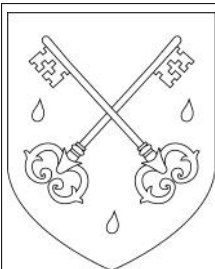


# HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH



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Holy Family Catholic Church is a parish of the Archdiocese of Cincinnati entrusted to the Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass & all the Sacraments are celebrated according to the Traditional Roman Rite of 1962. We are blessed to have a wonderful Schola/Choir who know Gregorian chant. If you wish to learn chant please contact:

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## Sacrament of Penance

Sun. Sat. & Fri. : 30 minutes before Mass,  
First Sat During the Holy Hour which begins at 8AM  
Any time by appointment

**Baptisms, Matrimony, Sick Call** : contact the rectory

## Mass Intentions for the Week

Sep 15 Sunday 8:00 AM 10:30 AM	<b>Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost</b> Comm. Seven Sorrows of the Blessed Virgin Mary Luke Schmitmeyer + <i>Pro Populo</i>
Sep 16 Monday **7:00PM**	<b>Ss. Cornelius, Pope, and Cyprian, Martyrs</b> Dorothy Sprauer +
Sep 17 Tuesday 7:15AM	<b>Feria- Mass—Stigmata of St. Francis</b> Joseph Staggenborg +
Sep 18 Wednesday 7:15AM	<b>Ember Wednesday</b> Comm. <b>St Joseph Cupertino</b> Marlene Liekhus +
Sep 19 Thursday 7:15AM	<b>St. Januarius, Bishop, &amp; Companions, Martyrs</b> Dorothy Stevens +
Sep 20 Friday **7:00PM**	<b>Ember Friday</b> Robert and Amber Ecenbarger
Sep 21 Saturday 9:00AM	<b>St. Matthew, Apostle &amp; Evangelist</b> Comm. Ember Saturday Donna Jackson +
Sep 22 8:00AM 10:30AM	<b>Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost</b> <i>Pro Populo</i> William Germann

## Mass Schedule

<b>Sundays</b>	( <i>Low Mass</i> )	<b>8:00 AM</b>
	( <i>High Mass</i> )	<b>10:30 AM</b>
<b>Monday and Friday</b>		<b>7:00 PM</b>
<b>Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday</b>		<b>7:15 AM</b>
<b>Saturday</b>		<b>9:00 AM</b>
<b>Holy Days and National Holidays—check bulletin</b>		

## The Fourteenth Sunday After Pentecost

In today's Gospel, our Lord reminds us that we cannot serve two masters. We cannot serve God and mammon (the pleasures of this earth). Each one of us must make a decision. Do we prefer temporary earthly pleasures that cannot bring us a true and lasting happiness or will we live our lives for the eternal joy of heaven, that which alone can be our true and lasting happiness? Our thoughts, actions and the fruits of those actions which St. Paul mentions in the epistle, reveal which choice we have made. Are we living for Christ or for ourselves? Let us recall that if we live for ourselves we fall by default into the hands of the devil who is much stronger than us. If we turn our backs on an all Good God we will find evil, the absence of good, and be under the devil's dominion. Why would anyone do that? Let us therefore live for God! St Therese, the Little Flower, suffered much but was still joyful because she knew "the earth's my ship, NOT my home" and lived accordingly. Let us serve God as she did so we too may enjoy His face as she does now—forever!

## SEVEN SORROWS OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY



The Feast of Our Lady of Sorrows dates back to the twelfth century. Since at least that time, Catholics have recognized seven events in the life of Mary that caused her great sorrow. That is why the image of Mary as Our Lady of Sorrows often shows her with seven swords piercing her Immaculate Heart. The swords represent her grievous sorrows. Known as the Seven Dolours of Mary, these sorrows are:

The prophecy of Simeon (Luke 2:25-35)

The flight into Egypt (Matthew 2:13-15)

Loss of the Child Jesus in the temple (Luke 2:41-50)

Mary meets Jesus on his way to Calvary (Luke 23:27-31; John 19:17)

Crucifixion and Death of Jesus (John 19:25-30)

The body of Jesus removed from the Cross (Psalm 130; Luke 23:50-54; John 19:31-37)

The burial of Jesus (Isaiah 53:8; Luke 23:50-56; John 19:38-42; Mark 15:40-47)

That's a lot for one woman to endure in a lifetime!

Yet, Mary wasn't just another woman; she was the woman chosen by God to bear his Son. With that great joy and responsibility also came great sorrow. Along with her great joy and sorrow came great love – for each one of us as her children. This is what our Lord asked of her as He hung dying on the Cross – to become Mother to all mankind. Love is what gave her the courage to accept Simeon's prophecy. Love is what gave her the strength to embrace each sword as it pierced her. Love is what urged here to accept her Son's dying request. Love is what compels her to continue caring for us tenderly, limitlessly, and faithfully.



**Taylorville Metro Park, Vandalia from 12-4!**

**Parish Picnic Volunteer Sign Up**

Please check out the volunteer sheets near the entrances of the Church. Please let us know if you can help. Last years picnic was a fun time for all who attended! This year we will hold the picnic closer to "home", just 15 minutes away in Vandalia. Please let us know you can help and that you are going to be there!! Look for map/directions next Sunday at the entrances of the church.

**HAPPENINGS OUTSIDE THE PARISH**

**"I WAS IN PRISON AND YOU VISITED ME"**

**THIS Tues. SEPT. 17TH—Holy Angels Church—7-9 PM.** Want to encounter Christ behind bars? Want to learn more about one of the most overlooked Works of Mercy?

Marty Arlinghaus, Dir. Of Prison Ministry, will talk about how you can help in this ministry by serving Christ in our incarcerated brothers and sisters. Though most people think of prison escape movies, true Christians are marked by their desire to GO INTO prison! You might be intrigued by this ministry, be scared of it or have never considered it before or may downright be repulsed by the thought. But here's your chance to explore it! Christ was in prison—He still is there!

**HERITAGE DAY CELEBRATION- MARIA STEIN**

**NEXT SUNDAY -SEPTEMBER 22 FROM 1-5PM**

This is a FREE family friendly event held annually at the Maria Stein Shrine of the Holy Relics. Proceeds support the operating costs of the Shrine. If you haven't visited the Shrine and the MANY, MANY authentic relics in our area you need to go! If you already have then you know it is worth another visit! To view the complete schedule of events, purchase raffle, chicken dinner or T-Shirt

tickets and/or get directions go to:  
[www.mariasteinshrine.org/heritageday](http://www.mariasteinshrine.org/heritageday)

**LIFECHAIN OCTOBER 6TH -2-2:30 PM**

Join hundreds of Dayton area Christians from many local churches as we take to the streets to peacefully, prayerfully and effectively demonstrate our love and concern for the victims of abortion - the babies, the mothers, the fathers and society as a whole! Holy Family will again be on East Stroop Rd between Royal Oak Dr. and Marricarr Dr. The "Abortion Kills Children" signs will be provided.

**15TH ANNUAL FAMILY ROSARY RALLY**

**SUNDAY OCT. 13TH AT IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH, 2300 S. SMITHVILLE RD.**

**PRELUDE MUSIC BEGINS AT 2PM FOLLOWED BY ADORATION, ROSARY, BENEDICTION!**

**THIS WILL ALSO BE THE 102ND ANNIVERSARY OF THE MIRACLE OF THE SUN!!**

**Holy Family Finances for Sept. 8th**

Offertory/ Donations	=	\$7,826.25
Weekly Budget	=	<u>\$4,153.00</u>
Difference	=	+ \$3,673.25

***Thank you for your generosity!***