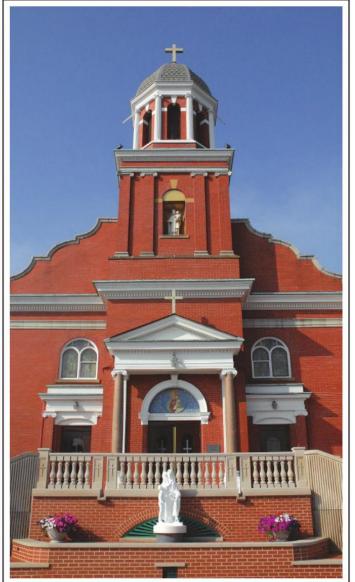






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Sat., Dec. 5:	
12:00 noon	Adriana Panozzo (B-Living) by
	Grandmother
5:00 p.m.	William J. Lucarell by Cafaro Family
Sun., Dec. 6:	Second Sunday of Advent
9:00 a.m.	Ann Mastropietro (A) by Daughter, Cathy
11:00 a.m.	Mary Ellen Wagner by Deacon Mark &
	Susan Izzo
Mon., Dec. 7:	St. Ambrose
12:00 noon	Tony York by Mom and Dad
Tues., Dec. 8:	the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed
	Virgin Mary
12:00 noon	Amanda Marie Ferraro by Family
7:00 p.m.	For Our Parish Family
Weds., Dec. 9:	St. Juan Diego Cuauhtlatoatzin
12:00 noon	Betty Webb by Family
Thurs., Dec. 10:	
12:00 noon	Edward J. Brozman (A) by Diane Struble
	& Family
Fri., Dec. 11:	St. Damasus
12:00 noon	Ashley Viray (B) by Family
Sat., Dec. 12:	Our Lady of Guadalope
12:00 noon	Father Stewart Platt by Maria Panozzo
5:00 p.m.	Carella Family by Carella & Caravella
-	Families

Parish Support Sunday, November 30 (144 envelopes) \$6,577.00

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# An A CHRISTMAS

**OSTIA:** is again available this Christmas season in the Rectory. There is no need to call ahead, just stop at the rectory between 9:00 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. to purchase at \$6.00 per box of fifty (50).

### HOST:

- 1 cup lukewarm water
- 1 cup flour
- 1 tsp. + few drops of oil

Dash of salt

Beat mixture for 5 minutes. Let stand 5 hours, stirring every half hour. (This recipe is for use with an Ostia maker and if none is available, you may purchase the Ostia at the rectory.)

FILLING:

1 Bag of Hershey kisses or 1 large Hershey bar 1/2 2/4 lb shines dollarge define a definition of the set of

1/2-3/4 lb. skinned almonds

### 1 pint of honey

**OPTIONAL:** 

Orange extract, grated orange rind or vanilla. Melt chocolate in double boiler or microwave. Add honey at the same time. When all is melted, add chopped almonds and flavoring. Remove from heat and fill host.





### Apostolate of Perpetual Adoration

Being in the SONLIGHT at Eucharistic Adoration helps reveal to us our sins!

Eucharistic Adoration helps you to examine your conscience. The longer you remain in the presence of God, the more you will reflect upon your failings--your sins. Sin is a "virus" that corrodes and damages your soul. Without the proper medicine, the "virus of sin" attacks you and cripples you spiritually.

Remember, being in the SONLIGHT, it is Jesus himself who will make your sins more recognizable. Eucharistic Adoration is a beautiful precursor to confession. St. Clare of Assisi said, "Gaze upon Him, consider Him, contemplate Him, as you desire to imitate Him." It will always prepare you for the worthy reception of the healing Sacrament of Confession. Call to schedule an hour of absorbing true SONLIGHT Maria Panozzo @ 330-372-5141.



2nd Banns

James Simon and Alyssa Italiano

### SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT



Earl Ducay, Martha Aliberti, Regina Altiero, Melinda Amon, Peter Angelides, Karen Banic, Sandy Battaglia, John Beene, Madelyn Brudis, Tina Bury, Zayne Bryce, Eugene Calcagni, Isabelle Corradi, Kim Bowser, Marko Calko, Dominic Calko, Lori Capone, Michael (Cal) Calipare, Carl J. Carbon, Roseann Cencia, Joseph Cencia, Anthony, Cathy Chimento, Joseph Chimento, Stephanie Chimento, Christopher Centofanti, Damian Chordas, Joseph R. Cioffi, Mary Rose Colucci, Johnny D., Ed Derek, Anna DeLuco, Michelina DiVito, Greg Diorio, Grace Ducay, Angela Elmo, JoAnn Elmo, Roberta Elmo, Dolores Elston, Deacon Anthony Falasca, Gina Fecko, Jason, Monroe, Mara Frease, Ilona Gerson, Sebastian Green, Margie, Joseph Haus, John, Reese, Lisa, Joshua, David, Carl Jr., Kaylee, JoAnn George, Emily Gerome, Rose Giampetro, Donald "Duke" Girardi, Dante Greco, Dominic Greco, Josie Greco, Jennifer Greco, Michael & Carol Gromada, Claudia Hernandez, Sean Holden, Gail Hubbert, George Iati, Loretta Julian, Mark Julian. Peter Julian. Kerri, Glory & Family, Jeff Knorr, Dennis Kopnisky, Jackie Golden, Gerard Kopnisky, Hillary, William & Melinda Kopnisky, Agnes Kowis, Rocco Kovacs, Leann P., Lenny & Cheryl, Lavonne, Lucille, Linda Maiorana, Baby Dominic Malachi, Cheryl Maniccia, Allan Maniccia, Mary Louise Mancini, Bill Marcavish, Missy Marrie, John Mascardine, Jennifer McCon, Paul and Greg Medina, Jean Medina, Livia Marinelli, Ellen Monroe, George Panno, Beverly Poidmore Pariza, Kristen Pepperney, Mary Pesa, Ronald Pesa, Phil Pillin, Sr. Brielle, Vincent, Paul III, Giovanna Pace, Isabel Pupino, Joseph Pizzola, Nicholas Poccia, Barbara Poghen, James Poghen, Charles Richards, Joseph Richards, Joseph Ridel, Chris Ritter, Marti Runyan, Mark Roberts, Bob Rushwin, Ben Russo, Chuck Saulino, Mark Stilson, Carmel Scocca, Ellie Sullenberger, Chris Sultan, Betty & Dennis VanSuch, Greg VanSuch, Paula VanNest, Rita Varacali, Jodi Walters, Kathleen Wienand, Anna Mae Williams, Lilah Dovie, Todd Zamary, Skevos Zimbillas, Mary, Help of the sick, pray for us! Please let us know when the person is well. Thanks be to God.

### DAILY MORNING OFFERING PRAYER

Jesus, though the Immaculate Heart of Mary, I offer you my prayers, works, joys, and sufferings of this day in union with the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass throughout the world. I offer them for all the intentions of your Sacred Heart: the salvation of souls, reparation for sin, and the reunion of all Christians. I offer them for the intentions of our bishops and of all Apostles of Prayer, and in particular for those recommended by our Holy Father this month.

**FOR A LIFE OF PRAYER.** We pray that our personal relationship with Jesus Christ be nourished by the Word of God and a life of prayer.

### The Extraordinary Sacrificial Offering

To date we have received 285 extraordinary envelope offerings from members of Our Lady of Mount Carmel to help with the anticipated \$98,150 deficit of income due to lack of fundraisers on account of Covid 19, The offerings to date are in the amount of \$74,070 dollars. The offering is a tremendous help for our stewardship in this time of need. If you are able to participate, please do so at your earliest convenience. It will be very helpful. God's choicest Blessings —Msgr. Cariglio - RECTOR

### St. Anthony Shrine and Novena

\$100 GIFT ANONYMOUS \$20.00 GIFT In Loving Memory of MARY ANN PELLEGRINI by Cleto \$10.00 GIFT Mrs. Grace Ducay Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Struble

### **URGENT NEED!**

Make a Holy Hour before the Most Blessed Sacrament at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel in asking our Lord to deliver us from COVID-19. Rosary and Missalettes are in the vestibule for you to keep; or bring your own Bible or Prayer Book. Call the rectory –**330-743-4144, Monday-Friday** during office hours, 8:30-3:00 p.m. to receive the Code Number to enter the Basilica. Keep code CONFIDENTIAL. Sign in and sign out. Sanitize before & after your pew space with the materials near the Holy Water Fount. Every Holy Hour will help this sick world. Thank you and with love and prayers.

### "A Christmas Gift?"

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Traditions Cookbooks are in the rectory for \$18.00 These make nice Christmas gifts!! Call the rectory at 330-743-4144.

# CHRISTMAS SCHEDULEChristmas Eve:5:00 p.m.<br/>10:30 p.m.Christmas Day:10:00 a.m.<br/>12:00 noon

New Year's Eve:



### Tuesday, December 8; Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception Masses at Noon and 7:00 p.m.

Special Holy Hours of Eucharistic Adoration following the 7 p.m. Mass until 1:00 a.m. Consider joining us in prayer to Our Blessed Mother - the Immaculate Conception - for our country and for the world; that may we never be indifferent to the cry of the poor, or untouched by the sufferings of the sick and those in need. May we be sensitive to the loneliness of the elderly and the vulnerability of children, and always love and cherish the life of every person.

### OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL BASILICA YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO

### December 6, 2020



### Birthdays for the week of December 6-12

Riley Good, Brianna George, Natalie Triveri, Roman Rassega, George Giampetro, Tania Julian, Sydney Brush, Matthew Miller, Gayle Kelly, Ryan Tharp, Milania Sereday, Donald Marsco, Vincent Julian, Joseph Caruso, Anthony DeLucia, Rocco DeLucia, Fortunato Rivera-Ocasio, Lenora Mordocco, Joseph Orr, Debbie Calcagni, Jonathon George, Mya Snyder, Elizabeth Casacchia, Carmella Rassega, Donald Ambrose, Amanda Scrocco.

ST. ANTHONY LIGHT: December 6-12 In memory of GIOVANNI ABBATTISTA by Family SACRED HEART LIGHT: December 6-12 SPECIAL INTENTION BLESSED SACRAMENT LIGNT: December 6-12 In memory of BETTY WEBB by Family SANCTUARY LIGHT: December 6-12

In memory of ROSALIA ZACATE (LIVING) by Son, Alen GUARDIAN ANGEL LIGHT: December 6-12 In memory of CAROLINE & SAM PORFILIO by Daughter,

Shirley Matey & Family

OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL LIGHT: December 6-12 In memory of ALBERT & LUCIA NERONE by Family INFANT JESUS LIGHT: December 6-12 In memory of LOUIS PIZZUTO by doughter langt & Frank

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### <u>NEW BISHOP OF DIOCESE OF YOUNGSTOWN</u>

His Holiness, Pope Francis, has announced the appointment of the new Bishop of the Diocese of Youngstown, **Father David Bonnar** of the Diocese of Pittsburgh. His Episcopal ordination and installation as new Bishop will take place on **January 12, 2021 at St. Columba Cathedral.** 

Let us pray in grateful appreciation and for his success as successor of Apostles.

### Craig's Corner A note from our Music Director

Merriam Webster defines the word *silence* as "forbearance of speech and noise; absence of sound or noise." Even Church leaders wrote about silence in their documents about music in the Mass. They write,

> Music arises out of silence and returns to silence. God is revealed both in the beauty of song and in the power of silence. The Sacred Liturgy has its rhythm of texts, actions, songs, and silence. Silence in the Liturgy allows the community to reflect on what it has heard and experienced, and to open its heart to the mystery celebrated. Ministers and pastoral musicians should take care that the rites unfold with the proper ebb and flow of sound and silence. The importance of silence in the Liturgy cannot be overemphasized.

Monsignor last weekend in his homily spoke of quiet and silent prayer as a way to foster the Advent season. Silence is a major component to the Advent season. Understand, though, that silence doesn't mean sadness; we are to treat this season with joy! This weekend we hear Isaiah prophesy "A voice cries out: In the desert prepare the way of the LORD! Make straight in the wasteland a highway for our God! Every valley shall be filled in, every mountain and hill shall be made low." This is a joyful text, a joyful message; and the inspiration behind the opening hymn of today's Mass. In the secular world, the weeks leading up to Christmas are always busy and hectic – anything but silent and still. The Church in its rich history and Tradition gives us these four Sundays to separate ourselves from this hustle and bustle but rather, silently contemplate the coming of Christ.

John the Baptist, from whom we hear in the Gospel this weekend is an important figure to keep in our minds this season. Mark quotes Isaiah before he introduces us to John's character. Then John himself reminds the people that he is the forbearer of Christ, only preparing the people for the coming of the Messiah. Connecting this theme, this weekend's postlude is a setting of a German Advent chorale proclaiming of the coming of Christ, "Savior of the Nations, Come."

During this Advent season, let us take advantage of periods of silence so that we can prepare for the coming of Christ with the absence of the sounds and noise of the secular season we are bombarded with in the outside world.

#### Second Sunday of Advent

Postlude: Nun komm der Heiden Heiland, BWV 659 ("Savior of the Nations, Come") – J.S. Bach

### **Dispensation From The Obligation To Attend Sunday Mass**

The Catholic faithful who reside in the Diocese of Youngstown and all other Catholics in the diocese and especially those who are sick, or at high risk of becoming sick continue to be dispensed from their Sunday obligation until further notice. The Easter Duty obligation is extended for a period of one year from the end of the Easter Season 2020.

### SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

### Friday The Day Christ died for us

Every Friday the Basilica will broadcast for the homebound the following spiritual exercises on Face Book: 12 noon Daily Mass 3:00 p.m.. The Hour of Divine Mercy with The Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament. Basilica is open for in person worship during the above times. Welcome!

# The Hour

## for the whole World !

"At three o'clock, implore My mercy, especially for poor sinners; and, if only for a brief moment, immerse yourself in My Passion, particularly in My abandonment at the moment of agony. This is the hour of great mercy for the whole world. I will allow you to enter into My mortal sorrow. In this hour, I will refuse nothing to the soul that makes a request of Me in virtue of My Passion... " (Diary, 1320)

**EVERY SUNDAY Mass at 11am on Facebook for the home**bound and persons in nursing home and assistant living.

> To access to Face Book: Our Lady of Mount Carmel Basilica -Youngstown

### **STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT:**

Today's readings speak to us about the peace the Lord will bring when he comes to us. We know that Christian stewardship involves sharing of our material resources, but Christian stewards are also called to share peace, truth, and kindness, as mentioned in today's Responsorial Psalm. As the psalmist states, "The LORD himself will give his benefits." We know the Lord will make good on his promise; what can we do to follow his example?



### PRAYER TO ST. ROCCO

O Great St. Rocco, deliver us, We beseech thee, from the Scourges of God; through thy Intercession, preserve our Bodies from contagious Diseases, and our souls from The contagion of sin. Obtain for us salubrious air: But, above all, purity of heart. Assist us to make good use of health, to bear sufferings with patience; and, after thy example, to live in the practice of penance and charity, charity, that we may one day enjoy the happiness which thou has merited by thy virtues. St. Rocco, pray for us-3 times

### **INTERCESSION:**

For all those specially chosen by Christ to "prepare the way of the Lord" in their hearts and the hearts of His people as priests, deacons, brothers and sisters, **We pray to the Lord. Lord hear our prayer.** 

### Second Sunday of Advent—December 6, 2020

Second Sunday of Advent God calls us to proclaim the Good News. How do you share that Good News? Pray for the grace to be a faith filled witness of God's love. (Isaiah 40: 1-5, 9-11). If you think God is calling you to be a priest, deacon, brother or sister, call Fr. Scott Kopp at 330-744-8451 or email: skopp@youngstowndiocese.org.

> The Knights of Columbus Present "INTO THE BREACH"

A Faith in Action Video Series Three videos consist of 12 short informative subjects designed to create an introspective approach to our lives as Catholic men. These videos are free to view on the website, along with a studyguide.

Here is how to get to the webside: kofc.org; upon arriving at the website, go to **who we are** and under that **Faith in Action**; then scroll down to **Into the Breach.** I hope you find this helpful and informative.

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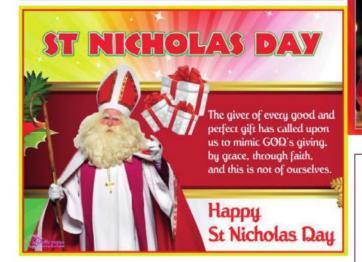


### **Vocations Cross**

Something for you and/or your family to do during Advent. Say, "YES, we will take the Vocation Cross home for a week. " Each evening or morning we will pray that someone will hear, feel and respond to the calling of God to the

Priesthood as a vocation to serve Him."

Call the office and schedule a date.



### MASKS and SOCIAL DISTANCING ARE MANDATORY for EVERYONE!

By wearing a mask it shows, "We love, care and respect one another."

It allows us the freedom of Worshiping together while being safe.

Give 6 Feet of Love to those around you.

> Distance and masks are temporary... But Love is forever.

Thank you for your cooperation.

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# Second Sunday in Advent 6000

### **Lighting the Second** Advent Candle

The prophet Isaiah declares, "A young woman is with child and shall bear a son, and shall name Him Immanuel [which means: God-With-Us]" The risen Christ declares, "I am with you always, to the end of the ages." (Isaiah 7:14 and Matthew 28:20)

### Support Mahoning County Right to Life Committee CONTINUING through the month of December

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel ~ St. Anthony of Padua Parish

is selling 'olmcsta.com' face masks.

Price is (1) for \$7.00 or (2) for \$12.00

### HELP US REACH OUR GOAL OF SELLING 100 MASKS BEFORE CHRISTMAS!

### Stocking stuffers!

If you would like to place an order, contact

330-743-3508 ex 121 or olmcTherese@gmail.com Thank you for your support





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Thank you for your continuous support. God Bless you.

### SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

# Good News

# 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Advent, Cycle B

Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11 Ps 85:9-14 2 Peter 3:8-14 Mark 1:1-8

Monday December 7 St. Ambrose Isaiah 35:1-10 Ps 85:9-14 Luke 5:17-26

Tuesday December 8 Immaculate Conception Genesis 3:9-15,20 Ps 98:1-4 Ephesians 1:3-6,11-12 Luke 1:26-38

Wednesday December 9 Isaiah 40:25-31 Ps 103:1-4,8,10 Matthew 11:28-30

Thursday December 10 Isaiah 41:13-20 Ps 145:1,9-13ab Matthew 11:11-15

> Friday December 11 Isaiah 48:17-19 Ps 1:1-4,6 Matthew 11:16-19

Saturday December 12 Our Lady of Guadalupe Zechariah 2:14-17 or Rev. 11:19a;12:1-6a,10ab Judith (15:9d)13:18-19 Luke 1:26-38 or 1:39-47 Prepare for the Lord! – for whatever he wants to give us, do for us, and ask of us. He has a plan for our lives, a divine purpose that will bring us to our full potential.

We can only do this by uniting ourselves to Christ, joining him on the straight path, the holy path. How do we know when we are on the right path? By the fruits of the journey.

Isaiah says: A voice cries out in the desert! What is barren in your life, and dry, hot, or empty? Sins dry up our potential for fruitfulness.

Advent is a good preparation for Christmas – and meeting the Lord anew – if we use it to face our sins, reconcile with God, and follow Jesus back onto the holy path. If we neglect this opportunity, our lives will be barren of the strong faith we need during difficulties..

Prepare the way of the Lord! He has more love to give you, more healing, more joy! Make straight in the wasteland of your sins a highway for our

God. Go to the Sacrament of Reconciliation and create a wider road into your heart that's easy for Jesus to travel, a through-way upon which he can arrive in great speed and glory.

All humankind is as frail as grass, and all our glory is like the flower of the field that withers and wilts. Only the glory of God stands forever.



What are your troubles and struggles? Here is where Jesus wants to minister to you, and here is where you are most vulnerable to sin.

What in your life is going well? What activities are you doing that seem productive? Are any of them grassy glories that can wither away? A hundred years from now, will what you're doing today still have an impact – a beneficial impact?

God has given you talents and a calling, a special purpose that requires those talents. Yes, you! We are all called to have fruitful lives that make an eternal difference. Jesus wants to come straight to us to produce the fruits of his kingdom in our lives and in others.

Prepare for the Lord to make an eternal difference through you!

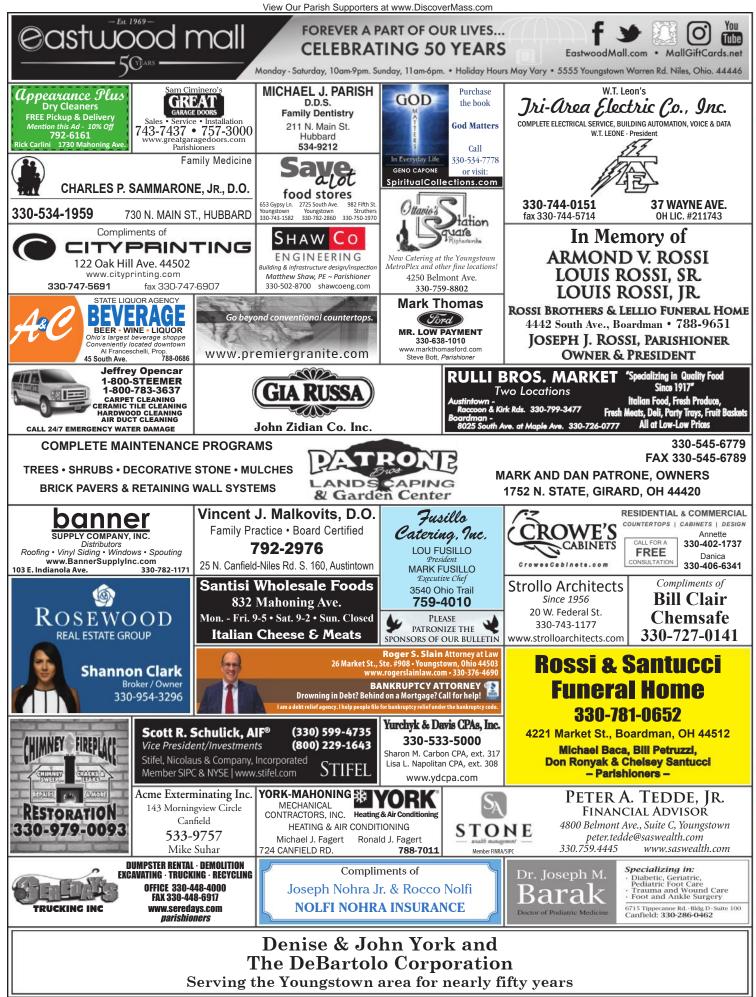
### Reflect & Discuss:

- 1. What are you going to do to straighten a crooked path?
- 2. What are you spending time on that will wither up and wilt away?
- 3. How does thinking about eternity straighten the path that you're walking on today? What changes because of this perspective?

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