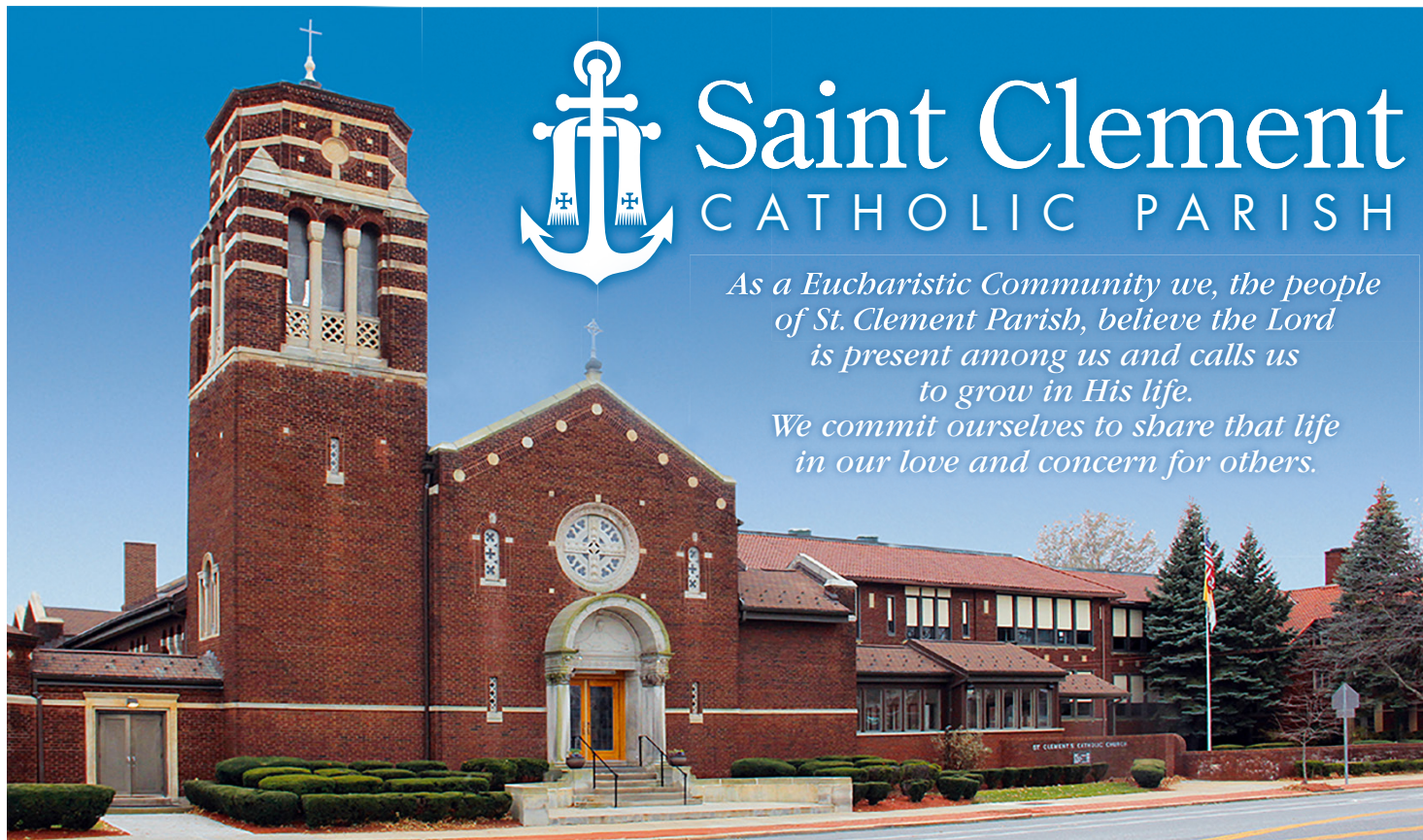




Saint Clement

CATHOLIC PARISH

As a Eucharistic Community we, the people of St. Clement Parish, believe the Lord is present among us and calls us to grow in His life. We commit ourselves to share that life in our love and concern for others.



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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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

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Faith Journey

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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 21, 2022

"Strive to enter through the narrow gate, for many, I tell you, will attempt to enter but will not be strong enough."
 Luke 13: 22-30

Discipline and sacrifice are the hinges of the "narrow gate" that Jesus speaks of in today's Gospel. All of the important things of life demand that we struggle through the narrow gate. There are no magic words to loving and being loved, to creating a world of justice and peace, to forgiving and being reconciled with one another. Jesus promises that anyone willing to struggle through the "narrow gate" will come to experience the life of God to the fullest. Our entry into the life of God requires of us an honesty and integrity that we cannot ignore or rationalize in order to justify our passage. The "narrow gate" is what we believe, what we hear God asking of us in the depth of our hearts. The "narrow gate" allows for no acceptable margin of error, no "wiggle room," no path of least resistance. It is the difficult way of limitless love, unconditional forgiveness, and sacrificial selflessness. Jesus promises that anyone willing to struggle through the "narrow gate" will be welcome into the eternal dwelling place of His Father.



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Mass Intention Book 2023 Open

The Mass Intention Book for 2023 is open. Please note there are still dates available for Mass intentions this year. You might like to remember the birthday or anniversary of your living loved ones, as well as the deceased. Mass stipends are \$10 each. Please stop by the Rectory office, or call the office at 226-5116, Monday thru Friday to schedule Masses.

Scripture Readings for the Week

Monday:	2 Thes 1: 1-5, 11-12; Mt 23: 13-22
Tuesday:	2 Thes 2: 1-3, 14-17; Mt 23: 23-26
Wednesday:	Rev 21: 9-14; Jn 1: 45-51
Thursday:	1 Cor 1: 1-9; Mt 24: 42-51
Friday:	1 Cor 1: 17-25; Mt 25: 1-13
Saturday:	1 Cor 1: 26-31; Mt 25: 14-30
Sunday:	Sir 3: 17-18, 20, 28-29; Heb 12: 18-19, 22-24; Lk 14: 1, 7-14

All women are invited to the fourth annual **Cleveland Catholic Women's Conference, Saturday, October 15th**, at St. Albert the Great in North Royalton. Hear from our speakers including Lisa Lickona, Catholic author and professor; Sister Elizabeth of the Franciscan Sisters; TOR of Steubenville; Lindsay Fullerman of Fit From Faith; and musicians Jeff Botos and Patricia Allerton, as they invite us to place our lives in the care of our loving and ever-present God. The day will also include Mass with Fr. Damian Ference, Q & A with Bishop Malesic, and opportunities for prayer, Confession, Eucharistic Adoration, and forming friendships. Cost is \$45 per person. Visit www.cleatholicwomen.org to register or for more information. Registration opened August 15th. Limited capacity, so register early!



Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, August 22 - The Queenship of the
Blessed Virgin Mary

5:15 PM † Cheryl Fetzer

Tuesday, August 23 - Saint Rose of Lima

8:00 AM † Patricia Hesland

Wednesday, August 24 - Saint Bartholomew

5:15 PM The Komara Family
(Living & Deceased)

Thursday, August 25 - Saint Louis

8:00 AM † Kathleen Craighead

Friday, August 26 - Weekday

5:15 PM † James Hanley

Saturday, August 27 - Saint Monica

8:00 AM The Terheggen Family
(Living & Deceased)

4:00 PM † Patricia Rowe

Sunday, August 28 - 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 AM For the People of the Parish

11:00 AM † Tim Mack

Sisters of St. Joseph Prayer Line:

216-252-0548

Mass for People with Special Needs

A Mass for people with special needs and their families will be celebrated on **August 28th**, at **2 pm** at St. Bernadette Church, 2256 Clague Rd., Westlake. The Mass is sponsored by the Knights of Columbus Council 16376 as a Life Program of the K of C. Fr. Phillip Racco, Pastor, will be the celebrant. St. Bernadette offers easy access for persons with mobility challenges. An interpreter will be provided for the deaf. Refreshments will be provided after Mass. Contact Jack Archer at 216-505-5414, or Rich Noga at 440-552-1176 for more information. All are welcome!

Finance Corner

Collection for weekend of **August 7th** - \$ 3,373.00

Monthly Collection - \$ 370.00

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St. Augustine Hunger Center - \$ 55.00

St. Vincent de Paul Collection - \$ 25.00

Online giving:

Weekly \$ 1,154.00 - Monthly \$ 2,073.00

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Thank you for your continued support and generosity to the Parish.

Centennial Daily Drawing

\$ 25.00 Winners - Congratulations!

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Family PSR - Parish School of Religion

Where families journey in faith together

Information Meeting for families new to the program.

The Parish School of Religion serves the faith communities of Saint Clement Parish and Saint James Parish. Families who would like to learn more about the program are invited to join us on **Monday, August 29**, at the Saint Clement Parish Hall from **6:00 pm - 6:30 pm** for an informational meeting that will review the Family PSR program, First Reconciliation, First Holy Communion and Confirmation Sacrament programs. If you are unable to attend this meeting but intend to take part in the Family PSR program, please call to ensure materials are ordered for your family. Family PSR begins on **Monday, September 12, 2022**. For more information please contact Parish Catechetical Leader, Colleen Houk, at 216 226-5116 or pcl.stclementlakewood@gmail.com.

Registration for families returning to Family PSR

The Parish School of Religion program for students in grades 1 through grade 8 will begin shortly. The program serves the faith communities of Saint Clement Parish and Saint James Parish. On **Monday, August 29, from 7 pm - 8 pm** we will host registration for families returning to the program. Please be prepared to pay the registration fee at this time. Family PSR begins on **Monday, September 12, 2022**. For more information please contact Parish Catechetical Leader, Colleen Houk, 216 226-5116 or pcl.stclementlakewood@gmail.com.

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.

Clement's Clues

Clue #14:

In approximately 100 A.D., St. Clement was banished to a work camp on the coast of the Crimean Sea, also known as what present day country?

Please submit responses to:

clementsclues@gmail.com.

Answer for Clue #13:

The St. Vincent de Paul Conference was established in 1932 at St. Clement Church.

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