



SAINT BARBARA CATHOLIC CHURCH

April 5, 2020

Palm Sunday of the Passion of The Lord

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SCHEDULE OF MASSES:

SATURDAY - 4:30 pm. - **SUNDAY** - 8:00 am, 10:30 am
HOLYDAY VIGIL - 7:00 pm - **HOLYDAY** - 9:00 am and 7:00 pm
WEEKDAY - Monday, Tuesday, Friday 9:00 am - Wednesday, 8:20 am
SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION - **SATURDAY** - 3:30 pm

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday
8:30 am - 4:30 pm

BINGO: Wednesdays at 6:30 pm (PLC)

BAPTISM

Mandatory Baptism Preparation Sessions are held *By Appointment*. Baptisms are held the fourth Sunday of the month.

REGISTRATION

New families should register by phone or by coming to the Rectory. Every wage earner should make a real effort to support the parish with Christian generosity.

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)

The RCIA is the ancient and currently renewed process for initiating adults into the Catholic Church. It is for those desiring full membership through Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist. We invite newcomers who are seeking membership to join us! Call the church office for information.

MARRIAGE

Arrange six months in advance.

MINISTRY OF CARE

For visits to shut-ins or the homebound, call:
Tess Simonetti- (330) 832-0597
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Bulletin Submissions

Bulletin submissions are due to the rectory by Tuesday at noon. Inserts should be sent in electronic form whenever possible.

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St. Barbara Parish Mission Statement

We, the Christian Community of Saint Barbara Parish are united in our solid Catholic Faith and tradition. We strive to live out our Baptismal Call through service to our members and God's people.

Through support and education, we shall nurture spiritual growth, at all ages, while promoting a strong foundation for our values and beliefs.

Joyfully, we go forth, through the working of the Holy Spirit, to carry out the Mission of Jesus Christ.

NEWS



144 West Wood Street, Youngstown, OH, 44503
Phone: 330-744-8451 Fax: 330-742-6448
Rev. Monsignor John A. Zuraw, Chancellor

FOR RELEASE: Immediate DATE SENT April 3, 2020

SUBJECT Catholic Bishops of Ohio Extend Suspension of All Publicly Celebrated Masses/Liturgies

MORE INFO: Msgr. John A. Zuraw Chancellor

On April 2, 2020 Governor Mike DeWine extended the executive “Stay at Home Order” to continue to curb the spread of the Coronavirus in the State of Ohio. Out of deep concern for the common good, as well as the physical and spiritual well-being of all the people of Ohio, the Catholic Bishops of Ohio have agreed once again to cooperate with the governor’s direction.

To that end, the Catholic Bishops of Ohio extend the temporary suspension of all publicly celebrated Masses/liturgies at least through and including Sunday May 3, 2020. The Bishops of Ohio dispense the Catholic faithful who reside in their respective dioceses and all other Catholics currently in Ohio from the obligation of attending Sunday Mass during this period.

This decision has not been taken lightly and the Catholic Bishops of Ohio recognize the sacrifice we are called to make by being physically distanced from the Holy Eucharist and from one another.

Trusting in the graces flowing from the celebration of the passion, death and resurrection of Our Lord, we remain mindful of the hope that does not disappoint. The Catholic Bishops of Ohio encourage all to keep holy the Lord’s Day by participating in the Sunday Mass by way of televised, live-streamed, or radio broadcast options. The faithful are encouraged to turn to the Church’s treasury of prayer.

Please pray for all who are suffering from the Coronavirus, for all health care workers and first responders and for an easing of the anxiety and tension caused by this pandemic.

APRIL 5, 2020**PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD****Collection:**

The below numbers reflect monies received in the parish office through Wednesday, April 1, 2020.

Mail-In \$ 4,507.00

Online \$ 1,615.00

Total \$ 6,122.00

Monday - 04/06

Intention - All Souls

Tuesday - 04/07

Intention - Nettie Unklesbay (Phil & Roberta Hoffman)

Wednesday - 04/08

Intention - Susan Gibbons (Stu & Carole McArole)

Thursday - 04/09 - Holy Thursday

Intention - Rev. Edward Wiczorek (Rev. Brian Cline)

Friday - 04/10 - Good Friday - The Passion of the Lord**Saturday - 04/11 - Holy Saturday**

Intention - Fran Bush (Wanda Berens)

Sunday - 04/12 - EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

Intention - People of Our Parish and those suffering from disease

Sanctuary Candle:

This week, it is lit for James Pirrung from Pam Close and the Pirrung Family.

Good Friday collection for the Holy Land

The collection for the Holy Land will be taken up at a later date. Some parishioners have already mailed in their contributions, and those will be held in an account until the diocese reschedules this collection.

OFFERING REMINDERS

If you would like to drop off your offering to the parish, please follow the procedures listed below:

During business hours: Please ring the doorbell and give your donation to a staff member.

After hours: Please put your donation in the mailbox outside the rectory door. The mailbox will be locked for security purposes, but there is a slot at the top that you can drop your envelope in.

Our business hours are Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday 8:30 am – 4:30 pm, closed on Thursday. **The office will be closed on Good Friday and Easter Monday.**

March 29, 2020

My Dear Friends in Christ:

It is heartbreaking to think that we will not be able to gather this year for the sacred celebrations of Holy Week and Easter.

But, Holy Week and Easter will go on. The saving mystery of the Death and Resurrection of our Lord Jesus is our Springtime. His joy and hope are the Paschal Fire that dispels the darkness of sin and the threatening gloom of this pandemic. The saving work of Jesus is beyond the ability of anyone to suspend or alter it. What will change, however, is *how* we celebrate this holy time.

The global mortal danger posed by the coronavirus compels us this year to find a different way to participate in the Rites of Sacred Triduum and Easter Sunday.

The Congregation of Divine Worship of the Holy See has issued guidance to the bishops of those regions of the world afflicted by the Coronavirus, also known as COVID-19, on how to conduct the Holy Week rituals in private.

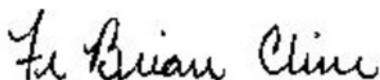
I will celebrate the Triduum on the appointed days at the usual times for the parish; i.e. Mass of the Lord's Supper is to be celebrated in the evening of Holy Thursday; the Good Friday liturgy may be celebrated at any time, preferably at midday; and the Easter Vigil is to be celebrated "after night-fall" (about 8:00 p.m.).

Through the parish website, we will inform you of the times of these liturgies so that all may participate in a spiritual manner, prayerfully uniting through a virtual presence. You will all be able to participate through this broadcast.

As God's People, we will gather spiritually, even if we cannot gather physically. We will recount the Passion of Our Lord, His death, and His burial. And, we will welcome the risen Christ and celebrate the glory of the Resurrection.

As we come together with a deepened hunger for spiritual communion with the death and resurrection of the Lord Jesus, this year's celebration of Holy Week will bring the amazing grace of God's divine mercy. Join me in bringing chastened, humble hearts to the sacred days of Christ's death and Resurrection. He will call us each by name as he did for Mary Magdalene in the garden of the tomb. (Jn. 20.11-18) He will come to us, as he did for the disciples hiding behind doors closed by fear, mercifully extend his pierced hands to us, and say "Peace be with you." (Jn. 20.19-20)

God Bless,



Fr. Brian Cline
Pastor

MASS ON TELEVISION

The parishes of our region have partnered with Massillon Cable Television to broadcast the Holy Week liturgies.

Each service can be viewed on channel 621 on MCTV.

Palm Sunday, April 5th 2020

12:00 p.m. — Mass of Palm Sunday

Celebrated by Fr. Brian Cline & the ministers of St. Barbara Church

Holy Thursday, April 9th 2020

10:00 p.m. — Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper

Celebrated by Fr. Raymond Paul & the ministers of St. Joseph Church

Good Friday, April 10th 2020

8:00 p.m. — Celebration of the Lord's Passion

Celebrated by Fr. Kevin McCaffrey & the ministers of Sts. Philip & James Church

Holy Saturday, April 11th 2020

11:00 p.m. — The Easter Vigil in the Holy Night

Celebrated by Fr. Ed Beneleit and Fr. Tom Bishop & the ministers of Holy Family Parish

Easter Sunday, April 12th 2020

12:00 p.m. — Mass of the Resurrection of the Lord

Celebrated by Fr. Ed Gretchko & the ministers of St. Mary's Parish



In Memoriam Please pray for the repose of the souls of parishioner Carl (Mike) Turkal, beloved husband of Julie, three daughters, eight grandchildren and ten great grandchildren. Granddaughter Olivia Casenheiser is our fourth grade teacher, and for Donald Harwig, formerly of our parish, the stepfather of Scott (Jeanne) Ryder also former parishioners. Eternal light shine upon them, O Lord, and may they rest in peace.

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