

**MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK**

**Saturday, February 12, 2022**

**4:00 PM St. Patrick Parishioners (Pro Populo)**

**Sunday, February 13, 2022**

**10 :00 AM C. Victor Beck—Joe Beck**

**Tuesday, February 15, 2022**

**8 :00 AM Angelo Bernard-Shirley Meeker**

**Thursday, February 17, 2022**

**6: 15 PM Angelo Bernard-Shirley Meeker**

**6:45 PM Adoration & Confession**

**Saturday, February 19, 2022**

**4:00 PM Dorothy Brill-Mike & Rose Lyons**

**Sunday, February 20, 2022**

**10 :00 AM St. Patrick Parishioners (Pro Populo)**

**Catholic Ministries Appeal (CMA)**

Archbishop Schnurr sends his thanks to everyone from **St. Patrick's** who has pledged to the 2022 Catholic Ministries Appeal. If you have not yet made your pledge, please consider doing so this week. These important local ministries depend on our help each year. You will find extra pledge envelopes on the table in the cry room in the back of Church for your convenience this weekend. To make a donation online, please visit [CatholicAOC.org/CMA](http://CatholicAOC.org/CMA). Thank you!

**For February 5 and 6, 2022**

**Attendance at Masses: 311**

**Sunday Offering: \$ 5,145.00**

**Improvement Fund \$ 620.00**

**Assessment \$ 35.00**

**Cost of Envelopes \$ 100.00**

**PFF Fees \$ 760.00**

**Total Collections \$6,660.00**

**Lay Ministry Schedule**

**Saturday February 19, 2022 @ 4 PM**

**Servers: D. Baker, K. Snider, M. Vaido**

**Readers: Theresa & Brant Dunn**

**EEM: Mary Smith**

**Sunday February 20, 2022 @ 10 AM**

**Servers: L. & R. Johns, J. Robles**

**Readers: Kelsey Conklin, Steve Oder**

**EEM: Lacey Campbell**

*Your parish thanks you for giving of your time and devotion. May God bless you as you serve..*

THANK YOU: "Thank you to all who helped in any way with Project Merry Christmas! We helped supply 80 families with a holiday meal as well as other meals and gifts for children. A special thank you to Community Market on Sandusky Ave. for helping to secure the hams for the meals."

**SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION**

**Thursdays: after the 6:15 PM Mass**

**Fridays: 8:45 AM at SMOW**

**Saturdays: 3:00-3:30 PM at St. Pat's**

**St. Vincent de Paul Society (937-592-9455)**

***Hours: Tuesday & Thursday 10:00 AM -12:00 PM***

***Wednesday: 5:00-7:00 PM***

***Dates: Week of February 25, 2022***

***Money Spent: \$511.00 Clients: 27***

***Needs: SPAGHETTI SAUCE, TOILET PAPER, SMALL LAUNDRY DETERGENT, WOMENS' DEODERANT, CANNED SOUP***

**MASS INTENTIONS:** Please, fill out the form below and drop in the collection basket or mail to the office. There is a \$5 stipend for each Mass requested. **PLEASE, PRINT!**

**Intention:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Offered by:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date requested:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Mass requested:** \_\_\_\_\_

We will make every attempt to get them on the date you request; however, funerals, prior requests and other events may prevent this, first-come, first-served.

**BECAUSE OF THE HIGH DEMAND FOR CERTAIN DATES AND FATHER SHAWN'S LIMITED AVAILABILITY, MASSES WILL BE SCHEDULED SEVERAL MONTHS OUT.**

### **SCRIPTURE READINGS THIS WEEK:**

Mon. Feb. 14: Jas 1:1-11 Ps 119:67-68,71-72,75-76 Mk 8:11-13

Tues. Feb. 15: Jas 1:12-18 Ps 94:12-13a,14-15,18-19 Mk 8:14-21

Wed. Feb. 16: Jas 1:19-27 Ps 15:2-4b, 5 Mk 8:22-26

Thurs. Feb. 17: Jas 2:1-9 Ps 34:2-7 Mk 8:27-33

Fri. Feb. 18: Jas 2:14-24,26 Ps 112:1-6 Mk 8:34-9:1

Sat. Feb 19: Jas 3:1-10 Ps 12:2-5, 7-8 Mk 9:2-13



**Sun. Feb. 20**

*1 Sm 26:2,7-9,12-13,22-23*

*Ps 103:1-4,8,10,12-13*

*1 Cor 103: 15:45-49*

*Lk 6:27-38*

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

That Man is You, (RCIA RM) 7:00 am, Saturdays.  
Every Wed 7:00 pm Choir Practice for Lent & Easter

**The Rosary** will be recited Saturday at 3:30 pm,  
and Sunday at 9:20 am before Mass.  
Volunteers are needed. **ALL ARE WELCOME!**

**Parish Prayer Line: Tammy Bauer, 937-441-0645**

### **COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND:**

If you are or know of parishioner who is homebound and would like to receive Holy Communion, please contact the office.

## **St Valentine**

On February 14, around the year 270 A.D., Valentine, a holy priest in Rome in the days of Emperor Claudius II, was executed.

Under the rule of Claudius the Cruel, Rome was involved in many unpopular and bloody campaigns. The emperor had to maintain a strong army, but was having a difficult time getting soldiers to join his military leagues. Claudius believed that Roman men were unwilling to join the army because of their strong attachment to their wives and families.

To get rid of the problem, Claudius banned all marriages and engagements in Rome. Valentine, realizing the injustice of the decree, defied Claudius and continued to perform marriages for young lovers in secret.

When Valentine's actions were discovered, Claudius ordered that he be put to death. Valentine was arrested and dragged before the Prefect of Rome, who condemned him to be beaten to death with clubs and to have his head cut off. The sentence was carried out on February 14, on or about the year 270.

Legend also has it that while in jail, St. Valentine left a farewell note for the jailer's daughter, who had become his friend, and signed it "From Your Valentine."

For his great service, Valentine was named a saint after his death. In truth, the exact origins and identity of St. Valentine are unclear. According to the Catholic Encyclopedia, "At least three different Saint Valentines, all of them martyrs, are mentioned in the early martyrologies under the date of 14 February." One was a priest in Rome, the second one was a bishop of Interamna (now Terni, Italy) and the third St. Valentine was a martyr in the Roman province of Africa.