

OFFICE AND CHURCH HOURS

The Parish Office is open Monday-Friday, 9:00 AM-4:00 PM. The Church is open daily 6:00 AM-8:30 PM. For more information, visit www.standrewparish.cc.

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil Mass - 4:30 PM Sunday - 7:30 AM, 9:15 AM, 11:00 AM Weekdays - 6:30 AM & 8:30 AM Saturday Morning - 9:00 AM

RECONCILIATION

Saturdays from 3:15-4:15 PM or by appointment at 614-451-4290

To learn more about **SACRAMENTS**, call the Parish Office or visit our website, **www.standrewparish.cc** and select "Sacraments and Prayer."

For **ANOINTING OF THE SICK**, please contact a priest at the Parish Office.

We welcome **NEW MEMBERS!** To register or learn more about St. Andrew Parish, please contact our office by phone, or email Jen Wenzke at jwenzke@standrewparish.cc.

OUR MISSION

St. Andrew Church is a community of Catholics committed to serving God by living our faith. We exist to fulfill the mission of the Roman Catholic Church at the local level by continuing the saving work of Christ. We accomplish this through the celebration of the sacraments, proclaiming and living the Gospel, reaching out to others in justice and charity, and providing all parishioners abundant spiritual, educational, and social opportunities to be known as a faith-filled, engaged, and generous parish.



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MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday: Aug. 3 Vigil, 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time 4:30 p.m. Alexander Tye Sisamuth Sunday: Aug. 4, 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time Lastenia Fajardo 7:30 a.m. Louie and Frances Massenelli 9:15 a.m. For the People of St. Andrew Parish 11:00 a.m. Monday: Aug. 5, Weekday Mass John and Rosemary Persinger 6:30 a.m. & Joseph and Katherine Reed Patricia Brennan 8:30 a.m. Tuesday: Aug. 6, Transfiguration of the Lord Michelle Pappa 6:30 a.m. John Germaine 8:30 a.m. Wednesday: Aug. 7, Weekday Mass 6:30 a.m. Joe and Louise Karam 8:30 a.m. Mary Jo Koehler Thursday: Aug. 8, St. Dominic 6:30 a.m. Cecelia Kohrmann 8:30 a.m. Special Intention Friday: Aug. 9, Weekday Mass 6:30 a.m. Fred Blackstone 8:30 a.m. Heimo Langer Saturday: Aug. 10, St. Lawrence 9:00 a.m. Kay Griffith Theado Vigil, 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time Robert and Anna Mae Jones 4:30 p.m. Sunday: Aug. 11, 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time 7:30 a.m. For the People of St. Andrew Parish

BAPTISMS

Floyd Miller

Susan Emert

9:15 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

Riley Olivia Duncan, daughter of Matthew and Colleen

BANNS OF MARRIAGE

Abigail Pond and Nicholas Thrasher (3)

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE FAMILY OF...

Robert Cook

MESSAGE FROM THE PASTOR

Dear Parishioners,

Happy August! The month of August is a busy time at St. Andrew Parish. Our preparations for the festival are in high gear. The festival will take place on August 16 and 17 – less than two weeks from now! Volunteers are still needed, so please sign up. Also, don't forget that Thursday, Aug. 15, is the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. It is a Holy Day of Obligation. It would be easy to forget this in the excitement of preparing for the Festival. I am reminding you now so you will hopefully not forget. Masses for the holy day are Wednesday, Aug. 14, 7:00 p.m. (Vigil Mass), and Thursday, August 15, 6:30 a.m., 8:30 a.m., and 12:15 p.m.

Other things also make August a busy month. Of course, school starts later this month. The first day of school at St. Andrew will be Wednesday, Aug. 21. Workmen are busy completing the installation of the new rooftop HVAC equipment for the cafeteria wing of the school building, so it will be up and running when school starts.

I want to thank you all for your very generous response to Fr. Kamalesh and the mission appeal for the Diocese of Guntur, India. **You contributed a whopping \$43,544.93 to this appeal!** That is spectacular – a new world's record! Fr. Kamalesh told me, "My Bishop will be very happy." I was very proud of St. Andrew parishioners. I had told Fr. Kamalesh that you were very generous people, but this went way beyond my expectations. The you so very much!

I hope you can enjoy some summer fun in this busy month of August. May God bless and protect you all!

Your pastor,

Monsignor Stephan Moloney

WOULD YOU LIKE TO SCHEDULE A HOME VISIT WITH A

PRIEST? If you or a family member are sick, homebound or hospitalized and would like a visit from a priest, please call the parish office at 614-451-4290 and speak with Msgr. Moloney, ext. 101, or Fr. Tabi, ext. 103. Visits may include reconciliation, Holy Communion, and anointing.

IN AN EMERGENCY: If someone is near death, call the parish office at 614-451-4290 and press 3 (Sacramental Emergency Line). A priest will respond as quickly as possible. If the call comes after business hours or during weekends, please allow extra time as the priests may be attending to other sacramental needs.

MILLIONS OF MONICAS

MONDAY, AUG 5 // 6:00-7:00 PM // CHURCH

All women of the parish are welcome to join the Millions of Monicas Prayer Ministry. Millions of Monicas is a group of women who come together in prayer to lift up our children of all ages. Many of us have children who struggle with their Catholic faith or have left the faith entirely.

For information about Millions of Monicas, visit **www. millionsofmonicas.com**. For information about this St. Andrew prayer ministry, contact **Amy Tague** at **amyliss14@gmail.com**.

ST. ANDREW SCHOOL NEWS

WE ARE STILL ACCEPTING NEW STUDENTS! We would love for you to be a part of the Viking Village. For more information, contact school Principal Joel Wichtman, 614-451-1626, ext. 234.

JOIN OUR TEAM! St. Andrew School has several job openings for the upcoming school year.

Full Time:

- •Fifth Grade Science and Math Teacher
- •Spanish Teacher (Grades K-5)

Part Time:

- •Intervention Team Aide, 8:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.
- •Classroom Aide, 8:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

If interested in these positions, contact Principal Joel Wichtman at **jwichtma@cdeducation.org**.

THE USED UNIFORM SALE will be held **Tuesday**, **Aug. 6**, **from 2:00-6:00 p.m.** in the parish hall.

Great prices on a variety of uniform items: \$5 special on unlimited uniform shorts, pants, and shirts. We have an abundance of these items and running out of storage space. Jumpers, sweatshirts, gym shirts, vests, skirts, sweaters, and spirit wear are not part of the \$5 special and are charged by the item. Cash or checks only.

Special request: With the new gym shirt requirement for all students, we need more donations of these shirts. Please do not donate the old-style shirt. We always need more uniform sweatshirts and jumpers. Drop off donations at 2272 Haviland Road (front porch), Columbus, Ohio 43220. For more information, contact **Amy Hura**, **amyhura1@gmail.com**.

SUNDAY OFFERING

JULY 21 YTD \$ \$ 30,840 **ACTUAL** 83,307 **BUDGET** \$ 32,692 \$ 98,076 \$ 24.175 103,950 **LAST YEAR**

Thank you to all who are responding generously to our financial need. Your generosity is greatly appreciated!

We encourage you to consider Online Giving, which is safe, secure and convenient. To sign up, visit osvhub. com/st-andrew-parish/funds contact Business Manager Thomas Conigy at tconigy@standrewparish. cc or 614-451-4290, ext. 106.



WE ARE GETTING VERY CLOSE TO OUR

GOAL! Every donation helps! If you haven't yet made your gift to this year's Appeal, please prayerfully consider a gift. Your gift, regardless of amount, is vital to the success The Appeal of this Diocesan-wide campaign. If you have made a donation, we THANK YOU!



The Appeal supports essential ministries, formation, and outreach under the four pillars of evangelization, vocations, education, and social concerns.

Money in excess of our goal will be returned to the Parish.

ST. ANDREW PROGRESS REPORT THROUGH JULY 31:

Pledged: \$ 203,145.00 Collected: \$ 141,540.00 \$ 79,873.80 Remaining: Goal: \$ 221,413.80

Pledge envelopes are available in the pews. Feel free to drop them in the collection basket with your pledge or donation, or mail them to The Appeal, 197 E. Gay Street, Columbus, OH 43215. Make checks payable to The Diocese of Columbus and include "St. Andrew Parish - Appeal" in the memo section. You may also pledge online at





ROSARY FOR LIFE: ALL ARE WELCOME!

Join us every Saturday at 8:30 a.m. to pray the Rosary for Life. Mass begins at 9:00 a.m. At the conclusion of the Mass, we pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet. We provide prayer aid booklets and materials. On the first Saturday of each month, the St. Andrew Council Knights of Columbus lead the Rosary and Chaplet. On all the other Saturdays, the women of the parish lead the prayers.



EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Please join us for Eucharistic Adoration on Tuesdays from 6:00-9:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration is simply the act of being in Christ's real presence while the Eucharist is on the altar. Adorers may stay as briefly or as long as they would like. At 8:45 p.m., Adoration concludes with Compline (end-of-day

prayers), followed by Benediction. Make time to be in Christ's presence and open yourself to the graces that flow from the Eucharist!

Weekly Adoration Hosts: Parish Council (first Tuesday); St. Vincent de Paul (second Tuesday); Women of St. Andrew (third Tuesday); Men of the Parish (fourth Tuesday).



WELCOME OUR BLESSED MOTHER INTO YOUR HEART AND YOUR HOME!

We ask you to prayerfully consider welcoming the pilgrim statue of Our Lady of Fatima into your home to pray the Rosary with your family. There are many sign-up opportunities to have the Blessed Mother statue in your home for prayer and devotion. Each week begins on Saturday at 5:30 p.m. and ends the following Saturday at 4:30 p.m. The statue is dropped off and picked up each week in the St. Andrew

Chapel. Use the QR code or visit our SignUpGenius page to view upcoming available dates and learn more: tinyurl. com/ourlady2024.

For more information, contact McEllistrem, 614-309-4645 or dmcellistrem@ h vahoo.com.





THURSDAY, AUGUST 8 **BRYCE ECK CENTER - KELLY HALL**

Euchre at 10 a.m. // Bingo at 11 a.m. // Lunch at Noon

The luncheons are a great way to catch up with old friends and forge new friendships with seniors within our St. Andrew Parish community. If you are 55+ and a registered parishioner, come and join the fun! There is no cost. For more information, contact Pat Carroll, 614-459-1402 or pcarroll@standrewparish.cc.



MANY VOLUNTEERS ARE STILL NEEDED!

Sign up in the parlor after Mass or online at tinyurl.com/standrewfestival2024 or use the QR code. Sign-ups in the parlor each weekend take preference over online signups. For more information, contact Mary Beasecker at mbeasecker@standrewparish.cc.

BE A WINNER! RAFFLE GRAND PRIZE=\$5,000

Raffle tickets are \$10 each or 6 for \$50. Tickets and money can be turned in to the collection basket or dropped off in the parish office. **This weekend, additional tickets will be available after Masses in the parish hall** and you can also drop off raffle tickets and money at that time too. As always, raffle tickets will be available in the Parish Office throughout the week.

CONSIDER A DONATION TO THE SILENT AUCTION:

Gift cards, tickets for sports/entertainment, wine and jewelry are a few of our most popular items. If you prefer to make a monetary donation to the Festival Silent Auction, we will do the shopping for you! For more information, contact Helen Leahy at **hholbery@gmail.com**.

THIS WEEKEND IN THE PARISH HALL: We will serve cookies after the Saturday Masses and donuts after the Sunday Masses. This is the perfect opportunity to pick up your RIDE WRISTBAND VOUCHERS (while they last) for \$22 each, good for one night. Vouchers will be \$25 each per night at the Festival. Cash and check preferred. You can also buy raffle tickets, sign up to volunteer (hundreds still needed), buy ride wristband vouchers, pick up yard signs, play games and drop off auction items and sponsor checks.

BEGINNING TUESDAY, AUG. 13: The McCoy Road parking lot will be closed. Remember to park in the Reed Road lot for daily Masses.

ON SATURDAY, AUG. 17, Mass will begin at 4:00 p.m. (instead of 4:30 p.m.) to give our volunteers and parishioners the opportunity to attend Mass before the fun begins!

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IT'S NOT TOO LATE TO BECOME A SPONSOR!

Our sponsors are vital to the success of the Festival and helping us offset costs. If you want to learn more about sponsorship and the many perks that come with it, contact **Melanie Houts** at **Melanie.Houts@gmail.com** or 614-595-5335. For details or to register as a sponsor online, visit **tinyurl.com/FestSponsorRegistration.**

FESTIVAL 2024: FRI, AUG 16 • SAT, AUG 17 • 5PM-MIDNIGHT



SAINT MONICA BOOK CLUB RESUMES MONDAY, AUG. 26 6:00-7:00 PM // PARISH HALL

Give up worry and turn to prayer with the Saint Monica Book Club! ALL are welcome at this once-a-month study. St. Monica represents persistent, unfailing

prayer for fallen-away family members. The Saint Monica Club includes all devoted parents who have experienced the pain of a child leaving the faith and have prayed ceaselessly for their return. For more information and to RSVP, contact Amy Tague, at **amyliss14@gmail.com**.

MEN'S WEEKLY BIBLE STUDY: Join us as we discuss the first and second books of the Maccabees each Friday from 7:00-8:00 a.m., in the Parish Office Lower Level Meeting Room. Learn more about the Maccabees, martyrdom, intercession, and persecution in this 31-week bible study series for men of all



31-week bible study series for men of all ages! The study combines commentary from renowned theologian Scott Hahn with time-tested interpretations from the Fathers of the Church. No homework or reading is required between meetings. Coffee is provided. For more information, contact **John Schechter** at 614-565-0824 or **jedwardschechter@gmail.com**.

JOIN US IN THE GARDEN EVERY MONDAY, 10:00-11:30 A.M. ALL ARE WELCOME! Bring your own garden gloves and hand tools and enjoy fellowship, exercise, fresh air and opportunities to beautify the church grounds. Each week, we meet near the flower garden with the swing. Join us as often as your schedule allows. For more information, contact Karen Bruns at kbruns145@gmail.com or 614-216-4694.



THE 2024 HOLIDAY BAZAAR

is scheduled for **Saturday, Nov. 9, from 9:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m.** As always, you'll find unique gifts and crafts for everyone on your Christmas shopping list.

We have space for more crafters

and vendors. Nothing beats finding a perfectly unique gift for someone special. Perhaps YOU can offer the special gift someone is looking for! We have a variety of tables/booths available for rent. If you or someone you know is interested in becoming a vendor, visit tinyurl. com/SAP-Bazaar-2024.

For more information, contact **Judy Brown** at **judyzumba09@gmail.com** or leave a message at 614-446-4812.

LITURGICAL VOLUNTEERS

SAT, AUG 10: Vigil, 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time 4:30 PM Mass

Judy O'Brien	EMHC-B - B1
Peter Kleinhenz	EMHC-B - B2
Mike Luckett	Lector - A
Cathy Covarrubias	Lector - B
lan McNair	Altar Server
Ava Busch	Altar Server

SUN, AUG 11: 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time 7:30 AM Mass

Bette Jo Feeney	EMHC-B - B1
David Varda	EMHC-B - B2
Jason Mays	Lector - A
Tom Levenick	Lector - B
Mary Jaminet	Altar Server
Mia Pagnotto	Altar Server (Sub req.)

9:15 AM Mass

David Tague EMHC-B - B1
Jane Dickson EMHC-B - B2
Deb McEllistrem EMHC-B - B CHOIR
Tom Levenick EMHC-C - C1
Debby Murphy EMHC-C - C2
Suzanne Meyers EMHC-C - C3
John Schechter Lector - A
Mary Kasberg Lector - B
Joel Kasberg Altar Server
Nora Ott Altar Server

11:00 AM Mass

Laddie Waldegar	EMHC-B - B1
Martha Radtke	EMHC-B - B2
Judy Kjellandar	Lector - A
Damion Faulkner	
Kellen Slater	Altar Server
Joseph Kaleta	Altar Server

To volunteer, visit **www.rotundasoftware. com/ministry/standrewcolumbus**, or use the QR code here. If you need help with your username or password, contact the Parish Office, 614-451-4290.



BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS: Send requests by Monday at 10:00 a.m. for the following weekend. Include a brief description, date, time, location, contact name, and send to **bulletin@standrewparish.cc**. Bulletin requests may be edited for clarity or space.

ePOST EMAIL MESSAGES: To subscribe, contact Mary Beasecker, **mbeasecker@standrewparish.cc**. The ePOST includes information about upcoming parish events and activities. To submit information, email Mary before Noon on Mondays. ePOST submissions may be edited for clarity or space.

AROUND THE DIOCESE

UPCOMING FESTIVALS

There are several festivals coming up in the area. Please consider supporting other nearby parishes!

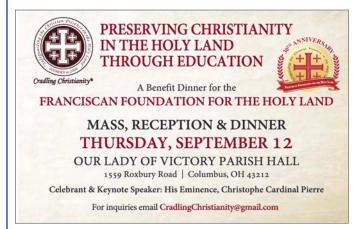
AUGUST 9/10 St. Brendan

6-11 p.m. Friday and Saturday (family fun hours 3-6 p.m. Saturday) 4475 Dublin Road

AUGUST 9/10 St. Cecilia

5 p.m.-Midnight Friday, 4 p.m.-Midnight Saturday 434 Norton Rd., Columbus





Registration required at YCPColumbus.org

BUCKEYE CATHOLIC GOLF OPEN is scheduled for **Monday, Aug. 26** at The Ohio State University Golf Club, Scarlet Course. Range opens and breakfast is at 9 a.m.; shotgun start is at 10 a.m. Foursome: \$1,000 includes golf, lunch, and two drink tickets per player. If interested, contact Pat McNulty at 303-501-4257.

VOLUNTEER WITH MOMMIES MATTER

Join us on Wednesday, Aug. 7, at 7:30 p.m. for our virtual volunteer orientation. Discover how you can impact the lives of single, pregnant mothers and their children by providing mentorship, support, and resources. The orientation will be held via Zoom, and details will be provided upon registration. To register or learn more, visit **www.mommiesmatter.org/volunteer**.

at **St. Joseph Cathedral on Saturday, Sept. 7**, with a Vigil Mass at 5:00 p.m. Bishop Fernandes will be the main celebrant for the Mass for married couples celebrating 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 55, 60 and every year after 60 years of marriage. All registered couples, (attending or not), will receive a personalized certificate in the mail. The Mass will also be livestreamed to view/attend virtually. Couples can register at **https:/columbuscatholic.org/marriage-family/marriage/jubilee**.

FRIENDS OF THE JOSEPHINUM 4-MILER RUN/WALK

The Friends of the Josephinum welcome everyone to join the fun at the Annual Josephinum 4-Miler Run/ Walk on **Saturday, Sept. 28 at the Pontifical College Josephinum**. The event features a new, one-loop, four-mile course that will take runners and walkers on a tour of the college and surrounding neighborhoods. The run/walk starts promptly at 9 a.m. Proceeds are used for scholarships and the financial needs of seminarians at the Pontifical College Josephinum. For more information and to register, visit https://m3ssports.com/events/josephinum-4-miler-run-walk/.

ST. CHARLES IS HOSTING "AN EVENING WITH" HIS EMINENCE, CARDINAL TIMOTHY DOLAN

Join us on **Thursday, Oct. 10, 5:00-8:00 p.m.** in the Robert C. Walter Student Commons for a conversation with Cardinal Dolan as he shares the importance of Jesus and the Church in our day-to-day lives. Visit **www.stcharlesprep.org/giving/an-evening-with** to reserve your table as together we work to ensure that all young men receive the gift of a Catholic education. For more information, contact Advancement Director Jaime Lawler at jlawler@scprep.org or 380-209-2231.



"Do This in Remembrance of Me" A Step-By-Step Walk Through the Mass





Part 35: Offertory Water and Wine



As we continue through the **Offertory**, this time we take a closer look at some of the prayers at the altar as the bread and wine are placed there. After the bread and wine are brought forward, they are placed on the altar by the priest (or a deacon if there is one present). Then the priest, speaking either silently or aloud, says the prayers over the bread and wine. These are the prayers that begin, "Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation, for through your goodness we have received the bread we offer you: fruit of the earth and work of human hands, it will become for us the bread of life."

You may also recognize the prayer as the priest holds the chalice: "Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation, for through your goodness we have received the wine we offer you: fruit of the vine and work of human hands, it will become our spiritual drink." As the Diocese of Peoria reminds us, "If there is no music playing, [the priest] may do this out loud. In this case, we would respond to these prayers by saying, 'Blessed be God forever!' These prayers are ancient and have profound meaning. We place before him in our procession 'our' gifts, yet in these formulas we immediately admit that while they are 'work of human hands' they are still ultimately from God. For this reason, we

bless God for his goodness and ask him to accept and transform the gifts into 'bread of life' and 'spiritual drink'" (A Study of the Mass, p. 11).

The Mystery of the Water and Wine

As the priest is preparing the wine, the Diocese of Peoria continues, "notice that he places a small amount of water into the chalice with the wine. As he does this he says: 'By the mystery of this water and wine may we come to share in the divinity of Christ who humbled himself to share in our humanity.' The Church maintains this very ancient custom of mixing water and wine as it uniquely symbolizes what we pray for. At the Mass, we offer our lives in union with Christ. In all our weakness, in all our smallness, we pray to be inseparably united to the divine. The small drops of water symbolize us. As the water becomes inseparably united to the wine, we pray we may become inseparably united to Jesus Christ" (A Study of the Mass, p. 11-12).

Along these lines, Charles Belmonte teaches, "It was ancient custom to take the wine mixed with water, which the chalice of Jesus in the Last Supper contained. The Church retained this gesture to symbolize the sanctification of the Christian which is accomplished through his union with Jesus Christ. The water becomes the symbol of ourselves: our lives, with our weaknesses. Have you stopped to think what happens to the drops of water mixed with the wine? They are absorbed by it and then become inseparable from it. So does Jesus absorb us. The drops of water are of negligible worth; they are not even enough to quench anyone's thirst. Yet they will end up being divine blood! And all that because they let themselves be mixed with the wine and be dissolved in it, thus manifesting self-denial, personal renunciation. At this moment, we grow in our desire to offer ourselves in total self-surrender, as the few drops of water in the chalice have reminded us. So, we will be able to become one with Jesus Christ after the Consecration" (Understanding the Mass, p. 114).

An Opportunity for Personal Prayer

What a meaningful moment in this part of the Mass! A transition time in the Mass that could be easily missed, these brief prayers sometimes said silently provide a great invitation for prayer:

Jesus, help my heart to unite more perfectly with yours. I feel at times so far from you, but you give of yourself so that I have this opportunity to be more closely united with you. Help me to be attentive in this moment and bring my heart joy from knowing you will soon be truly present on the altar, Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity, in the Eucharist!

For Reflection:

- 1. Make Father Luke's prayer above your own as you participate more fully in the Liturgy of the Eucharist.
- 2. Next time you participate in Mass, pay close attention to the preparation of the chalice and the mixing of water and wine. Make an act of faith, trusting that Jesus can and will receive all you offer him and transform your weakness into strength by his divine power.

Source: www.eucharisticrevival.org/blog



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