



# SAINT BARBARA CATHOLIC CHURCH

May 17, 2020

## *The Sixth Sunday of Easter*

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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  
and Julie Turkal- (330) 832-7868

#### **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.

**MAY 17, 2020****SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER****Collection: (5/3/2020 - 5/11/2020)**

Mail-In \$ 5,292.66

Online \$ 1,245.00

Total \$ 6,537.66

**Monday - 5/18 - St. John I**

Intention - Floyd Draime (Ann Weaver)

**Tuesday - 5/19**

Intention - Becky Wilson (Mom)

**Wednesday - 5/20 - St. Bernardine of Siena**

Intention - Nettie Unklesbay (Frank Vaccani &amp; Denise Smith)

**Thursday - 5/21 - St. Christopher Magallanes**

No Mass

**Friday - 5/22 - St. Rita of Cascia**

Intention - Rev. Frank Lenherd (Rev. Brian Cline)

**Saturday - 5/23**

Intention - Dwight Weaver (Wife, Ann)

**Sunday - 5/24 - The Ascension of the Lord**

Intention - People of Our Parish

**Sanctuary Candle:**

This week, the sanctuary candle is lit for Tom &amp; Mindy Kring in celebration of their 25th Wedding Anniversary.

**New Parishioner:**

Please welcome new parishioner Joanne Dixon! Welcome to the St. Barbara Parish Family!

**Recorded Masses:**

Don't forget, Fr. Cline is recording daily and weekend Masses and they are uploaded to our website each day.

Please join us for daily worship at [www.saintbarbaraparish.com](http://www.saintbarbaraparish.com).**Mass Intentions:**

Weekday Mass Intentions are available. If you would like to schedule a Mass for a loved one, please call the rectory office at (330) 833-6898 and speak with Jennifer.

**200 Club Winners**

Michael Soehnlén #1740 - \$100.00

Mark Sweany #56 - \$100.00

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

Dear Friends,

## BACK TO CHURCH!!

As you may know from the secular news, public Masses are resuming on Pentecost Weekend - May 30 and 31. Bishop Murry has also given his pastors the permission to begin what he calls a “soft opening” on Monday, May 25. I would like to take advantage of this “soft opening” on Monday, May 25, since it is Memorial Day. Mass will be at 9:00 a.m. in the Church. I will continue Masses that week at 9:00 a.m. We will continue to livestream Mass for those who do not feel safe returning to Mass at this time. For the time being, Communion Services have been discontinued.

Also in this weekend’s bulletin we will have more direction and guidelines from the Diocese of Youngstown and from Fr. Balash’s Office of Worship for the weekend Masses. These directives and guidelines will help us “re-open” (1) to maintain social distancing, (2) to provide a safe environment and (3) to distribute Holy Communion safely and reverently.

In addition, the Office of Pastoral Planning and Evangelization has announced that there will be a delay in the implementation of the New Mass Schedule that was originally scheduled to begin on July 1, 2020. The main reason for this it to allow for social distancing and the safe return to Mass. Once we are through this pandemic a new date will be announced for the beginning of the New Mass Schedule for our region. As more information about this becomes available we will make it available.

It is important for all of us – to be patient, understanding and cooperative with the major changes we will be experiencing in “how we do Church” here at Saint Barbara. It will NOT BE “business as usual”. Your compliance and cooperation are crucial. Thank you.

It is important that we implement the guidelines and directives from the Bishop’s Office with understanding and acceptance because we are back at Mass! And we are coming back safely, prudently and carefully.

### RE-OPENING MASSES

MONDAY	MAY 25 9:00 A.M.	(MEMORIAL DAY)
TUESDAY	MAY 26 9:00 A.M.	
WEDNESDAY	MAY 27 9:00 A.M.	
FRIDAY	MAY 29 9:00 A.M.	
SATURDAY	MAY 30 4:30 P.M.	(SUNDAY VIGIL)
SUNDAY	MAY 31 8:00 A.M & 10:30 A.M.	

NO ADORATION ON TUESDAY & NO COMMUNION SERVICE ON THURSDAY

ALL MASSES WILL BE LIVESTREAMED ON THE PARISH WEBSITE AND FACEBOOK

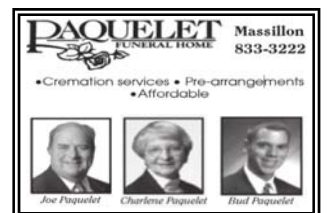
Have a good week everyone and God bless you!!

Sincerely, Fr. Brian

**In Memoriam** Please pray for the repose of the soul of Daniel Kovacsiss, beloved brother of John (Linda) Kovacsiss and Marianne Jurkovich and brother-in-law of Patricia Kovacsiss, parishioners of our parish. Eternal rest shine upon him O Lord, and may he rest in peace.

**Congratulations!** To Father Thomas Bishop and Father Robert Kaylor on the occasion of the 50th Anniversary of their ordinations to the Priesthood. If you would like to send a card, you may send it to St. Barbara parish and it will be forwarded to them.

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## *Resumption of Public Liturgies in the Time of Public Health Concern Sunday/Weekday Mass*

In light of the decision to resume the celebration of public Masses and liturgies by the Bishops of Ohio, the following Directives and Guidelines are issued for all parishes of the Diocese of Youngstown. These take into consideration how to best proceed under these unusual circumstances while remaining pastorally sensitive to the People of God and adhering to restrictions issued by the State of Ohio. The guidance provided aims to clarify how such spiritual care can be responsibly offered to the faithful during this period and have been formulated with great care to preserve and respect the powerful liturgical and sacramental symbolism of the rites of the Mass. These directives/guidelines currently remain in effect by order of Bishop Murry and will be revised or changed should any further directives be issued by the Governor of Ohio, the Bishops of Ohio, or Bishop Murry. They are considered to be temporary until it is determined safe to return to the normal circum-

### **DISPENSATION FROM THE OBLIGATION TO ATTEND SUNDAY MASS**

The Catholic faithful who reside in the Diocese of Youngstown and all other Catholics in the diocese and especially those who are sick, or at high risk of becoming sick continue to be dispensed from their Sunday obligation until further notice. The Easter Duty obligation is extended for a period of one year from the end of the Easter Season 2020.

### **General Guidelines**

1. Understanding the desire of many to return to church, it remains important for those who are at greater risk to refrain from returning until such time they feel comfortable and confident to do so.
2. Those who are symptomatic or who have been exposed to another with the virus within 14 days should not attend Mass in accordance with national, state and local health directives.
3. We will continue to live-stream Mass so that those unable to attend may maintain a spiritual connection with their local parish.
4. Appropriate cleaning of high use areas within the church will be done before and after each service.
5. Every effort to ensure appropriate physical distancing before, during, and after liturgical celebrations will be taken.
6. The Cry Room will not be available.
7. Large gatherings before or after Mass are discouraged. No receptions or social gatherings (*i.e. coffee/donuts*) will be held.
8. While not mandatory, those attending Mass are strongly encouraged to wear masks or face coverings.
9. The amount of people able to be in restrooms at the same time is two. This will be posted on each restroom door.
10. Sanitizer will be available at all entrances.
11. Bulletins and other materials will be placed in each pew by one of our greeters. The music for each Mass will be included in these.
12. All in attendance should wash their hands before and after Mass being mindful not to touch their face, eyes, or nose.
13. All in attendance should make every effort to continually model and encourage good hygienic/social distancing practices.

## During Mass

### Holy Water

- Holy water fonts will remain empty until further notice.

### Hymnals/Missalettes

- All hymnals/missalettes will be removed and stored for the time being. At each Mass, disposable worship aids will be inside the bulletins that are placed in each available set in the pews. Trash cans will be available in the Narthex for those who wish to dispose of them after Mass.

### Offertory Collection

- The practice of passing baskets throughout the assembly is temporarily suspended. Stationary baskets will be placed at the entrances of the church for worshippers to drop their offering either at the beginning or the end of Mass.

### The Lord's Prayer and Sign of Peace

- Physical contact during the Lord's Prayer (*holding hands*) and the Sign of Peace is suspended. For the Sign of Peace those present are encouraged to bow to others and offer words of peace.

### Receiving Holy Communion

- It is highly encouraged and strongly recommended that the reception of Holy Communion be given in the hand. While reception of Holy Communion on the tongue cannot be prohibited it is discouraged at this time.

### *Distribution of Holy Communion on the Tongue*

- **Out of pastoral necessity and urgency, those desiring to receive Holy Communion on the tongue are permitted to do so. In this instance, they are to be last in line and receive only from the priest. In the unfortunate circumstance that the priest's fingers come in contact with the mouth and/or saliva of the communicant he must immediately sanitize his fingers before continuing with the next in line.**

- Reception of the Precious Blood from the chalice by the assembly is temporarily suspended. Accommodation will be made for low-gluten hosts to be available for those with gluten intolerance.
- The location of stations for the distribution of Holy Communion will be considered to facilitate orderly movement and to maintain proper physical distance. One-way traffic patterns will be utilized.
- Appropriate spacing between individuals in the Communion Procession is to be maintained.
- Holy Communion will not be distributed with gloves, nor will it be received in the hand with gloves.

- **When approaching the minister, the communicant is to pull their mask (if wearing one) below their chin. The minister, after saying, "Body of Christ," will carefully place (drop) the host into the hand of the communicant avoiding any incidental contact. Communicants, after responding "Amen," reverently place the Eucharist in their mouth and replace their mask.**

Parishioners are asked to contact the parish office with any further questions at (330) 833-6898.

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