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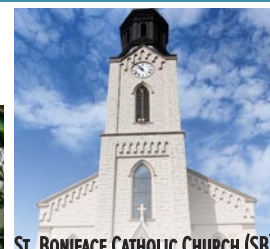
30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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.



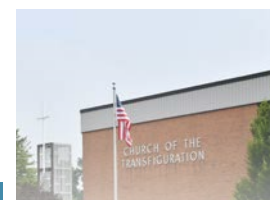
ST. MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH (SM)
528 Broadway St. Piqua 45356
937-773-1327 | piquaparishes.org
M-Th, 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
F, 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.



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 Pohls

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.

ANOIDING 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

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!

FIND THE **WEEKEND MASS & PRIEST SCHEDULE** ON OUR LADY OF FATIMA CHURCH WEBSITES (**OR** SIMPLY SCAN THIS QR CODE WITH YOUR CAMERA APP/BUTTON TO TAKE YOU DIRECTLY TO THE LINK.)



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:



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 the 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 YOUR CHURCH OFFICE TO LEND A HAND!

OUR LADY OF FATIMA

Liturgical Ministers:

Sacristans | Servers | Eucharistic Ministers | Lectors

Bereavement Team Member:

Call your office manager if you can share your time and compassion with a family who is planning a loved one's funeral.

K-6 CCD Aides

Nativity Scene & Christmas Open House Assistants:
Lange Estate (December 4)

Children's Choir Members:

(Troy/Piqua, 3rd-8th Grades)

Choir Members:

(Troy/Piqua, especially Altos)

Youth Ministry Core Team Member

TRANSFIGURATION

Homebound Ministry, Adorers for Thursday Adoration

ST. PATRICK

Day-of Wedding Facilitators

ST. MARY

2026 St. Mary Festival Volunteers, Day-of Wedding Facilitator

ST. TERESA

Sacristan, Ushers, Servers

ST. BONIFACE

Day-of Wedding Facilitator

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

MASS TIME	PARISH	INTENTION	READING
MONDAY, OCTOBER 27			
7:45 a.m. 8:15 a.m. 12:10 p.m.	St. Patrick Transfiguration St. Boniface	†Mary Ries †Charlie Kirk †Kris Reed	Rom 8:12-17 Lk 13:10-17
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28			
7:45 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	St. Patrick St. Boniface Transfiguration	†Anthony Palkovic †Mary Ann Hausfeld †Gabby Zerkel	Sts. Simon and Jude, Apostles Eph 2:19-22 Lk 6:12-16
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29			
7:45 a.m. 8:15 a.m. 8:30 a.m.	St. Patrick Transfiguration St. Mary	†William Johnston †Purgatorian Mass †Dick Rihm	Rom 8:26-30 Lk 13:22-30
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30			
8:15 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 8:30 a.m.	Transfiguration St. Patrick St. Boniface	†Don Shaffer †Ruthara Dodd †John LaChey	Rom 8:31b-39 Lk 13:31-35
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31			
7:45 a.m. 8:15 a.m. 8:30 a.m.	St. Patrick Transfiguration St. Mary	†Anna Jean Wray †Jeff Hartke †Sue Anthony	Rom 9:1-5 Lk 14:1-6
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1 – All Saints Day – (Non-Obligation)			
8:30 a.m.	St. Mary	†Pinky Jordan	Rev 7:2-4, 9-14 / Mt 5:1-12
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1 – All Souls Day Vigil			
3:30 p.m. 5:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.	St. Boniface \$ St. Patrick St. Mary \$	†Dcn. Mike Knight Living & Deceased of OLF †Dick Barhorst	Wis 3:1-9 Rom 5:5-11 or Rom 6:3-9 Jn 6:37-40
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2 – All Souls Day			
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	†Dorothy Depweg †Neil DeLong †Purgatorian Mass †Urban & Marlene Zumberger †David Frenzer †Dave Cartwright †Shirley Strickland †Si Cutcher †Maureen Raguse	Wis 3:1-9 Rom 5:5-11 or Rom 6:3-9 Jn 6:37-40

\$ = 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.

CHRIST IN THE WOMB

Week 32 – Jesus has become quite the little explorer. He moves His hands around to feel out His environment. He is also sensitively attuned to changes in His mother's heartbeat and breathing. *Jesus of the womb, hear our prayers!*



THE POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION

NOVEMBER 2025

For the Prevention of Suicide

Let us pray that those who are struggling with suicidal thoughts might find the support, care and love they need in their community, and be open to the beauty of life.

Our Father | Hail Mary | Glory Be

CATHOLICISM EXPLAINED

THE MASS: POMP & CIRCUMSTANCE | CONTRIBUTED BY *Fr. Isaiah Callan and Matt Wagner*

If we come to Mass on any given day, we could be in for a surprise. An “extra reading,” the recitation of the Creed or Gloria, or the use of a non-seasonal liturgical color could clue us into something different about this Mass.

While there is only “one Mass” in the church, we can celebrate it in different ways. Just as we celebrate secular holidays with things like special decorations, or food to highlight historical accomplishments like Independence Day or Thanksgiving, so, too, does the Catholic Church celebrate various achievements and highlights of salvation history with different liturgical thematic elements (colors, songs, Creed). These thematic elements let the congregation know the nature of the mystery into which Mother Church welcomes her children. What the Church celebrates also reveals what she values. Her art of celebration, or *Ars Celebrandi*, communicates what she values the most, and models for us what we ought to value, too.

In this art of celebration, a hierarchy of celebrations exists. Not all celebrations are created equal. From least to greatest importance, we find that Mother Church celebrates Memorials, Feasts and Solemnities. Memorials are divided into two categories: optional and obligatory memorials, which is self-explanatory. Outside of Memorials, which includes the Church’s desires to highlight more flavorful truths through more pronounced celebrations, such as Feasts or Solemnities. Examples of Feasts include celebrations of the Apostles. For Feasts, two readings are read instead of one, and the Gloria is included.

When Solemnities come along like Holy Days of Obligation, such as The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary or The Nativity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, all the stops are pulled out. The Gloria, 1st and 2nd reading, and Creed are spoken or sung.

For Solemnities, if more beautiful things can be done, they should. Simple vestments give way to more beautiful ones. More dignified and richer sacred music is heard, and if possible, it is fitting to sing the Gospel. Incense is used. All the smells, bells, and sounds of these days are meant to draw us deeper into the mysteries at play in front of the eyes of our soul. They are also meant to render to God what is His due – right worship.

God is worth the “extra” effort. It is for reasons like Feasts and Solemnities that Matthew says that “those who have ears ought to hear.” (Matt 11:15) Likewise, those who have eyes ought to gaze on that in which their souls find true rest.

In our modern age, we give so much attention to celebrating secular holidays that are less meaningful than the Mass; so, why would we not go all out in the Mass? The different observable changes from the norm of Ordinary Time help us to celebrate with the mind of the Church and the heart of Jesus Christ. He gave us the Mass so we might be refreshed in this long earthly life. So, let’s celebrate the gift every time!

All Saints – (Non-Obligation)

Saturday, November 1

8:30 a.m. | St. Mary

All Souls

Follows Sunday Mass Schedule

Vigil (Saturday Evening) November 1

Sunday, November 2

Our Lady of Fatima
FAMILY OF PARISHES

MASS OF REMEMBRANCE

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 3 | 7:00 PM

AT ST. BONIFACE CATHOLIC CHURCH, PIQUA

REMEMBERING ALL OF
OUR FIVE PARISHES’ DECEASED
FROM THE PAST YEAR

THE DECEASED’S POINT OF CONTACT WILL RECEIVE
A MAILED LETTER TO INVITE LOVED ONES.

All parishes and the community are welcome.



Daylight Saving time is Sunday, November 2.
Turn your clocks backward one hour before you
go to bed on Saturday night!

FROM THE ST. MARY & ST. BONIFACE MISSION GROUP: MISSION RAFFLE & AN IMPORTANT UPDATE

Mission Raffle tickets and a letter with an update have been sent to St. Boniface and St. Mary households! Please show your support by purchasing raffle tickets throughout October.

Tickets are \$5 each, and the winner will receive \$500!

The Mission Group has made the difficult decision to discontinue its annual Rummage Sale except for ongoing Facebook Marketplace sales. To continue the meaningful mission support that has blessed others for more than 40 years, we invite parishioners to

Become an Annual Mission Sponsor with a donation of \$100.

Checks are made payable to “St. Boniface & St. Mary Missions.”

Thank you for your generous support, prayers and commitment to mission efforts!

OLF CHARISMATIC HEALING MASS November 10

St. Teresa, Covington | 7:30 PM

If Mass should need to cancel, attempts to hang a sign on the church door and/or to post the cancellation on the Our Lady of Fatima Facebook page will be made.

OUR LADY OF FATIMA FINANCIAL SUMMARY

SEPTEMBER 2025 SUNDAY OFFERINGS	ST. BONIFACE	ST. MARY	ST. PATRICK*	ST. TERESA	TRANSFIGURATION
Monthly Offerings Actual	\$37,353	\$45,169	\$63,446	\$8,272	\$22,633
Monthly Offerings Anticipated	\$32,308	\$48,076	\$59,615	\$7,935	\$27,500
Monthly Over (Under) Anticipated	\$5,045	(\$2,907)	\$3,831	\$337	(\$4,867)

* Currently, St. Patrick maintains a separate account to track "Christmas/Easter" offerings. The St. Patrick 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.



Our Lady of Fatima Family of Parishes will have a Collection for the Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA (AMS) the weekend of November 8 and 9. This special collection, approved by the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops and taken once every three years, supports pastoral care for Catholic men and women serving in the U.S. Armed Forces, those enrolled in U.S. Military Academies, veterans receiving care in any of the 153 VA Medical Centers, and federal employees

serving abroad – including those from our own parish and diocese.

The AMS receives no government or military funding and has no parishes or weekly collections of its own. Your generous support helps ensure that the Church can continue to minister to those who serve our nation.

Learn more: www.milarch.org/nationalcollection.

OLF MINISTRIES

MUSIC & LITURGY

Kindly return any worship aids to ushers upon exit from Mass. Thank you for keeping our churches tidy!



UPDATE Our Lady of Fatima
FAMILY OF PARISHES
CHILDREN'S CHOIR

Students grades 3-8 are encouraged to participate in this exciting music-making opportunity!

REHEARSAL LOCATIONS

PIQUA

Wednesdays
3:30-4:45 PM

First Rehearsal: 11/5 @ St. Mary
First Mass: 11/22 | 5PM @ St. Mary*

Students in PCS Rosary Club (1st Wed. of month) will be escorted to choir by 3:45.
*Masses alternate Piqua churches.

TROY

St. Patrick
Thursdays
3:30-4:45 PM

First Rehearsal: 11/6*
First Mass: 11/23 | 9:30 AM

*First rehearsal will be 1:30-2:45 to accommodate early dismissal.
All other rehearsals will begin at 3:30.

Sign-ups are first-come, first-served!

Register using the QR code. →

If you are a SafeParish volunteer/parent, your help of attending a few practices is kindly being requested in the registration form. Performance schedule and med release form will be shared at first rehearsals.



SeungKeun Oh | oohskh@outlook.com
OLF Assistant Director of Music & Liturgy



Our Lady of Fatima
FAMILY OF PARISHES

ADULT CHOIRS

Participants over 18 are invited to join an OLF adult choir!

REHEARSALS

TROY

Wednesdays
7:00 - 9:00 PM

St. Patrick Church
use the ramp door

First Rehearsal
11/12/2025

PIQUA

Thursdays
6:45 - 8:00 PM

St. Mary Church
use the ramp door

First Rehearsal
11/13/2025

Looking to join choir or to give it a try?

Piqua participants may schedule a one-on-one with Matt Wager at mwagner@stpatroy.org.

Troy may express interest by attending the first rehearsal of the season.
- **Must be able to climb a staircase to the choir loft.** -

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).

October 31 | 7:00-11:00 p.m. | Halloween Party

Transfiguration Church Youth Room

Interested in the SEEK conference? Contact Fr. Callan at fr.callan213@gmail.com for more information.

OLF MINISTRIES

YOUTH MINISTRY

Please join in praying for Our Lady of Fatima Family of Parishes' Confirmands who will be attending their Confirmation Retreat at Damascus next weekend! Sixty-one students from all five of our churches will be seeking a deep spiritual and worship encounter with Our Lord.

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP (9-12TH) & BOSCO GROUP (7/8TH)

Friends welcome! Dinner provided!



SUNDAY YOUTH MINISTRY NIGHTS
972 S. Miami St., West Milton
Parent/Teen carpool encouraged!
tinyurl.com/OLF-Youth-Ministry



**DOWNLOAD THE REMIND APP
TO GET QUICK ANNOUNCEMENTS!**

BOSCO - JUNIOR HIGH GROUP

7/8TH GRADE CCD

**ENTER THIS CODE
TO JOIN:**

@39fkhh

**ENTER THIS CODE
TO JOIN:**

@74bgg6

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP



**ENTER THIS CODE
TO JOIN:**

@ba389ek



NEXT YOUTH MINISTRY NIGHTS:

October 26 – **CANCELLED**

November 2 – Transfig Youth Building

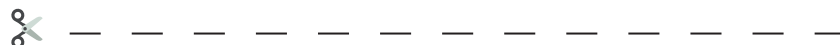
November 9 – St. Patrick Undercroft (basement)

NOTE:

Remember – The REMIND App made an update – you'll need to download the app in in order see OLF Youth Ministry updates and announcements due to their security updates.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

ENROLL NOW so that you and your prayers can be matched to a candidate. Please return this form to the Piqua Parish Office, c/o Barb Kohl | bkohl@woh.rr.com | 937-773-9205. Or, submit to ANY Our Lady of Fatima collection basket.



I would like to pray for:

- ☐ An 8th Grade Confirmation Candidate
- ☐ An OCIA Candidate/Catechumens
- ☐ Either – whomever needs my prayers!

First Name

Last Name

Address

Phone

Email

Become a Prayer Partner FOR 2025 OLF CONFIRMANDS!

ENROLL

More than 65 students and adults need a Prayer Partner this year! You'll be matched with a Confirmand in mid-November, to pray for him/her throughout the faith formation journey.

Simple & Meaningful:

- Pray regularly for your assigned person.
- Send two cards of encouragement during the formation.

Leave your form from the bulletin in a collection basket,
Attn: Barb Kohl, or, contact:
BKOHL@WOH.RR.COM | (937) 773-9205

2025-2026 SACRAMENTS



FIRST RECONCILIATION

CONFIRMATION

FIRST COMMUNION

November 15
10:30 AM | St. Boniface
All 2nd Graders & Families

February 7
10:30 AM | St. Mary
2:00 PM | St. Patrick

St. Patrick
April 11 | 10:30 AM
OLF CCD St. Patrick
April 18 | 10:00 AM
St. Patrick Catholic School

St. Boniface
May 2 | 11:00 AM
All Piqua



OCIA INFO SESSION

November 17 | 6:00-7:00 p.m.

Lange Estate, 3505 Calumet Road, Ludlow Falls

Not required if not yet selected, but the inquirer's sponsor or spouse is welcome to join!

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.

OLF CURRENT EVENTS

BRING YOUR LITTLES THIS SUNDAY FOR ST. PATRICK TRUNK-OR-TREAT!

Trunk or Treat!

SUNDAY 10/26
2-4 PM

ST. PATRICK CHURCH
PARKING LOT

ST. PATRICK CHURCH & ST. PATRICK HOME & SCHOOL
ARE HOSTING OUR ANNUAL TRUNK OR TREAT!
BRING YOUR FAMILY & FRIENDS!

INTERESTED IN HOSTING
A TRUNK?
SCAN THE CODE TO
SIGN-UP!



Thank you to all who joined and supported the St. Boniface Oktoberfest fun and fellowship! What great food, music, prizes and laughter. We're grateful to all the

volunteers, cooks and committee members and the leads, RJ Monnier and Zachary Zabel who made this community event a success



COMING SOON TO ST. PATRICK PHASE 2 – ST. PATRICK CATHOLIC CHURCH CAPITAL REPAIR: CHURCH FRONT STEPS

Stay tuned for information regarding this deferred maintenance project that will begin in the coming weeks!

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!

Tickets purchases, raffle basket donations and baked good drop-off available prior to the Christmas Bazaar!

OUR LADY OF FATIMA FAMILY OF PARISHES PRESENTS

ST. TERESA OF THE INFANT JESUS CATHOLIC CHURCH Christmas Bazaar

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2025
9 AM - 2 PM

69225 W US Rt 36, Covington

**Vendors | Crafts | Baked Goods
Quilt Raffle | Raffle Baskets
Fellowship**



Raffle Tickets sales will also be available
after 11/2 Piqua, Troy & Covington Masses!

\$1 EACH / 6 FOR \$5
NEED NOT BE PRESENT TO WIN!

Join for Coffee + Doughnut Sunday, 11/9,
after 7:30 AM St. Teresa Mass for the
Raffle Drawing
with more than 40 PRIZES!

Surviving the Holidays

Saturday, November 22 | 10:00 – 11:30 AM
St. Patrick Parish Center, 444 E. Water St., Troy

If you are facing the holidays after the death of a loved one, please consider attending GriefShare: Surviving the Holidays – a supportive seminar featuring video interviews with counselors, grief experts, and others who offer practical suggestions and reassurance.

You'll discover:

- What emotions to expect during the holidays
- How to prepare for the season ahead
- How to manage relationships and social gatherings
- How the holidays can help you heal

Participants will receive a book with over 30 daily readings offering insights and ideas for navigating the holidays.

All are welcome. Please share this invitation with anyone who may benefit.

Registration: Not required, but optional at griefshare.org/holidays.
Questions: Contact Pat Smith at rsmith3055@aol.com.

Ongoing GriefShare Support Group:
Meets Wednesdays at 1:00 PM or 7:00 PM – all are welcome.

OLF CURRENT EVENTS

ST. MARY CHURCH ANNUAL CHURCH CLEANING

Saturday, November 15, 2025, beginning at 10:00 AM (after Confessions).

Please bring buckets and rags to help. With enough volunteers, we can finish early!

For questions, contact Don Stonerock at (937) 773-2400.

FIRST FRIDAY

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Transfiguration Center for Spiritual Renewal
3505 Calumet Road, Ludlow Falls

November 7 | 9:30 a.m. – Noon

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

SCHOOLS

**SATURDAY
NOV. 1st @ 10 AM
COST: \$20 PER CHILD**

**LANGE ESTATE:
THE PICNIC SHELTER
3505 CALUMET RD,
LUDLOW FALLS**



**A SPECIAL EVENT FOR KIDS AGES 2-6
COSTUMES ENCOURAGED!**

**CLICK or SCAN
to register & donate**



OLDER
SIBLINGS
AND FAMILY
MEMBERS ARE
WELCOME TO ATTEND
AND CHEER ON THEIR
YOUNG RUNNERS!

REGISTERED
RUNNERS
WILL RECEIVE A
SUPERHERO CAPE,
A PRIZE, AND A SNACK
AT THE END OF THE RACE!

Funds raised will go towards toys and materials for the
St. Patrick Preschool playground and classrooms.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



Have you noticed the appearance of the Sacred Heart of Jesus within an Our Lady of Fatima Family of Parishes's churches lately?

The Knights of Columbus of Piqua transferred a framed picture of the Sacred Heart of Jesus that had been in front of the sanctuary in St. Boniface for a couple of days onto the Knights of Columbus of Troy on October 19. This pilgrim icon of the "Sacred Heart of Jesus" was blessed by Pope Francis in 2024. The Knights have been accompanying and finding Catholic churches for it to visit since. The image will be in St. Patrick until Sunday, November 2.

On Wednesday, October 29, 5:00-6:00 p.m., the Knights will lead a Holy Hour of Prayer in St. Patrick during Adoration. Copies will be available of Scripture readings and The Divine Mercy Chaplet from the Knights of Columbus Sacred Heart Holy Hour intended to be used during the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Near the entrance of church, parishioners may take or use the prayer cards. The Sacred Heart Holy Hour booklets are to use and leave at church for others.

Following St. Patrick, the pilgrim icon will be moved to St. John in Tipp City.

Thank you Knights of Columbus for providing this image and reminder of Jesus' abundant Mercy for us!

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:*

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ST. BONIFACE

Saturday, November 1 – 3:30 p.m.

Altar Servers	R. Henry, D. Johnston, D. Johnston
Extraordinary Ministers	B. Daniel, K. Henne, J. Herbe, V. Pierson, K. Warner
Lectors	K. Cool, B. Brush
Sacristan	B. Brush
Ushers/Greeters	C. Peltier, P. Penny, Volunteers

Sunday, November 2 – 11:00 a.m.

Altar Servers	J. Garman, L. Garman, W. Garman
Extraordinary Ministers	T. Burnside, B. Decknadel, D. Decknadel, C. Garman
Lectors	ME Buechter, B. Carter
Sacristan	ME Buechter
Ushers/Greeters	B. Decknadel, J. Josefovsky, Volunteer, M. Cool

ST. MARY

Saturday, November 1 – 5:00 p.m.

Altar Servers	B. Johns, K. Johns, M. Kemmer
Extraordinary Ministers	A. Manson, E. Merrifield, J. Mikolajewski, C. Nagengast
Lectors	K. Wendeln, Sister Ginny
Sacristan	A. Epperly
Ushers/Greeters	R. Ventura, P. Larger, R. Foster, Volunteer

Sunday, November 2 – 9:15 a.m.

Altar Servers	C. Galbreath, S. Galbreath, W. Galbreath
Extraordinary Ministers	K. Roberts, M. Safreed, M. Worland, Volunteer
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Sacristan	D. Stonerock
Ushers/Greeters	D. Francony, P. Jenkins, Volunteers

ST. TERESA

Sunday, November 2 – 7:30 a.m.

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

ST. PATRICK

Saturday, November 1 – 5:00 p.m.

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Extraordinary Ministers	K. Clark, Dcn. John, S. Clark
Lector	S. Knight
Sacristan	S. Carlin

Sunday, November 2 – 7:30 a.m.

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

Sunday, November 2 – 9:30 a.m.

Altar Servers	W. Swan, J. Thomas, J. Thomas
Extraordinary Ministers	T. Muir, K. Olberding, A. Thomas, S. Behm, A. Gutman
Lector	K. Vendryes
Sacristan	M. Henry

Sunday, November 2 – 11:30 a.m.

Altar Servers	M. Cathcart, D. Russel
Extraordinary Ministers	S. Keller, Dcn. John, MB Rindler
Lector	K. Miller
Sacristan	E. Sheridan

CHURCH OF THE TRANSFIGURATION

Sunday, November 2 – 7:30 a.m.

Altar Servers	M. Desch, D. Boeckman
Extraordinary Ministers	R. Dzendzel, V. Daum, Volunteer
Lector	G. Mergler
Sacristan	R. Dzendzel
Ushers	A. Brown, D. Brown, W. Beaver, J. Cetnar

Sunday, November 2 – 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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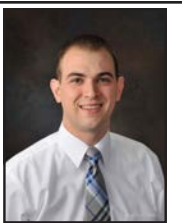


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