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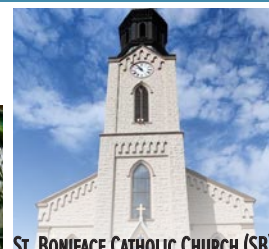
19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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.



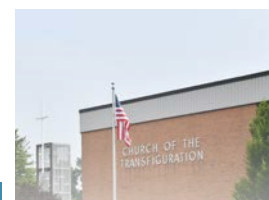
ST. MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH (SM)
528 Broadway St. Piqua 45356
937-773-1327 | piquaparishes.org
M-Th, 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
F, 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.



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 within the 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 Pohlfs

Executive Director of Pastoral Services

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

CONTACT YOUR CHURCH OFFICE!

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.

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.

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. The link 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

- Two CCD Teachers and classroom aides
- Wedding Anniversary Celebration Planning - The Committee leads have emerged! Join the team!
- Fatima Day Assistance/Sponsors (September 28)
- Liturgical Ministers (all churches)
Sacristans | Servers | Eucharistic Ministers | Lectors

TRANSFIGURATION

Homebound Ministry, 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

2025 Oktoberfest Volunteers, Adult Servers (daily Mass & funerals), St. Clare Adoration Chapel Guardians, BINGO Workers, Same-Day Wedding Facilitator

**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, AUGUST 11			
7:45 a.m. 8:15 a.m. 12:10 p.m.	St. Patrick Transfiguration St. Boniface	†Kathy MacMillan †Edward Leo Mergler †Mary Jane Marshall	<i>St. Clare, Virgin</i> <i>Dt 10:12-22</i> <i>Mt 17:22-27</i>
TUESDAY, AUGUST 12			
7:45 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	St. Patrick St. Boniface Transfiguration	†David Toller †Amelia Caserta Gillis Ann Huffman 90th Birthday	<i>St. Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious</i> <i>Dt 31:1-8</i> <i>Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14</i>
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 13			
7:45 a.m. 8:15 a.m.	St. Patrick Transfiguration	†Lawrence & Eleanor Huter & Family †Purgatorian Mass: †David Desch †Richard Bolinger †Ted Hummel †Lori Albright	<i>Sts. Pontian, Pope, and Hippolytus, Priest, Martyrs</i> <i>Dt 34:1-12</i> <i>Mt 18:15-20</i>
8:30 a.m.	St. Mary	†Larry Baker	
THURSDAY, AUGUST 14			
8:15 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 8:30 a.m.	Transfiguration St. Patrick St. Boniface	†Charles Harter †Vera Burke †Sara Zimmerman	<i>St. Maximilian Kolbe, Priest and Martyr</i> <i>Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17</i> <i>Mt 18:21--19:1</i>
7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Transfiguration St. Boniface	Del Albright †Don Gordon	
FRIDAY, AUGUST 15 – <i>The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i> – HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION			
7:00 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 12:10 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	St. Patrick St. Patrick St. Mary Transfiguration St. Boniface St. Patrick St. Mary St. Teresa	†Michael Bulko †Jeanette Simon †Jerry Richard Kevin Kleman Family †Betty Barhorst †Michael Ryan †Edward Elsasser Bridget Hamilton	<i>Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab</i> <i>1 Cor 15:20-27</i> <i>Lk 1:39-56</i>
SATURDAY, AUGUST 16			
8:30 a.m. 3:30 p.m. 5:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.	St. Mary St. Boniface \$ St. Patrick St. Mary \$	†Nancy Vaught Living & Deceased of OLF Luke & Noelle Earhart Wedding Anniversary †Helen Jacomet	<i>St. Stephen of Hungary</i> <i>Jos 24:14-29</i> <i>Mt 19:13-15</i>
SUNDAY, AUGUST 17			
7:30 a.m. 7:30 a.m. 7:30 a.m.	St. Patrick Transfiguration St. Teresa	†AJ Holter †Brooks Barnes †Purgatorian Mass †Jenifer Heydinger Galante	<i>20th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> <i>Jer 38:4-6, 8-10</i> <i>Heb 12:1-4</i> <i>Lk 12:49-53</i>
9:15 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 11:30 a.m.	St. Mary \$ St. Patrick Transfiguration St. Boniface \$ St. Patrick	†Kory Bauchman †Timothy Heckman Hank & Lil Deneski †Frank & Betty Barhorst †Melissa Wannamacher	

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

THE POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION

AUGUST 2025 – *For Mutual Coexistence*

Let us pray that societies where coexistence seems more difficult might not succumb to the temptation of confrontation for ethnic, political, religious or ideological reasons.

Our Father | Hail Mary | Glory Be

CATHOLICISM EXPLAINED: ASSUMPTION OF MARY

Contributed by: FR. ISAIAH CALLAN, VICAR

The Solemnity of the Assumption of Mary is Friday, August 15. It is a Holy Day of Obligation, which means that it carries with it the requirement that all Catholics are to attend Mass and worship on this day.

The Assumption of Mary is one of the four Marian dogmas of the Catholic Church. The Church holds that Mary was assumed, body and soul, under God's power into heaven. Tradition reveals that this belief was held for a while by the masses before it was investigated and proclaimed as dogma by the Church according to Pope Pius XII on November 1, 1950 in the document "Munificentissimus Deus." The title of which means, "The Most Bountiful God." How often do we get to hear the words spoken that have changed the dogmatic constitution of the Church's belief? Lest we forget and rob ourselves of hearing the fullness of truth, if we are to hear these words as they are meant to be heard we must hear them as if our hearts were in the place and time of their delivery. Therefore, the living proclamation is as follows:

"After we have poured forth prayers of supplication again and again to God, and have invoked the light of the Spirit of Truth, for the glory of Almighty God who has lavished his special affection upon the Virgin Mary, for the honor of her Son, the immortal King of the Ages and the Victor over sin and death, for the increase of the glory of that same august Mother, and for the joy and exultation of the entire Church; by the authority of our Lord Jesus Christ, of the Blessed Apostles Peter and Paul, and by our own authority, we pronounce, declare, and define it to be a divinely revealed dogma: that the Immaculate Mother of God, the ever Virgin Mary, having completed the course of her earthly life, was assumed body and soul into heavenly glory." (Par. 44)

We can draw out a few truths for our spiritual formation. The Church gives from what she has received. The authority with which the Church even considers calling out this truth to her flock is not hers. She receives it from "the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end." (Rev 22:13) The Church gives only insofar as she remains yoked to that authority. Likewise, the Mother of God is revealed as Immaculate and Assumed because she is irreversibly, God be praised, by her lifetime world-resounding "yes," yoked to Christ. Her Assumption was not by her own power but by His power. For us, we are reminded that He who made us is our source of life, peace and joy. Let us look at the generous fruits of the Church to know how generously we can give and how generous is the one who gives to us first. We are not called to leave Him. And should we remain rooted in Him, we too, through His faithfulness, will find ourselves, soul and glorified body, in heaven with whom we celebrate today and whom we ask for intercession. Praise God!

2025 Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

a Holy Day of obligation

		St. Boniface 310 S. Downing St. Piqua, OH	St. Mary 528 Broadway St. Piqua, OH	St. Teresa 6925 W. US 36 Covington, OH	St. Patrick 409 E. Main St. Troy, OH	Transfiguration 972 S. Miami St. West Milton, OH
Vigil Thursday, 8/14/25	7:00 PM	Fr. Eric Bowman				Fr. Steve Shoup
	7:00 AM				Fr. Isaiah Callan	
	8:30 AM		Fr. Eric Bowman School		Fr. Isaiah Callan School	Fr. Steve Shoup
Friday, 8/15/25	12:10 PM	Fr. Eric Bowman School				
	7:00 PM		Fr. Steve Shoup	TBD	Fr. Isaiah Callan *	

* = Incense



CHRIST IN THE WOMB

In week 21 in the womb, Jesus is developing tastebuds. Jesus has learned how to run His hand against His cheek. He likes the sensation and does it a lot. *Jesus of the womb, Hear our prayers!*

MENTAL WELLNESS FOR THE FAITHFUL

Peace be with you. These, from the Book of Isaiah, are moving:

"I will spread prosperity over you," "You shall be carried,"

"I will comfort you." (Isaiah 66)

What would it be like if we paused for a moment and allowed God to carry us? To comfort us? To feel the Father's love through the words, "Behold, my beloved." What if we allowed and invited God to hold and comfort us during times of pain or suffering? We needn't look far to know: "Your heart shall rejoice and your bodies flourish..."

I invite you to try this. First, imagine what a child who is held and loved by a loving parent feels like, especially when they're hurt and are being comforted. Then, notice what it's like when you allow yourself to become that child. Notice the peace, joy and flourishing, and allow that to spread over you as you're held and comforted by Love. This is the Love that God has for you. Come and see.

Alex Wallace, MA, LMHC, Licensed Professional Clinical Counselor, Ruah Woods – Psychological Services
937-303-7333 | awallace@ruahwoods.org | www.RWpsych.org | Ludlow Falls



OLF MINISTRIES

YOUTH MINISTRY



DAMASCUS

OLF NEWS FLASH!

It's almost time for 2026 Damascus Summer Camp (formerly CYSC) registration! New this year, Our Lady of Fatima Family of Parishes' (OLF) campers will get to register for summer camp starting in August, ahead of the October general registration! If you have been part of the OLF "group block" emails in the past, expect an email with more details on how to register this coming week. To be included on these announcements, send a message to staceyearhart3@gmail.com.

A limited block of bunks have been secured just for OLF students and friends! First-come, first-served.

Save-the-Date

2026 Damascus Summer Camp
Week 3 – June 21-26, 2026

Reminder: For students who will be incoming 6th-12th grade during the next (2026-2027) school year (Current year's 5th graders, this means YOU!)

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION



Kindergarten through 8th Grade

2025-2026 OLF CCD REGISTRATION IS OPEN!

Follow the QR code to register **before September 1.**

As our young people begin their school year, the opportunity to continue their religious education launches as well. Their faith formation meaningfully and joyfully encompasses their journey toward becoming a disciple of Christ and their Sacramental experiences. This is a necessity to receive First Reconciliation, First Communion and the Sacrament of Confirmation.

Be sure to tell your friends and neighbors that it's time to enroll!

A parent letter will also be email ed to recent CCD families this week.

Kick-off Family Masses & Meetings:

Tuesday, September 9 | OLF CCD at St. Patrick K-6 | St. Patrick Catholic Church, 5:55 p.m.

Wednesday, September 10 | OLF CCD at Transfiguration K-6 | Transfiguration Church, 5:55 p.m.

Sunday, September 14 | ALL OLF 7th/8th Grade Family Mass & Meeting
10:00 a.m. Mass | Church of the Transfiguration | Coffee & Doughnuts

BECOME A CCD VOLUNTEER!

Only a couple of positions remain! This program cannot thrive without you. Volunteers do not have to be a current parent, but should be a practicing Catholic. All volunteers will receive SafeParish safety training. Preparation, books and materials are provided for you. Join the team as we support the next generation of Catholics.

LOVE IN ACTION



Thank you for bringing Back-to-School Items! Stay tuned for an update of the joy and Catholic love in action that OLF parishioners made possible.

OLF MINISTRIES

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

FALL ADULT BIBLE STUDY –

LUKE: THE STORY OF SALVATION FULFILLED

The Gospel of Luke takes us on a journey that begins with the foretelling of John the Baptist's birth and culminates in Jesus' Ascension into heaven. Along the way, you will witness key moments in salvation history, including the Annunciation, the Nativity, Jesus' Baptism, His public ministry, the Last Supper, and Jesus' suffering, death and glorious Resurrection. The Gospel of Luke continually reveals how Jesus is the fulfillment of Old Testament prophecies. The Gospel's powerful prose and beautiful details will deepen your desire to draw closer to Jesus, to be transformed by His teachings, to see how God has been faithful throughout the ages guiding us in our everyday lives.

Join for this next Bible Study. You may order your workbook through ascensionpress.com (\$27.95 plus shipping). Or, the online workbook version is \$6.95. Study takes part in St. Patrick Catholic Church's undercroft (basement, ramp door, Crawford Street entrance). Questions? Contact Pat Smith, rsmith3055@aol.com. Sessions run for eight weeks. Choose which:

Sundays, beginning September 14 | 6:00 p.m.
Wednesdays, beginning September 17 | 9:00 a.m.

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](https://www.instagram.com/fatimafamily_ya).

Mark Your Calendar!

August 12 | 6:15-9:15 p.m. | Setup/Clean-up Sips & Sainthood
The Bird's Nest | 5485 N. Troy Sidney Road, Piqua
Fr. Callan Presents: The Wild Life of Virtue

August 18 | 7:00-9:00 p.m. | Brunch at Night
St. Mary Rectory | 528 Broadway, Piqua

August 25 | 7:00-9:00 p.m. | Scatterball
St. Patrick Parish Center | 444 E. Water Street, Troy

OLF CURRENT EVENTS

GRIEFSHARE

No matter what the circumstances, grief recovery is a painful process. "GriefShare" is a seminar and support group for our parishes and local community – all who are grieving the loss of a loved one are welcome. Come, be around others who understand how you are feeling and receive encouragement. You will learn valuable information to help you through this difficult time. Videotape seminar sessions with nationally recognized experts and grief and recovery topics will be featured. Sessions begin Wednesday, September 10. Either a 1:00 p.m. session or 7:00 p.m. session is available. Meetings are held in the St. Patrick Parish Center, upstairs Room 3 (444 E. Water Street, Troy). Come, check it out for one session, or you can register at griefshare.org/finadagroup. Sign up for the St. Patrick Group. Sessions run for 13 weeks, no meeting on November 26. Last session is December 10. Contact Pat Smith at rsmith3055@aol.com with questions.

LOSS OF SPOUSE

The GriefShare team will be offering "Loss of Spouse" on Saturday, September 6 at 10:00 a.m. If you or someone you know is dealing with the loss of a spouse and could use some support, this is an invitation. Join us upstairs in St. Patrick Parish Center, Room 3, the white building behind the school.

THIS SPECIAL OCCASION WILL BE HELD THE WEEK OF THE ACTUAL
75TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE CHURCH OF THE TRANSFIGURATION!

You are invited to participate in the liturgy and to join for the special reception with memories, historic photos, cake, punch and coffee to celebrate the Anniversary!

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



WEST MILTON, OHIO

OLF 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

THE TRAVELING SHAMROCKS

Join for a trip out West to Canyon Country.
April 10-17, 2026
Scottsdale, Arizona, Sedona, Grand Canyon, Lake Powell, Bryce Canyon National Park, Springdale, Utah to Zion National Park
Tour ends in Las Vegas, Nevada.
Double Occupancy Room: \$3,999 per person

Check out the link below for more information and to sign up, or see the book rack at the back of St. Patrick Catholic Church.

<https://gateway.gocollette.com/link/1326580>

Deadline to register is October 6.
Final payment due by January 10, 2026.
Questions? Contact Pat Smith: rsmith3055@aol.com.

Join us for Philia's Sips & Sainthood this Tuesday!

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!



MILLIONS OF MONICAS

One Hour - One Purpose - God's Children

TUESDAYS | 6-7 PM

St. Boniface Catholic Church
310 S. Downing St., Piqua

Join with other mothers as we pray to grow in holiness and humility and for God's children to faithfully return to the Catholic Church.



The one-hour of prayer includes meditation, a scripture reading, hymns and the Rosary. You are invited to participate in this powerful and quiet prayer group according to your availability.

Susan (937) 214-0579, Donna (937) 615-4538, Cindy (937) 541-9533

TICKET

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OUR LADY OF FATIMA

Monthly Raffle

3rd Prize = 003720*... \$39

2nd Prize = 127863... \$78

1st Prize = 003599... \$195

The color-match ticket was yellow, so the Rollover Pot can be won by the 1st place ticket holder!

\$266

Please see your church office to turn in your winning ticket!
*Please forgive a typo in last week's number 3rd place #.

NEXT RAFFLE: August 30 & 31!

SAVE-THE-DATE


OUR LADY OF FATIMA FAMILY OF PARISHES PRESENTS

Fatima Day 2025

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 28

11:30 AM MASS | CARRY-IN LUNCH | FELLOWSHIP
LANGE ESTATE | 3505 CALUMET RD., LUDLOW FALLS

SCHOOLS



Are you interested in working with students?
Do you want a flexible opportunity for income, according to your schedule's availability?
The Substitute Teacher list for the 2025-2026 school year is forming for Piqua Catholic and St. Patrick Catholic Schools!
Contact each school office to inquire about the opportunity!

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 6 upstairs (444 E. Water Street, white building behind school).



PARISHIONER HIGHLIGHTS

NEWLY BAPTIZED *Congratulations to:*

None

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

Pat Eichhorn (SP)
Sue Ann Jones (SB)

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

Jamie Murphy and children: Aubrey & Josh (SP)

CHURCH/SCHOOL RAFFLE WINNERS

Thanks for your support & congrats!

SP Weekly Raffle Winner August 4

Derek Koester

SP Monthly Raffle Winner – July

Mary Keeney

Piqua \$7-a-Month Club Raffle – August

Michael & Susan Yannucci

Piqua Catholic Weekly Raffle – August 4-8

Alvina DeMange,
Rick Caserta, Cheryl Herbe,
JoAnn Hess, Tim Tyler

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

ST. BONIFACE

Saturday, August 16 – 3:30 p.m.

Altar Servers	B. Daniel, M. Kemmer, M. Peterson
Extraordinary Ministers	V. Pierson, J. Ventura, L. Ventura, K. Warner, R. Webb
Lectors	J. White, R. Curtis
Sacristan	B. Brush
Ushers/Greeters	C. Peltier, Volunteer, P. Penny, D. Penny

Sunday, August 17 – 11:00 a.m.

Altar Servers	H. Karn, I. Karn, L. Knapke
Extraordinary Ministers	B. Peltier, C. Peltier, K. Roth, Dcn. Jim
Lectors	Sr. Mary Alice, O. Hudgel
Sacristan	M. McDonald
Ushers/Greeters	B. Decknadel, J. Josefovsky, Volunteer, M. Cool

ST. MARY

Saturday, August 16 – 5:00 p.m.

Altar Servers	M. Bell, Jr., B. Johns, K. Johns
Extraordinary Ministers	C. Nagengast, C. Oda, S. Ginny, K. Wendeln
Lectors	B. Hewitt, G. Fulks
Sacristan	B. Elliott
Ushers/Greeters	R. Ventura, P. Larger, Volunteers

Sunday, August 17 – 9:15 a.m.

Altar Servers	K. Petty, D. Richard, J. Richard
Extraordinary Ministers	C. Foster, M. Foster, R. Foster, T. Foster
Lectors	T. Burnside, E. Merrifield
Sacristan	G. Stonerock
Ushers/Greeters	R. Foster, Volunteer, D. Francony, P. Jenkins

ST. TERESA

Sunday, August 17 – 7:30 a.m.

Altar Server	Volunteer
Extraordinary Minister	J. Walter
Lector	K. Bartley
Ushers	A. Otte, J. Walter

ST. PATRICK

Saturday, August 16 – 5:00 p.m.

Altar Servers	O. Poeppelman, C. Yahl
Extraordinary Ministers	P. Fenter, Dcn. John, S. Carlin
Lector	K. Lins
Sacristan	K. Shanesy

Sunday, August 17 – 7:30 a.m.

Altar Servers	J. Bockey, W. Rippey
Extraordinary Ministers	J. Lehrter, C. Bockey, A. McDonough
Lector	C. Bockey
Sacristan	L. Menker

Sunday, August 17 – 9:30 a.m.

Altar Servers	M. Ratermann, S. Ratermann, T. Ratermann
Extraordinary Ministers	K. Olberding, P. Smith, H. Spaide, M. Gifford, A. Thomas
Lector	K. Hess
Sacristan	M. Henry

Sunday, August 17 – 11:30 a.m.

Altar Servers	A. Hess, E. Kinsella
Extraordinary Ministers	A. Gutman, M.B. Rindler, D. Wolfe
Lector	G. Rinehart
Sacristan	D. Wolfe

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Sunday, August 17 – 7:30 a.m.

Altar Servers	M. Desch, Volunteers
Extraordinary Ministers	R. Dzendzel, R. Gallegos, J. Mergler
Lector	T. Sollenberger
Sacristan	R. Dzendzel
Ushers	A. Brown, D. Brown, R. Gallegos, N. Craport

Sunday, August 17 – 10:00 a.m.

Altar Servers	O. Sanders, D. Harrison, F. Harrison
Extraordinary Ministers	L. McCartan, M. Schubert, Volunteer
Lectors	R. Latino, J. Fisher
Sacristan	R. Dzendzel
Ushers	J. Artin, E. Hummel, R. Winkler



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