

August 16, 2026 - 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time



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Corpus Christi

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

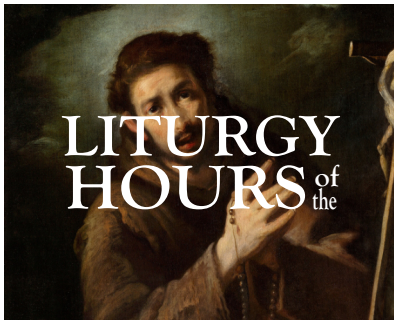
Our Lady of Mercy

533 Odlin Ave.
Dayton, OH 45405
(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 18

St Alberto Hurtado, Priest

8:30 AM | Corpus Christi

Wednesday, August 19

St John Eudes, Priest

8:30 AM | Our Lady of Mercy

Thursday, August 20

St Bernard, Abbot & Doctor of the Church

8:30 AM | Queen of Martyrs

Saturday, August 22

The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

4:00 PM | St. Benedict the Moor

4:30 PM | Corpus Christi +Betty Schneider

Sunday, August 23

The Twenty-first Sunday of Ordinary Time

8:30 AM | St. Augustine +Eleanor & Peter Shears Jr. & Gary Rau

9:00 AM | Our Lady of Mercy +Theresa George

10:30 AM | St. Benedict the Moor

Rosary starts at 10:00 AM

11:00 AM | Queen of Martyrs +Brett Jones

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



Catholic Family Night - Archdiocese

Saturday, September 5 6:40 PM

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>

African American Wellness Walk

Saturday, September 12 7:30 AM

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.

Family Picnic

Sunday, September 13 10:00 AM

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

Saintly Seven - Ven. Sr. Henriette Delille

Sunday, September 20 1:30 PM

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

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; assisting Archbishop Casey as he establishes priorities for the future. There are approximately 60 sessions between Labor Day and Thanksgiving. Participants can only register for **one** session.

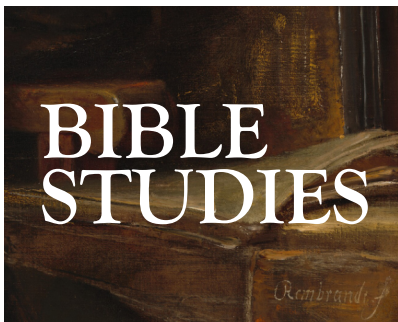
Register today: <https://catholicaoc.org/conversations>

MURDER IN BLACK AND WHITE

— An Audience Participation Murder Mystery —

	EVENT DETAILS Date: Saturday, October 3, 2026 Venue: St. Benedict the Moor Catholic Church, Multi-purpose room, 519 Liscum Drive (at US 35), Dayton, OH 45417
	SCHEDULE Doors Open: 5:00 PM Dinner Service Begins: 5:30 PM Murder Mystery Performance Begins: 6:05 PM
	MENU • Salad • Blackened Chicken • Desserts • Beverages: Choice of Red or White Wine, Iced Tea, and Water
	COST \$40 per person (includes plated dinner)
	SPONSORED BY Women's Ministry, St. Benedict the Moor Catholic Church
	LICENSING Murder in Black by Eileen Moushey is produced by special arrangement with Mysteries by Moushey, LLC

For tickets contact Charles Crawford, 937-367-8789
or Sharon Hairston, 937-545-2545



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
Tiffany Kracus Lewis	SSgt Jacob Naas
LCpl Patrick Nevius	Spc Jonathan Gladden
Caleb Weaver	AB Makayla Picker
Spc Phoebe Moreo	SSgt PJ Picker
Adam Wilhelm	Angelica Tomlinson, USN
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



July 29, 2026 - Statement on the Haitian Community in Springfield

The wellbeing of the Haitian community of Springfield weighs heavily on the hearts of the faithful of the Archdiocese of Cincinnati. We have had the privilege of witnessing the upstanding lives that Haitian families have built here in our community. As worshippers in our parishes, students in our schools and hard workers seeking a leg-up from our Catholic charities, their faith, resilience, and contributions are a gift. The termination of the Temporary Protected Status (TPS) for Haitians in the United States has moved many of us to action, to stand with and advocate for our brothers and sisters in Christ.

Moved by this reality, Archbishop Casey joined other bishops in bringing our voices to Washington, D.C., to advocate for an orderly immigration process, one that also makes room for those fleeing violence and severe economic hardship. Yesterday, Archbishop Casey stood alongside Archbishop Wenski from Miami, Bishop Fabre-Jeune, from Charleston, and Haitian Cardinal Chibly Langlois from Les Cayes in meetings with U.S. Senators and members of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee to work towards the goal of a humane immigration policy. They closed the day in prayer, joining hundreds who gathered to pray for justice in our world and to offer solidarity to our Haitian brothers and sisters, at a Mass celebrated by Cardinal Chibly Langlois.

The present moment in our nation invites us into an examination of conscience about how we treat good people, now living among us, who have so few options left to protect their lives and dignity. As Pope Leo XIV asserted in his powerful encyclical, *Magnifica Humanitas*, "A litmus test for social justice today is the treatment of migrants, refugees and those forced to move..." (no.81).

Please join us in praying for our Haitian brothers and sisters during this uncertain time. Now that TPS has been terminated, we pray for humane enforcement, for the protection of families, and for the strength and peace of Christ to surround all who are affected. May we, as a community of faith, continue to walk with them, offering not only our prayers, but our presence, our advocacy, and our love.

-Archbishop Casey

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The new school year began on Friday, August 14. 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 12, 2026

ST AUGUSTINE

Collection: \$1300

ST BENEDICT

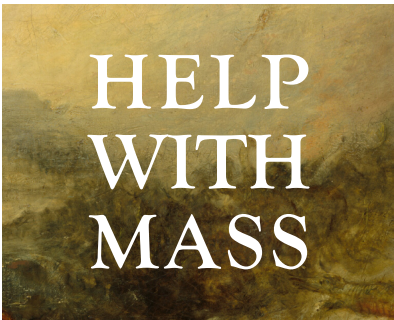
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OUR LADY OF GRACE

Collection: \$4362

QUEEN OF MARTYRS

Collection: \$1440



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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 18

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 19

Queen of Martyrs Bible Study
9:30 AM | QM McAuley Hall

Full of Grace Ministries
4:30-5:30 PM | CC Madonna Hall

St. Benedict Bible Study
6:00 PM | SB Meeting Room

St. Augustine Rosary
6:30 PM | SA



LITURGICAL MINISTERS

AUGUST
22nd & 23rd

SA	SB	CC	OLM	QM
Sunday	Sunday	Saturday	Sunday	Sunday
Lector(s): Randy Klotz	Lector(s): Mary O'Basuyi	Lector(s): Dorothy Mann	Lector(s): Sr. Pauline Seisegah	Lector(s): Cathy Hall
EM(s): Marie Klotz Mary Hickle Joan Cameron Austin Porter	EM(s): Michelle Sherman	EM(s): Pat Gill	EM(s): Deb Ravestein Mary Miltenberger	EM(s): Don Tomczak
Server: Patrick Barnett	Petitions: Deacon Victor		Server: Arthur Siwecki	Server: Teresa Huntley
	EM(s): Tracy Henderson (R) Janice Allen Sharon Hairston Emmett Orr (L) Dominique Akpore Annette Young Deacon Victor (C)			Server: Jim Miller
				Server: Larry Schwieterman



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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.

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.

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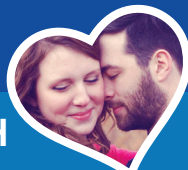
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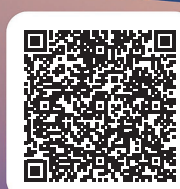
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