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



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**MONDAYS &
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Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK



- Monday, August 4, 2025**
8am **Theresa Konchan** (*Jan McNamara*)
- Tuesday, August 5, 2025**
8am **Charles Indriolo** (*Deborah Messing*)
- Wednesday, August 6, 2025-**
8am **Danny Deliberato** (*Wife, Marilyn*)
- Thursday, August 7, 2025**
8am **Drs. Saturnino & Caridad Agdinaoay**
(*The Agdinaoay Family*)
- Friday, August 8, 2025**
8am **The Kasper & Lyzen Families**
(*Fred & Mary Ann Lyzen*)
- Saturday, August 9, 2025**
2pm Wedding: Raymond Brewster & Jessica Swisher—(Fr. Liptak)
5:00pm **Edward L. Bogatay** (*Lynne Wilson*)
(*Fr. Mann*)
- Sunday, August 10, 2025**
7:30am **Anthony Deliberato**
(*Friends of Family*) (*Fr. Mann*)
9am **Linda Matta & Marge Randa**
(*Lisa Matta*) (*Fr. Mann*)
11am **Edward & Casey Bochenski**
(*Sharon & Michael Schultz*) (*Fr. Liptak*)
5pm **Parishioners of St. Basil** (*Fr. Liptak*)

Welcome



Offertory July 27, 2025

Regular weekly collection \$34,186.75

Monthly maintenance \$3,211.00



Thank you for your continued support!



Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time August 10, 2025

1st Reading: Wisdom 18: 6-9

2nd Reading: Hebrews 11: 1-2, 8-19

Gospel: Luke 12: 32-48

“Thy word is a lamp unto my feet,
and a light unto my path.”



Mission Appeal August 9-10, 2025

Each year, the Mission Office of our diocese invites a missionary group to every parish to share about their mission work. On August 9-10 we welcome the Foundation for Children in Need (FCN), a lay Catholic organization based in Arlington Heights, IL. FCN serves the poor in the villages of India.

Dr. Geetha Yeruva, the founder and president of FCN, is happy to visit our parish. FCN sponsors 1500 children and college students for their education.

Over the past ten years, FCN has provided free corrective surgeries for 2200 children born with cleft lip and cleft palate. We welcome Geetha and encourage you to generously support their missionary endeavors. There will be a second collection taken up to support them. To learn more about FCN, please visit: www.fcn-usa.org.



For I was **hungry** and you gave me something to eat,

I was **thirsty** and you gave me something to drink,

I was a **stranger** and you invited me in.

(Matthew 25:35)

October 5, 2025

Date of month
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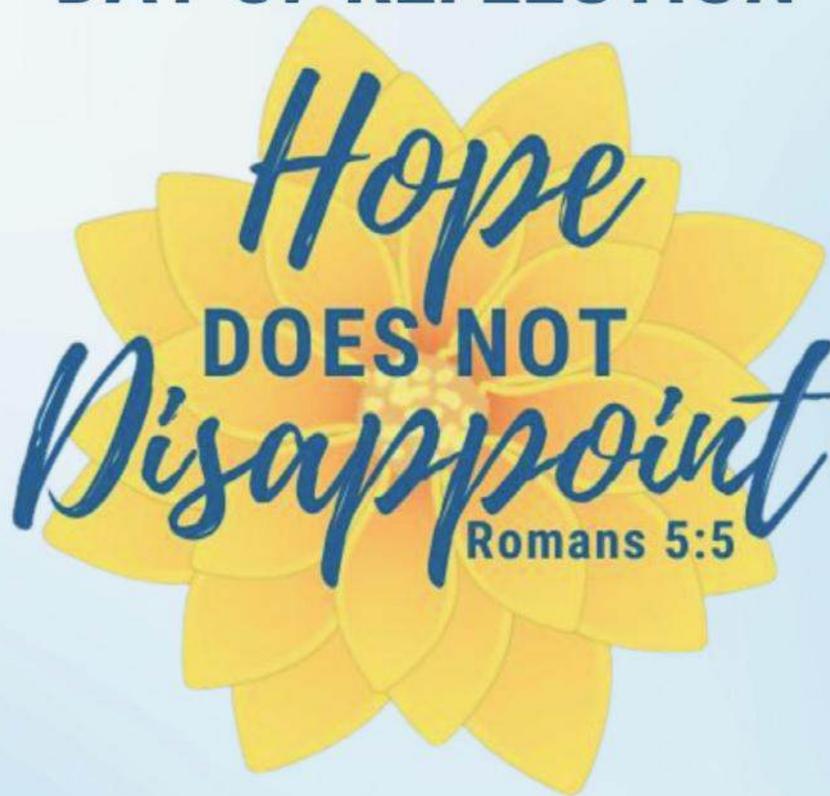
Contact: Amy Hudak at: (440) 590-2522 with any questions.

Remember that **nothing is small** in the eyes of God. Do all that you do with **love.**

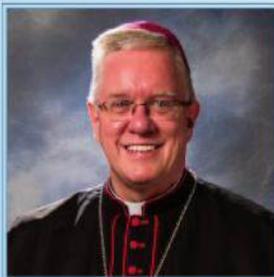
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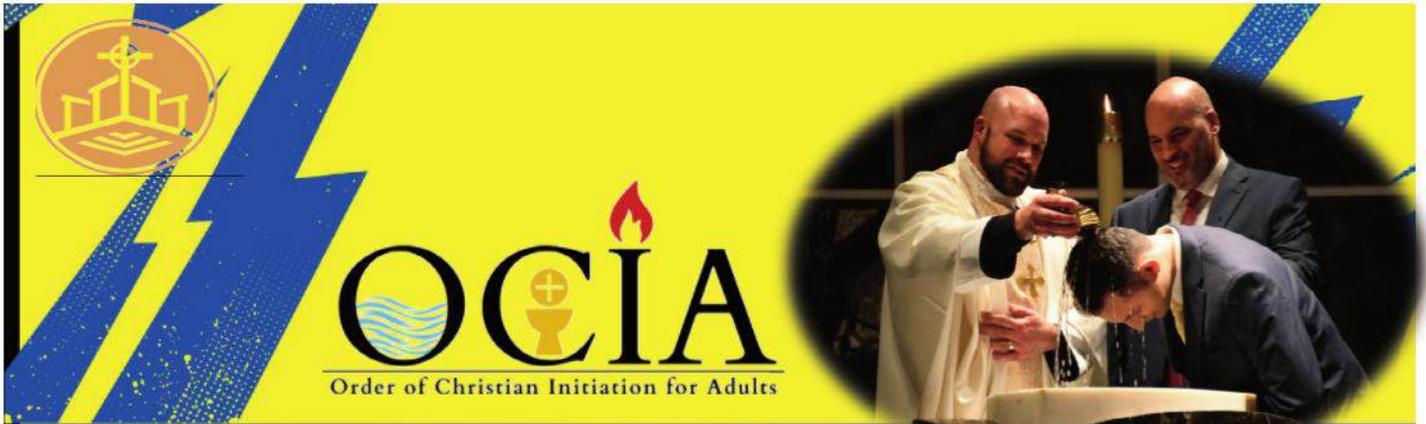
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The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA) begins on Monday, September 8, 2025.

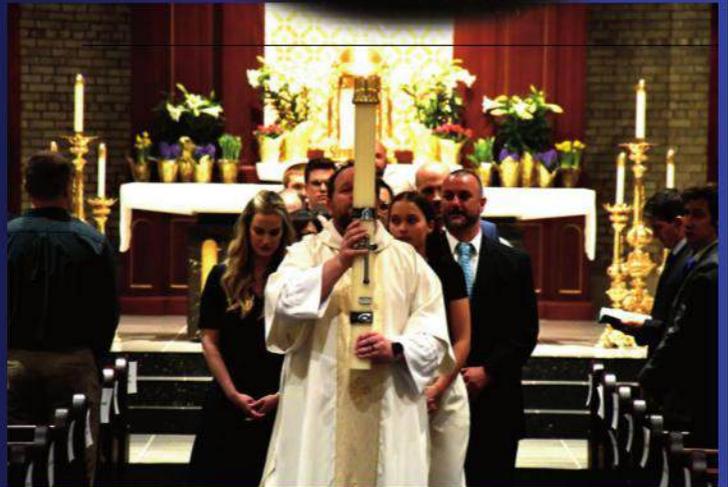
Do you know someone curious about the Catholic faith? Invite them to explore OCIA! Share the joy of our faith and welcome them to discover the beauty of the Catholic Church.

If you do not invite them, then they will not come. We need and want your help spreading the Good News of Jesus Christ.

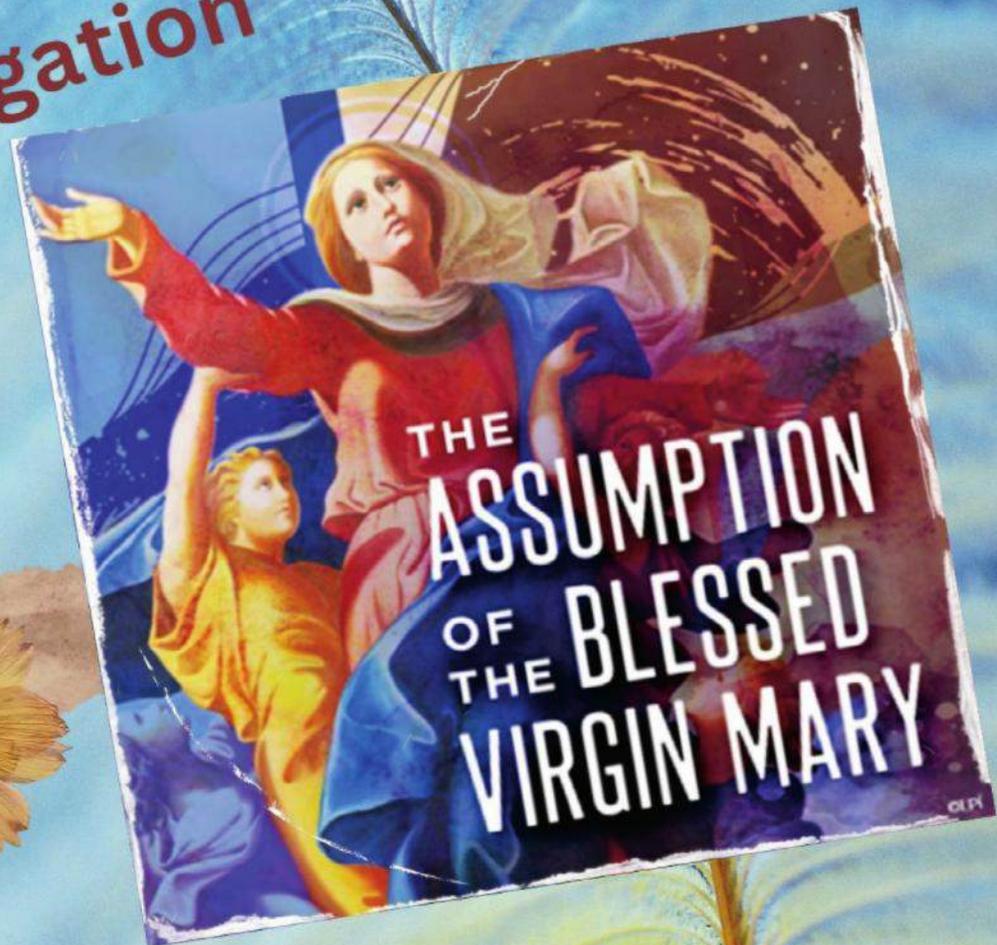
Contact Fr. Liptak for details on how to join or refer a friend.

Phone: 440-373-7560

Email: JLiptak@BasiltheGreat.org



**Holy Day of
Obligation**



Vigil Mass: Thursday, August 14th at 7pm

Holy Day: Friday, August 15th :

Masses at 8am & 7pm



ST. BASIL THE GREAT
LIFE TEEN

Upcoming Events

**OPENS
AUGUST 1ST**

CONFIRMATION REGISTRATION

All incoming 9th graders are encouraged to register for our 2-year Confirmation program. **Please register before August 30th.**

SAT, AUG 2ND

UPPERCLASSMAN RETREAT

Open to all incoming 11th and 12th graders, this retreat is designed to help you enter the school year with the heart of a servant leader.

SUN, SEP 7TH

LIFE TEEN FALL KICK OFF

All incoming 9th-12th graders are invited to attend our Life Teen Fall Kick Off. The night starts with 5pm Mass - please join us!

WEEKLY

OTHER FALL GATHERINGS

Every Tuesday - Night Prayer @ 7pm in the Annex
9/11; 10/9; 11/13 - Guy/Girl Night @ 7pm (see website for location)
9/18; 10/16; 11/20 - Faith & Film Movie Night @ 7pm in the Annex



More information for all events (including Confirmation info for 9th and 10th graders) is available at basilteen.com

The Jubilee Year is a special year of grace, in which the Church offers the faithful the possibility of obtaining a plenary indulgence. Bishop Malesic has designated ten locations as Sacred Sites and places of pilgrimage in the Diocese of Cleveland at which the plenary indulgence may be obtained:

- Cathedral of St. John The Evangelist, Cleveland
- Immaculate Conception Parish, Madison
- Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish, Lorain
- Our Lady of Lourdes Shrine, Euclid
- Queen of Heaven Parish, Uniontown
- Queen of the Holy Rosary Shrine, Parma Heights
- Shrine of Saint Ann, Highland Heights
- St. Colette Parish, Brunswick
- St. Edward Parish, Ashland
- St. Mary Parish, Chardon

An indulgence, according to the Catechism of the Catholic Church, is “a remission before God of the temporal punishment due to sins whose guilt has already been forgiven, which the faithful Christian who is duly disposed gains under certain prescribed conditions through the action of the Church which, as the minister of redemption, dispenses and applies with authority the treasury of the satisfactions of Christ and the saints.” “An indulgence is partial or plenary according as it removes either part or all of the temporal punishment due to sin.” Indulgences may be applied to the living or the dead. In short, although we receive forgiveness for sins through the sacrament of Reconciliation, further purification is needed.

Here are the basic elements to receive an indulgence: In addition to being truly repentant and desiring the indulgence, the faithful are to go to confession, attend Mass, pray for the Pope and his intentions, and also complete one of the following:

Undertake a pious pilgrimage to a Sacred Site: devoutly participate in Holy Mass, anointing of the sick, celebration of the Word of God, Liturgy of the Hours, the Way of the Cross, the Marian Rosary, or penitential celebration.

Visit a Sacred Site: engage in Eucharistic adoration and meditation, concluding with the Our Father, the Profession of Faith, and the invocations to Mary, Mother of God.

Participate in: a mission, spiritual exercises or formation activities on the documents of the Second Vatican Council and the Catechism of the Catholic Church, held in a church or other suitable place .

Participate in works of mercy and penance: the corporal or spiritual works of mercy, visiting the sick and imprisoned, feeding the hungry, welcoming the migrant, observing the penitential nature of Friday, etc...

St. Basil Social Concerns Commission is sponsoring its
3rd Annual Back to School New Shoes & Socks Collection on 2 weekends: August 23 & 24 and August 30 & 31

Your generosity will help children at four inner-city Catholic Grade Schools: Metro Catholic, St. Aloysius, St. Stanislaus and Holy Name. Struggling families need help with this large purchase and their children appreciate and are excited to receive a new pair of shoes to wear when they return to school in the Fall.

Place new socks and new shoes in the Gathering Area bins
Bring Gift Cards or Checks to the Parish Office

What Are We Collecting?

- New socks and non-canvas athletic shoes for Boys & Girls
- Suggested sizes are: Youth sizes 1-6 and Adult sizes 7-10
- Please, NO sandals or canvas shoes, only protective shoes for rain/snow.
- St. Stanislaus requests uniform black or brown NON- athletic shoes.
- Gift card suggestions are: Walmart, Target, Marshalls or Amazon
- Checks can be made payable to any of the benefitting schools: Metro Catholic, St. Aloysius, Holy Name, or St. Stanislaus.



How many shoes do we need?

Our goal is to collect 200 pairs of new shoes to help 200 children at 4 schools. Please contact Julie Jerdonek, SCC member, text /call 440-525-1606 with questions.

We sincerely thank you for your generosity!
The St. Basil Social Concerns Commission ~ Living the Gospel

Join our Music Ministry

Choirs resume in September!

Contemporary Choir -
Rehearses Tuesdays @ 6:30pm
Sings at 5:00pm Mass on Saturday

Resurrection Choir
Rehearses as needed
Sings at all Parish Funeral

Sunday (Traditional) Choir -
Rehearses Thursdays at 6:00pm
Sings at 9:00am Mass on Sunday

Children's "Christmas" Choir
(Ages 5-Grade 8)
Rehearses Tuesdays at 5:30pm
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August Sandwich Saturday will include collecting items for BBHHS's Colony Cupboard



Helping BBHHS students whose families are experiencing financial hardships

School supplies and personal hygiene items will be collected at all Sandwich Saturdays: Bring bread, PB, jelly and bag of fruit.



Saturday, August 16

For more information email Robin Youngs at ryoungs@basilthegreat.org.



9:00 TO 10:00 AM
Parish Center

Suggested items: Pencils, pens, notebooks, calculators and headphones.

Shampoo, body wash, toothbrush, toothpaste, deodorant, feminine hygiene products. Sandwiches are taken to local shelters.

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.

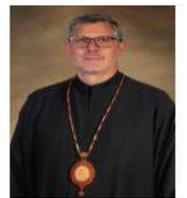
There are NO fees charged for annulments.

THEOLOGY ON THE ROCKS WEST

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Join us Monday, August 11

7 – 8:30pm



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8559 Jennings Rd. Olmsted Twp.

The Most Reverend Bishop Robert M. Pipta, of the Byzantine Catholic Eparchy of Parma, will provide an evening of Getting to Know Eastern Christianity in light of the 1700th Anniversary of the Council of Nicea.

Join us for a theologically enriching evening. Cost is \$15.00 per person. Light appetizers included. Cash Bar is available. **Advance tickets recommended. Register in advance: www.theologyontherockswest.com.**

Doors open at 6:30pm.

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THEFEST

The FEST 2025

Join us for the 25th Anniversary of The FEST on **Sunday, August 3, 2025** in Wickliffe, Ohio. The FEST is the perfect family day and features some of the best Contemporary Christian Artists – Maverick City Music, Danny Gokey, Ben Fuller, and Seph Schleuter).

There is something for everyone at The FEST from the Marc's Moms' Area... to crafts, games, inflatables, a BMX show and faith-based activities for the kids. The FEST day concludes with an inspiring outdoor Mass on the grounds of our diocesan seminary at 8 pm. As you celebrate Mother's Day, invite your family to join you at The FEST....a day of faith, family and fun....all for **FREE**. For all the details go to: www.theFEST.us



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As we celebrate our 25th anniversary, the theme for FEST 2025 is UNITED. For the past 24 years, after each and every FEST the overwhelming comment is how much people appreciate coming together... standing together...being united together as the *Family of God.*

Join us on Sunday, August 3 as we are united together in faith, hope and in the love of God at The FEST.



Held at:
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See you at THE FEST!
Today, Sunday, August 3rd



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.

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In Memory of:

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Cub Scout recruitment events

Learn about our programming,
talk to pack leaders and meet
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Wednesday, August 13, 5:30 - 7:00 pm

Brushwood Lake, Furnace Run, Summit Metroparks

Meet up for fishing and a family barbeque.
For those who join the pack, earn your
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Wednesday, August 27, 6:00 - 8:00 pm

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JESUS LOVES THE LITTLE CHILDREN



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



JOSEPH M. KAVALECZ
Husband of Ann Marie
July 21, 2025



DANIEL A. DOYLE
Son of Mary
July 6, 2025



SAM CARONITI
Brother of
Theresa LiPuma
July 26, 2025



SHAUNNA ZARLINGA
Mother of Alli
July 23, 2025

*We remember all of our
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This weekend's Gospel reminds me of what some refer to as "Lifestyle Creep." If you have not heard the term before, it essentially means that over time we can get accustomed to spending more money on possessions, food, services, and hobbies. Although these expenditures are luxuries initially, we can eventually perceive them as necessities as we become accustomed to them. An example I often think of is my experiences with my first vehicle. It was an '85 Chevy pickup truck that only had an AM radio and no AC. Although it was pretty boring to only have cattle markets and best farming practices to listen to, which was the only thing on AM radio at the time in South Dakota, I never thought much of it because that Chevy always got me from point A to point B. I was content with my vehicle. Now, it is hard to imagine driving without AC and a simple cord that connects my car to all of my Spotify playlists and podcasts on my phone. These things now seem like a "necessity." We sometimes divulge too much in the name of self-care, reliable possessions, or perceived necessities. This Gospel reminds us to keep focused on becoming rich in what matters to God. From a mental health perspective, relying on consumerism for happiness often leaves us feeling hollow and unhappy. It is a difficult task finding the balance between necessities and luxuries, and as Americans in modern times, we are encouraged constantly to consume. However, if we take time consistently to focus on the most important aspects of life such as God, family, and virtue, we may find ourselves more peaceful, loving, and holy. --Luke Brown, LPCC



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