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OLD SAINT MARY



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*The Discovery of the Holy Cross by Empress Helena, 1734-35, Nicola Grassi*

SEPTEMBER 2024





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### OFFICE HOURS

**Old St. Mary** office hours are *Mon.-Thurs., from 9 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. and Friday, from 9 a.m. - noon.*

**Sacred Heart** office hours are *by appointment.*

### MASSES

#### Sunday

7:30 a.m. | Low Traditional Latin  
9:30 a.m. | Sung Traditional Latin  
11:30 a.m. | German  
1:00 p.m. | English

#### Monday-Friday

7:15 a.m. | Low Traditional Latin  
12:10 p.m. | English

#### Saturday

7:15 a.m. | Low Traditional Latin  
9:00 a.m. | English

#### First Friday Mass

6:30 p.m. | Traditional Latin

### SACRAMENT OF PENANCE\*

#### Sunday

8:30 a.m. - 9:15 a.m. &  
12:30 p.m. - 12:45 p.m.

#### Monday-Friday

11:15 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.

#### Tuesday

11:15 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. & 7:15 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

#### Saturday

8:15 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

#### Evening Masses

45 minutes before Mass

### EUCCHARISTIC EXPOSITION

#### Tuesday

8:00 a.m. - noon & 5:30 - 8:30 p.m. with  
Holy Hour with Benediction beginning at 7:30 p.m.

#### First Friday – All Night Vigil

Following the 6:30 p.m. Mass

### MASSES

#### Sunday

9:00 a.m. | English Mass  
11:00 a.m. | Sung Traditional Latin Mass

#### Friday

9:00 a.m. | Low Traditional Latin Mass

#### First Saturday Mass

9:00 a.m. | Traditional Latin Mass

### SACRAMENT OF PENANCE\*

#### Sunday

8:30 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.  
10:30 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.

#### Friday

8:15 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

#### First Saturday

8:15 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.



### GENERAL SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

#### Holy Day Masses

Please check bulletin.

#### Baptisms

If possible, please contact the parish office one  
month prior to due date to start planning.

#### Weddings

Contact the parish office at least six months prior.  
Must be an active parishioner, attending Mass,  
for at least one year before scheduling.

#### Anointing of the Sick

Contact a parish priest as soon as possible.

\*When there is no Mass, please note that there will be no confessions  
beforehand. Check the bulletin for any other changes.



## NOTE *from the* PASTOR

The month of September is dedicated to Our Sorrowful Mother. Those with deep sorrow, especially those who have lost children, can fly to Our Lady under this title. As a mother, she understands our sorrows and we can rely on her to help us maintain good hope even in the darkest of difficulties. Our Lady of Sorrows, pray for us!

Last month we bid farewell to Dominic Yasenchack who is studying for the Archdiocese of Cincinnati as a seminarian at the Pontifical College Josephinum. This is the college seminary that Fr. Adrian and I attended. Please keep Dominic in your prayers! If you wish to send him a card, you can mail it to 7625 N. High St, Columbus, OH 43235.

We will also bid farewell to Br. Stephen and Br. Benjamin on September 4 as they head to St. Philip Neri Seminary at the Toronto Oratory to begin their priestly studies. They will have three years of Philosophy followed by three years of Theology. Please also keep them in your prayers as they continue their priestly formation. You can send them cards or notes at: St. Philip Neri Seminary, 1372 King St. West, Toronto, Ontario, Canada, M6K 1H3.

Steven Heid, who has been a part of the parish for several years and currently in the choir at Old St. Mary, has been accepted to the Franciscan Friars of the Immaculate and will be leaving to begin their postulancy and then novitiate. So please

also keep him in your prayers as he begins this new journey.

The parish year is getting ready to begin again. Catechism for our children will start soon, along with the conversion classes for those interested in becoming Catholic. So please sign up your children for Catechism with the sisters. If you know anyone interested in becoming Catholic or anyone who has yet to be confirmed, please have them contact the parish office to sign up for classes and more information. Sunday Vespers at Old St. Mary will resume in October at 3:30 p.m. Please be sure to check the online calendar for all the special Masses and events throughout the year.

Please be sure to continue to pray for vocations. Our parishes are producing vocations, which is a good sign. The Church continues to need good and holy vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

A quick note on the parish merger. The process has been a bit slower than I anticipated. Thank you for your patience. We have worked diligently to propose a solution that I believe works well for our situation, so this has taken some time to work out. If you have not been able to register yet, please operate as if you have. Attend Mass, introduce yourself to the priests, participate in parish life and, hopefully, all will be set up soon!

I wish each of you a blessed month!

*Fr. Paul Beuch*

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It is important to keep in mind that when the church windows are open, voices outside do carry into the church. PLEASE BE MINDFUL when talking under the windows and BE RESPECTFUL of the Masses and the devotions taking place inside the church.

## Conversion Classes

For those interested in becoming Catholic, classes will begin on **September 9**. As Catholics, now is a good time to share your Catholic faith with family members or friends. Now is the time to ask them if they'd like to talk to somebody about taking the next step. You might be surprised by the power of your invitation! Please call the parish office for more information.

**Please note that Catechism classes will begin again on Tuesday, September 17.**

## Catholics United for the Faith

Catholics United for the Faith is an international lay apostolate founded in 1968 to support, defend, and advance the efforts of the Teaching Church. The St. Francis of Assisi chapter in greater Cincinnati was founded in the early 1990s. **Meetings will be at 7 p.m. on the second Monday of each month starting on September 9. The first speaker will be Fr. Rob Jack.** The meetings will take place on the second floor of the school building at Sacred Heart in Room 202. Questions? Please contact Bill Schult at [billschultco@gmail.com](mailto:billschultco@gmail.com) or 859.653.3207.

## Finance Classes

A free finance class will be offered this year by Chad and Michelle Edwards. Topics will include goal setting, budget planning, strategies for saving, and investing. This is a great class for engaged or newly married couples or anyone who is interested in learning more about how to manage their money. Classes will be held at Sacred Heart in room 202 from 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. on Wednesdays, October 2 and 6, November 6 and 20, and December 4.

## Items in Church

Please ensure that anything you want to place out in church has been pre-approved by Fr. Jon-Paul. Anything set out without his approval will be removed. Things placed out do not mean Fr. Jon-Paul or the other Fathers necessarily agree with material or promote it, only that there is nothing contrary to the teachings of the Church. Please go through the parish office for approval.

## Adorers Needed!

**Could you not spend but one hour with Me?** Please contact the parish office if you are interested in signing up for an hour, or to substitute. Adoration is on Tuesday, and First Fridays. See our hours under the parish schedule. You may call the parish office or visit [adoration.oldstmarys.org](http://adoration.oldstmarys.org) to sign up. The minimum is two adorers per hour, but our goal is nine hundred! Everyone is welcome at any time during Exposition, even if you can't take a scheduled hour or be a substitute. Please help us keep adoration at Old St. Mary alive!



## Parents' Holy Hour & Tuesday Play and Pray Group

Join our Pray and Play group! This is a group of parents who will soon begin meeting on Tuesdays from 9:30 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. in Fr. Felten Hall. Children get to play and parents take turns covering the Adoration hour from 10:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m. in the church. This allows parents some quiet time alone in Adoration or the chance to take children into Adoration for a shorter time period. This is a good opportunity to introduce children to the idea of Adoration. **For more information or questions, contact Fatima Spoor through the parish office.**

## Sorrowful Mother Novena

Pray with the Sorrowful Mother Adoration group on the second, third, fourth, and fifth Fridays of each month during all-night adoration at Old St. Mary. Eucharistic exposition and devotions to our Sorrowful Lady start after 7:00 p.m. Mass and continue until 6:30 a.m. For more info or to be included on our communication list, contact **Mark Sharpshair** at [mesharpshair@fuse.net](mailto:mesharpshair@fuse.net).



Mater Dolorosa 1470-75, Dieric Bouts

**Please note: Sung Vespers will resume on Sunday, October 6 at 3:30 p.m.**

### First Saturday Mass at Sacred Heart

Beginning in September, there will be a 9:00 a.m. First Saturday, Low Latin Mass at Sacred Heart.

### Novice Clothing

Join us on **Tuesday, September 3** at 6:30 p.m. for the clothing of Fr. Michael in the habit of the Congregation of the Oratory. A social will follow. There will be no evening Adoration or Confessions this Tuesday evening. This will also be an opportunity to give your good wishes to Br. Stephen and Br. Benjamin as they make the journey to St. Philip Neri Seminary in Toronto on September 4.

**Please note that there is no Tuesday Evening Adoration or Evening Confessions on September 3 and 17.**

### First Friday Masses

Join us for our First Friday Low Latin Mass on **September 6** at 9:00 a.m. at Sacred Heart and at 6:30 p.m. at Old St. Mary. Our All-night Eucharistic Vigil will immediately follow the Mass.

### Labor Day Mass Schedule

Labor Day Masses will be at 7:15 a.m. (Low Latin) and 9:00 a.m. (English) at Old St. Mary. Confessions will be heard at 8:15 a.m. There will be no 12:10 p.m. Mass or Confession before. The parish office will be closed on Labor Day — Monday, September 2.

### Women's Oratory

Ladies of the parish are invited to grow in faith and community with your fellow sisters each month at our women's oratory meeting. **The first meeting of the fall will be September 7.** The rest of the schedule is as follows: October 5, November 9, December 7, January 11, February 1, March 1, April 5, May 3 and June 7. Contact Suzan Sammons at [suzan@poverellos.com](mailto:suzan@poverellos.com) or Lisa Bloomfield [lisamarielbloomfield@gmail.com](mailto:lisamarielbloomfield@gmail.com) with any questions.

### Sacred Heart Donut Social

Join us in the church hall at Sacred Heart for a donut social, after the 9:00 a.m. Mass on Sunday, **September 8.** This is a great opportunity to meet parishioners and socialize.

### Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross

Join us for solemn Mass for the Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross on **Saturday, September 14**, at Old St. Mary at 9:30 a.m.

### Oktoberfest Mass

On **Sunday, September 22**, at 11:30 a.m., Old St. Mary will be honored to host the annual Oktoberfest Mass. Music for this very special celebration will be provided by the Die Bubis from Bavaria, who will also play later in the afternoon at the Downtown Oktoberfest. Fellowship will follow Mass. Thanks to all those who arranged for this Mass to take place and to the Freunde der Allgäuer Blaskapellen for their ongoing support of the local German heritage and of Old St. Mary's Church.

### Feast of St. Thérèse

On Thursday, **October 3**, there will be a 6:30 p.m. Mass for the Feast of St. Thérèse of the Child Jesus at Old St. Mary. There will be the blessing of roses followed by a social in Fr. Felten Hall and the garden.

**SAVE THE DATE!**

**THE TENTH ANNUAL CATHOLIC MEN'S**

**Eucharistic**  
✚ **Procession** ✚

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2024**

We will process through the streets of downtown,  
beginning at the cathedral at 9:00 a.m.

The procession will conclude at Old St. Mary at 11:00 a.m.

***We are calling on all men of our parishes  
to be present!***





## Carmelite Corner

*Praised be Jesus Christ!*

Thank you for your support at the last second collection at the parishes and for your on going prayers. A good problem to have is always running out of room. God has blessed us with so many good friends and indeed, within our own community. We will start more work in Bethel as the work on convent of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel comes to an end.

We still have a basement to fix up and a few things here and there, but now we are faced with the issue of needing more room once again. If you have signed up for our volunteer list we will be sending out emails for work days as we begin to tear down a barn that is falling apart and build another, as well as begin to make room for more vocations.

We look forward to September 23 when Archbishop Schnurr will come to bless the second building of our convent across the street from Old St. Mary's Church. We are also looking forward to the beginning of catechism once again and for our girls' groups to commence once more. There will be a flyer in the back of church with a description of what the groups offer and a calendar of events.

*Ascend Carmel* will begin once again in the fall.

If you would like to help us with our projects you may email us at: [floscarmeli@carmelitedaughters.org](mailto:floscarmeli@carmelitedaughters.org) or donate to cornerstone: [give.cornerstone.cc/carmelitedaughters](https://give.cornerstone.cc/carmelitedaughters).

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## Baptisms

Valerie Marie Winters  
Jonah Frederick Randolph

## Wedding

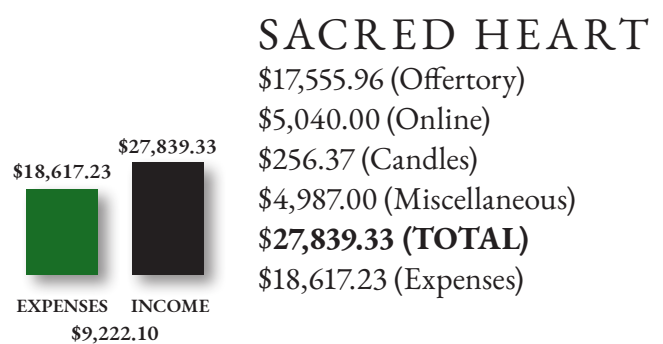
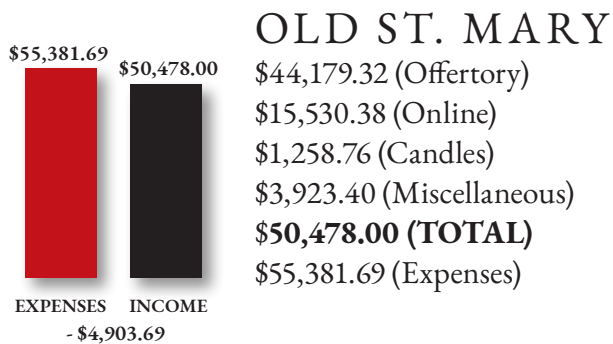
Troy & Elizabeth Galloway

## Funeral

Viktor Wilhelmy

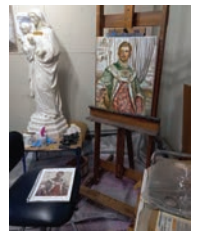
**Cast yourself into the arms of God and be very sure that if he wants anything of you, He will fit you for the work and give you strength. – Saint Philip Neri**

## FINANCIAL BREAKDOWN: JULY 13-AUGUST 14, 2024



*\*Keep in mind some months are more expensive to operate than others, such as winter months.  
Thank you for your generosity! Please consider an estate gift to the Oratory, Old St. Mary, or Sacred Heart.*

Please join us on **Sunday, September 22** after OSM High Mass for a presentation by special guest Fr. Jordan Hainsey, Custos of Holy Relics for the Diocese of Covington and Creative Director for the Emperor Karl League of Prayer.



## FEAST & SHRINE DEDICATION OF BLESSED KARL

Monday, October 21, 2024



**Budget: \$30,000 | Fundraising Goal: \$15,000 | Matching Grant: \$15,000**  
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