ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA PARISH

ST. CHARLES BORROMEO AND ST. LUKE CHURCHES

July 26 & 27, 2025 • 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time





St. Charles Borromeo Church

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02 | PARISH INFORMATION

St. Catherine of Siena Parish

Mass Times

(C) = St. Charles Borromeo Church (L) = St. Luke Church

Weekday

Monday | 8:30 a.m. (C) Tuesday | 8:30 a.m. (L) Wednesday| 8:30 a.m. (C) Friday| 12:00 p.m. (L)

Saturday

4:00 p.m. (C)

Sunday

9:00 a.m. (C) (Mass is live-streamed) 10:00 a.m. (L) 11:30 a.m. (C)

Holy Day Schedule: Consult bulleting



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Phone: 330-758-6689

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Mission Statement

St. Charles and St. Luke Churches united together in worship and in service form St. Catherine of Siena Parish.

We are committed to act justly, love mercy, and walk humbly with God.



A MESSAGE FROM... | 03

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A Message from LISA DRAY

Hello my name is Lisa Dray and for those of you who don't know me I have been married to my husband Mark for 24 years in September and am a mother to 3 children- Kayleena who gave me a wonderful sonin-law Jason, Luke who will be a senior at Youngstown State University this fall, and Lacie who will be a sophomore at Walsh University in the fall. Our family welcomed our first granddaughter Sloan into the world in December 2024.

Nine years ago, when I was asked if I would consider working at St. Luke Church I really wasn't sure how to respond to that question, and the reason being is I had been praying and asking for a sign if it was time for me to move on from the job I had been working at for almost 20 years at the time. So of course you can imagine my reaction, was this my sign? Am I really supposed to move on? Well, we all know the outcome here I am working at St. Luke Church for eight and a half years.

When I was asked to write this column for this week, I thought to myself, what could I possibly write about? I am not a writer at all. I figured I would read the Gospel for this week and to my surprise it was so fitting, "And I tell you, ask and you shall receive". Those eight years had many challenges for me, but there was a lot of growth that came from each different challenge or hardship I had faced. I believe every year



Lisa's family at Sloan's Baptism, on Sunday, June 22 at St. Luke Church. From left, Mark, Lisa, Sloan, Kayleena, Luke, Lacie, and Jason.

we had a change in priests and a change in who we were collaborating with. There were a lot of prayers, wasn't sure if St. Luke would even remain open and if I would still have a iob. Then the announcement was made that St. Luke and St. Charles were merging into St. Catherine of Siena. Although there was a huge amount of confusion the Gospel this week also states, "What father among you would hand his son a snake when he asks for a fish?" So why would God place me in a job that wouldn't last.

I wasn't sure what to expect when I had to move my office over to St. Charles, especially with such high emotions at the time, but everyone has been so helpful with this transition and have welcomed me with open arms. This is such a thrilling time of two churches merging and becoming one parish, and I feel so honored to be given the gift of being the bridge between the two. I know it is a good gift because in Luke 11:13 it says "If you then who are wicked know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the father in Heaven give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him?"

So as we move forward as one parish, I hope to know and learn more about those who I don't yet know and please feel free to come up and introduce yourself. After all, we are all one in Christ.

Live Drank

04 | LOOKING AHEAD

St. Catherine of Siena Parish

Looking Foward

SUNDAY, JULY 27

8:00 a.m. | (L) Paper Pantry (School)

9:00 a.m. (C) Mass (Church)

10:00 a.m. (L) Mass (Church)

11:30 a.m. (C) Mass (Church)

12:30 p.m. | (C) Baptism (Church)

MONDAY, JULY 28

8:30 a.m. | (C) Mass (Church)

6:45 p.m. (L) Bingo (Church Hall)

7:00 p.m. (C) K of C: 4th Degree (St. Charles Rm.)

7:00 p.m. (C) YA - Rec League (Austintown Park)

TUESDAY, JULY 29

8:30 a.m. | (L) Mass (Church)

3:00 p.m. (C) Yoga (St. Matthew/Mark Rm.)

6:00 p.m. | (L) Bocce League (Bocce Courts)

WEDNESDAY, JULY 30

8:30 a.m. | (C) Mass (Church)

9:00 a.m. (C) Adoration (Chapel)

THURSDAY, JULY 31

FRIDAY, AUGUST 1

9:00 a.m. (L) Adoration (Chapel)

12:00 p.m. | (L) Mass (Church)

8:00 p.m. | (L) AA (Church Hall)

SATURDAY, AUGUST 2

2:30 p.m. | (C) Individual Confession (Confessional)

3:30 p.m. | (C) Reciting the Rosary (Church)

4:00 p.m. | (C) Mass (Church)

SUNDAY, AUGUST 3

9:00 a.m. | (C) Mass (Church)

10:00 a.m. | (Ĺ) Mass (Church)

11:30 a.m. (C) Mass (Church)

12:30 p.m. | (C) Baptism (Church)

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, JULY 26

Sts. Joachim and Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary

(C) 4:00 p.m. † Linda Murphy

† Lidia Janczewski

SUNDAY, JULY 27

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(C) 9:00 a.m. † James Coleman

(L) 10:00 a.m. † Tom Foster

† Frank Wittmann

(C) 11:30 a.m. † Larry Rizer

† Judy Langley

MONDAY, JULY 28

(C) 8:30 a.m. † Dominic Lefoer

† Tom Sullivan

TUESDAY, JULY 29

Sts. Martha, Mary, and Lazaru

(L) 8:30 a.m. † Ruth Harbager

WEDNESDAY. IULY 30

St. Peter Chrysologus, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

(C) 8:30 a.m. † Daniel McCloud, Jr.

† Isabel Schiavone

† Katherine Nuzzie

† Roy Perry, Sr.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 1

St. Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

(L) 12:00 p.m † All Souls in Purgatory

† Clara Ross

† Julie Mrofchak

SATURDAY, AUGUST 2

St. Eusebius of Vercelli, Bishop: St. Peter Iulian Evmard, Pries

(C) 4:00 p.m. † Josephine Horney

† Louise Griebel

† Marty Eich

SUNDAY, AUGUST 3

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(C) 9:00 a.m. † Allen Hummel

† Maryann Peretti

(L) 10:00 a.m. † Tom Sullivan, Sr.

(C) 11:30 a.m. † Peter & Florence Zerbonia

SANCTUARY LAMP IS LIT IN MEMORY OF

(C) † Chris Reider

(L) † Cynthia Landers

ST. LUKE CANDLE IS LIT IN MEMORY OF

(L) † Harry & Rosemarie Machuga

PARISH STEWARDSHIP | 05

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Our Treasure for the Week of July 19 & 20, 2025

St. Charles Campus

Sunday Collection	\$24,232.97
Capital Fund	\$642.21
Children	\$46.00
Endowment	\$5.00
Echo	\$147.00
Martha's Cupboard	\$130.00
Security	\$300.00

St. Luke Campus

Sunday Collection	\$9,163.00
Red Envelope	\$40.00

St. Catherine of Siena Sunday Collection Total \$33,395.97

Safe Environment

The Diocese of Youngstown is in full compliance with safe environment policies established by the USCCB (November 2023). If you or someone you know has been abused at any time by a priest, deacon, religious, seminarian, person in formation, employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Youngstown, or if you believe that abuse has occurred or is currently occurring, contact civil authorities and also Mr. Dominic Colucy, Victim Assistance Coordinator, (office) 330-744-8451 x293 or (response line) 330-718-1388.

To report a violation of the Safe Environment Policy that does not constitute abuse or suspected abuse contact Mr. Dominic Colucy, Safe Environment Coordinator, (office) 330-744-8451 x293 or (response line) 330-718-1388.

Visit the Safe Environment page on the diocesan website (doy.org) to find our most up-to-date Reporting Requirements and Procedures in English and Spanish, as well as links to additional reporting resources.

The Safe Environment Compliance Officer for the St. Charles Campus is Natalie Wardle and for the St. Luke Campus is Lisa Dray. If you have questions regarding the Diocesan Safe Environment Policy or are a volunteer who works with minors or vulnerable adults and need assistance becoming compliant, contact the campus compliance officer.

Stewardship Reflection

"Ask and you will receive; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you." Luke 11:9

Jesus assures us that if we ask, God will take care of what we need. The problem is that our culture often confuses what we really need with what we simply want. The truth is that many of us need very little. However, we usually want so much more! Stewardship is simply being grateful for all that we are and all that we have been given, and generously sharing all of our God-given gifts with others. Gratitude and generosity are gifts that opens doors to new relationships with others and with God.

Please Note

The financial documentation has been finalized at the bank, and we are now able to accept checks payable to St. Catherine of Siena Parish.

Diocesan Appeal 2025

As we continue participating in our Annual Diocesan Appeal we are at 63.47% of our 2025 Parish goal of \$232,300.00 with \$147,434.30 raised by 573 donors. I invite you to complete the 2025 pledge card located in the pews or us your phone to scan the QR code located in the bulletin or go to DOY. org/Appeal to make a gift. No gift is too small to help those in need.

Scan the QR code to donate to the 2025 Annual Diocesan Appeal



06 | PARISH NEWS & EVENTS

St. Catherine of Siena Parish

Embracing Change: A Journey of Growth

NEW PARISH ENVELOPES BEGINNING IN SEPTEMBER



In mid-August, parishioners of St. Catherine of Siena will receive their new monthly envelope packets. While the envelopes may appear slightly different, our goal is to assist you in understanding the purpose of each envelope as we move forward as one parish. We will continue to explain the monthly envelopes as we move forward. September Envelopes will include the following:

1. Sunday Collection Envelopes

These envelopes contribute to the operational costs of both church campuses.

2. Monthly Donation Blessings Envelope

To help minimize envelope costs, this envelope will feature multiple giving options. It will include checkboxes for you to indicate where you wish your donation to go:

- **a. Early Childhood Learning Center -** These funds support the administrative costs associated with our ECLCs, as well as the housing and utility expenses for both St. Luke and St. Charles ECLC facilities.
- **b. Security -** Contributions to this fund help cover security expenses during all weekend Masses.
- **c. Capital Fund -** Donations to this fund enable the parish to maintain and finance improvements for both church grounds.

3. St. Vincent de Paul Envelope

This envelope will be distributed quarterly and will feature two checkboxes: one for the St. Charles St. Vincent de Paul Chapter and another for the St. Luke St. Vincent de Paul Chapter. Funds collected will support the mission of St. Vincent de Paul in the Mahoning County.

4. CCD Envelope

This envelope will be sent out once a year and will also include two checkboxes: one for St. Charles CCD and one for St. Luke CCD. The funds from these envelopes help offset the supply costs for CCD and religious education.

5. Ladies Guild Envelope

This envelope is just for this year, as next year (in August) there will be a combined envelope for the Altar Rosary Society and Ladies Guild Envelope that requests their yearly dues for both ministries.

A Note from Sr. Mary Alyce:

Dear friends,

As I do not have a permanent residence at this time, I am using The Ursuline Motherhouse as my permanent contact location. I am not living at The Motherhouse. but I will pick up mail regularly and if you call, please leave a message and I will get back to you. Thank you for your prayers.

Sister Mary Alyce Koval 4250 Shields Road Canfield, Ohio 44406 330-792-7636



St. Luke Bingo

Join us for a fun evening of bingo every Monday night at St. Luke Church. Doors at the social hall open at 4:00 p.m. with bingo beginning at 6:45 p.m. If you would like to volunteer to help in this ministry, please call Lisa at the parish office.

Thank You BULLETIN SPONSORS!

This bulletin is furnished to the Parish without charge. The advertisements that appear, completely defray the costs. Please patronize the sponsors located in the back of the bulletin. Thank them for supporting our Parish.

Our sponsor this week is York-Mahoning Heating & Air Conditioning

THANK YOU!

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We Care Sock and Underwear Drive

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul of St. Luke and St. Charles will be collecting new pairs of socks and underwear for its annual "We Care Sock and Underwear Drive".

Please place the donations in the boxes in the Gathering Space (St. Charles) and Narthex (St. Luke) until August 18.

Thank you for your generosity and support of St. Vincent de Paul of the Mahoning Valley.

Order of Christian Initiation for Adults WHAT IS OCIA?

Are you a Christian of a different faith background who wants to learn more about the Catholic faith? Is God calling you to consider joining and living the Catholic faith? Are you an adult Catholic who needs to complete your sacraments of initiation? (First Eucharist and Confirmation) If you answered, yes to any of these questions, please call Erica Galvin at the parish office or email her at egalvin@youngstowndiocese.org and she can help you navigate your next steps. The Order of Christian Initiation for Adults (OCIA) is the inquiry and the formation process for adults interested in joining the Catholic faith.

Volunteers Needed for Children's Liturgy at St. Charles Church

Join Us in Teaching!We are in need of dedicated teachers for the 9:00 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. Children's Liturgy! To sustain our program each Sunday, we urgently require at least five more volunteers who can commit to teaching for 15 minutes once a month from September through the end of April.

Why Volunteer?

- **Preplanned Lessons:** All teaching materials are ready for you, available for pick-up weeks in advance so you can review them
- Convenient Supplies: Necessary supplies and resources for your lesson are located in the Church's storage cabinet for your ease. Training and Support: We offer training on how to use the instructional materials and ongoing support to ensure you're comfortable.
- Flexible Scheduling: Team teaching is encouraged, and we also maintain a substitute list to address any scheduling conflicts. Get Involved!

Get Involved!

Your involvement allows our volunteers the flexibility to come and go as needed. Whether you can serve as a teacher, substitute, or team teacher, all are welcome and appreciated! The children are wonderful, and the team is fantastic! This is a wonderful chance to engage with our beautiful parish community.

High school students who are confirmed are also encouraged to assist catechists as a way to serve their community and church.

Getting to Know Fr. Weikart



We welcome Fr. G. David Weikart to St. Catherine of Siena Parish Community. Fr. Weikart sat down for a brief

interview, so the parish community could learn a little more about our new pastor. You may access the video through St. Catherine's YouTube page or you can use the QR code above, which will send you directly to the video link.



Announcements before Mass

If you are part of a parish ministry and wish to announce an upcoming event or occasion, please reach out to Lisa Dray at the parish office by calling 330-758-2325 or by emailing her at Idray@

stcatherineparishboardman.org. Your submission should include the who, what, when, where, and why, and must be submitted no later than the Wednesday before the weekend you want it announced.

Please note that we reserve the right to edit or omit announcements due to time constraints and other relevant factors.

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Youngstown Cursillo Center



Attention Men: Are you searching for a way to grow your faith? A Cursillo

Cursillo Retreat weekend will show you how to live with purpose and vision.

Interested in attending or want to know more? Go to https://youngstowncursillo.com or come to an Ultreya.

Upcoming Ultreya

Youngstown Ultreya: Second Thursday(s) 7:00 p.m.

(August 14, September 11) Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica

Columbiana Ultreya: Fourth Tuesday(s), following the 6:00 p.m. daily Mass (August 26, September 23) St. Jude Parish

Early Bulletin Deadline

Please note the following early bulletin deadline: Content for the August 16 & 17 bulletin due by noon on Thursday, August 7.

Martha's Cupboard Food Pantry

AT ST. CHARLES CHURCH

Every month, our dedicated volunteers distribute boxes to over 120 families containing food, laundry detergent, and other essential items that are typically not included in traditional government programs. We invite you to take a maroon bag from near the St. Charles statue in the Gathering Space and fill it with the necessary items.

If you require support, the upcoming distribution date is Wednesday, August 20, 2025, from 1:00 to 2:30 p.m. outside the St. Luke Room on the St. Charles Church campus. Everyone is welcome to receive a box of goods, and no documentation of need is necessary.

Please remember to take this list with you on your next shopping trip and consider picking up some items for the Martha's Cupboard Food Pantry.

- Canned Vegetables
- Soup
- Crackers
- Spaghetti Sauce
- Canned Fruit
- Peanut Butter
- Pork and Beans
- Sides
- Cereal
- Diapers

- Small Laundry Detergents
 - Bar Soap
- **Toliet Paper**
- **Body Wash**
- **Instant Potatoes**
- Spaghetti O's
- Instant Potatoes
- Ramen Noodles
- Tuna

Congratulations Charlie



Congratulations to Charlie Colmenares, a parishioner of St. Catherine of Siena, who officially became a U.S. citizen on Friday, July 18, 2025. Charlie has been in the United States since 1970, having immigrated from Guatemala in search of a better life. After taking the citizenship test in May, he was sworn in on July 18. Congratulations, Charlie!

Going on Vacation?

Please remember to attend Mass while on vacation. You can find local churches and Mass times at www.masstimes.org. You may even stay connected to the community by live-streaming the 9:00 a.m. Sunday Mass on Facebook.

Assumption Mass Times

Friday, August 15, 2025 is a Holy Day of Obligation as we commemorate the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Mass times are as follows: Thursday, August 14, 2025 (Vigil) 7:00 p.m. at St. Charles Church Friday, August 15, 2025 at Noon at St. Luke Church



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St. Charles Church Lighting

We are aware of the numerous burnt-out lights in St. Charles Church. All the lights were replaced just over a year and a half ago, and we are currently addressing the situation to determine our next steps.

Replacing the lights in the sanctuary is quite challenging, as it requires the use of a lift. Therefore, we are carefully assessing the lighting situation to find the most costeffective and long-lasting solution. We thank you for your patience and understanding.

A Heartfelt Thank You

We extend our gratitude to everyone who contributed to the success of this year's Outdoor Mass and Parish Picnic. We are eagerly looking forward to next year's picnic, where we will celebrate a remarkable milestone: 100 years of the celebrating the Catholic Faith in Boardman Township.



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St. Catherine of Siena Parish



Baptized in Christ

Vittorio Francesco Chiovitti



Two Shall Become One

Jamie Sklenar & Dylan Todd



Eternal Rest Grant Unto

Kenneth Craig Frank Masluk

Mass Attendence for July 19 & 20, 2025

4:00 p.m. (C) Mass: 352 9:00 a.m. (C) Mass: 502 10:00 a.m. (L) Mass: 230 11:30 a.m. (C) Mass: 350

Total Mass Attendance: 1,434 out of 5,967 Registered Parishioners

Readings for the Week of July 28, 2025

Monday: Ex 32:15-24, 30-34/Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23/Mt 13:31-35 Tuesday: Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28/ Ps 103:6-7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13/Jn 11:19-27

Wednesday: Ex 34:29-35/Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 9/Mt 13:44-46

Thursday: Ex 40:16-21, 34-38/Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a and 8a, 11/Mt 13:47-53 **Friday:** Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37/Ps 81:3-4, 5-6, 10-11ab/Mt 13:54-58

Saturday: Lv 25:1, 8-17/Ps 67:2-3,

5, 7-8/Mt 14:1-12 **Sunday:** Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23/Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14, 17 (1)/Col 3:1-5, 9-11/

Lk 12:13-21

ST. CHARLES BORROMEO ALTAR MEMORIAL LIST

Richard Briach Carmine Cassese loe Cassese Dennis Chizmar I. Philip Dean Ann Franko Joey Forsythe Makala Gasparek Patricia Goslak **Emily Hughes** Raymond Hughes John Jacobs Danielle Lewis Lewis Nuzzie Rena Nuzzie Maryann Peretti Virginia Petretich **Duane Reichard** Anne Samek Mary Sandy **Eddie Smith** Carl Testa Theresa Testa Jean Zuraw

St. Charles Borromeo Church offers the opportunity for family and friends to list their loved ones on the Monthly Altar Memorial List. This list of names will be prayed for the last weekend of every month at all the St. Charles' Masses during the Universal Prayers (The Prayers of the Faithful). The cost to place your loved one's name on this list is \$10.00 per month. Please call the parish office to schedule.

John Zuraw

Sacraments

Anointing of the Sick

The Rite of Anointing reminds us that one does not have to wait until death is imminent to receive the Sacrament. It serves as a spiritual healing, offering the individual the Holy Spirit's gifts of peace and courage to navigate the challenges that come with their illness. Contact the parish office at 330-758-2325 for sacramental emergencies.

Baptism

To arrange a baptism, please reach out to the parish office. Parents need to be registered and active members of St. Catherine of Siena Parish. If you reside outside the area but wish for your child to be baptized, a letter from your home parish confirming your active membership is necessary. Additionally, parents are required to attend a preparation class. Please call the parish office to set up the baptism.

Communion

For information, kindly reach out to the Coordinator of Religious Education at the appropriate campus.

Confession

St. Charles offers an opportunity for confession every Saturday from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. in the St. Joseph Daily Chapel, or you can schedule an appointment.
St. Luke offers confession by

Confirmation

For information, kindly reach out to the Coordinator of Religious Education at the appropriate campus.

Marriage

Members of the parish who intend to get married at St. Catherine of Siena should reach out to the campus office at least six months prior to their wedding date.

OCIA

If you wish to explore becoming Catholic, please reach out to the parish office.

Vocations

If you feel called to the priesthood or religious life, please contact the Diocesan Director of Vocations, Rev. Chad Johnson at cjohnson@ youngstowndiocese.org

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Military Prayer List

Lord God, Almighty Father, creator of mankind and author of peace, as we are ever mindful of the cost paid for the liberty we possess, we ask you to bless the members of our armed forces. Give them courage, hope and strength. May they ever experience your firm support, gentle love and compassionate healing. Amen.

(https://www.usccb.org/prayers/prayer-our-troops.)

Ensign Nathan Alessi (N) Major Allison Brager (A) Staff Sgt. Christopher Bryan (AF) Lt. Sean Buck (A) Major Kristen Calo (A) PFC Leah Ensign (MC) SPC Mark Filicky (A) Private Nickolas J. Hasler (A) PFC Alex Heredia (A) Gunnery SGT Mike Jacobs (MC) Msgt. Christian P. Kotheimer (AF) Ensign Jack Oberholzer (N) Ensign Sarah Oberholzer (N) Captain Sean Pregi(A) Sr. Airman Michael Orr (AF) LTC Patrick Roush (A) Staff Sgt. Sam Varga (A)

(A) Army, (AF) Air Force, (C) Coast Guard, (MC) Marine Corps., (N) Navy, and (SF) Space Force

St. Luke Prayer Chain

Intercessory Prayer has been a hallmark of St. Catherine of Siena Parish even before St. Luke and St. Charles churches merged. Each week there is a growing list of Prayer Requests in the parish bulletin. This list is "open" to requests from both churches. Information for adding a name is printed each week in the bulletin below the Prayer List. St. Luke Church has an email Prayer Chain that is emailed to "pray-ers", i.e., individuals who pray for the intentions on the Prayer Chain as requests are received. To add your

that is emailed to "pray-ers", i.e., individuals who pray for the intentions on the Prayer Chain as requests are received. To add your name to the email list to be a "pray-er", call the St. Luke campus and ask for your email to be included. To add the name of a person who needs prayers for surgery, emergency health issues, or other immediate needs, call the parish office to add a name or intention. Explicit medical details do not need to be included for privacy reasons. These prayer requests are emailed to the Prayer Chain as they are received.

St. Catherine of Siena Parish Prayer List

O Lord, bring comfort to your servants who are unwell and place their trust in you. Almighty and everlasting God, we beseech you to hear our prayers for those who are suffering in body or mind. We humbly ask for your merciful assistance, that their health may be restored, allowing them to give thanks to you. We pray for all the sick, especially the following:

Jason Albanese Leslie Albanese Peter Alexoff Bonnie Arditi Patsy Bakos Steve Barton Jim Baugh Deborah Bednar Glenn Beckman Kathy Beighley MaryLou Beraduce Pat Berigan Jamie Bernard Andv Billet Linda Blank Elaine Blosak John Boris Marc Briel Lou Brunelli Marybeth Brunelli Cathy Calo Jack Cartwright Colin Chvany Joanie Cianciola Barbara Conrad Christian Cosa Joe DeAngelo John DeMart Frank DiNunzio Aidan Dring Daniel Dull Jessie Dull Laura Dull Dominic Dundee Mike Dworak Tom Early Tony Elia Madeline Faucheaux Asher Frank Cheryl Goodrich Cindy Graves Paul Gula Paul Guzzetti Tom Hannon Rita Havas Dale Hawkins Peggy Heintzelman

David Hershey

Janet Hershey

Mari Hertzberg

Teresa Marie Hicken Ryan Higgins Patricia Honeu **Marlene Horlick** Patricia Hughes Roger Humberson Linda Joerndt DePillo Shannon Jones Brandy Jorge Patricia Kaine Bernice Kaplon Olivia Kempe Terri Kertesz Toni Kester Alicia L. King Benjamin King Thomas Paul King William Joseph King Connor Klein Gary Knittle Michelle Kolesar Chuck Korda Rob Koski **Richard Lalumia** Albert Lavolpe Scott Lawrence Michelle Lindeman Kathy Lyda Ed Mahoney Jan Mansfield Melmar P. Manzo Vince Marion Fred Marshall Zeph Martin **Guy Martino** Mazzy Marzano Pete Mazzoleni Linda Tessean McDonough Stephen McKee Janet McLeod Stephanie Mehle-Burnham Zoey Mehle-Burnham Charles Meier Dick Meshula Richard Alan Meshula Keili Mistovich Trevor Mohney Beth Moore

Max Moriarty Betty Morrison Addie Munk Mae Myers Nancy Ottaviani **Dolores Petrus** Anthony Pisano Charlotte Popovich Cindy Pribila Lynette Rau Ed Reeping Jim Rice Jeanne Robinson Michael D. Rogers Bill Ross Kantele Rouan Kathy Russo Terry Russo Samuel Lewis Rusu Bryson Savnik Danie Schlatzer **David Scullion** Guyanne Shood Russ Shood lack Slifka Kim Smith **Brad Spencer** Michelle Speziale Jackson Spin Mark Stamford Andrea Stamp Josephine Stazak Mark Stoner Elizabeth Summers Velma Tekach Dean Traficant Nova Sol Vazquez Giovanni Vitello Ken Walker **Bob Wallis** Samantha White lack Willison Laurie Williams Ginny Yazbek Joe Yazbek Wendy Yeager Diane Young

Looking to add your own or a loved one's name to the prayer list? Please contact the St. Charles campus office at 330-758-2325. Due to privacy issues, we can only accept prayer requests from the individual or immediate family with premission.

(Names in bold are the most recent names added to the prayer list.)

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FUNDRAISER FOR VETERANS Sunday, August 10, 2025



Boardman, OH. 44512

3:00pm - 6:00pm

Tickets are \$40.00/person

Event includes:

Food, Coffee/Tea/ Iced Tea, Live Entertainment, 50/50 Raffle, Basket Raffle, Cash Bar Food: Italian Baked Chicken, Pasta/Meatballs, Potato, Vegetable, Salad

Contact Chad Rachic at 330-507-8045 for tickets

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