

August 9, 2026 - 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time



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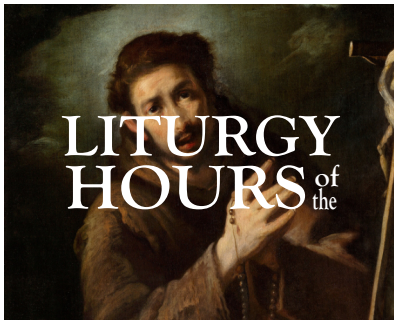
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(937) 274-2107
Off. Mon-Thurs 9:00-4:00

Queen of Martyrs

4134 Cedar Ridge Rd.
Dayton, OH 45414
(937) 277-2092
Off. Thurs 9:00-12:00

We, the members of the Holy Spirit Family of Parishes, will foster discipleship by making the Eucharist the center of our lives as we form, live, and share our faith



Every Monday

10:00 AM | QM

Every Wednesday

6:30 PM | SA†

First Monday

11:40 AM | QM*‡

First Thursday

6:00 PM | SB*

7:00 PM | SA*

Second Thursday

10:00 AM | CC*

Tuesday, August 11

St Clare, Virgin

8:30 AM | Corpus Christi

Wednesday, August 12

St Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious

8:30 AM | Our Lady of Mercy +Clarence & Grace Mahle

Thursday, August 13

Sts Pontian, Pope, and Hippolytus, Priest, Martyrs

8:30 AM | Queen of Martyrs

Saturday, August 15

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

4:00 PM | St. Benedict the Moor

4:30 PM | Corpus Christi

Sunday, August 16

The Twentieth Sunday of Ordinary Time

8:30 AM | St. Augustine +Fred & Helen Rau

9:00 AM | Our Lady of Mercy +Adam & Corrie Ravestein

10:30 AM | St. Benedict the Moor

Rosary starts at 10:00 AM

11:00 AM | Queen of Martyrs +Jerry Day

Rosary starts at 10:30 AM

Confession

Prior to the Saturday mass at SB, or after daily Masses at CC, OLOM, or QM; or by appointment.

*With Adoration

†With Rosary

‡Adoration starts at 9:00 AM



Naim of Dayton

Widowed Catholics, take a break from the summer heat & attend our next Naim meeting. Come for a \$5.00 lunch followed by a meeting, cards & lots of conversation. We meet at **Friendship Hall at St Francis of Assisi, 6245 Wilmington Pike**. For more information about this events or the organization for widowed Catholics, contact Jim King at 937-901-2849

Monday, August 10 11:00 AM

Movie Night

Please join us for the August movie night at **Queen of Martyrs' McAuley Hall** on Monday, August 10, start time is 6:30 PM and snacks are provided. This month the Movie will be Kevin Sorbo's "What If".

Monday, August 10 6:00 PM

Catholic Family Night - Archdiocese

You are invited to join Archbishop Casey for Catholic Family Night at Great American Ballpark! The first pitch ceremony will include Fr. Michael Willig pitching to his brother, Fr. Jacob Willig. Discounted tickets are available <https://www.gofevo.com/event/Archdiocesecincinnati22>

Saturday, September 5 6:40 PM

Family Picnic

Join us for a Family Picnic and Mass at **Possum Creek MetroPark**.

Sunday, September 13 10:00 AM

African American Wellness Walk

Premier Health invites you to join the 26th Annual Wellness Walk at **Island MetroPark (101 E. Helena St.)**. This event is designed to make health accessible, engaging, and empowering. Participants receive **free** health screenings while enjoying music, food, and community. Sign-up at runsignup.com/2026aaww and join team MVH AAWW2026.

Saturday, September 12 7:30 AM

Saintly Seven - Ven. Sr. Henriette Delille

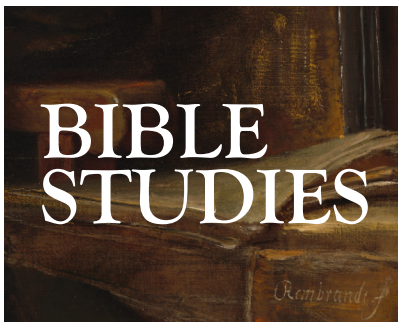
St. Benedict the Moor will host one of the ongoing presentations on the Saintly Seven. The presentation will follow Mass and lunch, and will feature the story of the Venerable Sr. Henriette Delille, one of the seven candidates for canonization. Registration for the event online at The Saintly Seven - 2026 Series - Archdiocese of Cincinnati

Sunday, September 20 1:30 PM

Synod 2027 Listening Sessions

As part of Synod 2027, Archbishop Casey invites each of us to participate in a **Conversations in the Spirit** listening session. Participants will join others across our archdiocese in prayerfully considering what the Holy Spirit is asking of our Church at this time, thereby assisting Archbishop Casey as he establishes pastoral priorities for the future. There are approximately 60 sessions scheduled between Labor Day and Thanksgiving. Participants can only register for **one** session.

Register today: <https://catholicaoc.org/conversations>



Wednesday

9:30-11:00 AM @ QM

Meets at McAuley Hall.

6:00 PM @ SB

Gathers in the meeting room.
Parishoners are asked to park
on the meeting room side.

Thursday (Starts 8/27)

6:30-8:00 PM @ CC

Meets in the Madonna Room.



Anointing of the Sick

Call (937) 268-6697 for info

Weddings

Call (937) 268-6697 for info

RCIA/OCIA

E-mail Dominique Akpore for
more information

Baptism

Call (937) 268-6697 for info
or e-mail one of our deacons

Please Pray for our Sick & Shut-ins

Betty Jones	Marie Hodapp	Doncella Parks	Toni Schilling
Michael Calvin	Al Cochran	Donna Campbell	Andrea Kittel
Angelina Matin	Mike Mobley	Jeanne Sipniewski	Karen Kuritar
Nancy Green	Rachel Woods	Mikayla Powley	Mary Foster
Mary Dudley	Peggy Neff	Ken Pendery	Charlotte Badders
Keno Hampton	Wanda Ofenberger	Samantha M.	Leah Moore
Juanita Newell	Pat Meyer	Joan Means	Phylis Hayes
Dorianne Minnelli	Kira Prikkel	Paul Sacksteder	Ann Heaney
Robert Florence	Terry Richey	Kiersten Sacksteder	Jerome Johnson
Renee Raisch	Larry Phillips	Carla Arnold	Carol
Joyce Merch	Pat Chirco	Kevin Oleckniche	LaVerne Dorsey
Imogene Broyles	Keith Jonvires	Julie Moreo	Elizabeth Wolfe
Frank Kozarec	Teresa Bond	Ryan Ravestein	Steve Koob

Nursing Homes

Lucille Wilder-Cypress Pointe

Members in the Military

Lt Col Matthew Feck	Maj Darren Ward
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Sgt Matthew Stull	Army Spc Devon Chaney
Martha Moreo	Lt Trevor Towerly
Capt USSF EM3 Douglas R. Sortman	

Please call (937) 274-2107 Ext 3001
To add or remove a name on the prayer list



Take Courage

The readings of this nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time call us to reflect on faith, trust, and God's presence in our daily lives. In the readings, we often encounter stories where people experience fear or doubt, only to be reassured by God's gentle voice or saving hand. In the first reading, Elijah hears God not in the powerful wind or earthquake, but in a tiny whispering sound, reminding us that God often speaks to us in subtle, quiet moments amid life's chaos. This encourages us to be attentive and open-hearted, listening for God's guidance even when it seems hidden or unexpected.

The Gospel for this Sunday, Matthew, tells the story of Jesus walking on the water, coming to his disciples in the midst of a storm. The disciples, frightened and uncertain, are comforted by Jesus' words, "Take courage, it is I; do not be afraid." Peter's attempt to walk toward Jesus on the water symbolizes our own journeys of faith, stepping out in trust, sometimes faltering, but always reaching for Christ's saving hand. On this Sunday, the Church invites us to renew our faith, trust deeply in God's presence, and find courage in moments of fear or doubt. What storms are you going through now? Listen attentively to his voice this week: "Take courage, it is I; do not be afraid."

-Fr. Francis Tandoh C.S.Sp.



Interested in Helping with Youth?

To make Youth groups happen for middle and high schoolers we need a support team. If you would be interested in helping with Youth Group, please email Ethan Coppel: ethan@holyspiritdayton.org.

St. Benedict the Moor Catholic School

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The new school year begins on Thursday, August 13. School time is 7:30 AM - 2:30 PM. Call the office or read the school website for more information.

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Weekend of July 5, 2026

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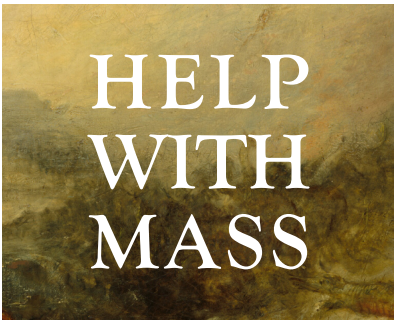
Collection: \$2647

OUR LADY OF GRACE

Collection: \$2480

QUEEN OF MARTYRS

Collection: \$2442



**Extraordinary Ministers,
Altar Servers, Ushers, &
Lectors**

Please consider volunteering for one of these important ministries by contacting us through email nsiwecki@holyspiritdayton.org. Be sure to state which location or contact your ministry scheduler at your location. Training will be provided.

Tuesday, August 11

- Charismatic Prayer Group
9:30 AM | CC Madonna Room
- St. Benedict Rosary
11:00 AM | SB
Call-in: (667) 770-1427 | 556136
- Neighborhood Meals Ministry
4:00-5:00 PM | OLOM Founder's Hall

Wednesday, August 12

- Queen of Martyrs Bible Study
9:30 AM | QM McAuley Hall
- St. Benedict Bible Study
6:00 PM | SB Meeting Room
- St. Augustine Rosary
6:30 PM | SA



SA	SB	CC	OLM	QM
Sunday	Sunday	Saturday	Sunday	Sunday
Lector(s): Patrick Barnett	Lector(s): Judy Baker	Lector(s): Dorothy Mann	Lector(s): Jane Zwolski	Lector(s): Becky Phillips
EM(s): Randy Klotz	EM(s): Derek Arnold	EM(s): Pat Gill	EM(s): Beth Siwecki	EM(s): Tom Carter
Server: Barb Maichle	Petitions: Deacon Victor		Server: Arthur Siwecki	Server: Carl Meyer
	EM(s): Janice Allen (R)			
	Sharon Hairston			
	Carolyn Day			
	Mary O'Basuyi (L)			
	Robin Craft-Bell			
	Emmett Orr			
	Deacon Victor (C)			



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Pulpit Announcements

All submissions must be sent to Ethan Coppel by Wednesday at 9:00 AM. Please note whether your submission is for an individual location, or for the whole family or parishes.

Music Director

We are looking for music directors for three of our parishes. St. Benedict the Moor, Queen of Martyrs, and Our Lady of Grace all have openings. If you, or someone you know, would be interested in working in any of these parishes, call us at (937) 268-6391 or email Janice Kwofie at jkwofie@holyspiritdayton.org.

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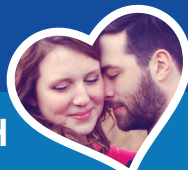
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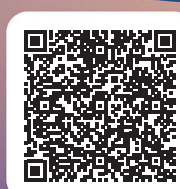
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