

St. Sylvester, Woodsfield
founded 1866

St. John The Baptist, Miltonsburg
founded 1841

Parishes of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Steubenville

The Monroe County Catholic Churches

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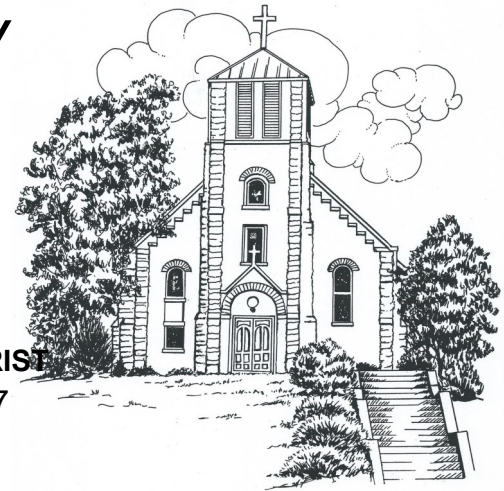
JUNE 22, 2025

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

GN 14:18-20 1COR 11:23-26 LK 9:11b-17

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Fr. Nicholas Ward
Administrator



Parish Contacts

New Parishioners are always welcome! Please contact the office.

Fr. Nicholas Ward (740) 457-7098

nward@diosteub.org

Jennifer Winkler (740) 472-0187

Office Hours Mon-Thurs. 9-2

Holy Matrimony, Baptism & Funeral

Contact the parish office (740) 472-0187

Confessions

St. Sylvester: Saturday 4:00pm to 4:45pm.

Sunday 7:45am to 8:15am.

St. John The Baptist: Sunday 9:45am to 10:15am

Pastoral Care of the Sick and Infirm

Call Fr. Ward 1(740) 457-7098 Hospitals and Care facilities

regularly do not notify the parish unless specific request is made.

Catholic Woman's Club

St. Sylvester: Diane Burkhart (740) 391-0391

St. John the Baptist: Eileen Ackerman (740) 757-2481 or

Eileen Miller (740) 472-0279

Knights of Columbus *St. Joseph of Monroe County Council 5009*

Meet on First Wednesday of each month at St. Sylvester Church,
following the 6:30 p.m. Mass

Grand Knight: Anthony Schumacher (740) 827-3626

Purgatorial Society & Prayer Chain

To join & information contact: Jackie Kirkland at (740) 472-0338.

Catholic Youth Group

Leader: Regina Knox

Diocesan Vocation Director

Fr. Nicholas Ginnetti

740-432-7609

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA):

RCIA is an adult preparation for Baptism, Confirmation & Eucharist.

Contact Church Office 740-472-0187

Parish School of Religion (PSR aka. CCD)

The Parish Religion Classes children 1st—8th grade

St. Sylvester School & Public Schools

St. Sylvester: Jill Schumacher (740) 213-4665

St. John the Baptist: Eileen Ackerman (740) 757-2481 **Call to Register**

St. John The Baptist Hall

Schedule to Rent Hall for Any Occasion

Contact Jennifer Winkler 740-472-0187 or 740-213-2430

St. Sylvester Central Elementary

(PreK-8) 119 Wayne Street, Woodsfield, Ohio.

Mrs. Robyn Guiler: Principal (740) 472-0321 ~ Preschool (740) 472-0420

Catholic Cemeteries

St. Sylvester Woodsfield: Tony Schumacher (740) 827-3626

St. John the Baptist, & Immaculate Conception Ozark:

Tony Schumacher (740) 827-3626

St. Joseph & Chapel Hill, Burkhart Station: Russell Betts (740) 567-3286

St. Patrick's, New Matamoras: Parish office: (740) 472-0187

DOS Office of Family & Social Concerns & Referral

(i.e. Catholic Charities), 1-800-339-7890.

Diocesan Child Protection and Reporting of Abuse

Victim Assistance Team: email: victimassistance43952@gmail.com

Phone: 740-278-3455

Emergency Contact "When Fr. Ward is out of town"

Assumption Church, Barnesville, Ohio, Fr. David Cornett

Rectory Office: (740) 425-2181 Cell: (740) 381-4415 or St. Stephen Church,

Caldwell, Ohio, Fr. Tom Nelson ~ Rectory Office: (740) 732-4129

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

SUNDAY **JUNE 22ND**
St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 8:30 a.m.
 Living & Deceased of our Parishes

St. John The Baptist, Miltonsburg 10:30 a.m.
 +Francis L Block *by Sony Block Family*

MONDAY **JUNE 23RD**
Vigil of the Nativity of St. John The Baptist
John The Baptist, Miltonsburg 5:30 p.m.
 Pizza party to follow Mass
 +Helen Miller *by Dayle Miller*

TUESDAY **JUNE 24TH**
Nativity of St. John the Baptist
St. John The Baptist, Miltonsburg 9:00 a.m.
 Holy Hour 8:00 a.m.
 +Stella Crum *by Meredith & Linda Kahrig*

WEDNESDAY **JUNE 25TH**
St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 12:00 noon
 +Fred Ulrich *by Holly & Susan Dick*

St. Benedict Church, Cambridge
 Seminarian Jubilee Tour 6:30-8:00 p.m.

THURSDAY **JUNE 26TH**
St. John The Baptist, Miltonsburg 9:00 a.m.
 Holy Hour 8:00 a.m.
 +David Gossett *by Fr. Nicholas Ward*

FRIDAY **JUNE 27TH**
St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 8:30 a.m.
 +George Demchak *by Kachel Family*

SATURDAY **JUNE 28TH**
Holy Rosary Church, Steubenville 9:00 a.m.
 Diaconate Ordination

St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 5:00 p.m.
 +Clara Hall *by Margie Partridge*

SUNDAY **JUNE 29TH**
St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 8:30 a.m.
 +Helen Miller *by Dayle Miller Family*

St. John The Baptist, Miltonsburg 10:30 a.m.
 Living & Deceased of our Parishes

SCHOOL NEWS...

The School is looking for Volunteers to
 Call Bingo and Register Workers

This would only be one day a month
 commitment.
 Please call Tammy 740-472-0321

Our Sunday Offering
 June 14 - June 15

St. John The Baptist

Adult Collection	\$ 605.00
Loose Collection	\$ 154.00
Education Fund	\$ 60.00
Peter Pence	\$ 200.00
Father's Day	\$ 80.00
Cemetery Fund	\$ 70.00

St. Sylvester

Adult Collection	\$ 2,447.00
Loose Collection	\$ 146.00
School Fund	\$ 245.00
Peter Pence	\$ 20.00
Cemetery Fund	\$ 150.00
Father's Day	\$ 50.00
Building/Boiler	\$ 25.00

*Thank You for your
 continued support of
 our Parishes & School*

Upcoming Ordination to the Diaconate

We are pleased to announce that Peter Stetson and Ryan Budd, seminarians of the Diocese of Steubenville, will be ordained to the Order of Deacon at a Mass of Ordination on **Saturday, June 28, 2025, at 9:00 AM at Holy Rosary Church in Steubenville, Ohio.** All are welcome to attend this joyful celebration, and a small reception will follow the Mass.

We ask all parishioners throughout the diocese to keep Peter and Ryan in your prayers as they prepare to receive the Sacrament of Holy Orders as transitional deacons and continue their journey toward the priesthood. May the Lord bless them with strength, wisdom, and holiness in their vocation.

2025 Cemetery Lawn Care

St. Sylvester Cost\$ 12,750.00
 Lawn Care Donations\$ 3,942.00

St. John The Baptist Cost.....\$ 8,400.00
 Donations\$ 3,058.48

Imm Conception Cemetery Cost.....\$ 4,200.00
 Donations\$ 2,600.00

St. Joseph/Chapel Hill Cost.....\$ 9,750.00
 Donations\$ 370.00

St. Patrick Cemetery Cost.....\$ 2,800.00
 Donations\$ 500.00

This Week Wednesday

St. Sylvester Church
NO Adoration

PARISHIONERS...

Anyone needing
 "The Steubenville
 Register"
 mailed to your home,
 contact Jennifer
 740-472-0187

THANK YOU !!

Everyone, for the donations toward the
 Care of our Cemeteries

KEEP IT GROWING!

2025 DPSC Share Campaign

Your sacrificial gifts enable the dioceses to educate our seminarians, future priests, care for retired priests, oversee education of our youth through Catholic Schools, religious programs and youth ministry, assist poor and other local efforts, Please keep this in mind as you graciously consider your contribution. You can also donate online @ Give.DioSteub.Org

St. Sylvester Goal: \$29,390
St. John The Baptist Goal: \$17,806

Goal Received \$9,599
Goal Received \$4,425

In Loving Memory Of:

Emma Schumacher
Paul Ditto
Deb Schumacher
Francis (Fritz) Schumacher
Katy Madison
Paul Madison
Paul Madison Jr.
Charles & Mary Hunkler
Donald & Lois Stephen
Michael E. Koval
Norma H. Koval
Herman Burkhart
Hilda Burkhart
Madeline Mellinger
Billie Jean Elliott
Harry & Lucille Elliott
David Baker
Lowell Baker
William Bolon
Meri C Welsh
Raymond Baldwin
Alice & Ralph Buckalew
Grace Ann Joyce
Joe Fillippi
Ty A. Burkhart
Darrell & Charlotte Cline
Clara Rush
Virgil Rush
Francis & Edith Block
Virgil Block
Joe & Debbie Block
Gladys (babe) Burkhart
Jimmy Norris
Mary Ellen Barber Norris
Quinn Kahrig
Danny Betts
Edward Rensi
Vernon Butler
Cinderella Butler
Francis Stephen
Carol Moore
Imelda D. Scott
Francis Paulus
Freedra Paulus
Mary Paulus
Hilda Paulus
Michael Burkhart
Bertha Burkhart
Rebeca Burkhart
Robert Miller Sr.
Walter Knox
Josephina Jack
Lawrence Crock
Helen Burkhart
Francis Burkhart
Wes & Clare Hossman
Donald Miller
Larry Krone
Joy Taylor
Cindy Miller Stevens
Norbert Burkhart
Agnes Burkhart
Tina Burkhart Muffett
Francis Reischman
Hazel Reischman
Harold Robinson
Ellen Robinson
Cyril Burkhart
Eunice Gallagher
Joe Gallagher
Thelma Scott
Harmon Scott
Jimmy Scott
Richard Scott
Delores Quarles
Carol Lumbatis
Richard J. Sobocinski
Fr. Samuel Saprano

***Eternal rest grant unto
them, O Lord.***

***Lauda Sion Salvatorem (Sequence for the Mass of Corpus Christi, in English)
by St. Thomas Aquinas, Confessor and Doctor of the Church***

Sion, lift thy voice and sing: Praise thy Savior and thy King; Praise with hymns thy Shepherd true:

*Dare thee most to praise Him well; For He doth all praise excel; None can ever reach His due. Special theme of
praise is thine, that true living Bread divine, that life-giving flesh adored, Which the brethren twelve received,
as most faithfully believed, at the Supper of the Lord.*

*Let the chant be loud and high; Sweet and tranquil be the joy Felt to-day in every breast; On this festival divine
Which recounts the origin of the glorious Eucharist.*

*At this table of the King, our new Paschal offering Brings to end the olden rite; Here, for empty shadows fled, Is
reality instead; Here, instead of darkness, light.*

*His own act, at supper seated, Christ ordained to be repeated, In His memory divine; Wherefore now, with
adoration, We the Host of our salvation Consecrate from bread and wine.*

*Hear what holy Church maintaineth, that the bread its substance changeth into Flesh, the wine to Blood.
Doth it pass thy comprehending? Faith, the law of sight transcending, leaps to things not understood.*

*Here in outward signs are hidden Priceless things, to sense forbidden; Signs, not things, are all we see: - Flesh
from bread, and Blood from wine; Yet is Christ, in either sign, all entire confessed to be.*

*They too who of Him partake Sever not, nor rend, nor break, but entire their Lord receive. Whether one or
thousands eat, all receive the selfsame meat, nor the less for others leave.*

*Both the wicked and the good Eat of this celestial Food; But with ends how opposite! Here 'tis life; and there 'tis
death; The same, yet issuing to each in a difference infinite.*

*Nor a single doubt retain, when they break the Host in twain, but that in each part remains what was in the
whole before; Since the simple sign alone suffers change in state or form, The Signified remaining One and the
Same forevermore*

*Lo! upon the Altar lies, hidden deep from human eyes, Angels' Bread from Paradise Made the food of mortal
man: Children's meat to dogs denied; In old types fore-signified; In the manna from the skies, in Isaac, and the
Paschal Lamb.*

*Jesu! Shepherd of the sheep! Thy true flock in safety keep. Living Bread! Thy life supply; Strengthen us, or else
we die; Fill us with celestial grace: Thou, who feedeth us below! Source of all we have or know! Grant that with
Thy Saints above, sitting at the Feast of Love, we may see Thee face to face.*

Amen!

TUESDAY BINGO**June 24th**

Bev Dick
Brenda Fisher
Shelly Young
Gene Hupp
Heather Monroe

July 1st

Missy Knowlton
Randall Sefert
Courtney Collmar

SUNDAY BINGO**June 22nd**

Ace Guiler
Sean Edgel
Olivia Fisher
Evan Yoss

July 13th

Missy Knowlton
Terry Schumacher
Kasey/David Block
Adam Chambers

TUESDAY KITCHEN**June 24th**

Nancy Schenk
Diane Burkhart

July 1st

Julie Selmon

SUNDAY KITCHEN**June 22nd**

Louise Kress
Catherine Paulus

**Scripture Reading
of the Week**

**Sunday
JUNE 22ND
THE MOST
BODY AND BLOOD OF
CHRIST**

GN 14:18-20
1COR 11:23-26
LK 9:11b-17

**Monday
JUNE 23RD**

GN 12:1-9
MT 7:1-5

**Tuesday
JUNE 24TH**

IS 49:1-6
ACTS 13:22-26
LK 1:57-66, 80

**Wednesday
JUNE 25TH**

GN 15:1-12, 17-18
MT 7:15-20

**Thursday
JUNE 26TH**

GN 16:1-12, 15-16
MT 7:21-29

**Friday
JUNE 27TH**

EZ 34:11-16
ROM 5:5b-11
LK 15:3-7

**Saturday
JUNE 28TH**

GN 18:1-15
MT 8:5-17

**Sunday
JUNE 29TH**

**SAINTS PETER AND
PAUL, APOSTLES**

ACTS 12:1-11
2TM 4:6-8, 17-18
MT 16:13-19

LECTORS MASS SCHEDULE

- June 21....Bill Frank
- June 22....Becky Baldwin
- June 28....Tammy Jones
- June 29....Bill Long

FATHER'S DAY

+In Memory of ~ In Honor Of



Francis "Fritz" Schumacher
Paul Archer
Clarence E. Stephen
Harry Elliott
William Frank Sr.
Richard A. Frank
Robert H. Wilson
Richard L. Frank
Robert P. Wilson
Mike Rehtus Sr.
Robert Haffner
Francis Paulus
Francis Dimmerling
Everett Piatt
Donald Freeman
Jerry Weiss
Anthony Biedenbach
Joseph Dick
Victor Davidson
Paul Madison
Michael Burkhart
John Figel

Kenny Kuhn
Joe Kuhn
Donald Lafferre
Clarence Hoff
George Kress Sr.
Francis Stephen
Winfield McFarland
Marion Stephen
Roman Schumacher
Arthur L. Miller
Leander Kuhn
Elbert Betts
Louis Jr. Schumacher
Donald Stephen
Ralph Keevert
Charles Hunkler
Walter J. Knox
Robert Miller Sr.
Albert Garfold
Kenneth Knox
Vernon Butler

Eugene Wells
Harmon Scott
Nelson Smithberger
Secundo Baguio
Vicente Baguio
Deonesio Balais
Cletus Dick
Joe Dick
William Archer
Norbert Burkhart
Harold Robinson
Donald Miller Sr.
Wes Hossman
Michael Garten
Delmas Finnicum
Lawrence Miller
Ray Kemp

Mike Laubert
Matt Rehtus
Dustin Brown
Cody Lindeman
John Yocca
Mike Knowlton
Delmas Betts
Keith Coss
John Garfold
Robert Miller Jr.
Tony Schumacher
Kyle Pitt
Brent Yarnall
Brian McClem



**St. Joseph of Monroe County,
Council 5009 of the Knights of Columbus
Anthony Schumacher, Grand Knight**

Leading by Example—Our council seeks to develop a culture of charity, unity, and fraternity in faithful service to the Church and community. New members are welcome to join us!

Next Meetings— *Knight's of Columbus Meeting will be on Wednesday, July 2nd. Adoration at 6:00 p.m. Rosary at 6:15 p.m. Mass at 6:30 p.m. Meeting to follow in the Church Basement.

*Catholic Women's Club Meeting is Wednesday, July 9th - 7:00p.m. @ Generations

