

SACRED HEART CHURCH



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PARISH MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday: 9:00 a.m. (English) & 11:00 a.m. (Latin)

Weekday: 9:00 a.m. (Latin)

Holy Day: 9:00 a.m. (Latin) 12:00 Noon (English) & 7:00 p.m. (Latin)

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Thirty minutes before Mass Sunday-Friday

Saturday during Holy Hour

DEVOTIONS

Perpetual Novena of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal: Tuesdays after Mass

Holy Hour: Saturdays at 7:50 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Contact Parish Office

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Contact Parish Office at least six months in advance

PARISH OFFICE

Monday-Thursday 11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY	12 SIXTH SUNDAY PER ANNUM (NEW)/SEPTUAGESIMA SUNDAY (II)
9:00 a.m.	Bill, Mary Lou & Chuck Conway by Conway Family
11:00 a.m.	Pro Populo
MONDAY	13 FERIA (IV)
9:00 a.m.	Celebrant's Intention
TUESDAY	14 STS. CYRIL & METHODIUS (NEW)/ST. VALENTINE (IV)
9:00 a.m.	Special Intentions/John Schmitt by Paul Schmitt Family
WEDNESDAY	15 ST. CLAUDE DE LA COLOMBIERE (III)
9:00 a.m.	Intention of Fr. Jon-Paul Bevak
THURSDAY	16 FERIA (IV)
9:00 a.m.	Celebrant's Intention
FRIDAY	17 SEVEN FOUNDERS OF THE ORDER OF SERVITES (NEW)/FERIA (IV)
9:00 a.m.	Special Intention/Bob Kenning by Therese Kenning
SATURDAY	18 SATURDAY OF OUR LADY (NEW)/ST. SIMEON (IV)
9:00 a.m.	Celebrant's Intention
SUNDAY	19 SEVENTH SUNDAY PER ANNUM (NEW)/SEXAGESIMA SUNDAY (II)
9:00 a.m.	Establishment of Cincinnati Community-in-Formation
11:00 a.m.	Art & Mary Wurzelbacher by Don & Helen Henz

WEEKLY OFFERING

Sunday, February 5, 2017: (51 Envelopes/247 Attendance)

Your Gift to God through Your Parish: \$4,323.00

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Alexander Piening, Jackson, Vivien Finnigan, Eric Bantle, Tony Bantle, Kay, Hilda Lowell, Jennifer Lowell, Melissa, Terri, Fr. Rob Jack, Katie, Vivian Rose, Dana Ray, Lisa Bergman, Elizabeth Hetrick, Grace Hetrick, Marianne, Emmy & Abby, Nathaniel Lee Taylor

OLD ST. MARY'S PARISH SCHEDULE

Sunday 7:30 a.m. (Low Latin) 9:15 a.m. (Sung Latin Ordinary Form) 11:00 a.m. (German)

12:30 p.m. (English) & 7:00 p.m. (English)

Monday-Friday 7:15 a.m. (Traditional Latin) & 12:10 p.m. (English)

Saturday 6:45 a.m. (Traditional Latin) & 12:10 p.m. (English)

Tuesday – Adoration 8:00 a.m. – Noon & 5:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Parish Holy Hour from 7:30 p.m. until 8:30 p.m. with Confession

Sacrament of Penance offered before Sunday Mass (9:15 a.m. 12:30 p.m. & 7:00 p.m.)

Daily after 12:10 Mass until 1:00 p.m.; Tuesday 7:30 p.m. until 8:15 p.m.

*You may drop your collection envelope at either parish and it will make its way to its intended destination.

FROM THE PASTOR

Laudetur Jesus Christus! Gelobt sei Jesus Christus! Sia lodato Gesù Cristo! Praised be Jesus Christ!

This will be our final catechesis on the nature of the Virtue of Religion, the Precepts of the Church, and what we owe to our parish. I hope that this has been helpful and insightful, as we all strive to ensure that our churches continue to be lights in a darkened world.

As I have said consistently, everyone is welcome in our parishes. Sometimes daily Mass works better for those who work downtown or in Camp Washington, or maybe a person is seeking out Adoration and Devotions. However, they attend somewhere else for Sundays and consider another church their parish. Others like to stop in from time to time on Sundays. You are always welcome.

If I had to give a brief definition of a parishioner, however, I would do so in this way. Someone who either resides within a particular geographic territory of a parish, or someone who has registered in a particular church with an accepting pastor. That much comes directly from the Archdiocese. To clarify this, since anyone can register theoretically (we recently had a registration online from as far away as Singapore), I would say that a true parishioner is someone who attends Mass at our parishes on most Sundays and Holy Days throughout the year. They give generously of their time, talent, and treasure, insofar as they are able. They are known to the priests, at least by sight. They try to take advantage of special Masses, devotions, and events throughout the year. This is their home.

Those who are parishioners, either by territory or by adoption, are entitled to have the Sacraments in their parish church. This includes, not only the reception of Holy Communion and the Sacrament of Penance, but preparation for Baptism, First Confession, First Holy Communion, Confirmation, & Weddings. They have the right to call upon their pastor, or his delegate, for Spiritual Advice and/or the Anointing of the Sick. They have the right to be educated in the faith. Finally, they have the right to be buried at their parish church. They obtain these rights because of the obligations they accepted when they were baptized, and being faithful to their duties as parishioners. These are the things that a parish properly carries out for its parishioners. Everyone has a parish; some have just chosen to move their parish to a different place. But all do have a parish.

Because of the time involved, and so many responsibilities between two parishes, Christ Hospital, and the Hamilton County Justice Center, the priests are all very stretched. We cover nine Masses on Sunday alone. Thus, this series is presented to educate on the nature of a parish, and to clarify what we are, and are not able to do; also, to clarify what should be done in one's parish church and what could be done at another church. If anyone, who is not a parishioner, needs any of the above mentioned services, they should contact their pastor who has the obligation to ensure that these important moments in the life of the faith are carried out. One thing not included in the above paragraph, for which we often have requests, are letters of good standing. We are able to only issue such letters for parishioners who are known to us. We are not able to accommodate other requests, because of what we are asked to attest to.

Again, I hope that this is helpful. I pray that our parishes continue to grow, and that all certainly pursue perfection and growth through the treasures offered here. Have a blessed week ahead!

Fr. Paul Beach

PARISH NEWS

Fr. Mario Rauzi, c.s. would like to thank everyone for your kind wishes on his 96th Birthday.

Catechism News & Schedule Please keep our First Communicants in your prayers as they prepare for First Confession on February 21. Also, please note that there will be no Catechism on Tuesday, February 28 or Wednesday, March 1.

Athenaeum Adult Spirituality Institute Fr. Jon-Paul will be presenting on St. Philip Neri at the Athenaeum's Adult Spirituality Institute on the Mondays, beginning February 20 until March 13. The first 3 sessions will be held at the Athenaeum of Ohio, 6616 Beechmont Avenue. The fourth and final class will be a tour at Old St. Mary's downtown. Registration fee is \$40. Please visit www.spirituality-institute.com or call 233-6143.

Pilgrimage to Italy! November 6-16, 2017

Please find flyers near the Church doors for a Pilgrimage to Italy in November. We will be traveling in the footsteps of St. Philip Neri, with stops in Florence, Assisi, Monte Casino, Rome, and others! The retreat will be led by Fr. Jon-Paul, with daily Mass in both the Ordinary and Extraordinary Form. Please take a flyer and return the information portion to begin the process of signing up!

The Greater Cincinnati Catholic Women's Conference will be the first Saturday of Lent this year, March 4, and what better way to start lent than a spiritual day of prayer, great talks, and spiritual renewal? This year the theme is: "Lord, Teach Us to Pray". Registration is now available on line at: www.catholicwomenofcincinnati.com.

FORMED Please do not forget about our parish subscription to Formed. Every parishioner can have 24/7 access to the best Catholic content on any device, including computer, smartphone, and tablet. You may register at www.formed.org/register. Our parish code is NFDBVP. Please take advantage of great opportunity to learn more about our Holy Faith!

Catechism Classes are held each Tuesday at Old St. Mary's for our children and our adults and on Wednesday mornings at Sacred Heart for adults. Tuesday evening at Old St. Mary's begins at 7:00 p.m. and ends at 8:00 p.m. Confession is available from 7:30 p.m. until 8:15 p.m. with Benediction at 8:30 p.m. Wednesday catechism begins after the daily Mass at Sacred Heart. Please join us for these opportunities.

Ravioli! Cases of ravioli (20 boxes per case) for \$120.00 each, that's only \$6.00 per box are available for purchase. If you are interested in sharing with relatives or friends please call the office at 541-4654, Monday through Thursday, 11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Individual boxes (50 ravioli) may be purchased at \$7.00 per box.

Catholic Ministries Appeal 2017 Last weekend was Commitment Weekend for the 2017 Catholic Ministries Appeal. Please join with Catholics in every parish throughout our archdiocese who are Providing a Path through local, Catholic ministries for people right here in our communities. These ministries depend on our help each year! This specifically benefits our own Fr. Adrian, who is the Catholic Chaplain at Christ Hospital and the Hamilton County Justice Center. These ministries are funded through the CMA. You can mail your pledge card or bring it to Mass next weekend. For more information about the CMA, visit CatholicAppeal.info. *Thank you!*