

SAINT VICTOR PARISH MOTHER OF SORROWS PARISH



MAY 21, 2023 • THE ASCENSION 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, 5/22: St. Rita of Cascia, Religious
 (Acts 19:1-8 / Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab / Jn 16:29-33)
 7:30 AM Bob Frank / Laura Lea Frank (SVR)

TUESDAY, 5/23: Weekday
 (Acts 20:17-27 / Ps 68:10-11, 20-21 / Jn 17:1-11a)
 7:30 AM The People of Saint Victor Parish (SVR)

WEDNESDAY, 5/24: Weekday
 (Acts 20:28-38 / Ps 68:29-30, 33-35a, 35bc-36ab /
 Jn 17:11b-19)
 7:30 AM No Morning Mass (SVR)

**THURSDAY, 5/25: St. Bede the Venerable, Priest
 and Doctor of the Church; St. Gregory VII, Pope;
 St. Mary Magdalene de'Pazzi, Virgin**
 (Acts 22:30; 23:6-11 / Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11 /
 Jn 17:20-26)
 7:30 AM No Morning Mass (SVR)

FRIDAY, 5/26: St. Philip Neri, Priest
 (Acts 25:13b-21 / Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab /
 Jn 21:15-19)
 7:30 AM The People of Saint Victor Parish (SVR)

**SATURDAY, 5/27: St. Augustine of Canterbury,
 Bishop**
 (Acts 28:16-20, 30-31/Ps 11:4, 5 and 7 / Jn 21:20-25)
 5:00 PM Elizabeth Maertens / Wadsworth Family (SVR)
 5:00 PM The People of Mother of Sorrows Parish (MoS)

SUNDAY, 5/28: Pentecost Sunday
 (Acts 2:1-11 / Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34 /
 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 / Jn 20:19-23)
 9:00 AM Bob Frank / Laura Lea Frank (SVR)
 9:30 AM The People of Mother of Sorrows Parish (MoS)
 11:00 AM Joseph Demko / Marcia Demko (SVR)


Your Parish Offering

	<i>SV Online</i> 4/30/2023	<i>SV In Pew</i> 5/14/2023	<i>MoS In Pew</i> 5/14/2023
Sunday Collection	\$ 8,869.00	\$ 3,672.00	\$ 1,044.00
Building Fund (BF)	\$ 652.00	\$ 165.00	\$ 45.00
Candles		\$ 200.00	\$ 31.00
Mass Intentions		\$ 10.00	
Ascension	\$ 72.00	\$ 30.00	
Catech. Services	\$ 17.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 50.00
Commemrtv. Garden	\$ 2.00		
Peter's Pence		\$ 5.00	
Rice Bowl		\$ 19.10	
MoS Gen RSTRCTD	\$ 220.00		
MoS BF RSTRCTD	\$ 540.00		

Thank you for your generosity!

Upcoming Dates to Remember

Sun 5/21 Donut Sunday (SVR)
 Sun 5/21 10:00 AM Saint Vincent de Paul Meeting (SVR)
 Sat 5/27 Pizza Saturday (SVR)
 Sun 5/28 3:00 PM St. Victor Hosting Saint Bernard Meal
 Mon 5/29 *Happy Memorial Day!*
 Mon 5/29 *No Morning Mass/Parish Office Closed*
 Sat 6/10 2:30 PM Nuptial: Baxter & Napholz (SVR)
 Sun 6/18 *Happy Father's Day!*
 Sun 6/18 9:00 AM Baptism: Thomas James Carpenter
 Sun 6/18 10:00 AM Saint Vincent de Paul Meeting (SVR)



Saint Victor Parish Summer Mass Schedule
 The summer Sunday mass schedule begins Sunday, May 28, 2023. Sunday masses will be celebrated at Saint Victor at 9 AM and 11 AM.

Wedding Banns

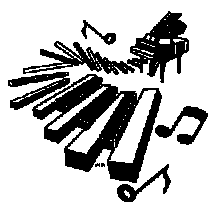
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Parish Faith Formation For All Ages

Becoming Catholic – RCIA. The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a process for any adult who wishes to become a full member of the Catholic Church. The process covers many different life situations. Perhaps you are a baptized Christian who is considering becoming Catholic and would like more information about Catholicism. Maybe you were baptized in the Catholic faith but never received the sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation. Perhaps you have a child, 7-17 years of age who has not been baptized. If any of these describe yourself or someone you know, we are here to help you. Please feel free to call Darlene Bednarz, Pastoral Associate/Director of Religious Education at the Religious Education Office (330-659-6321).

PSR/JYM News. If your student was part of our Faith Formation this past year, you should have received their registration forms either on the last day of class or in the mail. Please email Darlene Bednarz at stvictorpsr@roadrunner.com if you have not. There are registration forms in the gathering areas of both churches or you can register online.

Grand Piano for Saint Victor.
 Father Corrigan and a team of parishioners have begun to shop for a fine acoustic piano for the church. The timeline is uncertain, but hopefully this impressive and visible upgrade will appear in the sanctuary quite soon.





*“Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations,
 baptizing them in the name
 of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit,
 teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you.
 And behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age.”*
 - Mt 28:19-20

Dear People of God,

Saint Victor’s amazing Parish Musician, Alena Miskinis, has graduated from Kent State University with three degrees: B.M. in Piano Performance, B.A. in Psychology and B.A. in English, Summa Cum Laude. Congratulations, Alena! Alena is moving onward to an M.S. in Sport and Exercise Psychology at Ball State in Muncie, Indiana. We will miss Alena very much, but Muncie is only four hours away and I’m sure she will continue to be a presence at Saint Victor in the coming years.

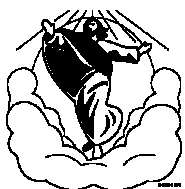
Meanwhile, we are working to develop a liturgical music program that will begin on September 1. In addition to recruiting an individual with great proficiency in all of the necessary competencies, the time has come to upgrade the musical instruments of Saint Victor Church, beginning with the piano. To that end, we have begun working to acquire a fine acoustic piano for the sanctuary. This past Thursday a team of parishioners and I evaluated some gently used six-plus foot grand pianos. This process could continue for a while, and updates will be provided as we move ahead. The musical instruments at Mother of Sorrows are in excellent working order and are not in need of any servicing or replacing at this time.

The next Saint Bernard Meal is going to be on Sunday, May 28. Our Saint Vincent de Paul chapter is hoping to recruit more volunteers for this important service opportunity. Kitchen Helpers are needed to arrive by 3:00 PM. Meal Servers are needed to arrive by 3:30 PM. There are sign-up sheets in Saint Victor’s Gathering Room.

The culmination of the Easter Season is upon us! The Feast of Pentecost is next week, on May 28. For the Eucharistic Liturgies for Pentecost on May 27 and May 28, please get into the spirit of the feast by wearing something red on May 27 and 28. That is the liturgical color for the Holy Spirit.

The Catholic Church in the United States is in the process of observing a time of “Eucharistic Revival.” Our recent Church Tour program was related to that theme. Other events are scheduled as well, including a regional Eucharistic Liturgy with Procession on Sunday, June 4, in Cuyahoga Falls. Members of both parishes are welcome to participate.

The liturgy is being presented by Saint Joseph Parish in Cuyahoga Falls and will be celebrated by Bishop Michael Woost and held at the Cuyahoga Falls Amphitheater, 2050 Riverfront Parkway. After Mass, a Eucharistic Procession will head to Saint Joseph Parish Church for a benediction. A social with refreshments will be held from 1 to 2:30 PM for all attendees. Members of all Summit County parishes have been invited to attend. For more info, visit saintjoe.org.



Sincerely,

Allen F. Corrigan
Pastor, Saint Victor
Administrator, Mother of Sorrow
acorriga@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 acorriga@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.

Mass Intention Requests. Due to the bulletin publication deadline, and other factors, please submit requests for Mass Intentions two months in advance. There are several steps in processing these requests, some of which entail delays of various lengths.

Memorial Day Cemetery Service. Father Luigi Miola, pastor of Saint Martin of Tours Parish in Maple Heights, will celebrate Mass at 10:00 AM at All Saints Cemetery, 480 W. Highland Road, Northfield. Assisting him will be Deacon Raymond Daull, also from Saint Martin of Tours. The Mass will be indoors.

Saint Victor Prayer Shawl Ministry will be meeting at the Richfield Library on the following Tuesdays: June 13, and July 11 from 6:30 to 8 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.

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

Mathew Napholz, Carlos Perez,
Jesse Snider, and Gregory Urwin;

for those recently passed away:

Laura Disbro;

**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.**

