

SAINT VICTOR PARISH MOTHER OF SORROWS PARISH



APRIL 2, 2023 • PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

SAINT VICTOR PARISH STAFF

Pastor: Rev. Allen F. Corrigan
Pastoral Associate/Director of Religious Education: Darlene Bednarz
Administrative Assistant: Karen Napholz
PSR/JYM Assistant: John Paulett
Religious Programs Assistant: Sue Heckel
Parish Musician: Alena Miskinis

SAINT VICTOR PARISH OFFICE

Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday
9:00 AM to 12 NOON and 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM
Parish Office: 330-659-6591
3435 Everett Road, Richfield, OH 44286
Website: www.saintvictorparish.org

SAINT VICTOR MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 PM
Sunday: 8:45 AM and 11:30 AM
Sundays Memorial Day thru Labor Day: 9:00 AM and 11:00 AM
Monday, Tuesday, Friday: 7:30 AM
Holy Days/Holidays: See schedule in bulletin.
Please go to parish website for livestream of weekend liturgies.

SAINT VICTOR MISSION STATEMENT

We, the Roman Catholic community of St. Victor parish, are a grateful family of God, joined together by the teachings of Jesus Christ. We strive to develop a relationship with God by sharing our blessings, talents and gifts through service, evangelization and community justice; our mission being greater love, worship, praise and adoration of God. Through the Holy Spirit we seek to draw nearer to God by prayer, sacramental grace, sacrifice, knowledge of the gospel and love for one another.

MOTHER OF SORROWS PARISH STAFF

Administrator: Rev. Allen F. Corrigan

MOTHER OF SORROWS PARISH

6034 S. Locust Street, Peninsula, OH 44264
Website: www.motherofsorrowspeninsula.org

MOTHER OF SORROWS MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 PM
Sunday: 9:30 AM
Holy Days/Holidays: See schedule in bulletin.
Liturgical Minister List: Email Diane Griffiths at dianeg4mos@gmail.com

MOTHER OF SORROWS MISSION STATEMENT

We, the parishioners of Mother of Sorrows Parish, established in 1882, Christ centered and empowered by the Holy Spirit, dedicate ourselves to serve the needs of all by liturgical worship and parish ministries.

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION/JUNIOR YOUTH MINISTRY

Hours: Sundays 9:50 AM to 11:10 AM Grades K-8
Revere Middle School, 3195 Spring Valley Rd, Akron, OH 44333
Religious Education Office: 330-659-6321

SACRAMENTS

INFANT BAPTISM: A custodial parent or legal guardian must contact the parish to request an Infant Baptism. Baptisms will be at Saint Victor during a weekend liturgy. An indication of church attendance is required as is a pre-baptismal class for new parents. Please contact the Parish Office to make arrangements for a Baptism and for attending a baptismal class.

RECONCILIATION: Anytime by appointment at Saint Victor.

MARRIAGE: Fridays at 5:00 PM, Saturdays until 3:00 PM. Arrangements for date and time must be made six months in advance to allow for the necessary preparation. For detailed information, visit the parish website.

OTHER PARISH INFORMATION

REGISTRATION: If you are new or have not yet registered, please register in person or call during office hours. If you are moving, please notify the Parish Office as soon as possible.

WEEKLY VISITATION/COMMUNION: Homebound parishioners are encouraged to receive communion regularly. To schedule a weekly visit, please call the Parish Office.

PARISH LIST OF NAMES MINISTRY: Immediate family members of the sick and deceased may contact the Parish Office so that their names can be included in the prayers at mass and published in the weekly parish bulletin for three weeks. Please call by noon on Friday at 330-659-6591 or email.

ARTICLES FOR THE PARISH BULLETIN: Items should be emailed to by 4:00 PM on the Friday which is nine days prior to the desired publication date.


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Please consider Faith Direct for weekly contributions:
Faith Direct, our eGiving portal, is the safest and simplest way to support both Saint Victor and Mother of Sorrows. You can access it at <https://membership.faithdirect.net/OH1017>.
Please note there are two buttons for
“RESTRICTED” contributions to Mother of Sorrows.

Mass Intentions

MONDAY, 4/3: Weekday

(Is 42:1-7 / Ps 27:1, 2, 3, 13-14 / Jn 12:1-11)

7:30 AM The People of Saint Victor Parish (SVR)

TUESDAY, 4/4: Weekday

(Is 49:1-6 / Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5ab-6ab, 15 and 17 / Jn 13:21-33, 36-38)

7:30 AM The People of Saint Victor Parish (SVR)

WEDNESDAY, 4/5: Weekday


(Is 50:4-9a / Ps 69:8-10, 21-22, 31 and 33-34 / Mt 26:14-25)

7:30 AM *No Morning Mass* (SVR)

THURSDAY, 4/6: Holy Thursday

(Ex 12:1-8, 11-14 / Ps 116:12-13, 16-16bc, 17-18 / 1 Cor 11:23-26 / Jn 13:1-15)

7:00 PM Elizabeth Maertens / The Wadsworth Family (SVR)

 **FRIDAY, 4/7: Good Friday**

(Is 52:13-53:12 / Ps 31:2, 6, 12-13, 15-16, 17, 25 / Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9 / Jn 18:1-19:42)

3:00 PM The Lord's Passion (SVR)

SATURDAY, 4/8: Holy Saturday

(Gn 1:1-2:2 / Ps 104:1-2, 5-6, 10, 12, 13-14, 24, 35 (30) / Gn 22:1-18 / Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11 (1) / Ex 14:15-15:1 / Ex 15:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 17-18 (1b) / Is 54:5-14 / Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13 (2a) / Is 55:1-11 / Is 12:2-3, 4, 5-6 (3) / Bar 3:9-15, 32-4:4 / Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 (Jn 6:68c) / Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28 / Ps 42:3, 5; 43:3, 4 (42:2) / Rom 6:3-11 / Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23 / Mt 28:1-10)

8:30 PM Joanne Myers / The Myers Family (SVR)

SUNDAY, 4/9: Easter Sunday

(Acts 10:34a, 37-43 / Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23 (24) / Col 3:1-4 / Jn 20:1-9)

8:45 AM The People of Saint Victor Parish (SVR)


9:30 AM The People of Saint Mother of Sorrows Parish (MoS)

11:30 AM Joseph & Elisabeth Ruppel / Christa Mory (SVR)

Your Parish Offering

	<i>SV Online</i> 3/15/2023	<i>SV In Pew</i> 3/26/2023	<i>MoS In Pew</i> 3/26/2023
Sunday Collection	\$ 4,574.00	\$ 3,056.00	\$ 1,400.00
Building Fund (BF)	\$ 367.00	\$ 260.00	\$ 145.00
Candles		\$ 137.68	\$ 15.00
Donuts		\$ 77.00	
Mass Intentions		\$ 50.00	
Catholic Relief Serv	\$ 50.00		\$ 20.00
Black/Native Amer	\$ 15.00		
Rice Bowl		\$ 25.00	
Easter Flowers		\$ 5.00	\$ 265.00
MoS - GEN RSTRCT	\$ 100.00		

Thank you for your generosity!



Our Sacred Triduum Schedule
Celebrated for All at Saint Victor Parish

Mass of the Lord's Supper
Holy Thursday, April 6, at 7:00 PM (SVR)

Celebration of the Lord's Passion
Good Friday, April 7, at 3:00 PM (SVR)

Easter Vigil
Holy Saturday, April 8, at 8:30 PM (SVR)

Upcoming Dates to Remember

Sun 4/2		<i>Palm Sunday</i>
Sun 4/2	9:30 AM	Outdoor Blessing of the Palms (MoS)
Sun 4/2	9:50 AM	No PSR/JYM Sessions
Sun 4/2	10:00 AM	Saint Vincent de Paul Meeting (SVR)
Tue 4/4	8:00 AM	Parish Council Meeting (SVR)
Thu 4/6	7:00 PM	Mass of the Lord's Supper (SVR)
Fri 4/7	12:00 PM	Outdoor Stations of the Cross (MoS)
Fri 4/7	3:00 PM	The Passion of the Lord (SVR)
Sat 4/8	8:30 PM	Easter Vigil (SVR)
Sun 4/9		<i>Happy Easter Sunday!</i>
Sun 4/9	9:50 AM	No PSR/JYM Sessions
Sun 4/16	9:50 AM	PSR/JYM Sessions (REVERE MS)
Sun 4/16	10:00 AM	Saint Vincent de Paul Meeting (SVR)
Thu 4/20	1:30 PM	Bible Study (SVR)
Sun 4/23		Donut Sunday (SVR)
Sun 4/23	9:50 AM	PSR/JYM Sessions (REVERE MS)

From the Parishioners of Mother of Sorrows

*Thank You, Father Corrigan and Saint Victor's Parish Staff
for hosting the well enjoyed Appreciation Dinner
on March 18 for Mother of Sorrows and
Saint Victor parishioners.*

Parish Faith Formation For All Ages

This week we begin the most Holiest of Days with the Celebration of the Triduum beginning Holy Thursday and continuing on Good Friday and Holy Saturday. It is the time when we celebrate the passion, death and resurrection of Jesus Christ. At the end of the Holy Thursday and Good Friday liturgies, we leave the church in silence as the three days are one continuous celebration, somewhat like a three-day prayer marathon. Please consider joining your parish family in this major church feast. The bulletin has the time posted for each of these liturgies.

Bible Study. We will begin our next series on Thursday, April 20th, at 1:30 PM in the Saint Victor's Religious Education Office. Books for *God Makes A Start* will be provided. New members are always welcome.



*Say to daughter Zion,
"Behold, your king comes to you,
meek and riding on an ass,
and on a colt, the foal of a beast of burden."
- Mt 21:5*

Dear People of God,

As this letter is written many of us are experiencing the inconvenience of a power, cable and internet failures. In fact this letter is being written Sunday evening on my iPhone at the Richfield Cozumel which has WiFi. Fortunately I have an auxiliary power pack that is keeping my device limping along.

Lamenting the loss of power and internet is indeed a First World problem which is a subtle reminder of how good we have it most of the time. It is causing me to be even more appreciative of the goodness of parishioners in their support of Catholic Relief Services and Rice Bowl, Catholic Extension and our own Catholic Charities.

This weekend we are celebrating Passion Sunday, sometimes referred to as "Palm Sunday." The function of Palm Sunday is mainly to serve as an invitation to the celebration of Easter, which is encompassed by the Sacred Triduum. These are the three days of Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Holy Saturday.

The Sacred Triduum is the highest point of the liturgical year. It is not a mere personal deviation, rather it is "THE" Church's celebration of Easter. It will be celebrated at Saint Victor on the following days:

Holy Thursday - Mass of the Lord's Supper

Includes the "Washing of the Feet"
Thursday at 7 PM

Good Friday - Celebration of the Lord's Passion

Includes the "Veneration of the Cross"
Friday at 3 PM

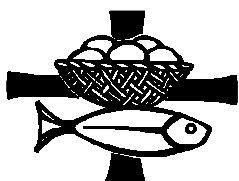
Holy Saturday - The Easter Vigil

Includes the Blessing of the Easter Fire and the
Renewal of Baptismal Promises
Saturday at 8:30 PM

These are not three individual rites, they are three movements of a great symphony. This is how the Church celebrates the paschal mystery, and is the heart of the liturgical life of all Catholics. Extrapolating from the excellent attendance at recent events, it's likely that this year's observance of the Sacred Triduum will be bigger than ever.

Obviously, I cannot be two places at once, and due to parking issues and the size of buildings, our Triduum will be celebrated at Saint Victor. I'm looking forward to it!

Finally, many thanks to everyone for the amazing participation at the Mass with the Anointing of the Sick, Appreciation Dinner, and Communal Penance Service. The Communal Penance Service was one of the biggest ever, we kept 10 priests busy hearing confession for an hour! Thanks to Karen and Darlene for their help and also to Chuck for the beautiful music.



Sincerely,

Allen F. Corrigan
Pastor, Saint Victor
Administrator, Mother of Sorrow
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PLEASE SHARE YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS. If you are not receiving weekly email newsletters, please contact the Saint Victor office (stvictor@roadrunner.com). We are sending out detailed updates on the leadership transition for Saint Victor and Mother of Sorrows. Please make sure you are receiving our weekly email newsletter and also check your "spam" or "promotions" folders and make sure you approve the acorrigan@roadrunner.com and stvictor@roadrunner.com. There is more news that cannot fit into the weekly bulletin.

PLEASE CONSIDER FAITH DIRECT FOR WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS. "Faith Direct," our eGiving portal, is the safest and simplest way to support both Saint Victor and Mother of Sorrows. You can access it at <https://membership.faithdirect.net/OH1017> and there are two buttons for "RESTRICTED" contributions to Mother of Sorrows. Parish Accountants Stanley and Lydia will make sure funds are credited accordingly. Also, Mother of Sorrows envelopes can be put into the basket at Saint Victor, and those funds will be credited to Mother of Sorrows.

Saint Victor Prayer Shawl Ministry will be meeting at the Richfield Library on the following Tuesdays - April 11, May 9, and June 13 at 6:30 PM. All are welcome to join us whether you knit, crochet or use a loom. If you are unable to attend meetings, but want to join, please let us know. Anyone wishing to contribute ready-made shawls can drop them off at the Saint Victor's Parish Office. To request a shawl, please contact the Saint Victor's Parish Office at 330-659-6591.

Turkey & Syria Earthquake Relief Aid. Bishop Edward C. Malesic is requesting the prayers of the faithful for all those impacted by this disaster, and is asking those who are able, to give generously to support relief efforts thru Catholic Relief Services (<https://support.crs.org/donate/earthquakes>), P.O. Box 5200, Harlan, IA 51593-0700 or Catholic Near East Welfare Association (<https://cnewa.org/work/emergency-syria/>), 1011 1st Ave, Floor 15, New York, NY 10022-4195. Thank you, and may God Bless you.

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 Services Office at 216-334-2999 or via email at responseservices@dioceseofcleveland.org. You are also asked to immediately inform local authorities about inappropriate behavior.

Please pray for those who are sick

Terry Balinski, Victoria Bryg, Marilyn Griffith, Sue Jones, Tom Morgan, Melanie Nigro, Diane Prusak, John Prusak, Mark Schwenning, Audrey Slenn, and Jesse Snider;

for those recently passed away:

Brian Brown, Father Ralph V. Coletta, Doctor John Dettling, Deacon Edward J. Feldkamp, Jr., Sister Mercia Madigan, OSU, Frank Nicotera, Eleanore Spisak, and Davie Weiner;

and for those that have lost their life serving in our nation's military.

Please pray for all victims of violence and terrorism throughout the world – especially the people of Ukraine, all those affected by natural disasters, and all those affected by the coronavirus especially our first responders and health care workers.

