

### St. Basil the Great CATHOLIC CHURCH

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#### 8700 BRECKSVILLE ROAD, BRECKSVILLE, OHIO 44141



#### Reconciliation/ Confession

SATURDAYS: 3:30 - 4:30PM OR BY APPOINTMENT



Mass

MONDAY-FRIDAY: 8:00AM SATURDAY VIGIL: 5:00PM

SUNDAY: 7:30AM, 9:00AM, 11:00AM, 5:30PM

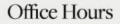


Eucharistic Adoration

**MONDAYS &** WEDNESDAYS: 8:30AM - 9:00PM

#### Parish Directory

PARISH OFFICE: 440-526-1686 PSR: 440-526-3520 ST. MICHAEL SCHOOL: 440-717-0398



MONDAY-FRIDAY: 8:00AM - 7:00PM SATURDAY: 8:30AM - 2:00PM SUNDAY: CLOSED



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happy taster

I wanted to write a brief article to wish you and your loved ones a Happy Easter. This is the feast day where we celebrate, receive and share the Risen One's victory. In Jesus risen from the dead, we see that truth, love, forgiveness and mercy win in the end. Therefore let us walk the path of victory by drawing closer to Jesus and sharing Him with others. On behalf of the whole staff, we pray for you and

On behalf of the whole staff, we pray for you and wish you a very blessed day and whole Easter season!

> P.S. Stay tuned for a very exciting Mother's Day event here at St. Basil's!



In Him, Fr. Ryan Your Pastor

Sara Glosik & Bret Scanlon (Families)

**Beatrice Sturka** (Sherry Voss)

(Mark & Paula Nylander)

**Gloria Garcia** (Evelyn Mirza)

(Sandra Hendricks, Wife) (Fr. Mann)

**Parishioners of St. Basil** (Fr. Mann)

Irene Klemens (Family) (Fr. Mann)

**Divine Mercy Sunday Celebration** 

Ethan Hall (Gina Baeslach) (Fr. Mann)

**Rory Reese** (Brigid Godic) (Visiting Priest)

Bill Nowak (Jane Nowak)

**Corrine Nylander** 

April 5, 2024

April 7, 2024

**Charles Hendricks** 

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Offertory March 24, 2024

Regular weekly collection \$40,112.20

Monthly maintenance \$3,291.25

Thank you for your continued support!



Monday, April 1, 2024

Tuesday, April 2, 2024

Wednesday, April 3, 2024

Thursday, April 4, 2024

Saturday, April 6, 2024

8:00am

8:00am

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Friday,

5:00pm

Sunday,

7:30am

9:00am

11:00am

3:00pm

5:30pm

Second Sunday of ter Easter Sunday April 7, 2024 Readings to help us prepare for Mass:

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Acts 4: 32-35

St. Basil the Great

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: 1 John 5: 1-6 Gospel: John 20: 19-31

"Thy word is a lamp unto my feetand a light unto my path"





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THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED: EASTER MONDAY, APRIL 1ST. THE ADORATION CHAPEL WILL BE CLOSED EASTER MONDAY, APRIL 1ST. Vista Springs Ravinia Estate Invites you to join us for an informative presentation

### It's Not Always Sunny When You're Sundowning



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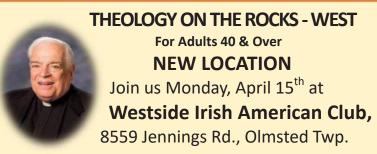
Guest Speaker: Susanne McArthur, LPN *Clinical Liaison* Compassionate Care Hospice

April 4, 2024 4:00-5:00 pm

Vista Springs Ravinia Estate 6046 Brecksville Road Independence Ohio 44131

RSVP with The Ravinia Concierge at (216) 232-4900





*Fr. John (Jack) Manning will present: "The Church in Cleveland & a little history of our new location!"* 

Cost is \$15.00 per person which includes light appetizers & refreshments. Cash Bar is also available. Advance tickets highly recommended as space is limited. Register in advance: www.theologyontherockswest.com

Doors open at 6:30pm. Program begins at 7pm.



SCRIPTURE REFLECTION FROM BISHOP MALESIC

Every Sunday, Bishop Edward Malesic writes a Scripture reflection for the faithful that is available online. You can follow the Bishop on Facebook, Instagram, or Twitter.

The Cleveland Diocese's website includes both reflections and links to the readings: < https://tinyurl.com/bishops-reflections >.

#### St. Basil the Great Church

March 31, 2024



Register Online basilthegreat.org

or Scan QR Code

St. Basil the Great

## BECOMING A MAN After God's Own Heart

### **Men's Ministry**

Two Day Retreat May 10<sup>th</sup> - 11<sup>th</sup> St. Basil's Parish Center



with Deacon Dave & Fr. Ryan

What's the Buzz?

Every month our Parish Council, made up of parishioners of all walks of life, discusses "the buzz" in the parish community & the Brecksville community.

What would <u>you</u> like Parish Council to know or discuss? Send an email to parishcouncil@basilthegreat.org





## STEUBENVILLE YOUTH CONFERENCE



WHEN? July 12-14, 2024 WHERE? Franciscan University WHO? incoming 9th graders graduating seniors



## LIFE TEEN LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE

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WHEN? June 23 - June 29 2024 WHERE? Benedictine College WHO? incoming 11th and 12th graders

registration open SOON

## TOLLE LEGE SUMMER INSTITUTE

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WHEN? June 16 - 21 or June 23 - 28 WHERE? Borromeo Seminary WHO? incoming 12th graders



## St. Basil the Great Church Brecksville, Ohio

#### March 31, 2024

## Divine Mercy Sunday

All are invited to participate in the Novena to the Divine Mercy that began on Good Friday, March 29th, and ends on Divine Mercy Sunday, April 7th.

The Divine Mercy Novena and Chaplet Booklets are available in the racks by the church doors and also in the parish office. There will be a celebration on Divine Mercy Sunday, April 7th at 3:00 p.m. in the church.



Jesus I trust in you! "For the sake of His sorrowful passion...have mercy on us, and on the whole world".

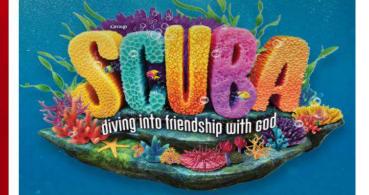
## EXPLORE THE DEPTHS OF FAITH

#### Lead the adventure at VBS Become a Station Leader

Currently looking for adult leaders Email: awasinski@basilthegreat.org to sign up

#### VACATIÔN BIBLE SCHOOL JULY 29™ - AUGUST 2№ 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

\*Registration for participants opens in May\*





#### The Mass Intention Book for 2025 will be open Thursday, May 2nd, 2024

- Doors will not open before 8:30am
- You are permitted 2 masses- one weekday and one weekend mass.



 Masses remain \$10.00 a Mass (cash or check-checks should be made out to St. Basil)

Please stop in the parish office if you are interested in scheduling a mass for your deceased family members or a special intention for you or your family.

"Jesus said to the crowds: "Everything that the Father gives me will come to me, and I will not reject anyone who comes to me, because I came down from heaven not to do my own will but the will of the one who sent me, that I should not lose anything of what he gave me, but that I should raise it on the last day. For this is the will of my Father, that everyone who sees the Son and believes in him may have eternal life. And I shall raise him on the last day." -John



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St. Basil Moms, you and your families are invited to our

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Sunday, May 12<sup>th</sup> 10:00 AM FLC

> Details & RSVP basilthegreat.org



St. Basil Parish Center Thursday, May 23rd 12Noon-7pm And Sunday, May 26th from 8:30am till 2:30pm



## Save the Dates!





Attention High School Seniors! Applications for the Thomas C. Ellis CYO High School Senior Athletic Scholarship

are available at the Parish Office. This is a onetime \$500.00 Scholarship Award given

to a selected high school senior who is a St. Basil Parishioner, involved in CYO athletics, has a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher, displays leadership qualities and school/community involvement and plans to pursue a degree at an accredited U.S. post-secondary institution. *The* 

*application deadline is Friday, April 19, 2024.* The selection committee will make their decision by May 17, 2024.



# 2024 Day of Action!

You're invited to Created Equal's Day of Action-now in four cities across Ohio!

The Day of Action is one of the only programs in the country where you can get top-tier pro-life training reinforced by hands-on activism.

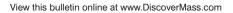
All ages welcome to attend and participate in this FREE event!

CLASSROOM TRAINING: APRIL 11, 6:30 PM-8:30 PM OUTREACH & DEBRIEF: APRIL 12, 9:00 AM-2:30 PM

St. Basil the Great Catholic Church: Family Life Center Meeting Room 8700 Brecksville Rd. Brecksville, OH 44141

Lunch is included. Please register to attend.

Scan the QR code or go to CreatedEqual.org/Action for more information and to register today!



## Come and get it!!! Crew 652

## Pancake Breakfast

When: Sunday April 28, 2024 Where: St Basil's the Great Parish Center 8700 Brecksville Rd in Brecksville Time: 8:00 am til 1:30pm Price: \$8 adults

\$5 children under 12 and seniors over 55

## Menu

Pancakes

Sausage

Fruit Cup

Coffee, Tea, OJ, Milk, and Water (Eggs cooked-to-order available at an additional cost)

## ALL YOU CAN EAT!!!!

All proceeds will help send the scouts on a whitewater high adventure trip to Summit Reserve in West Virginia! Thank you for your support!!!

#### Seeking an annulment?

Terri Shawhan, D. Min., retired from the Diocesan Tribunal where she worked on Declarations of Invalidity of Marriage (annulments). She is available at the parish to work with parishioners who wish to petition for an annulment. Please contact her at the parish office at: 440-526-1686.

This is a FREE service. There are NO fees charged for annulments.

**Protecting God's** Children Catholic Diocese of Cleveland The Diocese of Cleveland's "Protecting God's Children" program is a continuing effort to instruct and inform everyone about the protection of children from sexual abuse. To report any past or present suspected inappropriate behavior toward children by priests, deacons, religious, lay ecclesial ministers or personnel associated with the Church. immediately inform local authorities about inappropriate behavior. Also, please contact the Diocesan Response Service Office at: 216-334-2999 or via email at: response\_services@dioceseofcleveland.org.



#### Virtus Training at St. Basil's

Volunteers who work with minors must complete all of the Virtus Compliance requirements before they can be approved to volunteer. These requirements are listed on our website: <u>www.basilthegreat.org/</u> <u>protection</u>

St. Basil will host Virtus Training on Monday, April 22, 2024 at 6:30pm in the Family Life Center (FLC) meeting room. You must register in advance at: www.Virtus.org





Bring peanut butter and jelly, bread, bag of fruit, sandwich baggies, and a breakfast treat to share. Sandwiches are taken to local shelters to help those in need.





St. Basil **Parish** Picnic: June 9thwatch the bulletin for more information.

## SPREAD LOVE **ROUGH SERVI**

The Social Concerns Commission invites you to prepare and serve breakfast to 20-30 guests at Moriah House every 4th Saturday of each month

> Moriah House 3135 Lorain Ave, Cleveland, OH 44113.

Breakfast Prep 8:00 AM

Serve Breakfast 9:00 AM

Wrap-Up 10:00 AM

Sign Up bit.ly/MoriahBreakfast

Contact: Mary Tuininga Cell: 330-317-3899 Email: ecnalg@protonmail.com **Upcoming Dates** April 27th May 25th

June 22nd



View this bulletin online at www.DiscoverMass.com

#### St. Basil Liturgical Tribute Fund

St. Basil's Liturgical Tribute Fund honors both the living and deceased. Contributions can be made in any amount at any time, and contribution envelopes are available from the Parish Office and the pamphlet racks in the church vestibules. Funds are used to purchase items needed for church services. Honorees and donors are listed below and are published in the bulletin each month. Honorees are remembered in the petitions on the last Sunday of each month.

#### In Memory of:

ANTHONY SASSANO: Clara Sassano CHRISTINE WINSLOW: Amy & Ed Sowers DON KERN: Roger & Monica Honroth JOSEPH CROWE: Robert & Deborah Branicky EDWARD SENSENBRENNER: Ed & Amy Sowers JOHN ZUPANCIC: Josie Zupancic & Family MARY MULHOLLAN: Terri Shawhan TIMOTHY GORBETT: Terri Shawhan VIRGINIA D'ISIDORI: Terri Shawhan RALPH CONTIPELLI: Joanne Talani



#### RESETLLING REFUGEES IN CLEVELAND

MONDAY, April 29, 2024– 6:45-8pm– Parish Center

Sister Rita Mary Harwood, SND will share the knowledge she as about the current work the Cleveland Catholic Diocese is doing to resettle refugees in the Cleveland area. This program is meant for parishioners to learn about who the current groups of refugees being assisted are, how they are being assisted and what the parish and the attendees can do to help in this effort.



The USCCB Committee on Pro-Life Activities is inviting Catholics to join a focused effort of prayer for the end of abortion and the protection of women and preborn children, which began on

March 25, the eve of the oral arguments, and the anniversary of St. John Paul II's landmark, pro-life encyclical, **The Gospel of Life** (*Evangelium vitae*). In particular, we will invoke the intercession of St. Joseph, Defender of Life with this prayer:

Dearest St. Joseph, at the word of an angel, you lovingly took Mary into your home. As God's humble servant, you guided the Holy Family on the road to Bethlehem, welcomed Jesus as your own son in the shelter of a manger, and fled far from your homeland for the safety of both Mother and Child. We praise God that as their faithful protector, you never hesitated to sacrifice for those entrusted to you. May your example inspire us also to welcome, cherish, and safeguard God's most precious gift of life. Help us to faithfully commit ourselves to the service and defense of human life —especially where it is vulnerable or threatened. Obtain for us the grace to do the will of God in all things. Amen.

We ask Catholics to offer this prayer daily, from March 25 through June, when a decision is expected. Online and print versions of the prayer can be found at www.respectlife.org/prayer-to-st-joseph. Thank you for responding to this invitation to prayer for an end to all abortions and for the protection of women and preborn children. *St. Joseph, Defender of Life, pray for us!* 



#### CANCER SUPPORT GROUP

Our Cancer Support Group welcomes all who have been touched by cancer in some

way. Patients, survivors, loved ones, caregiverswhatever your journey. This group is formed to give those in need the support, strength, faith and hope to move forward together, rather than on your own.

What: Cancer Support Group

When: Third Thursday of each month 6:30 pm

Next meeting: April 18, 2024

Where: Parish Office– Pieta Room For additional info please contact: Betsy Glosik-440-476-6269 or Nancy Farinacci - 440-488-9284



#### Prayer for Spiritual Communion

You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You

sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen





In Loving Memory

We pray for all of our deceased loved ones, may they rest in peace.

## Widowers Meetings

Our next Breakfast Meeting for April TBD.

#### The next First Wednesday Dinner for April TBD.

All area widowers regardless of church affiliation, who might benefit from the support and fellowship provided by and with a group of men who have experienced a similar loss of spouse, are invited to attend the above activates.

Contact **Joe Kocurkovic:** 440-838-1184, for more information or questions.





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