

**Welcome to
Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church**

Mass Schedule

Saturday: 4:00 pm
Sunday: 8:30 am & 10:30 am

May 19, 2019

Rev. David R. Bruning

Pastor

Dave Lang

Parish Manager

Rev. Joseph Newman, OSFS

Rev. Alan Zobler, OSFS

Weekend Celebrants

Gary Thrun

Deacon

Sr. Ritamarie Miller, OSF/T

Director of Liturgy & Music

Lisa Pierson

Office Manager

PARISH OFFICE: 419-865-2345

OFFICE HOURS: Monday-Friday
8:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m. &
12:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m.

ADDRESS: 6149 Hill Ave., Toledo, OH 43615

REGISTRATION:

New members should call or visit the
Parish Office

RECONCILIATION:

3:00 - 3:30 p.m. every Saturday
or by appointment

BAPTISMS:

Call Parish Office

MARRIAGES:

Please contact Parish Office
6 months in advance

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults):

Call Marty Charney at 419-865-7252

Christian Formation Program

(classes for public grade school children)

Call the Parish Office

MASSES:

Saturday: 4:00 p.m.

Sunday: 8:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

Holy Days: 5:30 p.m.

ST. BENEDICT CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Martha Hartman,

Principal/ St. Benedict Catholic School

Diane Spetz,

Secretary/ St. Benedict Catholic School

SCHOOL PHONE - 419-536-1194

SCHOOL FAX - 419-531-5140

Parish Activities This Week

Sunday, May 19: Fifth Sunday of Easter

- **Mass:** 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.
- **RCIA:** 8:30 a.m., Lourdes Room
- **Daughters of Mary Communion Breakfast:** 9:30 a.m., Parish Life Center

Monday, May 20: St. Bernardine of Siena

- **Deadline for May 26 Bulletin:** please submit your articles to lperson@olltoledo.com by noon.

Tuesday, May 21: St. Christopher Magallanes

Wednesday, May 22: St. Rita of Cascia

- **Early Deadline for June 2 Bulletin:** please submit your articles to lperson@olltoledo.com by noon.
- **Finance Meeting:** 8:00 a.m., Conference Room
- **Hospitality Kitchen:** 10am-noon, Parish Life Center

Thursday, May 23:

- **Bingo:** In the Parish Life Center. Doors open at 10:00 a.m. Hard Card and Paper Lightning at 11:00 a.m. Series at 1:00 p.m. To volunteer call 419-865-2345.

Friday, May 24:

- **Mass:** 8:15 a.m.

Saturday, May 25: St. Bede the Venerable

- **Reconciliation:** 3:00-3:30 p.m.
- **Mass:** 4:00 p.m.

Sunday, May 26: 6th Sunday of Easter

- **Mass:** 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.
- **RCIA:** 8:30 a.m., Lourdes Room

PLEASE NOTE

**The Parish Office will close at 11:30 a.m. on
Fridays from Memorial Day to Labor Day.**



**The Parish Office will be closed on
Monday, May 27th in observance of Memorial Day.**



† STEWARDSHIP

Let us honor God with our first fruits rather than the left-overs.

SACRIFICIAL GIVING REPORT

Offertory.....	\$	7,410.60
Weekly Sunday Offering Budget.....	\$	9,500.00
Over (under) for the week #45.....		(2,089.40)
Year-to-date thru 5/12/2019.....	\$	362,888.41
Year-to-date budgeted thru 5/12/2019.\$		427,500.00
Over (under) thru 5/12/2019.....	\$	(64,611.86)

THANKS so much to all who support our parish. Call the parish office or drop us a note if you would like to receive contribution envelopes. Please call the Parish Office if you have any changes in your address, phone, household, etc.

Ministry of Praise Petitions

- 1) Teens
- 2) Those on Death Row
- 3) Children

Church Laundry:

May 19-25: Judy Hartranft
 May 26-June 1: Donna Urban

Church Cleaners:

May 20: Mary Alice McGuire
 May 27: Rose Dennis



Liturgical Ministers



May 25 & 26, 2019

4:00 p.m. Mass

CELEBRANT: Fr. Dave Bruning

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Deacon Gary, Dave Driik, Sr. Sharon Pollnow, Margaret Boltz, Eileen Tippin, Linda Dohrmann, Volunteer

LECTOR: David Barret

SERVERS: Marty Charney, Pat Nadolny

8:30 a.m. Mass

CELEBRANT: Fr. Dave Bruning

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Deacon Gary, Bob Owens, Margaret Adams

LECTOR: Mike Lawniczak

SERVERS: Hawley family

10:30 a.m. Mass

CELEBRANT: Fr. Dave Bruning

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Deacon Gary, Bill Koback, Caroline Koback, Janet Veith, Chuck Martin, Margaret Martin, Marty Paskiet

LECTOR: John Needham

SERVERS: Emma Siers, Mindy Campbell

Called to *Serve*



SAVE THE DATE!

Steak and Chicken Dinner

Saturday, August 24th
(All Proceeds Benefit We Build Campaign)

More Details to Come!

HELP NEEDED!

Please call Glenda Hawley at 419-531-8497 and leave a message with your name and phone number or you can email Glenda at ghawley831@aol.com.



Mass Intentions

Sat. 5/25 4:00 p.m. Tyler Salyers
 Kenneth Kolinski

Sun. 5/26 8:30 a.m. OLL Parishioners

10:30 a.m. Grace Carrier
 Bud Baranek, Jr.
 Joseph John Ide

The **Sanctuary Lamp** burns to remind us of the presence of Christ in the Blessed Sacrament. Sponsorship this week is in memory of **OLL Parishioners.**

From Fr. Dave Bruning In the past couple of weeks, our Pastoral Council held its last meeting for this year (ending June 30). Several members will be completing their service at this time: Ramon Taroy, Minda Te, Rose Underwood and Janet Veith. I want to thank them for their service to the parish in our planning for the future. We are welcoming three new members to the Council: Betty Franks, Mark Lucas and Regina Lucas. They will be joining Mike Wood, Sarah Salatin and our coordinator Margaret Boltz.

The Pastoral Council is the principal advisory committee for the parish staff and pastor. We focus our primary energy during the year on one particular area, while continuing to have an overview on major parish issues. This year we have focused our efforts on activities for our youth and their parents. We will revisit our focus area as we begin our next year in the latter part of this summer.

Readings for the week of May 19, 2019

- Sunday: Acts 14:21-27/Ps 145:8-9, 10-11, 12-13 [cf. 1]/Rv 21:1-5a/Jn 13:31-33a, 34-35
- Monday: Acts 14:5-18/Ps 115:1-2, 3-4, 15-16 [1ab]/Jn 14:21-26
- Tuesday: Acts 14:19-28/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 21 [cf. 12]/Jn 14:27-31a
- Wednesday: Acts 15:1-6/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5 [cf. 1]/Jn 15:1-8
- Thursday: Acts 15:7-21/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 10 [3]/Jn 15:9-11
- Friday: Acts 15:22-31/Ps 57:8-9, 10 and 12 [10a]/Jn 15:12-17
- Saturday: Acts 16:1-10/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 5 [2a]/Jn 15:18-21
- Next Sunday: Acts 15:1-2, 22-29/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 [4]/Rv 21:10-14, 22-23/Jn 14:23-29

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Religious Education Coordinator/Part-time Position for Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Toledo

The Coordinator of Religious Education administers, designs, develops, directs, and evaluates the catechetical program at Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church in Toledo. The Coordinator provides leadership to assist the parish youth, young adults, and adults in building a solid foundation for spirituality, Catholic living, ministry, and outreach.

In an effort to keep our records up to date, please contact the Parish Office if you have had a change in contact information such as address, phone number and email. Thank you!

On this anniversary (May 24) of Pope Francis' encyclical Laudato Si, the 'Christian Simplicity Team' of Our Lady of Lourdes would like to offer this reflection:

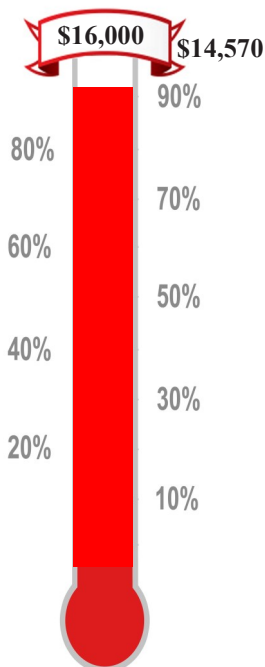
"Let ours be a time remembered for the awakening of a new reverence for life, the firm resolve to achieve sustainability, the quickening of the struggle for justice and peace, and the joyful celebration of life" (LS207)

In John 13:34-35: Jesus said, *"Just as I have loved you, you must also love one another. By this everyone will know that you are my disciples."*

As witnesses to the Easter Gospel message, may we join together in prayer and action, bringing Christ's love into situations of despair. In this way we help heal, sustain and nourish this world for generations to come. We are being called out of the tomb of this climate crisis, we are called to move the stone and undo the linen wrappings of environmental degradation which have bound us for so long. We show our love for one another, for future generations and for this beautiful world, through our actions. Amen!



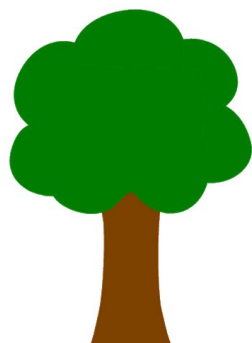
Landscaping for Church Campus Goal



Phase 1: \$9,000 (Church Campus)

Phase 2: \$7,000 (Office, Sign, Bell)

Phase 3: TBD (Shrine)



Tickets available for 7th Annual Karl Rahner Lecture

Thursday, May 23, 2019, from 5:30 to 7 p.m. in the Franciscan Center, 6832 Convent Blvd., in Sylvania. Guest Lecturer Bishop Thomas Gumbleton, a retired auxiliary bishop of the Archdiocese of Detroit, will present **"The Challenge of Peace: God's Promise and Our Response."** In this lecture, Bishop Gumbleton will explore Catholic teaching on war and nuclear weapons in the context of history, highlight Pope Francis' efforts to bring renewed focus to the Gospel message of nonviolence and discuss the theological foundations of the Christian call to peacemaking. A reception follows. Tickets are \$10 in advance and \$15 at the door. To reserve tickets, contact franciscanvillage@sistersosf.org, 419-824-3515 or visit www.sylvaniafranciscanvillage.org.

Come join us on Sun., June 2nd at OLPH in Meeting Room 2 for a Euchre Tournament from 1 to 4 pm. Cost is \$6.00 per person with a cash prize going to the winner. You don't need a partner. Coffee, tea, water, pop and some snacks will be provided. You are invited to bring a snack to share if you wish. Please call the parish office at 419-382-5511 to reserve your space so we can have enough tables. All parishes are welcome.



Tired of writing checks? It's not too late to sign up for automatic withdrawal for your contributions. Sign up forms are available in the parish office. We are happy to mail out a form to you if you wish.

"Before all else comes the individual person," Pope Francis wrote, "and people should not be defined only by their sexual tendencies. We are all destined to receive his infinite love." The Courage apostolate welcomes men and women who experience same-sex attractions as brothers and sisters in Christ, and helps them to respond to their vocation as sons and daughters of God, created in his image and likeness. Together with a priest chaplain, Courage members strive for chastity, build authentic friendships, and grow in holiness. Please visit the Courage website at www.couragerc.org if you want to learn more. For more information, please call the Diocese of Toledo Chapter Spiritual Director, Fr. Michael Dandurand at 419.644.4014 or email at courage@toledodiocese.org.

5th Sunday of Easter

"I give you a new commandment: love one another." With these words, Jesus sums up the law and the prophets in one concise phrase. Love one another. After 2,000 years, you'd think we'd have it figured out by now! But all too often we fail in this commandment. Perhaps we mistake "love" for mere "common decency." Perhaps we've been betrayed, or our own visions of love have been tarnished or misrepresented in our lives. Blessedly, Jesus doesn't leave us without a guide.

"As I have loved you, so you also should love one another." Jesus himself modeled what this love should look like. So what are some of the characteristics of the love of Christ? Humility, for one. St. Paul writes that Jesus "emptied Himself." In becoming man, Jesus puts aside the full splendor of the Godhead. Not only does he become human, but he takes on many of the mundane privations of human life. He spent most of his life in relative poverty - especially by our standards - as a common laborer. When he began gaining popularity as a preacher, he still traveled on foot and spent nights in other people's homes or outdoors.

Jesus' love is generous. He was always available to the crowds and to being interrupted by people in need. He invested time in his disciples and patiently taught them about the kingdom of God. The love of Jesus is also courageous. He encountered many people deemed less worthy of human respect, due to being public sinners or having a physical or mental disability. Jesus was brave in breaking these social boundaries to show care and concern to the outcast. These traits are possible for us to imitate! Indeed, we are hardly identifiable as Christians without them. "This is how all will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another."





Our Lady of Lourdes Summer Golf Scramble

*4-Person Team Scramble
Sunday, June 30th*



Create your own 4-person team or have us place you with one.
Open to all *men and women* golfers, family members & friends welcome.
So, line up your foursome now!

and
Join us for a fun filled afternoon of golf and fellowship at
Bedford Hills Golf Club

6400 Jackman Rd., Temperance, MI 48182

12:00 pm Check-in / Shotgun start @ 1:30 pm

Tees: Mens - White; Seniors (65+) - Gold; Women - Red

Contests: ● Two Closest-to-the-Pin

- Long Drive
- Mulligans' available
- Prizes

Cost: \$55/person includes:

- 18 holes of golf and cart,
- 2 beverage tickets
- Range balls
- Delicious barbecue feast of Beef Brisket and Pulled Pork with sides.



For more information

Call Paul Conrad @419-297-7270 or email at OLOL.Golf@outlook.com

Cut along line

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Registration Form

Captain: _____ Phone #(____) _____ - _____

Email Address: _____@_____ - _____

Player #2: _____ Phone #(____) _____ - _____

Player #3: _____ Phone #(____) _____ - _____

Player #4: _____ Phone #(____) _____ - _____

For official use only:

Detach "Registration Form" and make checks payable to: Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church
and mail to: Our Lady of Lourdes Golf Scramble, 6149 Hill Ave., Toledo, OH 43615 Attn: Paul Conrad

Amount enclosed: \$ _____ .00 Cash Check # _____ assigned Team #: _____

LOAN REPAYMENT TO DIOCESE FOR NEW CHURCH

Money borrowed from Diocese: \$1,409,956

OLL payments to date: 335,264

(Principal: \$122,101; Interest \$96,419;
Additional Principal Paid \$116,744

Current balance (including interest) owed to Diocese: \$1,165,923.00

**balances are updated as of May 12, 2019*



We are grateful for your continued support to the We Build Campaign as it helps us reach our goal of reducing our debt to the Diocese.



St. Benedict Catholic School May Crowning



8th Grade students Participate in May Crowning



2nd Grade students who recently made their First Communion

Now Enrolling for the 2019-2020 School Year

Scholarships Available — Limited Space Available

All Day Preschool Ages 3&4

Elementary K - 5

Middle School 6 - 8

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