



## Parish Schedule and Mass Intentions

February 1 Saturday: *Weekday in Ordinary Time (3)*  
4:00pm Sacrament of Reconciliation  
5:00pm Mass (*All Souls*)

February 2 *The Presentation of the Lord*  
*World Day of Consecrated Life*  
8:30am Mass (*People of the Parish*)  
9:45am Parish School of Religion (*Church and Hall*)  
11:00am Mass (*For Families of the New Born*)

February 3 Monday: *Weekday (4); Saint Blaise, Bishop, Martyr*  
*and Saint Ansgar, Bishop*  
8:30am Mass (*Deceased of the Romito family*)

Feb 4 Tuesday: *Weekday in Ordinary Time (4)*  
8:30am Mass (*Robert Wisniewski*)

February 5 Wednesday: *Saint Agatha, Virgin, Martyr*  
8:00pm AA Meeting (*Church Hall*)

Feb 6 Thursday: *Paul Miki and Companions, Martyrs*  
8:30am Mass (*Jean Wirth*)

February 7 Friday: *Weekday in Ordinary Time (4)*  
8:30am Mass (*Deceased of the Bischof Family*)  
**Avila Prayers for Vocations after Mass**

Feb 8 Sat: *Wkdy (4); St. Jerome Emiliani; St. Josephine Bakhita, Virgin*  
4:00pm Sacrament of Reconciliation  
5:00pm Mass (*February Birthdays*)

Feb 9 *Fifth Sunday In Ordinary Time*  
8:30am Mass (*People of the Parish*)  
9:45am Parish School of Religion (*Church and Hall*)  
11:00am Mass (*For Engaged Couples*)



## From the Pastor's Desk

*On this, The Feast of the Presentation of the Lord, please join in praying...*

Almighty ever-living God,  
we humbly implore your majesty  
that, just as your only begotten Son  
was presented on this day in the Temple  
in the substance of our flesh,  
so by your grace,  
we may be presented to you  
with minds made pure.  
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, The Presentation of the Lord,  
Roman Missal, 3rd Edition*



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## 2020 ANNUAL APPEAL

The 2020 Catholic Charities Annual Appeal will take place next weekend in our parish. Please refer to the insert in this week's bulletin which includes our parish's goal and an overview of the importance of Catholic Charities in our communities. This year's appeal theme is Faces of Hope. Your generous support will transform the lives of others, to offer dignity, possibilities and companionship to those who are most vulnerable.

As in the past, an in-pew commitment process will take place next weekend, February 8-9. All who have not received the mailing from Bishop Perez, or have not had a chance to respond to it, will be asked to consider making a generous pledge to support the ministries and services provided by Catholic Charities. If you have received the mailing, please respond generously to it and we ask you to also complete the in-pew envelope and indicate by checking the box that you have responded by mail.

We invite you to view stories of inspiration and more information at [CatholicCommunity.org/2020Appeal](http://CatholicCommunity.org/2020Appeal).

*Pope's Intention for February:  
Listen to the Migrants' Cries.*

*That the cries of our migrant brothers and sisters,  
victims of criminal trafficking,  
may be heard and considered.*

*In memory of St. Blaise*

The blessing of throats will be given  
after this weekend's Masses...

*Through the intercession of Saint Blaise,  
bishop and martyr,  
may God deliver you  
from every disease of the throat  
and from every other illness:*

*In the name of the Father,  
and of the Son,  
+ and the Holy Spirit.*

*Amen.*

*Please remember in your prayers ...*



Ann, Richard Bennett, Terry Balinski, Celia Bican, Logan Boone, Susan Bormet, Caleb Bruce, Johanna Conner, Allan Cook, Gary Crowe, John Dutton, 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, Patricia Liebenaurer, Ramona Lucas, Paul Marcene, John McDermott, Megan, Melissa, Menke Family, Bill Misencik, John Moore, 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, , Ginny Thompson, Laura Tories, Marianne, Stephen, Mallory Trecaso, Meghann Trecaso, Paul Trecaso, Patricia Wiatrowski, and all need of prayerful support. Amen. *Requests or changes please call 330-657-2631 or email [mospenoh@windstream.net](mailto:mospenoh@windstream.net).*

#### **Family Perspective**

*In today's Gospel, Mary and Joseph present Jesus in the temple where he is consecrated or set apart to serve the Lord. Each of us is consecrated in our baptism to serve God's purpose and then molded by God in our family. Take time to talk and pray together about seeking and following God in our homes and lives.*

#### **General Intercession**

*That all family members – single, married, divorced, widowed and remarried – will feel welcomed and inspired by our parish community to live a holy God-centered life.  
Let us pray to the Lord.*

*Please pray ...*

For our Holy Father, Pope Francis; for Bishop Nelson J. Perez as he assumes his new duties in Philadelphia; and for the Church of Cleveland that the Holy Spirit will give all leaders a spirit of wisdom and counsel to discern God's will.

#### **Protecting God's Children**

The Diocese of Cleveland's "Protecting God's Children" program is a continuing effort to instruct and inform everyone about the protection of children from sexual abuse. To report any past or present suspected inappropriate behavior toward children by priests, deacons, religious, lay ecclesial ministers or personnel associated with the Church, please contact the Diocesan Response Service Office at 216-334-2999 or via email at [response\\_services@dioceseofcleveland.org](mailto:response_services@dioceseofcleveland.org). You are also asked to immediately inform local authorities about inappropriate behavior.

#### **Congratulations!**

**Peter Stitzel, Archbishop Hoban High School student from Mother of Sorrows Parish, on the second quarter honor roll for the 2019 – 2020 school year.**

#### **AM 1260 The Rock presents Dr. David Anders, host of EWTN's "Called to Communion"**

AM 1260 The Rock invites you to hear Dr. David Anders, host of EWTN's Called to Communion, for his thoughts on "Love, Sex and Death: Why the iGeneration Needs the Catholic Faith" on Saturday, February 29<sup>th</sup> at 10 AM at the DoubleTree Hotel in Independence. Space is limited. For more information or to reserve your seat, call AM 1260 The Rock at 216-227-1260.

The Divorced, Separated and Widowed Catholics of Akron will be sponsoring a talk on Monday, February 10<sup>th</sup>, at 7:30. Our speaker is Ebenezer Appiagyei, an Immigration Staff Attorney at the International Institute of Akron. He will give an overview of the services they offer as well as a more in-depth discussion about the types of services the legal team provides and what clients they serve. This event will be held at the Immaculate Heart of Mary Convent Building, 1945 Portage Trail in Cuyahoga Falls. This event is open at no cost to single people of all faiths. Refreshments will be at 7:15. Our speaker will start at 7:30. **For information call Marlene at 330-607-6284.**

#### **Donation Summaries 2019**

Requests for 2019 Donation Summaries may be placed in the collection basket with your name, address, phone number, email address and envelope number. Thanks!

#### **LATIN AMERICAN – EL SALVADOR**

Thank for your support to the appeal made by the Diocesan Mission Office for the Cleveland Latin American Mission in El Salvador. It is the main support for two diocesan priests who work in the two parishes served by our Mission Office. This appeal also makes a contribution to the Collection for the Church in Latin America that is managed by the US Conference of Catholic Bishops and benefits projects and the formation of seminarians, religious and lay leaders in 23 countries across Latin America.

#### **Weekend of January 26, 2020**

Sunday	2272.00
Monthly Offering	570.00
Latin America	451.00
Maintenance	20.00

***Thank you for your generous support!***