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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

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PSR: 440-526-3520

ST. MICHAEL SCHOOL: 440-717-0398

#### Office Hours

MONDAY-FRIDAY: 8:00AM - 7:00PM

**SATURDAY: 8:30AM - 2:00PM** 

SUNDAY: CLOSED











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#### Offertory April 7, 2024

Regular weekly collection \$30,672.05 Monthly maintenance \$3,187.00

\*\*Please note at the 5:30pm Sunday Mass there are no ushers collecting. Please use the wooden Alms Boxes for your donation.

Thank you for your continued support!



#### Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

**Monday, April 15, 2024** 

8:00am Gene & Louise Sliwinski (Family)

Tuesday, April 16, 2024

8:00am For the Living & Deceased Members of

the Szymanski & Pevec Families

(Don & Dorothy Szymanski)

Wednesday, April 17, 2024

8:00am Mary Ann Webb (Chris Staiger)

Thursday, April 18, 2024

8am Gregory Demko (Diane Demko)

Friday, April 19, 2024

8am Irene Klemens (Family)

Saturday, April 20, 2024

5:00pm Carmela & Carmelo Indriolo

(Salvatore Indriolo) (Fr. Liptak)

**Sunday, April 21, 2024** 

7:30am **Parishioners of St. Basil** (Fr. Liptak) 9:00am **Deceased Members of the Kovach** 

**Family** (Jane Nowak) (Fr. Liptak)

11:00am Ethan Hall (Sue Mackovjak) (Fr. Liptak)

5:30pm **Bridget McKenna** (Debbie Vegh)

(Visiting Priest)





Fourth Sunday of Easter April 21, 2024

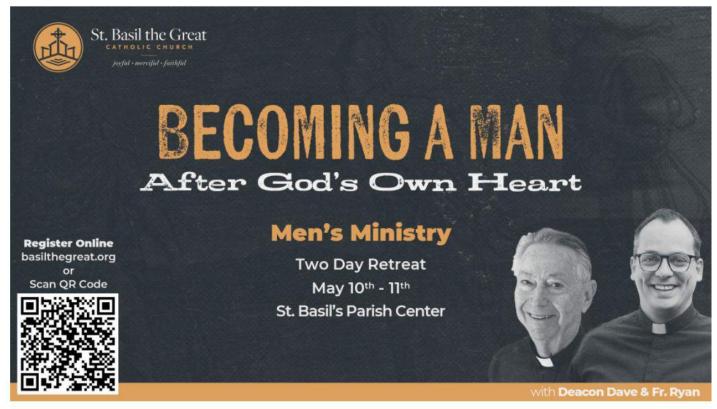
Readings to help us prepare for Mass:

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Acts 4: 8-12 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: 1 John 3: 1-2 Gospel: John 10: 11-18

"Thy word is a lamp unto my feet-

and a light unto my path"







# St. Michael and St. Basil the Great Partnership Application for Tuition Scholarship

St. Basil Endowment Scholarships in honor of Jim Cozzens for St. Michael School Students 2024-2025 School Year

For those students entering grades kindergarten through the eighth grade.

Dear Family,

Enclosed is an application for the St. Basil Endowment Scholarship in honor of Jim Cozzens. Each family can complete one application for each child enrolled in St. Michael School.

This year St. Basil the Great will award:

Sixteen \$3,000 tuition scholarships for grades first thru eight and

four \$3,000 tuition scholarships for students entering kindergarten to attend St. Michael School.

These scholarships are being funded by the St. Basil Endowment Fund. To be considered for the scholarship you will also need to apply for Ed Choice/Cleveland/Jon Peterson/ or Autism Scholarships **AND** the Angel Scholarship Fund. The scholarship is open to students that are registered members of St. Basil the Great Parish. Students must complete the accompanying scholarship application. Please drop off the scholarship application/s to St. Basil rectory office by **April 30, 2024**.

In Him,

Fr. Ryan Mann,

Pastor



# LIFE TEN

# CALLING ALL 8TH GRADERS

You're invited **SUNDAY**, **APRIL 28th** to come see what Life Teen is all about!

Join us for dinner at 6:30, followed by our Life Night from 7 - 8:15pm in the FLC

Bring clothes you can get messy!

RSVP by scanning the QR code





# Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion!



We want to bring back the Precious Blood at Mass but to do so we need some more Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion. Those considering this ministry should be aware of these guidelines set forth by the Diocese of Cleveland.

- You must be fully initiated in the Catholic Church. You have received the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Holy Communion.
- Live a life in accord with the Gospel message. For example, attending Mass every weekend and if married, living in a valid Catholic Marriage.
- Must be capable of fulfilling the physical requirements of this ministry (e.g. climbing stairs, holding the vessels, etc).
- Open to young people entering their senior year of high school or older.

Please contact Deacon Rob if you are interested.

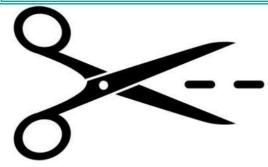
#### RBlackburn@basilthegreat.org



# The Mass Intention Book for 2025 will be open:

- Thursday, May 2nd in the Parish Office
- 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.





Please print your request for Mass Intentions below (neatly). Cut the form out and bring it with you on May 2nd. Please understand that if the date you request is taken you will have to chose another date. Mass times: Weekday (8am) Weekend (Sat. 5pm); (Sun. 7:30, 9 & 11am and 5:30pm) Christmas and Easter are intentions for the Parishioners of St. Basil. As always, thank you for your patience on this day.... we try our best to have you taken care of as quickly as we can.

We ask for contact information just in case a mass has to be changed or cancelled.

# St. Basil the Great Mass Intentions 2025

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Requested by :	1
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Contact:	Phone:
Address:	Paid\$



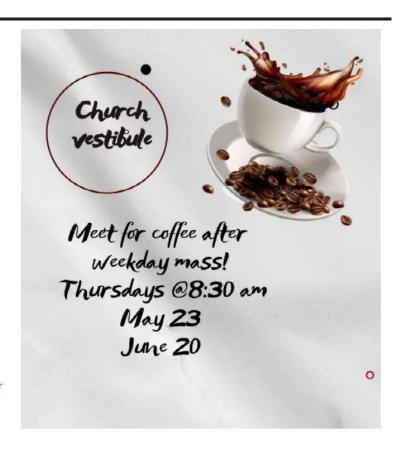
Attention High
School Seniors!
Applications for the
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Athletic Scholarship

are available at the Parish Office. This is a one-time \$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

secondary institution. *The* application deadline is Friday, April 19, 2024.

The selection committee will make their decision by May 17, 2024.







Our Parish Days of Service are back.



Encounter and Serve:
Serving with Heart and
Finding Jesus in Community
will begin with 7:30 AM Mass, followed by a
brief gathering in the Parish Center.

Contact: Mary Tuininga ecnalg@protonmail.com | call/text 330.317.3899







# Protecting God's Children

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

#### 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: <a href="www.basilthegreat.org/">www.basilthegreat.org/</a>

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

## 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!!!

Please Join Us

for prayer & a presentation

"Resettling Refugees in Cleveland"

6:45pm - 8:00pm Monday, April 29th
in the Parish Center Main Hall

Sr. Rita Mary Harwood, SND will share her knowledge about the current work Catholic Charities is doing to resettle refugees in the Cleveland Catholic Diocese.

Topics to be covered:

Who are the current groups of refugees being assisted?

What can St. Basil parishioners and attendees do to help?

Attendees are invited to donate a Walmart Gift Card for Sr. Rita Mary's work with the refugees.

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#### 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.



Food Pantry: End of the month food and household supplies for the Food Pantry is April 28, 2024.



\*\*\*\*Don't forget to pick up a green grocery bag the weekend of **April 21st** in the Church vestibules.

\*\*\*Checks should be made out to St. Basil the Great

Don't forget our fur babies! Dog and cat food is also needed and appreciated. Please place dog/cat food in separate bags.









No Longer able to fix things around the house?

~dripping faucet ~running toilet ~furnace filters ~light bulbs

Mechanical, Electrical, Plumbing, General repairs

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~garbage disposal

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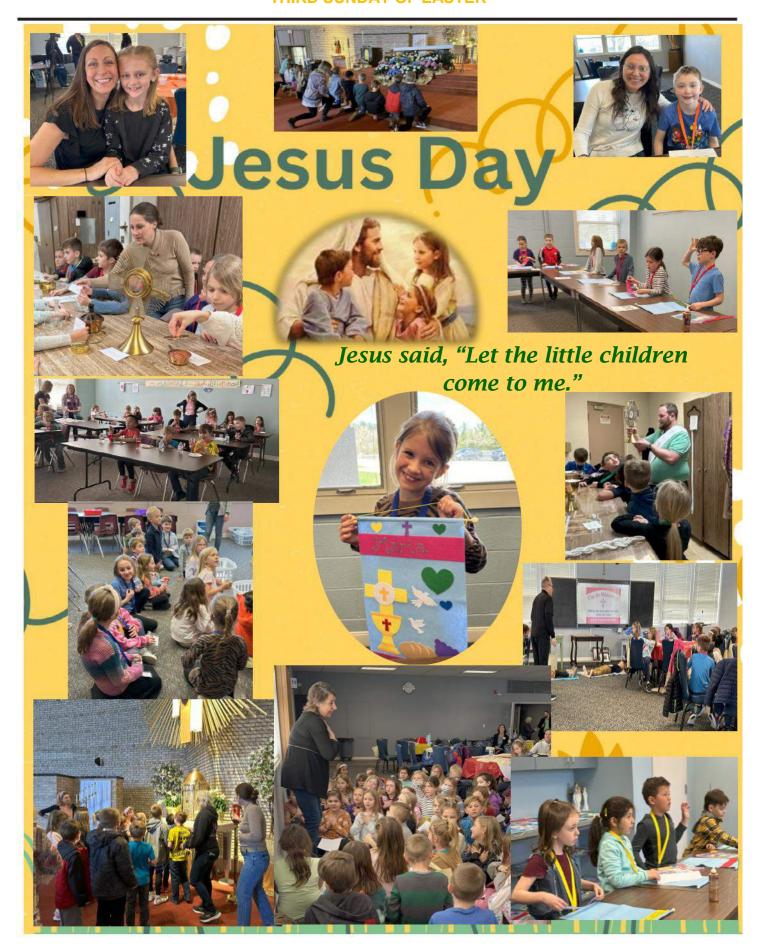


St. Basil **Parish Center** Thursday, May 23rd 12Noon-7pm And Sunday, May 26th from 8:30am till 2:30pm

Give the Gift of Life Blood is needed!

Save the Dates!







### JOIN LOYOLA SERVICE TEAM

#### **HELP THOSE IN NEED**

Loyola Service Team (LST) women and men volunteer one day per

week in service with those in need. We meet monthly for Mass, a lunch bag gathering, prayer, and to reflect on our experiences.

Some volunteer with I'm In Ministry, those seeking jobs at the West Side Catholic Center, or new moms at Zelie's Home. Your best work may be serving others (Matthew 25). Contact St. Basil parishioners, Julie and Rich Jerdonek, 440-525-1606, jerdoneks@gmail.com



#### CANCER SUPPORT GROUP

Our Cancer Support Group welcomes all who have been touched by cancer in some way. Patients, survivors, loved ones, caregivers-whatever 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



#### DEACON CHARLES W. ZAWADZKI

Retired Deacon for the Diocese of Cleveland Husband of Marian March 30, 2024



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

### **Widowers Meetings**

Our next Breakfast Meeting will be April 20, 2024 at 8:30am *(Note time change)* at Loeders, 9265 Broadview Rd. South of Rt. 82.

#### All Monthly Dinners have been discontinued.

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 activities.

Contact Joseph Piskac (440-799-0829) or Joe Kocurkovic (440-838-1184) for more information or questions.



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