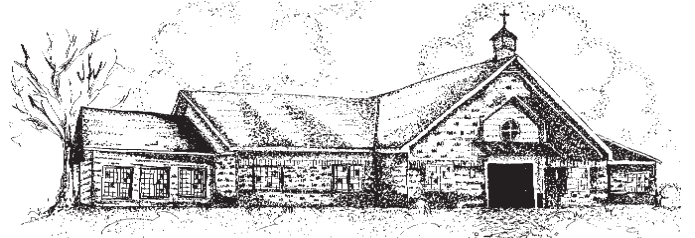


# Church of the Ascension

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**RECONCILIATION:**

Saturday from 4:00-5:00 p.m.  
or by appointment

**SUNDAY MASSES:**

Saturday evening: 5:30 p.m.  
Sunday morning: 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

**HOLY DAYS**

8:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

**DAILY MASSES:**

First Monday at 8:00 a.m.  
Tuesday and Thursday at 8:00 a.m.  
Wednesday at 6:30 p.m.  
First Friday at 8:00 a.m.

**PARISH COUNCIL:**

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Saturday, 1/19  
Sunday, 1/20

Monday  
Tuesday  
Wednesday  
Thursday  
Friday

Saturday, 1/26  
Sunday, 1/27

5:30 p.m.  
8:30 a.m.  
11:00 a.m.  
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8:30 a.m.  
11:00 a.m.

Fr. J. L. Reichert by Pat Heughebart  
Sandra Kelly by Bill Kelly  
Parish Family  
Lucy Dodel Walsh by Mary & Mo Bloom  
Lynda Marie Perry by Paul Dorsey  
Fr. J. L. Reichert by Ray & Rosemarie Bott  
Lucy Walsh by Julie & Dick Burke  
No Mass  
Jim & Mary Sweet by Joyce Curran  
Barbara Hay by the Benton Family  
Parish Family

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Sunday, January 20th – Is 62:1-5/1 Cor 12:4-11/Jn 2:1-11  
Monday, January 21st – Heb 5:1-10/Mk 2:18-22  
Tuesday, January 22nd – Heb 6:10-20/Mk 2:23-28  
Wednesday, January 23rd – Heb 7:1-3, 15-17/Mk 3:1-6  
Thursday, January 24th – Heb 7:25-8:6/Mk 3:7-12  
Friday, January 25th – Acts 22:3-16 or 9:1-22/Mk 16:15-18  
Saturday, January 26th – 2 Tim 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5/Mk 3:20-21  
Sunday, January 27th – Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/1 Cor 12:12-30/Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21

**JANUARY 20, 2019 – SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

	<b>Saturday, 5:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Sunday, 8:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Sunday, 11:00 a.m.</b>
<b>Eucharistic Ministers:</b>	*Eileen Baesmann, Chris Smith, Jarod Lahmon, NEED VOLUNTEER	*Bubby & Roberta Eichner, Donna Kashuk, Daryl Wernette	* Laura Sammons, Danielle Wetzell, Janet McKenzie, NEED VOLUNTEER
<b>Lectors:</b>	Dennis Murnane, Amy Lahmon	Mark Holland, Amelianna Conigy	Mike Dunfee, Alyssa Beverick
<b>Servers:</b>	Bryce Writesel	B. & R. Sheehan, I. Burnham	M. & M. King, C. & T. Beverick
<b>Greeters:</b>	Merle Smith, Jan Orkis	Mike & Crystal Kapavik	Emily Sammons, Kathy Stafford
<b>Cantors:</b>	Melissa Jungers	Andrea Holland	Greg Chester

**JANUARY 27, 2019 – THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

	<b>Saturday, 5:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Sunday, 8:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Sunday, 11:00 a.m.</b>
<b>Eucharistic Ministers:</b>	*Dawn Bass, Mike Haefs, Kathleen Locker, NEED VOLUNTEER	*Daniel Townsend, Susan Welch, Brenda Murdock, Mark Holland	*Joe & Diane Green, Mike & Corinna Rush
<b>Lectors:</b>	Dave Bogner, Aaron Locker	Warren Butt, Kelley Krstich	Barb VanHoose, Isaac Rush
<b>Servers:</b>	Jolene Bogner	M. & M. Krstich, A. Holland	I. & A. Rush, A. Urban, M. Cherry
<b>Greeters:</b>	Jan Orkis, Rick Bass	Tim & Jennifer Williams	R. Cherry, B. Turner
<b>Cantors:</b>	Betsy Jesenko	Stephanie Gunter	Guitar Group

**The Respect Life Mass is Tuesday, January 22, 2019**, at 10:30 a.m., at St. Joseph Cathedral. Bishop Campbell will be the celebrant. On this day of the anniversary of the U.S. Supreme Court decision *Roe v. Wade*, we observe a nationwide Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children. All are invited. For more information, contact Social Concerns at [socmailbox@columbuscatholic.org](mailto:socmailbox@columbuscatholic.org) or 614-241-2540.

**Roe Remembrance at the Ohio Statehouse:** Greater Columbus Right to Life will sponsor this event Tuesday, January 22, 2019, noon to 1:00 p.m., at the Ohio Statehouse following the 10:30 a.m. Respect Life Mass at St. Joseph Cathedral. The program will be held in the Statehouse Atrium. Please allow extra time for Statehouse security measures. Stickers, signs, and weapons are not permitted inside. For additional information, visit [www.gcrtl.org/roe.html](http://www.gcrtl.org/roe.html).

### YOUR PRAYERS ARE REQUESTED

Our prayers this week are asked for Jerry Cope & Family, Janet Flood, Sutton Parish, Jean Giannini, Kenneth Speert, Bridgette Wells, Helen Tomich, Daniel Chapman, Pam Boesch & Family, Donna Dellapina, Sylvia Freed, Neva Stover, Jack & Lucy Walsh, and for those who have no one to pray for them.

The Newark Catholic Drama Department will present ***Shrek the Musical!*** at 7:30 p.m. on January 25-26, at the Midland Theater in Newark, Ohio. Please join us for a wonderful evening of entertainment by some of our very talented students! Tickets are \$15.00, and will be available at the School Office or at the door the evenings of the show. Children 5 and under are FREE.

**Bethesda Healing Ministry** offers a radiant witness to Christ's merciful, healing love. The women and men gather the 2nd and 4th Mondays of each month. Perhaps months or years ago they decided that it was time to find comfort and inner peace from an earlier abortion. Healing time is offered through open enrollment to those who want to bid farewell to the grievous sorrow in his or her life and embrace growth, healing, and hope. We await your call at 614-309-2651 or 614-309-0157, or visit our website at [www.bethesdahealing.org](http://www.bethesdahealing.org). Save the Date, April 4, 2019, for "Joy in Forgiveness." Benefit Featuring Keynote Speaker: Dr. Ray Guarendi.



St. Francis de Sales Preschool in Newark will hold its **Early Winter Preschool Registration** on SUNDAY, JANUARY 27th, from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Our Preschool offers a joyful and loving early childhood environment. We offer outstanding academic foundational beginnings, as well as a beautiful spiritual formation in our Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Program. Come and see what makes us stand out above the rest! For more information, please email the Director Michelle Burd at [mburd@cducation.org](mailto:mburd@cducation.org), OR call the Preschool Office at 740-345-4040, ext. 361.

**HEARTBEATS** would like to thank Ascension Parish for your generous contributions of \$858.28 towards the incredible total of \$47,622.86 that was raised as a result of the Bottles for Life campaign. It's amazing to see the impact we can make together.

**If you would like a poinsettia**, please feel free to help yourself to the ones in the hallway across from the restrooms.

### ATTENTION, THOSE WHO ATTEND DAILY MASS -

With the weather turning colder and the snow flying, please be sure to listen to the school closings on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and First Friday mornings before heading to Mass. If Johnstown Monroe schools are closed, there will be NO morning Mass that day. Generally speaking, this will not affect the 6:30 p.m. Mass on Wednesdays.

**If the weather is bad on a Wednesday**, we will post any cancellations on Facebook, or send a Yahoo groups email out to announce that the 6:30 p.m. Mass is cancelled.



If you would like a **STATEMENT OF CONTRIBUTIONS FOR 2018**, please email the Church Office at [ascensionjohnstown@gmail.com](mailto:ascensionjohnstown@gmail.com), drop a note in the collection basket, or call the Parish Office at 740-967-7871. Please let us know if you would like to receive it via email or snail mail.

### OUR GIFTS TO GOD - WEEKLY NEED \$5,233.00

**January 12/13, 2019**

468 Registered Families - Total Offering - \$4,998.01

Offering from 92 Sunday envelopes - \$4,769.00

Loose Cash - \$229.01

Initial Offering - \$210.00

**Do you return a portion of your time/skills/possessions to God in a spirit of gratitude?**

Thank you so much for your generous donations of \$2,889.59 to the recent **St. Vincent de Paul Collection**.

This weekend is a renewal weekend for membership in the **Society for the Propagation of the Faith**. To join, please use your collection envelope for "Propagation of the Faith," dated January 20. Members of the Society receive the graces of 15,000 Masses celebrated each day by missionaries for its members, both living and deceased. Mass is also celebrated daily for Society members at Saint Peter's Basilica in Rome.

**MASS INTENTIONS NEEDED** - With the addition of several morning Masses, we have many open dates for Mass Intentions on our calendar. If you wish to have a Mass said, please contact Kathy in the office at 740-967-7871 or [ascensionjohnstown@gmail.com](mailto:ascensionjohnstown@gmail.com), or drop a note in the collection with the Intention and your name. If you would like to have the Mass said on a specific date, we will do our best to accommodate your request.

**YOUTH GROUP** will meet on Sunday, January 27th, from 6:00-7:30 p.m. Bring a snack to share!

If you borrowed a copy of **"I Wasn't Ready to Say Goodbye,"** from the BEREAVEMENT bookshelves in the last several months and have finished reading it, could you please return it at your earliest convenience?

**Knights of Columbus FREE THROW CHAMPIONSHIP** will be held Saturday, January 26, at Johnstown Elementary School. **10:00 a.m.** - ages 9, 10 and 11 - Boys and Girls - **11:00 a.m.** - ages 12, 13 and 14 - Boys and Girls. Each participant will shoot 15 free throws and there will be a boy and girl winner for each age.