

St. Francis de Sales Parish

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH



Fr. Jeremy Merzweiler
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School:
330-644-0638 or stfparishschool.org

Parish Registration:
Please see the Priest
after any of the weekend Masses
or call the Parish Office.

Parish Office Hours:
Monday through Friday,
9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

Masses: Saturday Vigil: 5:00 p.m., Sunday: 7:30, 9:00, 11:00 a.m.
Monday through Saturday, 8:15 a.m.; Tuesday and Thursday 6:30 p.m.

Confessions: Thursday, 5:30-6:15 p.m.; Saturday, 9:00-9:45 a.m.; or call the office
at 330-644-2225 for an appointment.

Baptisms: Please make arrangements with the Parish Office.

Weddings: Arrangements with the Parish Priest are to be made at least six months before the
wedding date.

Anointing of the Sick: At any time. Please call the Parish Office at 330-644-2225.

TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
SEPTEMBER 17, 2023

*Masses For
The Week*



**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, TWENTY-FOURTH
SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

7:30 a.m. Daniel Holland
 (Vince & Linda Greczanik)
 9:00 a.m. Anna Feltrup (Kathie Masters)
 11:00 a.m. Pro Populo

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

8:15 a.m. Living & Deceased of the Dougherty &
 Robinson Families
 (Kathleen Dougherty)

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, ST. JANUARIUS

8:15 a.m. Mary Ellen Truxell (Darrow Family)
 6:30 p.m. Michel Murphy (Dennis Murphy Family)

**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, SS. ANDREW KIM
TAE-GON, PAUL CHONG HA-SANG &
COMPANIONS**

8:15 a.m. Bob Zeis (Wife, Margaret)

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, ST. MATTHEW

8:15 a.m. George M. Kusnir (Family)
 6:30 p.m. Michael Tomanek (Ann Marie Phillips)

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

8:15 a.m. Margaret Cooney
 (Kathy & Don McCabe)
 9:00 a.m. Stephen Stone (Louis & Laurene Scala)

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 23,
ST. PIUS OF PIETRELCINA**

8:15 a.m. John Letz (Marty & Liz Misbrener)
 5:00 p.m. Jim Durkin (Family)

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, TWENTY-FIFTH
SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

7:30 a.m. Delores Hoosic
 (Tom & Mary Ann Andes)
 9:00 a.m. Pro Populo
 11:00 a.m. Betty & Jim Geig (Geig Family)

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Tm 2:1-8; Lk 7:1-10
Tuesday: 1 Tm 3:1-13; Lk 7:11-17
Wednesday: 1 Tm 3:14-16; Lk 7:31-35
Thursday: Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Mt 9:9-13
Friday: 1 Tm 6:2c-12; Lk 8:1-3
Saturday: 1 Tm 6:13-16; Lk 8:4-15
Sunday: Is 55:6-9; Phil 1:20c-24, 27a;
 Mt 20:1-16a

FOR IF WE LIVE, WE LIVE FOR THE LORD!

"Brothers and sisters: None of us lives for oneself, and no one dies for oneself. For if we live, we live for the Lord, and if we die, we die for the Lord; so then, whether we live or die, we are the Lord's. For this is why Christ died and came to life, that he might be Lord of both the dead and the living."
 (Romans 14:7-9)



Everything we do, we do for the Lord! Whether it be the **Parish Festival** that took place last weekend, or the **Color Run Fundraiser** in the School that took place this past week, our challenge is to do all things for the glory and honor of God. Because if it isn't for the Lord, who is it for? The goal of our lives is to get to the point that "He might be Lord of both the dead and the living."

Once this reality happens in our minds and hearts, we can begin to surrender our way of thinking and welcome His way of thinking. Instead of us choosing who has value in life, we can turn that task to God. God is the author of all life. We are not the Lord of Lords....Jesus is. What does this ultimately invite us to do? It invites us to a new openness to God's revelation, God's teaching, God's will in our lives. When it is no longer up to us and we leave it up to God, great freedom comes to our hearts. We don't have to live with the burden of being our own God and making those life-or-death decisions. In letting God lead, we can put that up to God and not us. As Catholic Christians, it is our call to help people get to know who God is in their lives and the beauty of His plan in bringing life and love into the world. Let's be a people who truly know the Lord and live for the Lord.

Just want you to be aware of a few things coming up in parish life...

- On **September 27 at 6:30 p.m. we will have an Informational Meeting** in the Gym that will be focused on problems surrounding **Issue 1**.
- On **Saturday, October 7 at the 5:00 p.m. Mass, we will have a Blue Mass** to honor first responders. We will bless our first responders after the Homily.
- Check out **CLEpriesthood.org** to see upcoming Vocation Office events at the Seminary. If you are thinking about priesthood or religious life, let me know.

**Let's live for the Lord,
Fr. Jeremy**

P.S. Thanks to all who made the Parish Festival as well as the Color Run Fundraiser possible. It took many hands. I am grateful for you! This year's Color Run will benefit the school in purchasing new flooring for the school. Thanks again!

**HERE'S WHAT'S HAPPENING
AROUND THE PARISH THIS WEEK...**

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

- 8th Grade Confirmation Welcome Session, following 9:00 a.m. Mass, School Gym

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

- SVdP Food Pantry Open, 9:00-9:30 a.m.
- Men's Basketball, 8:30 p.m. (Gym)

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

- Women's Study Group, 9:00-10:30 a.m.
- *What We Believe* Study, 9:00-10:30 a.m. (Beatitudes)
- RCIA, 7:00-8:30 p.m. (Memorare Center)

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

- Holy Angels Formation, 3:30 p.m., (Holy Family Room)
- Angels 101, 6:00 p.m. (Holy Family Room)
- Guardian Angels Formation, 7:15 p.m., (Holy Family Room)
- Flow in Faith, 7:00 p.m. (Beatitudes Room)
- Choir Practice, 7:00 p.m. (Church)
- *What We Believe* Study, 7:00-8:30 p.m. (St. Gerard Room)
- AA/Al-Anon, 7:30 p.m. (Upper Room)

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

- Thursday Scripture Group, 12:30-3:00 p.m. (St. Gerard Room)
- SVdP Food Pantry Open, 6:00-6:30 p.m.
- Confessions, 5:30-6:15 p.m.
- *What We Believe* Study, 7:15-9:00 p.m. (St. Gerard Room)

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

- Men's Group, 7:00 a.m. (Holy Family Room)
- Young Men's Group, 7:00 a.m. (St. Gerard Room)
- Confessions, 9:00-9:45 a.m.
- No Holy Hiking this week

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

- Prayers for Healing after the 11:00 a.m. Mass, meet by the St. Anthony statue
- Youth Group, 7:00 p.m. (Gym)

**WELCOME TO
ST. FRANCIS DE SALES
PARISH**

Are you new to the parish? To register as a new parishioner, give our Parish Office a call at 330-644-2225, see the priest after Mass, or join us at Donut Sundays to meet with a fellow parishioner.

"BE WHO YOU ARE AND BE THAT WELL."
St. Francis de Sales

REST IN PEACE

Please pray for the souls of **Margaret Mary Herold, Charles Robert Marshall, Kathleen Sibbio, Eva Sosa, Jack Steurer, and Frances Schenz** of our parish. May the Lord welcome them into eternal joy and give their families hope and comfort.

ADORER NEEDED

We are in need of an Adorer for the following time:
Tuesday, 9:30-10:30 a.m.
If you are able to fill this, please call Joanne at 330-338-4810.

COLLECTION INFORMATION

September 2/3

		Offertory
Sunday	\$	16,017.00
Assessment	\$	20.00
Capital	\$	380.00
School	\$	165.00
TOTAL	\$	16,582.00

September 9/10

	Offertory	Faith Direct
Sunday	\$ 12,223.00	\$ 12,479.77
Assessment	\$ 125.00	\$ 100.00
Capital	\$ 135.00	\$ 150.00
School	\$ 107.00	\$ 330.00
Faith & Values	\$ 5.00	
Communications		\$ 10.00
Special Gift		\$ 50.00
TOTAL	\$ 12,595.00	\$ 13,119.77

GRAND TOTAL \$25,714.77

Our parish is blessed by your generosity!



VOCATION CRUCIFIX

"The harvest is abundant, but the laborers are few; so ask the Master of the harvest to send out laborers for His harvest" (Mt. 9:37-38).

Receiving the Vocation Crucifix and praying for vocations is a beautiful and simple way to ask the Master to send out more laborers for His harvest! Please contact the parish office any time to get your name on the list; there are many slots to be filled – 330-644-2225.

Jan Dodson received the Vocation Crucifix this weekend.

SFDS ALTAR SERVER MINISTRY

Attention all students, 5th grade and up: We will be training new servers in October. Please complete a registration form, found in the bulletin or on the parish website. These can be returned to the parish office or given to day school teachers.

Adults are welcome, too! We could use a few more volunteers for our adult server crew. Please pray about joining the ranks, it's a such a privilege to serve at the altar!

Contact Shirley Clark with questions at sclark@stfparish.com or 330-633-2225, ext. 215.

complete and return to
your teacher or
Mrs. Clark by
October 9, 2023

Altar Server Registration Form

The Altar Server Ministry is a unique one in the Catholic Church. The Altar Server fulfills a very important role at Mass. When you serve the priests and deacons, you serve the people of God, and above all, you serve Christ our Savior.

Young people from high school to the 5th grade are invited to serve in the Altar Server Ministry at St. Francis de Sales.
5-8th grade students serve at our Parish weekday Masses. ~ 9-12th grade serve at the weekend Masses.

Please Print:

Last Name		First Name	
Address		City	Zip Code
Telephone		Email	
School	Home Parish		Grade

I would like to commit to serving in the Altar Server Ministry at St. Francis de Sales Parish. I accept the responsibilities of this position and will do my best to honor Our Lord at Mass, and to assist at the altar prayerfully, with reverence and respect.

Student Signature

We give permission for our child to serve in the Altar Server Ministry at St. Francis de Sales Parish and we will assist our child to make certain that they meet the schedule requirements and support them in this ministry of service.

Parent/ Guardian Signature

Serving at the altar is a privileged way to draw closer to Jesus, which in turn enables you to open yourselves to others, to journey together, to set demanding goals and to find the strength to achieve them. The closer you are to the altar, the more you will remember to speak with Jesus in daily prayer; the more you will be nourished by the word and the body of the Lord, the better able you will be to go out to others, bringing them the gift that you have received, giving in turn with enthusiasm the joy you have received.

Pope Francis, August 4, 2015

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS ABOUT ISSUE 1



What is Issue 1?

Issue 1 is a proposed amendment to the Ohio Constitution that would endanger the health and safety of women, threaten parental rights, and allow for abortion through all nine months of pregnancy. Ohioans will vote on November 7, 2023, whether to make this change to the Ohio Constitution.

What would Issue 1 do?

Put women at risk:

- **Health and safety standards in Ohio could be eliminated.** Doctors could no longer need to examine a woman or explain the risks of the abortion procedure ahead of time.

Threaten parental rights:

- **A fifteen-year-old could have an abortion without her parents knowing.** Current Ohio law requires parental notification and consent before a child under 18 can obtain an abortion. These parental right protections could be removed as they directly conflict with the amendment which would allow all individuals, including minors, to make their own reproductive decisions.

Allow for abortions of fully formed babies:

- **Abortion would be legal through all 9 months of pregnancy.** Physicians at an abortion clinic could use a woman's age or emotional well-being as a reason to perform an abortion in the 3rd trimester.

See "[Where Does it Say That?](#)" for specific information.

Would abortion be illegal in Ohio if Issue 1 does not pass?

If Issue 1 does not pass, abortion would still be legal in Ohio until a baby's heartbeat can be detected. This standard was challenged in court and placed on hold, allowing for abortions up to 22 weeks as of September 15, 2023. Current laws that protect the safety of women and parental rights would stay in effect.

Doesn't Issue 1 simply restore Ohio back to when Roe v. Wade was in effect?

Issue 1 goes dangerously beyond what was legalized in the Roe v. Wade ruling. It opens the door to remove important health and safety measures that protect women, threatens parental consent and notification of any minor seeking an abortion, and allows for abortion through all nine months of pregnancy.

Will miscarriage care or ectopic pregnancy treatment be denied if Issue 1 fails?

The passing or failure of Issue 1 will have no effect on the care a pregnant woman receives when her life is in danger, even if the treatment results in the loss of life of her unborn child. There is a fundamental difference between an elective abortion and the care provided after a miscarriage. In the case of an ectopic pregnancy, the life-affirming option is to surgically remove the mother's fallopian tube in which the embryo has implanted. No law restricts this care in Ohio or any other state in the country.

How is the Church helping pregnant women in need?

For decades, numerous Catholic social service agencies, in collaboration with faith-based and secular organizations, have assisted pregnant women in need with material resources and personal accompaniment during pregnancy and after their child is born. Project Rachel helps those struggling post-abortion. Every woman should be able to depend upon a community for support and the Catholic Church remains committed to woman in need.

Learn more: ohiocathconf.org

What is the Church doing to protect life and defeat Issue 1?

Each diocese in Ohio is working together, through the Catholic Conference of Ohio, to help Catholics understand the dangers of Issue 1 to women, parents, and life. We are also part of the Protect Women Ohio coalition to let all voters know Issue 1 is harmful for Ohioans.

What can I do to help defeat Issue 1?

1. PRAY & Fast
2. EDUCATE Yourself and TELL OTHERS about the dangers of Issue 1
3. Register & VOTE NO on Issue 1

Where can I learn more?

Read the full text of the proposed change to the Ohio Constitution and learn about the concerning language that puts women at risk, threatens parental rights, and allows for abortions through all nine months of pregnancy:



Click to View
["Where Does It Say That?"](#)

Or visit
www.ohiocathconf.org/protect

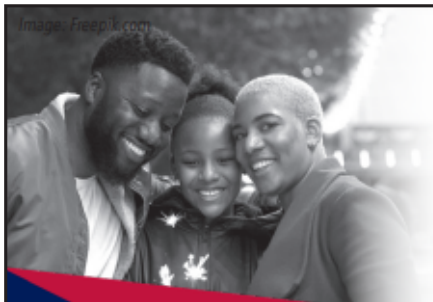


Notes for November



Check here for updates on how our parish is spreading the word about the extreme amendment on the ballot this November which would allow for abortions up to birth and endanger parents' right to guide their children's health decisions. Thank you for praying and staying informed!

- **54 Day Rosary Novena:** Catholics across Ohio will unite in prayer from September 15 to election day, November 7. The Rosary will be prayed in the church at 7:45 a.m. Monday through Friday, at 5:55 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday, and at 9:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. on Saturdays. Please join us in turning to Our Lady for hope and the protection of life!
- **40 Days for Life:** For 40 days, from September 27 through November 5, parishioners and other Christians will gather on the sidewalk of the abortion clinic at 2127 State Road, Cuyahoga Falls in groups of 3-5, to stand for life and to pray to end abortion. If you'd prefer to offer a Holy Hour in the church to support and join this prayer effort, that is also an option. Contact Lori at gutbrods@att.net.
- **Fundraiser for Protect Women Ohio:** Join our parish priests and representatives from local and state pro-life organizations for a fundraiser to benefit Protect Women Ohio, the coalition formed to campaign for the defeat of Issue 1. The reception will be held September 26, 2023 with an event committee reception from 5:00-5:30 p.m. and general reception from 5:30-7:30 p.m. at the home of Barbara and David George, 5614 Fairfield Lane, Wadsworth, Ohio 44281. Please contact amykerschner@outlook.com or visit <https://secure.winred.com/protect-women-ohio/9262023> to RSVP or learn how to support the event.



What is **Issue 1** All About?

Informational Meeting

Hosted at St. Francis de Sales Parish
4019 Manchester Road, Akron, OH 44319

STAKES ARE HIGH **IN OHIO** THIS NOVEMBER ELECTION!

Wednesday, Sept. 27, 2023 | 6:30 PM

Join us in the **School Gymnasium** to learn from representatives of **Susan B. Anthony** and **Protect Women Ohio** on how Issue 1 will affect our families and communities should it pass.

In short, **Issue 1** would:

- Allow abortion up to birth.
- Take away parental control over life-altering decisions their children may face.

HOLY ANGELS

Wouldn't it be wonderful to imitate our Guardian Angel? By his humility and love, he has proven himself in fidelity and divine love. He now works in hiddenness, with selfless love for the good of our soul and of others. He has patience with us when we sin, and always seeks only our advancement in goodness. He never seeks his own glory, comfort or pleasure, but only the glory of God. He helps whenever he sees a need and never looks for recognition or thanks. When we ignore him or forget that he even exists, he continues to love us, to pray for us, and to do all in his power to lead us to God.

All are invited to a talk on the Holy Angels on September 20th at 6:00 p.m. in the Holy Family Room at the Memorare Center. You are welcome to stay and participate in a discussion about practical ways of living "with" your Guardian Angel in daily life (letter 12 for those in formation for consecration to their Guardian Angel). Please RSVP to the Parish Office at 330-644-2225 for either or both.

Mark your calendars for a wonderful evening of reflection with Fr. Wolfgang from Opus Angelorum. On October 10th, he will give a talk called "The Holy Angels in the Holy Family" in the church at 6:00 p.m. followed by Mass. More details to come.

WALK FOR THE POOR

This event will support our St. Vincent de Paul Society here at St. Francis! To donate, go to <https://www.fopwalk.org/>. Go to State – Ohio, select walker – Cathy Feltrup, and click on Donate. Select PayPal for credit card donations. You can also write a check to St. Vincent de Paul, put in the memo WALK FOR THE POOR, and drop it in the Poor Box in the back of the Church. God Bless you!!

WINTER CLOTHING DRIVE & BLANKET SUNDAY

OCTOBER 7 & 8

Drop off your donation after all Masses at the Pavilion in the Parking Lot. We are collecting: blankets, winter coats, jackets, gloves, hats, scarves, winter shoes and boots, hoodies, sweatshirts, sweatpants, socks, jeans, long underwear, chapstick, body lotion, deodorant, disposable razors, baby wipes, shampoo, and bug repellent. This benefits the Peter Maurin Center, the Kenmore Free Store, and the Ozanam Center. Please remember those in need as you clean out your closets! Thank You and God Bless.

YOUTH GROUP

We meet NEXT WEEK, SEPTEMBER 24, 7:00 p.m.:

Ultimate Photo Scavenger Hunt Kick-off!

Bring your team of 4-6 people, as well as an ADULT DRIVER

Meet in the gym for food, fun, lots of photos!

Contact Shirley Clark with questions:

sclark@stfparish.com or 330-644-2225, ext. 215



Our Stephen Ministers are ready to care! Stephen Ministers are members of St. Francis de Sales Parish who have been through extensive training and provide confidential, one-to-one, Christian care to people who are experiencing a difficult time. They listen, care, encourage, pray, and provide weekly support for as long as the need persists. If someone you know is hurting, find out more about Stephen Ministry by talking with one of our Stephen Leaders: Bill Dickey at wdickey@stfparish.com or Ann Clark at aclark2@stfparish.com. Our Stephen Ministers are ready to bring God's love and care to those in need.

BLUE MASS

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2023
5:00PM

A Blue Mass is a Mass celebrated annually in the Church for those employed in the field of public safety.

We invite police officers, firefighters, and first responders, along with their families and the families of those fallen in the line of duty.

Rosaries will be given to those who work to protect our community.

All are welcome to attend and show support and gratitude to the men and women who keep our community safe.



LIVING BREAD
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TUNE IN TO HEAR FR. JEREMY!

Fr. Jeremy will be presenting Daily Mass Reading Reflections on Living Bread Radio, AM 1060 (NE Ohio), 94.5FM (Canton) and 89.5 (Youngstown) the week of September 24, 2023. Reflections will be aired throughout each day to give listeners multiple opportunities to hear Fr. Jeremy's daily reflection. You can also listen with the cell phone app, Alexa or at livingbreadradio.com.

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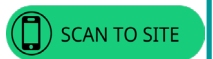
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Sessions for AA and Alanon Families and all in need of spiritual support for addictions of any kind will be held at St. Paul's Church, 1580 Brown Street, Akron from 1:00-3:00 p.m. on one Saturday per month:

September 16: Step Nine
November 18: Step Eleven

October 21: Step Ten
December 16: Step Twelve

January 20: Step One

For more information, contact Ellen and Bill Barber at 330-801-0463.

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