

"Blessed are you who are poor, for the kingdown of God is yours." Juke 6:20

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February 16, 2025 stgregorythegreatparish.org

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INFORMATION

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, February 17: Gn 4:1-15, 25/Mk 8:11-13 (335)

7:30 am (GA)	✤ Lynn Dorn, by Roger Dettmer
12 pm (IHM)	🕈 Douglas Perry, by Tom & Linda Martin
	🕈 Tony Linz, by Jim & Jerri Grassinger
	* Katherine Richard, by Dave & Grace Schmidlin
	st Joe & Arlita Wertz, by the Payne Family

Tuesday, February 18: Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10/Mk 8:14-21 (336)

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7:30 am (GA)	✤ Catherine Ke	ozelka, by the L	angenbahn Family
	🕈 Mary Ann M	eister, by Carol	vn

Wednesday, February 19: Gn 8:6-13, 20-22/Mk 8:22-26 (337)

7:30 am (GA)	✤ Jim & Marilyn Serger, by Kevin & Anne Keefe
	st Charles Hayes, by the Hayes Family
12 pm (IHM)	★ Irene Stella Huck, by Mark & Donna Finnigan
	Y Ludy Faath by the Cashara Family

✤ Judy Faeth, by the Goshorn Family
✤ Tom Pieples, by the Rottmueller Family

Thursday, February 20: Gn 9:1-13/Mk 8:27-33 (338)

7:30 am (GA)	✤ Frank Amberger, by Sandy Schmidt
	✤ Lois Avery, by Mary Lou Weber
8:15 am (IHM)	★ Bob & Mary Zerhusen, by Paul & Donna Hillebrand
12 pm (SJF)	Austin Van Bibber, by Irmgard Mohr

Friday, February 21: Gn 11:1-9/Mk 8:34—9:1 (339)

7:30 am (GA)	* Michael Wasiukiewicz, by Richard & Debbie Welles
12 pm (IHM)	★ John Abrinica, by IHM Parish

Saturday, February 22: 1 Pt 5:1-4/Mt 16:13-19 (535) Pss Prop

8:15 am (IHM)	✤ Rosemary Conlon, by Kathy Conlon
3:30 pm (GA)	✤ Judy Bomkamp, by Tom & Sherry Cuff
5 pm (IHM)	st Joseph Alvaro, by the Family

Sunday, February 23: 1 Sm 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23/1 Cor 15:45-49/Lk 6:27-38 (81) Pss III

8 am (GA)	st Eugenia Lammeier, by the Glassmeyers
9 am (SJF)	+ Lois Gallenstein, by Will & Jean Schwartz
9:30 am (IHM)	st Patricia Taylor, by the Bove Family
10 am (GA)	🕈 Ann Callahan, by Mary Ann Fagel
	st John Bieber, by the Regan Family
	✤ Michael McHale, by Pat Cruckett
11 am (SJF)	✤ Ruth Otto, by Bev Kestler
11:30 am (IHM)	✤ Lauren Przybylski, by the Przybylski Family
1:30 pm (IHM)	St. Gregory the Great Family of Parishes
5:30 pm (IHM)	* Andrew Snell, by Michael & Jan Snell

PRAYERS REQUESTED

We ask that you pray for our sick: Marie Evans, Norma Frede, Jane Fredericks, Kathleen Galligan, Rick Kasper, Bill Mulvihill, Skip Osborn, Beverly Tabe, Jeff Weber

And remember in your prayers those who have recently passed and their families: Gerry Breslin, Rick Kasper, Eugenia "Genie" Lammeier

Welcome to St. Gregory the Great!

We are so glad you're here and encourage you to register as a parishioner.



To visit our website, scan the QR code or visit stgregorythegreatparish.org.

Welcome to our new parishioners!

Ron & Diane Brinkman Samir & Amanda Daoud and Frank & Sloan Dan & Elaine Douaine and Lucy, Rose, Daniel & Eloise Steffan & Christina Fehrenbach and Layla & Isla Cheri Luck & Tim Andler and Dean Daniel & Stephanie Oelker and Caleb & Peyton Saavan & Rebecca Patel and Nora

Reflections & Ryminations... by Fr. Steve Angi

This weekend our gospel reflects on the Beatitudes.

"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven."

Step by step, we journey on our Christian walk. Humility is the first step, a recognition of our spiritual poverty. Our hearts are receptive and amenable to the call of Christ.

"Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted."

Godly sorrow is the next step of our journey. Our heartfelt desire is for the mercy and forgiveness of our Savior, His comfort and peace.

"Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth."

Along our journey, we seek to acquire the characteristics of Christ.

"Blessed are the merciful, for they will be shown mercy."

We seek to cultivate the compassion of Christ. Unlike the worldly, merely looking out for themselves, we look to others... loving them as Jesus loves us.

"Blessed are those who are persecuted because of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are you when people insult you, persecute you and falsely say all kinds of evil against you because of Me. Rejoice and be glad, because great is your reward in heaven."

This appears to be a retelling of the first with the same reward — the kingdom of heaven. Jesus warns His disciples that they will face opposition and persecution because of their faith in Him. Troubles and trials will come our way... all a test of our true discipleship. Yet Jesus encourages all His followers with the promised reward for living the Beatitudes... blessed happiness in this life and perfect happiness for all eternity.

On Tuesday, February 25 at 7:00 pm, our St. Gregory the Great Pastoral Council will host a Town Hall Meeting in the Undercroft at Guardian Angels. Based on the last four Town Hall Meetings last year, the Pastoral Council promised a Town Hall Meeting each year to update folks on where we are and where we are going in becoming one canonical parish. Mark your calendars and plan to attend.



ADORATION & RECONCILIATION

Adoration

Guardian Angels

Thursdays from 7 - 8pm 1st Friday of the month from 8am - 8pm

Immaculate Heart of Mary

Exposition: Tuesdays from 6am - 10pm You can also visit the adoration chapel at any time during the week.

St. John Fisher

Wednesdays from 7 - 8pm 2nd Tuesday of month from 12:30 - 1:30pm

Reconciliation

Guardian Angels Saturdays from 2 - 3pm

Immaculate Heart of Mary

Tuesdays from 6:30 - 7pm Saturdays from 3:30 - 4:30pm

St. John Fisher

Wednesdays from 7 - 8pm

BAPTISM

Sacrament of Baptism

By Baptism we become members of the Church, the Body of Christ! We invite you to learn more about baptism by contacting one of the individuals below! We joyfully welcome Hazel Virginia Giblin, Amelia Joan Hunt, Benjamin Patrick Percival and Carol James Violand to the Catholic Church!

Guardian Angels Annette Robinson or Carolyn Schwettman office@gaparish.org, 513-231-7440

Immaculate Heart of Mary Peggy Sorrentino peggys@ihom.org, 513-388-4093

St. John Fisher, Connie Wehmeyer conniew@sjfchurch.org, 513-561-9431 x113



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Ministry Scheduler Pro Training

On February 22 after the 3:30 Mass and on February 23 between the 8 am and 10 am Masses at Guardian Angels, Matt Spencer, Associate Director of Worship, will lead a short workshop in Room B on how to use Ministry Scheduler Pro. We encourage all liturgical ministers who participate at Guardian Angels or are interested in participating in a ministry at GA to attend one of these workshops. Participants should bring a phone, tablet, or laptop to access their MSP profiles.

Catholic Citizenship Essay Contest

Our Joseph Cardinal Bernardin Council of the Knights of Columbus is once again sponsoring a Catholic Citizenship Essay Contest. We are offering two \$500 scholarships for the 2025-2026 school year to any IHM or GA student currently in grades 3 through 7. The scholarships are based on an essay contest to encourage today's youth to be more connected to their community and their faith. For an application or more information, please contact Bob Meyer at 513-404-0133 or email at ram8607@yahoo.com.

Join the Knights of Columbus

What does being Pro Life mean to you? As Catholics, we believe that being Pro Life is praying for an end to abortion. Even with the recent law passed in Ohio, the Knights of Columbus will continue to work together in prayer and solidarity to keep the Pro Life movement alive. Want to be a part of that? Go to kofcohio.org and click on "Join Us". For more information, contact Membership Director Steve Yards at 513-312-3211 or syards77@gmail.com.

McNicholas Military Memorial Fundraiser

Mark your calendars for Thursday night, February 27, for the annual McNicholas Military Memorial Committee fundraiser at American Legion Post 484 at 1837 Sutton Avenue. The evening features live entertainment by a 3piece band led by 2008 graduate Sean Fitzpatrick. Doors open at 7:00 pm and music starts at 7:30. Potluck dinner will be available courtesy of the Memorial Committee. Special thanks to Post 484 for hosting this event AND matching all donations collected. For questions call George Barry at 513-315-3574.

St. Gregory the Great 60+ Activities

February 18 – Afternoon Euchre, Blessed Mother Room in IHM's Welcome Center, 2 - 4 pm. All are welcome! February 25 - 12:30 – 2:30 pm. Service opportunity at IPM. To sign up to assemble emergency boxes, stock shelves, or assist with clients go to signupgenius.com/go/ 10C0944A9A62AA5F9C34-53756917-impfood#/. IPM will assign specific task upon arrival. Register by February 18. Call Dan or Pam at 513-232-4009 for sign up assistance.

February 27 - Service at St. Vincent DePaul, Bank St. location, 10 am - noon. We will assist with the destruction of unusable medications. Email stg60plus@gmail.com or call Dan or Pam at 513-232-4009 by February 20 to let us know if you can join us. Carpool available from IHM's east parking lot. Details provided with your registration.

March 4 - Our popular bowling afternoon at Cherry Grove Lanes (4005 Hopper Hill Rd) is from 12 - 2 pm. For \$16 the bowler gets 2 hours bowling, shoe rental and unlimited soft drinks – plus camaraderie and a lot of fun! Food is available for purchase with a discount on pizza. Need a minimum of 8 bowlers. To register, email Kathy at kconlon5055@ gmail.com or call her at 513-638-9903 by February 24.

From the Mountains to the Sea Luncheon

Sunday, April 6, from 11:30 am - 1:30 pm Guardian Angel's Parish Undercroft Ticket Price \$35 per person or \$175 for table of 8 Six Raffles:

- 1 week at Villa La Estancia Los Cabos, Mexico
- 5 days at beach house at Guacalito de La Isla, Tola, Nicaragua
- Batting practice hosted by Brent Suter, 4 Reds game tickets, & a parking pass
- Two tote bags each with \$100 gift certificate to Mitchell's Salon & Day Spa
- International candy box

To register for luncheon or buy a raffle ticket online go to ihom.weshareonline.org/Twinning Parish Donations. Please make checks payable to Immaculate Heart of Mary, earmark FTMTTS. Please mail or drop off at the IHM Parish Office by April 4th.

Maintenance Job Opening at IHM

St. Gregory the Great Family of Parishes has an opening for a full-time Maintenance Worker at IHM's campus. The person in this role will perform cleaning and maintenance for all campus buildings, grounds, equipment and parish events as directed. Go to stgregorythegreatparish.org/about-us/jobs.

NEWS AND EVENTS

Burning of Palms

The palms we receive on Palm Sunday are blessed and are thereby a sacramental. Sacramentals are holy objects (such as the palm or a blessed statue), actions (such as making the Sign of the Cross), and gestures (such as genuflecting to the Tabernacle) in the Catholic Church that are used to increase devotion and help people draw closer to God. They are meant to sanctify everyday life and circumstances. Sacramentals can help people call on God's blessing and serve the Lord. Catholics dispose of sacramentals by burning or burying them in a way that shows respect for their sacred purpose. The burning of palms is a Catholic tradition that takes place right before Lent. The palms are burned to create ashes that are used for Ash Wednesday. The ashes symbolize repentance and mortality. GA - return your palms from last Palm Sunday to the gathering space the weekend of March 1 & 2. The palms will be burned on Tuesday, March 4 at 6 pm. IHM - return your palms to the table in the gathering space in Church. We will burn them in the Church courtyard after the 5 pm Mass on Saturday, March 1st. All are invited to come and participate in this pre-Lenten ritual. We hope you will join us! SJF - return your palms to the gathering space at SJF in February and we will get them to GA or IHM to



2025 Townhall Called For More:

Forming Family Councils & Next Steps

Location: GA Undercroft | Date: February 25, 2025 Purpose: Recruitment for Family Councils | POC: Jeff Zalar

The Saint Gregory the Great Pastoral Council will hold a townhall meeting to discuss the formation of Family Councils. These Councils will administer essential services to our community. The meeting will also update parishioners on next steps in the unification process. An open-floor question-and-answer period will follow. The meeting will take place on Tuesday evening, February 25, from 7:00 - 8:30 pm in the undercroft of GA's Church.

SGG Day of Service | March 15

The St. Gregory the Great Day of Service is on Saturday, March 15th at IHM. A major focus area involves packing personal hygiene kits for men's and women's area homeless shelters and packing food "power packs" for after school programs. We are seeking donations of food items and small travel sizes of shampoo, toothpaste, and other essential items. One of the most effective ways to secure products is to order these items in bulk quantities from Amazon. We have set up shopping lists that you can access via the QR codes below. This allows you to make your donations and have them shipped directly to the IHM Welcome Center. We encourage anyone who is willing to donate to use the Amazon lists to save both time and money.

CALL for VOLUNTEERS

If you would like to volunteer at the Day of Service, it's time to sign up!



DONATE 🖤

Personal Care products for Homeless Shelters



Items for the Never the Less Organization



Items for the Food Powerpacks

Please direct any questions to Jim Moyer at jmoyer1@fuse.net or 513-300-3883.

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HEALTH MINISTRY: NEWS AND EVENTS

Healing Service Led by Deacon Russ February 22 at St. John Fisher

Jesus gave his disciples authority over injury and illness and told them to heal the sick. As Christians, we share in that same commission to demonstrate the power of the gospel and love of God to bring restoration into our spheres of influence. Encounter Ministries with Deacon Russ Feldkamp and Chris Stier are offering a healing service at St. John Fisher for our family of parishes. If you are sick, injured, in physical pain or have some other physical issue, please come to St. John Fisher Church at 7:00 pm on February 22nd.

If you know someone else in that situation, please bring them. Jesus healed in his day, and he heals today! Also, if you're struggling in your faith and believe Jesus and his Church are powerless then come, see and believe! Scan the QR Code for more information. Peace, Deacon Russ



Anointing of the Sick Mass Guardian Angels March 1st 3:30

St. Gregory the Great Family of Parishes will be offering an Anointing of the Sick Mass at Guardian Angels on March 1st at 3:30 pm. This Mass will include a communal Anointing of the Sick sacrament. If you are suffering from a physical illness, mental illness, or if you have a scheduled surgery in the near future, please consider attending. If you plan on being anointed that evening, make sure you receive a sticker from one of the greeters and sit in the area of the church designated for anointing.

IHM Blood Drive March 10th:

Hoxworth will be hosting a Blood Drive at Immaculate Heart of Mary on March 10th. The Donor Bus will be in the IHM parking lot.

Call, go to the website, or scan the QR code to sign up to donate.

All donors will receive a Cincinnati Bearcats Blanket! Hoxworth: (513) 451-0910 hoxworth.org/groups/ihm





St. Gregory the Great Mental Wellness Minute

Youth Mental Health First Aid Training FOR ADULTS, March 8, 2025

The St. Gregory the Great Mental Wellness Ministry is excited to offer one of the premier training courses for adults who want to support youth with mental health challenges or substance use disorders -- or just want to increase their knowledge of these conditions and their impact on individuals, families, and the community. This is important training for all adults who interact with youth including teachers, school staff, parents, and grandparents. Youth Mental Health First Aid (Youth MHFA) is an essential training component for strengthening the skills required to reach out to children and adolescents who are struggling with mental health challenges or substance use disorders.

What the Youth Mental Health First Aid course covers:

- Identifying and responding to common signs and symptoms of youth mental illness (anxiety, depression, eating disorders, ADHD, etc.)
- Identifying and responding to signs and symptoms of substance abuse
- How to interact with a child or adolescent in crisis
- How to connect youth with help
- Expanded content on trauma, addiction, and self-care; and the impact of social media and bullying

The Youth MHFA Training for Adults is on Saturday, March 8 from 9 am - 3:30 pm at St. John Fisher (Resurrection Room).

The training is offered free of charge, through a grant to Mental Health America of Northern Kentucky and Southwest Ohio. To register, use the QR Code or contact Kendall Keiser at kendallk@sggparish.org.



FAITH FORMATION & EVANGELIZATION

Fathers Team | Every Friday

Join our second open mic topic where one of our small group teams will present a topic of their choice.

DATE: February 21, 2025 TIME: 6:03 - 7:03 am TOPIC: Difficult conversations with your kids

Locations:

IHM - St. Matthew Room, IHM Parish Center Guardian Angels - Conference Room B St. John Fisher (Fathers Team Lite) - Discussion of Sunday Mass readings – Nativity Room

Young Men's Faith & Fellowship

Men in their 20s – 40s are invited to join the Young Men's Faith & Fellowship group for the *Into the Breach Series* from the Knights of Columbus. The series touches on relevant topics for men in our age group through the lens of our faith. We will meet from 8:30 – 9:30 pm every other Monday in Room B at Guardian Angels. No religious background/ experience is necessary and there is no preparation required. Each session is a stand-alone topic. If you are interested in being added to our email distribution list, please email mensfaith@gaparish.org.

St. Gregory the Great Walking with Purpose Bible Study

A Bible study for women titled, Discovering our Dignity, began in September on Friday mornings at 9:30 am and continues until March 28th in the St. Matthew room in the IHM Welcome Center. In Discovering our Dignity, we learn from the struggles and successes of women in the Bible, and we discuss how to apply those lessons to our lives today. Periodic Connect Coffee videos are shown throughout the study, which discuss some of the key faith issues, and afterwards we have table discussion. We also have treats and coffee at our Connect Coffees! For women who are not in our study, but would like to try it out, you are more than welcome and encouraged to attend any or all of the Connect Coffee videos. We would love to meet you and for you to experience this wonderful faith community of women of all ages and stages in life! The Connect Coffee videos will be shown on February 28th and March 28th. For questions, please contact Sheri May at sherimay76@gmail.com or Christy Hiltz at christyhiltz@gmail.com.

E6 Catholic Men's Conference February 22 in St Leon, Indiana

Men in the St. Gregory the Great family - armor up and plan to attend the 10th annual E6 Men's Catholic Conference. Improve your vocations and become better spouses, parents, children, brothers and neighbors by growing in masculine virtue. The conference will be held on Saturday, February 22 from 8:00 am - 3:30 pm at East Central High School in St. Leon, Indiana, only 35 minutes northwest of Cincinnati. We will get a group discount of \$10 off per ticket with 10+ registrations. For questions or to sign up with the SGG group, contact SJF parishioner Tim Pulskamp at pulskamptim@gmail.com or 513-720-1058. You can also visit e6catholicmensconference.com for more information.

SGG Men's Night Out | February 27

Our next Men's NIght Out is Thursday, February 27th at Clough Crossing. Please let Roger know by Monday, February 24th if you are going to attend at 513-232-0747 or rldettmer@gmail.com. Hope to see you there.

Day of Reflection | March 1

Join the Knights of Columbus and Fr. Kevin Scalf on March 1! Fr. Kevin Scalf will lead a presentation on The Eucharistic Prayer: A Radiation of God's Love. The day is going to start with Mass at 8:15. A light breakfast will be served, followed

by the presentation. The day will wrap with lunch being provided and an opportunity for Reconciliation. To register call the IHM Parish Office at 513-388-4466 or scan the QR code for planning purposes. No cost to RSVP.



Evening Bible Study Begins February 19

Wednesday With the Word Bible Study begins February 19th, from 6:30 - 8:00 pm in the St. Francis Room of the IHM Welcome Center. This is an in-depth bible study. Each session begins with Lectio Divina based on one of the psalms. Faith-sharing is welcome, and the pace of the study

is determined by the group. BYOB (Bring Your Own Bible). For more information, contact Rosanne Thomas at rosannet@sggparish.org.



SOCIAL ACTION | VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Find room in your heart to sponsor a deserving student today!

Please support Project Education. We are beginning our 20th year of sponsoring students at the Cultural Center of Batahola Norte. You can find the form to sponsor a student at ihom.org under News & Announcements and under the outreach tab - Parish Twinning or use the QR code. Deadline is March 1.

Austin: I am 13. My goal this year is to have a good average so that my mother will feel proud of me. The support of the scholarship program helps me with school expenses and supplies.



Thank you for the blessings that you have given me."

IHM St. Vincent de Paul

If you or a neighbor are in need they can call 513-388-4191 for help. If you want to join our volunteers or find out more information, please call 513-388-4191. **GA St. Vincent de Paul** If you or a neighbor are in need they can call 513-624-3147 for help. If you want to join our volunteers or find out more information, please call 513-624-3147.

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SJF St. Vincent de Paul

If you or a neighbor are in need they can call 513-624-3147 for help. St. John Fisher partners with GA St. Vincent de Paul.



Learn about changes to our immigration system, how we're organizing to protect each other, and how you can get involved!

Tuesday, February 18, 7:00 - 8:30 PM

St. Timothy Episcopal Church



8101 Beechmont Ave. 45255

SCAN ME

Registration requested via link below or QR code:

https://immigration101cincy.eventbrite.com

More information: www.gappeace.org gapp.peace@gmail.com https://ignitepeace.org

Helping Our Refugee Neighbors

"Lord, when did we see You hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and did not minister to You?' Then He will answer them, saying, 'Assuredly, I say to you, inasmuch as you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to Me. " (Mt. 25: 45-46)

The parishioners of the St. Gregory the Great Family have an opportunity to "minister to strangers" in our city this month by donating to the collection of household items to help Catholic Charities Refugee Resettlement Services as they provide homes for newly arrived refugee families in Cincinnati.

Currently, the office in Cincinnati is working to find homes for families from Eritrea, Syria, Democratic Republic of Congo and Venezuela. The families range in size from 1 to 13! And these families need everything. They fled with nothing and have traveled with little more. On the weekends of February 16 and February 23, the churches in the St. Gregory the Great Family are asked to help Catholic Charities of Southwest Ohio (CCSW) gather the basics to outfit the new homes for these families.

Needed items include new: bath towels and washcloths, bed pillows, dish towels and potholders, kitchen size trash cans (11 or 13 gallon), mops, brooms, dustpans, twin size sheet sets, comforters/blankets

Items that can be gently used include: can openers, cookware (especially 8 quart or larger stock pots), cooking utensils (serving spoons, spatulas, knives, etc.), dishes, flatware (forks, knives, spoons)

Please consider donating an item from this list to help our newest neighbors. Items can be dropped off after Masses the weekends of February 16 and 23 at: Guardian Angels – coat room in the gathering space Immaculate Heart of Mary – Lourdes Room St. John Fisher - Pater Hall

Additionally, Catholic Charities has created a list on Walmart.com to help Cincinnati refugees. Items purchased

on the website are sent directly to CCSW. You can access the Walmart list Welcome Baskets for Refugees by scanning the QR code:



LENTEN OPPORTUNITIES

JustFaith Lenten Series at IHM

The Social Action Coordinators Committee will be offering its annual Lenten series from JustFaith which will be **Want to Talk: Communication Tools for Divided Times.** Sessions will be held in the St. Matthew Room at IHM from March 4 - April 8 from 1 - 3 pm. Barb Szucsik and Sue Keefe will facilitate. There are two books to purchase after participants register online at Justfaith.org. Please contact Sue at skkeefe37@gmail.com for registration information.

IHM Lenten Series

I Believe... 224 words that proclaim who we are. When we recite the Creed at Mass, we proclaim our identity as Catholic Christians, our relationship with God, and our unity as his children—in just 224, carefully chosen words. Join us in IHM church following Stations of the Cross on Fridays during Lent from 7:30 - 8:45 pm as we break open these 224 words through prayer, video presentations, reflection, and group discussion.

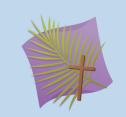
Volunteers Needed for GA Fish Fry

We are in the process of finalizing plans for our 2025 Fish Fry Events. Keep an eye out on upcoming bulletins and the Parish website for more information. If you would like to volunteer, please reach out to Marianne Glassmeyer at mglassmeyer@outlook.com.

Fish Fry Dates and Times

IHM 513-388-0031 Cafeteria March 7, March 14, March 21, March 28, April 4, April 11 4:30 – 7:00 pm

Guardian Angels 513-231-7440 Undercroft and Drive-Thru March 7, March 14, March 21, March 28, April 4, April 11 5:00 – 7:00 pm



Lent begins Wednesday, March 5



TAIZÉ PRAYER SERVICE 7:00 PM THURSDAY, MARCH 27 AT ST. JOHN FISHER CHURCH

Prayer in the spirit of the Taizé Community is a meditative form of common prayer. Gathered in the presence of Christ we sing uncomplicated, repetitive songs, uncluttered by too many words, allowing the mystery of God to become tangible through the beauty of simplicity. A few words sung over and over again reinforce the meditative quality of prayer. They express a basic reality of faith that can quickly be grasped by the intellect and that gradually penetrates the whole being.

All in the St. Gregory the Great family are invited to join our community for this Lenten prayer service at 7:00 pm on Thursday, March 27th at St. John Fisher Church.

2024 GA CHRISTMAS FLOWERS REMEMBRANCE

Alberta C. Adams Adams Family George Alrichs Amor & Florence Althaus Neil Baugh Martin & Ruth Blinzler Jane Bogenschultz Larry Bogenschultz Jerry Breen Christopher J. "Outz" Brockman David C. Brockman Gail R. Brockman Larry & Lorry Brokamp Dave Brown Iulia Brown Al & Catherine Brune John & Anne Bukovic Don, Julia & Denny Burns John & Ethel Caito Christopher Carney Anthony & Ruth Carpinello James, John & Marianne Carpinello Peggy Casey Sparky Claypoole Joe & Lucille Comello Don & Rosemary Conrad Allison Crawford Carole Crowley Carl & Marie Dannenfeiser Helen Dennv Linda Dettmer Henrietta Dillman Joe & Jean Doogan Kay Doran David Dumbacher Denis English Erin & Christina Anthony & Rita Evans David Ewing Jerome D. Fagel Renee Fagel Family & Friends Marilyn A. Fanning **Tommy Fechtel** Sam & Vivian Fede Ed & Betty Fedeler

Grandpa & Grandpa Feghali Josie Feghali Renee Feghali Isidor & Barbara Feldman Robert J. Feldman Margaret Ferris Dorothy Fidishun Joseph Fidishun Ron & Dorothy Flammer Phillip Fraley Franciscan Brothers Parents James P. & Carol A. Froehlich Frost Famlies Robert & Ruth Geglein Brad Giesting Bob & Marie Giesting John & Emily Gotfryd Stanley Gotfryd Russell & Margaret Gray Dick & Mary Grogan Gruber Family Jane Gruber Joseph & Florence Halvonik **Richard & Mary Lou Hext** Hoffmeier Family Bud & Colette Hosking Kathleen Scully Hueneman Jack Hurley Lois Hurley Matthew Hurley Happy Birthday Jesus Bob Jonas Ralph & Alice Jones Kathleen Joris Lorraine Joris Sr. Mary Josilda, SND Paul Karl Mr. & Mrs. James Kasselmann Ryan Kees Eugene & Virginia Kettman Robert & Susan Kettman Elizabeth Kij Frances Kindel Louise Kindel John A. Kindel, Sr.

Kirchgassner Family

Al Kron Paul Langland Leroy & Kimberly Lovelace Barbara Major **Geoffrey Major** Mark Major Joan Maloney Carol Marchand Terry Martin Jeannie Masterson C.S.J. Grandpa & Grandma Medlei Bill & Hester Miller **Richard & Dorothy Missig** Jack Molloy Joe Moran Cathy Muchmore Donald E. Muchmore Isabella Rose Muchmore Joan M. Muchmore **Brandy Marie Naas Diane New** Mary Vi Nguyen Kathleen M. O'Keefe Michael J. Olds Jack & Marion O'Meara Nancy Parker Louis & Genevieve Perucco F. Robyn Pope Evelyn T. Popelar Popeleski Family Edward Potkanowicz Jim & Vi Powers Alice Praechter John Praechter Jim & Alice Ramsey Robert Rees Theresa L. Reis **Bob & Claire Rinner** Charlotte Rolfes Rosemary F. Ross Michael F. Ross, Jr. Thomas S. Roth Len & Mary Jean Rowekamp Walt & Joanne Ruther Polly Sandmann Dorothy Schneller

Rudy & Jean Schneller Leo & Agnes Shively Charles & Jean Smith Glen Smith Herbert & Eunice Smith Ronald C. Smith Helen Spitzmueller Richard Spitzmueller Roger Spurgeon Barbara Ann Stamper Clyde & Bessie Stamper Katherine Stehlin Stineman Family James Suer Pat Suer Leo Sunderman Mimi Sunderman Mary L. Swift Lucille Sylvester Lucille Tabet Charlie Terrill Ted Trammel Connie Valinoff Patrick Vogt Thomas Volz Brooke Von Hoene Susan Wagner Edward & Eleanor Waligora Stephanie Waligora Mary Anne Walker Henry & Marie Washer Daniel Wenninger George & Marcella Wess Gerald Wess Carol Wetzel Virginia White Ginny Williamson Joseph & Eugenia Winkel Joe & Dee Witschger Henry A. & Catherine A. Wolfer, Sr. Wolsky Family Nancy Woodburn Woods Family Craig & Cara Yuskewich George & Dolores Zentz

This Week's Activities: Prayer, Teaching, Sacraments & Service

		President's Day	All SGG Offices Closed	
	7:00am	Rosary	Church, GA	
Monday, Feb. 17	6:30pm	Walking With Purpose Bible Study	Room B, GA	
	7:00pm	Pastoral Council	Bernardin Room, IHM	
	7:00pm	Mental Wellness Support Group	Nativity Room, SJF	
	6:00am	Eucharistic Adoration until 10pm	Eucharistic Chapel, IHM	
	7:00am	Rosary	Church, GA	
	9:30am	WOW Bible Study	E/W St. Matthew Rooms, IHM	
	10:00am	Tuesdays at 10 Bible Study	Resurrection Room, SJF	
– – – – – – – – – – – – – – – – – – –	1:00pm	Prayer Shawl Group	Legion of Mary Room, IHM	
Tuesday, Feb. 18	6:00pm	Rosary	Fatima Room, IHM	
	6:30pm	Reconciliation	Church, IHM	
	6:30pm	Intercessory Prayer	Church, GA	
	7:00pm	Evangelization/Catechesis Comm.	Holy Family Room, IHM	
	7:00pm	St. Vincent de Paul	Gathering Space, GA	
	7:00pm	Rosary	Church, GA	
	6:00pm	Rosary in Spanish	Church, IHM	
	6:30pm	Wednesday with the Word Bible Study	St. Francis of Assisi Room, IHM	
Wednesday, Feb. 19	7:00pm	Holy Hour & Confessions	Church, SJF	
	7:00pm	Alzheimer's Family Support	Guadalupe Room, IHM	
	7:00pm	Mental Wellness Support Group	Barnardin Room, IHM	
	7:00am	Rosary	Church, GA	
	9:15am	Moms Bible Study	E/W St. Matthew Rooms, IHM	
	2:00pm	Legion of Mary	Room B, GA	
	4:00pm	Grief Support	Room B, GA	
Thursday, Feb. 20	6:00pm	Rosary	Fatima Room, IHM	
	6:30pm	High School Youth Ministry	Youth Room, IHM	
	7:00pm	OCIA	St. Matthew/St. Francis Rooms, IHM	
	7:00pm	Small Faith Group	Blessed Mother Room, IHM	
	7:00pm	Holy Hour	Church, GA	
	6:03am	Fathers Team	GA, IHM, SJF	
Friday, Feb. 21	7:00am	Rosary	Church, GA	
, · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	8:30am	Discovering Our Dignity Bible Study	IHM	
	7:45am	Catholic Men's Prayer Group	Nativity Room, SJF	
Caturday Lab 22	2:00pm	Reconciliation	Church, GA	
Saturday, Feb. 22	3:30pm	Reconciliation	Gathering Space, IHM	
	7:00pm	Encounter Healing Service	SJF	
	7:30am	Rosary	Church, GA	
	8:00am	KofC Parish Breakfast	E/W Heritage Rooms, IHM	
	9:00am	Confirmation Class	Resurrection Room, SJF	
Sunday Feb 22	9:30am			
Sunday, Feb. 23	10:00am	Hospitality	Gathering Space, SJF	
	12:00pm	Hospitality	Gathering Space, SJF	
	6:30pm	High School Youth Ministry	Heritage Hall, IHM	
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Keep in Mind

When looking at natural law (law outside of the Ten Commandments), we find that it has natural sanctions. Example: to steal creates distrust in the community; when one commits adultery anxiety forms between the spouses; pollution erodes the planet's ability to support us; murder removes the possibility of future gift to the world.

Even if the law (police, courts) does not get involved any deviation comes with its own negative results and therefore emphasizes our need to follow natural law. Natural law dictates how we ought to live. Our inclination is toward natural law. If we act against it, then freedom becomes lost.

Deacon Bob

St. Gregory the Great Family of Parishes Prayer

St. Gregory the Great, patron saint of teachers, present our prayer of gratitude to our Heavenly Father. Share our prayer of wisdom and guidance as we continue on the path to unify our family of parishes. Just as you led the faithful knowing "the proof of love is in the works", open our hearts to be dedicated disciples of Jesus through prayer, teaching, sacraments and service. May our works, inspired by Jesus, quide us to unity within our family and love within our community. Teach us humility and compassion, the cornerstones of generosity, and the unwavering faith you demonstrated through times of change, so that we come together in unity, rooted in Christ's love. Amen.

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