



ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

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A Pastoral Region in the Dayton Deanery with St. Christopher, Vandalia

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MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday Masses:

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

Holy Day Masses:

Eve: 7:00 p.m.

Day: 8:30 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

[except Dec. 25 & Jan. 1]

Misa en Español:

El Primer Sábado de cada mes a las 7:00 p.m.

Daily Masses:

Monday, Tuesday & Thursday: 8:30 a.m.

Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.

COMMUNION SERVICE

Friday: 8:30 a.m.

RECONCILIATION

[Confession]

Saturday: 4:00-4:30 p.m. or by appointment

BAPTISMS: Except during Lent, 12:00 noon the 2nd Sunday of the month and during the three weekend Masses the 3rd Sunday of the month when available. Baptism Program for parents required.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: For parishioners suffering from a serious illness, preparing for serious surgery or suffering from age. Please call the Pastor.

MARRIAGES: Preparations must begin at least six months before the wedding. Please call the Pastor.

NEW PARISHIONERS: We extend you a hearty welcome! Please call the Parish Office to register.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS: Please notify the Parish Office if you have a change of address or phone number or if you are moving from the parish.

BULLETIN DEADLINE: 12:00 Noon on Monday.

753 South Hyatt Street Tipp City, Ohio 45371-1255 **Email:** sjbsecretary@woh.rr.com

Telephone: (937) 667-3419 **Fax:** (937) 667-9267 **Web Site:** www.stjohntippcity.org

Parish Office Hours: Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m.-12:00 noon & 1:00-3:30 p.m.

MASS INTENTIONS

June 30-July 6

- MONDAY, 30 8:30 a.m. Joe Monto (Bill and Cindy Griffn)
- TUESDAY, 1 8:30 a.m. Fr. Frank Massarella
(Rick and Hazel Mains)
- WEDNESDAY, 2 7:00 p.m. Nancy Drewry (Rob and Sherry Kraus)
- THURSDAY, 3 8:30 a.m. David Fallert Birthday (Ann Fallert)
- FRIDAY, 4 8:30 a.m. **Communion Service**
- SATURDAY, 5 5:00 p.m. Doug Harding (Rhonda Harding)
- SUNDAY, 6 8:00 a.m. James Walendzak (Sharon Walendzak)
10:30 a.m. For the Parish

Just a note to let you know when you request a Mass Intention the schedule may change according to Father's commitments.

USHERS

- SATURDAY
 - 5:00 p.m. Ron Haley, Kevin Osborn, Peggy Osborn, Brad Vath
- SUNDAY
 - 8:00 a.m. Ralph Barhorst, Jim Hamberg, Matthew Hamberg, Dave Koch
 - 10:30 a.m. Mike Bruns, Jim Kueterman, Nathan Kueterman, Jim Sommer

SERVERS

- SATURDAY
 - 5:00 p.m. Brooke Aselage, Asheley Aselage
- SUNDAY
 - 8:00 a.m. Bruce and Barb Batty
 - 10:30 a.m. Elizabeth Kueterman, Ray Kueterman, Madi Schneider

LECTORS

- SATURDAY
 - 5:00 p.m. Philip Ratermann, Irene Crawford
- SUNDAY
 - 8:00 a.m. Tim Riley
 - 10:30 a.m. Cindy Griffn, Scott Lawson

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

- SATURDAY
 - 5:00 p.m. 7 volunteers needed
- SUNDAY
 - 8:00 a.m. 7 volunteers needed
 - 10:30 a.m. 7 volunteers needed

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

First Reading Zec 9:9-10
 Second Reading Romans 8:9, 11-13
 Gospel Matthew 11:25-30

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION

Adult	\$ 5,953.00
Loose Checks & Currency	\$ 963.00
Total	\$ 6,916.00
St. Vincent Outreach	\$ 40.00
Major Repair Fund Total	\$ 53,270.71
Nairobi	\$ 145.00

ST. CHRISTOPHER

435 E. National Road, Vandalia, OH 45377
 Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:00 p.m. – Sunday: 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.
 Holy Day vigil: 7:00 p.m. – Holy Day: 9:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.
 (Collection envelopes will be forwarded to the proper Parish)

Our thoughts and prayers remain with those serving our country at this time and with their loved ones at home. We pray for a safe homecoming and that the world may one day be at peace.



ST. VINCENT HOTEL – Parishioners are reminded the hotel is in constant need of casseroles to serve the homeless guests. Completed casseroles can be placed in the Parish freezer and will be periodically delivered to the hotel by Parish volunteers. For further information, contact Mike Begley at 667-2882 or the Parish Office at 667-3419. **The next opportunity to serve the evening meal to the guests at St. Vincent Hotel will be Sunday, July 27. Please meet in the North parking lot of the Church for a 5:45 p.m. departure if you would like to volunteer.**



BAPTISMAL PREPARATION: Attendance at a baptismal preparation session is required to have your child baptized. Sessions are in Room 101 at 1:30 p.m. on the following dates; August 3, and October 5. Contact Deacon Chuck Wright at charleswright@woh.rr.com or by calling 667-3419, ext. 203 to RSVP for a session or if you have questions.

FUNERAL DISHES: In the Kitchen, we have many dishes leftover from funeral dinners. If you know you left one behind please come pick it up. What doesn't go will be put into the Flea Market for the Festival. Thank you!

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: We will have VBS from July 28 thru August 1, 9:00 a.m.-Noon each day. The Theme is Weird Animals were Jesus' Love is One of a Kind. To make this week one that the children will remember for all the right reasons, we need your help! If you are able to help let me know. We need adults to be station leaders and young people 7th grade and up to be crew leaders and helpers. Please contact Deacon Chuck Wright at 665-3419, ext. 203 or email at charleswright@woh.rr.com if you are willing help out. Watch for registration form for your children.

CLOTHESLINE Ministry – Needed: Volunteers & Donations. Men and women 18 and up are needed to be on a sub list to fill St. John's commitment when the shop is open. If you have a few hours to offer, please consider finding out more about clerking at the Clothesline on 2nd Street in downtown Tipp City on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday or Saturday. Donations are needed year round to fill the shelves and hangers. Please consider donating your gently-used items during shop hours. St. John the Baptist parish benefits from the monies received throughout the year from the sale of donated clothing, shoes, purses, linens, and jewelry. Over 40 other Miami County nonprofits receive checks also for their worthy causes to help the local community. Find out more by calling Jan Haley at 667-1189 or Jean Mettert at 667-3441 or email haley735@yahoo.com or mettert@roadrunner.com. Thank you for considering this ministry

St. John's Knights of Columbus Council 5129 Weekly Raffle winners for May 2014 – Congratulations to Donna Mix, John Irwin, Mike Jackson and Joe Seger!

Register Now for Catholic Social Services Golf Tournament – Catholic Social Services of the Miami Valley (CSSMV) will hold the 9th Annual Pat Rupp Memorial Golf Tournament at the NCR North and South Courses on July 28, 2014 beginning at 11:30 a.m. Play one of the best courses in the U.S. and enjoy lunch, a cocktail reception, and dinner. The day includes lots of great golf, fellowship, networking and a few fun surprises. All proceeds go to provide services for our region's most vulnerable children and families. For registration information, please visit www.cssmv.org and click on Events. Sponsorships are also still available. For sponsor information, please contact Laurie Cornett Cross at CSSMV – crossl@cssmv.org or call direct at (937) 223-7217, ext. 1141.



HOLY HOUR – Our next Holy Hour is Tuesday, July 1. The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed on the altar from 7:00-8:00 p.m. Come for the hour or for any part of the hour.



CELEBRATING GOD'S WORD is the title of this month's *Catholic Update*. As Catholics we believe that God is always revealing God's self to us. Sacred Scripture, the Word of God, holds a place of pride in this process of Revelation. To learn more about how to read scripture and more fully understand the meaning and how the process of Revelation unfolds before us. Grab a copy of this month's *Catholic Update* from the book rack in the

Narthex on your way home today! If you are looking for past editions contact Deacon Chuck at the Parish Offices.

Immediate Job Opening

Due to a resignation, St. Patrick Parish seeks a full-time **Business Manager**. The applicant must have a strong sense of collaboration, organizational skills and a high degree of confidentiality. An understanding of the mission of a Catholic Parish is required. This position reports to and assists the Pastor in parish and school administration including financial management and reporting, personnel and benefits management, property and building maintenance, facilities operations, development/fund raising and other miscellaneous duties. A degree in Accounting, Finance or Human Resources would be preferred. The candidate should have experience in the following areas: Financial reporting, Accounting, Facilities management, Development/fund raising, Personnel and Human Resources. Knowledge of accounting systems (Peachtree, ParishSoft) is a plus. Computer skills and Microsoft Office products experience required. Send cover letter, résumé and salary requirements to stpatoffcemgr@woh.rr.com or mail to

St. Patrick Church, 409 E. Main Street, Troy, Ohio 45373

Attention: Business Manager Position

Application deadline is June 30, 2014

The Archdiocese of Cincinnati Lay Pastoral Ministry Program

is designed to help Catholic lay men and women gain the theological knowledge and practical skills they need to evangelize, catechize and serve the people of God more effectively. Classes are offered on weeknights and Saturdays to fit into a busy adult schedule. Graduate and non-degree options available with classes forming for the Fall Semester in McCartyville and Cincinnati. Call 513-231-1200 in Cincinnati and 419-305-5486 in the Northern Region.

PARISH WEBSITE UPDATED

With the change in Parish Office personnel, we have been updating our Parish Website. The website has been fully updated for two months. More information is always being added. The address is www.stjohntipcity.org. We invite you to check it out.



RCIA: Do you know of someone who has expressed interest in the Catholic Church but hasn't taken any action on it? How about someone who may have asked questions about your faith and you can tell they are searching? Are you the only non-Catholic in your family and you have questions about the Church? If you know these people invite them to consider our RCIA this coming year. They can call us or if you contact me I will extend an invitation to them. Contact Deacon Chuck Wright at 667-3419, ext. 203 or email at charleswright@woh.rr.com.



VIRTUS SESSIONS: If you work with children as part of your Ministry here at St. John or will want to be a Chaperone or participate in youth programs with your children, you will need to complete a Virtus Session before June 30, 2014. Preregistration is necessary and can be done at the Virtus website www.virtusonline.org. If you have any questions, please contact Chuck Wright at 667-3419 or charleswright@woh.rr.com.

Needy Basket appreciates all the food donated last weekend. Again, St. John's came through and helped those in need.

Randall Resident: My Husband and I want to thank you again for the lovely Easter card, a basket full of goodies. So very kind of you. Thank you so much for coming here every Sunday. That means everything to us. God Bless you.

OVER 50s NEWS: The Over 50s will be going to lunch on Wednesday, July 2 at 11:30 a.m. to Colliers in Springfield. We will meet at 11:00 a.m. in the north parking lot at church to carpool. All parishioners 50 years and older are welcome and encouraged to join us.

FROM THE DESK OF FR. MARC SHERLOCK

On Monday of this week, June 30, I complete 10 years as Pastor of St. John the Baptist Parish and 35 years as a Priest of the Archdiocese of Cincinnati. I continue to be grateful for all the cooperation, support and kindnesses I receive from our parishioners.

As you all know, the shortage of Priests is becoming more severe. I would like to ask parents to encourage their sons to consider the Priesthood in addition to other life choices they may be considering. The support and encouragement of parents is invaluable in the choices that children make.

FR. CHRIS COLEMAN

Fr. Chris Coleman did his year of seminary internship here at St. John the Baptist in 2003-2004. On June 30 of this year he completes his 6 year term as Pastor of St. Anthony Parish, Dayton. On Tuesday, July 1, he will begin his new assignment as Pastor of 3 parishes in the Cincinnati area: Our Lady of the Rosary, Greenhills; St. Mathias, Forest Park and St. James of the Valley, Wyoming. Please keep Fr. Chris in your prayers as he begins this new and challenging assignment.

PRAY FOR RELIGIOUS FREEDOM

As we approach Independence Day, we encourage all parishioners to pray for Religious Freedom. We especially pray that any laws in the Affordable Health Care Act be overturned that cause people to violate their conscience by paying for any services contrary to Church teaching. A founding principal of the United States is the separation of Church and State.

“Bringing the gospel is bringing God’s power to pluck up and break down evil and violence, to destroy and overthrow the barriers of selfishness, intolerance, and hatred, so as to build a new world. Jesus Christ is counting on you! The Church is counting on you! The pope is counting on you! May Mary, mother of Jesus and our mother, always accompany you with her tenderness. Go and make disciples of all nations.”

Pope Francis

These days, it is rather fashionable to speak of faith and religion in terms of “story.” The idea is that we structure our faith around a story that is meaningful to us. For some, it doesn't matter if it's actually true or not – what matters is the comfort we find in the story. That particular notion is not very comforting and we doubt that this is what St. Paul was talking about when he wrote the words we hear in today's second reading, which were probably written in a period between imprisonment and execution. Peter and Paul's faith was not in an idea or story that helped them make sense of life. It was in a person – Jesus Christ – who loved, reconciled, sacrificed and opened our broken lives to the transformed love of God. *Jesus, strengthen me to live for you and share your good news with others.* (Excerpts by Amy Welborn from “Living With Christ” June 2014)

Festival Committee is in immediate need of parish members for the following positions – co chairs/team chairing is encouraged!

Sweet Tooth Booth Chair

Entertainment Chair

Lemon Shake-up/Ice Cream Booth Chair

Volunteer coordinator

If you would like to help with any of these areas, or would like more information, please call Jennifer Weir at 667-0282.

