



## Parish Schedule and Mass Intentions

November 30 Saturday: *Saint Andrew, Apostle*

4:00pm Sacrament of Reconciliation

5:00pm Mass (*Lidia Manes*)

December 1 *First Sunday of Advent*

8:30am Mass (*People of the Parish*)

11:00am Mass (*Lucie Cullen*)

December 2 Monday: *Advent Weekday (1)*

8:30am Mass (*Elizabeth L. Needs, b. 12/4/1977*)

December 3 Tuesday: *Saint Francis Xavier, Priest*

8:30am Mass (*Reverend Sylvester W. Fridrich, d. 12/4/2010*)

Dec 4 Wed: *Advent Weekday (1); Saint John Damascene,  
Priest, Doctor of the Church*

8:00pm AA Meeting (*Church Hall*)

December 5 Thursday: *Advent Weekday (1)*

8:30am Mass (*Adriana Padock*)

Dec 6 Fri: *Advent Weekday (1) Saint Nicholas, Bishop*

8:30am Mass (*Alfonso Pete Szydowski, d. 12/6/2007*)

9:00am *Avila Prayers for Vocations*

Dec 7 Sat: *St. Ambrose, Bishop, Doctor of the Church*

2:00pm *Marriage of Marie Angela Morehouse  
and Brian Patrick Raber*

4:00pm Sacrament of Reconciliation

5:00pm Mass (*Margaret Bauza*)

December 8 *Second Sunday of Advent*

8:30am Mass (*Dice Moledor, d. 12/10/ 2010*)

9:45 - 10:45am PSR (*Church*)

11:00am Mass (*People of the Parish*)

12:00pm - 1:00pm *Hour of Grace (Church)*

4:00pm *FESTIVAL OF LESSONS AND CAROLS (Church)*



### Wedding Banns

III *Marie Angela Morehouse & Brian Patrick Raber*

### Pope Francis's Intention December

#### *The Future of the Very Young*

That every country determine to take the necessary measures to make the future of the very young, especially those who suffer, a priority.

### General Intercession

*That the peace of Christ will reign in our hearts during this season of Advent and beyond.*

We pray to the Lord.

Family perspective: *This Christmas season we would all like to have the peace of Christ, the ability to give as Jesus gave, and hearts that are not troubled. As the rush begins, reflect on your past celebrations. What is it about Christmas and gift giving that you find life-giving? What traditions would you especially like to continue? How can you use your time and talents to spread the joy of the season?*



## From the Pastor's Desk

*This Sunday, the First Sunday of Advent, begins the Year of Grace 2020. As we enter the time of Advent many are thinking of Christmas when Jesus first came into the world. Yet we are also called to be alert to the coming of the Lord when He comes again at the end of the ages. Let us pray...*

Grant your faithful, we pray, almighty God, the resolve to run forth to meet your Christ with righteous deeds at his coming, so that, gathered at his right hand, they may be worth to possess the heavenly Kingdom Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

Amen.

*Collect, First Sunday in Advent,  
Roman Missal, 3rd Edition*



*In the Spirit of Thanksgiving*

*- You can participate in "Giving Tuesday"*

You have heard about Black Friday and Cyber Monday – now you can share your blessings on Tuesday, December 3rd – Giving Tuesday. All day around the globe people are asked to contribute to their favorite charities and nonprofits. The Diocese of Cleveland asks you to be part of Northeast Ohio's Online Day of Catholic Giving: #weGiveCatholic, which allows you to contribute to over 185 Catholic schools, parishes (including our parish, Mother of Sorrows), Catholic Charities programs and sites, ministries and other Catholic nonprofits in Northeast Ohio. Simply use your computer or smartphone on Tuesday, 3 December to access [www.weGiveCatholic.org](http://www.weGiveCatholic.org), search for Mother of Sorrows Parish and donate. (See weGiveCatholic Insert)

Thank you for your generosity!!!

### Hour of Grace

*At MOS on December 8, 2019*

Please join us from 12:00pm to 1:00pm on December 8<sup>th</sup> following the 11am Sunday Mass for the Marian devotion, The Hour of Grace. On that day in 1947, our Blessed Mother appeared to Sister Pierina in a little church in Montichiari, Italy: "It is my wish that every year, on December 8th, at noon, the HOUR OF GRACE FOR THE WORLD be celebrated. Many divine and bodily graces will be received through this devotion..." Our time together will begin with Psalm 51 followed by silent communication with the Lord, meditating on the Passion of Jesus, saying the Rosary, praising and thanking God in many ways.



*Please pray for...*

Ann, Richard Bennett, Terry Balinski, Celia Bican, Dennis Babb, Logan Boone, Susan Bormet, Caleb Bruce, Johanna Conner, Allan Cook, Gary Crowe, Scott Ensign, Jack Fetty, Frank, Millie Fritz, Tom Gardner, Chris and Laura Gibbs, James Ging, Richard J. Grabowski, Marilyn Griffith, Angie Grimes, Jennifer Grimes, Eileen Herrman, Tayha Hostetler, Sharon Houska, Alaina Jaegers, Ralph Jerome, Jill, , Maureen Joyce, Marca Kaplar, Kay, Douglas Klubnik, Kenneth Klubnik, Helen Kracker, Carol Leach, Johnny Levanduski, Ramona Lucas, Paul Marcene, John McDermott, Megan, Melissa, Annalisa Menke, Audrey Menke, Menke Family, Bill Misencik, Connie Morehouse, Ashley Munoz, Natalie, Nate, Collin Nemet, Jared Newman, Noa, Carroll O'Donnell, Adriana Paddock, Richard Edward Parker, Penelope, Bridget Perez, Michael Phillips, Marlene Pudlak, Rita, Helen Rhuling, Lynn Riley, Bruno, Casey Rogaloski, Eric Rogaloski Ruppel, Sandy, Steve Sheets, Stefanie, Stephen Sommer, Shirley Southard, Amy Stephen, Bruce Styles, Marla Sliwinski, , Laura Tories, Marianne, Stephen, Mallory Trecaso, Meghann Trecaso, Paul Trecaso, Patricia Wiatrowski, and all need of prayerful support. Amen. *Requests or changes call 330-657-2631 or email [mospenoh@windstream.net](mailto:mospenoh@windstream.net)*

All are welcome to attend the December “Walsh Jesuit Faith Forum: Conversations about Faith, Social Justice & Ignatian Spirituality.” On Thursday, December 5, 2019, at 6:30 p.m. students and teachers who travelled to the Kino Border Initiative on a summer 2019 immersion trip will present “El Camino: Our Journey at the U.S.-Mexico Border.” Their presentation will take place in the Rev. Thomas Bain, S.J., Library at Walsh Jesuit High School, 4550 Wyoga Lake Road. (Use door 24.) Walsh Jesuit’s annual “Shop the World” Fair Trade holiday shopping event, sponsored by Campus Ministry and the Mother’s Club, will also take place that evening from 6 – 8:30 p.m. Please join us for either or both events. For more information about the Kino Border Initiative, visit <https://www.kinoborderinitiative.org/>

Temporary Akron Warehouse Associate needed. May become full time. Unload/load trucks, Pick, Pack, Use Tow motor, use computer, may drive truck (valid license req). Mon. – Fri. 7:30AM to 4:00PM with 30 minute break, email [sbonsignore@trumbull.com](mailto:sbonsignore@trumbull.com) for consideration

### *Preparing for Christmas*

A Christmas Concert with the Daughters of St. Paul Choir will be **Monday December 2, 2019, at 7:00 p.m.** at the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist, 1007 Superior Avenue, Cleveland. The concert is free and open to all. No tickets or reservations required. Free parking in the surface lot on Rockwell Avenue, or in the Cathedral Plaza Garage - Rockwell Ave. & E. 9th Street.

For more information call: [216-696-6525 x5510](tel:216-696-6525) or email: [gheisman@dioceseofcleveland.org](mailto:gheisman@dioceseofcleveland.org).

### *Giving Tree Returns Due Next Sunday!*

Please remember to return MOS Giving Tree tags with gift by next Sunday, December 8<sup>h</sup>... there are still 43 tags left for gift items. The gifts will bring joy to someone in our area. Christmas blessings for sharing!!!

### *Festival of Lessons and Carols*

Come and immerse yourself in the joy of the Advent Season on December 8, the Second Sunday of Advent at this *Festival of Lessons and Carols* at Mother of Sorrows Church, 6034 South Locust Street, Peninsula, Ohio at 4:00pm. The Festival of Lessons and Carols is an Advent Tradition dating back to the late Nineteenth Century. Blending together Scripture readings, prayers, Christmas carols, and other religious music may prove to be a special grace. Despite the Fall of Adam and Eve, God’s loving plan of salvation brought hope and is realized in the birth of Jesus, his life death and Resurrection. It does not end there. Jesus commissions his disciple to go out and immerse the world in every time and place to the joy and life that He brings. Advent is after all about the coming of the Lord in the beginning and when He comes again to complete God’s loving plan of salvation. To help signify the joy and light that has come and will come again, a candle is lit after each reading and then as the final candle is lit, using the light from that candle, those gathered light their candles symbolizing the Light come into world and enlightens our time. In turn we carry with us this Advent joy to Christmas 2019 and beyond to the New Year 2020. So do come. Know all are most welcome. Bring a friend or neighbor too!

### *CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT (CCHD)*

*Thank you!*

The Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD) is taking poverty off the map in the Diocese of Cleveland. CCHD was founded to end the cycle of poverty in America by funding organizations that help individuals help themselves. Thank you for supporting the CCHD collection last weekend. CCHD—Helping People Help Themselves. May God reward your generosity many times over!

### *THE RETIREMENT FUND FOR RELIGIOUS Collection on December 8 – 9, 2018*

This is an annual collection that raises funds that are distributed to religious communities throughout the eight counties of the diocese and across the country. These funds help communities provide for the immediate needs of their elder members. Religious communities are exceedingly grateful for this assistance and are careful stewards of each dollar received. Share in the care and please give to those who have given a lifetime. On behalf of the Religious, thank you in advance for your generosity!

Weekend of November 24, 2019

Sunday	1,906.00
Monthly	210.00
Maintenance	105.00
CCHD	337.00

*Thank you for your generous support!*