Downtown Canton Catholic Community





Basilica of Saint John the Baptist and Saint Peter Parish



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Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time - August 25, 2024

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Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil - 4:00 PM (Saint Peter Parish)
(May 1 - October 31)
Sunday - 8:30 AM (Basilica)
(May 1 - October 31)
Sunday - 10:30 AM (Saint Peter Parish)
(May 1 - October 31)

Sacrament of Reconciliation

is available on Saturday's at the same location at the 4:00 PM Mass from 3:00 PM to 3:30 PM, and by appointment.

Holy Days

Vigil - 6:00 PM (St. Peter) Day - 8:30 AM (St. Peter) Day - 12:10 PM (Basilica)

Daily Mass

Tuesday at 6:00 PM (Gallagher Center Chapel) Wednesday at 8:30 AM (Gallagher Center Chapel) Thursday at 8:30 AM (Gallagher Center Chapel) Friday at 8:30 AM (St. Peter Parish)

A Prayer for Our Parish

O God, You enlighten us with your charity, and enliven us with your grace; You guide us by your wisdom and give us hope for the future; You call us each by name. As parishioners of the Basilica of St. John the Baptist and St. Peter Parish, You have brought us together for Holy Mass. May our prayers and praises be pleasing to You. Transform us by Your mercy, and make us one in Your love. Help us to use the gifts You have given us to proclaim Your Gospel, and to serve our neighbors, so that one day we may share together the good things You promise to those who love You. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

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ORGAN

Jesus, Lead the Way
Paul Manz

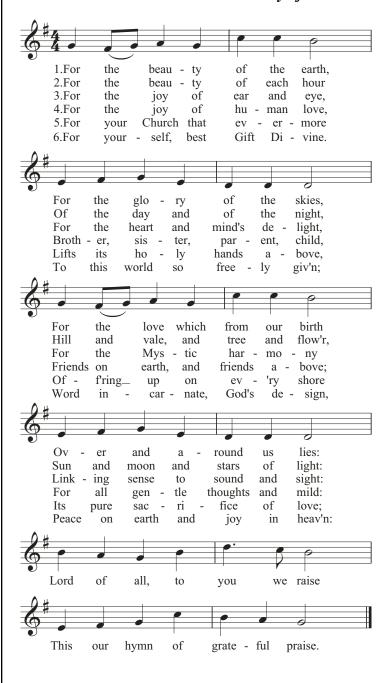
ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Turn your ear, O Lord, and answer me; save the servant who trusts in you, my God. Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I cry to you all the day long.

Introductory Rites

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

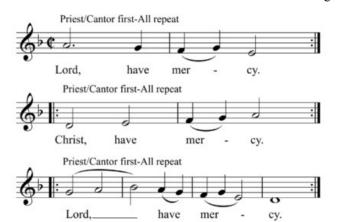
For the Beauty of the Earth





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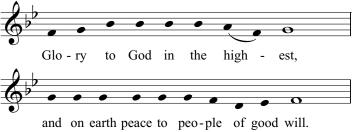
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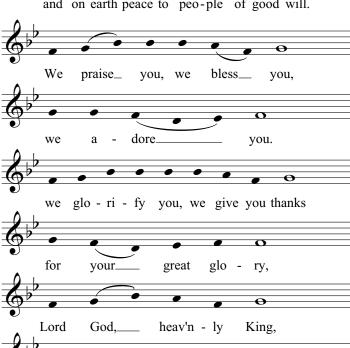


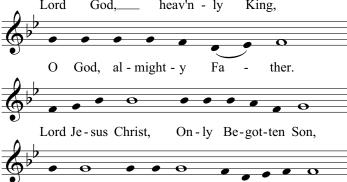
GLORIA

Antiphonal Gloria

John Lee

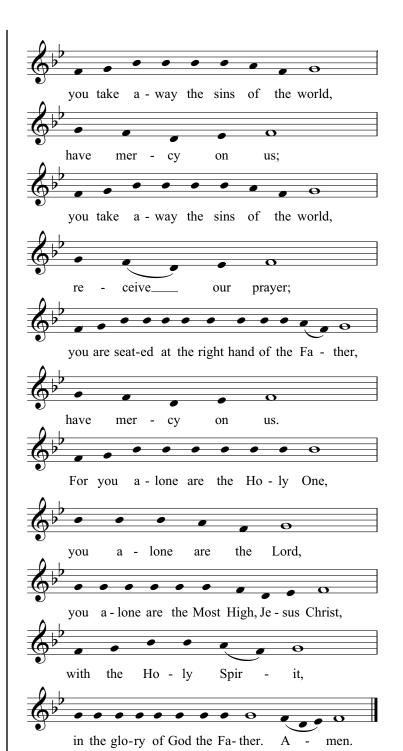






Lord God, Lamb of God,

Son of the Fa-ther,



Gloria

Witurgy Of She Mord

FIRST READING

Joshua 24:1-2, 15-17, 18

A Reading from the Book of Joshua:

Joshua gathered together all the tribes of Israel at Shechem, summoning their elders, their leaders, their judges, and their officers. When they stood in ranks before God, Joshua addressed all the people: "If it does not please you to serve the LORD, decide today whom you will serve, the gods your fathers served beyond the River or the gods of the Amorites in whose country you are now dwelling. As for me and my household, we will serve the LORD." But the people answered, "Far be it from us to forsake the LORD for the service of other gods. For it was the LORD, our God, who brought us and our fathers up out of the land of Egypt, out of a state of slavery. He performed those great miracles before our very eyes and protected us along our entire journey and among the peoples through whom we passed. Therefore we also will serve the LORD, for he is our God."

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 34



I will bless the Lord at all times; priase of him is always in my mouth. In the Lord my soul shall make its boast; the humble shall hear and be glad. R

The Lord turns his eyes to the just, and his ears are open to their cry. The Lord turns his face against the wicked to destroy their remembrance from the earth. R

When the just cry out, the Lord hears, and rescues them in all their diestress.

The Lord is close to the broken-hearted; those whose spirit is crushed he will save. R

Many are the trials of the just man, but from them all the Lord will rescue him. He will keep guard over all his bones, not one of his bones shall be broken. Ry

SECOND READING

Ephesians 5:21-32

A reading from the Letter of Saint Paul to the Ephesians:

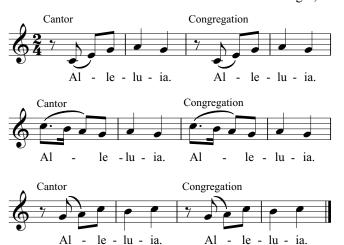
Brothers and sisters: Be subordinate to one another out of reverence for Christ. Wives should be subordinate to their husbands as to the Lord. For the husband is head of his wife just as Christ is head of the church, he himself the savior of the body. As the church is subordinate to Christ, so wives should be subordinate to their husbands in everything. Husbands, love your wives, even as Christ loved the church and handed himself over for her to sanctify her, cleansing her by the bath of water with the word, that he might present to himself the church in splendor, without spot or wrinkle or any such thing, that she might be holy and without blemish. So also husbands should love their wives as their own bodies. He who loves his wife loves himself. For no one hates his own flesh but rather nourishes and cherishes it. even as Christ does the church, because we are members of his body. For this reason a man shall leave his father and his mother and be joined to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh. This is a great mystery, but I speak in reference to Christ and the church.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Howard Huges, SM



The Lord be with you.

And with your spirit.

A Reading from the Holy Gospel according to John: Glory to you, O Lord.

Many of Jesus' disciples who were listening said, "This saying is hard; who can accept it?" Since Jesus knew that his disciples were murmuring about this, he said to them, "Does this shock you? What if you were to see the Son of Man ascending to where he was before? It is the spirit that gives life, while the flesh is of no avail. The words I have spoken to you are Spirit and life. But there are some of you who do not believe." Jesus knew from the beginning the ones who would not believe and the one who would betray him. And he said, "For this reason I have told you that no one can come to me unless it is granted him by my Father." As a result of this, many of his disciples returned to their former way of life and no longer accompanied him. Jesus then said to the Twelve, "Do you also want to leave?" Simon Peter answered him, "Master, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. We have come to believe and are convinced that you are the Holy One of God."

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

PROFESSION OF FAITH

Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven,

(All bow at the following words up to: and became man.)

and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will

have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen

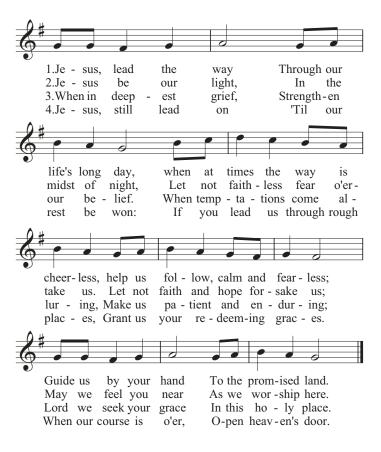
UNIVERSAL PRAYER

Please respond: Lord, Hear our prayer.

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PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS

Jesus, Lead the Way

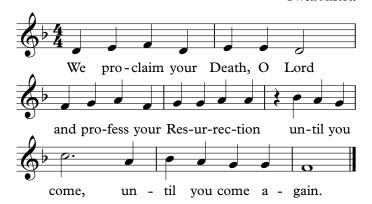






MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

Heritage Mass Owen Alstott





Heritage Mass
Owen Alstott



Communion Rite

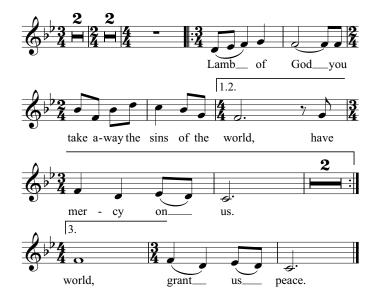
LORD'S PRAYER

SIGN OF PEACE

Peace



Mass of Creation
Marty Haugen

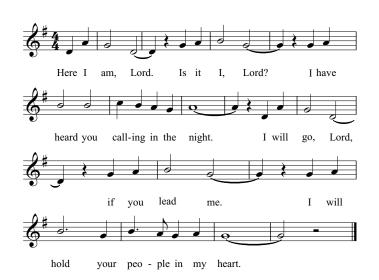


COMMUNION ANTIPHON

The earth is replete with the fruits of your work, O Lord; you bring forth bread from the earth and wine to cheer the heart.

MUSIC DURING COMMUNION

Here I Am, Lord



Concluding Rite

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Agincourt Hymn
John Dunstable

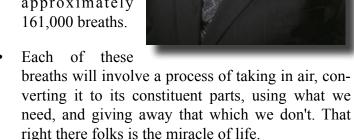
Household of God - by Father Misbrener

Dear Friends:

The Gift of Time

Some thoughts:

- Rocks were formed millions of years ago.
- By the end of this week, we will have taken approximately 161,000 breaths.



- Most of us, most of the time, don't even know we're breathing; we simple get on with it.
- Some of us will have birthdays this week.
- Some of us will have hospital appointments this week
- Sickness will visit someone we know this week
- For some, their life on earth will come to an end this week.
- Others will be born into this world
- It only takes a minute to say a prayer--there will be 10,080 said this week.
- If you dedicated one hour this week to helping someone lonel, vulnerable, elderly, or homeless, you'd still have another 167 hours to play with.

Weeks come and go. As we get older, they seem to go more quickly. It would be easy (and a shame) to forget how much a week can hold. This week will hold a path full of possibilities and experiences. All we have to do is take a step along the path and keep our eyes open along the way.

Finding God in the Mess Jim Deeds & Fr. Brendan McManus, SJ Father, I abandon myself into your hands,
do with me what you will.
Whatever you may do, I thank you.
I am ready for all, and I accept all.
Let only your will be done in me,
and all your creatures.

I wish no more than this, O Lord.

Into your hands I commend my soul;
I offer it to you with all the love of my heart,
for I love you, Lord, and so need to give myself,
to surrender myself into your hands
without reserve, and with boundless confidence,
for you are my Father.

Make it a good week

Father David

Priest & Sinner

Food Pantry

Due to the increase in food cost and increased need, your donations are appreciated more than ever. The following items are always needed: plastic grocery bags, soup, saltine crackers, graham crackers, canned vegetables, canned fruit, macraonie and cheese, pork and beans, peanut butter, jelly, canned tuna fish, ramen noodles, pasta, pasta sauce, ravioli, beefaroni, canned beef stew and canned chili. Food donations are to be left at the Altar of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Cash/check contributions are also welcome! Thank you for your support.

Saint Michael the Archangel

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan, and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.



Prayer for the Beatification of Rhoda Wise

Heavenly Father, the love of your crucified Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ, sustained the Servant of God, Rhoda Wise, in her many sufferings and made her by grace a strong woman of faith. She led others to the Sacred Heart of Your Son, Jesus. She devoutly promoted daily recitation of the Most Holy Rosary. Prayers were answered.



Faith was strengthened. May her Beatification come quickly as we ask for her intercession in this need. . . (pause and add your intention). We ask this through the Heart of Jesus Christ, Your Son, Our Lord. Amen

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Basilica of Saint John the Baptist and Saint Peter Parish Holy Name Society

BIG BUCK BONANZA Mega Prize Give-Away

Drawings October 7 through December 8, 2024 Winners every week for 10 weeks - \$100 - \$50 - \$30 Plus \$600 of gift cards in \$50 bundles

Bonus Drawing - November 4, 2024 - \$500 - \$300 Grand Prize Drawing - December 9, 2024 - \$1,000

Winning tickets will be re-entered after every drawing.
Winners announced in the Parish Bulletin.
Profits support Saint Peter School, Parish Food Pantry
and other activites of our

Downtown Canton Catholic Community.

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2024 Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Celebration

The Catholic Diocese of Youngstown cordially invites couple celebrating their

25th, 40th, 50th *and over* Wedding Anniversaries

to a special Mass at 2:00 PM

Sunday, October 27, 2024

The Basilica of Saint John the Baptist

627 McKinley Avenue NW Canton, Ohio 44703

Please contact the Parish Office to register for this Mass

Funeral Mass - Pre-planning

Many people have asked if they can make "pre-arrangements" for their funeral liturgy. They want to alleviate this burden, during a difficult time, for their family by planning their own funeral. Many people have already started this process. If you are interested in doing so, several documents (Readings and Music List) and a set of instructions (prepared by Father Sheridan) will be emailed to you and you may return them at your leisure. After all the readings, hymns/songs are chosen, a document will be prepared containing all of this information in an organized fashion, then signed by the person making the arrangements, the priest and the organist/director of music, then filed away until it is needed. more information, please e-mail or call, Bobby Sullivan at musicatthebasilica@gmail.com or 330-453-8493 x 205.

A parishioner in good standing is: "One who is REGISTERED and actively participates in the liturgical life of the parish through the generous, sacrificial and proportionate sharing of his/her God-given giftedness of time, talent, and treasure."

Saint John Cemetery Saint Peter Cemetery

Two years ago Saint John Cemetery and Saint Peter Cemetery installed a Columbarium in each cemetery. A columbarium is a structure of vaults (or niches) lined with recesses for an urn of cremated remains. With the increase of cremation throughout the country, this could be an option for you to consider for your final resting place. Pricing begins at \$2,000.00 up to \$3,000.00. This includes opening/closing the niche at the time of death, the engraving on the marble plate which covers each niche. There are 96 niches at Saint John Cemetery and 35 niches at Saint Peter Cemetery. Pictures of each columbarium can be found below. If you are interested, please call the Parish Office.



Saint Peter Columbarium

Saint John Columbarium

Book Club

Please join us for our next book on Thursday, August 29th from 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM in the St. Peter Rectory. We will be discussing the book "The Day the World Came to Town by Jim DeFede. If you have any questions or would like to join the book club, please call Lori Roethlisberger at the Rectory.

THE DAY
THE WORLD
CAME TO TOWN

9/11 IN
GANDER, NEWFOUNDLAND
JIM DEFEDE

When 38 jetliners bound for the United States were forced

to land at Gander International Airport in Canada by the closing of U.S. airspace on September 11, the population of this small town on Newfoundland Island swelled from 10,300 to nearly 17,000. The citizens of Gander met the stranded passengers with an overwhelming display of friendship and goodwill.

School Supplies Needed



St. Peter School June/July

SCHOOL SUPPLIES NEEDED

St. Peter School is always grateful for the loving support given by our parishes to our students. If you are able and willing to donate here is a list of supplies we are in need of for the upcoming school year:

Glue Sticks

Crayons 24 count

Colored Pencils 12 count

Washable Markers 10 count

Black Expo Markers

Multi Color Expo Markers

Black Sharpie Markers

Multi Color Sharpie Markers

Student Scissors

Small Dry Erase Boards

1-Subject Wide Rule Notebooks

Composition Notebooks

Plastic Pencil Boxes

Mechanical Pencils

Regular #2 Pencils

We will have a box at the back of the church for items to be put in during the month of July. Thank you in advance for your continued support!!



Religious Education

CCD Program (Grades K-8)

CCD begins in 2 weeks!

 September 8: First Day of Class and Parent Meeting



Confirmation

The registration form and calendar for the 2025 Sacrament of Confirmation went out in the mail. If you did not receive one, please contact Madison.

• **September 6**: Confirmation Registration due

Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA)

Those interested in becoming Catholic are invited to our OCIA sessions, beginning **September 12**. They will be held at St. Paul Catholic Church on Thursday evenings from 7:00-9:00 PM in collaboration with a few other parishes. Participants will learn about the Catholic faith through prayer, teachings, and discussion. A children's adaptation is available as well. If you or someone you know are interested in becoming Catholic, please contact Madison for the OCIA registration and calendar.

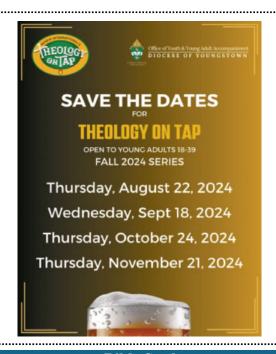
Adult Faith Formation

All adults are welcome to come to monthly discussion-based formation gatherings on the Augustine Institute's video series, "The Search." Come discover the profound meaning of your life over breakfast and coffee! These seven gatherings will be held in the St. Peter Hall on Sunday mornings 8:45-10:00 AM on the following dates: Oct. 6, Nov. 3, Dec. 8, Jan. 5, Feb. 2, Mar. 2, Apr. 6.



Young Adult Group (Ages 18-39)

Young adults ages 18-39 are welcome to join us every other Wednesday at 6:00 PM in the St. Peter Rectory for fellowship and theological discussions. The next meeting is this Wednesday.



Bible Study

Bible study will begin again on **September 19**. We will be studying the Book of Hosea. It is held on Thursday mornings from 9:30-11:00 AM in the Gallagher Center. You do not need to read ahead of time. All are welcome!

Seeking Volunteers!

Contact Madison if Interested

- 1. CCD Catechists: Be available as a full time (5th-6th grade) or substitute (any grade) catechist during CCD which takes place on Sundays from September to April, 8:45-10:00 AM. Lesson plans are pre-made.
- **2. CCD Door Attendant:** Be present in the front school office during CCD to let in families and keep an eye on the cameras.

Director of Religious Education

Madison Smith 330-453-8493 x 204 madison.smith@youngstowndiocese.org

This Week

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Sunday - August 2	25	Two	enty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time	
8:30 AM	(St. John)	¥	Grace Hammond	
	(01100111)	/ A 1	(Tim & Holly Maloney)	
10:30 AM	(St. Peter)	\mathbf{x}	Dr. Douglas Wurzbach	
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Lamp	(St. John)	\mathbf{x}		
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Monday - August 26		NO	NO MASS	
Tuesday - August	27			
6:00 PM	(Chapel*)	¥	For our parishioners	
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Wednesday - August 28				
8:30 AM	(Chapel*)	¥	Anna & William Nichols	
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9:00 AM	(St. John)		Food Pantry - OPEN	
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Thursday - August 29				
8:30 AM	(Chapel*)	\mathbf{x}	Joanne Birmingham	
	(1 /	-	(Matt & Lynn Bolek)	
11:00 AM	(St. John)		Samaritan's Table	
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Friday -August 30				
8:30 AM	(St. John)	X	Cathy Taylor	
			(Linda Kramer)	
Saturday - August 31				
4:00 PM	(St. Peter)	\maltese	Rich Pope	
			(Rick & Pam Pope)	
Sunday - September 1 T				
8:30 AM			enty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time	
8:30 AM	(St. John)	¥	Michael & Joanne Birmingham	
10.20 AM	(St Dotors)	.	(MAtt & Lynn Bolek) Mary Evans	
10:30 AM	(St. Peter)	¥	(Family)	
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Collection Totals

\$ 13,501.14

Thank you for contributions!

Church Doors

Please remember that the four side doors at Saint Peter Church automatically lock, ten minutes after Mass begins. The only way <u>back in</u> to the nave of the church is by using the main entrace at the front of the building. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause you.

Liturgical Ministries

August 24 & 25					
Lector	(CDC)	A.D.			
4:00 PM	(SPC)	A Bing			
8:30 AM	(B)	S Nikishin			
10:30 AM	(SPC)	M Moriarty			
•		Holy Communion			
4:00 PM	(SPC)	J Bing, J & E Lewis, J Moeglin L & M Bolek, G Foltz, B Calzola			
8:30 AM 10:30 AM	(B)				
Servers	(SPC)	A & D Kaminski, R Lawrence, D Moeglin			
4:00 PM	(SPC)	G & J Bing			
8:30 AM	(B)	O & J Bling			
10:30 AM	(SPC)	U Ding			
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4:00 PM	(SPC)	B Bowe			
8:30 AM	(B)	M Kirsch			
10:30 AM	(SPC)	A Kaminski			
Cantor:	(51 C)	J GraySmith			
Cantor.		Jolaysiniai			
August 31 & September 1					
Lector					
4:00 PM	(SPC)	R Pope			
8:30 AM	(B)	R Rossiter			
10:30 AM	(SPC)	B Matthews			
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4:00 PM	(SPC)	P Pope, B Wenger, D Becherer, B Hart			
8:30 AM	(B)	M Burkhart, G Foltz, F & C Frenz			
10:30 AM	(SPC)	N Matthews, P & B Richardson, J Thompson			
Servers	()	,			
4:00 PM	(SPC)	G & K Bing			
8:30 AM	(B)				
10:30 AM	(SPC)	H Bing			
Rosary		•			
4:00 PM	(SPC)	A Bing			
8:30 AM	(B)	M Kirsch			
10:30 AM	(SPC)	R Schweitzer			
Cantor:		R Bazzoli			

Votive Candles

Candles are available in front of the Altar of the Blessed Virgin Mary in both churches. The candles are \$3.00 each. If you do not have cash for the collection box, you may write a check (payable to the **Altar Rosary Guild**) for the entire month. The money is used to buy additional candles. Thank you.

Before Mass

Be thoughtful, Be silent, Be reverent, Speak with the Lord

During Mass

Allow the Lord to speak to you

After Mass

Speak to one another







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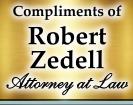
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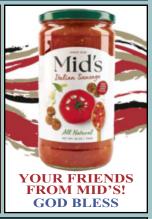


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