



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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## *The Monroe County Catholic Churches*

[www.monroecountycatholic.org](http://www.monroecountycatholic.org)

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**June 13, 2021**

**Eleventh Sunday In Ordinary Time**

**EZ 17:22-24 2COR 5:6-10 MK 4:26-34**

### **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::Joseph Long

### **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](mailto:mgossett@diosteub.org)

### **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](mailto:jdunfee@diosteub.org).

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

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

## ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**SUNDAY** JUNE 13<sup>TH</sup>  
St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 8:30a.m.  
+Martha Kress *by Joe & Chris Hoff*

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

St. John Bosco, Sardis 12:30p.m.  
+Debra Block *by Larry & Connie Richter*

**MONDAY** JUNE 14<sup>TH</sup>  
St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 7:30a.m.  
+Jim Partridge *by Margie Partridge*

**TUESDAY** JUNE 15<sup>TH</sup>  
St. John Baptist, Miltonsburg No Mass

**WEDNESDAY** JUNE 16<sup>TH</sup>  
St. Sylvester, Woodsfield No Mass

**THURSDAY** JUNE 17<sup>TH</sup>  
St. John Baptist, Miltonsburg No Mass

**FRIDAY** JUNE 18<sup>TH</sup>  
St. Sylvester, Woodsfield No Mass

**SATURDAY** JUNE 19<sup>TH</sup>  
St. Sylvester, Woodsfield (*Latin Mass*) No Mass

St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 5:00p.m.  
+Francis Schumacher *by Annie Bride*

**SUNDAY** JUNE 20<sup>TH</sup>  
TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 8:30a.m.  
+Francis Schumacher *by Becky Baldwin*

St. John Baptist, Miltonsburg 10:30a.m.  
+Debra Block *by Shelly Carpenter*

St. John Bosco, Miltonsburg 12:30p.m.  
Living & Deceased of our Parishes



## St. John Baptist Picnic Meeting

Monday, June 21st @ 6:30p.m.

St. John Baptist Hall

Everyone is welcome to join!

### Assistant Cook at St. Sylvester School

Assistant cook needed to help with lunches for next year. The hours are 10:45a.m.—12:30p.m. daily. If you are interested please call the school office.  
740-472-0321

### Teacher ~ 2nd Grade at St. Sylvester School

2nd Grade Teacher needed for next school year. If interested please call as soon as possible.  
School Office: 740-472-0321

## Memorial Mass Babies who Died before Birth

Friday, June 18th @ 7:00p.m.  
Sacred Heart of Mary Church  
Weirton, WV

Celebrating for all children who died before birth whether miscarriage, abortion, or ectopic. It does not matter how recent or long ago it was. Those who would like to have their baby remembered at Mass are asked to RSVP 304-723-0478 so that candles, flowers, and certificates can be arranged.

## Our Sunday Offering for June 5-6

### St. John Bosco Mission

Adult Collection \$ 157.00  
Loose Cash \$ 56.00  
Building Fund \$ 30.00

### St. John the Baptist

Adult Collection \$ 917.00  
Loose \$ 2.00  
School Fund \$ 40.00  
Building Fund \$ 30.00  
Starter Set \$ 200.00  
Father's Day \$ 5.00

### St. Sylvester

Adult Collection \$ 2,488.00  
Loose Collection \$ 34.00  
School Fund \$ 110.00  
Cemetery Fund \$ 100.00  
Prayer Fund \$ 50.00  
In Loving Memory \$ 15.00  
Father's Day \$ 28.00

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

## This Week

### Wednesday

St. Sylvester Church  
No Adoration

## 2021 Diocesans/Parish Share Campaign

### Reminder!

Thanks once again for your participation in this year's DPSC. If you've not yet turned in your pledge, please do so. You can place your pledge in the collection basket, or you can mail it directly to the diocese using the pre-addressed DPSC envelope. Additional pledge cards are available at the parish office and in the entrance to the church. You can also contribute to the **Amounts raised over the goal is returned back to the parishes.** Thank you for your support!

	Goal for 2021	Goal Received
St. John Bosco	\$ 1,942	1,930
St. John the Baptist	\$ 8,954	3,265
St. Sylvester	\$ 17,653	10,810

### *The Verdin Bells* *Sonata Carillons* *Fund*

\$10,000.00

\$9,000.00

\$8,000.00

\$7,000.00

\$6,000.00

\$5,000.00

***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  
Jennylinde Sue Crum

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

Dear Beloved of our God,

I hope everyone will enjoy the Sisters of the Children of Mary as they visit our parishes this weekend. The Sisters' Motherhouse is in the Diocese of Cincinnati but they also have a house in Newark. They visited our school earlier this year and so I invited them back to give us a day of recollection on June 12<sup>th</sup>. I want to say how grateful I am that the Sisters took the time to drive to our parish and give us some of their thoughts on devotion to the Hearts of Jesus and Mary. Friday, June 11<sup>th</sup> was the Feast of the Sacred Heart and Saturday, June 12<sup>th</sup> was the Feast of the Immaculate Heart. As you know every First Friday and First Saturday I have been reminding our communities to make those days special and follow the petitions of Jesus and Mary to make reparation for the sins committed against those Sacred Hearts. And the whole month of June is dedicated in a special way to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. At any rate, I hope you will welcome the Sisters to our community and listen to their words of encouragement after the 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Masses today, June 13<sup>th</sup>. June 13<sup>th</sup> is also the anniversary of one of the visits of our Lady of Fatima to the three children of Fatima. During that visit Our Lady told the children that she wanted to establish devotion to Mary's Immaculate Heart. Later Our Lady would appear to Lucia in the convent and tell her how devotion to Her Immaculate Heart should be carried out. She wanted the rosary to be prayed in reparation on the First Saturday and meditation on one or more of the mysteries for about 15 or 20 minutes. In addition, Our Lady asked for reception of Holy Communion in reparation and confession sometime before or after the First Saturday. Let us as children of Mary do what our loving Mother requests.

On Monday, June 14<sup>th</sup> I will have a 7:30 a.m. Mass at St. Sylvester so that I can get an earlier start on my drive to Boston. I will be visiting a family there that I have been friends with for quite a few years. I'll be gone until next Monday, June 21<sup>st</sup> and so throughout this week there will be no daily Masses. Father Tim Shannon will be here the next weekend (June 19<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup>) to take my Masses. Please welcome him to our community in your usual friendly way. I am grateful that he is willing to come to Monroe County to do the round of Masses. He lives in Wheeling and is retired from the Diocese of Steubenville. Many of you know him from his previous visits.

I would like to quote from the little book that I have quoted from before in my letters. The book is called Jesus, our Eucharistic Love written by Fr. Stefano Manelli. He quotes from many saints on topics related to the Eucharist. Today I would like to offer his paragraph on the subject of modesty.

"In view of the decorum of churches and the salvation of souls, the saints were greatly concerned about modesty and decency on the part of women. A strict insistence on this particular point is a constant in the lives of all the saints, from the Apostle, St. Paul (telling the woman to wear a veil so that she may not need to have her head appear 'as if she were shaven': (1 Cor. 11:5-6), to St. John Chrysostom, St. Ambrose, etc., down to St. Pio of Pietrelcina, who would permit no halfway measures, but always insisted on modest dresses clearly below the knees. And how could it be otherwise? St. Leopold of Castelnuovo used to chase women immodestly dressed out of church, calling them 'carne de mercato' (flesh for sale). What would he say today, when so many women are abandoning modesty and decency even in church? They are carrying on, even in sacred places, the old diabolical art of seducing men to lust, of which the Holy Spirit warns us (Ecclus.9:9). But, God's justice will not let such great madness and filth go unpunished. On the contrary, St. Pauls says, 'for these things (the sins of the flesh) the wrath of God comes upon the children of unbelief' (Col.3:6)."

Our Lady warned us that more souls go to hell because of sins of the flesh than for any other sin. Let us strive for modesty and purity and cease offending God Who is already much offended.

Yours Sincerely,

Father Timothy Davison

<b><u>TUESDAY BINGO</u></b>	<b><u>SUNDAY BINGO</u></b>	<b><u>TUESDAY KITCHEN</u></b>	<b><u>SUNDAY KITCHEN</u></b>
<b><u>June 15th</u></b> Monica Habig Lance LaFollette Brooke Yontz Aaron Brown Mikey/Sam Habig	<b><u>June 13th</u></b> Monica Habig Sam Schumacher Ted Babcock Jon/Pam Knowlton Arika/David Barnhardt Jessica Knowlton	<b><u>June 15th</u></b> St John Baptist CWC	<b><u>June 13th</u></b> Louise Kress Michelle Speelman
<b><u>June 22nd</u></b> Monica Habig Amanda Schumacher Anna Lang Aaron/Brandy Lucas Tyler/Tiffany Schumacher Aaron Brown	<b><u>June 20th</u></b> Sam Schumacher Missy Knowlton Dugan/Cassie Demchak Chrissy/Ryan Ferguson Michael/Charity Jorris Brad/Alisha Ludwig	<b><u>June 22nd</u></b> Diane Burkhart Dawn Kuhn	<b><u>June 20th</u></b> Louise Kress Becky Baldwin
<b><u>June 29th</u></b> Monica Habig Amanda Schumacher Linda Piatt Phillip/Chelsea Masters Joella Urbanek Camden/Ashley Dierkes	<b><u>June 27th</u></b> Sam Schumacher Jill Schumacher Ace Guiler Tyler/Beth Knowlton Tyler/Brittany Stephens Aaron/Tasha Headley	<b><u>June 29th</u></b> Diane Burkhart Nancy Schenk	<b><u>June 27th</u></b> Louise Kress Missy Knowlton



### **Scripture Reading of the Week**

#### **Sunday JUNE 13<sup>TH</sup> ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TME**

EZ 17:22-24  
2COR 5:6-10  
MK 4:26-34

#### **Monday JUNE 14<sup>TH</sup>**

2COR 6:1-10  
MT 5:38-42

#### **Tuesday JUNE 15<sup>TH</sup>**

2COR 8:1-9  
MT 5:43-48

#### **Wednesday JUNE 16<sup>TH</sup>**

2COR 9:6-11  
MT 6:1-6, 16-18

#### **Thursday JUNE 17<sup>TH</sup>**

2COR 11:1-11  
MT 6:7-15

#### **Friday JUNE 18<sup>TH</sup>**

2COR 11:18, 21-30  
MT 6:19-23

#### **Saturday JUNE 19<sup>TH</sup>**

2COR 12:1-10  
MT 6:24-34

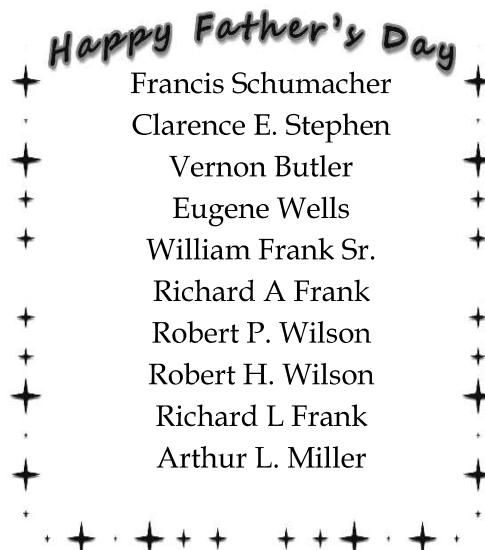
#### **Sunday JUNE 20<sup>TH</sup>**

#### **TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

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



**Joseph** (Hebrew: a figure in the canonical gospels who was married to Mary, mother of Jesus, and was the legal father of Jesus.<sup>1</sup> Fatherhood has its origins in God, who chose to reveal Himself to us as Our Father, sending his only Son for the sake of our salvation. Fathers therefore have a special role in revealing & in reliving on earth the very fatherhood of God. Father's Day is an appropriate time to recall the essential role of fatherhood, which all men are called to embrace.



**St. Joseph of Monroe County,  
Council 5009 of the Knights of Columbus  
Joseph Long, 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 July 7th. 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, July 7th, 7:00 p.m. Brown Community Center

