

Saint Barbara Catholic Church

2813 Lincoln Way NW, Massillon, OH 44647

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MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY VIGIL - 4:00 pm at St. Joseph

SUNDAY - 8:00 am at St. Mary

11:00 am at St. Barbara

HOLY DAY: See Bulletin

WEEKDAY - Mon., Tues., Wed., Fri. 9:00 am

RECONCILIATION - SATURDAY 3:00 pm at St. Joseph
Other Locations Upon Request

LIVESTREAMING: For those who are homebound or unable to attend Mass, our 11:00 am Mass is now being livestreamed.

Pastor: Very Rev. Canon Matthew 'Maciej' Mankowski, D.Min.
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Children's Faith Formation Amy Davis and Cara Lipinski
Director of Music: Kevin Kutz
Bookkeeper: Dan Bressi
Church Secretary: Nicole Cushman, Mary Kring
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Parish Council Chairperson: Cindy Giltz

Office Hours: Monday, - Friday 8:30 am - 4:30 pm
Closed Thursday

Church Office: Phone: 330-833-6898
Fax: 330-833-5164
Email: office@saintbarbaraparish.com

SAINT BARBARA FOOD PANTRY Distribution is on Thursday, from 6-7 pm
July 21, Aug. 18, and Sept. 15, 2022.

Prayer Circle: Sue Ziegelhofer - 330-832-1992

Infant Baptism - Baptisms are scheduled on an individual basis and may be celebrated during Mass, or privately. Baptism Preparation for parents is required. Please call the Parish Office to make arrangements.

Marriage - Please call the parish office for information. Arrangements must be made at least six (6) months prior to the wedding.

Sick Calls - If your loved one is in the hospital, Nursing Home or homebound and you would like a visit from our pastor, please call the Parish Office.

Adult Baptisms, Confirmation, or Adults Considering Becoming Catholic - Please call the Parish Office. Persons or families, new to the parish may register also by calling the Parish Office.
Vocations - Please contact the parish office about a vocation to the priesthood or consecrated life.

Funerals - Please contact the parish office before scheduling with the funeral director or the announcement is published in the newspaper.

Bulletin News Deadline - Tuesday at noon in writing.



Seventeenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

Welcome!

Are you interested in parish membership at St. Barbara?
If so please call the parish office at 330-833-6898 to register or drop a note in the offering basket with your name and phone and we will give you a call.

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Masses For The Week**Monday - 7/25 - Saint James, Apostle**

9:00 a.m. - Saint Barbara - Mary and Anthony Halter
and Family (Ray and Pat Halter)

Tuesday - 7/26 - Saints Joachim and Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary

9:00 a.m. - Saint Barbara - James Hamel (Dianna Malek)

Wednesday - 7/27

9:00 a.m. - Saint Mary - Don Schott (Family)
AND Rita Sarno (Brother-in-Law)
AND Nick and Nicole Hesson (Godfather)
AND Elaine Sprits (Friend)

Thursday - 7/28

No Mass

Friday - 7/29 - Saint Martha

9:00 a.m. - Saint Joseph - Kathleen Ringley
AND Paul Fabianich, Jr.

Saturday - 7/30 - Saint Peter Chrysologus, Bishop and Doctor

4:00 p.m. - Mass at Saint Joseph - Mickey and Louise Caracillo
AND Louis, Katherine and Pat Limosana

Sunday - 7/31 - EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:00 a.m. - Mass at St. Mary - Chuck Tabellion (Chuck Haubert)
AND David & Joseph Dexter
(Walt & Andrea Peters)
AND Charles Tabellion (Leo and Carol Soehnlen)
AND People of St. Mary, St. Barbara, St. Joseph

11:00 a.m. - Mass at Saint Barbara - Coral Rich
(Mary and Bob Kring)

REMINDER: The month of August, Monday Morning Masses will be at Saint Joseph at 9:00 a.m.

The Sanctuary Candle – is prayerfully lit in memory of Paul Malek from Sister, Dorothy.

Flowers on the Altar – The flowers on the altar are offered for Barbara Nemeth (living) from Mary and Bob Kring.

UPCOMING EVENT: On Sunday, August 7th at 11:00 a.m. we will celebrate with Mass the 155 years of Catholic Education at Saint Barbara School. We would like to have as many of our students available, come to celebrate this Mass with us.

200 CLUB WINNERS

The 200 Club Winners for July 15, 2022 are :
Jim Majors (Ticket #16) - \$100.00 and
Jack and Jill Schott (Ticket #196) - \$100.00

Congratulations! Your ticket will be put back in for more chances to win!

Vocations: "Give us this day our daily bread." Are you being called to help feed the people of God as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life? Call Father Chad Johnson at 330-744-8451 or email: cjohnson@youngstowndiocese.org.

July 16-17, 2022

Weekly Budget	\$ 12,621.00
Needy	\$ 572.00
Reg. Collection	\$ 4,978.69
Mail-in	\$ 5,075.67
On Line	\$ 1,925.00
Total	\$ 11,979.36
	(\$ 641.64)

Mass Attendance: 1,148 - 4:00 - 290; 8:00 - 432; 11:00 - 426

Lectors

11:00 a.m. - 7/31/22 - M. Soehnlen, T. Baumgartner

Sacristans

11:00 a.m. - 7/31/22 - P. Martin

Servers

11:00 a.m. - 7/31/22 - D. Foy, L. Karam, G. Sirgo

ALTAR FLOWERS AND MASS INTENTIONS

There are openings for Altar Flowers for August 28th and a few others. There are also Mass Intentions open for Tuesday, August 2nd and Sunday, August 21 and 28th. All are for Saint Barbara's. Call Mary at the office, 330-833-6898.

Calvary Cemetery in Massillon: The Chaplet of Divine Mercy will be offered the fourth Friday of every month at 3:00 pm.

In Memoriam: Please pray for the repose of the soul of James Hamel (father of Jane Egan and James Hamel II) of our parish. Eternal rest grant to him, O Lord, and may he rest in peace.

Children's Faith Formation: PSR ... CCD ... Do you know what those letters stand for? As we come together as one parish community in the city of Massillon, we will be changing the name of our "Sunday School" program to "Children's Faith Formation", or "CFF". Now we will have a common name for our program regardless of what it was called in the past at each church building! The Diocese of Youngstown recently changed the name of the Office of Religious Education to the Office of Faith Formation and Lay Ecclesial Ministry to reflect a high priority of the forming of individuals as disciples of Jesus Christ and instructing them in the Catholic Faith. The three Massillon parishes will have *one* common program, using a common curriculum, located at two sites – the former St. Barbara school building, and the former St. Joseph school building. Sessions will be held between the two Sunday Masses from 9:15-10:30am. Registration packets will be available after each weekend Mass, the weekends of July 23-24 and July 30-31. Students entering Kindergarten through 8th Grade, who are attending public school, or who are using a non-Catholic homeschool curriculum are expected to register. Please contact Amy Davis with any questions at (330) 833-6898 or by emailing amy.davis@youngstowndiocese.org.

JULY – 90 PLUS BIRTHDAYS

Marian McCarthy – July 29 - 91 yrs.

AUGUST – 90 PLUS BIRTHDAYS

Agnes Shaeffer – August 4 – 95 yrs.,

Rita Sandy – August 26 – 90 yrs.

BINGO HELP: We are always looking for volunteers to help out at Bingo. Please support our School and parish. If you are able to volunteer, your help would be greatly appreciated! NO EXPERIENCE NEEDED! Areas to help could be anything from working the kitchen (taking money and serving food/coffee) to walking around selling instant tickets to players during the game and breaks (\$1.00 per ticket, you take the money and hand them the tickets). If you are able to help, please call Mary at the parish office at (330) 833-6898. Thank you in advance for your consideration.

HOLY LAND GIFTS: After all the Masses on August 6 and 7 there will be a display of handmade articles for sale such as: Nativity scenes, crucifixes, rosaries, and many other beautiful religious items. Because of conflict in the region, many Christian families in Bethlehem are struggling to make ends meet. Holy Land gifts represents over 150 Christian families who make a living by selling traditional olivewood handcrafts and religious articles. When you purchase one of these beautiful gifts you are helping artisans in the Holy Land provide for their families who live and work with dignity in the region fraught with tension. Thank you for supporting this project to keep the Christians present in the Holy Land.

WALKING WITH MOMS IN NEED

This initiative from the USCCB is to help parishes come alongside and accompany pregnant and parenting mothers facing difficulties. Interest has been shown in Stark County. For more information contact Dave Schmidt at dschmidt@youngstowndiocese.org or 330-744-8451 ext. 272.

DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET: Saint Barbara Parish and the Knights of Columbus Council #554 will pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet at Saint Barbara Church on Tuesday, July 26th at 9:45 am following the 9:00 am Mass during Eucharistic Adoration.

CRAFT SHOW: Vendors are needed for St. Jude Women's Guild annual St. Jude Craft Show to be held Saturday, November 19, 2022 from 9 am until 3 pm at St. Jude Activity Center, 180 Seventh Street in Columbiana. Contact Mary at 330-482-2351 for information.

CENTRAL CATHOLIC FOOTBALL TEAM CAR WASH: All Central football team players will participate in their only fundraiser; a car wash on Sunday, July 17th from 11:00-2:00. The rain date will be Sunday, July 24th. Location is 91 Wood Fired Oven, 5570 Fulton Drive NW, Canton.

Monthly Rosary: The Evangelization Committee will be praying the Rosary one half hour before Mass one Sunday per month.

August 21, 2022

September 18, 2022 – October 16, 2022 at 10:30 AM

Stewardship: "Ask and you will receive; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you." Luke 11:9

Jesus assures us that if we ask, God will take care of what we need. The problem is that our culture often confuses what we really need with what we simply want. The truth is that many of us need very little. However, we usually want so much more! Stewardship is simply being grateful for all that we are and all that we have been given, and generously sharing all of our God-given gifts with others. Generosity is a gift that opens doors to new relationships with others and with God.

A Note from Fr. Matthew



The soon-to-be grandmother begins knitting a sweater for her grandchild coming into the world. In the choice of yarn and design and color, she welcomes this special gift of God. In every stitch are all her prayers for a safe delivery, for the good health of her daughter, for a life of joy and a future of meaning and fulfillment for the newest member of her family, for the grace and wisdom to be a good grandmother to this child. The sweater itself becomes her prayer for the safety and well-being of mother and child, an offering of love, a ritual welcoming this new life into her family.

[Adapted from *The Knitting Sutra: Craft as a Spiritual Practice* by Susan Gordon Lydon.]

Prayer, Jesus teaches, is not something that moves us from outside of our lives but should come from within our lives. Prayer is to realize God's presence in the joys and discoveries, the messiness and frustrations of our lives as parents, children, professionals, workers, citizens, students and teammates. To truly understand the words of Jesus' prayer in today's Gospel is to approach prayer as a connection between the compassion of God and the love we experience in our lives, between God's forgiveness and the forgiveness we extend, between the holy creativity of God and the work we do for our daily bread. Prayer is to be conscious of God's grace in every moment of our lives, an awareness of God's love in our midst in both the bread of the Eucharist and the lunch we make for our families, in the waters of baptism and the laundry, in the precious moments for quiet reflection and the rambunctious joy of playing with our kids.

Have a great week and I'll see you in church. Fr. Matthew

Safety & Security Committee for St. Joseph's Church

Volunteers are needed to be part of the Safety & Security Committee for our Parish, at all 3 Churches. We will be developing Safety & Security Plans for all 3 churches and provide training for all volunteers.

St. Joseph's has the 4PM mass on Saturday's and will need to train all ushers and additional volunteers for emergency situations. All are welcome to volunteer, however, additional training will be provided for the 4PM mass attendee & interested persons for any emergency situations.

Plans are being made to utilize crossing guards at St. Joe's at the 3rd Street intersection and St. Mary's on First street and Cherry Rd. for the 8AM Sunday mass to increase safety. St. Joe's is also working on providing additional handicapped parking spots.

If you are interested please contact Mimi Gozdan, chair of St. Joseph's committee. Home phone:330-833-0219, Cell Phone:330-265-7201 or email gozdan@sssnet.com. Please include your name and contact information if you would be willing to volunteer and make all 3 churches in our parish a safer and welcoming place for all. Thanks for your willingness to help.

Saint Philomena Feast Day Mass: Saint Clement Church in Navarre will celebrate the Feast Day of Saint Philomena on Saturday, August 6. Rosary, chaplet, and the Sacrament of Reconciliation begin at 9:00 am with Mass to follow at 10:00 am. After Mass, there will be a blessing at the shrine with Saint Philomena's holy relic and a potluch lunch at the church hall. Bring a covered dish to share. Call Margaret Cotton at 330-705-4680 for more information.

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