### MASS INTENTIONS/LITURGIES August 23-31, 2025

Saturday, August 23, 2025

3:00 p.m. (ST. PAT) Confession

4:00 p.m. (ST. PAT) Mary, Queen of Angels Parishioners

Living and Deceased Members of

6:00 p.m. (SMOW) the Leugers & Martin Families

by Joe & Kathy Leuger

Sunday, August 24, 2025

The Zumberger Family 8:00 a.m. (SMOW)

by Nancy Nolan

Wayne George

10:00 a.m. (ST. PAT) BD Remembrance

by Leanna and Charlie George

Tuesday, August 26, 2025

8:00 a.m. (ST. PAT) Russ Weiser by Judy Weiser

Wednesday, August 27, 2025

8:00 a.m. (SMOW) Nolan Purk by The Ternasky Family

Thursday, August 28, 2025

6:15 p.m. (SMOW) Nolan Purk by The Ternasky Family

6:45 p.m. (SMOW) Adoration/Confession

Friday, August 29, 2025

8:00 a.m. (SMOW) Roger Schulze by Wanda Homan

8:45 a.m. (SMOW) Confession

Saturday, August 30, 2025

3:00 p.m. (ST. PAT) Confession

4:00 p.m. (ST. PAT) Gertie Arbogast by Karen and Ed Fisher

Shirley Block

6:00 p.m. **(SMOW)** by Oscar & Martha Etgen

Sunday, August 31, 2025

8:00 a.m. **(SMOW)** Tony & Mary Luthman by The Ben Luthman Family

10:00 a.m. (ST. PAT) Mary, Queen of Angels Parishioners

## The Month of August is dedicated to The Immaculate Heart of Mary



### **Immaculate Heart of Mary Prayer:**

Father, You prepared the heart of the Virgin Mary to be a fitting home for Your Holy Spirit. By her prayers, may we become more worthy of Your Glory. Grant this through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. Amen



Whether you recently moved here or are just visiting, we are happy that you are with us. If you would like to join our Parish Family, please contact the

Parish Office for a registration form. We ask that all parishioners please let us know of changes in addresses or phone numbers.

St. Mary of the Woods

St. Patrick Church

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### **ROSARY**

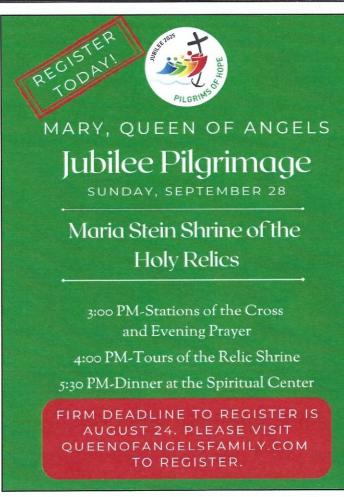
On Monday evenings at 6:00 p.m., through October 27th, the Rosary will be recited on the portico of SMOW Church. (If weather is inclement, Rosary will be inside.) Bring your lawn chair and rosary!

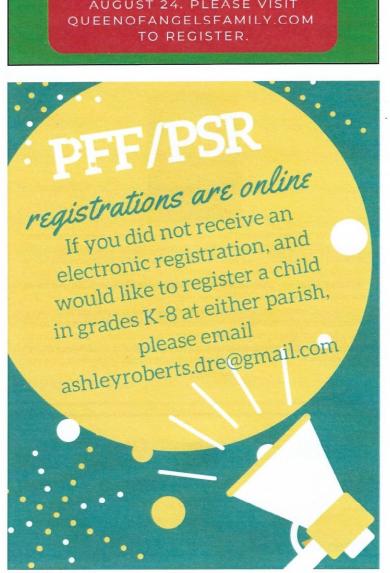


Thursday, September 11 7 PM Social 7:30 Speaker ~ Loramie Brew Bank

Father Adam Berning ed Heart & Associate Pastor St. Isl Farmer Family of Parishes "What Our Music Means"









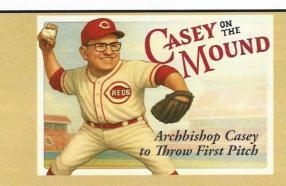
# St. Joseph Boot Camp Be a Man

Men have been missing in our parishes. To restore our parishes and communities we must restore men as leaders in their families, parish, and community. The St. Joseph Boot Camp is a program designed to exercise men in their spiritual fatherhood and build relationships with the men of their parish, show men concrete ways to practice their faith, form good habits, and live a rule of life, develop Catholic friendship and fraternity among men, and establish a spiritual legacy that will last generations.

The program consists of 1 monthly meeting on the 2nd Saturday of the month in the Rectory basement with Fr. Kevin LeMelle. The first meeting is September 13th at 7:00 a.m.

The episodes for our 9-month boot camp can be found at the link below:

https://stjosephsociety.org/st-joseph-boot-camp/



Archbishop Casey to Throw Out First Pitch at Reds Game

#### Archbishop Casey on the Mound

Archbishop Robert Casey will throw out the ceremonial first pitch at the Cincinnati Reds game on Saturday, Aug. 30, at Great American Ballpark. Bring your family and friends to the game between the Reds and the St. Louis Cardinals, and come early to see Archbishop Casey's pitch around 6:25 p.m. The ballgame will begin at 6:40 p.m.

#### **Celebrating Catholic Education**

The first pitch will be part of a special night at Great American Ballpark with the Archdiocese of Cincinnati! In addition to Archbishop Casey's participation, the evening will include a celebration of Catholic schools across the archdiocese who educate 42,000 students annually. Catholic school principals from all 87 grade schools and 24 high schools will be invited onto the field around 6:20 p.m. to be recognized before the game.

### **Get Tickets and Support Catholic Education Foundation**

You are invited to come join us at the ballpark by purchasing discounted tickets for the Aug. 30 game. For each discounted ticket purchased through the website below, \$5 will be donated to the Catholic Education Foundation of the Archdiocese of Cincinnati. To purchase tickets please visit https://www.gofevo.com/event/Archdiocesecincinnati2

### **READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 24, 2025**

**Sunday, August 24:** Isaiah 66:18-21; Psalms 117:1, 2; Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13; John 14:6; Luke 13:22-30

Monday, August 25: First Thessalonians 1:1-5, 8b-10; Psalms 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b; John 10:27;

Matthew 23:13-22

Tuesday, August 26: First Thessalonians 2:1-8; Psalms 139:1-3, 4-6; Hebrews 4:12; Matthew 23:23-26

Wednesday, August 27: First Thessalonians 2:9-13; Psalms 139:7-8, 9-10, 11-12ab; First John 2:5;

Matthew 23:27-32

Thursday, August 28: First Thessalonians 3:7-13; Psalms 90:3-5a, 12-13, 14 and 17; Matthew 24:42a, 44;

Matthew 24:42-51

Friday, August 29: First Thessalonians 4:1-8; Psalms 97:1 and 2b, 5-6, 10, 11-12; Matthew 5:10;

Mark 6:17-29

**Saturday, August 30:** First Thessalonians 4:9-11; Psalms 98:1, 7-8, 9; John 13:34; Matthew 25:14-30

**Sunday, August 31:** Sirach 3:17-18, 20, 28-29; Psalms 68:4-5, 6-7, 10-11; Hebrews 12:18-19, 22-24a;

Matthew 11:29ab; Luke 14:1, 7-14

May the word of God be ever in my mind, proclaimed by my lips and pierce my heart, leading me to deeper communion with You, Jesus.

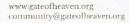


# You Are Invited to Pray With Us

Please join us for a solemn memorial prayer service at 9:00 AM, Saturday, September 13, 2025, in the Baby Garden (section 28 near the bell tower) at Gate of Heaven Catholic Cemetery, 11000 Montgomery Rd., Cincinnati, OH 45249.



Please join us for a memorial prayer service as we join other locations across the Nation to honor the memory of more than 63 million innocent lives lost to abortion, and those who continue to feel the impact of this profound loss. Please bring a folding chair. For more info on this national event: nationaldayofremembrance.org













The weekend of August 30 and 31, there will be a second collection for St. Vincent DePaul. Please make checks payable to "St. Patrick Church or St. Mary of Woods".

Thank You for your generosity!

# "For it is you who light my lamp; the Lord my God lightens my darkness."

Psalm 18:28



Join us for our first Paint and Sip - "Light in the Darkness" - event to be held at Makley Hall on Saturday, October 18, 2025 from 6:00 pm until we finish. A light meal will be provided - bring your favorite beverage/wine. All art supplies will be provided excepting an easel - you may bring one if you like. The cost to attend is \$25.00 per person - please make your check payable (include Paint and Sip on the memo line) to Saint Patrick Church and forward it along with the registration found on the table in cry room to the business office at 316 E. Patterson Ave., Bellefontaine, OH. This night of fun and spiritual fellowship is sponsored by the Mary Queen of Angles Family of Parishes Sack Lunch Ministry with the proceeds from the event to be donated for the upcoming remodel at Saint Patrick Church. Bring a guest - there is a limit of attendees to 45 people - registrations are due September 30, 2025.



On behalf of Mary, Queen of Angels Family Parishes we would like to introduce our new Seminary, Thomas Wheeler. In the coming weeks we will have more information on him.

### LITURGICAL MINISTERS

AUGUST 30-31, 2025

ST. MARY C	F THE WOODS	
	SATURDAY, AUGUST 30 6:00 p.m.	SUNDAY, AUGUST 31 8:00 a.m.
Servers:	Eli Baughman	Corbin Wilson
	Ezra Winner	Ash Wilson
	Micah Winner	Lincoln Nielsen
Readers:	Dr. Tom Ray	Jan Knight
EEM:		Kevin Knight
Ushers:	Nick Baughman	David Shoffner
	Volunteers	Fred Wheeler
		Bob Stroebel
		Susan Brunner
Cantors:	Winners	Ashley
Sacristan:	Renee Winner	Laurie Stroebel
ST. PATRIC	К	
	SATURDAY, AUGUST 30	SUNDAY, AUGUST 31
	4:00 p.m.	10:00 a.m.
	Mason Marcinko	Antonio Avalos
Servers:	Kaije Snider	Cayde Buck
	McKenzie Vaido	Patrick Stolly
Readers:	Tim Smith	Keith LeVan
Readers:	Deb Baker	Kelsey Conklin
EEM:	Mary Smith	Catherine Oder



### ADULT CHOIR PRACTICE

(St. Patrick)

Starting Wednesday, September 17<sup>th</sup> in the Choir Room at 6:00 PM. All are welcomed

### YOUR TITHE TO GOD

WEEKEND OF AUGUST 16-AUGUST 17, 2025

	ST. MARY	ST	PATRICK
MASS COUNT:	Not available		379
ASSUMPTION COUNT:	at time of print		284
SUNDAY COLLECTION:	\$	\$	5,387.00
ONLINE COLLECTION:	\$	\$	761.38
MISSIONS:	\$	\$	50.00
ASSUMPTION:	\$	\$	1,633.00
BUILDING IMPROVEMENT:	\$	\$	165.00
ARCHDIOCESE ASSESSMENT:		\$	276.00
OTHER (SVDP)	\$	\$	25.00
TOTAL TITHING:	\$	\$	8,297.38

Thank you for your support through your continued contributions and prayers!

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# 50 Golden Jubilee Wedding Anniversary

Couples celebrating jubilee anniversaries (25th, 50th, 55th, 60th, etc.) in 2025 are invited to Mass with Archbishop Casey on September 6 (Dayton) or 7 (Cincinnati). Family members are welcome to attend as well, and a special blessing will be offered to the jubilarian couples. Couples should RSVP online by August 25.

Register here



Saturday, September 6th, 5:00pm
Church of the Incarnation (Centerville)
Sunday, September 7th, 10:00am
Cathedral Basilica of St. Peter in Chains (Cincinnati)

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### PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY!

Intention:	
Offered by:	
Date requested:	
Mass time requested:	
# of Masses you are paying for:	

Every attempt will be made to schedule the date and Mass time requested; however, funerals and prior requests may prevent this.

# MASS INTENTIONS:

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