

NWV Family of Parishes



– Strong Families, Strong Parishes – Strong Parishes, Strong Families –

ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sunday, June 14, 2026

Pastor

Father Ned Brown

Parochial Vicars

Father James Reutter

Father Matt Feist

Father Andrew Reckers

Deacons

Deacon Mike Meyer

Deacon Tom Graber

St. Denis – 937-526-4945

14 E. Wood Street, Versailles, Ohio

Holy Family – 937-526-4945

11255 OH-185, Versailles, Ohio

Immaculate Conception –

937-526-4945

200 Clay Street, Bradford, Ohio

St. Louis – 419-582-2531

15 E. Star Road, North Star, Ohio

St. Mary – 937-548-1616

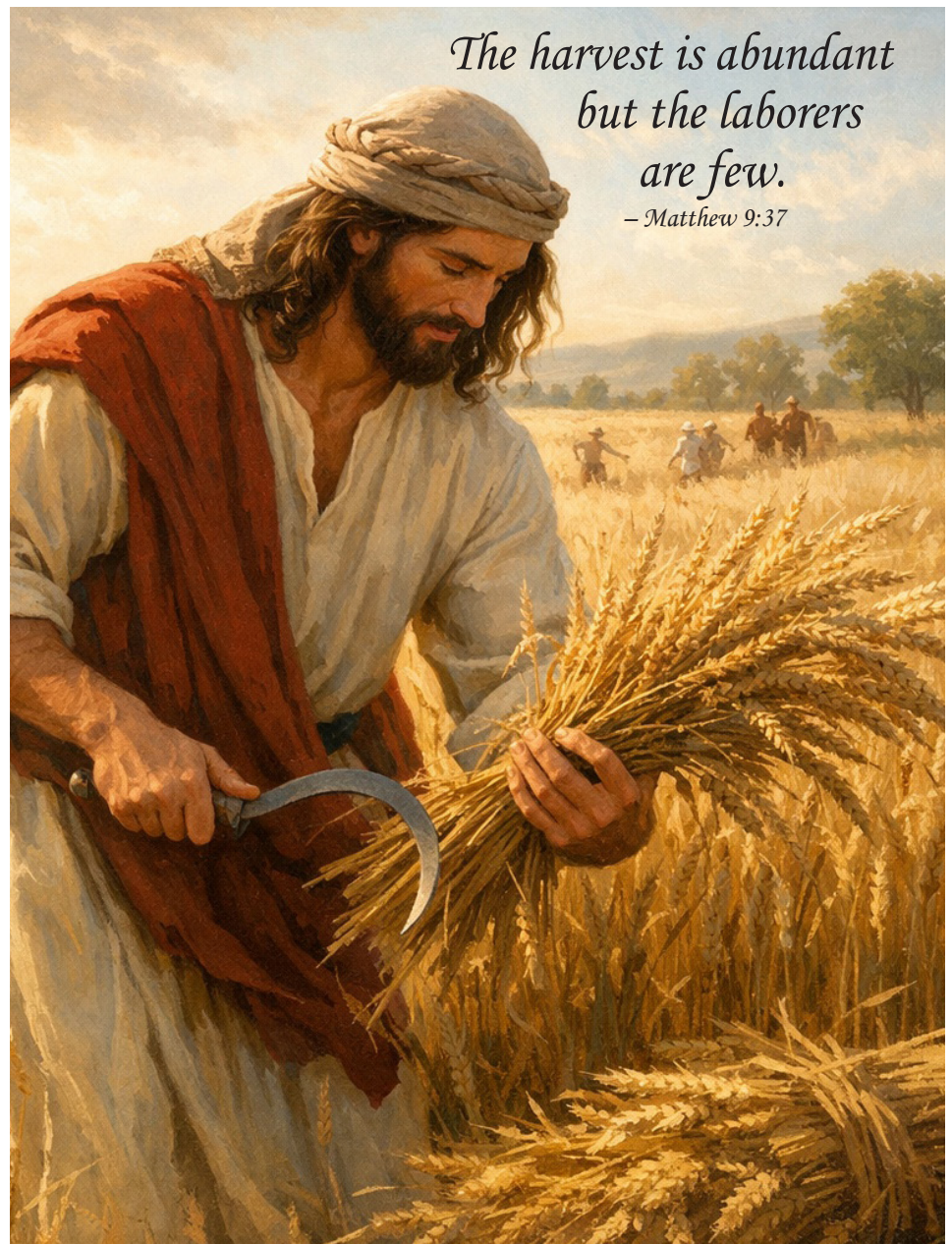
233 W. 3rd Street, Greenville, Ohio

St. Nicholas – 419-582-2531

128 Church Street, Osgood, Ohio

St. Remy – 937-526-3437

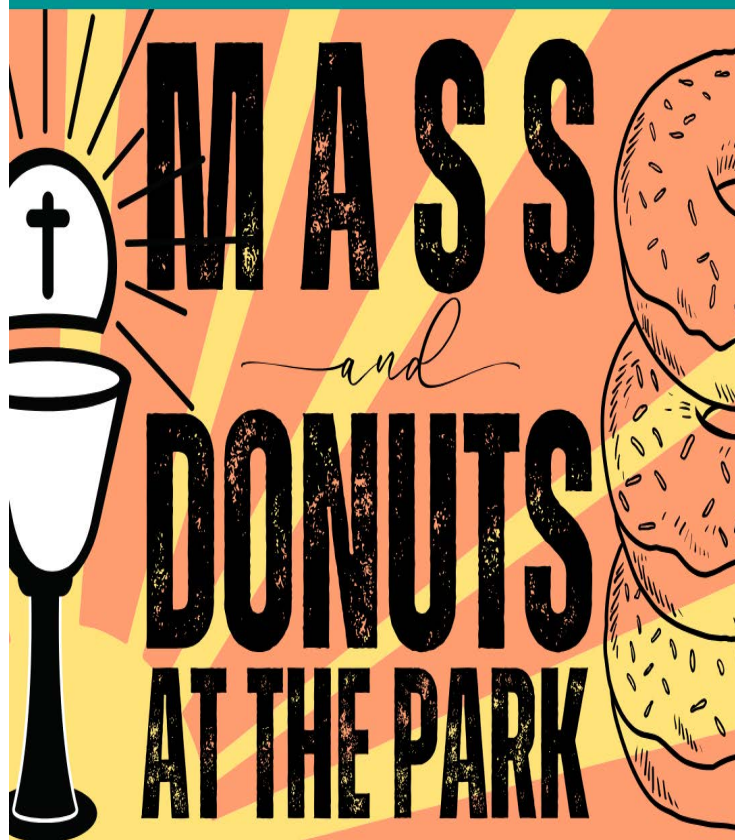
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– NWV Family of Parishes Announcements –

Every Thursday, June 18th-August 13th



START YOUR THURSDAY MORNINGS WITH 8:15 MASS AT ST. LOUIS
FOLLOWED BY DONUTS AND FELLOWSHIP AT THE NORTH STAR
PARK. COME AND BRING A FRIEND-ALL ARE WELCOME!

Armor of God Rosary Procession
Saturday, June 27th, 2026
2:00 PM



**Meet: Immaculate Conception
Catholic Church, Celina, Ohio**
at the front steps

Humility: the Antidote to Pride
Questions to Krista at (419) 852-0794

*"The Rosary is the most excellent form of prayer and
the most efficacious means of attaining eternal life.
It is the remedy for all our evils, the root of all our blessings.
There is no more excellent way of praying." Pope Leo XIII*

**Please join us as we pray, making reparation
for the sins against the Sacred Heart of Jesus and
the Immaculate Heart of Mary!**

Our Lady said,
"Pray the Rosary every day, to obtain peace for the world."

Let us pray the Rosary together!
Join us for our Rosary Walk!

Bring: Rosary, comfortable walking shoes, and water.
We will be walking downtown.

PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION THE WEEKEND OF JUNE 27-28, 2026: Your parishes' contributions to the Peter's Pence Collection allow the Holy Father to support victims of war and natural disasters and others most in need of assistance. This second collection is to be taken the weekend of June 27-28, 2026. Please be generous to this worthy cause. More information is available at www.usccb.org/peters-pence/collection.

CATHOLIC FAMILY NIGHT AT GREAT AMERICAN BALLPARK: Take me out to the ballgame! Join us as the archdiocese celebrates Catholic Family Night as the Cincinnati Reds take on the Milwaukee Brewers on September 5th! Purchase discounted tickets at www.gofevo.com/event/Archdiocesecincinnati22.

YOU ARE INVITED TO EVENING PRAYER WITH ARCHBISHOP CASEY FOR SYNOD 2027 – Please join Archbishop Robert G. Casey and other members of the faithful at Evening Prayer for the opening convocation of Synod 2027 on the occasion of the 205th Anniversary of the founding of the Archdiocese of Cincinnati – Friday, June 19, 7:00 p.m. at St. Francis of Assisi Church (6245 Wilmington Pike, Centerville, OH 45459). Reception to follow. RSVP is not required.

THE NEXT WINE, WOMEN, AND JESUS EVENT will take place on Thursday, June 18 at the Fort Loramie Brewing Company. Social time will begin at 7:00 p.m., and featured speaker Father Isaiah Callan will begin sharing his message at 7:30 p.m.

THE NEXT BIBLE, BOURBON, AND BROS. EVENT will take place on Thursday, June 25 at the Fort Loramie Brewing Company. Social time will begin at 7:00 p.m., and featured speaker Matt Eilerman, owner of ChillTex in Minster, will begin sharing his message at 7:30 p.m.

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CELEBRATING CENTURY FARMS 2026 – Join us at our Annual Farm Mass, honoring Catholic families celebrating 100 years on their farm. These families will be honored at the Farm Mass at Scott and Shelly Hartings Farm, 345 Cranberry Road, St. Henry, OH, on Friday, June 26 at 7:00 p.m. Apply with Roger Hoying at rbhoying@hotmail.com or 419-733-4543.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS 1796 WILL BE SERVING CARRY-OUT BBQ CHICKEN DINNERS on June 28, 2026, from 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the St. Mary's Knights of Columbus in Greenville. Dinner will be, as in the past, for \$10.00. The meal will be via presale tickets only. You can get tickets by calling or texting Luke Stachler at 937-569-8030, emailing at lstachler@woh.rr.com, or dropping an envelope in



the St. Mary's collection basket, attention K of C BBQ chicken.

Orders must be in by June 21st.

– NWV Family of Parishes Directory –

St. Denis / Holy Family / Immaculate Conception
Phone: 937-526-4945
Monday, Wednesday, Thursday
8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
Tuesday – Closed
Friday – 8:00 a.m.-Noon

St. Mary
Phone: 937-548-1616
Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday
9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

St. Louis & St. Nicholas
Phone: 419-582-2531
Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m.-Noon

St. Remy
Phone: 937-526-3437
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday
9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.



For a complete list of our staff, please consult our family of parishes website: nwv.church

BAPTISMS: Baptism and instruction are offered at each parish. To make arrangements, please call the Parish Office. Classes must be attended prior to the Baptism of first child, preferably before the child is born.



PARISH MINISTRIES

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

Medical emergency numbers are

St. Denis/Holy Family/Immaculate Conception,
937-709-4146
St. Louis/St. Nicholas, 937-709-4147
St. Mary, 937-709-4145
St. Remy, 937-526-3437

Call parish office for homebound request.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: We offer opportunities for Eucharistic Adoration. Please see the Activities of the Week section for Adoration times.



Youth

YOUTH and YOUNG ADULT MINISTRIES: The parish conducts weekly events and gatherings for Junior High students and High School teens. The parish also provides Confirmation preparation each year.



Young Adult



MARRIAGES: Couples should contact the Parish Office at least six months before the proposed date of the wedding.

PRAYER INTENTIONS: If you would like to pray our intentions along with your fellow parishioners, or submit a request, please contact the Parish Office.



For more information on ministries, visit our family of parishes website.

BULLETIN DEADLINE: If you would like to submit items to the bulletin, please submit them 10 days prior to the bulletin in which they will appear. All bulletin submissions should be submitted to communications@bfvcatholic.org.

– A Message from Father Andrew Reckers –

WHAT IS THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THEOLOGICAL OPINION AND CHURCH TEACHING?

Our present age of unprecedented access to information requires much discernment to sort out the “wheat” of good and true information from the “weeds” of misinformation. One consequence of this heightened volume of both good and bad information is confusion between official Catholic Church teaching on the one hand and theological opinion on the other. These two are often confused, and this can lead to spiritual and moral problems due to a lack of clarity regarding what the Church teaches about the Faith and morals. To help bring clarity to the subject, I will briefly introduce the difference between doctrine (official Church teaching) and theological opinion.

The key difference between a doctrine and a theological opinion is whether Catholics are required to believe it. Catholics must believe all Catholic Church doctrines, or official teachings, but they are not required to believe theological opinions. It is, of course, important for Catholics to know the difference between what must be believed (doctrines) and what is optional to believe (theological opinions) so that they have clear guidance on how to live as practicing Catholics. As a result, Catholics should have the proper tools to discern the difference between Church doctrine and theological opinion.

What are some basic guidelines for discerning whether a teaching is a Church doctrine or a theological opinion? The source of the teaching is an important starting point. Official Church doctrines come from the official teaching office of the Church, known as the Magisterium. For the sake of simplicity, we can define the Magisterium as the Catholic bishops teaching in union with the Pope. Therefore, only the Catholic Magisterium can define doctrines that must be believed by all the faithful. On the other hand, saints and theologians who are not part of the Magisterium can offer theological opinions, but not doctrines.

Moreover, the Magisterium must promulgate, or make known, a doctrine in such a way that it is recognized as an official teaching rather than a mere theological opinion. This is done, for example, through official magisterial documents. Official Church teachings can also be found in books that summarize them, such as the Catechism of the Catholic Church. Here, however, we must be careful, because not everything written in an official magisterial document is itself a doctrine. Each statement must be read carefully to discern whether it is an official Church teaching or merely a theological opinion.

There are many helpful resources available today to assist in discerning the difference between doctrines and theological opinions. One excellent example is Catholic apologist Jimmy Akin's book *Teaching with Authority: How to Cut Through Doctrinal Confusion and Understand What the Church Really Says*. Another helpful resource is his article, “A Climb Up the Rungs of Doctrinal Authority,” available on the Catholic Answers website. As always, I am happy to help with any specific questions, but I hope this letter and these resources provide a good starting point.

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CANCER PRAYER SERVICE AT THE SHRINE: The Shrine is pleased to be able to offer the St. Peregrine Relic for prayer and veneration. Three times per year, a prayer service is held for those who are on a journey with cancer, whether it be as a patient or as a caregiver. The next service will be held on Sunday, July 12th at 2:00 p.m. in the Shrine's Adoration Chapel. This event is free and open to the public. All who have been affected by cancer are encouraged to attend. For those battling cancer, you can submit your name or a loved one's name for prayer. Please contact Caleb Gaier at c.gaier@mariasteinshrine.org or call 419-925-4532. The Shrine is located at 2291 St. John's Road in Maria Stein. For more event information, visit www.mariasteinshrine.org.

SUMMER DAY WITH THE SAINTS: SUMMER. SUN. SAINTS! This is a fun and educational day for kids to enjoy at the Shrine and learn about the Saints. There will be saint-themed crafts, prayers, activities, and snacks. The same program is offered each day, choose between Monday, August 3rd, Tuesday, August 4th, or Wednesday, August 5th. Cost is \$10.00 per child and runs from 1:00 until 4:00 p.m. in the Shrine Courtyard. This event is for children entering 1st through 6th grades. To register, log onto mariasteinshrine.org. Space is limited.

CELEBRATE YOUR JUBILEE WEDDING ANNIVERSARY WITH ARCHBISHOP CASEY – Couples celebrating Jubilee Anniversaries (25th, 50th, 55th, 60th, etc.) in 2026 are invited to Mass with Archbishop Casey on November 15 (Cincinnati) or November 21 (Dayton). Family members are welcome to attend as well, and a special blessing will be offered for the jubilarian couples. Couples should RSVP online by November 2 at www.catholicaoc.org/goldenjubilee.

MEN INQUIRING ABOUT THE PERMANENT DIACONATE – Any man who may be discerning a possible vocation to serve the Church as a Permanent Deacon should contact Deacon Mark Machuga, Director of the Office of the Diaconate, to discuss the discernment process, prerequisites, and the formation cycle. Deacon Mark can be reached at 513-263-6641 or deaconoffice@catholicaoc.org.

– Saint Denis, Holy Family, Immaculate Conception –

Mass, Confession and Adoration Schedule for the Week of June 14, 2026

Saturday, June 13

- 9:30 a.m. (SD) Confessions (ending at 10:30 a.m.)
3:30 p.m. (SD) Confessions (ending at 4:15 p.m.)
4:30 p.m. Mass (SD) Floyd & Janet Pitsenbarger

Sunday, June 14

- 9:00 a.m. Mass (SD) Sherry Mueller
10:15 a.m. (SD) Confessions (ending at 10:45 a.m.)
11:00 a.m. Mass (SD) Steve Stucke
3:30 p.m. (HF) Confessions (ending at 4:00 p.m.)
4:30 p.m. Mass (HF) Poor Souls in Purgatory

Monday, June 15

- 8:15 a.m. Mass (SD) Gene Kramer, Jerry & Ann Subler,
and Steve Kramer

Tuesday, June 16

- 8:15 a.m. Mass (HF) Kent Barga

Wednesday, June 17

- 8:15 a.m. Mass (SD) Michael & Agnes Voisard
9:00 a.m. (SD) Exposition
9:00 a.m. (SD) Adoration
5:00 p.m. (SD) Confessions (ending at 6:30 p.m.)
6:05 p.m. (SD) Benediction
7:00 p.m. (HF) Rosary

Thursday, June 18

- 11:30 a.m. Mass (SD) David & Ruth Kremer, Mary Barga,
Cyril Pottkotter, Patricia Pottkotter, and
Jerry May
12:15 p.m. (SD) Confessions (ending at 1:00 p.m.)

Friday, June 19

- 7:10 a.m. Mass (SD) Barbara Monnin

Saturday, June 20

- 9:30 a.m. (SD) Confessions – CANCELLED**
3:30 p.m. (SD) Confessions (ending at 4:15 p.m.)
4:30 p.m. Mass (SD) Leona Monnin

Sunday, June 21

- 9:00 a.m. Mass (SD) Jerry Wilker
10:15 a.m. (SD) Confessions (ending at 10:45 a.m.)
11:00 a.m. Mass (SD) Stan Schlater
3:30 p.m. (HF) Confessions (ending at 4:00 p.m.)
4:30 p.m. Mass (HF) Rosie Pierron

All Masses at St. Denis are ad orientem except Friday morning and Saturday Vigil Masses. Posture subject to change. All Masses at Holy Family are versus populum, except Mass in Latin on 1st Friday.

HAVE YOU MOVED? HAVE YOU CANCELLED YOUR LAND LINE AND NOW USE CELL PHONE? Help us keep our records up-to-date!! Please call the parish office at 937-526-4945 if you have moved or if your child has moved out of the house.

– Events/News –

PREPLANNING A FUNERAL MASS: We have a Bereavement Ministry at St. Denis that is more than willing to help you through the process of preplanning a funeral Mass. We are able to help with choosing the appropriate readings and songs. We can answer most of your questions and help guide you with regards to Catholic church guidelines. Preplanning a funeral can be done at any stage in your life and be updated or changes made at any time. If you have thought about or would like more information, call the parish office or contact any bereavement committee member.

The Bereavement Ministry members include Cyndi Bey at 937-526-3313 (or 937-423-3433), Judie Stauffer at 937-621-1469, Jean Buxton at 937-467-1661, Joyce Liette at 937-564-0230.

STARTING JULY 1ST:

Wednesday

- NO ADORATION AT ST. DENIS (moving to Thursday)
- Mass at 11:30 a.m. and Confessions at 12:15 p.m. until 1:00 p.m.

Thursday

- ADORATION AT ST. DENIS
- Mass at 8:15 a.m., followed with Adoration. Confessions at 6:00 p.m. until 6:45 p.m. and Benediction will follow at 7:00 p.m. If you are currently an adorer and cannot be present at Adoration on Thursdays, PLEASE FIND A REPLACEMENT AND CALL THE OFFICE SO THE SCHEDULE CAN BE UPDATED. If you cannot find a replacement, please call the office. We need 2 adorers at all times during Adoration.

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR NEWEST CATHOLICS RECENTLY BAPTIZED AT HOLY FAMILY OR ST. DENIS CHURCH!

Lydia Diana

Daughter of Ethan & Emily
(Bohman) Bruns

Charlotte Marie

Daughter of Ethan & Claire
(Langenkamp) Fischer

Russell James

Son of Evan & Lisa
(Luttmer) Philipot



– Ministry Schedule –

Available for viewing on our website nwv.church or scan the QR code

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– Saint Louis & Saint Nicholas –

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Monday, June 15

No Mass

Tuesday, June 16

8:30 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration (SL)
(ending at 5:45 p.m.)

6:15 p.m. Mass (SL) Renee Bergman

Wednesday, June 17

8:15 a.m. Mass (SN) Hubert Magoteaux, Jr.

4:15 p.m. Confessions (SN) (ending at 4:45 p.m.)

Thursday, June 18

8:15 a.m. Mass (SL) Dr. Michael Griffith

5:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration (SN)
(ending at 9:00 p.m.)

7:30 p.m. Confessions (SN) (ending at 8:30 p.m.)

8:45 p.m. Benediction (SN)

Friday, June 19

11:30 a.m. Mass (SN) Post & Dirksen Family &
Kathryn Winner

Saturday, June 20

4:00 p.m. Mass (SN) Our Family of Parishes

Sunday, June 21

7:30-8:15 a.m. Confessions (SL)

8:30 a.m. Mass (SL) Herbert Huber, Ado &
Marie Langenkamp &
Deb Langenkamp Richie,
John Ronnebaum

10:30 a.m. Mass (SN) Harold Bohman,
Angela Knapke & Joan Schmidt

7:00 p.m. Solemn Vespers (SL)

*Weekday Masses and the 10:30 a.m. Sunday Mass will be
ad orientem (a.o.), Sunday Vigil and the 8:30 a.m. Sunday
Masses will be versus populum (v.p.).*

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR THE TRAVELING VOCATIONS
CHALICE.** To sign up, go to www.nwv.church. Click on Parishes,
click on your parish name, click on Schedules, then click on
"Vocations Chalice Registration." Receiving the chalice to
display in their homes the week of June 7-21: Chad & Sara
Kelch & Paul & Kayla Borchers.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 24: There will not be Confessions from
4:15-4:45 p.m.

– Events/News –

BAPTISM & BEYOND CLASS will be held on Monday, June
15 at 7:00 p.m. in the St. Nicholas Church basement. All
couples are to attend before Baptism. Call 419-582-2531 to
register.

WEEKEND MASS AND CONFESSION TIMES will
switch beginning July 4/5 and run through the end of
the year.

Mass:

- Saturday 4:00 p.m. – St. Louis, North Star
- Sunday 8:30 a.m. – St. Nicholas, Osgood
- Sunday 10:30 a.m. – St. Louis, North Star

Confessions:

- Saturday 3:00-3:45 p.m. – St. Louis, North Star
- Sunday 7:30-8:15 a.m. – St. Nicholas, Osgood

CCD NEWS

CCD WILL BEGIN IN SEPTEMBER. If your child is new
to the CCD program, please notify the office at stlouis.stnicholasoffice@gmail.com or 419-582-2531.

ROSARY LEADERS: St. Louis is preparing the Rosary leader
schedule for Summer/Fall 2026. Please call the parish office
at 419-582-2531 if you would like to help with this beautiful
ministry. You can request a Mass day/time or how often you
could lead, such as once a month, or be a substitute. Prayer
cards and leader papers are provided.

MEN VOLUNTEERS NEEDED for setting up before funeral
luncheons and tearing down after at Osgood Community
Veterans Center. If able to help, please call or text Mary
Bohman at 937-623-0045. Thank you!

SOLEMN VESPERS: St. Louis will be having Solemn Vespers
(Evening Prayer) every Sunday at 7:00 p.m.

THE CATHOLIC FAITH ON DEMAND: Get thousands
of movies, programs, audio and books. To register, go to
nsoregion.formed.org and sign up.

PRAYER CHAIN: If you have someone to put on the
prayer chain, call the office or call Marianne Brunswick at
937-467-9639.



ST. LOUIS

– Ministry Schedule –

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ST. NICHOLAS

– Saint Mary –

Mass, Confession and Adoration Schedule for the Week of June 14, 2026

Saturday, June 13

- 3:30 p.m. Confessions
- 4:30 p.m. Mass – Dorothy Randall

Sunday, June 14

- 8:00 a.m. Confessions
- 8:30 a.m. Mass – Darlene Grubb
- 9:45-10:15 a.m. Confessions
- 10:30 a.m. Mass – Living & Deceased Members of the Tom & Henrietta Winner Family
- 11:30 a.m. Parish Luncheon - Picnic Style Potluck

Monday, June 15

- 4:45 p.m. Confessions
- 5:30 p.m. Mass – Wilma Lee Davidson

Tuesday, June 16

Office Closed – No Mass

- 9:30 a.m. Adult Study

Wednesday, June 17

- 8:00 a.m. Mass – Jeanie Hawley
- 8:30 a.m. Exposition/Adoration
- 6:00 p.m. **No Confessions**
- 6:45 p.m. Benediction

Thursday, June 18

- 11:30 a.m. Mass – Ruth Schieltz
- 12:00 p.m. Fatima Rosary

Friday, June 19

- 8:00 a.m. Mass – Virginia Tangeman

Saturday, June 20 – Food for the Poor Here

- 3:30 p.m. Confessions
- 4:30 p.m. Mass – Bettie Hendl

Sunday, June 21 – Food for the Poor Here

- 8:00 a.m. Confessions
- 8:30 a.m. Mass – Jerry Koverman
- 9:45-10:15 a.m. Confessions
- 10:30 a.m. Mass – Chris Detling

**Ad Orientem Masses are Fridays and Sundays*

THE GATHERING: Join us on the 2nd Sunday of each month for lunch and a gathering after Mass. Bring a dish to share and a drink. Bring food to the school basement before 9:45 a.m. and plug in, if needed. Gathering people together for good food and good conversations.

BAPTISM PREPARATION: Monthly Baptism Preparation Class: This is for new parents who have not previously had any children baptized. Facilitators are Steven & Chelsea Jones. Please call the office at 937-548-1616 to schedule your class.

– Events/News –

TRAVELING VOCATIONS CHALICE: Pray for vocations in our family of parishes by signing up to take the chalice case home for two weeks. Visit www.nwv.church, click on St. Mary's Parish, then scroll down to the Vocations Chalice button and click on it. Then, enter your name and phone number for the two-week period that you'd like to have it.

ADORATION: Please consider committing to an hour of Adoration with Jesus each Wednesday after Mass, from 8:00 a.m. until 6:45 p.m. We need to have at least two people each hour. If you can help, please call the office at 937-548-1616 and speak with Barb. It is suggested that Eucharistic Ministers of Holy Communion take an hour each week.

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL: Nova Vazquez, Christian McDowell, Brenda Batty, Rick Macias, Angie Ayyette, Jim Grilliot, Ed Swisher, Mary Ann Simon, Jamey Simon, Rick Evans, Gloria Evans, Brenda Smith, Nicole Asher, Richard Winemiller, Regina Schieltz, Alicia Crandall, Melissa Dunker, Traci Smith, Brenda McCoy, Ray Beyke, Steve Brandt, Lester McCullough, Diana Knick, Lena Stammen, Elijah Moore, Tyler Roberts, Craig Beck, Nanette Keiser, Brenda Sloane, Ken Pence, Ed Trittschuh, Stephanie Ward, Marie Tegtmeier, Tom Gibbons, Steve Warren, Linda Stachler, Tom & Rita McElDowney. Please call the office to add or remove a loved one's name.

REGULAR AND ONLINE GIVING: The online giving link is <http://giving.parishsoft.com/stmary>. This is a convenient way to donate to the parish. You can establish a user account for one-time or scheduled giving. If you do not already have an assigned envelope number and would like envelopes, please call the office. There are extra boxes of envelopes in the church office. You can still put donations right into the collection basket, mail them in or use the BillPay function at your local bank. Thank you for being so supportive of St. Mary's Church.



PARISH COMMUNICATIONS: FLOCKNOTE: Want to receive important parish information and updates? Flocknote is one of our primary means of communication, so if you aren't signed up, please do so! Visit <https://StMarysCatholicChurch55.flocknote.com> to register. Be sure your email address and cell number are correct when entering. You will receive information about Mass time changes or cancellations of events. Download the app on your phone. Go to the website: www.nwv.church for all info for our family of parishes.

– Ministry Schedule –

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– Saint Mary School –



WE ARE NOW REGISTERING FOR THE 2026-2027 SCHOOL YEAR! We are currently registering students for the upcoming school year for PRESCHOOL THROUGH 8TH GRADE! Yes! There are still openings available!!! You can contact the office at 548-2345, email us at info@smsgvl.com, or scan the QR code! We look forward to meeting you!

SGO! (SCHOLARSHIP GRANTING ORGANIZATION) Do you pay Ohio Income Tax? Would you like to direct your tax money to Catholic education? There is a program called Scholarship Granting Organization (SGO) where you can donate through the archdiocese and select St. Mary's School (Greenville) (CO1885) as your designated school. By donating this way, you can receive an Ohio tax credit of up to \$750.00 individual or \$1,500.00 joint filing. To donate, visit catholicbestchoice.org/sgo/. When you make your donation, REMEMBER TO DESIGNATE ST. MARY'S SCHOOL (GREENVILLE) (CO1885). Scan the QR code for more information.



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SCRIP PROGRAM! Here's how you can get started supporting St. Mary's School with RaiseRight (SCRIP program) today:



1. Use the QR code to join St. Mary's Catholic School program. Or visit RaiseRight.com/Enroll and enter 534D73C68972 to join.
2. Create your secure RaiseRight account in just a few steps.
3. Buy gift cards or shop online at hundreds of brands offering earnings. Many physical gift cards are reloadable, so you can instantly add more money in your RaiseRight Wallet to keep using them.
4. Dine at local restaurants and earn 5% back when you use a linked credit or debit card as payment. With 20,000 participating locations nationwide, you can earn while dining near home and traveling!
5. Download the RaiseRight mobile app (available for iOS and Android devices) so you can buy gift cards instantly from your phone. Your eGift card purchases are available in your RaiseRight Wallet and can be scanned from your phone during checkout while shopping.

One of the fastest ways to get into the habit of earning is to use gift cards for groceries and gas each week! Search for your favorite brands or browse the categories. Contact Amy Hadden at ahadden@smsgvl.com or call 937-548-2345 if you have any questions along the way! Thank you for your support!!

GIVING BACK! Did you know that you could also give back to the school (at NO COST to you!) by linking your KROGER card? Just follow the steps below and then each time you shop at Kroger, a portion of what you spend goes to the school! Go to Kroger's account online.

1. Select "My Account,"
2. Select "Community Rewards," search for "StMary's Parish-School" or #TT245,
3. Select "ENROLL." THANK YOU!

BUS DRIVERS NEEDED! Greenville City Schools are looking to hire school bus drivers! If you are interested, please contact the Greenville Schools office.

CRAZY 8 WINNERS! The winners for the month of May are: \$100.00 – Sharon Warner; \$125.00 – Coleen Ayyette; \$250.00 – Susan Kreusch. CONGRATULATIONS!!! This was the last drawing for this school year! Be sure to purchase CRAZY 8 TICKETS for this next school year starting at the end of August! Tickets are \$25.00 and all tickets are in EVERY month's drawing (even if they are drawn)! Our first drawing will take place in October! Thank you for your support of our school!

– Saint Remy –

Mass, Confession and Adoration Schedule for the Week of June 14, 2026

Saturday, June 13

Wedding: Rachel Hoying & Adam Ketner

3:30 p.m. Confession (ending at 4:15 p.m.)

4:30 p.m. Living & Deceased Members of the Bob
(Birthday) & Sally Tebbe Family

Sunday, June 14

8:00 a.m. Confession (ending at 8:45 a.m.)

9:00 a.m. Our Family of Parishes

11:00 a.m. Carol Bell, Rosie Monnin, and Living &
Deceased Members of the Floyd &
Frieda Monnin Family

Wednesday, June 17

11:15 a.m. Ron Francis (Birthday) & the Glen &
Melva Francis Family

Thursday, June 18

8:15 a.m. Vocations/Tom Litmer

9:00 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration

3:00 p.m. Confession (ending at 4:00 p.m.)

7:00 p.m. Confession (ending at 8:20 p.m.)

8:30 p.m. Benediction

Friday, June 19

8:15 a.m. Celebrant's Intention

Saturday, June 20

3:30 p.m. Confession (ending at 4:15 p.m.)

4:30 p.m. Living & Deceased Members of the
August & Frieda Cordonnier Family

Sunday, June 21

8:00 a.m. Confession (ending at 8:45 a.m.)

9:00 a.m. Bill Francis

11:00 a.m. Scott Monnin

CEMETERY NOTICE: Now that we have entered the mowing season, we ask that those who have items placed in the grass around the gravestones in the cemetery remove them to make our maintenance crew's job a bit easier. In addition, before you decorate with headstone saddle bouquets that clip to the top of the stones, it is recommended that you attach the name that appears on the gravestone to your flowers. These bouquets frequently blow off when we experience heavy winds, and it's impossible to tell where they belong if they are not marked. Our maintenance staff is happy to reattach them if the name is included.

OUR NEWLY TRAINED 5TH GRADERS WILL BE SERVING AT HOLY MASS ON WEEKDAYS. Serving on June 17 at 11:15 a.m., on June 18 at 8:15 a.m., and on June 19 at 8:15 a.m. are Cooper Muhlenkamp, Jude Schulze, and Hans Slonkosky.

– Events/News –

ST. REMY CHURCH IS PUTTING TOGETHER A NEW CHURCH DIRECTORY. Five years have passed, so it is time. The photography dates are this July 14-18 and October 20-24. We need volunteers to help with this project. Please contact Maria Hoehne in the parish office if you are willing to help sign families up for photo sessions, greet and sign in families on photography day, and update our database. Sign-ups will begin soon in the back of church and through Flocknote emails with an online sign-up option.

RELIGION TEACHERS ARE NEEDED FOR THE 2026-2027 SCHOOL YEAR. Would you like to help make our children's spiritual academic year a success? We need teachers for the following grades:

- First Grade on Wednesdays from 12:00-1:00 p.m. (one teacher needed)
- Sixth Grade on Wednesdays from 2:10-3:10 p.m. (one teacher needed)
- Seventh Grade on Wednesdays from 7:00-8:00 p.m. (two teachers needed)

If you have any questions, please contact Samantha Hightower at the parish office at 937-526-3437 or shightower@nwv.church.



ST. REMY KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS would like to thank everyone who supported their fundraiser breakfast recently. Because of your support, the Knights were able to donate \$1,691.66 to Elizabeth's New Life Center. In addition, they made a donation to Sleep in Heavenly Peace, an organization that builds beds for children in need in Dayton. They are also sponsoring

two children from Haiti with the proceeds from the breakfast. With just a few hours of work at their breakfast, the Knights were able to provide these generous donations. With more members, they could do so much more! If you are a man who is at least 18 years old and would like to learn more about their charitable work and their goals of supporting our parish, please contact Kurtis Black at 937-570-6070.

WE ARE IN NEED OF USHERS FOR THE 9:00 A.M. AND 11:00 A.M. MASSES. Ushers are asked to volunteer for one month at a time four times per year and can trade with other ushers if necessary. Please contact Maria at the parish office for more information.



– Ministry Schedule –

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- Saint Louis & Saint Nicholas -



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- **ST. LOUIS:** www.flocknote.com/stlouisnorthstar
- **ST. NICHOLAS:** www.flocknote.com/stnicholaschurch45351

– Saint Remy –

WE WOULD LIKE TO WELCOME SEMINARIAN ALEX BREWER to St. Remy's staff this summer. Alex just finished his first year in seminary and is a member of St. Louis Church, North Star. He will be assisting Fr. Reutter with clerical work, youth ministry, and training the new servers. Welcome, Alex!



SAINT JOHN FRANCIS REGIS

Saint of the Day: June 16

Patron Saint of Lacemakers, Embroiderers, and Medical Social Workers

Born into a family of some wealth, John Francis Regis was so impressed by his Jesuit educators that he himself wished to enter the Society of Jesus. He did so at age 18. Despite his rigorous academic schedule, he spent many hours in chapel, often to the dismay of fellow seminarians who were concerned about his health. Following his ordination to the priesthood, John Francis undertook missionary work in various French towns.

While the formal sermons of the day tended toward the poetic, his discourses were plain. But they revealed the fervor within him and attracted people of all classes. Father Regis especially made himself available to the poor. Many mornings were spent in the confessional or at the altar celebrating Mass; afternoons were reserved for visits to prisons and hospitals.

Various forms of Protestantism were thriving in some cases while a general indifference toward religion was evident in other instances. For three years, Father Regis traveled throughout the diocese,

conducting missions in advance of a visit by the bishop. He succeeded in converting many people and in bringing many others back to religious observances.

The last four years of John Francis Regis' life were spent preaching and organizing social services, especially for prisoners, the sick and the poor. In the autumn of 1640, Father Regis sensed that his days were coming to a conclusion. He settled some of his affairs and prepared for the end by continuing to do what he did so well: speaking to the people about the God who loved them. On December 31, he spent most of the day with his eyes on the crucifix. That evening, he died. His final words were: "Into thy hands I commend my spirit."

John Francis Regis was canonized in 1737.

Read the full article: "Saint John Francis Regis" Franciscan Media, Franciscan Friars, <https://www.franciscanmedia.org/saint-of-the-day/saint-john-francis-regis/> (Accessed May 15, 2026).

WEEKLY SCRIPTURE

Sunday, June 14, 2026

11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Exodus 19:2-6a
Psalm 100:1-2, 3, 5
Romans 5:6-11
Matthew 9:36-10:8

Monday, June 15, 2026

Weekday
1 Kings 21:1-16
Psalm 5:2-3ab, 4b-6a, 6b-7
Matthew 5:38-42

Tuesday, June 16, 2026

Weekday
1 Kings 21:17-29
Psalm 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 11 and 16
Matthew 5:43-48

Wednesday, June 17, 2026

Weekday
2 Kings 2:1, 6-14
Psalm 31:20, 21, 24
Matthew 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday, June 18, 2026

Weekday
Sirach 48:1-14
Psalm 97:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7
Matthew 6:7-15

Friday, June 19, 2026

Weekday
2 Kings 11:1-4, 9-18, 20
Psalm 132:11, 12, 13-14, 17-18
Matthew 6:19-23

Saturday, June 20, 2026

Weekday
2 Chronicles 24:17-25
Psalm 89:4-5, 29-30, 31-32, 33-34
Matthew 6:24-34

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