# SAINT VICTOR PARISH Mother of Sorrows Parish



# FEBRUARY 11, 2024 • SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

#### SAINT VICTOR PARISH STAFF

Pastor: Rev. Allen F. Corrigan Pastoral Associate/Director of Religious Education: Darlene Bednarz Administrative Assistant: Karen Napholz PSR/JYM Assistant: John Paulett Religious Programs Assistant: Sue Heckel Director of Liturgical Music: Herbert Dillahunt

#### SAINT VICTOR PARISH OFFICE

Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 9:00 AM to 12 NOON and 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM Parish Office: 330-659-6591 3435 Everett Road, Richfield, OH 44286 Email: stvictor@roadrunner.com Website: www.saintvictorparish.org

#### SAINT VICTOR MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 PM Sunday: 8:45 AM and 11:30 AM Sundays Memorial Day thru Labor Day: 9:00 AM and 11:00 AM Monday, Tuesday, Friday: 7:30 AM Holy Days/Holidays: See schedule in bulletin. Please go to parish website for livestream of weekend liturgies.

#### SAINT VICTOR MISSION STATEMENT

We, the Roman Catholic community of St. Victor parish, are a grateful family of God, joined together by the teachings of Jesus Christ. We strive to develop a relationship with God by sharing our blessings, talents and gifts through service, evangelization and community justice; our mission being greater love, worship, praise and adoration of God. Through the Holy Spirit we seek to draw nearer to God by prayer, sacramental grace, sacrifice, knowledge of the gospel and love for one another.

#### MOTHER OF SORROWS PARISH STAFF Administrator: Rev. Allen F. Corrigan

#### MOTHER OF SORROWS PARISH

6034 S. Locust Street, Peninsula, OH 44264 Website: www.motherofsorrowspeninsula.org

#### **MOTHER OF SORROWS MASS SCHEDULE**

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 PM Sunday: 9:30 AM Holy Days/Holidays: See schedule in bulletin. Liturgical Minister List: Email Diane Griffiths at dianeg4mos@gmail.com

#### MOTHER OF SORROWS MISSION STATEMENT

We, the parishioners of Mother of Sorrows Parish, established in 1882, Christ centered and empowered by the Holy Spirit, dedicate ourselves to serve the needs of all by liturgical worship and parish ministries.

#### PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION/JUNIOR YOUTH MINISTRY

Hours: Sundays 9:50 AM to 11:10 AM Grades K-8 Revere Middle School, 3195 Spring Valley Rd, Akron, OH 44333 Religious Education Office: 330-659-6321 Religious Education Office Email: stvictorpsr@roadrunner.com

#### **SACRAMENTS**

**INFANT BAPTISM:** A custodial parent or legal guardian must contact the parish to request an Infant Baptism. Baptisms will be at Saint Victor during a weekend liturgy. An indication of church attendance is required as is a pre-baptismal class for new parents. Please contact the Parish Office to make arrangements for a Baptism and for attending a baptismal class.

**RECONCILIATION:** Anytime by appointment at Saint Victor.

**MARRIAGE:** Fridays at 5:00 PM, Saturdays until 3:00 PM. Arrangements for date and time must be made six months in advance to allow for the necessary preparation. For detailed information, visit the parish website.

#### **OTHER PARISH INFORMATION**

**REGISTRATION:** If you are new or have not yet registered, please register in person or call during office hours. If you are moving, please notify the Parish Office as soon as possible.

**WEEKLY VISITATION/COMMUNION:** Homebound parishioners are encouraged to receive communion regularly. To schedule a weekly visit, please call the Parish Office.

**PARISH LIST OF NAMES MINISTRY:** Immediate family members of the sick and deceased may contact the Parish Office so that their names can be included in the prayers at mass and published in the weekly parish bulletin for three weeks. Please call by noon on Friday at 330-659-6591 or email.

**MASS INTENTON REQUESTS:** Due to bulletin deadlines and other factors, please submit requests two months in advance.

**ARTICLES FOR THE PARISH BULLETIN:** Items should be emailed to stvictor@roadrunner.com by 4:00 PM on the Friday which is nine days prior to the desired publication date.

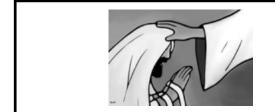
# FAITH DIRECT\*

Please consider Faith Direct for weekly contributions: Faith Direct, our eGiving portal, is the safest and simplest way to support both Saint Victor and Mother of Sorrows. You can access it at https://membership.faithdirect.net/OH1017. Please note there are two buttons for "RESTRICTED" contributions to Mother of Sorrows.

## SAINT VICTOR, RICHFIELD, OH Mass Intentions MONDAY, 2/12: Weekday (Jas 1:1-11 / Ps 119:67, 68, 71, 72, 75, 76 / Mk 8:11-13) 7:30 AM The People of Saint Victor Parish (SVR) **TUESDAY**, 2/13: Weekday (Jas 1:12-18 / Ps 94:12-13a, 14-15, 18-19 / Mk 8:14-21) 7:30 AM The People of Saint Victor Parish (SVR) WEDNESDAY, 2/14: Ash Wednesday; Valentine's Day (Jl 2:12-18 / 2 Cor 5:20-6:2 / Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 12-13, 14 & 17 / Mt 6:1-6, 16-18) 7:30 AM The People of Saint Victor Parish (SVR) 12:00 PM Prayer Service (MoS) 7:00 PM Vern Nause / Brenda Prezenkowski (SVR) 7:00 PM Prayer Service (MoS) THURSDAY, 2/15: Weekday (Dt 30:15-20 / Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 & 6 / Lk 9:22-25) 7:30 AM No Morning Mass (SVR) FRIDAY, 2/16: Weekday (Is 58:1-9a / Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 18-19 / Mt 9:14-15) 7:30 AM Harry Donovan / Bonfiglio Family (SVR) SATURDAY, 2/17: The Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order (Is 58:9b-14 / Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 / Lk 5:27-32) 5:00 PM Vern Nause / Brenda Prezenkowski (SVR) 5:00 PM Louis Maschak / Maschak Family (MoS) SUNDAY, 2/18: 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Lent (Gn 9:8-15 / Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 (see 10) / 1 Pt 3:18-22 / *Mk* 1:12-15) 8:45 AM Joann Myers / Napholz Family (SVR) roadrunner.com. 9:30 AM The Deceased of Mother of Sorrows Parish (MoS) 11:30 AM The People of Saint Victor Parish (SVR) Your Parish Offering

	SV In Pew	MoS In Pew
	2/3-4/2024	2/3-4/2024
Sunday Collection	\$ 4,811.00	\$ 1,247.00
Building Fund (BF)	\$ 655.00	\$ 1,000.00
Candles	\$ 104.00	\$ 9.00
Mass Intentions	\$ 270.00	
Initial Offering	\$ 5.00	
Catholic University	\$ 30.00	
Black & Native Am.	\$ 20.00	
Cent. East Europe	\$ 15.00	
Latin America	\$ 35.00	\$ 20.00
SJ Hand Missals	\$ 100.00	

Thank you for your generosity!



### Upcoming Dates to Remember

# Parish Faith Formation For All Ages

**PSR/JYM.** On Sunday, January 28<sup>th</sup>, our 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Confirmation Class had the opportunity to participate in a Refugee Simulation led by Mrs. Kelly Bonn, Director of the Diocesan Social Action Office for the Diocese of Cleveland. Thank you, Kelly, for leading our students.

February 15<sup>th</sup> will be our last **Bible Study**; we will be on a short hiatus since Darlene Bednarz will be on vacation. After Darlene returns, she is scheduled for knee replacement surgery on March 11<sup>th</sup> and will be out of the office as she recuperates. Darlene can always be reached by email at: stvictorpsr@

Thank you to Mrs. Sue Heckle and Mr. John Paulett who will cover the Parish School of Religion/Junior Youth Ministry for Darlene while she is away. Wally Bednarz will join them on Sunday mornings until she is ready to return. There is no class on Sunday, February 18<sup>th</sup>, as we remember President's Day. The lesson for February 25<sup>th</sup> is Lesson 15 "What turns us toward God's love?"





Congratulations. The following St. Vincent-St. Mary High School student received an academic achievement for the second quarter of the 2023-2024 school year. Well done! Claire Kesterson, Saint Victor - Principal's List

ACME Community Cash Back Program. The ACME Community Cash Back Program will run until February 15, 2024. Please place your receipts in the "ACME Community Cash Back" box in Saint Victor's Gathering Room, mail or drop them off at Saint Victor's Parish Office. Thank you!

> A leper came to Jesus and kneeling down begged him and said, "If you wish, you can make me clean." Moved with pity, he stretched out his hand, touched him, and said to him, "I do will it. Be made clean." - Mk 1:40-41

Dear People of God,

Welcome, Amie D'Arienzo! I am very happy to announce that Saint Victor's new Parish Administrative Assistant has already taken the helm. Amie's and Karen Napholz's tenures are schedule to coincide for three and a half weeks for the purposes of training and orientation. Please stop by the office if you can and say hello to Amie! Karen's official last day will be February 23. Congratulations, Amie! Thank you, Karen!

**Appreciation Dinner for Both Parishes is ON!** Please hold Saturday, March 16, for the annual Appreciation Dinner for both parishes. It will take place after the 5 PM Mass at Saint Victor, which will include the Annual Lenten Anointing of the Sick. Traditional Saint Patrick's Day fare will be served. There is no fee; but reservations are required.

Thank you, Marci Frederick! Marci will be taking the reins for our next parish social event. Marci will be planning the Parish Appreciation Dinner. The caterer has already been scheduled, and arrangements are coming together rapidly. Thanks, Marci, for taking on this big responsibility.

**St. Joseph Sunday Missals Available for Both Parishes.** With some reluctance we are making available for purchase several "*St. Joseph Sunday Missals*" for those who would like to have a copy of the scripture readings in their hands during the liturgy. Clearly, competent liturgical professionals are in unanimous agreement that the scriptures are to be proclaimed and actively heard, not "read along with." (At Mother of Sorrows there are missalettes, so hand missals would be duplicative and therefore not necessary.)

St. Joseph Sunday Missals for 2024 will be available in the Gathering Room. Their cost is \$5.00, and there will be an envelope in each book which can be put into the collection basket.

At Saint Victor, on the first Sunday of Lent, February 18, we will begin learning a new Mass setting, "*The Mass of Christ the Savior*." It was written by Dan Schutte, a well-respected Catholic composer, who has many published works in print. We sing a lot of his music, e.g. "*Here I Am*, *Lord*," "*Beyond the Moon and Stars*," and "*Blest Be the Lord*" to name a few. Dan was one of the original members of the St. Louis Jesuits back in the 1970's. We will use the Eucharistic acclamations first during the five weeks of Lent, and initiate work on the Gloria after Easter. Herb will spend two to three minutes each week before Mass going over these new settings. There will be congregation cards in each pew for everyone to be able to participate in what we are singing.

The Communal Penance Service with Twelve Priests for both parishes is Monday, March 11, at 7:15 PM.



Sincerely,

Allen F. Corrigan Pastor, Saint Victor Administrator, Mother of Sorrows acorrigan@roadrunner.com Please Join Us for a Piano Recital at Saint Victor.

On Saturday, March 9, at about 6:15 PM, our former Parish Musician, Alena Miskinis, will provide a one-hour piano recital for Saint Victor and Mother of Sorrows. Alena will soon be receiving her Master's Degree from Ball State in Muncie, Indiana, and this recital is part of the requirements for her degree. She wants to perform it here, at home, so

she has the pressure and excitement of a public performance before she gives the recital in Muncie to fulfill her requirements. Since it is a Pizza Saturday, we will also provide fruit kabobs to round out the "dinner" before the performance. Everyone has seen and heard Alena's talent and ability. This recital will be an event not to be missed. See you there!



St. Joseph Sunday Missal. In order to reduce handling, missalettes were withdrawn at Saint Victor during the height of the pandemic. An added benefit is the ability to draw from a universe of liturgical music, and not be limited to the selections of only one publisher. However recently at both Parish Council and Finance Council it was reported that some parishioners miss being able to read and follow the scriptures, and recite the Apostle's Creed. Clearly, competent liturgical professionals are in unanimous agreement that the scriptures are to be proclaimed and actively heard, not "read along with." Nevertheless, even with a good sound system, there are some parishioners who have difficulty hearing the scriptures. While not required, nor necessarily recommended, we are going to offer for purchase St. Joseph Sunday Missals for 2024. They will be available in the Gathering Room. Parishioners who wish can keep them in their car, purse or wallet for weekly reference. Their cost is \$5.00, and there will be an envelope in each book which can be put into the collection basket. We will procure a small batch and see how they go, if we need more, we will order them.

Saint Victor/Mother of Sorrows Prayer Shawl Ministry

will be meeting at the Richfield Library on the following Tuesdays: February 13 and March 12 from 6:30 to 8:00 PM. All are welcome to join us whether you knit, crochet, sew or use a loom. If you are unable to attend meetings, but want to join, please call Debbie at 216-798-7100. Anyone wishing to contribute ready-made shawls can drop them off at the Saint Victor's Parish Office. To request a shawl, please contact the Saint Victor's Parish Office at 330-659-6591.

