

SAINT VICTOR PARISH MOTHER OF SORROWS PARISH



APRIL 16, 2023 • SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

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, 4/17: Weekday

(Acts 4:23-31 / Ps 2:1-3, 4-7a, 7b-9 / Jn 3:1-8)

7:30 AM Elizabeth Maertens /

The Wadsworth Family (SVR)

TUESDAY, 4/18: Weekday

(Acts 4:32-37 / Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5 / Jn 3:7b-15)

7:30 AM Bob Frank / Laura Lea Frank (SVR)

WEDNESDAY, 4/19: Weekday

(Acts 5:17-26 / Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 / Jn 3:16-21)

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

THURSDAY, 4/20: Weekday

(Acts 5:27-33 / Ps 34:2 and 9, 17-18, 19-20 / Jn 3:31-36)

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

FRIDAY, 4/21: St. Anselm, Bishop and

Doctor of the Church

(Acts 5:34-42 / Ps 27:1, 4,13-14 / Jn 6:1-15)

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

SATURDAY, 4/22: Earth Day

(Acts 6:1-7 / Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19 / Jn 6:16-21)

5:00 PM Jenny Wammes / Brenda Prezenkowski (SVR)

5:00 PM People of Saint Mother of Sorrows Parish (MoS)

SUNDAY, 4/23: Third Sunday of Easter

(Acts 2:14, 22-33 / Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11 (11a) /

1 Pt 1:17-21 / Lk 24:13-35)

8:45 AM Bob Frank / Laura Lea Frank (SVR)

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

11:30 AM Joseph & Elisabeth Ruppel /

Christa Mory (SVR)



Your Parish Offering

	<i>SV In Pew</i> 4/2/2023	<i>SV In Pew</i> 4/7/2023	<i>SV In Pew</i> 4/9/2023
Sunday Collection	\$ 5,232.00		\$ 1,459.00
Good Friday		\$ 345.00	\$ 25.00
Easter	\$ 315.00	\$ 300.00	\$ 6,307.00
Building Fund (BF)	\$ 400.00	\$ 100.00	\$ 250.00
Candles	\$ 72.50		\$ 89.00
Mass Intentions	\$ 150.00		
Rice Bowl	\$ 246.35		\$ 308.36
Holy Land	\$ 40.00		
Easter Flowers	\$ 133.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 55.00
Christmas			\$ 50.00

Thank you for your generosity!

Upcoming Dates to Remember

Sun	4/16	9:50 AM	PSR/JYM Sessions (REVERE MS)
Sun	4/16	9:50 AM	Gr. 8 Church Tour (SVR)
Sun	4/16	10:00 AM	Saint Vincent de Paul Meeting (SVR)
Thu	4/20	1:30 PM	Bible Study (SVR)
Sat	4/22	9:00 AM	Spring Clean Up (SVR)
Sun	4/23		Donut Sunday (SVR)
Sun	4/23	9:50 AM	PSR/JYM Sessions (REVERE MS)
Mon	4/24	7:00 PM	Gr. 8 Confirmation Practice (SVR)
Thu	4/27	8:00 AM	Parish Finance Council (SVR)
Sat	4/29	5:00 PM	Confirmation (SVR)
Sun	4/30	9:50 AM	PSR/JYM Sessions (REVERE MS)
Sun	4/30	9:50 AM	Gr. 2 First Communion Practice (SVR)
Sat	5/6	10:00 AM	First Communion (SVR)
Sun	5/7	9:40 AM	Last PSR/JYM Sessions (REVERE MS)

Parish Faith Formation For All Ages

Our 8th Grade Confirmation Candidates are preparing to receive the sacrament on Saturday, April 29th, 2023, with Abbot Gary Hoover. This is a little earlier than we like but our dates are set by the Bishop's schedule. A few parents have asked if the students still need to come to PSR/JYM for the last few weeks. Confirmation is not like a school graduation that once it's done it's over. Catechesis is an ongoing process which should continue until our dying days. Catechesis helps us to know God which brings us to a fuller relationship with God.

PSR/JYM registration forms for Saint Victor/Mother of Sorrows should be out in the next two weeks. They will be sent home with your student. Please begin asking them about these forms on April 23rd. They will also be in the gathering areas of both churches.

Bible Study. We will begin our next series on Thursday, April 20th, at 1:30 PM in Saint Victor's Religious Education Office. We're all fascinated by beginnings and the beginning of the universe attracts us because it is our beginning. Books for *God Makes A Start* will be provided. New members are always welcome.

Your Parish Offering [continued]

	<i>MoS In Pew</i> 4/2/2023	<i>MoS In Pew</i> 4/9/2023
Sunday Collection	\$ 841.00	\$ 428.00
Easter	\$ 500.00	\$ 1,858.00
Building Fund (BF)	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 285.00
Candles	\$ 2.00	\$ 4.00
Rice Bowl	\$ 40.00	\$ 20.00
Holy Land		\$ 20.00
Easter Flowers	\$ 280.00	\$ 30.00
Stipends	\$ 100.00	

Thank you for your generosity!



*Now a week later his disciples were again inside and Thomas was with them.
Jesus came, although the doors were locked, and stood in their midst and said, "Peace be with you."
Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here and see my hands, and bring your hand and put it into my side, and do not be unbelieving, but believe." - Jn 20:26-27*

Dear People of God,

Although the First Sunday of Easter gets quite a bit of attention, with greater than usual church attendance and many participants dressed in their finest clothing, the fact is that each of the Sundays of Easter has the exact same liturgical ranking. So today's celebration of the Second Sunday of Easter is as important, joyful and celebratory as the First.

Many thanks to parishioners of both parishes for their generous participation in the important Easter Collection. Your generosity ensures the continued vibrancy of both parishes, and continues to support the transition to a new model of parish leadership which is progressing so smoothly.

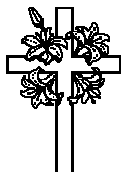
We are looking forward to the Sacrament of Confirmation on April 29 and First Communion on May 6. Both sacraments will be celebrated at Saint Victor Church, and everyone is welcome to attend.

Abbot Gary Hoover will be conferring the Sacrament of Confirmation this year, and we will be happy to welcome him. I remember what a beautiful job he did with this the last time he was here. It was a wonderful celebration! Since it does take place at the 5 PM mass, the expectation would be that the liturgy will be a bit longer than usual. Nevertheless, it is truly a celebration for both parishes, and it is not necessary to have a family member being confirmed to attend that liturgy.

Next Saturday Morning is Ground Cleanup Day at Saint Victor, beginning at 9 AM. Many volunteers are needed, as we are going to add mulch around the various landscaped areas. Please bring shovels, rakes, pitchforks, wheelbarrows and anything else that you think would be helpful! With all of the stormy weather we've been having there are many more twigs, branches and other debris that will need to be removed.

The holy water stoups have been returned to use at Saint Victor. As a reminder to all Catholics, the traditional practice upon entering a church is to dip the tips of the right hand into the baptismal water stoup, and with that water to make the sign of the cross, while silently repeating the words, "In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit." Everyone is now encouraged to return to this ancient traditional act of faith.

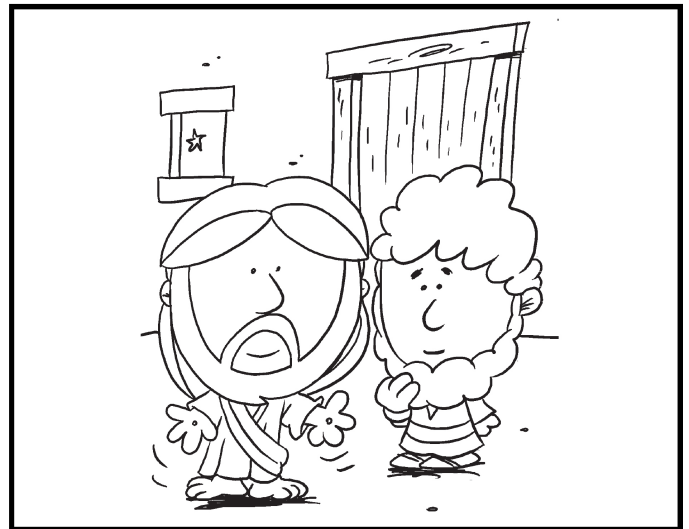
In observance of the National Eucharistic Revival there will be a regional Eucharistic Liturgy and Procession on Sunday, June 4, at Noon. Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Michael Woost in the Cuyahoga Falls Amphitheater and will be followed by a procession to Saint Joseph Church for benediction and a reception until 3:00 PM.



Sincerely,
Allen F. Corrigan
Pastor, Saint Victor
Administrator, Mother of Sorrow
acorrigan@roadrunner.com

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.faihdirect.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 - 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.

Please pray for those who are sick

Pope Francis, Marilyn Griffith,
Tom Morgan, Melanie Nigro,
Mark Schwenning, and Jesse Snider;

for those recently passed away:

Doctor John Dettling, Dennis Korosec;

**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.**

