



OUR Lady of Fatima FAMILY of PARISHES

SEPTEMBER
29
2024

26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

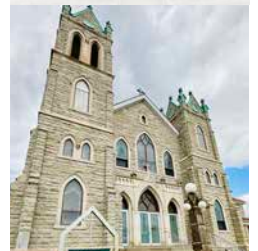
OUR LADY OF FATIMA FAMILY OF PARISHES ACCOMPANIES PEOPLE IN BECOMING DISCIPLES OF CHRIST THROUGH COMMUNITY, SACRAMENTS, SCRIPTURE AND PRAYER.



ST. BONIFACE CATHOLIC CHURCH (SB)



ST. MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH (SM)



ST. PATRICK CATHOLIC CHURCH (SP)



ST. TERESA OF THE INFANT JESUS (ST)



CHURCH OF THE TRANSFIGURATION (TR)

PRIESTS & DEACONS

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Fr. Eric Bowman, Pastor	Saturday	3:30 PM	SB
Fr. Isaiah Callan, Vicar	Saturday	5:00 PM	SM, SP, TR
Fr. James Duell, Vicar	Sunday	7:30 AM	ST, SP, TR
Fr. Steven Shoup, Vicar	Sunday	9:00 AM	SM
Fr. Joseph Kozar, Sunday Associate	Sunday	9:30 AM	SP
Dcn. John Carlin	Sunday	10:00 AM	TR
Dcn. Jim Niswonger	Sunday	10:30 AM	ST
	Sunday	11:00 AM	SB
	Sunday	11:30 AM	SP

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EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

ST. CLARE ADORATION CHAPEL

Entrance is at the back of St. Boniface.

Saturday, 5:00 a.m.-Thursday, 11:59 p.m.

Friday, 4:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m.

ST. PATRICK

Wednesdays following morning Mass to 7:00 p.m.

TRANSFIGURATION

Thursdays following morning Mass to 7:00 p.m.

CHURCHES

St. Boniface Catholic Church SB 937-773-1656

310 S. Downing Street, Piqua, OH 45356 www.piquaparishes.org

Monday-Thursday 8:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

Friday 8:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

St. Mary Catholic Church SM 937-773-1327

528 Broadway Street, Piqua, OH 45356 www.piquaparishes.org

Monday-Thursday 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Friday 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

St. Patrick Catholic Church SP 937-335-2833

409 E. Main Street, Troy, OH 45373 www.stpatrick.org

Monday-Thursday 8:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

St. Teresa of the Infant Jesus ST 937-473-2970

6925 W. US Rt. 36 www.stteresacovington.org

Covington, OH 45318 Hours by Appointment

Church of the Transfiguration TR 937-698-4520

972 S. Miami St. www.transfigurationcatholicchurch.org

West Milton, OH 45383

Monday-Friday 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

NEW! BULLETIN ENTRIES

Bulletin content submissions are due two Thursdays prior to the weekend it's needed or sooner. See the one-stop OLF bulletin submission link on any of our church websites.

CONTACT YOUR CHURCH OFFICE FOR THE FOLLOWING:

BAPTISM Class is required, by appointment.

MATRIMONY Schedule at least nine months in advance. Preparation program and parish registration is required.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK Those weakened by age, afflicted by serious illness or preparing for serious surgery should receive this sacrament.

HOMEBOUND Extraordinary Ministers can be arranged to visit homes and nursing facilities with the Eucharist for those unable to worship on Sundays.

SAFEPARISH To volunteer with children within Our Lady of Fatima, you must be Archdiocesan compliant and registered with the SafeParish program.

PARISHIONER CONTACT INFO Be sure to keep your address, phone number and email up-to-date!

OLF PASTORAL COUNCIL

SB Jill Hudgel SP Ryan Subler

SB Teresa Burnside ST Duane Bachman

SB Tara Carter ST Alex Moore

SM Michelle Cox ST Bev Yount

SM Melissa Galbreath TR Joe Fisher

SM Rob O'Leary TR Jerry Stutz

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WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

MASS TIME	PARISH	PRESIDER	INTENTION	READING
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 30				
7:45 a.m. 8:15 a.m. 8:30 a.m.	St. Patrick Transfiguration St. Boniface	Fr. John MacQuarrie Fr. Jerry Bensman Fr. Eric Bowman	†Loree Nicodemus Living & Deceased of the Platfoot Grieshop Families †Rachelle Cordonnier	St. Jerome, Priest and Doctor of the Church Jb 1:6-22 Lk 9:46-50
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1				
7:45 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	St. Patrick St. Boniface Transfiguration	Fr. Eric Bowman Fr. James Duell Fr. John MacQuarrie	†Mary Arkenberg †Tom & Georgie Schlicker †Dick Rodgers	St. Therese of the Child Jesus, Doctor of the Church Jb 3:1-3, 11-17, 20-23 Lk 9:51-56
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2				
7:45 a.m. 8:15 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 8:30 a.m.	St. Patrick Transfiguration St. Mary St. Teresa	Fr. Eric Bowman Fr. John MacQuarrie Fr. Isaiah Callan Fr. Steven Shoup	†David Cartwright Beverly Ruffing †Special Intention †Daniel Rindler	The Holy Guardian Angels Jb 9:1-12, 14-16 Mt 18:1-5
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3				
8:15 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 8:30 a.m.	Transfiguration St. Patrick St. Boniface St. Teresa	Fr. Steven Shoup Fr. Eric Bowman Fr. Isaiah Callan Fr. James Duell	Gary Horrell †Mary Ellen Simon †Joe & Clara Thoma †James Bartley	Jb 19:21-27 Lk 10:1-12
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4				
7:45 a.m. 8:15 a.m. 8:30 a.m.	St. Patrick Transfiguration St. Mary	Fr. Isaiah Callan Fr. Steven Shoup Fr. James Duell	†Raymond Boyd Douglas Smith †Alan Cooper	St. Francis of Assisi Jb 38:1, 12-21, 40:3-5 Lk 10:13-16
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5				
8:30 a.m. 3:30 p.m. 5:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.	St. Mary St. Boniface St. Patrick St. Mary Transfiguration	Fr. Isaiah Callan Fr. Eric Bowman Fr. Isaiah Callan Fr. Eric Bowman Fr. Steven Shoup	†Bill Beckert Living & Deceased of SB & SM †Julia Loebbaka †Jean Liette Neil Delong Family	St. Faustina Kowalska, Virgin Jb 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17 Lk 10:17-24
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6				
7:30 a.m. 7:30 a.m. 7:30 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 11:30 a.m.	St. Patrick Transfiguration St. Teresa St. Mary St. Patrick Transfiguration St. Teresa St. Boniface St. Patrick	Fr. Isaiah Callan Fr. Steven Shoup Fr. James Duell Fr. Eric Bowman Fr. Isaiah Callan Fr. Steven Shoup Fr. James Duell Fr. Eric Bowman Fr. Joseph Kozar	†Bonnie Rashilla Living & Deceased of TR Living & Deceased of ST †Milda White †Rose Nagel End of Abortion †Dorothy & Herbert Timmerman †Jeanne Meyer Living & Deceased of SP	27th Sunday in Ordinary Time Gn 2:18-24 Heb 2:9-11 Mk 10:2-16 or 10:2-12

\$ = 2nd Collection † = In Memoriam * = Fellowship Sunday, coffee and doughnuts after Mass
All weekday and Sunday Masses are streamed at Transfiguration: transfigurationcatholicchurch.org/streamspot.

CONFESSIONS

CHURCH	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
ST. PATRICK			6:00-6:45 p.m.			4:00-4:30 p.m.
TRANSFIGURATION				6:00-7:00 p.m.		4:00-4:30 p.m.
ST. BONIFACE					6:00-6:45 p.m.	
ST. MARY						9:15 a.m.
ST. TERESA		5:00-6:00 p.m.				

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS



♥♥ PRIESTHOOD SUNDAY IS THIS SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29 ♥♥

Coffee, doughnuts and fellowship to thank our priests will be after all Masses on Sunday, September 29! Without our priests, Mass could not be offered, and Sacraments could not be celebrated. Please make sure you thank and pray for our priests, not only this special weekend, but always. Consider sending/bringing a card, a sentiment or special treat for your priest to let him/them know you're thinking of him/them the next few weeks. Teach and encourage your child to pray for our priests or to draw a beautiful picture for them.

JOIN IN THE PRIESTHOOD SUNDAY PRAYER

Gracious and loving God, we thank You for the gift of priests. Through them, we experience Your presence in the Sacraments. Help our priests to be strong in their vocation. Set their soul on fire with love for Your people. Grant them the wisdom, understanding and strength they need to follow in the footsteps of Jesus. Inspire them with the vision of Your Kingdom. Give them the words they need to spread the Gospel. Allow them to experience joy in their ministry. Help them to become instruments of Your divine grace. We ask this through Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns as our Eternal Priest. Amen.

Call your church office to verify your ticket(s)!

OUR LADY OF FATIMA

Monthly Raffle

**NEXT RAFFLE SALE WILL BE LATER
IN OCTOBER AT OLF CHURCHES!**

- 3rd Prize** | first pulled
= 5% of monthly sales
- 2nd Prize** | second pulled
= 10% of monthly sales
- 1st Prize*** | third pulled
= 25% of monthly sales

* ELIGIBLE FOR COLOR MATCH BONUS

If the 1st Prize ticket color matches the fourth pulled ticket color, winner receives 10% of the weekend's sales plus Rollover Pot!

When color doesn't match or prizes aren't claimed, money goes to the Rollover Pot.

FATIMA DAY WINNERS

3rd Prize = 002132 = \$47
2nd Prize = Mark Hamler!
1st Prize* = 600064 = \$237

If 1st Prize has a **RED** ticket, you win the bonus = \$95!
CLAIM BY 10/21/24.

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRO-LIFE

LIFE CHAIN

With the upcoming election in November, NOW is the time to Stand up for Life and VOTE!

Please join us for the Life Chain on Sunday, October 6, 2:00-3:00 p.m. near the Miami County Courthouse on West Main Street in Troy. For just one hour of your time, come pray and show your support for the LIFE of the unborn, the young, the disabled, the handicapped, the ill and the elderly. There are Life Chain signs for participants to hold. For any questions, please call Dave Enneking at 937-726-7299.

MARCH FOR LIFE IN COLUMBUS

Since *Roe versus Wade* was overturned, abortion regulations have been left up to the states. Please consider joining the March for Life in Columbus to show that the lives of the unborn are sacred. Please advise if you are interested in participating.

October 4, 2024 Pre-Rally Concert | 10:00 a.m.
Rally | 11:00 a.m.
March | 12:00 noon (appx.)
Ending | 3:30 or 4:00 p.m.

The possibility of taking a bus, renting some vans or carpooling will be determined when we receive a count of those who are interested. The Knights of Columbus and Miami County Right to Life may be able to assist with the costs. Please reply by calling 937-726-7299 or emailing denneking1@gmail.com. You can also contact Kevin Hess at 937-451-1142 for alternate ride accommodations.

RESPECT LIFE COMMITTEE

September 25-November 3 will be the next 40 Days for Life!

Join Our Lady of Fatima in prayer to end abortion. We will be praying a pro-life Rosary:

- Daily, after morning Masses in Piqua.
- Before all weekend Masses in Piqua.

Since *Roe v. Wade* in 1973, there have been 60 million abortions in the United States. Join in praying for an end to this madness.

Each October, the Church in the United States celebrates Respect Life Month, and the first Sunday of October is observed as Respect Life Sunday. As Catholics, we are called to cherish, defend and protect those who are most vulnerable, from the beginning of life to its end, and at every point in between. During the month of October, the Church asks us to reflect more deeply on the dignity of every human life. Keep in mind the bassinette in the rear of St. Boniface made available year-round to fill with your donations to Elizabeth New Life Center.

PRIESTS' WEEKEND MASS ROTATION

September - October 2024

Fr. Eric Bowman	St. Boniface / St. Mary Piqua SB 3:30PM, 11AM SM 5PM, 9AM
Fr. Jim Duell	St. Teresa of the Infant Jesus Covington 7:30AM, 10AM
Fr. Isaiah Callan (Sun Assoc. Fr. Kozar)	St. Patrick Troy 5PM, 7:30AM, 9:30AM, 11:30AM
Fr. Steve Shoup	Church of the Transfiguration West Milton 5PM, 7:30AM, 10AM



OUR Lady of Fatima
FAMILY PARISHES

Daily Masses (weekdays/Saturday morning)
will remain on a rotation.

BULLETIN INFO

Find the **BULLETIN SUBMISSION** link on any of Our Lady of Fatima's church websites! This will ensure consistency in the materials collected to help those submitting and those maintaining the entries. If you have a question, please call the Transfiguration office at 937-698-4520.

Troy and Piqua parishioners can **FIND BONUS BULLETIN CONTENT** from outside of our family of parishes by visiting www.transfigurationcatholicchurch.org/sunday-bulletins and scrolling to the final page.

CHECK OUT FORMED!

If you are looking for good Catholic programs, movies, books and resources for you and your family, be sure to check out FORMED. It is a free gift to Our Lady of Fatima parishioners from the parish – please take advantage of it! Visit stpattroy.org. Simply enter "St. Patrick, Troy, OH," your name and email. Everyone can use it!

MINISTRIES

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Next sessions begin now, but it's not too late!

OCIA: Is God calling upon you? If you (or someone you know) is interested in having a deeper relationship with God through the Catholic faith, the Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA) program is the place to begin. Call one of Our Lady of Fatima's five churches located in Piqua, Troy, Covington or West Milton, or send questions/interest to sanderson@stpattroy.org. Don't wait! We would love to walk with you. Classes are ready for you and conclude at Easter Vigil Mass when you can be welcomed fully into the faith.



There's still a little time!

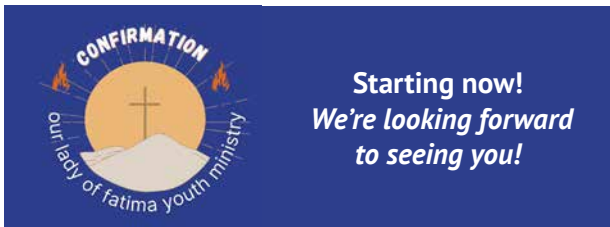
CCD: Register your K-8th grade student for Confraternity of Christian Doctrine (CCD) this week!
OLF K-6th CCD Programs from which you can choose:

K-6th | ST. PATRICK | TUESDAYS, 6:00-7:00 P.M.
K-8th | TRANSFIGURATION | WEDNESDAYS, 6:00-7:00 P.M.

8th Grade CCD = CONFIRMATION PREP

This is a special year, beginning your child's faith journey toward the Holy Spirit! 🔥 Classes begin now!

7th-8th | ST. PATRICK | SUNDAYS, 5:00-6:00 P.M.
7th-8th | TRANSFIGURATION | WEDNESDAYS, 6:00-7:00 P.M.



To volunteer as an aide or teacher, or for questions, contact Director of Religious Education, Susan Anderson:
sanderson@stpattroy.org | 937-335-2833, ext. 2006

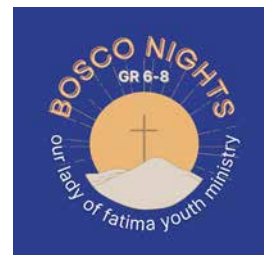
YOUTH MINISTRY

WE'RE LOOKING FORWARD TO SEEING YOU AT YOUTH MINISTRY NIGHTS!



Youth Group* | Grades 9-12
Sundays, 7:00-8:30 p.m.

Transfiguration Youth Building
Featuring Fr. Callan & the Core Team
Rec | Snacks | Fellowship | Faith & the Eucharist



Bosco Nights* | Grades 6-8 Only!
Mondays, 7:00-8:30 p.m.

Transfiguration Youth Building
Featuring Deanna Rohlfs & the Bosco Core Team
Rec | Snacks | Fellowship | Saints & Faith
Build upon your child's 6th/7th/8th grade religious ed experience with Bosco Nights

St. John Bosco, pray for us!

**For ALL local school and Catholic school students.*



Thanks to all who supported the 2024 St. Boniface Oktoberfest! With special thanks and appreciation to the new planning co-chairs, Zach Zabel and RJ Monnier, their planning committee and families!

Here are the prize winners!

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| \$1,000 | Mary Heckman |
| \$500 | Barb Jeffers |
| \$100 | Bill Elson |
| \$100 | Tom & June Jenkins |
| \$100 | Ken Nash |
| St. Mary Christmas Pew Selection | Michelle Gallagher |
| St. Mary Christmas Parking Selection | Nicole Graham |
| St. Mary Easter Pew Selection | Michelle Gallagher |
| St. Mary Easter Parking Selection | Michelle Gallagher |
| St. Boniface Christmas Pew Selection | David Martin |
| St. Boniface Christmas Parking Selection | David Martin |
| St. Boniface Easter Pew Selection | Zach Zabel |
| St. Boniface Easter Parking Selection | Erin Monnier |



PIQUA CHURCHES CONTACTS

Prayer Chain	Gretchen Roeth	937-778-0325
Knights of Columbus	Dennis DeBrosse	937-214-7945
Knights of St. John	Doug Francony	937-214-4915

PIQUA CATHOLIC DAILY DRAWING

September 23-27 – John DeBlase, Erin Monnier, Joan Hager, Marilyn DePriest, Dan Verrill

STREET CORNER
FATIMA ROSARY RALLY
 The Street Corner Fatima Rosary Rally will be held in front of the Gazebo on Main Street in downtown Piqua on October 12 at noon! October 13, 2024 marks the 107th Anniversary of the Fatima Apparitions and of the Miracle of the Sun. Come, pray a Rosary. A prayer guide will be provided. And the group prays for just under an hour together. Call Barbara O'Leary-Vavroch at 937-773-7315 with questions.

THIRD ANNUAL 50/50 ST. BONIFACE & ST. MARY MISSION COMMISSION RAFFLE!

October is Mission month in the Catholic Church. To celebrate, play the annual Mission Commission 50/50 Raffle! The payout tends to be well over \$1,000! Each registered family will receive two tickets in the mail. Additional tickets are available in both churches and in the church office. The drawing will be held at the end of October during the celebration of Mission Month. Thank you for playing, and good luck!

Lay Missioners Maruja and Ted Gutmann-Gonzalez have worked for more than 30 years in two rural areas of the Chile Maryknoll Lay Missioners. They continue the same work in their rural community since Maryknoll left Chile in 2010. Maruja is president of the Tremonhue Center that provides programs for women's health. She is also on the committee for the La Leona Center and is a member of the La Leona Weaving cooperative. Both Ted and Maruja participate in a local agricultural co-operative and are key to providing potable water for their neighbors. Ted also works with the community irrigation organization which channels water from three mountain streams to irrigate the farms of 60 peasant farmers. Ted also works with the local beekeepers union. They appreciate the support of the Piqua Parishes Mission Commission.

ST. PATRICK

WEEKLY RAFFLE WINNER

September 23 - Rosemary & Anthony Frey

*Raffle winners are announced in the bulletin two weeks after the drawing. Winners are notified separately.

ST. PATRICK CONTACTS

Facilities Use Pat Cartwright 937-335-2833, ext. 2002
pcartwright@stpattroy.org

Prayer Chain Sue Hastings 937-339-2945
shastings@woh.rr.com



PARTNERS IN HOPE

Can you help supply our neighbors in need with necessities? Partners in Hope

must restock their community supply pantry. You can place them in St. Patrick's vestibule the next couple of weekends! Thank you.

Paper towels | Toilet paper | Shampoo/Conditioner | Ladies'/Men's deodorant | Full-size toothpaste | Dish Soap | Tall kitchen garbage bags | Laundry detergent | Dryer sheets | Flossers | Q-tips | Tissues | Liquid hand soap | Body wash | Bar soap | Razors | Feminine products | Quart-sized baggies

937-335-0448 · www.partnersinhopeinc.org

Through our faith as children of God, we develop positive relationships and build partnerships to create an impact in our community.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS – ST. PATRICK

Saturday, October 5 – 5:00 p.m.

Altar Servers	T. Behm, C. Unger
Extraordinary Ministers	K. Clark, Dcn J. Carlin, S. Clark
Lector	C. Rohlfs
Sacristan	S. Carlin

Sunday, October 6 – 7:30 a.m.

Altar Servers	W. Swan, W. Rippey
Extraordinary Ministers	B. Groff, R. Groff, Dcn J. Carlin
Lector	I. Voisard
Sacristan	K. Vendryes

Sunday, October 6 – 9:30 a.m.

Altar Servers	J. Thomas, J. Thomas, M. Cathcart
Extraordinary Ministers	A. Thomas, S. Behm, K. Olberding, Volunteer
Lector	A. Andrejcio
Sacristan	M. Henry

Sunday, October 6 – 11:30 a.m.

Altar Servers	A. Hess, L. Barsotti
Extraordinary Ministers	C. Bockey, S. Keller, E. Sheridan
Lector	M. Pellegrino
Sacristan	E. Sheridan

WELCOME OUR NEW PARISHIONERS!

Abby (Goubeaux) Swick and husband Shea



TRAVELING SHAMROCKS

ALL ARE WELCOME! MEDJUGORJE PILGRIMAGE WITH 206 TOURS:

Medjugorje | Shrines of Croatia & Slovenia | May 2-14, 2025

Medjugorje, "Heaven on Earth" Visit the site where Our Lady appeared in this small village. See the Shrines of Croatia and Slovenia plus breathtaking views of nature, fjords, mountains, lakes, caves and even the Adriatic Sea. Celebrate daily Mass and renew your faith. For details and itinerary: www.206tours.com/cms/shamrocks.

ST. TERESA

ST. TERESA CONTACTS

Shelter Rentals Alex Moore 937-418-8884
Prayer Chain Anne Vanderhorst 937-473-5497

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR



St. Teresa Christmas Bazaar will be held Saturday, November 9. There is space for a couple more vendors. Call Marty Speer at 937-473-5255 or Jean Cordonnier at 937-773-7821 if you are interested. We are accepting donations of homemade or new items, gift cards, etc. for the raffle to be held that day. Thank you!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



The Knights of Columbus Council 15424 will meet on Monday, October 28 at 7:00 p.m.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS – ST. TERESA

Sunday, October 6 – 7:30 a.m.

Altar Server	Need Volunteer
Extraordinary Minister	E. Clark
Lector	D. Otte
Ushers	A. Otte, J. Walter

Sunday, October 6 – 10:30 a.m.

Altar Server	Need Volunteer
Extraordinary Minister	J. Meyer
Lector	A. Hoying
Ushers	A. Hoying, J. Meyer



REST IN PEACE

Please pray for the repose of the souls of **Pam Richard Barton** and **Jerry Hensley**. May God grant them peace and offer comfort to their loved ones. Amen.

TRANSFIGURATION

LITURGICAL MINISTERS – TRANSFIGURATION

Saturday, October 5 – 5:00 p.m.

Altar Servers	O. Sanders, D. Harrison, F. Harrison
Extraordinary Ministers	V. Daum, K. Kehrer, F. Francis
Lector	J. Volk
Sacristan	C. Crabtree
Ushers	G. Steele, C. Crabtree, M. Sergy, J. Cetnar

Sunday, October 6 – 7:30 a.m.

Altar Servers	M. Desch
Extraordinary Ministers	R. Gallegos, E. Hummel, R. Dzendzel
Lector	G. Mergler
Sacristan	R. Dzendzel
Ushers	D. Brown, A. Brown, B. Beaver, Volunteer

Sunday, October 6 – 10:00 a.m.

Altar Servers	Volunteers
Extraordinary Ministers	M. Schubert, T. Fisher, L. McCartan
Lector	M. Hummel, M. Olenchuk
Sacristan	R. Dzendzel
Ushers	R. Winkler, C. August, E. Barga, S. Barga

TRANSFIGURATION CONTACTS

Prayer Chain Melinda Wanat 937-698-4520
Altar Rosary Society Rosalie Dzendzel 937-698-3251
Men's Prayer Group Mike Schubert 937-776-9082
Homebound Ministry Mary Allen 937-269-2558
Welcome Committee Donna Mergler 937-760-1389



ART AND CRAFT NIGHT PAINTING CLASS

Come to Transfiguration's Parish Hall at 7:00 p.m. on October 10 for our Fall Landscape Painting Class. The cost is \$15.00, payable the night of class. Please RSVP to Shelly at 937-901-0016 as we have a maximum of 25 participants. Reserve your spot early for this fun experience!

WE NEED the supernatural power of our priests celebrating Mass and people united to the Mass offering up all they do all day. Each Sunday is the Lord's Day. Can you pray the Rosary and Shepherds of Christ prayers any Sunday 8:30 a.m.-9:30 a.m.? We consecrate our hearts to the heart of Jesus and Mary and ask for an outpouring of the Holy Spirit for all priests and the renewal of the church and world. Questions: Call Elaine and Ted Hummel at 937-545-6904.

TRANSFIGURATION CENTER FOR SPIRITUAL RENEWAL

ROSARY WALK



Mark your calendar for the last Rosary Walk this year,
September 29, 4:00 p.m.!

Transfiguration Center for Spiritual Renewal!
3505 Calumet Road, Ludlow Falls, OH 45339

Meet behind the Center,
followed by dinner and fellowship!
Please bring a dish or dessert to share,
and the Estate will provide the meat and drinks.
See you then!

SCHOOLS

LETTER FROM THE PRINCIPAL - ST. PATRICK CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Happy 2024-2025 school year! The staff and I are so happy to be back in the swing of things. We are looking forward to a positive, productive school year. I want to introduce a few new staff that we hired this year.

Angie Thornton	Kindergarten aide
Kayli Paugh	3rd grade teacher
Morgan Garan	7th grade homeroom, ELA
Chloe Gillig	Preschool aftercare aide
Arlene Short	PK teacher
Hannie Wolf	Spanish
Anna Zierden	Jr. high math, gifted math

Please welcome Jenny Reinmann into the new full-time position of Assistant Principal and Grace Dexter as the new Preschool Director. I am so appreciative of Jenny and Grace! We make a great team!

Our enrollment this year is 190 in K-8th grade. There are 65 students in Preschool. This is awesome news! On the other hand, because of these numbers the building is overflowing. We are working together to come up with solutions.

I want to thank everyone for their thoughts and prayers after the passing of my mother on August 23. My mom was a wonderful woman who put her family first and showed love and kindness to everyone she knew. She was a great example for me and all of her grandchildren. She will be so missed.


We have a wonderful, supportive, positive staff ready to make every child feel important and help them reach their full potential not only academically but also in their relationship with Jesus.

Our Mission statement reads:

St. Patrick Catholic School is a faith-driven Catholic community that encourages all students to develop: Spiritually, Academically, Socially, Emotionally and Physically in order to leave a positive imprint on the world around them.

Thank you for your support. Feel free to come over and see what we are doing. We love to give tours!

Cyndi Cathcart
Principal



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