



St. Sylvester, Woodsfield
founded 1866



St. John Bosco, Sardis
(founded 1863) dedicated 1976



St. John the Baptist, Miltonsburg
founded 1841

Parishes of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Steubenville

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April 25, 2021

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

ACTS 4:8-12 1JN 3:1-2 JN 10:11-18

Bulletin information

Must be in to the office by Thursday at 10:00am.

Parish Registration: New Parishioners are always welcome!
Please contact the parish office (740) 472-0187 to register.

Infant Baptism:

Contact the parish office (740) 472-0187 to schedule.

Confessions: Woodsfield: Sat. 4:00pm to 4:45pm.; Sun 7:45am to 8:15am. and by appointment.

Weddings:

No date may be reserved for a wedding until the couple meet with the priest.

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 First Wednesday of each month at the Brown Center at 7:00p.m.

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

St. John the Baptist: Eileen Ackerman (740) 757-2481 or Eileen Miller (740) 472-0279

St. Joseph of Monroe County Council 5009 Knights of Columbus

Meet on the first Wednesday of each month at St. Sylvester Church, following 6:30pm Mass. Grand Knight: Sam Schumacher.

Parish Prayer Chain:

Call: Jackie Kirkland (740) 472-0338

Purgatorial Society Founded in the 1780's to pray for those holy souls in Purgatory. To join or more information contact: Jackie Kirkland at (740) 472-0338.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults, (RCIA): RCIA is an adult preparation for Baptism, Confirmation & Eucharist. Mr. Joseph Long, coordinator.

Parish School of Religion (PSR aka. CCD)

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

St. Sylvester: Jill Schumacher (740) 472-5483

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

Call to register your children.

Catholic Education

St. Sylvester Central Elementary: (Pre-K-8) 119 Wayne Street, Woodsfield, Ohio. Mrs. Robyn Guiler, principal. (740) 472-0321

Diocesan Vocation Director Fr. Michael Gossett: mgossett@diosteub.org

Cub Scout Pack 17, Pack Leader is Missy Dean (740) 934-9382

Mkd_1972@yahoo.com

Boy Scout Troop 17 Scout Master: Mr. Tim Dolan (740) 213-7365

Catholic Cemetery Contacts:

St. Sylvester Woodsfield: Donald & Rita Biedenbach (740) 472-1849

St. John the Baptist, Miltonsburg & Immaculate Conception, Ozark; Jason Weiss or St. Sylvester Parish Office (740) 472-0187

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

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

Diocese of Steubenville Office of Family and Social Concerns & Referral (i.e. Catholic Charities), 1-800-339-7890.

Diocesan Child Protection and reporting of abuse

Father James M. Dunfee, Vicar General of the Diocese of Steubenville, (740) 282-3631 or e-mail jdunfee@diosteub.org.

Emergency Contact "When Fr. Tim Davison is out of town"

Assumption Church, Barnesville, Ohio, Fr. Dave Cornett
Rectory Office: (740) 425-2181 Cell: (740) 381-4415 or
St. Stephen Church, Caldwell, Ohio, Fr. Wayne Morris
Rectory Office: (740) 732-4129

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

SUNDAY

APRIL 25TH

World Day Of Prayer

St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 8:30a.m.

Living & Deceased of our Parishes

St. John Baptist, Miltonsburg 10:30a.m.

Edmund Biedenbach Family by Mike

& Missy Knowlton

St. John Bosco, Sardis 12:30p.m.

+Francis Schumacher by Larry &

Connie Richter

MONDAY

APRIL 26TH

St. Sylvester, Woodsfield (School Mass) 8:30a.m.

+Otto Burkhardt

TUESDAY

APRIL 27TH

St. John Baptist, Miltonsburg 9:00a.m.

Holy Hour 8:00a.m.

+Mary McLaughlin by Mark & Joan Swallow

WEDNESDAY

APRIL 28TH

St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 6:30p.m.

Knights of Columbus

THURSDAY

APRIL 29TH

St. John Baptist, Miltonsburg 9:00a.m.

Holy Hour 8:00a.m.

+Billie Ann Hill by David & Teresa McMillian

FRIDAY

APRIL 30TH

St. Sylvester, Woodsfield (School Mass) 8:30a.m.

+Debra Block by Catherine Paulus

SATURDAY

MAY 1ST

St. Sylvester, Woodsfield (Latin Mass) 8:30a.m.

Greg Schaad & Intentions

St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 5:00p.m.

+Jennylinde Crum by John Paulus Family

SUNDAY

MAY 2ND

St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 8:30a.m.

+Debra Block by Joe Block Family

St. John Baptist, Miltonsburg 10:30a.m.

Living & Deceased of our Parishes

St. John Bosco, Miltonsburg 12:30p.m.

+Norma Matko by Larry & Connie Richter

We would like to Thank everyone for the donations toward our Lawn Company this year.

KEEP IT GROWING!



I would heartily recommend that everyone look into being consecrated to St. Joseph, husband of Mary. The next appropriate date to be consecrated would be May 1st, the Feast of St. Joseph, the Worker. The preparation would begin on March 30th and extend for 33 days. Prep readings & Prayers: Consecration to St. Joseph by Fr Donald Calloway, to order this book call 1-800-462-7426

*If you want I would be happy to be there when you make your consecration or it can be done privately in your own home. If you have any questions please let me know.
Fr. Tim Davison*

Our Sunday Offering

for
April 17-18

St. John Bosco Mission

Adult Collection \$ 152.00
Loose \$ 54.00

St. John the Baptist

Adult Collection \$ 1,377.00
Loose \$ 22.00
School Fund \$ 80.00
Cemetery Fund \$ 100.00
Easter Flowers \$ 20.00
Holy Land \$ 20.00

St. Sylvester

Adult Collection \$ 1,453.00
Loose Collection \$ 74.00
Education Collection \$ 132.00
Carillon Bell Fund \$ 70.00
Lawn Fund \$ 150.00
Food For The Poor \$ 50.00
Prayer Request \$ 100.00

Thank you for your continued support of our parishes and school.

St Sylvester Central School

119 Wayne Street, Woodsfield, OH

Spring Dinner & Raffle ~ Drive Thru

Sunday, April 25, 2021 – Cost \$10

10am until Sold-Out

Open Pit Chicken, Baked Potato, Cole Slaw,

Baked Beans, Roll & Dessert

This Week

Wednesday

Adoration

8:00a.m.-6:00p.m.

Benediction 6:00p.m.

Rosary 6:15p.m.

Mass 6:30p.m.

2021 Diocesans/Parish Share Campaign

Despite the current pandemic slowing many things down, the DPSC is well underway.

The following is the current status for each of the three parishes. If have not yet contributed, please consider doing so. Amounts raised over the goal is returned back to the parishes. If you have already donated or pledged, thank you for your support.

Goal for 2021

St. John Bosco \$ 1,941.99

St. John the Baptist \$ 8,954.46

St. Sylvester \$ 17,653.35

Join us, May 1st in the Pot Luck Breakfast in the church basement after the 8:30a.m. mass to celebrate the Blessed Mother of God.

The Verdin Sonata Carillons Fund

\$10,000.00

\$5,000.00

\$0.00

See SHRINES... <https://www.facebook.com/stambrosewcw/>

In Loving Memory of:

Emma Schumacher
Paul Ditto
Debra Schumacher
Francis (Fritz) Schumacher
Katy Madison
Paul Madison
Paul Madison Jr.
Danny Betts
Billie Jean Elliott
David Baker
Lowell Baker
William H. Bolon
Robert M. Miller Sr.
Walter Knox
Clarence & Dorothy Howell
Ralph & Ella Richter
Ruth Ellen Howell
Lawrence & Lucy Gallaher
James Gallaher
Andrew & Ova Howell
Clarence Smith
Thurman & Martha Smith
Charles & Susannah Richter
Lawrence M. Gallaher
Lawrence C. Gallaher
Francis Paulus
Freeda Paulus
Hilda Paulus
Mary Paulus
Darrell Cline
Clara Rush
Raymond Baldwin
Grace Ann Joyce
Ralph & Alice Buckalew
Imelda Scott
Herman & Hilda Burkhart
Monica Long
Roman & Clara Schumacher
Susan Schumacher Thomas
Deloris Knowlton
Cyril Burkhart
Joe Gallagher
Eunice Gallagher
William B. Schumacher
Meri C. Welsh
Ray & Rita Yontz
Vernon & Cinderella Butler
Eugene & Mary Louise Wells
Meri C Welsh
Ches & Freda Schafer
Betty Smith
Andrew & Ova Howell Family
Thurman & Martha Smith Family
Lawrenc & Lucy Gallaher Family
Charles & Suzann Richter Family
Debra Block

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

Dear Beloved of God,

Here we are at the end of April already. This Sunday is WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS. It sure would be nice to see someone from one of our Monroe County Catholic Churches enter the seminary or a house of formation for religious women or men. I wonder when was the last religious vocation from one of our parishes? Does anyone know? This Sunday let us join with the whole Church in asking the Father to send out more workers into His great harvest. And let us pray for the seminarians of the Diocese of Steubenville in a special way.

Next Saturday, May 1st will of course be the first Saturday of the month and so once again I encourage everyone to assist at the morning Mass at 8:30 a.m. and participate in a planned May Procession with the statue of the Blessed Mother following the Mass. Then, we'll have a potluck breakfast in the basement. The month of May is dedicated in a special way to Mary, the Mother of God and so to show our affection for our holy Mother we try to offer some communal devotions that show her we truly love her. The Mass in the morning on Saturdays is always the Latin Mass but I do the readings in English and sometimes preach a little depending on the occasion. Please feel welcome to participate.

Here is a little reflection from the book: JESUS OUR EUCHARISTIC LOVE by Fr. Stefano M. Manelli.

“Our Lady is the heavenly bond that unites Jesus to us; besides, she is the knot of love between Jesus and His creatures. Our Lady, said the holy Cure of Ars, stays always ‘between Her Son and us.’ When we pray to Jesus with Her, when we adore Him and love Him with the Heart of Our Lady, our every prayer and our every act of adoration and of love become pure and precious. St. Maximilian Mary Kolbe said that when we entrust something to the Immaculate, she, before presenting it to Jesus, purifies it of every defect --makes it immaculate.”

I hope that everyone of us during the month of May will remember Our Lady and offer her our love and devotion through the recitation of her holy rosary. May her powerful prayers help each of us to attain eternal life with God.

Yours Sincerely,

Father Timothy Davison

Pandemic Notice:

Don't forget to skip a pew between families and be careful not to congregate in the entrance, speak to each other or shake hands before or after mass in the church.

Thanks, Fr. Tim

TUESDAY BINGO**April 27th**

Monica Habig
Amanda Schumacher
Anna Lang
Landri Miller
Tiffany/Sean Zeakes

May 4th

Monica Habig
Amanda Schumacher
Shelly Young
Ron/Dawn French
John/Melissa Miller
Teresa McMillian

May 11th

Monica Habig
Sam Schumacher
Terry/Ruth Valcovic
Dugan/Cassie Demchak
Joella Urbanek
Tiffanee Morris

May 18th

Monica Habig
Lance LaFollette
Brooke Yontz
Aaron/Tasha Headley
Beth/Tyler Knowlton

May 25th

Monica Habig
Amanda Schumacher
Anna Lang
John/Shelly Blackstone
Chad/Marissa Cole

SUNDAY BINGO**April 25th**

Sam Schumacher
Jill Schumacher
Ace Guiler
Lucas/Crystal
Cunningham
Jeff/Dean

May 2nd

Amanda Schumacher
Sam Schumacher
Justin/Abby Friday
Ryan/Jenna Rosnick
Arika/David
Barnhardt
Jessica Knowlton

May 9th

Monica Habig
Sam Schumacher
Ted Babcock
Dugan/Cassie
Demchak
Jon/Pam Knowlton
Carey/Becky Bott

May 16th

Sam Schumacher
Missy Knowlton
Chrissy Ferguson
Mike/Charity Jorris
Brad/Alisha Ludwig

May 23rd

Sam Schumacher
Amanda Schumacher
Ace Guiler
Adrienne Shelton
Matthew/Nicole
McGuire
Randall/Kim Sefert

TUESDAY KITCHEN**April 27th**

Diane Burkhart
Susie Yonak

May 4th

Diane Burkhart
Sally LaFollette

May 11th

Diane Burkhart
Carol Kuhn

May 18th

St. John's

May 25th

Diane Burkhart
Jeannie Dixon

SUNDAY KITCHEN**April 25th**

Louise Kress
Jill Schumacher

May 2nd

Louise Kress
Sandy Barnes

May 9th

Mother's Day
Louise Kress
Catherine Paulus

May 16th

Louise Kress
Robyn Guiler

May 23rd

Louise Kress
Tammy Jones

**Scripture Reading
of the Week**

**Sunday
APRIL 25TH
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ACTS 4:8-12
1JN 3:1-2
JN 10:11-18

**Monday
APRIL 26TH**

ACTS 11:1-18
JN 10:1-10

**Tuesday
APRIL 27TH**

ACTS 11:19-26
JN 10:22-30

**Wednesday
APRIL 28TH**

ACTS 12:24-13:5a
JN 12:44-50

**Thursday
APRIL 29TH**

ACTS 13:13-25
JN 13:16-20

**Friday
APRIL 30TH**

ACTS 13:26-33
JN 14:1-6

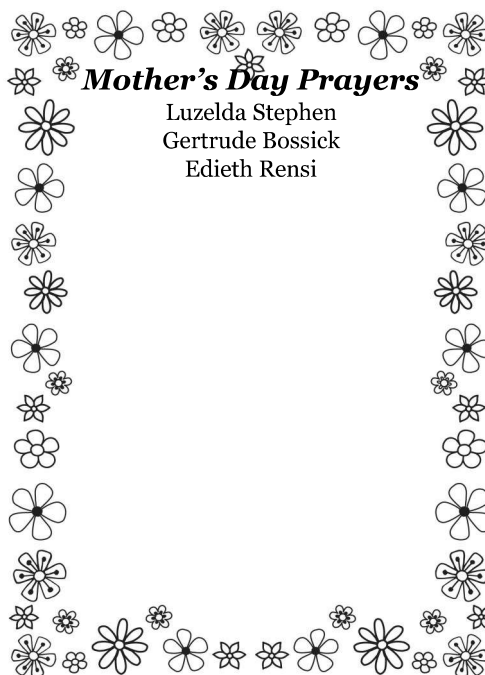
**Saturday
MAY 1ST**

ACTS 13:44-52
JN 14:7-14

**Sunday
MAY 2ND**

**FIFTH SUNDAY OF
EASTER**

ACTS 9:26-31
1JN 3:18-24
JN 15:1-8



**St. Joseph of Monroe County,
Council 5009 of the Knights of Columbus
Samuel 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 June 2nd. Adoration at 6:00 p.m.
Rosary at 6:15 p.m. Mass at 6:30 p.m. meeting to follow.

*Catholic Women's Club Meeting, June 2nd, 7:00 p.m. Brown Community Center

