

#### Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil 4:00 P.M.

Sunday 9:00 & 11:00 A.M.

Weekday (Mon., Wed. & Fri.) 5:15 P.M.

(Tues., Thurs. & Sat.) 8:00 A.M.

Holy Days Consult Bulletin

# **Phone Directory**

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# **Rectory Office Hours**

# Sacrament of Penance

Please call the Rectory to Schedule.

# Sacrament of Baptism

Please call the Rectory to register for Baptismal Class.

# Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick

Please call the Rectory.

# Sacrament of Marriage

Diocesan Marriage policy requires that couples contact the priest at least six months prior to setting a date for marriage. Time is necessary for instructions and sacramental preparation. Please call the Rectory to schedule an appointment.

#### **New Parishioners**

We welcome you to our community.

Please call for an appointment to register.

Anyone over 18 years of age, still living at home, should register as a single adult member of our community.

# Parish School of Religion

Required for all children attending public school grades 1-8. For information, call PSR Director Colleen Houk at 216.226.5116 or email: pcl.stclementlakewood@gmail.com.

#### **Parish School**

Lakewood Catholic Academy 14808 Lake Avenue 216-521-0559 www.lakewoodcatholicacademy.com

# Faith Journey

R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) A process for those interested in the faith. For information, call Deacon Danny Bryan at 216.375.9340.

# **Adoration Chapel**

# TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY OF THE YEAR AUGUST 22, 2021

"Master, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life."

John 6: 60-69

The most important lessons we learn in life are usually the hardest. Realizing that we have a responsibility to our families and communities can be a hard lesson to learn and to teach. The Gospel can be difficult to embrace - Jesus' demand that His disciples must be forgiving and merciful runs counter to what human convention dictates. Gospel justice and compassion can make us very uncomfortable and uneasy. Compassion, mercy, and forgiveness are hard lessons to live in the challenging and complex lives we live, but in our struggles to act faithfully and with hope, we can grow to understand that we are part of a world much greater than ourselves, that we are connected to everyone through the dignity we all share as sons and daughters of God. May we possess the constant faith and resolve of Simon Peter and the Twelve who remain with Jesus – faith, that even in the most difficult times, senses the light and refuses to abandon the hope of God's love.



# Scripture Readings for the Week

Monday: 1 Thes: 1-5, 8-10; Mt 23: 13-22

Tuesday: Rv 21: 9-14; Jn 1: 45-51

Wednesday: 1 Thes 2: 9-13; Mt 23: 27-32

Thursday: 1 Thes 3: 7-13; Mt 24: 42-51

Friday: 1 Thes 4: 1-8; Mt 25: 1-13

Saturday: 1 Thes 4: 9-11; Mt 25: 14-30

Sunday: Dt 4: 1-2, 6-8; Jas 1: 17-18, 21-22, 27

Mk 7: 1-8, 14-15, 21-23

# **Catechesis of the Good Shepherd**

It is with great joy that we announce The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd method of faith formation for three to six year old children. The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd will begin in September. The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd is a Montessori based approach to the religious formation of children, rooted in Sacred Scripture, Liturgy and respect for the child's rich relationship with God. Families with children and grandchildren age three to six are invited to join us on Wednesday, August 25, at the Saint James Parish Center to learn more about this method of faith formation. The meeting will be offered 9:30 am - 10:30 am and again 6 pm - 7 pm. For more information, please 216-5116, contact Colleen at or at: pcl.stjameslakewood@gmail.com or, pcl.stclementlakewood@gmail.com.

# Adoration Chapel Reopens

Our Adoration Chapel will be open every Wednesday and Thursday from 5 am to 11 pm.



Looking for a place to have a conversation with Jesus? Or a peaceful 15 minutes from your stressful life? Our Chapel is open for visitors on Wednesday and Thursday. Come, spend some time with our Lord. Be respectful of any regular adorer and, if you have not been vaccinated, wear your mask. It is a small space.

"The best time of my day will be spending time with you, my Lord, in adoration."

# Pilgrimage to Poland & Eastern Europe



On May 2, 2022, Fr. Rod Kreidler and I will lead a pilgrimage to Poland and Eastern Europe to be inspired by the people and cultures of that region. This 12-day pilgrimage

will visit the beautiful cities of Warsaw, Czestochowa, Auschwitz, Krakow, Wadowice, Budapest, Vienna and Prague. We will pray at some of the most sacred sites in these cities and offer prayers of reparation as we face the reality of the Auschwitz Concentration Camp. We hope you consider joining us and participate in this opportunity to get away for spiritual and cultural growth. For a brochure with complete details, please contact me at St. Clement Rectory office, 216-226-5116, or email <a href="mailto:stclementlakewood@cox.net">stclementlakewood@cox.net</a>.

Fr. Workman

# Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, August 23 - Saint Rose of Lima

5:15 PM † McGuire Family (Living & Deceased)

Tuesday, August 24 - Saint Bartholomew

8:00 AM Patty Barrett (Living)

Wednesday, August 25 - Saint Louis

5:15 PM † Robert Barns

Thursday, August 26 - Weekday

8:00 AM † Sr. Therese Zammikiel, P.P.C.

Friday, August 27 - Saint Monica

5:15 PM † All Souls

Saturday, August 28 - Saint Augustine

8:00 AM † Berte Mellert 4:00 PM † Tim Mack

THE PARK

Sunday, August 29 – 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 AM For the People of the Parish

11:00 AM † Stanley Jaworski

#### POOR CLARES' PRAYER LINE

Do you need prayer today? Are your loved ones, coworkers or neighbors in need of God's loving guidance? Call the Poor Clares' Prayer Line at 216-361-0783.

#### <u>September - 1st Friday Luncheon</u>

An inter-parish men's group will meet at St. Clarence Church, 30106 Lorain Rd., No. Olmsted, on **September 3rd**, for a First Friday luncheon, with **registration at 11:15 am** followed by the luncheon, then an inspirational talk, and concludes with Mass. Cost is \$13. Please call George Perz at 440-937-6606 by **Tuesday**, **August 31st**, to make a reservation.

### A Life in the Spirit Seminar

Our Lady of Angels Prayer Group invites you to a Life in the Spirit Seminar. Our lives are filled with many choices to make every day, difficult choices. Come and see how God's Spirit guides us. We tap into the power and freedom that is offered to us. There is so much more for Eight CONSECUTIVE Tuesday your life! evenings, September 14th through November 2nd, from 7:30 pm - 9 pm. We meet in the Primary School Building, 3644 Rocky River Dr., Cleveland, (signs will be up). For information and reservations, phone Verna at 216-251-3560, or Tom at 216-252-5724. There is no charge for this seminar.

#### **Bus Tour - Sorrowful Mother Shrine**

The Our Lady of Mt. Carmel (West) Sacred Heart Sodality is sponsoring a bus tour to the Sorrowful Mother Shrine in Bellevue, Ohio, on **September 12, 2021,** for Italian Day. All are welcome. The cost is \$35. Lunch is \$15, but you may bring your own lunch. The bus departs from Baron's Bus, 13315 Brookpark Rd, Brook Park, OH 44142, at 8:00 am, and Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church, 6928 Detroit Ave., Cleveland, Ohio 44102, at 8:30 am. **The deadline to register is August 29th.** Please call Beverly Ciocca, 216-337-0816, or Ida Casale, 216-267-4178, with questions or to make reservations.

#### **EUCHARISTIC PROCESSION**

Legion of Mary Cleveland West Comitium invites you to attend Holy Mass and participate in a traditional Eucharistic Procession on Saturday, September 4th. The Mass will be at 11 am and the procession will begin at 12 noon at the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist in downtown Cleveland. The Cathedral is located at 1007 Superior Avenue, Cleveland. The (less than one mile in distance) procession will be through the sidewalks of downtown Cleveland, as we walk, pray, and sing in honor of our Eucharistic Lord Jesus and Our Lady, the Blessed Virgin Mary. The event includes Holy Mass with Father Kevin Estabrook, our Legion of Mary Comitium Spiritual Director, a procession with hymns, and a return to the Cathedral for the recitation of the Rosary and closing prayers. RSVP is not required. For further information, contact:

contact@legionofmarynorthernohio.org.

### **Servers Needed!!**

We are in need of new servers with the loss of many graduates this year. If you are entering the 4th grade

or older and would like to assist at Sunday Mass as a server, please call Deacon Danny at 216-375-9340, or email him at <a href="mailto:dlbryan@gmail.com">dlbryan@gmail.com</a> to receive training.

#### **Finance Corner**

Collection for weekend of **August 15th -** \$ 3,797.00 Monthly Collection - \$ 510.00 Assumption Collection - \$ 532.00 St. Vincent de Paul Collection - \$ 30.00

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