



# ST. PATRICK PARISH

YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO

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Christine Silvestri

## MASSES

Sunday, 11:00 a.m.  
Monday - 8:30 a.m.

## MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA

Mondays, 8:30 a.m.

## CHURCH OFFICE

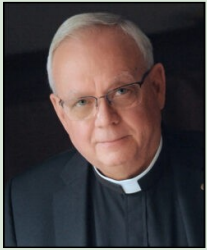
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## As We Journey Together, May Christ Light Our Way.

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,



The Prophet Ezekiel foretells the promise of God: "I will open your graves and have you rise from them and bring you back to the land of Israel. Then you shall know that I am the Lord, when I open your graves and have you rise from them, O my people! I will put my spirit in you that you may live..." In the Gospel today, Jesus calls Lazarus who has been dead and in the tomb for four days, he calls him out of the grave and back to life. These two instances of God's power and mercy are wondrous, but these marvelous pale in comparison to the resurrection we await to celebrate.

Those who rise from the tombs on Good Friday will die again because they have been brought back to normal life on earth. Lazarus will also die again and return to the tomb because the miracle today is a return to normal human life.

Our journey to the Passion Death and Resurrection is much more glorious and hope filled because the Lord is risen to Eternal Life in a glorified body. This is the greater hope and promise for which we long.

As we journey through Lent, we pray that the Lord will draw us closer to himself, to the promise of Eternal Life. May our fasting be a time of grace to give up anything that stands in the way of our discipleship and may our works of charity be a resounding yes to the Lord who calls us to himself.

Let us pray with and for each other as we journey through Lent. May the experience of the miracles of the Lazarus risen from the dead open our eyes of faith and endow us with the courage we need to journey forward with our Savior!

With my daily prayers for you and your families as we journey through Lent.

Sincerely in Christ,  
Msgr. Robert J. Siffrin

Thanks to all you made our patronal feast so wonderful last Sunday and to the AOH for the celebration on the 17th!

### ANNUAL APPEAL:

Please plan a gift to the Annual Appeal. Your gift can be pledged and paid for over the next ten months. This important appeal helps Catholic Charities during the entire 2027 year. It also helps the ministries of the Diocese. This appeal is one of my biggest contributions because I see how it helps so many people in so many ways. Please pray for the appeal and contribute as best as you are able. Thank you to all who have already pledged!

### SCHOOL HYGIENE DRIVE

The **Youngstown Police Department Chaplain Corps** is proud to partner with our local schools to ensure every student has the tools they need to succeed. We have identified a critical need for basic hygiene products among students in our city. Without access to these essentials, many students face barriers to attending class, focusing on their studies, and maintaining their self-esteem. Our department believes that supporting these students is a direct investment in a stronger community.

We are currently seeking donations of the following unopened items:

- **Dental Care:** Toothbrushes, toothpaste, and floss
- **Body Care:** Deodorant, soap, body wash, and shampoo
- **Feminine Hygiene:** Pads and tampons

Please bring your donations to church. A bin will be set up in the All Saints Chapel. Thank you!

## Praise & Worship Nights for Vocations

Thursday, March 26, 2026  
7pm at The Cathedral of St. Columba  
154 W Wood St, Youngstown

Join us as we pray for an increase in Church Vocations  
Adoration, Confessions, and Refreshments

### PRAY FOR VOCATIONS

"I am the resurrection and the life." (John 11:25)  
Jesus' promise of new life inspires all vocations. Could He be calling you to the priesthood, to bring His Word to others through the sacraments? Open your heart to His plan. Talk to your priest or reach out to the Vocation Office at (330) 744-8451 or via email at [vocations@youngstowndiocese.org](mailto:vocations@youngstowndiocese.org).

## MASS SCHEDULE

### Sunday, March 22

*Fifth Sunday of Lent*

11:00am Kurt Welsh

### Monday, March 23

8:30am Angie Roberts

### Wednesday, March 25

*Annunciation of the Lord*

8:30am *Mass at St. Angela Merici*

12:10pm *Mass at St. Columba*

6:00pm *Mass at Mt. Carmel*

### Sunday, March 29

*Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord*

11:00am Roxanne Kubala

### Monday, March 30

8:30am Virginia Kelly

## Stewardship at St. Patrick

<b>Regular</b> (50 envelopes)	\$5,017.00
<b>Visitor</b>	475.00
<b>Electronic Giving</b> (29)	1,593.00
<b>Weekly Budget Amount</b> (*updated)	7,500.00 *
<b>Difference</b>	- 415.00
<b>Novena</b>	118.00
<b>Preservation</b>	260.00

Attendance at Mass: 191

**Thank you for your continued generosity!**

## LUCK OF THE IRISH RAFFLE

Congratulations to the following Luck of the Irish Raffle winners:

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Alex Doneyko

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Mia & Whitey

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: John Watson

4<sup>th</sup> Place: Dom Cutrone

5<sup>th</sup> Place: Msgr. Robert Siffrin

We sold 329 tickets this year.

**Thank you for ALL your support!**

## The Sanctuary Candle burns

March 21 thru March 27

in memory of  
Nancy Ryan

by Reverse Raffle Committee.

## STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Join us this Thursday at Noon for Stations of the Cross. Following stations, a light lunch will be served.

## FIRST FRIDAY

The First Friday Club Luncheon & Speaker Series will be held on Thursday, April 9 from 11:30am - 1:00pm at Avion on the Water. Kerry Alys Robinson, President Catholic Charities, USA, Washington, DC, will be the speaker. Her program is "People of Hope: Reflections on the Power of Service and Encounter." The cost to attend is \$15. Call the rectory to reserve your seat.

## FOR LENT FOR LIFE

**Embracing God's Love.** United in Generosity God created man and woman in his image, reminding us that every person is sacred and reflects God's love. Each of us has a purpose, woven into God's plan. Our support of CRS Rice Bowl provides hope and opportunity to families around the world. Let's reflect on how our prayers, fasting, and almsgiving can help our sisters and brothers fulfill their potential. Visit [crsricebowl.org/week-5](http://crsricebowl.org/week-5) to read this week's Story of Hope.

## SPAGHETTI DINNER

St Angela Merici Annual Spaghetti Dinner/Basket Raffle and Gift Card Auction is happening on Sunday, March 29th, from noon to 4:00 pm in the Parish Hall. Enjoy a delicious meal for just \$12, kids aged 12 and under can eat for only \$5. Take-out available.



Scan the QR code  
to donate to the 2026  
Annual Diocesan Appeal

[doy.org/appeal](http://doy.org/appeal)



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