

St. Sylvester, Woodsfield
founded 1866

St. John The Baptist, Miltonsburg
founded 1841

Parishes of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Steubenville

The Monroe County Catholic Churches

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Woodsfield, Ohio 43793-1027

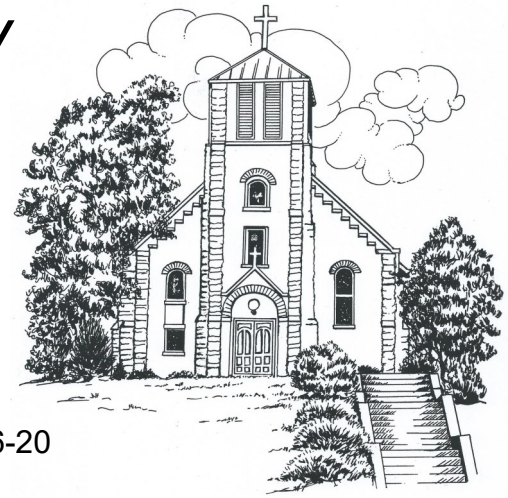
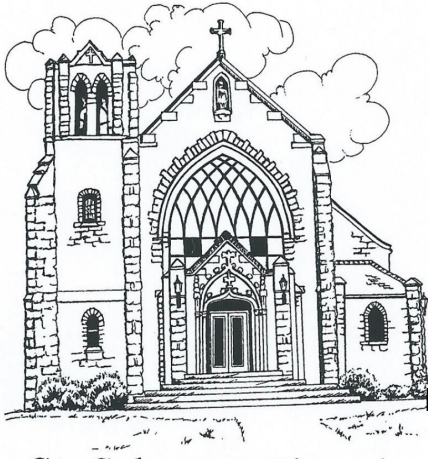
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THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

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Fr. Timothy Davison ~ Pastor



Parish Contacts

New Parishioners are always welcome! Please contact the office.
Fr. Timothy Davison 1(918) 637-1774
Jennifer Winkler (740) 472-0187
Office Hours Mon-Thurs. 9-2

Holy Matrimony & Baptism

Contact the parish office (740) 472-0187

Confessions

Woodsfield: Saturday 4:00pm to 4:45pm.
Sunday 7:45am to 8:15am. and by appointment.

Pastoral Care of the Sick and Infirm

Call 1 (918) 637-1774 Hospitals and Care facilities
regularly do not notify the parish unless specific request is made.

Catholic Woman's Club

Meet on Second Wednesday of each month
at Generation's Building @ 7:00 p.m.

St. Sylvester: Diane Burkhart (740) 391-0391

St. John the Baptist: Eileen Ackerman (740) 757-2481 or
Eileen Miller (740) 472-0279

Knights of Columbus St. Joseph of Monroe County Council 5009

Meet on First Wednesday of each month at St. Sylvester Church,
following the 6:30 p.m. Mass
Grand Knight: Anthony Schumacher (740) 827-3626

Purgatorial Society & Prayer Chain

To join & information contact: Jackie Kirkland at (740) 472-0338.

Catholic Youth Group

Leader: Regina Knox

Diocesan Vocation Director

Fr. Joshua Erickson

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA):

RCIA is an adult preparation for Baptism, Confirmation & Eucharist.
Church Office 740-472-0187

Parish School of Religion (PSR aka. CCD)

The Parish Religion Classes children 1st – 8th grade
(not enrolled in a Catholic School)

St. Sylvester: Jill Schumacher (740) 213-4665

St. John the Baptist: Eileen Ackerman (740) 757-2481 **Call to Register**

St. John The Baptist Hall

Schedule to Rent Hall for Any Occasion Contact
Jennifer Winkler 740-472-0187 or 740-213-2430

St. Sylvester Central Elementary

(PreK-8) 119 Wayne Street, Woodsfield, Ohio.

Mrs. Robyn Guiler: Principal (740) 472-0321 ~ Preschool (740) 472-0420

Catholic Cemeteries

St. Sylvester Woodsfield: Tony Schumacher (740) 827-3626

St. John the Baptist, & Immaculate Conception Ozark;

Tony Schumacher (740) 827-3626

St. Joseph & Chapel Hill, Burkhart Station: Russell Betts (740) 567-3286

St. Patrick's, New Matamoras: Parish office: (740) 472-0187

DOS Office of Family & Social Concerns & Referral

(i.e. Catholic Charities), 1-800-339-7890.

Diocesan Child Protection and Reporting of Abuse

Victim Assistance Team: email: victimassistance43952@gmail.com

Phone: 740-278-3455

Emergency Contact "When Fr. Tim Davison is out of town"

Assumption Church, Barnesville, Ohio, Fr. David Cornett

Rectory Office:(740) 425-2181 Cell: (740) 381-4415 or St. Stephen Church,

Caldwell, Ohio, Fr. Tom Nelson ~ Rectory Office: (740) 732-4129

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

SUNDAY Page 369 **MAY 26TH**
St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 8:30 a.m.
 Living & Deceased of our Parishes

St. John The Baptist, Miltonsburg 10:30 a.m.
 +Deb Block by *Meredith & Linda Kahrig*

MONDAY **MAY 27TH**
St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 5:30 p.m.
 +Terri Gordon by CWC

TUESDAY **MAY 28TH**
St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 7:00 p.m.
 +Doug Chappell by *Arla & Caden Potts*

WEDNESDAY **MAY 29TH**
St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 6:30 p.m.
 +Virgil Block by *Sony Block Family*

THURSDAY **MAY 30TH**
St. Sylvester, Woodsfield (School Mass) 8:30 a.m.
 +Gladys (babe) Burkhart
 by *Sony Block Family*

FRIDAY **MAY 31ST**
St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 8:30 a.m.
 +Connie Kavalieros by *Terry & John Long*

SATURDAY **JUNE 1ST**
St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 5:00 p.m.
 +Donald Biedenbach by *Edythe Schumacher*

SUNDAY **JUNE 2ND**
St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 8:30 a.m.
 +Deb Block by *Tom & Becky Stephen*

St. John The Baptist, Miltonsburg 10:30 a.m.
 Living & Deceased of our Parishes

St. Sylvester, Woodsfield 3:00 p.m.
 Holy Hour

CONGRATULATIONS 8TH GRADE

KAYLA BLOCK

ELIAS DEAN

MAKAYLA PARDEN



CONGRATULATIONS
 1ST COMMUNION - ARIEL PEREZ
 CONFIRMATION - CESAR PEREZ

MARRIAGE CONGRADULATIONS
 JOHN GARFOLD
 &
 REGINA KNOX



2024 Cemetery Lawn Care

St. Sylvester Cost	\$11,900.00
Lawn Care Donations	\$3,054.00
St. John The Baptist	\$12,450.00
Donations	\$1,867.00
Immaculate Conception Cemetery ...	\$4,200.00
Donations	\$1,050.00
St. Joseph/Chapel Hill Cemetery	\$11,900.00
Donations	\$600.00
St. Patrick Cemetery	\$2,800.00
Donations	\$300.00

Our Sunday Offering

MAY 18 - MAY 19

St. John The Baptist

Adult Collection	\$ 855.00
Loose Collection	\$ 108.00
School Fund	\$ 55.00
Brothers & Sisters	\$ 110.00
Cemetery Fund	\$ 220.00

St. Sylvester

Adult Collection	\$ 1,877.00
Loose Collection	\$ 104.00
School Fund	\$ 220.00
Candle Fund	\$ 71.00
Mother's Day	\$ 50.00
Starter Set	\$ 35.00
Brothers & Sisters	\$ 106.00
Cemetery Fund	\$ 520.00
Building Fund	\$ 20.00
Ascension	\$ 41.00

Thank you for your continued support of our parishes and school !!

St. John The Baptist Picnic

Prizes for Raffle Tickets Needed! Please send in by **May 30th**
 Information-
Eileen Ackerman
740-757-2481

This Week
Wednesday
 St. Sylvester Church Adoration
 8:00 a.m.—6:00 p.m.
 Rosary 6:00 p.m.
 Mass 6:30 p.m.

We would like to Thank everyone for the donations toward the Care of our Cemeteries
KEEP IT GROWING!

2024 DPSC Share Campaign

Thanks again for your participation. If you have not pledged, please do so. You can place a pledge in the collection basket or mail it directly to DPSC envelope or go online at www.give.diosteub.org. Your sacrificial gifts enable the dioceses to educate our seminarians, future priests, care for retired priests, oversee education of our youth through Catholic Schools, religious programs and youth ministry, assist poor and other local efforts, Please keep this in mind as you graciously consider your contribution.

St. Sylvester Goal: \$ 28,308 **Goal Received \$ 7,525**
St. John The Baptist Goal: \$ 15,799 **Goal Received \$ 5,525**

In Loving Memory of:

Emma Schumacher
Paul Ditto
Deb Schumacher
Francis (Fritz) Schumacher
Katy Madison
Paul Madison
Paul Madison Jr.
Edward Rensi
Herman Burkhart
Hilda Burkhart
Madeline Mellinger
Billie Jean Elliott
Harry & Lucille Elliott
David Baker
Lowell Baker
William Bolon
Cinderella Butler
Vernon Butler
Meri C Welsh
Michael Burkhart
Bertha Burkhart
Rebeca Burkhart
Raymond Baldwin
Alice & Ralph Buckalew
Grace Ann Joyce
Joe Filippi
Darrell Cline
Clara Rush
Virgil Rush
Wes & Clara Hossman
Cindy Miller Stevens
Donald Miller
Joy Taylor
Larry Krone
Carol Moore
Francis Stephen
Walter & Alberta Ackerman
Wayne Forshey
Cyril Burkhart
Eunice Gallagher
Joe Gallagher
Hugh & Marie Bott
Norbert Burkhart
Agnes Burkhart
Francis Reischman
Hazel Reischman
Robert M Miller Sr.
Walter Knox
Josephine Jack
Ty A. Burkhart
Francis & Freeda Paulus
Mary Paulus
Hilda Paulus
Francis & Edith Block
Virgil Block
Joe & Debbie Block
Gladys (babe) Burkhart
Jimmy Norris
Mary Ellen Barber Norris
Leander & Genevieve Kuhn
Kenny & Shirley Kuhn
Joe & Martha Kuhn
Mark Kuhn
Jimmy Kuhn
Paul Kuhn
Danny Betts
Joe Kuhn
Kenneth Kuhn
Deloris Knowlton
Roman Schumacher
Clara Schumacher
Rick Schumacher
Susan Schumacher Thomas
Donald Biedenbach
Thelma Scott
Harmon Scott
Jim Scott
Richard Scott
Imelda Scott
William B. Schumacher

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord.

Dear Friends in Christ,

Happy Feast of the Most Blessed Trinity! May the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit bless and protect each of you always. Also, Happy Memorial Day weekend! May all those who fought for our country and died now find their eternal rest and happiness in the land of the living. Let us also pray for those who currently serve in our military that they may be protected from all harm. Our Mass will be at 5:30 p.m. at St. Sylvester's.

We are already at the end of May, this beautiful month dedicated to the Mother of God. This coming Saturday begins the month of June which is dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. There will not be the usual 8:30 a.m. Mass this Saturday because of the wedding Mass of Regina Knox and John Garfold that will occur that same day.

As for the school activities this week there will be no school on Monday because of Memorial Day. The final Mass of the school year will be on Thursday of this week at 8:30 a.m. at St. Sylvester's. The Mass at St. John's that day is cancelled. It will also be cancelled on Tuesday because the graduation Mass for the school is at 7:00 p.m. at St. Sylvester's that day. On Wednesday the Mass will be at 6:30 p.m. as usual at St. Sylvester's following the day of Eucharistic adoration. And on Friday, the Feast of the Visitation the Mass will be in the morning at 8:30 a.m. I'll be celebrating 39 years as a priest that day. I was ordained on May 31st, 1985 at Holy Family Cathedral in Tulsa, Oklahoma. I have so many great memories of my time in the priesthood and am so thankful to God for calling me into this vocation. I have mixed feelings about my upcoming retirement as you might imagine. But, I still plan to be active as a priest as long as I am able. I'll be moving to South Carolina on July 1st and assisting the priests there when they need my help. My sister and her husband are fixing up an apartment for me above the garage and I appreciate that very much. But, I will truly miss our community and living here in southeast Ohio where there is so much natural beauty all around.

Next Sunday (June 2nd) is the Feast of Corpus Christi. For those who like to plan ahead like I do, we will have a special Holy Hour of Adoration beginning at 3:00 p.m. at St. Sylvester's Church. Let us show our love for Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament by attending that Holy Hour if at all possible. I am sure that Jesus will richly bless all those who do so. On that same Sunday Ariel Emmanuel Villa Perez will receive his First Holy Communion at St. Sylvester's Church at 8:30 a.m. And the following day, June 3rd his brother, Cesar will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation at St. John's in Bellaire, Ohio.

Let us keep these two brothers in our prayers this week as they make their final preparations for receiving these Sacraments.

God bless you all and help you to live in the grace of the Most Blessed Trinity today and always.

Yours Truly,

Father Timothy Davison

New Priest Assigned

Father Nick Ward has been assigned as the Pastoral Administrator of St. Sylvester and St. John the Baptist Churches in Monroe County. Father Ward is presently working as the associate Pastor of the Churches in Ironton. He will start his work in the Monroe County Churches on July 1st the same day that Father Tim Davison will be leaving for South Carolina. Father Ward's birthday is October 12th, 1992. He began as a priest in the Steubenville Diocese on May 29th, 2020. This new assignment will be the first time that Father Ward will serve as a Pastoral Administrator. Let us pray for him in the coming months.

There will be a special welcome dinner for Father Ward when he arrives. The details are still being worked out and will be announced later.

TUESDAY BINGO

May 28th

Brenda Fisher
Jennifer Caretti

June 4th

Missy Knowlton
Sam Schumacher
Jani Landefeld
Gene Hupp

June 11th

Missy Knowlton
Terry Schumacher
Tyler Knowlton
Chelsea/Phillip Masters
Missy Dean

SUNDAY BINGO

June 2nd

Robyn Guiler
Sam Schumacher
Aaron Brown
Carey Bott
John/Casey Kemp

June 9th

Missy Knowlton
Terry Schumacher
Gina Ball
Evan Yoss
Missy Dean

June 16th

Missy Knowlton
Randall Sefert
Erica Griffith
Missy Dean
Aaron Brown

TUESDAY KITCHEN

May 28th

Diane Burkhart
Dawn Kuhn

June 4th

Becky Baldwin
Diane Burkhart

June 11th

St. John CWC

SUNDAY KITCHEN

June 2nd

Catherine Paulus
Louise Kress

June 9th

JoAnn Brannon
Louise Kress

June 16th

Jill Schumacher
Louise Kress

LECTORS MASS SCHEDULE

- May 25.....William Frank
- May 26.....Tom Dick
- June 1.....Catherine Paulus
- June 2.....Becky Baldwin

Mother's Day Prayers...

Luzelsa E Stephen
Ellen Biedenbach
Barbara Stephen
Ruth A. Miller
Susan Thomas
Margaret Wilson
Emma Dimmerling
Irene Okel
Irene Finnicum
Teresa Florances
Maxine Keevert
Clementine Ankrom
Carol Miller
Audrey Partridge
Dean Hall
Teresa Baguio
Barbara Schumacher

Gertrude Bossick
Catherine Dick
Gertrude Stephen
Deb Schumacher
Diane Frank
Norma Haffner
Ethel Piatt
Delma Garrett
Clara Miller
Inez Kemp
Clara Rush
Agnes Burkhart
Becky Miller
Michelle Partridge
Bob Wallace
Martha Kress
Genevieve Kuhn

Cinderella Butler
Alice Buckalew
Mary McFarland
Deloris Knowlton
Blanche Frank
Pamela Wilson
Freeda Paulus
Shirley Clouse
Mary Lucas
Lois Stephen
Charlotte Cline
Ellen Robinson
Rona Miller
Ruth Lindenmeyer
Clara Baguio
Helen Hoff
Shirley Kuhn

Mary Louise Wells
Margaret Baldwin
Freeda Paulus
Clara Schumacher
Barbara Hardin
Billie Elliott
Dorothy Davidson
Doris Finnicum
Norma Koval
Becky Stephen
Edith Block
Don Miller
Clara Hall
Ruth Hall
Aurea Balais
Zelda Betts

Scripture Reading of the Week

Sunday
MAY 26TH
THE MOST HOLY TRINITY
DT 4:32-34, 39-40
ROM 8:14-17
MT 28:16-20
Monday
MAY 27TH
1PT 1:3-9
MK 10:17-27
Tuesday
MAY 28TH
1PT 1:10-16
MK 10:28-31
Wednesday
MAY 29TH
1PT 1:18-25
MK 10:32-45
Thursday
MAY 30TH
1PT 2:2-5, 9-12
MK 10:46-52
Friday
MAY 31ST
ZEP 3:14-18a
LK 1:39-56
Saturday
JUNE 1ST
JUDE 17, 20b-25
MK 11:27-33
Sunday
JUNE 2ND
THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST
EX 24:3-8
HEB 9:11-15
MT 14:12-16, 22-26

DO YOU KNOW YOUR BIBLE?

Which little boy was hidden in God's house for six years to save him from being murdered?

ANSWER: Joash



**St. Joseph of Monroe County,
Council 5009 of the Knights of Columbus
Anthony Schumacher, Grand Knight**

Leading by Example—Our council seeks to develop a culture of charity, unity, and fraternity in faithful service to the Church and community. New members are welcome to join us!

Next Meetings- *Knight's of Columbus Meeting will be on Wednesday, June 5th. Adoration at 6:00 p.m. Rosary at 6:15 p.m. Mass at 6:30 p.m. Meeting to follow in the Church Basement.

*Catholic Women's Club Meeting Wednesday, June 12th 7:00 p.m. @ Generations

