

MOTHER OF SORROWS PARISH



JUNE 2, 2024 • BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST SUNDAY

PARISH STAFF

Presbyteral Moderator: Reverend Michael P. McCandless
Parish Life Coordinator: Deacon William Yoho

PARISH OFFICE

Hours:

Monday: 10:00 AM — 2:00 PM

Wednesday: 10:00 AM — 2:00 PM

Parish Office: 330-657-2631

6034 S. Locust Street, Peninsula, OH 44264

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Website: www.motherofsorrowspeninsula.org

SACRAMENTS

INFANT BAPTISM: A custodial parent or legal guardian must contact the parish to request an Infant Baptism. Baptisms will be 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.

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, please contact the Parish Office.

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION/JUNIOR YOUTH MINISTRY

Please contact the Parish Office for information and registration.

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 PM

Sunday: 9:30 AM

Holy Days/Holidays: See schedule in bulletin.

Liturgical Minister Coordinator: 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.

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 330-657-2631 or email the Parish.

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

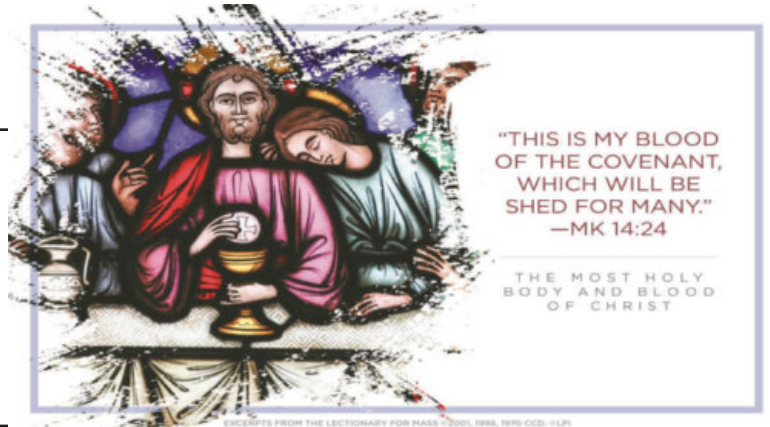
ARTICLES FOR THE PARISH BULLETIN: Items should be emailed to mospenoh@windstream.net by 4:00 PM on the Friday which is nine days prior to the desired publication date.

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MASS READINGS

MONDAY, 6/3: St. Charles Lwanga & Companions, Martyrs

2 Pt 1:2-7/Ps 91:1-2, 14-15b, 15c-16/Mk 12:1-12

TUESDAY, 6/4: Weekday

2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18/Ps 90:2, 3-4, 10, 14 & 16/Mk 12:13-17

WEDNESDAY, 6/5: St. Boniface, Bishop and Martyr

2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12/Ps 123:1b-2ab, 2cdef/Mk 12:18-27

THURSDAY, 6/6: St. Norbert, Bishop

2 Tm 2:8-15/Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-9, 10 and 14/Mk 12:28-34

FRIDAY, 6/7: The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

Hos 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9/Ps 12:2-3, 4, 5-6 (3)/Eph 3:8-12, 14-19/Jn 19:31-37

SATURDAY, 6/8: Immaculate Heart of Blessed Virgin Mary

2 Tm 4:1-8/1 Sm 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd/Lk 2:41-51

SUNDAY, 6/9: 10th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Gn3:9-15/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 (7bc)/2 Cor4:13-5:1/Mk3:20-35



Mass Intentions

Saturday, JUNE 8— 5:00 PM

Deceased of Mother of Sorrows Parish

Sunday, JUNE 9—9:30 AM

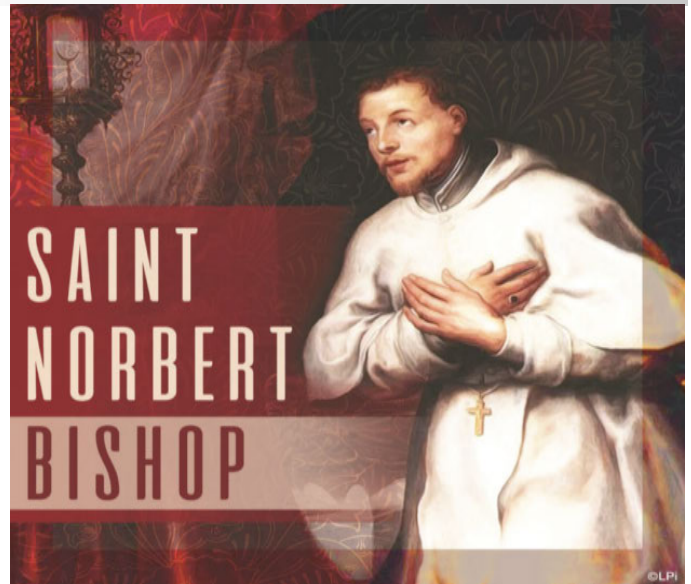
Annette Wojtkowski (Michael Sullivan)

Your Parish Offering

	In Pew 5/25 - 5/26	Faith Direct 5/25 - 5/26
Sunday Collection	\$991.00	\$0.00
Building Fund	\$220.00	\$0.00
Monthly	\$25.00	
Candles	\$31.00	

The Mystic Next Door: On death's doorstep, God spoke to me.

Ed Jozsa was nearly killed in a catastrophic car accident. When he came out of his coma, he discovered he had been given mystical powers by God. Ed will be sharing his experience on June 8 at 10 AM at Hudson Meadows Retirement Community, 1275 Barlow Rd, Hudson. His presentation is free & open to the public. He'll be giving out free copies of his book.



Born to nobility, St. Norbert of Xanten (c. 1075-1134), was ordained as a subdeacon and served in the court of Henry V, Emperor of Germany, however, at court it was easy to be distracted by wealth, power, and luxury and he lived a worldly and corrupt life there. By the grace of God while traveling in a storm he was nearly struck by lightning and almost killed. This experience changed St. Norbert and he became penitent, left his court post, and after a period of discernment in a monastery, felt called to be a priest.

Norbert became an itinerant preacher, preaching against worldly attitudes but at the Pope's request finally settled in northern France and founded the Norbertine order established according to the rule of St. Augustine. The order grew rapidly and soon founded a women's branch. Norbert traveled and preached across Germany where he also founded a lay branch of the Norbertines. In Belgium he preached against heresies which denied the Blessed Sacrament, this earned him the title "Apostle of the Blessed Sacrament". He and those of his orders had a great love of and devotion to the Blessed Sacrament, with a devout faith in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass.

Eventually he was made Archbishop of Magdeburg, Germany, and later he traveled to Rome in support of Pope Innocent II, against the antipope. Afterward he returned to Germany to court of Emperor Lothar as advisor, at end of life, in failing health, St. Norbert was carried back to Magdeburg where he died. St. Norbert of Xanten, pray for us! © LPI

From The Deacon's Desk:

My Sisters and Brothers in Christ,
Thank you to those that have already signed up for the "Get it Done Day"!

Actually, it is our parish workday when we will come together for fellowship, food and progress! We will be working from 8am-3pm, then sharing a meal followed by Mass at 5pm. Come join us or just stop by to say hi and share a word of encouragement. All are welcome even if you can just keep us company while we work!

Also, in case anyone is interested...Liz and I are giving our "The Chosen" talk on Thursday June 6 at Holy Family Parish at 7pm in the church basement. We will be sharing our experience being extras on the show. St. Francis De Sales parish is also joining and it would be great to have a good showing from Mother of Sorrows as well. We give these talks all over the diocese and although it has been scheduled for a while, it just occurred to us that some of you may be interested since it is being held locally and is with our "sister parish" Holy Family.

And lastly, we have been blessed to have 15 to 20 folks, from our parish as well as many others join us for the 9 Nights of Night Prayer. It has been a real blessing and a wonderful experience of worship and community. A few of us have gotten together afterwards to enjoy fellowship. It has been a great experience and it would be wonderful to continue this tradition after future events.

May God bless you this coming week.

Deacon, Will Yoho

Catholic Charities – Second Collection

Catholic Charities Northeast Ohio has one of the highest participation levels in the nation.

I am intimately familiar with the services provided to the people of Summit County. Our county receives more money from Catholic Charities NEO than we contribute. Ultimately, any donation you make benefit Summit County.

Mother of Sorrows' current participation rate is approximately 35%. Not all of us are able to go and feed people at a soup kitchen. We can, however, be the hands of Christ through supporting Catholic Charities who actually do feed the poor!

In the short time I have been at this parish, I have been very impressed by the generosity of our parishioners. It's a true privilege to be part of this community.

Thank you and God bless,

Deacon Will

Prayer Shawl Ministry

Our next meetings will be on the following Tuesdays: June 11, and July 9 from 6:30 to 8:00 PM at the Richfield Library. All are welcome to join us whether you knit, crochet, sew, or use a loom. For more information, please call Debbie at 216-798-7100. Ready-made shawls can be dropped off at the St. Victor Parish Office. To request a shawl, please contact the St. Victor Parish Office at 330-659-6591.

FAITH & FICTION BOOK CLUB

Join us on Wednesday June 12 to discuss this month's selection: Ordinary Grace by William Kent Krueger. We gather for coffee & introductions at 10 AM in the church hall. Discussion begins promptly at 10:30 and concludes at Noon. For more information, email or call the Parish Office.

Get It Done — PARISH WORK DAY

Be part of a team of volunteers that will work to improve the parish grounds on **June 8 from 8 AM—3 PM, followed by a picnic and 5 PM Mass.** Interested in working or helping? Sign-up sheets are on the church bulletin board.



Pray For...

Those who are sick
Pat Dobel, John Griffiths, and Therese Slenn;
for those who have passed away including
Fr. Jack Murphy & Annette Wojtkowski
and for those that have lost their life
-serving in our nation's military, victims of violence or terrorism , and
all those affected by natural disasters.

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