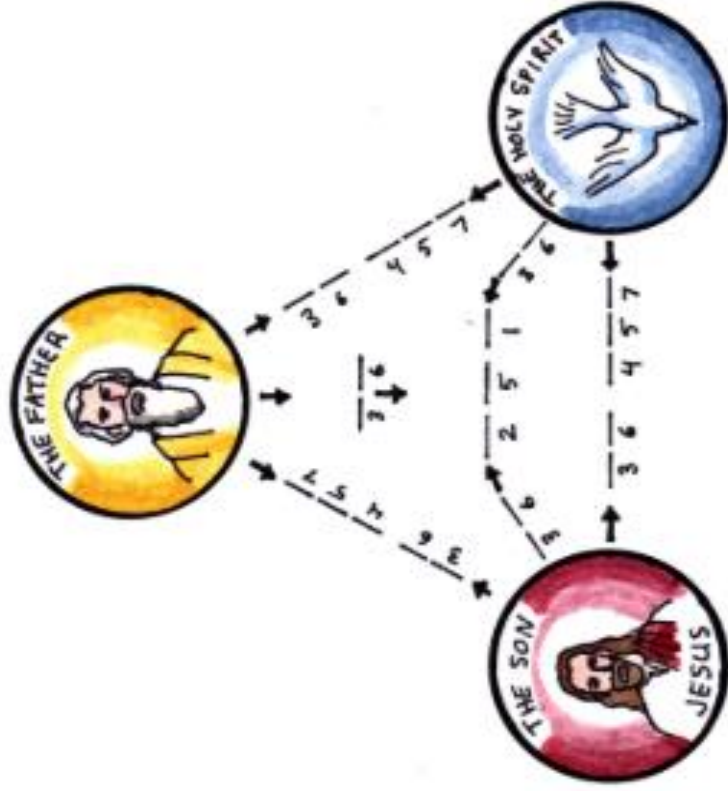
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## What is the Blessed Trinity?

The Blessed Trinity is God! There are three Persons in God, but there is only one God. "Trinity" comes from the Latin word for three.

Only God the Son, Who is Jesus, has a body. But we show God the Father as an old man, and the Holy Spirit as a dove.

Here is a puzzle that might help you understand the Holy Trinity a little better. Use the letter code at the bottom to fill in the blanks.



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