



September 6, 2026 • Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday-Friday 7:00 & 11:45 a.m.
Saturday 7:00 a.m., 5:00 p.m. (Anticipated)
Sunday 7:00, 9:00, 10:30 a.m. &
12:00 Noon (*ad orientem*)
Holy Days of Obligation: 6:30 p.m. (Anticipated),
7:00 & 10:00 a.m.,
12:00 Noon (*ad orientem*), 6:30 p.m.

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CONFESSIONS Monday-Friday: 12:15 p.m. until all are heard
Saturday: 4:00-5:00 p.m. • Sunday: thirty minutes before each Mass
First Wednesday: 7:00 p.m. until all are heard (Gallery Confessional)

DEVOTIONS

The Holy Rosary follows the 11:45 a.m. Mass on weekdays. The Dominican Rosary is prayed at 4:30 p.m. on Saturdays and 8:30 a.m. on Sundays.

Eucharistic Adoration 12:15-8:00 p.m. on Tuesdays.

Novena to St. Margaret of Castello (with the veneration of her relic) follows the 7:00 a.m. and 11:45 a.m. Masses on Wednesdays.

Holy Hour with Benediction 12:15-1:15 p.m. on Fridays.

Fatima Devotions follow the 7:00 a.m. Mass on First Saturdays.

All Night Eucharistic Adoration for Life Third Friday of the month from 8:00 p.m. until Benediction at 6:45 a.m. on Saturday, with recitation of the Holy Rosary at a local abortion facility following the Saturday 7:00 a.m. Mass.

All Night Eucharistic Adoration for Vocations Fourth Friday of the month from 8:00 p.m. until Benediction at 6:45 a.m. on Saturday.

Stations of the Cross (during Lent) 7:00 p.m. on Fridays.

The St. Gerard Mother's Blessing and enrollments in the Angelic Warfare Confraternity and the Rosary Confraternity are scheduled three times during the year after all Masses.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM Sundays at 1:15 p.m. Please contact the parish office to schedule your child's baptism. First-time parents must attend a baptism class on the second Wednesday of the month at 7:00 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY Please contact the parish office at least nine months before your intended wedding date to fill out a Marriage Request Form. Non-parishioners must receive the permission of their pastor before scheduling their wedding at St. Patrick's.

PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK Parishioners experiencing a medical emergency requiring the sacraments for someone in danger of death should call 614-224-9522, and press "8" to contact the priest on duty. Homebound parishioners who would like to schedule monthly visits from a priest and/or weekly visits from an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion to the Homebound should contact the parish office.

DIOCESAN SHRINE OF SAINT MARGARET OF CASTELLO, O.P.

Leslie Sparks, Guild Secretary | 614-240-5915

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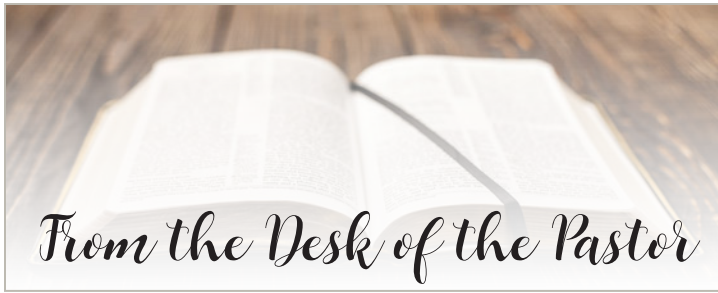
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Dominican Friars

BULLETIN DEADLINE:

Please submit bulletin items a minimum of one week in advance of publication to Keelin Johnson, Bulletin Editor, at keelinjohnson@stpatrickcolumbus.org.



From the Desk of the Pastor

When you came into church today, you may have had to take a double-look: Why is the pulpit (ambo) on the other side of the sanctuary? And why is Father sitting on the other side? Well, there's a very important reason for this, as well as some practical reasons for this switch, and I wanted to use this week's bulletin column to explain this change. This is not so much a change, as much as it is a restoration.

The pulpit or ambo is designated as the place where the Word of God is proclaimed during the Mass, and where the Word is opened for us through preaching in the homily. As a piece of liturgical furniture, it is meant to be noble and in a worthy place. Traditionally, the pulpit was placed on the north side of the sanctuary. In the Traditional Latin Mass (both of the Roman and Dominican rites), this corresponded to the side of the altar popularly called "the Gospel side," since the Gospel would be read from that side of the altar during Mass, while the priest would preach his homily from the nearby pulpit. There was also symbolism in placing the pulpit on the north side of the sanctuary in the Roman liturgy: from Rome, the north was seen as the land of the pagan barbarians, who needed to hear the Gospel, lest they invade The Eternal City. And so, the priest would literally preach to the north in order to evangelize the pagans, at least symbolically. Thus, we would face east (the direction of Christ's return in glory) for offering sacrifice at the altar, while the Gospel would be preached toward the north.

I never would have thought about moving the pulpit, until a conversation last summer when we were rehearsing for the Solemn High Mass in the Dominican Rite for The Feast of St. Dominic. During the rehearsal, it came to my attention that the pulpit and the sedilia (the priest's chair) were reversed from what the rubrics envisioned. While the rubrics of the Novus Ordo Mass can accommodate the placement of the pulpit on either side of the sanctuary, the rubrics of the Dominican Rite are very specific about the placement of the pulpit and the sedilia. After this conversation, I started to explore whether it would be appropriate (and feasible) to reverse the placement of the pulpit and the sedilia in the sanctuary. I also delved into the history of our sanctuary and liturgical furnishing.

At St. Patrick's, the current pulpit was installed following the 1935 fire, and was designed to be placed on the north side of the sanctuary. This is evident from the position of the hand railing on the pulpit: The railing is positioned on the "open side" of the steps, while the side without a railing is meant to be placed against the wall. I looked at various photos of the sanctuary and, for most of the church's history over the last 90 years, it was placed on the north side of the sanctuary. The last photo to indicate this is from

the 1993 parish directory, while a photo from 1999 places it on the south side of the sanctuary, where it has been ever since. I talked to some friars who were here at the time about this move, and apparently it was due to the installation of the sound system in the 1990s. The sound equipment was mistakenly placed on the south side of the sanctuary, and the parish had no choice but to move the pulpit to the south side in order to avoid unnecessary costs, though the move was never intended.

Thirty years later, we have a different sound system in the church, which isn't affected by the placement of the pulpit (the microphone simply had to be unplugged from the jack on the south side, and replugged in on the north side!). Moreover, we are preparing for a different technical improvement before the year's end: not the sound system, but the new church lighting! Now seemed the opportune time to restore the pulpit back to its original placement on the north side of the sanctuary, as the new lighting will be positioned to illuminate properly both the pulpit and the sedilia. We're also making this switch during the time of the new altar boy trainings and refresher courses. While only seven friars in the priory will have to get used to a slight adjustment in the sanctuary, there are nearly 80 altar boys who will need to re-learn what they have been trained to do in order to make our parish liturgies reverent and beautiful (especially during the Gospel Procession). I had a discussion about this with our Altar Boy Deans over the summer, and we talked through some of the adjustments we would need to make. One Dean suggested that it would be best to make the change before the refresher course, instead of changing it for all the altar boys to re-learn at another time of the year. I agreed, which is also part of the reason for making this move now. Additionally, this change is being made with the permission of the Office of Divine Worship of the Diocese of Columbus, which must approve any significant changes to the worship space of parish churches.

If you've been used to sitting on the south side of the church so that the pulpit is right in front of you (or if you usually sit on the north side because you don't like having it right in front of you!), this change may be a bit jarring. If you need to switch your regular seats during Mass, I encourage you to do so. But I also encourage everyone to see this as a restoration of a piece of our church architecture, as we place the pulpit where it was intended to be. With this move, our sanctuary will now be properly ordered for future celebrations of Dominican Rite Masses. And considering the ancient symbolism of preaching toward the pagans from the north (and no, I'm not referring to "that state up north!"), such a sign is so important in our own day and age. We are faced with new forms of paganism, from the threats of secularism to anti-Catholic and anti-religious sentiment within our culture. May the preaching of the Gospel toward the north, in keeping with the long-standing tradition of the church, remind us of the need to evangelize the world, which so desperately longs to hear the Word of Truth spoken by Jesus Christ in the Gospels!

God bless you,
Fr. Paul, O.P.

MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS



SATURDAY, September 5

5:00 p.m. +Stephen Cochrane

SUNDAY, September 6

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:00 a.m. +Paul David Butler
9:00 a.m. Pro Populo
10:30 a.m. Jacob and Jennifer Ervin
12:00 p.m. +Emily Gorden

MONDAY, September 7

7:00 a.m. The Hueckel and Salisbury Families
10:00 a.m. For the Deceased Brothers, Sisters, Parents,
Familiars, and Benefactors of
the Order of Preachers

TUESDAY, September 8

The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary (F)

7:00 a.m. Andrew Hoy
11:45 a.m. Women's Club

WEDNESDAY, September 9 – St. Peter Claver (M)

7:00 a.m. +Madeline Wiggins
11:45 a.m. +Joan Weaver

THURSDAY, September 10

7:00 a.m. +Janet Baird
11:45 a.m. +Edward Hauenstein

FRIDAY, September 11

7:00 a.m. Deceased Members of the Ralston-Lally Families
11:45 a.m. +Clairene and Gerald Higdon

SATURDAY, September 12 – Holy Name of Mary (M)

7:00 a.m. +William McFadden
5:00 p.m. +Carolyn Roberts

SUNDAY, September 13

TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:00 a.m. +David and +Shirley Meyers
9:00 a.m. Living and Deceased Members of
Knights of Columbus Council 11207
10:30 a.m. Pro Populo
12:00 p.m. +Fr. Mark Moore

9/11 REMEMBRANCE

This Friday, September 11th, is the 25th anniversary of the terrorist attacks on our nation. At both of our parish Masses, we will use the special Mass prayers: "For the Nation." All parishioners are encouraged to come to Mass on Friday to pray for our country and for those who were killed in the attacks.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Sunday, September 6

2nd Collection: Catholic University of America
The Parish Office is closed.

Donut Sunday – Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus

1:15 p.m. Baptism
1:30 p.m. Altar Boy Training (Ch., PH)

Monday, September 7

Labor Day – The Parish Office is closed.

Masses are at 7:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. only, and there are no confessions today.

Tuesday, September 8

10:00 a.m. Women's Club
12:15-8:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration
7:00 p.m. Pastoral Council (Kolbe)
7:00 p.m. Youth Ministry Parent Meeting (PH)

Wednesday, September 9

10:00 a.m. Women's Bible Study (AH)
7:00 p.m. Baptism Class (Billiard A)
7:00 p.m. Choir
7:00 p.m. Martha-Mary Sewing (Kolbe)

Thursday, September 10

9:30 a.m. Martha-Mary Sewing (Kolbe)
6:30 p.m. Melchizedek Project (Ch., AH)

Friday, September 11

9:30 a.m. CGS (AH, Lower Level, 2nd Fl.)

Saturday, September 12

7:30 a.m. TMIY (AH)
8:30 a.m. LFSD Classes (Billiard)
9:00 a.m. Altar Boy Refresher Course (Ch.)
9:00 a.m. LMC: Outreach (PH)

Sunday, September 13

2nd Collection: Spirit of Hope Disaster Relief Fund
10:15 a.m. CCD (AH, Lower Level, 2nd Fl.)
11:30 a.m. St. Pat's Fellowship Planning Meeting
(Kolbe)
1:15 p.m. Baptism
1:30 p.m. LFSD (Ch., PH)
1:30 p.m. OCIA (AH)
1:30 p.m. Altar Boy Training

BAPTISM CLASS

The next Baptism Class for first-time parents will be Wednesday, September 9 at 7:00 p.m. Please register in the Parish Office by September 8. Future classes will take place on the Second Wednesday of each month.

BULLETIN DEADLINES

Deadline for September 20 is September 11
Deadline for September 27 is September 18
Deadline for October 4 is September 25
Submit at: keelinjohnson@stpatrikcolumbus.org

Little Margaret's Charity: Outreach

Service Volunteers Needed

JOIN YOUR FELLOW
PARISHIONERS IN LMC:
OUTREACH IN HELPING
THOSE IN NEED.

Scheduled service events include:

- serving at Holy Family Soup Kitchen;
- making sandwiches at St. Patrick's for the benefit of Holy Family;
- assembling care kits at Catholic Social Services' Our Lady of Guadalupe Center.

Serving with LMC: Outreach is a fun and easy way to express your love of our neighbors in need. Many events are kid-friendly. Have an idea for a service project? Let us know!

Volunteers needed for upcoming service events:

- Making sandwiches at St. Patrick's: Saturday, Sept. 19 from 9-11 am
- Team service at Holy Family Soup Kitchen (9:45 am - noon):
 - Thursday, September 17
 - Monday, October 5



Questions or
more information?



Join the Little Margaret's Charity: Outreach Flocknote group to receive service event notices and signups. Scan QR code to join.

Or call, text or email Mike Melliore, Sr. at (614) 214-7179 or boilerine5436@gmail.com.

CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD NEEDS HELP

The CGS Program is in need of aides for:

- **Fridays, beginning from September 11, at 9:30 am-11:30 am and/or**
- **Sundays, beginning from September 13, at 10:15 am-11:45 am.**

We need assistance with young children (ages 4 to 6). Especially, we look for a one-on-one aide for **Azelie Hansen**, a 6-year-old girl with Down Syndrome.

This would be solely on a volunteer basis, but as an incentive, potential candidates would benefit from hands-on experience and provide students in areas of speech therapy, OT and PT education, teaching, and/or special needs to earn service hours for resumes and real-world experience.

The basis of the program, the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd, is not a "Sunday school," but more in line with the Montessori Method. The atmosphere of the "atrium" is one of quiet talking, quiet walking, grace, and courtesy led by trained Catechists. Once the children have been shown a presentation of a "work," they will be able to pull it from the shelves and do it on their own or with assistance. Works include practical life (folding, sweeping, pouring, etc.) and other Bible-themed works such as the parables and infancy narratives alongside sacramental works.

Requirements include completing the Protecting God's Children Program through the Diocese of Columbus and a background check. For further questions or inquiries, **email Michele Hansen at micmarhan@yahoo.com.**

A little about Azelie: She is a curious little one who is always on the move. She loves to explore, but be careful as she can get into things that may not be safe for her. She loves exploring so much that she can even "sneak" away, so a watchful eye is necessary. This beautiful girl has a polite but sometimes sassy personality. She is quite energetic and very independent. It is good to establish perimeters and general rules when getting to know Zel. She is very "talkative" and enjoys drawing and cutting, being outside, and making new friends!



MARRIAGE CONGRATULATIONS

Madison Webb and Michael Koetter

August 28, 2026

PRAY FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Gilda Marie DelTedesco – August 23, 2026



NEW CONTACT INFORMATION FOR FR. HAYES

Fr. Stephen Dominic Hayes, O.P.

St. Dominic Priory

77 E. Lucius Ave.

Youngstown, OH 44507

Email: stephen.dominic.hayes@opeast.org



MELCHIZEDEK PROJECT RESUMES THIS THURSDAY

All high school boys who may be thinking about a vocation to the priesthood are invited to the *Melchizedek Project*, beginning this Thursday, September 10th. This is a monthly gathering for prayer, fellowship, and discussion over a book about the priesthood. We will meet in the church for prayer at 6:30 p.m., and conclude at 8:30 p.m.



SPIRIT OF HOPE DISASTER RELIEF FUND

Recently, the Diocese of Columbus established the Spirit of Hope Disaster Relief Fund to be equipped for natural or man-made disasters within the Diocese. The

fund was established with an initial \$75,000.00 grant. To further support the fund, an Annual Second Collection has been established. The timing is fortuitous in light of the recent storms affecting Perry County and other areas of the Diocese.

St. Patrick will hold this Second Collection the weekend of September 12-13. Please donate via the Collection at Mass, or at our WeShare online giving platform in the Second Collection area: wesharegiving.org/app/giving/stpatrickcolumbus. Your generosity will be appreciated by those affected by such disasters now and in the future.



PARISH CHOIR

Love to sing? Want to learn more about singing and sacred music? No experience is necessary – learn as you go in a friendly and supportive group.

Who: Men and Women age 15 and older

What: Parish Choir!

Where: Patrick Hall, typically

When: Wednesday evenings from 7:00-8:30 p.m., beginning on September 9, 2026. General commitment is one rehearsal per week; two Sundays a month, plus major feasts and some special liturgies.

Why: Because “Music is the exaltation of the mind derived from things eternal, bursting forth in sound.”

-St. Thomas Aquinas

How: Join us! Contact Kathleen Tully, Director of Music, 614-224-9522, ext. 1152.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

“Since Matthew was St. Dominic’s favorite Gospel and the one he carried with him everywhere, I kept wondering what was so special about Matthew for Dominic.” ~ a Dominican laywoman*

*<https://laydominican.com/2014/02/14/what-is-so-special-about-matthew/>

Join us for our fall and winter Women’s Bible Study as we read, reflect on and share our thoughts with one another on the power of Jesus according to the Gospel of Matthew. We will watch the Ascension Press video teachings of Jeff Cavins and Sarah Christmyer and apply Matthew’s account of life with Jesus to our lives. Your Bible is your text – no workbook required.

- Wednesdays 10:00-11:30 a.m.
- Aquinas Hall
- Starting September 9
- We will go to the 11:45 a.m. Mass together if you’re able to join us

If you have questions, call Barbara Distelhorst at 614-595-2482.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION AVAILABLE FOR REVIEW

The 2025/26 FYE Parish Financial Statement is available for review this coming week, upon request, in the Parish Office, as well as the 2026/27 parish budget, as approved by the Parish Finance Council. Registered parishioners may visit the office during regular office hours to review these reports. Thank you for your generosity throughout the year!



HIKING WITH *The Dominican* SISTERS & FRIARS

JOIN US ON SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 19TH,
FOR A DAY OF HIKING, PRAYER, FELLOWSHIP,
& TIME IN GOD'S BEAUTIFUL CREATION!



Mass at St. Patrick's

Mass will be offered at 7:00am (**optional**) for those who would like to attend before the hike at St. Patrick Catholic Church.

280 N Grant Ave, Columbus, OH 43215



Old Man's Cave to Whispering Cave and Buckeye Trail Loop

We will meet at the Hocking Hills Visitor Center at 9:00am.

Old Man's Cave Trail highlights beautiful landmarks as it loops around to the Lower Falls Lookout, Naturalist Cabin, and Pump House before returning to the Visitor Center.

Hocking Hills State Park. 3.4 miles. Approx. 1.5-2 hours. Moderate.



Who & What to Bring

This event is open to all **young adults** (18-35). Bring a friend and be sure to have comfortable shoes, a rosary, water, and snacks!



PLEASE RSVP BY FRIDAY,
SEPTEMBER 18TH



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STATIONS OF THE CROSS

In remembrance of those lost on 9/11

Friday, September 11, 2026, 3:00 p.m.

Resurrection Cemetery, 9571 N. High Street,
Lewis Center, OH 43035

The Catholic Cemeteries invite you to join us at Resurrection Cemetery as we pray the Stations of the Cross. We will pray as we walk through our stained-glass Stations section and will conclude with a special prayer honoring the lives lost on 9/11.

THE 2027 MASS INTENTION BOOK (AND AVAILABLE MASSES IN 2026)

The Mass Intention Book for 2027 is now open, as of September 1. However, there are still plenty of Mass Intention openings available in the church for 2026 (these are announced intentions). You can also request Mass Intentions to be offered in the Priory chapel (unannounced) at any time, though these are not offered on a specific date, but on a rolling basis, based on the friars' availability. Stop in the parish office to schedule your Mass Intentions or send them to the office by U.S. Mail. Stipends may be paid by cash or check at the time of scheduling Masses (or mailed along with your intentions). Please note that we no longer accept Mass Intention requests over the phone or through email, nor do we accept stipend payments through credit cards or I.O.U.'s.

CATHOLIC RADIO AM 820

PRIEST AXE-THROWING CHALLENGE

Support Fr. Paul Marich, O.P., and Fr. Cornelius Avaritt, O.P., in the Priest Axe-throwing Challenge!

Fr. Paul is taking aim on Wednesday, September 16th from 10:00-10:45 a.m., and Fr. Cornelius is taking aim on Thursday, September 17th from 10:00-10:45 a.m. in the St. Gabriel Radio AM 820 Priest Axe-throwing Challenge to support local Catholic Radio AM 820. Every early donation earns extra throws for the participating priests. Show your support for Fr. Paul and Fr. Cornelius and the mission of Catholic radio across central Ohio by making a gift today at StGabrielRadio.com. Help Fr. Paul and Fr. Cornelius hit the bullseye, while keeping faithful Catholic programming on the air!



OPEN POSITION AT THE JOSEPHINUM

The Pontifical College Josephinum Seminary seeks a full-time housekeeping staff member. Duties include cleaning offices, classrooms, common areas, restrooms, and

other campus facilities. Hours are Monday-Friday, 6:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. and are non-negotiable. Find out more about qualifications, physical requirements, responsibilities, and how to apply at pcj.edu/openposition-housekeeper.



SEVEN SISTERS APOSTOLATE

A Call to Women to Strengthen Our Church

Pray one holy hour, one scheduled day, once a week for one of the priests at St. Patrick Church. This is a one-year commitment. Thank you to all who have signed up. We are about halfway full. For more information and to sign up, please contact Ellen Dury at 614-499-0711. For more details, please go to the website: sevensistersapostolate.org.



CONFRATERNITY OF THE MOST HOLY ROSARY

Please join us on this spiritual journey. Our meetings are held on the Third Thursday of every month at 7:00 p.m. in the Kolbe classroom.

We pray the Dominican Rosary and listen to a presentation from our Chaplain, Fr. Edmund, or another Dominican friar. All are welcome! Contact Beth Atkinson with any questions at 740-404-1913 or bethaatkinson@msn.com.

Please join the Rosary Confraternity in praying the Dominican Rosary every weekend on Saturday evenings at 4:30 before the 5:00 p.m. Mass, and on Sunday mornings at 8:30 before the 9:00 a.m. Mass. Dominican Rosary cards are located near the Rosary stand in the Gallery. We sit in the pews in front of the Marian statue in church.

CONCERT FOR A CAUSE



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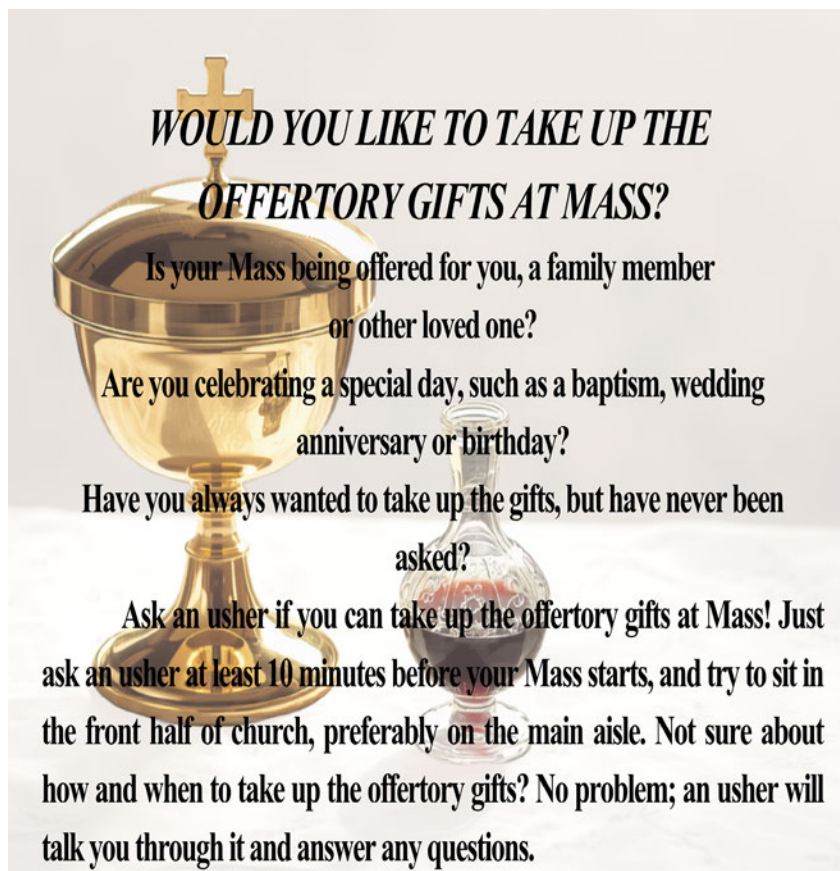
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WOULD YOU LIKE TO TAKE UP THE OFFERTORY GIFTS AT MASS?

Is your Mass being offered for you, a family member or other loved one?

Are you celebrating a special day, such as a baptism, wedding anniversary or birthday?

Have you always wanted to take up the gifts, but have never been asked?

Ask an usher if you can take up the offertory gifts at Mass! Just ask an usher at least 10 minutes before your Mass starts, and try to sit in the front half of church, preferably on the main aisle. Not sure about how and when to take up the offertory gifts? No problem; an usher will talk you through it and answer any questions.

SUNDAY COLLECTION – AUGUST 30, 2026

	Actual	Budget	Over/(Under)
Weekly Offertory:	\$35,139.00	\$21,836.00	\$13,303.00
Other Income (parish activities, programs):	\$2,220.00	\$608.00	\$1,612.00
Capital Repairs Fund	\$90.00	\$200.00	(\$110.00)
Total Income:	\$37,449.00	\$22,644.00	\$14,805.00
Year to Date Offertory:	YTD Actual	YTD Budget	YTD Over/(Under)
	\$273,478.00	\$272,452.00	\$1,026.00

Your offertory donation supports the liturgy...music, candles, vestments...all for the greater glory of God!

2nd Collections (Diocesan, Dominican, Other)

Little Margaret's Charity	\$4,158.00
Youth Ministry Storage Project	\$2,790.00
Spirit of Hope Disaster Relief Fund	\$65.00
Mission Co-op – East African Dominicans	\$50.00
Peter's Pence	\$40.00
Total Offerings from 2nd Collections:	\$7,103.00

ATTENDANCE: August 29/30

5:00 p.m.	178
7:00 a.m.	187
9:00 a.m.	302
10:30 a.m.	452
12:00 p.m.	401
Grand Total:	1,520



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- Something Very Strange Happened at Australian Customs
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