

St. Sylvester, Woodfield
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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Woodfield, Ohio 43793-1027

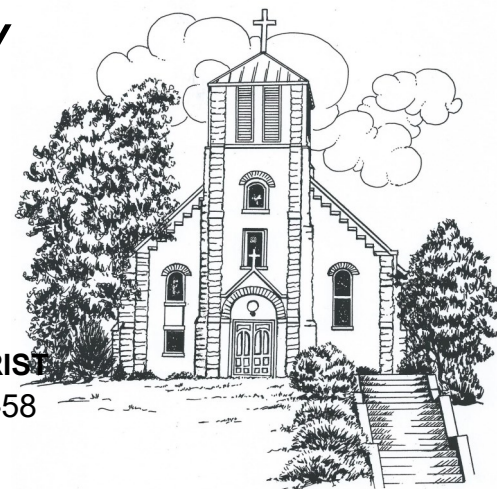
JUNE 7, 2026

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

1PT 8:2-3, 14b-16a 1COR 10:16-17 JN 6:51-58

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Fr. Nicholas Ward
Administrator



Parish Contacts

New Parishioners are always welcome! Please contact the office.

Fr. Nicholas Ward (740) 457-7701

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, Woodfield, Ohio.

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

Catholic Cemeteries

St. Sylvester Woodfield: 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

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SUNDAY JUNE 7TH
St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 8:30 a.m.
+Deb Schumacher by *Perry Schumacher*

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

MONDAY JUNE 8TH
St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 5:30 p.m.
+Hilda & Mary Paulus by *Paulus & Rodgers*

TUESDAY JUNE 9TH
St. John The Baptist, Miltonsburg 9:00 a.m.
Holy Hour 8:00 a.m.
+Lois Stephen by *Tony & Cindy Schumacher*

WEDNESDAY JUNE 10TH
St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 6:30 p.m.
+Billie Jean Elliott by *Terry Elliott*

THURSDAY JUNE 11TH
St. John The Baptist, Miltonsburg 9:00 a.m.
Holy Hour 8:00 a.m.
+Irwin Sobocinski by *Hartwell Family*

FRIDAY JUNE 12TH
St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 8:30 a.m.
+Ty Burkhart by *Arla & Caden Potts*

SATURDAY JUNE 13TH
St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 8:30 a.m.
Marie Polsinelli by *Vince & Vickie D'Ortenzio*

St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 5:00 p.m.
+Dar Zwick by *Donnie & Janet Zwick*

SUNDAY JUNE 14TH
Sylvester, Woodsfield 8:30 a.m.
Living & Deceased of our Parishes

St. John The Baptist, Miltonsburg 10:30 a.m.
+Joe Gallagher by *Ron & Cathy Gallagher*

**Pilgrimage
Info Meeting**
August 13th 7:00 p.m.
St. Sylvester Rectory

SCHOOL NEWS...

Religion Teacher Position

2026-2027 School Year

1st, 2nd, and 4th grade

THE BANNS OF MARRIAGE

On May 28th in the presence of God and His Sacred Minister, following a thorough examination of both parties,

Rebecca S. Baldwin & Robert P. Crum

Were solemnly betrothed at St. Sylvester Church in Woodsfield They will be joined in Holy Matrimony at a Nuptial Mass to be held at St. Sylvester Church on September 5th 2026.

If anyone knows of any grave reason why these two should not be joined in marriage, please present yourself to Father Ward before the date of the marriage. Otherwise, forever hold your peace!

ST. STEPHEN CHURCH

Caldwell, Ohio

PARISH SOCIAL

Sunday, June 7th Church Hall
5:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.

Shredded Chicken Sandwiches, Noodles, Sloppy Joe's, Hot Dogs, Coney Dogs, Cake, Pie and Drinks
Raffle Tickets-Bingo- Country Store-Door Prizes
Everyone, Come on over!

St. Bernard's Chicken & Ham Dinner

Wednesday June 24th

St. Bernard's Catholic Church Social Hall
307 7th Street, Beverly, Ohio

Meal Serving Time 4:00 - 7:00 p.m. Adult Meal \$15.00, Child Meal \$6.00 (ages 10 and under). Take-out meals available. Meal includes dessert and beverages. Children's games begin at 5:00 p.m. Raffle, including a large Ohio State University quilt.

Information contact 740-984-2555 or
Email to StBerBev@Frontier.com

Our Sunday Offering
May 30 - May 31

St. John The Baptist

Adult Collection	\$	1,085.00
Loose Collection	\$	98.00
Education Fund	\$	90.00
Father's Day	\$	2.00
Peter Pence	\$	1.00
Ascension of Lord	\$	5.00
Holy Trinity	\$	20.00
Cemetery Fund	\$	100.00
Building Fund	\$	100.00

St. Sylvester

Adult Collection	\$	3,083.00
Loose Collection	\$	249.00
Candle Fund	\$	63.00
Education Fund	\$	195.00
Start Set	\$	20.00
Mass Request	\$	200.00
Father's Day	\$	105.00
Building Fund	\$	190.00
Cemetery Fund	\$	460.00

*THANK YOU!!
for your continued
support of our
Parishes & School*

**This Week
Wednesday**

St. Sylvester Church
ADORATION
8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Rosary 6:00 p.m.
Mass 6:30 p.m.

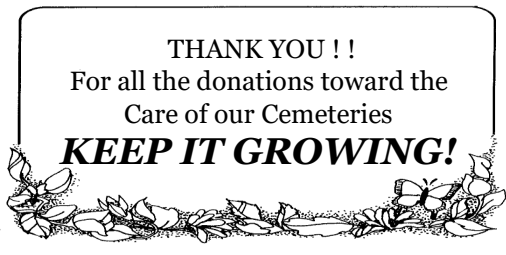
**ST. JOHN THE
BAPTIST PICNIC**
Sunday, August 2, 2026

**RAFFLE PRIZES
NEEDED**
Call Eileen Ackerman
740-757-2481

2026 DPSC Share Campaign—Final Balance

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:	\$ 26,883.00	Goal Received \$ 12,950.00
St. John The Baptist Goal:	\$ 17,726.00	Goal Received \$ 5,555.00



In Loving Memory Of:

Emma Schumacher
Paul Ditto
Deb Schumacher
Francis (Fritz) Schumacher
Katy Madison
Paul Madison
Paul Madison Jr.
Shirley Pfalzgraf
Donald & Lois Stephen
Charles & Mary Hunkler
Fr. Samuel Saprano
Cyril Burkhart
Eunice Gallagher
Joe Gallagher
Billie Jean Elliott
Harry & Lucille Elliott
Danny Betts
David Baker
Lowell Baker
William Bolon
Michael Koval
Norma H Koval
Seiford & Yolanda Popkie
Herman Burkhart
Hilda Burkhart
Ty A Burkhart
Madeline Mellinger
Francis & Freeda Paulus
Mary Paulus
Hilda Paulus
Robert M Miller Sr.
Walter Knox
Josephina Jack
Paul Connor
Barbara Connor
Michael Burkhart
Bertha Burkhart
Rebecca Burkhart
Francis & Edith Block
Virgil Block
Joe & Deb Block
Mary Ellen Barber
Gladys (Babe) Burkhart
James Norris
Judith Marie Weisend
Donny Weisend
Richard Weisend
Vernon & Cinderella Butler
Raymond Baldwin
Jenny Crum
Ralph & Alice Buckalew
Grace Ann Joyce
Joseph Fillippi
Norbert Burkhart
Agnes Burkhart
Tina Burkhart Muffet
Harold Robinson
Ellen Robinson
Francis Reischman
Hazel Reischman
Carlos & Doris Headley
Walter & Alberta Ackerman
Francis Stephen
Carol Moore
Meri C. Welsh
Jimmy Scott
Thelma Scott
Harmon Scott
Richard Scott
Phyllis Krone
Wes & Clara Hossman
Donald Miller
Joy Taylor
Cindy Miller Stevens
Jim & Jimmy Partridge

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

TRANSLATION

of the

**CORPUS CHRISTI SEQUENCE
“LAUDA SION SALVATOREM”**

Sion, lift up thy voice and sing:
Praise thy Savior and thy King,
Praise with hymns thy shepherd true.

All thou canst, do thou endeavour:
Yet thy praise can equal never
Such as merits thy great King.

See today before us laid
The living and life-giving Bread,
Theme for praise and joy profound.

The same which at the sacred board
Was, by our incarnate Lord,
Giv'n to His Apostles round.

Let the praise be loud and high:
Sweet and tranquil be the joy
Felt today in every breast.

On this festival divine
Which records the origin
Of the glorious Eucharist.

On 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 ordain'd 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 beneath these 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, who of Him here partake,
Sever not, nor rend, nor break:
But, entire, their Lord receive.

Whether one or thousands eat:
All receive the self-same meat:
Nor the less for others leave.

Both the wicked and the good
Eat of this celestial Food:
But with ends how opposite!

Here is life: and there is 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 for evermore.

Behold the Bread of Angels,
For us pilgrims' food, and token
Of the promise by Christ spoken,

Children's meat, to dogs denied.
Shewn in Isaac's dedication,
In the manna's preparation:
In the Paschal immolation,
In old types pre-signified.

Jesu, shepherd of the sheep:
Thou thy flock in safety keep,
Living bread, thy life supply:

Strengthen us, or else we die,
Fill us with celestial grace.
Thou, who feedest 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. Alleluia.

TUESDAY BINGO

June 9th

Missy Knowlton
Mary Atkinson
Justin/Abby Friday
Missy Dean

June 16th

Donna Robinson
Brenda Fisher
Marcus/Alli Schumacher
Missy Dean

SUNDAY BINGO

June 7th

Justin Hogue
Missy Dean
Robyn Guiler
David/Kasey Block
Holly Merideth

June 14th

Missy Knowlton
Terry Schumacher
Tyler/Tiffany
Schumacher
David/Jess Murphy
Cody/Sam Miller

TUESDAY KITCHEN

June 9th

St. John CWC

June 16th

Julie Selmon
Marcia Shipp

SUNDAY KITCHEN

June 7th

June 14th

LECTOR READERS

June 6....Tammy Jones

June 7....Jill Schumacher

June 13....Steve Burkhart

June 14....Tom Dick

**Scripture Reading
of the Week**

**Sunday
JUNE 7TH
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DT 8:2-3, 14b-16a

1COR 10:16-17

JN 6:51-58

Monday

JUNE 8TH

1KGS 17:1-6

MT 5:1-12

Tuesday

JUNE 9TH

1KGS 17:7-16

MT 5:13-16

Wednesday

JUNE 10TH

1KGS 18:20-39

MT 5:17-19

Thursday

JUNE 11TH

ACTS 11:21b-26; 13:1-3

MT 5:20-26

Friday

JUNE 12TH

DT 7:6-11

1JN 4:7-16

MT 11:25-30

Saturday

JUNE 13TH

1KGS 19:19-21

MT 5:33-37

Sunday

JUNE 14TH

**ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**

EX 19:2-6a

ROM 5:6-11

MT 9:36-10:8

FATHER'S DAY...

IN MEMORY OF:

Francis "Fritz" Schumacher
Clarence E. Stephen
Harry Elliott
Francis Paulus
Arthur L. Miller

IN HONOR OF:

George Richardson
Jeffrey Richardson
Dan Selmon



**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, June 3rd. 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, June 10th - 7:00 p.m. @ Generations