Powntown Canton Catholic Community





Basilica of Saint John the Baptist and Saint Peter Parish



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Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time - September 8, 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.

Qusic For Qass

ORGAN

Trompette Richard Proulx

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

You are just, O Lord, and your judgment is right; treat your servant in accord with your merciful love.

Introductory Rites

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

God, Whose Almighty Word



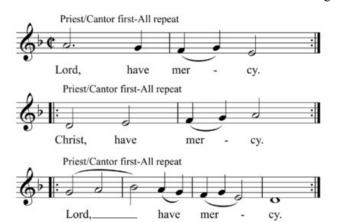
God, Whose Almighty Word Italian Hymn

This text was written by John Marriott around the year 1813, but it was not published during his lifetime. Six weeks after his death, Thomas Mortimer quoted it in a speech for the London Missionary Society. It was publised in *Evangelical Magazine*, New Series (1825). The first line was originally "Thou, whose almighty word."

This tune, written by Felice de Giardini, takes its name from the nationaltiy of the composer. It is also known as Moscow, which is the place Giardini died. The tune is in its original form with the exception of the thirteenth measure. . . all three notes are F's in the original.

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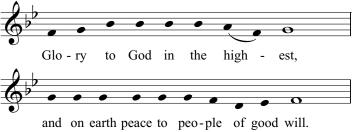
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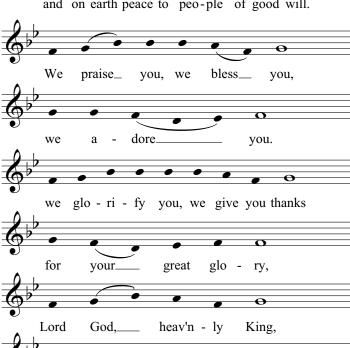


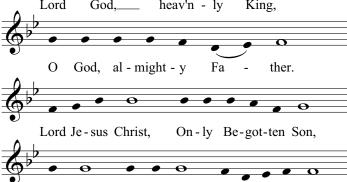
GLORIA

Antiphonal Gloria

John Lee







Lord God, Lamb of God,

Son of the Fa-ther,



Gloria

FIRST READING

Isaiah 35:4-7

A Reading from the Book of the Prophet Isaiah:

Thus says the LORD: Say to those whose hearts are frightened: Be strong, fear not! Here is your God, he comes with vindication; with divine recompense he comes to save you. Then will the eyes of the blind be opened, the ears of the deaf be cleared; then will the lame leap like a stag, then the tongue of the mute will sing. Streams will burst forth in the desert, and rivers in the steppe. The burning sands will become pools, and the thirsty ground, springs of water.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 146



Praise the Lord, my soul! Praise the Lord!

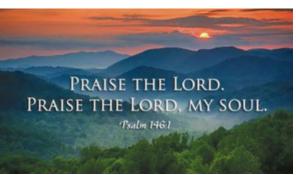
It is the Lord who preserves fidelity forever, who does justice to those who are oppressed.

It is he who gives bread to the hungry, the Lord who sets prisoners free. R

The Lord who opens the eyes of the blind, the Lord who raises up those who are bowed down. It is the Lord who loves the just, the Lord who protects the stranger. R

The Lord upholds the orphan and the widow, but thwarts the parth of the wicked. The Lord will reign forever, the God of Sion, from age to age.

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SECOND READING

My brothers and sisters, show no partiality as you adhere to the faith in our glorious Lord Jesus Christ. For if a man with gold rings and fine clothes comes into your assembly, and a poor person in shabby clothes also comes in, and you pay attention to the one wearing the fine clothes and say, "Sit here, please," while you say to the poor one, "Stand there," or "Sit at my feet," have you not made distinctions among yourselves and

become judges with evil designs? Listen, my beloved

brothers and sisters. Did not God choose those who are

poor in the world to be rich in faith and heirs of the

kingdom that he promised to those who love him?

A reading from the Letter of Saint James:

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Howard Huges, SM







GOSPEL READING

Mark 7:31-37

The Lord be with you.

And with your spirit.

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

Again Jesus left the district of Tyre and went by way of Sidon to the Sea of Galilee, into the district of the Decapolis. And people brought to him a deaf man who had a speech impediment and begged him to lay his hand on him. He took him off by himself away from the crowd. He put his finger into the man's ears and, spitting, touched his tongue; then he looked up to heaven and groaned, and said to him, "Ephphatha!"—that is, "Be opened!" — And immediately the man's ears were

opened, his speech impediment was removed, and he spoke plainly. He ordered them not to tell anyone. But the more he ordered them not to, the more they proclaimed it. They were exceedingly astonished and they said, "He has done all things well. He makes the deaf hear and the mute speak."

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.

Titurgy Of The Tucharist

PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS

Your Hands, O Lord, in Days of Old



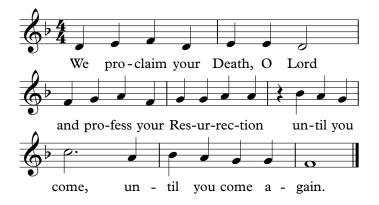
He makes the deaf hear and the mute speak.



MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

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Heritage Mass
Owen Alstott



Ho-san-na in the high

AMEN

Heritage Mass
Owen Alstott

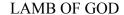


Communion Rite

LORD'S PRAYER

SIGN OF PEACE

Peace



Mass of Creation
Marty Haugen

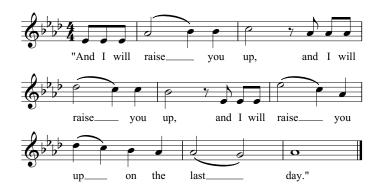


COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Like a deer that yearns for running streams, so my soul is yearning for you, my God; my soul is thirsting for God, the living God

MUSIC DURING COMMUNION

I Am the Bread of Life



Concluding Rite

ORGAN

Make a Joyful Noise
Alan Viner

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."

Household of God - by Father Misbrener

Dear Friends:

Grandparents Day September 8, 2024

Dear Parishioners and Friends:

National Grandparents Day is celebrated today. It is not a public holiday, but it is a day that is set aside to celebrate our grandparents.



What do people do?

Many people honor their grandparents through a range of activities, card-giving, and for children to invite their grandparents to school where they can participate in special lessons or special assembly programs. Many school students take part in story-telling activities that relate to their grandparents, as well as poster competitions where children often use a story about their grandparents in their artwork.

About four million greeting cards are sent within the United States each year on National Grandparents Day. This day is also an opportunity for people to appreciate and express their love to their grandparents through kind actions such as making a phone call or inviting their grandparents for dinner. Hopefully people living in retirement villages or nursing homes may receive a visit from their grandchildren or loved ones on this day.

National Grandparents Day has more than one origin. Some people consider it to have been first proposed by Michael Goldgar in the 1970s after he visited his aunt in an Atlanta nursing home. Spending \$11,000 of his own money in lobbying efforts to have the day officially recognized, he made 17 trips to Washington DC over a seven-year span to meet with legislators.

Others consider Marian Lucille Herndon McQuade, a housewife in West Virginia to have been the main driver for the day of observance. Throughout the 1970s McQuade worked hard to educate the people about the important contributions senior citizens made and the contributions they would be willing to make if asked. She

also urged people to adopt a grandparent, not for one day a year and not for material giving, but for a lifetime of experience.

In any event, National Grandparents Day was finally signed into law by President Jimmy Carter in 1978. Marian McQuade received a phone call from the White House to advise her of the event. Many people believe that National Grandparents Day was inspired by her efforts. A presidential proclamation on September 6, 1979, made the day official--it designated September 9, 1979, (being the "first Sunday of September following Labor Day') as National Grandparents Day in the United States. It is celebrated in many countries of the world, beginning in Poland in the 1960s.

Symbols:

The official song of National Grandparents Day is "A Song for Grandma and Grandpa" by Johnny Prill. The official flower for the day is the "forget-me-not" flower.

I was blessed to have all of my grandparents into late adulthood. There isn't a day that goes by where I don't think of them in some way, especially the joy and support they gave to me growing up, and the support of my religious vocation.

Be sure to give your grandparents a call today, especially if you still have them. If they are in heaven now, be sure to offer a prayer for them.

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.

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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Living Bread Radio

The Living Bread Radio Network Benefit Dinner is an annual fundraiser event that benefits the work of your local Catholic Radio - a 501(c)3 non-profit, planting seeds of faith, hope and love by creating Christ-centered communities for families. in honor of their 20-year anniversary will be hosting Bishop Joseph Strickland and Jesse Romero at Guy's Party Center on Tuesday, October 15, 2024. Doors open at 6:00 PM with a cash bar, and Dinner will begin at 7:00 PM

Tickets are just \$25 per person. For a personal invitation, or more information call 330-966-2903, or email Molly at mromano@livingbreadradio.com

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.



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



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.

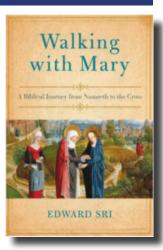


Saint Peter Columbarium

Saint John Columbarium

Book Club

Please join us for our next book on Tuesday, September 24th from 6:00-7:00 PM in the St. Peter Rectory. We will be discussing the book "Walking with Mary: A Biblical Journey from Nazareth to the Cross" by Edward Sri. If you have any questions or would like to join the book club, please contact Madison Smith at the Rectory.



Father Misbrener will be away on Thursday, September 12, 2024. He will be attending the priests Ministry Day in Youngstown.

Prayer Line Changes

New Phone Number **330-453-8493 x 201**

We have made a few changes to the prayer line for our parish. The new phone number is listed above. If you have a prayer request, you may leave a voicemail or (email) for Our Parish Secretary, Lori Roethlisberger, who in turn will dissemenate the information to two different people: Sandy Peffer - if you wish to receive emails and Ramona Kennedy - if you wish to receive either a phone call or text message. Prayer requests will be removed after two months. You may add your request as many times (after it is removed) as you like. If you would like to be included in receiving these requests to add them to your daily prayer life. . . please let Lori know.

We thank these ladies for keeping this important information updated and shared with so many.

Oktoberfest

SAVE THE DATE!!!!

5th Annual Oktoberfest

Saturday, September 28, 2024 5:15-8:30 PM Basilica Parish Hall \$25.00 pp

Sauerkraut Balls
Pretzels
Bratwurst & Sauerkraut
Chicken Schnitzel
Smashed Potatoes
Dessert
BYOB

MUST RSVP by September 23rd Pamela Pope-330-453-8493 x 207 bsjspcpa@att.net



CCD Program (Grades K-8)

CCD begins this weekend! Pray for our awesome youth to encounter Christ.

• October 20th: Fall Break

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.

Formation Meeting Dates TBA

Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA)

Those interested in becoming Catholic are invited to our OCIA sessions, beginning **this Thursday**, **Sept. 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. The children's adaptation of OCIA begins **this Tuesday**, **Sept. 10** at 3:30 PM in the St. Peter Rectory. If you or someone you know are interested in becoming Catholic, please contact Madison for more information.

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**, **September 11**.

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. Just show up! ©

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!

CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF YOUNGSTOWN SAFE ENVIRONMENT POLICY FOR THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN AND VULNERABLE ADULTS

EDUCATION & SCREENING

All clergy, religious, seminarians/persons in formation, and employees, as well as any volunteers who work with children, young people, or vulnerable adults, are required to complete a background check and safe environment training. For more information about our safe environment compliance requirements visit: doy.org/safe-environment/.

REPORTING & VICTIM ASSISTANCE

If you or someone you know has been abused or victimized by someone representing the Catholic Church, the Diocese encourages you to come forward and speak out by contacting Civil Authorities and Mr. Dominic Colucy, Victim Assistance Coordinator. Mr. Colucy is available to help. He will listen to your needs and support you. He will help you make a formal complaint.

Contact Information

Confidential Response Line: 330-718-1388
Email: dcolucy@youngstowndiocese.org
By Mail: Catholic Diocese of Youngstown, Attn:
Dominic Colucy
144 W. Wood St., Youngstown, OH 44503

Contact information for Civil Authorities can be found at: doy.org/safe-environment/.

Director of Religious Education

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

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Sunday - Septem	ber 8	Tw	enty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:30 AM	(St. John)	¥	Marci Zabranski
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10:30 AM	(St. Peter)	X	
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Lamp	(St. Peter)	¥	Special Intention
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Monday - September 9		NO	MASS
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6:00 PM	(Chapel*)	X	Dr. Richard Wade, DVM
			(Michelle Kirsch)
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8:30 AM	(Chapel*)	X	Jerry Romary
			(Carol Romary)
9:00 AM	(St. John)		Food Pantry - OPEN
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Thursday - Septe			
8:30 AM	(Chapel*)	X	
11:00 AM	(St. John)		Samaritan's Table
Friday -Septemb	er 13		
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		_	(Paul & Lori Roethlisberger)
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Lamp	(St. Peter)	\mathbf{X}	Special Intention

Collection Totals

\$9,195.00

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

September 7 & 8				
Lector		•		
4:00 PM	(SPC)	R Pope		
8:30 AM	(B)	E DeChellis, Jr.		
10:30 AM	(SPC)	D Kaminski		
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion				
4:00 PM	(SPC)	T Biddle, A Bing, P Pope, K Kellogg		
8:30 AM	(B)	B & V Calzola, C & F Frenz		
10:30 AM	(SPC)	B Nieschwitz, C Sbaraglia, D Moeglin		
Servers				
4:00 PM	(SPC)	J & K Bing		
8:30 AM	(B)	B Nikishin		
10:30 AM	(SPC)	H Bing		
Rosary				
4:00 PM	(SPC)	B Bowe		
8:30 AM	(B)	M Kirsch		
10:30 AM	(SPC)	A Kaminski		
Cantor:		F Scott		
September 14 & 15				
Lector		•		
4:00 PM	(SPC)	A Bing		
8:30 AM	(B)	D Foltz		
10:30 AM	(SPC)	D Smith		
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion				
4:00 PM	(SPC)	D Becherer, B Hart, JE & J Lewis		
8:30 AM	(B)	G Foltz, C & F Frenz, V Calzola		
10:30 AM	(SPC)	J Moeglin, M Moriarty, N & B Matthews		
Servers				
4:00 PM	(SPC)	J & G Bing		
8:30 AM	(B)	B Nikishin		
10:30 AM	(SPC)	H Bing		
Rosary				
4:00 PM	(SPC)	R Schweitzer		
8:30 AM	(B)	M Kirsch		
10:30 AM	(SPC)	G Mangus		
Cantor:		M McDonal		

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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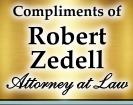
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