

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

Mar 15 Sunday 8:00 AM 10:30 AM	Third Sunday of Lent Charles Gabet Family <i>Pro Populo</i>
Mar 16 Monday **7:00PM**	Feria of Lent John + and Kathleen Blake
Mar 17 Tuesday 7:15AM	Feria of Lent Commemoration of the Feast of St. Patrick Rose Ryan + (Anniversary)
Mar 18 Wednesday 7:15AM	Feria of Lent Terry Reaver +
Mar 19 Thursday 7PM	St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary *****HIGH MASS AT 7PM***** (NO MORNING MASS) In Thanksgiving to Saint Joseph
Mar 20 Friday **6:40PM**	Feria of Lent Stations of the Cross 6:00PM Father Charles Caserta +
Mar 21 Saturday 9:00AM	Feria of Lent Ellen Baird +
Mar 22 Sunday 8:00AM 10:30AM	Fourth Sunday of Lent (Laetare Sunday) Elaina Lombao + <i>Pro Populo</i>

Mass Schedule

Sundays	(Low Mass)	8:00 AM
	(High Mass)	10:30 AM
Monday		7:00 PM
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday		7:15 AM
Fridays of Lent (after 6PM Stations)		6:45 PM
Saturday		9:00 AM

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

LENT HAS INDEED ARRIVED! Who would have believed three and a half weeks ago on Ash Wednesday that not even half way into Lent the world would be in the middle of a pandemic? March Madness would turn into March Sadness as for the first time ever the Dayton Flyers had a good chance of winning the NCAA title! And who would ever believe a tournament that brought in over \$933 million for the NCAA alone last year would actually be cancelled?! Evidently someone was supposed to give up March Madness for Lent and didn't! We mentioned that God certainly gets His pound of flesh! Let us recall that this is indeed a time of penance. We find it no small coincidence that the virus began in China during a time when the Red Dragon was trying to devour the Church! Catholic churches torn down or denuded of their crosses and statues. Images of the Madonna and Child replaced with pictures of "People's Leader" Xi Jinping. Signs posted outside churches forbidding anyone under the age of 18 from entering. The Ten Commandments painted over with quotes from Xi. The Vatican made a pact with China to recognize Bishops who swore allegiance to the Communist Party while the underground Church is now more than ever in danger of being destroyed. Is it just a coincidence Italy has been hit so hard with coronavirus too? But what about us here in Dayton? Last year we saw all the chaos once the city voted to exert pressure on the hospitals to give patient transfer agreements to the late term abortionist Haskell to keep the killing going. The KKK came to town but in the group of protestors was the man who killed nine people in the Oregon District massacre! No angels here! Then just a few weeks later a man just out of prison steals a police cruiser and rams it into a minivan killing two beautiful 8 year old Catholic girls. Just as we saw Martin Haskell losing his last chance with the Ohio Supreme Court the Ohio Board of Health grants a variance to keep the abortion clinic open!? The Governor, who ran as a pro life candidate and the director he appointed are seen concerned about deaths of Ohioans by the coronavirus yet 50 unborn babies are allowed by the state to be killed each week at the Kettering abortion clinic that this time last year was itself on life support. Is it any wonder we are now suffering this Pandemic? Have we even come close to offering penance for what goes on in our country, state and city? How bad will it have to get? We almost found out on Friday when the Bishops restricted gatherings over 100 people with the exception of liturgical events. Holy water fonts are empty not for penance but to help stop the spread of the virus. Restrictions on holding hands for the Our Father and from offering the Precious Blood were made but then we read the restriction of receiving on the tongue! Ouch! It seemed even Our Lord would be taken from us! Again what a penance. But fortunately the Archbishop granted us the ok to receive on the tongue since we had no option that very night!. Deo Gratias!

Let us therefore increase our penances and our prayers and devotions to God! Who knows but like Nineveh God will hear us and deliver us from the death we as a culture rightly deserve. Can we do more this Lent? Lord have mercy on us!

Letter from Fr. Komorowski Superior General

Fr. Komorowski, Superior General of the FSSP, has informed us that the coronavirus has been confirmed at the Wigratzbad, Germany, Seminary which is now quarantined. Please pray for the seminarians and priests there! He also sends his prayers to all the apostolates during these trying times and asks us to pray the prayer from the Roman Rituale after all the Masses “*Prayer in Times of Epidemics*”. For those who cannot attend Mass he recommends viewing the Mass at livemass.net.



St. Joseph Spouse of the Blessed

Virgin Mary—
High Mass Mar 19!

This Thursday is the Feast of St. Joseph Spouse of the Blessed Mother. Besides being the Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary he also bears the important titles of

St. Joseph the Worker, Protector of Holy Church and the Patron of a Happy Death. The entire month of March is dedicated to St. Joseph. It is traditional to PRAY THE LITANY OF ST. JOSEPH after the family rosary. “*It ad Joseph*” is the Latin inscription over our St. Joseph side altar. It means “Go to St. Joseph” ! St. Joseph—Pray for us!

Happy St. Patrick’s Day—
March 17th!

May your blessings outnumber

*The shamrocks that grow,
And may trouble avoid you
Wherever you go!*

Go mbeannai Dia duit!
(May God Bless you!)



CANCELLATIONS

In accordance with the restrictions of civil and Church Authorities to limit the spread of the coronavirus the following will be canceled until further notice:

Potlucks, coffee & donuts, first communion classes play practices and any non-liturgical meetings of 100 or more people in order to curtail the spread of the virus.

Please pray for all those suffering and dying and also for a cure or remedy for this pandemic!

PRIMARY ELECTION THIS TUESDAY!

Do you know who the candidates are and what they stand for? The United States Council of Bishops again stated that the Right to life is the first and most fundamental principle of human rights. The bishops pledged to affirm the intrinsic value of human life and the dignity of every human being in a way that transforms the culture. www.daytonrighttolife.org

provides a list of candidates who have answered their survey and committed to be prolife. Check it out!

AN ELECTION PRAYER TO MARY

(DON’T READ IT - PRAY IT!)

O Most Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of Mercy, at this most critical time, we entrust the United States of America to your loving care.

O Most Holy Mother, we beg you to reclaim this land for the glory of your Son. Overwhelmed with the burden of the sins of our nation we cry to you from the depths of our hearts and seek refuge in your motherly protection.

Look down with mercy upon us and touch the hearts of our people. Open our minds to the great worth of human life and to the responsibilities that accompany human freedom.

Free us from the falsehoods that lead to the evil of abortion and threaten the sanctity of family life. Grant our country the wisdom to proclaim that God’s law is the foundation on which this country was founded and that He alone is the true source of our cherished rights to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. Amen!

(Just a reminder DO NOT PLACE ANYTHING NEAR THE ENTRANCES OF THE CHURCH WITHOUT THE EXPRESS PERMISSION OF THE PASTOR WHO ALONE IS RESPONSIBLE TO MAKE SURE ITEMS ARE IN LINE WITH THE TEACHING OF THE CHURCH. ITEMS PLACED WITHOUT PERMISSION WILL BE DISCARDED.)