MOTHER

OF SORROWS

PARISH



JUNE 23, 2024 • THE TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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 Deacon Will Yoho: 330-620-0992 6034 S. Locust Street, Peninsula, OH 44264 Email: mospenoh@windstream.net Website: www.motherofsorrowspeninsula.org

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.

SACRAMENTS

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

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY (SVDP)

We partner with St. Barnabas Parish in Northfield. If you or someone you know is in need of food, utilities or housing, please call 330-467-7959 and at the prompt press "7" to leave a message or email <u>SVDPofSTBARNABAS@gmail.com</u>. Responses to messages are usually made within 48 hours.

PLEASE NOTE : The Faith Direct web portal will be retired 7/1/2024. Watch this space for information about a new eGiving portal.

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

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.

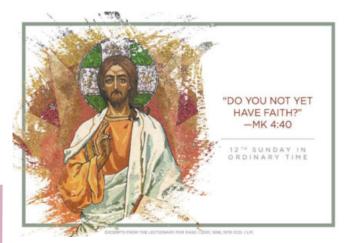
WEEKLY VISITATION/COMMUNION: Homebound parishioners are encouraged to receive communion regularly.

If you or someone you know is homebound or unable to attend Mass due to illness, surgery, or other circumstances, and you would like to have a Eucharistic Minister bring Holy Communion to the home, please email us at <u>carolk4mos@gmail.com</u> to set up a convenient time. We will be happy to bring the Holy Eucharist to you on a temporary or regular basis.

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. Please call or email the Parish.

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 mospenoh@windstream.net by 4:00 PM on the Friday which is nine days prior to the desired publication date.



Mother of Sorrows

Peninsula, Ohio

MASS READINGS



MONDAY, 6/24: The Nativity of St. John the Baptist Is49:1-6/Ps139:1b-3,13-14ab,14c-15/Acts 13:22-26/Lk 1:57-66,80

TUESDAY, 6/25: Weekday 2Kgs 19:9b-11,14-21,31-35a,36/Ps 48:2-3ab,3cd-4,10-11/Mt 7:6, 12-14

WEDNESDAY, 6/26: Weekday 2 Kgs 22:8-13; 23:1-3/Ps 119:33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 40/Mt 7:15-20

THURSDAY, 6/27: St. Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop & Dr. of Church 2 Kgs 24:8-17/Ps 79:1b-2, 3-5, 8, 9/Mt 7:21-29

FRIDAY, 6/28: St. Irenaeus, Bishop and Martyr 2 Kgs 25:1-12/Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6/Mt 8:1-4

SATURDAY, 6/29: Sts. Peter And Paul, Apostles Vigil: Acts 3:1-10/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Gal 1:11-20/Jn 21:15-19 Day: Acts 12:1-11/34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/ Mt 16:13-19

SUNDAY, 6/30: 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24/Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11, 12, 13 (2a)/2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15/Mk 5:21-43 or 5:21-24, 35b-43

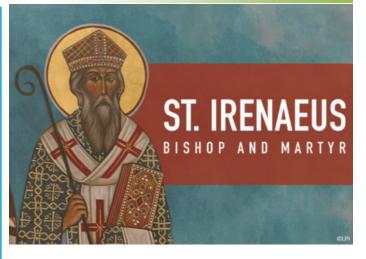


Mass Intentions

Saturday, JUNE 29— 5:00 PM Antonino Caruso & Pietro Serraino (Frank Caruso) Sunday, JUNE 30—9:30 AM Deceased of Mother of Sorrows Parish

Your Parish Offering

	In Pew 6/15 - 6/16	Faith Direct 6/15 - 6/16
Sunday Collection Building Fund	\$574.68 \$205.00	\$0.00 \$0.00
Monthly Candles	\$210.00 \$15.00	



Can you imagine sitting at the feast of the Apostles? St. Irenaeus was born in Asia Minor -- now Turkey -- and was tutored in Christianity by St. Polycarp, himself a disciple of St. John the Evangelist. Irenaeus caught the missionary zeal and became a priest sent to Gaul (modern day France). Following a persecution by the pagan Roman emperor Marcus Aurelius, Irenaeus replaced the martyred bishop in the region. His trials were not over, however. The heretical sect of Gnosticism spread to Gaul. Gnostics proclaimed a secret, spiritual knowledge available only to a few. Irenaeus researched the Gnostic texts and exposed the falsehoods they taught, such as denying the divinity of Christ. His book Against Heresies is still being published today, over 1800 years after his death. May St. Irenaeus intercede for our own quests for greater understanding!

St. Vincent de Paul (SVDP) is a worldwide community of lay Catholics who join together to grow spiritually by offering person-to-person service to neighbors in need. Mother of Sorrows Parish is now partnering with the St. Vincent de Paul Society at St. Barnabas Parish to help those in our area. If you or someone you know is in need of food, utilities or housing, please call SVDP at 330-467-7959 and at the prompt press "7 "to leave a message or email to <u>SVDPofSTBARNABAS@gmail.com</u>. Messages are checked regularly and normal response time is 48 hours.

Peter's Pence Second Collection

Each year, the annual Peter's Pence Collection in support of the works of the Holy Father is held in parishes across the country. The proceeds from this collection fund emergency financial assistance to those throughout the world who suffer from war, oppression, and natural disasters. This year's Collection is scheduled for the weekend of **29-30 June 2024.**

June 23, 2024

The Twelfth Sunday of Ordinary Time

From The Deacon's Desk:

My brothers and sisters in Christ,

This weekend's readings can kind of come across as God being kind of a bully.

In God's conversation with Job, it seems like the Father takes Job behind the woodshed for an attitude adjustment. He is essentially reminding Job who controls the sea, the clouds, and the world. It seems as if God is saying "Do you? Nope, that would be Me!" He is trying to help Job to understand that it is probably not a great idea to question God.

And while that is a completely legitimate point, if the conversation had stopped there, it certainly could have come across as if God is saying "Because I said so that's why." God is not saying this to Job, and us as well, just to flex his muscles, or just to demonstrate His authority, but He is saying it out of love. He is saying it in order to give us comfort.

He is saying to Job then and to us now that "He's Got This!" He has control over everything, and we can take comfort in knowing that nothing happens to us that isn't first filtered through our loving Father's hands.

This should give us tremendous peace and reassurance knowing that even though we live in these chaotic and tumultuous times that God, our loving Father, is still in control.

God is in Control!!!!!!!

May God bless you all over the coming week. Deacon Will

JULY BOOK CLUB—SAVE THE DATE

Our Faith & Fiction book club will meet on Wednesday, July 10 to discuss The Shepherd Who Didn't Run: Father Stanley Rother (by Maria Ruiz Scaperlanda) Fr. Rother is under Vatican review for beatification and canonization. Thus far, he has been granted the title Servant of God. A *Positio* representing years of inquiry and testimony regarding his suitability for beatification and canonization has been presented to the Holy See. We meet in the lower level of the Church at 10 for coffee and socializing and the book discussion begins promptly at 10:30. All are welcome!

Year of Mother of Sorrows

The feast of Our Lady of Sorrows on September 15 marks a special day for us. Our Lady has interceded for us and walked with us through our journey to get where we are today, and we intend to thank and honor her by dedicating the entire year to our Mother of Sorrows! We will do this by remembering and celebrating in special ways her feast day, as well as each of her seven sorrows. In order to do this, we need several volunteers to help plan a year dedicated to our Mother of Sorrows. If you are interested in joining the planning committee, **please contact Carol Kamphuis at** <u>carolk4mos@gmail.com</u>.





Those who are sick Pat Dobel and Therese Slenn; for those who have passed away including the Deceased of Mother of Sorrows Parish 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.

