

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

www.monroecountycatholic.org
334 South Main Street
Woodsfield, Ohio 43793-1027

JUNE 23, 2024

TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
JB 38:1, 8-11 2COR 5:14-17 MK 4:35-41

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Fr. Timothy Davison ~ Pastor

Parish Contacts

New Parishioners are always welcome! Please contact the office.
Fr. Timothy Davison 1(918) 637-1774
Jennifer Winkler (740) 472-0187
Office Hours Mon-Thurs. 9-2

Holy Matrimony, Baptism & Funeral

Funeral Programs made available on request
Contact the parish office (740) 472-0187

Confessions

Woodsfield: Saturday 4:00pm to 4:45pm.
Sunday 7:45am to 8:15am. and by appointment.

Pastoral Care of the Sick and Infirm

Call 1 (918) 637-1774 Hospitals and Care facilities
regularly do not notify the parish unless specific request is made.

Catholic Woman's Club

Meet on Second Wednesday of each month
at Generation's Building @ 7:00 p.m.

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. Joshua Erickson

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA):

RCIA is an adult preparation for Baptism, Confirmation & Eucharist.
Church Office 740-472-0187

Parish School of Religion (PSR aka. CCD)

The Parish Religion Classes children 1st – 8th grade
(not enrolled in a Catholic School)

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

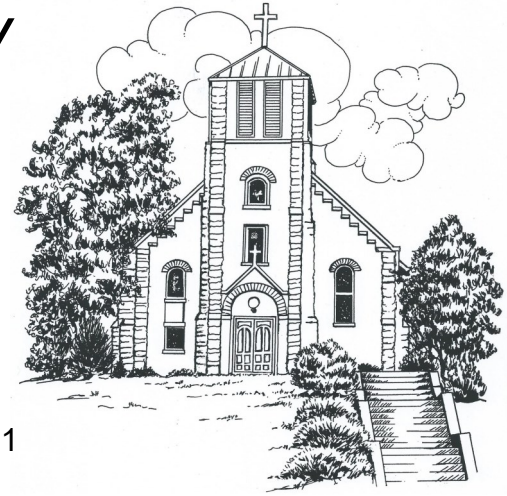
(i.e. Catholic Charities), 1-800-339-7890.

Diocesan Child Protection and Reporting of Abuse

Victim Assistance Team: email: victimassistance43952@gmail.com
Phone: 740-278-3455

Emergency Contact "When Fr. Tim Davison 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



TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SUNDAY Page 406 **JUNE 23RD**
St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 8:30 a.m.
 Living & Deceased of our Parishes

St. John The Baptist, Miltonsburg 10:30 a.m.
 +Judy Tamasovich *by Ted Tamasovich Family*

MONDAY **JUNE 24TH**
St. John The Baptist, Miltonsburg 8:30 a.m.
 +Francis & Freeda
by Paulus & Rodgers Family

TUESDAY **JUNE 25TH**
St. John The Baptist, Miltonsburg 9:00 a.m.
 Holy Hour 8:00 a.m.
 +Doug Chappell *by Arla & Caden Potts*

WEDNESDAY **JUNE 26TH**
St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 6:30 p.m.
 +William Calvert *by Dennis & Doreen Seamon*

THURSDAY **JUNE 27TH**
St. John The Baptist, Miltonsburg 9:00 a.m.
 Holy Hour 8:00 a.m.
 +Deb Block *by Jason Leach & Son*

FRIDAY **JUNE 28TH**
St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 8:30 a.m.
 +Betty Gdovin

SATURDAY **JUNE 29TH**
St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 8:30 a.m.
 Seth Roberts

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

SUNDAY **JUNE 30TH**
St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 8:30 a.m.
 +Don Biedenbach *by John & Mary Scott*

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

FR. TIMOTHY DAVISON RETIREMENT PARTY

Sunday, June 23, 2024

St John The Baptist Hall

After 10:30 am Mass

"Wishing you the best
of luck as you embark
on this new chapter.
You will be missed!"

Our Sunday Offering

JUNE 15 - JUNE 16

St. John The Baptist

Adult Collection	\$ 909.00
Loose Collection	\$ 98.00
School Fund	\$ 75.00
Father's Day	\$ 110.00
Cemetery Fund	\$ 20.00
Brothers&Sisters	\$ 20.00
In Memory Of	\$ 15.00
Priest Retirement	\$ 100.00

St. Sylvester

Adult Collection	\$ 1,644.00
Loose Collection	\$ 91.00
School Fund	\$ 215.00
Candle Fund	\$ 42.00
Mass Request	\$ 10.00
Father's Day	\$ 55.00

*Thank you for
your continued
support of our
parishes and
school !!*

2024 Cemetery Lawn Care

St. Sylvester Cost	\$11,900.00
Lawn Care Donations	\$3,324.00
St. John The Baptist	\$12,450.00
Donations	\$2,392.00
Immaculate Conception Cemetery ...	\$4,200.00
Donations	\$1,250.00
St. Joseph/Chapel Hill Cemetery	\$11,900.00
Donations	\$700.00
St. Patrick Cemetery	\$2,800.00
Donations	\$400.00

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.

We would like to Thank everyone
for the
donations toward the Care of
our Cemeteries

KEEP IT GROWING!

2024 DPSC Share Campaign

Thanks again for your participation. If you have not pledged, please do so. You can place a pledge in the collection basket or mail it directly to DPSC envelope or go online at www.give.diosteub.org. 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.

St. Sylvester Goal: \$ 28,308
St. John The Baptist Goal: \$ 15,799

Goal Received \$ 8,235
Goal Received \$ 5,725

In Loving Memory of:

Emma Schumacher
Paul Ditto
Deb Schumacher
Francis (Fritz) Schumacher
Katy Madison
Paul Madison
Paul Madison Jr.
Edward Rensi
Herman Burkhart
Hilda Burkhart
Madeline Mellinger
Billie Jean Elliott
Harry & Lucille Elliott
David Baker
Lowell Baker
William Bolon
Cinderella Butler
Vernon Butler
Meri C Welsh
Michael Burkhart
Bertha Burkhart
Rebecca Burkhart
Raymond Baldwin
Alice & Ralph Buckalew
Grace Ann Joyce
Joe Fillippi
Darrell Cline
Clara Rush
Virgil Rush
Wes & Clara Hossman
Cindy Miller Stevens
Donald Miller
Joy Taylor
Larry Krone
Carol Moore
Francis Stephen
Walter & Alberta Ackerman
Wayne Forshey
Cyril Burkhart
Eunice Gallagher
Joe Gallagher
Hugh & Marie Bott
Norbert Burkhart
Agnes Burkhart
Francis Reischman
Hazel Reischman
Robert M Miller Sr.
Walter Knox
Josephine Jack
Ty A. Burkhart
Francis & Freeda Paulus
Mary Paulus
Hilda Paulus
Francis & Edith Block
Virgil Block
Joe & Debbie Block
Gladys (babe) Burkhart
Jimmy Norris
Mary Ellen Barber Norris
Leander & Genevieve Kuhn
Kenny & Shirley Kuhn
Joe & Martha Kuhn
Mark Kuhn
Jimmy Kuhn
Paul Kuhn
Danny Betts
Joe Kuhn
Kenneth Kuhn
Deloris Knowlton
Roman Schumacher
Clara Schumacher
Rick Schumacher
Susan Schumacher Thomas
Donald Biedenbach
Thelma Scott
Harmon Scott
Jim Scott
Richard Scott
Imelda Scott
William B. Schumacher
Clara Hossman

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

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Today on this 12th Sunday in Ordinary time I am only a week away from my retirement and my mind is filled with memories of my 39 years as an active priest, five of which have been spent here in Monroe County. Retiring of course for a priest doesn't mean that he is no longer a priest. It just means that he no longer administers a parish. I'll still be active in my priesthood as long as the Lord permits. When I go down to Greenville, South Carolina I'll be assisting the priests at my sister's parish and filling in for other priests in the Diocese of Charleston, S. Carolina who need some help. I look forward to living with my sister and her husband and getting to know better her 13 children and 40 grandchildren. But, at the same time I feel a sadness about leaving from Monroe County. It is a beautiful place here and I will miss the communities at St. John's and St. Sylvester's as well as the school community. It has been a wonderful five years of ministry here and the Lord has deepened my walk with Him. I admit that I was not always that good in preaching and I made changes in the Liturgy that upset some people. Please forgive me if I have hurt anyone. The last thing in the world that I wanted was to drive anyone away from the Church. I am hoping that Father Nick Ward's ministry will be effective in bringing back those who have left the parishes. Father Ward will be spending this coming week with me as we make the transition of pastoral leadership. He is very excited about coming here to minister and this will be his first time administering a parish.

On Monday, June 24th the Church celebrates the nativity of St. John the Baptist. It is a major Feast in the Church and since we have one of our parishes named after the Baptist we will have Mass at 5:30 p.m. at St. John the Baptist Church instead of at St. Sylvester's Church. We might even have some Pizza afterwards in the Hall. The rest of the week will have our normal schedule of Masses and Adoration. I'll be packing up the rest of my things and spending time with Father Ward to change over the signature on our back accounts and visiting the nursing homes and shut-ins. He'll be busy becoming familiar with the layout of the parishes and learning the schedule of Masses and all that goes into running a couple of parishes. Please keep him in prayer and also me as I make this transition to retirement. I'll be here this next weekend (June 29th – 30th) and will leave on July 1st.

God bless and keep each of you.

Yours Truly,

Father Timothy Davison

TUESDAY BINGO**June 25th**

Brenda Fisher
Mary Atkinson
Missy Dean
Des & James Peters

July 2nd

Robyn Guiler
Sam Schumacher
Missy Dean
Brandy Lucas

July 9th

Missy Knowlton
Terry Schumacher
Mary Atkinson
Missy Dean

SUNDAY BINGO**June 23rd**

Ashley Guiler
Sean Edgell
Evan Yoss
Olivia Fisher
Missy Dean

July 14th

Missy Knowlton
Terry Schumacher
Evan Yoss
Missy Dean
Aaron Brown

July 21st

Missy Knowlton
John/Casey Kemp
Randall Sefert

TUESDAY KITCHEN**June 25th**

Sally LaFollette
Missy Knowlton

July 2nd

Diane Burkhart
Chelsea Masters

July 9th

St. John CWC

SUNDAY KITCHEN**June 23rd**

Helen Strahl
Louise Kress

July 14th

Sandy Barnes
Louise Kress

July 21st

Jill Schumacher
Louise Kress

**Scripture Reading
of the Week**

**Sunday
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JB 38:1, 8-11
2COR 5:14-17
MK 4:35-41

**Monday
JUNE 24TH**
IS 49:1-6
ACTS 13:22-26
LK 1:57-66, 80

**Tuesday
JUNE 25TH**
2KGS 19:9b-11, 14-12,
31-35a, 36
MT 7:6, 12-14

**Wednesday
JUNE 26TH**
2KGS 22:8-13; 23:1-3
MT 7:15-20

**Thursday
JUNE 27TH**
2KGS 24:8-17
MT 7:21-29

**Friday
JUNE 28TH**
2KGS 25:1-12
MT 8:1-4

**Saturday
JUNE 29TH**
ACTS 3:1-10
GAL 1:11-20
JN 21:15-19

**Sunday
JUNE 30TH
THIRTEENTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME**
WIS 1:13-15; 2:23-24
2COR 8:7, 9, 13-15
MK 5:21-43

LECTORS MASS SCHEDULE

- June 22.....Bill Frank
- June 23.....Tom Dick
- June 29.....Catherine Paulus
- June 30.....Bill Long

Prayers for Father's Day

Clarence E. Stephen
Russell Hayes
Vernon Butler
Francis Dimmerling
Richard A. Frank
Robert P. Wilson
Kim Ricer
Roman Schumacher
Segundo Baguio
Arthur L. Miller
Leander Kuhn
Francis J Paulus
Delmas Finnicum
Justin Jack
Ralph Keevert
Michael Garten
Rick Schumacher

Francis Paulus
Robert Wise
Eugene Wells
Everett Piatt
Robert Haffner
Mike Laubert
George Kress
Tyler Knowlton
Leander Kuhn
Delmas Betts
Chavncey Kuhn
Victor Davidson
Robert Miller Sr
John Garfold
Charlie Hunkler
Joesph Pirl Sr.
Gene Randall

Dale Mellinger
Arla Sefert
Herman Burkhart
Anthony Biedenbach
Robert H. Wilson
Mike Rehfus Sr.
Clarence Hoff
Deonesio Balais
Elbert Betts
Keith Coss
Francis L. Block
Lawrence Miller
Robert Miller Jr
Brent Yarnall
Robbie Miller
Richard Passio Sr.
Norbert Burkhart

Ty Burkhart
Francis Schumacher
Louis Schumacher Jr.
William Frank Sr.
Richard L. Frank
Francis Stephen
Mike Knowlton
Vicente Baguio
Delmas Betts
Elbert Betts
Jim Partridge
Walter Knox
Kyle Pitt
Donald Stephen
Robert Miller Sr.
Roman Schumacher
Harold Robinson

DO YOU KNOW YOUR BIBLE?

Where did Jesus raise Lazarus from the dead?

ANSWER: Bethany



**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 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 Wednesday, July 10th 7:00 p.m. @ Generations

