Christ took away our infirmities and bore our diseases.

February 3-4, 2018

SCHEDULE OF MASSES:

SATURDAY
4:30pm

SUNDAY 8:00am, 10:30am, 5:30pm

HOLYDAY
Vigil ~ 7:00pm
9:00am and 7:00pm

WEEKDAY
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday
9:00am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
SATURDAY 3:30pm

Parish Office Hours:
Monday, Tuesday Wednesday, Friday
8:30am - 4:30pm

Bingo: Wednesdays at 6:30pm (PLC)

Church Office: Phone: (330) 833-6898
Fax: (330) 833-5164
E-mail: StBarbMassillon@aol.com

St. Barbara School: Phone: (330) 833-9510
E-mail: StBarbaraElem@YoungstownDiocese.org

Parish Life Center: Phone: (330) 832-4773

Pastor: Rev. Brian Cline
School Principal: Jacqueline Thomas
Director, Religious Education: Mollie Luginski
Church Secretary: Judy Wellin
Youth Minister, PR, Marketing, PLC: Amy Davis
Parish Council Chairperson: Bob Otte
Finance Council Chairperson: Tony Spitale
BAPTISM
Mandatory Baptism Preparation Sessions are held quarterly: February/May/August/November. Baptisms are held the fourth Sunday of the month.

REGISTRATION
New families should register by phone or by coming to the Rectory. Every wage earner should make a real effort to support the parish with Christian generosity.

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)
The RCIA is the ancient and currently renewed process for initiating adults into the Catholic Church. It is for those desiring full membership through Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist. We invite newcomers who are seeking membership to join us! Call the church office for information.

MARRIAGE
Arrange six months in advance.

MINISTRY OF CARE
For visits to shut-ins or the homebound, call:
Tess Simonetti- (330) 832-0597
and Julie Turkal- (330) 832-7868

BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS
Bulletin submissions are due to the rectory by Tuesday at noon. Inserts should be sent in electronic form whenever possible.

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For those aged 70 1/2 or older, a total of up to $100,000 a year can be transferred directly from traditional or Roth IRAs to qualified charities such as your parish, a Catholic School, Catholic Charities, or your favorite Catholic cause free from federal income tax. Amounts given in this way count toward required IRA minimum withdrawal amounts for the year of the gift.

Calendar

February 6 Parish Council Mtg 7pm Community Room
February 10 Princess & Pirate Breakfast 9:00 PLC
February 14 Ash Wednesday
Feb 16, 23, March 2, 9, 16, and 23rd Fish Fry PLC
February 17 Food Pantry 9:00-10:30am
March 17 Food Pantry 9:00-10:30am
April 19 Food Pantry 6:00-7:30pm
April 21 Reverse Raffle Sponsored by School PLC
May 17 Food Pantry 6:00-7:30pm
May 24 through 28 Festival
June 18 through 22 Vacation Bible School

New Rectory Office Hours
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday
8:30am to 4:30pm.
The Rectory will be closed on Thursdays.

January 27–28, 2018

| Weekly Budget | $12,621.00 |
| Overseas Mission | $ 2,302.60 |
| Regular Collection | $ 9,857.84 |
| Mail-in | $ 803.00 |
| Deficit | ($ 1,960.16) |

512 Attendance – 4:30-141; 8:00-123; 10:30-215; 5:30-33
203 Envelopes

Capital Campaign | $804,243.10
Collected | $709,474.27
Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time
February 3-4, 2018

Masses For The Week

Saturday – Feb. 3 – Ss. Blaise and Ansgar
  4:30 p.m. – Bev Rohr (Bruce and Janet Bickel)
Sunday – Feb. 4 - Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
  8:00 a.m. – Barry Cox (Louis and Catherine Baltzer)
  10:30 a.m. – Karen Jordan (Joe and Paula Kasunick)
  5:30 p.m. – People of Our Parish
Monday – Feb. 5 – St. Agatha
  9:00 a.m. – Donna Scheetz (Dorinda Rembert)
Tuesday – Feb. 6 – St. Paul Milki
  9:00 a.m. – Elizabeth Maurer (Kathy Grisez)
Wednesday – Feb. 7
  9:00 a.m. – School Mass
    Bev Rohr (Mary Lee Maloney)
Thursday, Feb. 8
  8:45 a.m. – Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help
  9:00 a.m. – Communion Service
Friday – Feb. 9
  9:00 a.m. – Donna Slusser (Betty Kasunic)
Saturday – Feb. 10 – St. Scholastica
  4:30 p.m. – Clarence & Pat Conley (Les and Aurora Waltz)
Sunday – Feb. 11 - Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
  8:00 a.m. – Thomas S. Smith (David, Joan, David, Lynn & Carly)
  10:30 a.m. – Bev Rohr (Evelyn Fichter)
  5:30 p.m. – People of Our Parish

Schedules for 02/05/18 – 02/11/18

Weekly Server: 2/5,6,9 – James Brown
2/7 – J. Brown, L and D Carbone

Servers – Saturday/Sunday
  4:30 p.m. – 2/10 – L. eberhardt, I. Koehler, S. Murray
  8:00 a.m. – 2/11 – E and N Bossler, J. Tharp
  10:30 a.m. – 2/11 – C and J Majors, K. Kohl
  5:30 p.m. – 2/11 – A. Wojcicki

Lectors – Saturday/Sunday
  4:30 p.m. – 2/10 – J. Pape, J. Shrider
  8:00 a.m. – 2/11 – MJ Malich, P. Halter
  10:30 a.m. – 2/11 – R. Bossler, J. Turkal
  5:30 p.m. – 2/11 – C. Giltz

Sacristans – Saturday/Sunday
  4:30 p.m. – 2/10 – M. Kring
  8:00 a.m. – 2/11 – J. Wyman, T. Simonetti
  10:30 a.m. – 2/11 – B. Fath
  5:30 p.m. – 2/11 – P. Martin

Greeters – This Weekend
  4:30 p.m. – B and J Galant
  8:00 a.m. – M. Gordon, M. Reese, G. Gallagher
  10:30 a.m. – J. Elavsky, A. Freidly

In Memoriam

In your kindness, please pray for the following persons who died this past week:

Elizabeth M. Maurer, former parishioner, loving wife of Leroy, mother of Deborah (David) Caldwell, dear sister-in-law of Agie Kennedy-DeVault, and godmother of Diane Krueger of our parish.

Eternal rest, grant unto her. O Lord, and may he rest in peace.

WELCOME TO OUR CHURCH FAMILY NEW PARISHIONERS

We are happy to announce the following people have recently joined our Church family:

Tim and Amy Ringley
Alina Galant

Flowers on the Altar - are in loving memory of Donald Johns from Robert and Claudia Kracker.

Gift Bearers This Weekend
  4:30 p.m. – Bev Rohr’s Family
  8:00 a.m. – Terry and Karen Cox
  10:30 a.m. – Paula and Joe Kasunick

The Sanctuary (Tabernacle) Candle is lit in memory of Amber Winkhart with love from Wendy Thompson.

Please dear parishioners pray for her all week.
**MASS INTENTIONS**

There are *no limitations* on the number of Masses that can be said for a loved one!

Mass Intentions can be scheduled for:
* A deceased loved one
* A living relative/friend who is ill
* A living person celebrating a birthday, anniversary, special occasion, etc.

Call the Rectory to schedule a mass intention.

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**EUCHARISTIC ADORATION** will be on *Tuesday, Feb. 6th, after the 9:00am Mass.* *Please wait until the next person arrives before leaving, as Jesus should never be left unattended.*

Verla Lorenz, 330-833-1125;  
Judi Frank, 330-828-8343;  
Sue Ehmer, 330-704-0965  
and Bob Kracker 330-833-1885.

*If they are not available, then call the rectory.*

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**Scripture Readings for the Week of 2/04/18 - 2/11/18**

- **Sun.** – Jb 7: 1-4, 6-7; 1 Cor 9: 16-19, 22-23; Mk 1:29-39
- **Mon.** – 1 Kgs 8: 1-7, 9-13; Mk 6: 53-56
- **Tues.** – 1 Kgs 8; 22-23, 27-30; MK 7: 1-13
- **Wed.** – 1 Kgs 10: 1-10; MK 7: 14-23
- **Thurs.** – 1 Kgs 11: 4-13; Mk 7: 24-30
- **Fri.** – 1 Kgs 11: 29-32; 1 Kgs 12: 19; Mk 7: 31-37
- **Sat.** – 1 Kgs 12: 26-32; 1 Kgs 13: 33-34; Mk 8: 1-10
- **Sun.** – Lv 13: 1-2, 44-46; 1 Cor 10: 31-11:1; Mk 1:40-45

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**Music Ministry**

Music Ministry is alive and vibrant at St. Barbara’s Parish! There are many opportunities to participate in the musical ensembles.

*For those of you who enjoy singing but are unable to commit to the regular choir practice schedules, this is perfect for you to celebrate in memorable church history.*

**St. Barbara’s Adult Choir** Practices on Wednesday evenings from 7:00-8:15pm and serves the 10:30am Sunday mass. It is open to high school students and adults who have a passion for singing. No auditions required. Come and join us in singing and prayer.

**St. Barbara’s Adult Bell Choir** Members should also be of high school age above. Ringing does require some technique, easier than learning how to operate your iPhone!! The Adult Bell Choir practices on Wednesday evenings from 5:45-7:00pm and plays one Sunday a month at the 10:30am mass.

**St. Barbara’s Contemporary Ensemble** is a mix of musicians and singers who lead the 4:30pm mass on Saturdays. Music is of the contemporary flare.

If you have questions, please contact Marisa Stoll at the parish office @ 330-833-6898 or mstoll@saintbarbaraparish.com.

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**Church Update Forms**

Please be sure to return your Church update form that was in the bulletin in December. Extra copies are available on each side of the Narthex, if you need one.

They can be dropped off in the Sunday Collection or mailed or returned to the rectory.

Thank you for helping us update our Church records.
Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time

February 3-4, 2018

Church Overseas Combined Collection – Last weekend, the Diocese of Youngstown sponsored the Church Overseas Combined Collection for ministries to needy people. Thank you for your participation in this important collection. If you did not have the opportunity to respond last week, there is still time to contribute to this combined collection.

Poor Clares of Perpetual Adoration “Soup and Bread” Sale – Thursday, February 8 through Saturday February 10th. Orders are currently accepted by phone 330-492-1171 and online at www.poorclares.org. Soups: Wedding, Chicken Noodle, Tomato, Lentil and Chili. Breads: Banana, Raisin Walnut, Parmesan, Strawberry and also breadsticks. Our special is pumpkin. Pie is also available. Pick up orders at Sancta Clara Monastery, 4200 N. Market Ave., Canton 44714. Pick up times: between 10:00 am and 5:00 pm.

The Catholic Exponent

The readings today focus on human brokenness, so poignantly expressed by Job, and God’s healing, as noted in the Psalm and the Gospel. All of us experience brokenness – physical, emotional, or spiritual – at various times in our lives. If we are wise, we look to the Lord, who, in the psalmist’s words, “heals the brokenhearted” and “binds up their wounds”. We all need to look for God’s healing through the Church and in our heart, but in the busyness of our lives we might lose our sense of connection with God. The Catholic Exponent, your diocesan newspaper, is one way to help maintain our awareness of the Church and how God is active in the world and or lives. The Exponent’s news, commentary, Scripture reflection, and adult faith formation, remind us of that sense of meaning and focus on God’s presence amidst everything else. Subscribe or renew your subscription today by dropping the Catholic Exponent envelope from your parish packet into the collection basket. Or call 330-744-5251 or email exposubscriptions@youngstowndiocese to request your subscription information. Stay connected with the Lord. Read and support the Catholic Exponent.

Lent

St. Barbara Fish Fry

On Fridays

February 16, 23, March 2, 9, and 23rd

5:00pm to 7:00pm PLC building

“End of Life Issues” Seminar – Do you have questions concerning “End of Life Issues” such as the Catholic Church teaching, hydration and nutrition, advanced directives, the role of Hospice, why a hospice chaplain? For answers to these questions and more, please join us at St. Christine Parish Center – 3165 S. Schenley Avenue, Youngstown, on Sunday, January 28th from 1:00-3:00 pm for this seminar. Speakers will include Rev. Zachary Coulter, Associate Pastor at St. Christine’s; Dr. Medford Mashburn, Hospice Medical Director; and Lori Pugh, Hospice Chaplain. This program is presented by the St. Christine Health & Wellness Ministry and is co-sponsored by the Office of Pro-Life, Marriage and Family Ministry of the Diocese of Youngstown. ADMISSION IS FREE. Light refreshments will follow.

St. Mary Massillon Mardi Gras Celebration Sunday Feb. 11th from 12:00 to 2:30 pm. in the school gym. Come and join us for a wonderful afternoon of food, music and craft/game room for the kids. Food available for purchase includes jambalaya, gumbo, hot dogs and sloppy jo’s. Hope to see you there.

Central Catholic Upcoming Events

Partner Nights during CHS Basketball – Thank you to all the families that “Celebrated the Crusaders v. Knights Rivalry” at the Central Catholic and St. Thomas Aquinas basketball games over the break. Families are invited to another special partner night. Students in grades PreK-8, wearing their Catholic School basketball jerseys, Catholic school spirit shirts, or Crusader shirts will receive free admittance to the games below (parents will need to buy a ticket). During half-time of the varsity games, students from our Catholic partner schools will be recognized from the stands.

Saturday, Feb. 10th – Central Catholic Home Girls Basketball Game, 23:30 pm.

A Night at the Races – The Central Catholic Booster Club will host their Night at the Races on Saturday, February 24th from 6-10 pm. Tickets are $50/person and include dinner and drinks. They will sell only 250 tickets. For tickets or to sponsor a horse, contact Craig 330-413-8814.
Catholic School Week

was a huge success. The school started off with Open House and a front-page article highlighting the school. A copy is available for viewing on-line or in the school entrance.

The wacky hat day made Wednesday fun and crazy hair day on Thursday was hair raising. We will announce the Talent Show winner and Spelling Bee Winner next week.

The School will continue to be open for families who may be considering Catholic education for their children. St. Barbara is open from 8:15 am - 2:30 pm. Also, evening appointments can be made to a visit and tour. By contacting the School 330-833-9510.

St. Barbara School is hosting a Scholastic Book Fair to conclude our Catholic Schools Week! Visit us in the Narthex this weekend before and after the 4:30pm Mass, the 8:00am and the 10:30am Mass Sunday Morning. All sales benefit the school and will go toward updating of the St. Barbara library.

Join St. Joseph Massillon for a Prayer Service for ALL FAITHS – to pray for all young people Monday, Feb. 12th 7:00pm. This has been brought to the forefront with the many recent suicides that have occurred to young people in our area. Spread the word to your family and friends – invite them to come.

February Patriotic Rosary – Sat. Feb. 17th Noon – on the east side of the Church. We continue to pray asking our dear mother for her intercession for our country and our families both personal and our church families. We ask also for continued prayers for Betty that she continues to grow stronger and better soon. Thank you to all who have prayed with us in the past and continue to join us for this beautiful expression of love of our dear Mother Mary. Questions? Call Verla 330-833-1125.

Come Experience a Romantic Weekend

– Celebrate the gift of love GOD has given to you in one another and learn how to increase the level of trust and intimacy in a CHRIST centered marriage at a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend. Feb. 16-18 at the Days Inn and Suites in Richfield, OH. Applications for a Marriage Encounter Weekend and further information are available online: GreatMarriagesOhio.org or call 330-305-9963.

School News!!!!

Calendar

School Mass February 7
Princess & Pirate Breakfast February 10
Breakfast with Easter Bunny-March 31
Reverse Raffle April 21st
Earth Day Celebration-April 23-27
Saint Barbara School Annual Awards Program-May 23
First Holy Communion-May 6
Celebration of Mothers-May 11
8th Grade Graduation-May 3

200 Club Winners (1/31/18 Drawing)

# 66 – Sue Ziegelhofer - $100
#167 – Merle Garman - $100

St. Barbara School

Princess & Pirates Breakfast

With special guests Elsa, Cinderella & Ariel

Dress up to win a special Treasure

February 10
9:00-11:00am

Parish Life Center

Cost is $5 per person reservations

Flyers are available at the entrance in Narthex
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Youth Ministry
Congratulations to the following youth ministry teens who were selected by their peers to serve on the leadership team:

Macie Cotton
Mary Hammel
Allie Spitale

The Catholic’s Divorce Survival Guide at St. Paul Parish North Canton

Will be offered on Wednesday evenings, February 7, 21, 28 & March 7, 14 & 21 from 7:00-9:00pm at St. Paul Parish, 21 S. Main St., North Canton in the North Room B.
The Guide is a DVD-based series with accompanying materials created to bring hope and healing to divorced and separated Catholics. In addition to top Catholic experts on Church teachings, relationships, love, sex, marriage, divorce and annulment, the presentations also feature the personal testimonies of twelve divorced Catholic men and women who share their real-life stores of hope and healing.

No cost. To ensure your space or to learn about additional ministry to the divorced contact the Office of Pro-Life, Marriage and family Life at 330-744-8451 ext. 272 or dschmidt@youngstowndiocese.org

White Mass - for all Health Professionals Including Mental Health Workers
The annual White Mass – celebrating and recognizing the ministry and work of those in the health professions – will be held on Saturday, February 17th at 4:00 pm at the Cathedral of St. Columba located at 154 West Wood St in Youngstown. Bishop George V. Murry, S.J., will preside. A reception will follow in the Cathedral Hall. All are welcome. For more info. 330-744-8451 ext 272 or contact dschmidt@youngstowndiocese.org.

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Volunteers Needed!
Anyone interested in volunteering to help St. Barbara Annual Fish Fry please fill out this schedule and either put into the collection basket or drop it off at the rectory. Please X the dates and services for which you are available.

Name: ___________________________ Phone: ___________________________
Email: __________________________

Please return by Friday, February 9th

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