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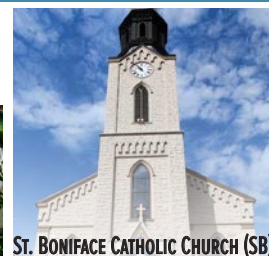
17TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

OUR LADY OF FATIMA FAMILY OF PARISHES ACCOMPANIES PEOPLE IN BECOMING DISCIPLES OF CHRIST.

PASTOR: Fr. Eric Bowman | **VICARS:** Fr. Isaiah Callan, Fr. Steven Shoup
SUNDAY ASSOCIATE: Fr. Joseph Kozar | **DEACONS:** John Carlin, Jim Niswonger



"(Jesus) wishes to establish devotion to my Immaculate Heart in the world. I promise salvation to those who embrace it; and these souls will be beloved of God like flowers arranged by me to adorn His throne."
– Second Apparition of Our Lady of Fatima, June 13, 1917



ST. BONIFACE CATHOLIC CHURCH (SB)
310 S. Downing St. Piqua 45356
937-773-1656 | piquaparishes.org
M-Th, 8:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m.
F, 8:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m.



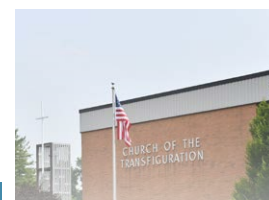
ST. MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH (SM)
528 Broadway St. Piqua 45356
937-773-1327 | piquaparishes.org
M-Th, 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
F, 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.



ST. PATRICK CATHOLIC CHURCH (SP)
409 E. Main St. Troy 45373
937-335-2833 | stpatricktroy.org
M-Th, 8:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m.



ST. TERESA OF THE INFANT JESUS (ST)
6925 W. US Rt. 36 Covington 45318
937-473-2970 | stteresacovington.org
Hours by Appointment



CHURCH OF THE TRANSFIGURATION (TR)
972 S. Miami St. West Milton 45383
937-698-4520
transfigurationcatholicchurch.org
M-F, 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

SUNDAY MASS

	Vigil	Sunday
SB	3:30 PM	11:00 AM
SM	5:00 PM	9:15 AM
SP	5:00 PM	7:30 AM 9:30 AM 11:30 AM
ST		7:30 AM
TR		7:30 AM 10:00 AM

CONFESSION

	Monday	SB	11:15-11:45 AM
	Tuesday	ST	4:00-5:00 PM
	Wednesday	SP	6:00-6:45 PM
	Thursday	TR	6:00-6:45 PM
	Saturday	SM	9:15-9:45 AM
	Saturday	SP	4:00-4:30 PM

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

SP	Wednesday	8:30 AM-7:00 PM	St. Clare Adoration Chapel – Located behind St. Boniface Saturday, 6:00 AM-Friday, 12:00 AM; Friday, 4:00 AM-9:00 PM
TR	Thursday	9:00 AM-7:00 PM	

Welcome to Our Lady of Fatima Family of Parishes! (OLF) If you are visiting or new to the area, we are a faith-filled Catholic community that is comprised of five Roman Catholic churches, two Catholic schools and a beautiful spiritual center within the Archdiocese of Cincinnati (NW-6 region). We accompany people in becoming disciples of Christ.

On behalf of pastor Fr. Eric Bowman, our clergy, staff and parishioners, you are invited to grow in your faith and even closer to Jesus along with us. Resources, ways to become involved and times and places of worship can be found in our bulletin and by utilizing the contact list toward the back section. To register for a church, please contact the church office manager. If you are interested in learning more about the faith, please contact a priest, the religious education department or me. Follow "Our Lady of Fatima Family of Parishes – Ohio" on Facebook to connect even more.

Natalie Pohlf

Executive Director of Pastoral Services

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

CONTACT YOUR CHURCH OFFICE!

BAPTISM – *Congrats, New Parents!*

Class is required, by appointment. Prior to baptizing your child, register for your required Baptism Class: pcartwright@stpattroy.org, 937-335-2833. OLF Baptism Classes are held at St. Patrick Parish Center (white building behind the school), upstairs Room 3.

MATRIMONY

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

ANOIDTING 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 with your registered church, so you don't miss important things.

RESOURCES

OUR LADY OF FATIMA PASTORAL COUNCIL

The five-church Pastoral Council invites faithful parishioners to nominate members or to self-nominate. Please contact Robyn Gallegos, president, at rgallegos@frontier.com | 937-409-7101 to be added to the rolling nomination list for Pastoral Council's consideration and potential appointment as vacancies arise in the future. Pastoral Council typically meets for an hour once per month, approximately nine or ten months per year. The term limit is typically three years with consideration for renewal.

Purpose: *Striving to be missionary disciples, Pastoral Council provides a platform to share support, concerns, praises and liaising to pastoral leadership so that the Church can continue to be strengthened. Pastoral Council participates in interactive exchanges, serves as a voice of the people and allows for additional accountability for the parish's strategic plan goals.*

CHECK OUT FORMED!

If you are looking for good, wholesome 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 Family of Parishes. Please take advantage of it! Visit stpattroy.formed.org. Simply enter "St. Patrick, Troy, OH," your name and email. Everyone can use it!

BULLETIN

Find the BULLETIN SUBMISSION link on any of Our Lady of Fatima's church websites! There's an easy-to-use link to submit bulletin content, due two Thursdays prior. This is the only method to submit, and it ensures consistency in the content collected and proper preparation time prior to the printing process. If you have a question, please call 937-698-4520. Scan the QR code to the right.



Except for the advertising pages on the back (that are managed and maintained by Dee Printing), the **OLF bulletin is the same at each of five churches**. There is an "EXTRA" page of bonus content on the Transfiguration and St. Teresa editions, since there are fewer advertisers in those smaller cities. It's advertisers' choice if they opt to purchase advertising space from multiple cities. Thank you to our community advertisers! We are glad to patronize your businesses.

Troy and Piqua parishioners can peek at the "EXTRA" last page by visiting www.transfigurationcatholicchurch.org/sunday-bulletins.

HOW CAN I HELP?

Connecting you & your family to Volunteer Opportunities within OLF
CONTACT A CHURCH OFFICE TO LEND A HAND!

OUR LADY OF FATIMA

- Wedding Anniversary Celebration Planning (Date TBD)
- **Back-to-School Item Collection NOW – August 10!**
- Fatima Day Assistance (September 28)
- Ministry of Care – Helping parishioners' one-time service needs as they arise (food, yard, etc.)
- Liturgical Ministers (all churches)
Sacristans | Servers | Eucharistic Ministers | Lectors

TRANSFIGURATION

Homebound Ministry, Doughnut/Fellowship Sunday Hosts, Adorers for Thursday Adoration

ST. PATRICK

Same-day Wedding Facilitators, Funeral Planning Facilitators, Fatima Raffle Ticket Sellers, Doughnut/Fellowship Sunday Hosts, Adorers for Wednesday Adoration

ST. MARY

2026 St. Mary Festival Volunteers

ST. TERESA

Sacristan, Ushers, Servers

ST. BONIFACE

Adult Servers (daily Mass and funerals), St. Clare Chapel Adorers for Adoration, BINGO Workers, 2025 Oktoberfest Volunteers, Same-day Wedding Facilitators

**FIND THE WEEKEND MASS
& PRIEST SCHEDULE ON
OUR LADY OF FATIMA CHURCH
WEBSITES, OR SIMPLY SCAN THIS
CODE WITH YOUR CAMERA:**



WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

MASS TIME	PARISH	INTENTION	READING
MONDAY, JULY 28			
7:45 a.m. 8:15 a.m. 12:10 p.m.	St. Patrick Transfiguration St. Boniface	†Nancy Sekas Michelle Serey †Betty Barhorst	Ex 32:15-24, 30-34 Mt 13:31-35
TUESDAY, JULY 29			
7:45 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	St. Patrick St. Boniface Transfiguration	†Madonna Via †Don Gordon †Lori Albright	<i>Sts. Martha, Mary, and Lazarus</i> Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28 Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42
WEDNESDAY, JULY 30			
7:45 a.m. 8:15 a.m. 8:30 a.m.	St. Patrick Transfiguration St. Mary	†Towey Family †Purgatorian Mass †Tyler DeBrosse	<i>St. Peter Chrysologus, Bishop and Doctor of the Church</i> Ex 34:29-35 Mt 13:44-46
THURSDAY, JULY 31			
8:15 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 8:30 a.m.	Transfiguration St. Patrick St. Boniface	Kate Kishman Gary & Ursula Pierron †Mary Jane "Janie" Marshall	<i>St. Ignatius of Loyola, Priest</i> Ex 40:16-21, 34-38 Mt 13:47-53
FRIDAY, AUGUST 1			
7:45 a.m. 8:15 a.m. 8:30 a.m.	St. Patrick Transfiguration St. Mary	†John & Carol Scott †Ted Hummel †Marna Finnerty	<i>St. Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop and Doctor of the Church</i> Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37 Mt 13:54-58
SATURDAY, AUGUST 2			
8:30 a.m. 3:30 p.m. 5:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.	St. Mary St. Boniface \$ St. Patrick St. Mary \$	†Janice Foster Walt & Kathy Braun 40th Anniversary †Jim Holter Living & Deceased of SM & SB	<i>St. Eusebius of Vercelli, Bishop; St. Peter Julian Eymard, Priest</i> Lv 25:1, 8-17 Mt 14:1-12
SUNDAY, AUGUST 3			
7:30 a.m. 7:30 a.m. 7:30 a.m. 9:15 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 11:30 a.m.	St. Patrick Transfiguration St. Teresa St. Mary \$ St. Patrick Transfiguration St. Boniface \$ St. Patrick	†Dee Steineman Holy Souls in Purgatory †Daniel Rindler †Charles Morrison Living & Deceased of SP Del Albright †Mary Jane Knapke †Gene Gretch	<i>Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Times</i> Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23 Col 3:1-5, 9-11 Lk 12:13-21

\$ = Second Collection \$ **SM** Bethany Center \$ **SB** Outreach † = In Memoriam * = Fellowship Sunday, coffee and doughnuts after Mass
All weekday and Sunday Masses are streamed at Transfiguration: transfigurationcatholicchurch.org/streamspot.

OUR LADY OF FATIMA FINANCIAL SUMMARY

JUNE 2025 SUNDAY OFFERINGS	ST. BONIFACE	ST. MARY	ST. PATRICK	ST. TERESA	TRANSFIGURATION
Monthly Offerings Actual	\$36,068	\$39,138	\$63,200	\$8,395	\$30,646
Monthly Offerings Anticipated	\$40,385	\$60,000	\$73,075	\$9,155	\$31,860
Monthly Over (Under) Anticipated	(\$4,317)	(\$20,862)	(\$9,875)	(\$760)	(\$1,214)

ST. PATRICK "CHRISTMAS/EASTER" OFFERINGS *	ST. PATRICK
Christmas/Easter Offerings Actual (as of 1/31/25)	\$33,944
Christmas/Easter Offerings Anticipated (through 6/30/25)	\$36,000
Christmas/Easter" Fiscal Year Over (Under) Anticipated	(\$2,056)

*Currently, St. Patrick maintains a separate account to track "Christmas/Easter" offerings. Their numbers shown above are strictly normal weekly offerings. The other churches include their Christmas/Easter in "Monthly Offerings" above. All "Actuals" are based on Sundays in the month.

FR. ERIC BOWMAN'S RAMBLINGS

Archdiocese of Cincinnati Priests' Convocation

Almost every diocese in the United States holds a Priests' Convocation for the priests of the local Church who serve within the diocese. Some dioceses do so each year, especially perhaps the ones with vast territories, where the priests do not have a chance to gather frequently because of distances. And some dioceses host them every other year or perhaps every third year. The Archdiocese of Cincinnati tends to hold them every three years. Our multi-day Convocation will be Monday, August 4 – Thursday, August 7 in Wheeling, West Virginia. This Convocation offers the priests of the archdiocese, both diocesan and religious, to spend time together enjoying our common priesthood.

Convocations are a newer development within the Church's life. In the past, there were other occasions that brought local priests together such as retreats, which are usually silent ones that provided little or no time for conversation, or clergy study days – again, with little time for leisure or rest. Convocations are a healthy balance of prayer, conversation, information, relaxation and conviviality. The spirit of a local presbyterate is richly enhanced and immeasurably strengthened by such occasions as our newest young priests have the opportunity to meet many of their more senior brother priests; as the religious order priests share their apostolic charisms with the diocesan priests; and as bishops and priests are joined together in brotherly warmth and affection. Usually, a common theme anchors the presentations and gives a focal point to the time together. In today's Church, many issues could serve as a focus. There will be ample time for prayer before the Blessed Sacrament, the common offering of the Liturgy of the Hours and the daily concelebration of Mass.

With all of the area's active and several retired priests attending the Convocation, this presents some challenges for the Sacramental life of the family of parishes during those days. But, Fr. John MacQuarrie, retired priest, has graciously agreed to support Our Lady of Fatima Family of Parishes during those days. Fr. John will offer one daily Mass, each day at a different church. You can find the schedule of those Masses at the end of this article. We are very grateful for his willingness to provide daily Mass to the faithful!

If you know that you have a scheduled medical procedure, please make arrangements for the Anointing of the Sick before August 2 with your church office. If an emergency arises during August 4-7, necessitating the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, please call your church office. Our summer seminarians will be available to meet with people, and pray with them. I am thankful for their willingness to assist and for our deacons who support liturgical needs, too.

OUR LADY OF FATIMA FAMILY OF PARISHES AUGUST 4-7 LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Limited During Priests' Convocation

NORMAL SCHEDULE RESUMES ON FRIDAY, AUGUST 8

CONFESSION

Monday, 8/4 St. Boniface | 11:15-11:45 a.m.

Note: No other OLF scheduled Confessions until Saturday, 9:15 a.m. at St. Mary.

DAILY MASS

Monday, 8/4 St. Boniface | 12:10 p.m. Mass *Memorial of St. John Vianney*

Tuesday, 8/5 Transfiguration | 12:00 p.m. Mass

Wednesday, 8/6 St. Mary | 8:30 a.m. Mass *Feast of the Transfiguration*

Thursday, 8/7 St. Patrick | 8:30 a.m. Mass

Note: All other Daily Masses will be canceled Monday through Thursday, except for the above.

ADORATION

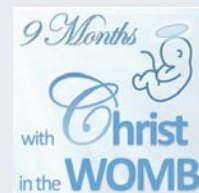
St. Clare Adoration Chapel | Behind St. Boniface, Piqua

Weekly Hours: Saturday, 6:00 a.m.-Thursday, 11:59 p.m.; Friday, 4:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m.

Note: No all-day Adoration at St. Patrick (Wed) and Transfiguration (Thurs).

CALL THE CHURCH OFFICE FOR THE FOLLOWING NEEDS:

Funeral/Anointing of the Sick (*Emergencies Only*)/Funeral Home Services/Graveside Service/Homebound Communion or Prayer



CHRIST IN THE WOMB

In week 19,
Jesus is already
halfway done
with His time

in His first home on earth. He
weighs eleven ounces and is just
over six inches long. *Jesus of the
womb, Hear our prayers!*



MINISTRIES

LOVE IN ACTION

BRING YOUR GENEROUS GIFT OF SCHOOL SUPPLIES
TO BLESS CHILDREN IN OUR COMMUNITY!

OUR LADY OF FATIMA FAMILY OF PARISHES
LOVE IN ACTION

Back-to-School Item Collection

July 19 – August 10, 2025

Support Miami County children in need
by sharing your Catholic Love in Action.

Top Items Needed

- Elementary Backpacks • Teen Backpacks
- Wired Earbuds (3.5mm jack) • Paint Shirts

Other Items

- Pre-Sharpended #2 Pencils • Mechanical Pencils
- Folders • 5-Subject Notebooks • Dry-Erase & Crayola Markers
- 2 & 1.5-inch Binders • 2-Pocket Folders (any colors)
- College & Wide-Ruled Paper • Page Dividers

Return items to the designated box at
the entrance of any OLF church.



PHILIA YOUNG ADULT

PHILIA is Our Lady of Fatima Family of Parishes' Young Adult Ministry for people ages 18 (post-high school) to 40. Named after the Greek word for "brotherly love," this new and growing ministry will provide community and faith-based programming for young people in our region. Share this opportunity with a young person in your life! Follow PHILIA on Instagram @fatimafamily_ya.

Mark Your Calendar!

Friday, August 1 | 7:00-8:00 p.m.

St. Patrick Catholic Church

First Friday Adoration | Confession

Social to follow at Crafted & Cured

YOUTH MINISTRY

JULY 30
WEDNESDAY
8:00-10:30 PM
GRADES 6-12

MOVIE WILL BE KIDS' CHOICE

OUR LADY OF FATIMA YOUTH MINISTRY PRESENTS

A "NON-DRIVE-IN" MOVIE NIGHT
ENJOY THE NEW JUMBOTRON!
★ UNDER THE STARS ★

OUTSIDE THE TRANSFIGURATION
YOUTH BUILDING
(RAIN LOCATION INDOORS)
972 S. MIAMI ST., WEST MILTON

BRING A CHAIR/BLANKET
& A FRIEND/SIBLING!

CONCESSION STAND!
NO MONEY NECESSARY

SHOW YOUR LOVE IN ACTION:
BRING SCHOOL SUPPLIES FOR THE OLF
BACK-TO-SCHOOL COLLECTION
AS AN "ENTRY FEE!"




OLF YOUTH MINISTRY PRESENTS

JAVA & JESUS

FOR RISING 6-8TH & 9-12TH GRADERS

THURSDAYS:
JULY 31 | AUG 7



8:30 AM **MASS** AT ST. PATRICK, TROY
WALK TO/MEET AT **PUREBRED COFFEE** - PICK UP 10:30 AM.
All OLF Churches - Friends are welcome!

BRING \$ FOR A DRINK/TREAT.
(IF INCLEMENT WEATHER, TREATS WILL BE PROVIDED AT ST. PATS. PICK UP ON CRAWFORD STREET.)

CURRENT EVENTS



HOLY LEAGUE
1571
Supernatural Strength & Unity
A parish-based alliance of men, striving for supernatural strength and brotherhood.



CALLING ALL MEN
WHO ARE WILLING TO ENGAGE IN THEIR FAITH AND LEAD THEIR FAMILIES IN THESE TROUBLING TIMES

Who: Men of Our Lady of Fatima Family of Parishes

What: Eucharistic Adoration & Men's Fellowship

When: 3rd Saturdays | 7:00 AM | **AUGUST 16**

Where: Transfiguration Center for Spiritual Renewal
3505 Calumet Rd. | Ludlow Falls, OH 45339

Why: To bring men into a deeper relationship with Christ and His Catholic Church through a worthy celebration of the sacraments, engaging talks to strengthen their faith, opportunities for true fraternity and exposure to resources to aid them in living their faith as disciples of Christ.

As iron sharpens iron, so one person sharpens another.
—Proverbs 27:17




CONTACT WADE DEXTER WITH QUESTIONS 937-875-7132 | 6DEXTERS@GMAIL.COM

This special occasion will be held the week of the actual 75th Anniversary of the Church of the Transfiguration!

Transfiguration's parishioners are encouraged and invited to participate in the Liturgy and festivities. Call the church office to express your interest or to share a name of someone who used to be a part of the Transfiguration community and who might enjoy the opportunity to come to the anniversary celebration!

OUR LADY OF FATIMA FAMILY OF PARISHES PRESENTS
THE 75TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION OF
Church of the Transfiguration
SAVE-THE-DATE
SUNDAY, AUGUST 24, 2025
10 AM MASS | 11 AM SPECIAL RECEPTION



 *"There is no greater force against evil in the world than the love of a man and woman in marriage. After the Holy Eucharist, it has a power beyond anything that we can imagine." – Cardinal Raymond Burke*

A special celebration of marriage is one that we would like to be extended to the entire Our Lady of Fatima Family of Parishes community! Several of the churches have made efforts with this in the past. To make the most of our resources, venues and planning time, and, if volunteers have time to share to make this happen, we will look to set this in motion for 2025-2026. Please contact Melinda at office@tchurch.org or 937-698-4520 if you (and your friend, family member or spouse) would like to assist with this. **No event date has been set. You, and a small team can work with staff to make this beautiful celebration possible!**

TRANSFIGURATION: 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. Join us at Transfiguration to pray the Rosary and Shepherds of Christ prayers any Sunday, 8:30-9:30 a.m. Consecrate your heart to the hearts 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? Contact Elaine Hummel at 937-545-6904.

SIPS & SAINTHOOD
TUESDAY, AUGUST 12 | 7-9 PM

"THE WILD LIFE OF VIRTUE"
PRESENTER: FR. ISAIAH CALLAN

5485 TROY-SIDNEY RD. | PIQUA | IN THE BARN

ADULT GUESTS ARE WELCOME!
SOCIAL | TALK | Q&A

HOSTED BY PHILIA


OUR LADY OF FATIMA'S YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

Free-will donations will be accepted to support great opportunities such as this!

OUR LADY OF FATIMA
Monthly Raffle

THIS WEEKEND!
after all regularly-scheduled
Our Lady of Fatima Masses

Remember to keep your ticket until you
check the winning numbers!





BETHANY CENTER
CHICKEN DINNER FUNDRAISER
 (339 SOUTH STREET, PIQUA)
(PRE-SALE ONLY)

AUGUST 10, 2025
11:00 AM-2:00 PM
COST: \$10.00

DINNER (CARRY-OUT ONLY) INCLUDES:
 1/2 CHICKEN, ROLL & BUTTER,
 CHIPS, APPLESauce AND
 BAKED BEANS

PURCHASE TICKETS AT The Parish Office
ORDER TICKETS BY JULY 31ST

LAST CHANCE

Get Your Chicken Dinner Tickets in the Piqua Parishes Office before July 31!
NEW: Text CHICKEN to 44-321 to order your Chicken Dinner Ticket online!

Meet the Staff SEUNGKEUN OH



Our Lady of Fatima Family of Parishes is delighted to welcome SeungKeun Oh

(pronounced "Sing-in") **as the Assistant Director of Music & Liturgy.** SeungKeun began his role on July 16 and will hold office space in St. Boniface. He will work closely with Matt Wagner to lead our adult and children's choirs, primarily at St. Boniface, St. Mary and St. Patrick, serving as organist and choral conductor. As his training continues, the role will expand into more musical and liturgical responsibilities.

Originally from Incheon, South Korea, SeungKeun comes to us with a deep passion for sacred music and a strong academic background. He earned his undergraduate degree in church music with a major in choral conducting and minor in organ from Yonsei University in South Korea. He continued his studies at Ohio University in Athens, where he received his Master's in choral conducting and music education.

SeungKeun describes his passion for the role, simply, but beautifully, stating that he hopes the congregation "sings hymns with their heart turned to Jesus" and hopes to serve well by performing his best. His dream has always been to live in, and through, music - his dreams are being realized. He wanted to note that it was the warmth of his original interview team and Fr. Eric that made him especially excited to say "YES" to this vocation to serve on the OLF team.

Although his family remains in South Korea, he is looking forward to forming meaningful relationships here with staff, parishioners and clergy alike. He hopes to continue growing, not only in his music ministry but also in his English skills, especially in writing, listening and music-related communication. Outside of his work, SeungKeun enjoys running and watching K-Dramas.

Seung Keun brings great enthusiasm, kindness and a deep sense of mission. We're grateful for his presence and look forward to all the ways his talents will bless our worship and the family of parishes' community.

He draws great inspiration from St. Andrew Kim Taegon, the first Korean-born Catholic priest, whose story of faith and perseverance is honored throughout the global Church.

PSALM 23



TWO MORE CHANCES REMAIN!

ROSARY WALKS begin at 4:00 p.m. at the retreat center with a family rosary experience processing around the grounds, followed by a meal at the shelter area. The estate will provide meat and drinks - please bring a side or dessert to share. Activate your faith! This is such a good time for the kids to learn their faith, practice it and then have some fun with other Catholic friends. No need to register. If you have questions, feel free to call the center at 937-698-7180.

August 3 / September 7



St. Clare Adoration Chapel

behind St. Boniface Catholic Church, Piqua

"Could you not watch one hour with Me?"
-Matthew 26:40



Available Hours:

Monday: 3:00 a.m.

Thursday: 2:00 a.m. & 10:00 p.m.

Friday 12:00: p.m., 1:00 p.m., 9:00 p.m.

Saturday: 8:00: p.m. (every other week)

Sunday: 12:00 a.m., 3:00 a.m., 4:00 a.m., 5:00 a.m., 7:00 a.m., 1:00 p.m.

Mike Epperly - Day Coordinator: (937) 622-0112

Mary Jane Karn - Night Coordinator: (937) 214-0476

FATHER ANGELO CASERTA, FOUNDER OF ST. CLARE CHAPEL, PRAY FOR US!

TRANSFIGURATION CENTER FOR SPIRITUAL RENEWAL

FIRST FRIDAY EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Transfiguration Center for Spiritual Renewal | 3505 Calumet Road, Ludlow Falls

August 1 | 9:30 a.m.-Noon

Please join as we spend time with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament.

SCHOOLS

Our Lady of Fatima's schools are getting spruced up this summer for our students and staff!

Piqua Catholic North Street Campus' music room has been painted and carpeted. It looks awesome! The landscaping at North Street is completed.

Piqua Catholic Downing Street Campus will have the West side, first floor windows replaced. A landscaping project at Downing Street has been fully funded by the Reserve Ed Fund. The project will be conducted by Upper Valley Career Center students when they are back in session, approximately September.

Once the new St. Patrick playground is completed, a dedication service will be announced! The groundcovering of the playground area will be coming soon. New basketball poles and backboards will be installed thanks to our "Home and School" Association.

Save-the-Date

Open Houses for all students and families – August 17!

Downing Street, 12:00-2:00 p.m.

North Street, 1:00-3:00 p.m.

St. Patrick, 12:30-2:00 p.m.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Covington | St. Teresa Knights of Columbus | Joe Speer, 937-216-6768

The Knights of Columbus Council 15424 will meet on the fourth Monday of each month.

Piqua Knights of Columbus | Dennis DeBrosse, 937-214-7945

Piqua Knights of St. John | Doug Francony, 937-214-4915

Troy | St. Patrick Knights of Columbus | Ian Unger, 419-733-9159

The Knights of Columbus Council 3873 will meet on the second Thursday of each month in the St. Patrick Parish Center, Room 3 upstairs (444 W. Water Street, white building behind school). New male attendees are welcome!



PARISHIONER HIGHLIGHTS

NEWLY BAPTIZED *Congratulations to:*

Anthony James, son of Patrick & Annie Hughes (SP)
Frankie Naylor, daughter of Brooke & Ethan Boyd (SM)

RECENTLY DECEASED *Please pray for the repose of the soul of:*

Dexter Marshall (SP)
Larry Baker (SM)

NEW PARISHIONERS *Welcome to Our Lady of Fatima Family of Parishes!*

Lois Shannon (SP)

CHURCH/SCHOOL RAFFLE WINNERS

Thanks for your support & congrats!

SP Weekly Raffle Winner – July 21

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Saturday, August 2 – 3:30 p.m.

Altar Servers	B. Daniel, D. Johnston, D. Johnston
Extraordinary Ministers	B. Brush, L. Ventura, K. Warner, R. Webb, K. Henne
Lectors	T. Burnside, J. Ventura
Sacristan	B. Brush
Ushers/Greeters	C. Peltier, Volunteer, P. Penny, D. Penny

Sunday, August 3 – 11:00 a.m.

Altar Servers	A. Fox, R. Henry, E. Hemm
Extraordinary Ministers	B. Decknadel, D. Decknadel, K. Earhart, C. Garman
Lectors	ME Buechter, B. Carter
Sacristan	ME Buechter
Ushers/Greeters	B. Decknadel, J. Josefovsky, Volunteer, M. Cool

ST. MARY

Saturday, August 2 – 5:00 p.m.

Altar Servers	V. Karn, G. Sherman, H. Sherman
Extraordinary Ministers	A. Karn, A. Karn, M. Karn, Dcn. Jim
Lectors	M. Ford, E. Merrifield
Sacristan	A. Epperly
Ushers/Greeters	R. Ventura, P. Larger, Volunteers

Sunday, August 3 – 9:00 a.m.

Altar Servers	M. Peterson, B. Johns, K. Johns
Extraordinary Ministers	J. Bates, T. Buecker, D. Stonerock, G. Stonerock
Lectors	A. Manson, M. Hogston
Sacristan	D. Cecil
Ushers/Greeters	R. Foster, Volunteer, D. Francony, P. Jenkins

ST. TERESA

Sunday, August 3 – 7:30 a.m.

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

ST. PATRICK

Saturday, August 2 – 5:00 p.m.

Altar Servers	T. Behm, A. Cianciolo
Extraordinary Ministers	K. Clark, Dcn. John, S. Clark
Lector	S. Knight
Sacristan	S. Carlin

Sunday, August 3 – 7:30 a.m.

Altar Servers	CC Subler, J. Subler
Extraordinary Ministers	R. Groff, J. Lehrter, P. Menker
Lector	K. Kremer
Sacristan	M. Subler

Sunday, August 3 – 9:30 a.m.

Altar Servers	M. Ratermann, T. Ratermann, W. Rippey
Extraordinary Ministers	C. Bockey, T. Cianciolo, K. Olberding, P. Cartwright, M. Via
Lector	M. Henry
Sacristan	P. Cartwright

Sunday, August 3 – 11:30 a.m.

Altar Servers	B. Baumann, C. Tremblay
Extraordinary Ministers	N. Tremblay, MB Rindler, A. Tremblay
Lector	C. Rohlf
Sacristan	N. Tremblay

CHURCH OF THE TRANSFIGURATION

Sunday, August 3 – 7:30 a.m.

Altar Servers	M. Desch, D. Boeckman
Extraordinary Ministers	R. Gallegos, R. Dzendzel, Volunteers
Lector	G. Mergler
Sacristan	R. Dendzel
Ushers	A. Brown, D. Brown, W. Beaver, J. Cetnar

Sunday, August 3 – 10:00 a.m.

Altar Servers	O. Sanders, D. Harrison, F. Harrison
Extraordinary Ministers	M. Schubert, L. McCartan, B. Karch
Lectors	Michael & Maria Olenchuk
Sacristan	R. Dzendzel
Ushers	R. Winkler, C. August, S. Barga, E. Barga



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