

# Our Lady of Grace Church

1088 Ridge Road • Hinckley, Ohio • 44233 • (330) 278-4121

Website: [www.ologchurchandshrine.org](http://www.ologchurchandshrine.org)

Email: [ourladygrace@roadrunner.com](mailto:ourladygrace@roadrunner.com)



**Reverend Edward Estok, Administrator**  
**Reverend Joseph Mecir, Pastor Emeritus**  
**Reverend William P. O'Neill, Pastor Emeritus**  
**Deacon Bruce Dobbins**

**Sunday Masses**  
Saturday: 4:00 pm  
Sunday: 8:00 & 11:00 am  
**Weekday Masses**  
Please see bulletin  
**Holy Day Masses**  
8:00 am & 7:00 pm

**Sacrament of Reconciliation**  
Saturday 3:15 - 3:45 pm or anytime by appointment.  
**Sacrament of Baptism**  
First & third Sundays at 12 pm  
Baptism classes required for first child.  
**Sacrament of Marriage**  
Six months preparation. Call parish priest to set a date.  
**In Emergencies Contact St. Albert the Great**  
440-237-6760

## *Mission Statement*

*We, the Roman Catholic faith community of Our Lady of Grace, rooted in the Gospel of Jesus Christ and dedicated to our Blessed Mother, value our mission to make God's presence visible in today's world. In service to God's will, and with the Holy Spirit's guidance, we manifest God's peace, love and saving presence as we pray, worship, work and live together in His Name.*

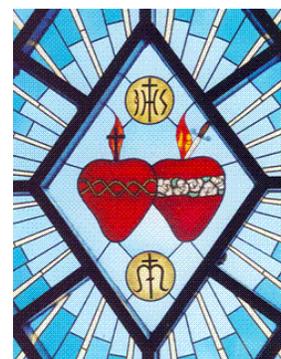
November 12, 2017

Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time



## *Home of Triumph of the Two Hearts Shrine*

- \* Open 24 hours a day all year long
- \* Unique statue of Jesus with the Blessed Mother
- \* Outdoor Stations of the Cross
- \* Beautiful country scenery
- \* One of Ohio's newest Shrines



**OLOG MINISTRIES**

*Deacon Bruce Dobbins*  
 bdobbins@dioceseofcleveland.org  
 330-278-4121 x17 or 330-203-6475  
*Bereavement—Women of Hope—Pastoral Minister*  
 Carolyn Zaverl: 330-225-9705  
*Coordinator Parish School of Religion*  
 Teresa Smith: ologpsr@gmail.com  
*Director of Music Ministry—Liturgy*  
 Mary Gabriel: 330-636-1739  
*Extra-ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion*  
 Kathy Higgins: pisces1174@aol.com  
*Finance Chairperson, Safety & Security*  
 Tom Minch: tminch@hotmail.com  
*Parish Council Chairperson*  
 Tom Higgins: tomhcj7doc@aol.com  
*Readers*  
 Joanne Oliver: lcologl@gmail.com



Dear OLOG Family,

We are celebrating the 32nd Sunday of the Year and we honor all of our veterans on this Veterans Day. The scriptures for this weekend are the beginning of the "apocalyptic" message of the bible - referring to the end times. As the end of the liturgical year approaches we will hear more and more of this type of scripture passage. The question posed by these scriptures is that of readiness, preparation. As the scriptures last week invited us to consider our motivations in even the good things that we do, this week we might ask how prepared are we to meet our Savior face-to-face.

As a parish staff we are making the many plans for the up-coming holiday season including Thanksgiving, Advent, the Sacrament of Reconciliation and the celebrations of Christmas. In fact, our planning has now stretched into the first quarter of 2018. In August I shared with you my best information that a new pastor would be named before Christmas. I have recently been informed that the process is significantly delayed and might not be concluded until Easter. That means that the liturgical schedule is going to continue to be adjusted throughout the winter. Please pay attention to the weekly bulletin when making your plans for celebrating Mass and the other sacraments, especially on the extraordinary feasts and occasions. I really appreciate your patience and cooperation in all of this.

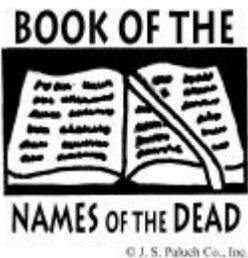
Sadly, again this week our country has been victimized by mass violence. The slaughter of dozens of people in a church last Sunday is a stark reminder of how broken our society is. Please join me in praying for a healing of our citizens and society, a renewed respect for human life, and a dedication to the common good among us.

Peace, Fr. Estok

October 30....\$3,267.00  
 Envelopes used...123  
 Thank you for your generosity!

**MINISTRY SCHEDULE**  
 November 18 & 19, 2017

4:00 pm	Reader: EOMOHC: Servers:	C. Valasik A. Bures, C. Gall, T. Hannan
8:00 am	Reader: EOMOHC: Servers:	E. Majestic S. Rocco, L. Kremser, Deacon B. Dobbins
11:00 am	Reader: EOMOHC: Servers:	H. Kovalik, A. Bures W. Stanek, M. Kupec, A. Chesnick



**ALL SOULS  
 REMEMBRANCE**

For anyone who would like to have the souls of their family or friends remembered at every Mass celebrated during the month of November, you may include their name on a plain envelope and drop it in the collection basket. There is a decorative vase in the sanctuary containing all names to be remembered.

Write the name of your loved one who passed in the Book of the Dead, located in the church vestibule. They will be remembered throughout the month of November.

*The Bishop is Coming!*  
*Saturday, December 9th*

We are blessed to have Bishop Nelson Perez celebrate Mass with us on December 9th at the 4 pm Mass. Please join us in welcoming the Bishop to Our Lady of Grace.

**REST IN PEACE**

Please keep in your prayers the soul of Steve Kralovic, husband of Mary, Mary Kunc, and Agnes Miller, wife of Paul, who recently died. May our Lord bless Steve, Mary and Agnes and send consolation to their families.



**PSR UPDATES**

For cancellation of PSR classes please make sure parents check Channel 3 and 5. Also, cancellations will be posted on the Highland Hornets Moms Facebook page.

Remember that the food drive runs through the end of November.

All food and grocery items will be given to Catholic Charities in Medina County and will benefit our brother and sisters in our community.

**FAMILY PERSPECTIVES**

Today Jesus tells us to “Stay awake for you know neither the day nor the hour.” Family crises are just like this. They can’t be put on our calendar like an appointment...they just happen. We must be ready and responsive to family members in need. By responding promptly with faith and hope, God will provide wisdom and strength.

**A FEW GOOD PEOPLE ...**

- ◆ On the afternoon of Saturday, December 9th we need a crew of a few men to help break down and set up tables in preparation for the Bishop’s visit later that day. If you can help, please sign-up on the form in the vestibule.
- ◆ If you would like to bring Christmas cookies for the Bishop’s reception, please sign up on the form in the vestibule.
- ◆ We could also use one or two people to volunteer to take pictures during Bishop’s visit and receiving line to share at later date. If you are interested, please contact the church office.

**PAPER/CARDBOARD RECYCLING**



For the month of September our parish recycled 9,740 pounds of paper and cardboard which gave us \$152. Thank you for your support of this ministry!

*America Recycles Day* is November 15th. To celebrate we will receive an extra \$5/ton from November 13-17th.

In North America, we grow many more trees than we harvest. Forest areas in the U.S. increased by 5,800 NFL football fields per day between 2007-2012, or a total of 14 million acres! Reduce. Reuse. Recycle!

**HAM DINNER—TURKEY RAFFLE**

St. Martin of Tours, Valley City

Sunday, November 12 \* Serving from noon to 4 pm  
Adults \$11; Children (under 12) \$7

**#GIVINGTUESDAY—NOVEMBER 28**

The season of Christmas giving is approaching, and with it brings #GivingTuesday on November 28th—the annual globally-recognized social media campaign to encourage people to make a difference in the lives of others through giving of their treasure, time and talents to charitable causes.

This Giving Tuesday (Nov. 28), when you visit the #WeGiveCatholic website (www.wegivecatholic.org), please consider making a donation to the St. Vincent de Paul Society to help them continue to provide face-to-face emergency aid to neighbors in need.

**LAUDATO SI’: CARE FOR OUR COMMON HOME**

The Diocesan Social Action Office presents this faith and science panel dialogue on the Laudato Si’ encyclical’s first two years of impact on Tuesday, November 28, from 7:00-8:45 pm at St. Noel Parish, (Banquet Center), 35200 Chardon Rd., Willoughby Hills. Join in the discussion how integral ecology unites an ethic of faith, life, creation, and discipleship in response to pressing global climate and development challenges. The panel features: Dr. Sheila E. McGinn, Ph.D., Theology, John Carroll University; Dr. Natalie Kertes Weaver, Ph.D., Religious Studies, Ursuline College; Dr. Tracey T. Meilander, M.Ed., Ph.D., Biology, Notre Dame College; Dr. Jenise M. Snyder, Ph.D., Biology, Ursuline College. For more information, contact: Jeff Campbell, [jjcampbell@ccdocle.org](mailto:jjcampbell@ccdocle.org), 330-723-9615 x.11.

**“WORKING—A MUSICAL”**

The Edwardian Players are presenting “Working—A Musical) at St. Edward High School, 13500 Detroit Ave., Lakewood on Thursday, Friday, Saturday, November 16, 17, & 18 at 7:30 pm, and Sunday, November 19 at 3 pm. Cast members play multiple characters, each telling or singing about their jobs, hopes, wishes and dreams. For more information, please call 216-221-0793, x201.

**THE SPIRITUALITY OF DARKNESS**

Jesuit Retreat House, Parma, is offering the retreat *The Spirituality of Darkness* on December 5, 7-9 pm. Dreading the darker days ahead? You will discover how to find God even in the dark so that winter becomes a time of wonder, not dread. To register call 440-884-9300.

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

Nov. 13	Liturgy Meeting	7:00 pm
Nov. 14	Women of Hope	Noon
Nov. 15	Youth / Adult Choir	6 / 7 pm
Nov. 16	Women of Hope	7:00 pm
	Rosary for Peace	7:00 pm
	Men of Faith	7:00 pm
	MMP Cenacle	7:30 pm

### MEN OF THE PARISH

You are cordially invited to join a Men's Choir for a day! Have you ever thought that you would like to join the choir but did not have the time to commit to weekly rehearsals or sing at Sunday Mass on a regular basis? Here's your opportunity to sing in the choir without any commitment; the men of the traditional choir would like to invite any man in the parish (reading music is not necessary) to join them at the 9 am Mass on Thanksgiving Day. There are NO evening rehearsals required. Just show up no later than 8:30 am on Thanksgiving Day morning for a quick rehearsal and *viola*...you can help lead the singing in the Men's Choir on Thanksgiving Day morning in memory of Fr. McDonough (who had always wished for a men's choir)! If you have any questions, please come up after any weekend Mass or call Mrs. Mary Gabriel at 330-636-1739 for more information.



### OUR LADY OF GRACE PRAYER

Praise to you, Lord our God,  
our eternal shepherd and guide.  
In your faithfulness,  
grant to us, the Faithful of Our Lady of Grace parish,  
a shepherd whose watchful care and kindly zeal  
will continue to build up your Church in this place.

In your love for us,  
give us a shepherd who will lead us  
in being Christ's heart of mercy,  
voice of hope, and hands of justice.  
Help him to fill our minds and hearts  
with the truth of the Gospel,  
the power of the sacraments  
and the grace of charity for all.



Our Lady of Grace

We make this prayer with the intercession of  
Mother Mary, Our Lady of Grace,  
in the power of the Holy Spirit  
and through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

### PRAYERS WORK WONDERS

Please remember the sick and suffering of parish family especially: Blanche Bieda, Barb Blake, Claudia Bulkowski, Colleen Darabant, Arthur DePiero, Chris & Kitsa Fuciu, John Hanna, Cheryl Henderson, Linda Joseph, Megan Keefe, Debbie Klein, Kathleen Klosinski, Betty Kmiecik, Richard Konnerth, Jeanne Krywicki, Carl Lemke, Carmello Leo, Nick Piro, Norma Reynes, Lois Rhodes, Dennis Rogozinski, Susan Shah, Braidyn Schneid, Jim Steed, Michelle Trisk, Derek Vitas.

**MASS INTENTIONS****SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 11**

4 pm John Sroubek / Hinckley Arts &amp; Crafts

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 12** *32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time*

8 am Living &amp; Deceased of Parish Family

11 am Joseph Palmentera / Carmela

**MONDAY, NOVEMBER 13**

8 am Carl Lemke, Healing (Living)

**TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 14 TO FRIDAY NOVEMBER 17**

8 am (No Mass)

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18**

4 pm Don Brobst

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19** *33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time*8 am 50th Wedding Anniversary,  
Tom & Carole Tamulewicz

11 am Living &amp; Deceased of Parish Family

**OUR FRIENDS THE SAINTS**

*St. Albert the Great* is a Doctor of the Church and was a decided influence of Church philosophy in the 13th century. Little is known for sure about St. Albert's birth and early life. The eldest son of a wealthy German lord of military rank, he was born around the year 1206 at Lauingen an der Donau, Swabia (part of modern Germany). He was well educated, having attended the University of Padua where he studied the works of Aristotle. These studies in philosophy became the foundation of his later writings.

Sometime around the year 1223 Albert had an encounter with the Blessed Virgin Mary. This was so moving for Albert that despite his family's opposition, he entered the Dominican Order where he studied theology. Excelling in his studies, Albert became a lecturer first for the Dominicans at Cologne, and later regionally and internationally. His many interests prompted him to write 38 volumes including those on natural science, logic, rhetoric, mathematics, astronomy, ethics, economics, politics, and metaphysics.

Albert taught theology at the University of Paris and became the Chair of Theology at the College of St. James. Thomas Aquinas, who also would become a Doctor of the Church, was one of his students. When Thomas Aquinas died in 1274, Albert spent his last years defending Aquinas' work which became among the most important in the Church.

Albert became ill in 1278 and died on November 15, 1280. He was beatified by Pope Gregory XV in 1622 and was canonized in 1931 by Pope Pius XI. He is the patron of scientist and philosophers. His feast day is November 15.