

ST. ANDREW PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

St. Andrew Parish is a community of Catholics committed to serving God by living our faith. We exist to fulfill the mission of the Roman Catholic Church at the local level by continuing the saving work of Christ. We accomplish this through the celebration of the sacraments, proclaiming and living the Gospel, reaching out to others in justice and charity, and providing all parishioners abundant spiritual, educational, and social opportunities in order to be known as a faith-filled, engaged, and generous parish.

Email addresses can be found on the parish website
www.standrewparish.cc

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Mass Intentions

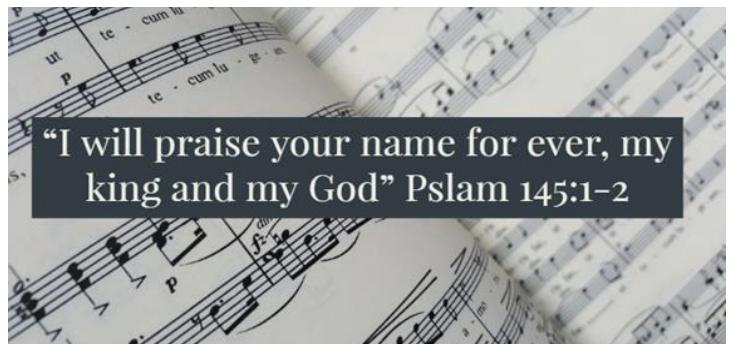
Saturday:	Vigil of Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time Richard Lerch & Joshua Lerch
Sunday:	November 3 – Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary 7:30 John Holonitch 9:00 People of the Parish 10:30 Rita Melaragno 12:00 Michelle Pappa
Monday:	November 4 – St. Charles Borromeo 6:30 Linda Penn 8:30 Joe & Maria Melaragno
Tuesday:	November 5 – Weekday 6:30 John Blanda 8:30 William Berwanger
Wednesday:	November 6 – Weekday 6:30 Scott A. Smith 8:30 Gloria Teresa Fares
Thursday:	November 7 – Weekday 6:30 George Condike 8:30 Living & Deceased Members of The Mallett & McCort Families
Friday:	November 8 6:30 Ken Rabe 8:30 (ASM) Stephen Egelhoff
Saturday:	November 9 9:00 Heimo Langer Vigil of Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time 4:30 p.m. Myrtle Wycoff
Sunday:	November 3 – Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time 7:30 John Bender 9:00 Deceased Members of SVdP Conference 10:30 People of the Parish 12:00 Richard Schumacher

+++ BAPTISMS +++

John Bradley Foster, son of Jonathan & Jacqueline Benjamin Allen Barlow, son of Christopher & Mariah

+++ BANNS OF MATRIMONY +++

III Maria York and Patrick Posani
I Ellen Gavin and Christopher McGee

**BULLETIN DEADLINE – MONDAY at 10:00 a.m.**

Please include contact information with phone number and email address. Bulletin notices may be in writing and mailed, dropped off, or emailed to bulletin@standrewparish.cc. Email will be acknowledged.

E-POST DEADLINE – WEDNESDAY at 10:00 a.m.

Please include contact information with phone number and email address. Only information pertaining to St. Andrew Parish and School will be published in the e-post. Email mbeasecker@standrewparish.cc.

PASTOR'S CORNER

Dear Parishioners,

I wonder if you noticed over the past month the ushers at weekend Masses counting the number of people at Mass? You may not have noticed – they are very discreet! But each year, all parishes in the diocese participate in the “October Count.” This count is used to determine an average Mass attendance for each parish, and to show trends and patterns in parishes around the Diocese. We have completed the October Count for St. Andrew Parish for this year and submitted the figures to the Diocesan office. You may be interested to know what our October Count is. Our combined average Mass attendance for all 5 weekend Masses this year was 1,466. That is 125 fewer people than just one year ago (count in 2018 was 1,591) and more than 350 less people than 4 years ago (count in 2015 was 1,807).

Unfortunately, this reflects a trend that is observed all across the Diocese going back decades. Every year, Mass attendance decreases somewhat. This is true even when the number of registered parishioners goes up. This has been going on for a long time. You may be surprised to know that 25 years ago, in 1994, the average weekend Mass attendance at St. Andrew was 3,528. Our attendance has declined in 25 years by more than the number of our total October count for 2019. (Between 1994 and 2019, we have lost 2,062 in average attendance. As noted above, our 2019 average attendance is just 1,466.) Over the last several years, I have noticed how empty the church is at some of our weekend Masses. This year, the average attendance at the 10:30 a.m. Mass (the Mass with the largest attendance) is less than 400. The average attendance at the Noon Mass is just 298. St. Andrew church is built to accommodate a congregation of over 1,000 persons seated in the pews.

This brings me to something that I have been thinking about for well over a year now. I believe the time has come to change our Sunday Mass schedule and reduce the number of Weekend Masses from 5 to 4. I have brought this idea to the Parish Council and the Liturgy Committee who have supported this proposal. I want to take time to prepare for such a change and I would like to get some input from you, the parishioners, before implementing such a change. I would like you to think about the possibility of a weekend Mass schedule to be implemented in the first quarter of 2020, which includes these Masses:

Saturday – 4:30 p.m. (no change)

Sunday – 7:30 a.m. (no change), 9:30 a.m. and 11:30 a.m.

Is this something you could adjust to? Do you see any particular problems or obstacles? I am very interested in your comments and suggestions. And, of course, I will keep you informed as we prepare to make any changes. Thank you for your attention to this and for your thoughts and ideas.

Your pastor,
Msgr. Stephan Moloney

In Remembrance

The month of November is a special time in our Catholic tradition for remembering our departed loved ones. Please join us at 3:00 p.m. today, **Sunday, afternoon, November 3**, as the St. Andrew choirs and instrumentalists offer a special service in remembrance of loved ones who have passed away. The program will include choral anthems, congregational hymns, Scripture readings and reflections of remembrance, hope and consolation. All are welcome.

Calling all potential lectors! Have you been confirmed? Do you have a voice? Let God's praises be proclaimed by YOUR voice! Come to the training session on **Monday November 4 at 6:30 p.m.** in the church. Please call or email Cathy with questions at 614-404-2418 or ctcovarrubias@gmail.com.



“Long have I waited for your coming home to me and living deeply our new life.”

Adoration takes place in the Church on Tuesday evenings from 6:00-9:00 p.m. followed by Benediction and Compline. On the first Tuesday of each month, Confessions will also be available from 7:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m.

The Week Ahead In Our Parish

Monday	Lector Training, 6:30-8:30 p.m., CH
Tuesday	Adult Faith Formation, 7:00 p.m., MPR
	Adoration, 6:00 p.m.
	Bible Study, 7:00 p.m., PH
	Gravity Turn, 7:30 p.m., BEC
Wednesday	Adult Faith, 9:30 a.m., MPR
	Chorister Practice, 3:00 p.m., CH
	PSR, 4:30 p.m., CH & SCH
	WOSA, 6:30 p.m., PH
	RCIA, 7:00 p.m., MPR
	Walking with Purpose, 7:30 p.m., BEC
Thursday	Blaze 7th, 7:30 p.m., BEC
	Choir Rehearsal, 7:00 p.m., CH
Friday	Family Support Group, 6:30 p.m., POLLMR
Saturday	Men's Faith Formation, 8:00 a.m., PH
Sunday	Donut Sunday following all Masses, PH
	CLOW, 10:30 a.m., MPR
	Scout Parent Meeting, 4:30 p.m., MPR
	Athletic Association VB Banquet, 6:00 p.m., PH
	Middle School Youth Group, 6:30 p.m., BEC

SUNDAY OFFERING

	October 20	YTD
Actual	\$ 48,044	\$ 564,749
Budget	\$ 54,000	\$ 580,925
Last Year	\$ 59,641	\$ 562,722

For your stewardship: Please consider Online Giving. Go to standrewparish.cc and click Online Giving to get started. Please consider signing up for our Online Giving. osvOnlineGiving.com/4150



The students of St. Andrew School will be celebrating Veterans Day with an assembly and a meet and greet on **Monday, November 11th at 8:00 a.m.** All Veterans are invited to attend.

The assembly will take place in the St. Andrew gymnasium. Afterwards, the 7th and 8th grade students will be staying to walk around and meet and talk with our Veterans. Please feel free to bring any medals, photos, or other items that can be shared with our students. Please RSVP Mrs. Jennifer Johnson at jejohnso@cdeducation.org by Thursday, November 7th.

HELP WANTED

The **St. Andrew School cafeteria** is looking for a hard working, energetic, part-time employee to add to its team. We are looking for someone available from 10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. one or two days per week. Previous experience in the restaurant/food service industry is preferred but not necessary. Must pass mandatory background screening and completion of the VIRTUS Protecting God's Children course. If interested, please contact cafeteria manager, Mrs. Valerie Musolino (vmusolino@cdeducation.org or 614-451-1626, ext. 134).

Butter Braid® Pastries!



Flaky outside, mouth-watering filling and creamy frosting, made with 100% real butter — with 16 layers of golden goodness in every bite!

Delivered frozen, sealing in the homemade flavor and freshness — you choose when to thaw, rise, bake and eat!

Chocolate Crème, Lemon, Caramel, & Pumpkin Rolls
for purchase or donation to St. Lawrence Haven!

- Apple
- Cinnamon
- Cream Cheese
- Strawberry Cream Cheese
- Blueberry Cream Cheese
- Raspberry
- Four Cheese and Herb

\$14 EACH

AVAILABLE FOR THANKSGIVING

PLACE ORDERS IN THE PARLOR THIS AND NEXT WEEKEND!
CREDIT CARDS ACCEPTED

Proceeds support
St. Andrew Council #11275, Knights of Columbus



SENIORS' CORNER
At the Eck Center – Senior drop-in card day
2nd Thursday of the month
10:00 a.m. Euchre
11:00 a.m., Bingo, Lunch to follow
4th Thursday of month, 10:00 a.m. Euchre



ST. ANDREW COUNCIL #11275 KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

25 YEARS OF SERVICE & LEADERSHIP 1994-2019

Council #11275's next business meeting will be **Monday, November 11**, at the Bryce Eck Activity Center. Rosary will begin at 6:30 p.m., the meeting will begin promptly at 7:00 p.m. The Christmas holiday is a busy time for our Council — come join your brother Knights as we prepare for our many events and activities!



Food Truck Sunday is back at St. Andrew! We had so much fun in the June gathering after Mass and enjoying great food from Pitabilities and Kona Ice as well as great company with fellow parishioners that we decided to do it again! Join us **TODAY, Sunday, November 3 after ALL Masses** for breakfast, brunch and lunch! Mark your calendars and see you there! For more information, please contact Jen Wenzke at jenwenzke@gmail.com.

St. Andrew Adult Faith Formation

KNOW YOUR FAITH

Mondays through November 11 in the Multipurpose Room 7:00 p.m.-8:30 p.m.

- November 4th – Prayer: Lectio Divina, Divine Mercy Chaplet and more
- November 11th – Make up date or Bible Basics (Synoptic Epistles)

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

Wednesdays through December 4 in the Multipurpose Room, 9:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m.

- November 6 – Robert Barron's Pivotal Players II – Bishop Fulton J. Sheen, Part II
- November 13 – Brant Pitre – Jesus and the Jewish Roots of Advent, Part I
- November 20 – Brant Pitre – Jesus and the Jewish Roots of Advent, Part II
- December 4 – Brant Pitre – Jesus and the Jewish Roots of Advent, Part III

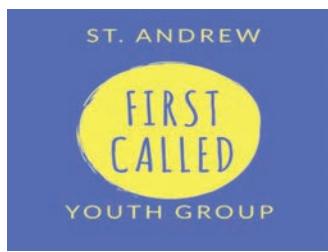
You do not have to register nor attend all of the sessions. Please join us for any that would be of interest to you. For more information or questions, contact Suzie Emsweller at 614-451-2855 or semswell@cdeducation.org.

#iGIVECATHOLIC



DECEMBER 3, 2019

Celebrated annually on the Tuesday after Thanksgiving, Black Friday, and Cyber Monday, #iGiveCatholic is an online giving day that kicks off the charitable season and brings the Catholic community together to give thanks and give back. As the first-ever online giving day created to celebrate our unique Catholic heritage, #iGiveCatholic inspires faithful stewards to "Give Catholic" on #GivingTuesday, a global day of giving. St. Andrew Parish will be participating in this national day of giving. Watch the bulletin for weekly updates.



FIRST CALLED YOUTH GROUP NEWS

HIGH SCHOOL – Youth Group, Sunday, November 3rd, 7:00-9:00 p.m. at the Bryce Eck Center! We will

be going through Session 3 of *Alteration: the Mystery of the Mass Revealed*. Register for High School First Called anytime at linktr.ee/firstcalled.

MIDDLE SCHOOL – November 10th, 6:30-8:00 p.m. at the Bryce Eck Center! We will be having a Friendsgiving Celebration and talking all about The Mass! Bring an appetizer or dessert to share!

Please email Youth Minister, Andrea McCymont at amcclymont@standrewparish.cc with any questions, or to join our email list! Follow us on Instagram @firstcalled!



What is R.C.I.A? The Rite of Catholic Initiation for Adults is a program offered for non-Catholics who may want to join the Catholic Church as well as for Catholics who are interested in learning more about the Catholic faith. Sessions include prayer, fellowship and instruction on topics such as Who is Jesus, The Sacraments, Faith and Catholic Morality. Adult Catholics who have not yet received the Sacrament of Confirmation are also invited to participate. **We are looking for parishioners who are willing to serve as sponsors.** For more information and to reserve your seat today, contact the R.C.I.A. team at rcia@standrewparish.cc or call **Maggie McGlade** at **216-470-8237**. Classes are at 7:00 p.m. and meet each Wednesday through Easter.

St. Andrew Women's Retreat

Share a weekend of reflection on Marian Devotion and Eucharistic Adoration with your fellow Christian women.

Theme – “God’s Got This! – Finding Inner Peace With Christ.”

Learning to live humbly in the moment with Him as we let go and let God!

You are cordially invited to the 11th St. Andrew Women's Retreat

Please join us **Friday, November 15, 2019** (check-in 5:00-6:15pm) thru
Sunday, November 17, 2019 (check out 10:00am)

St. Therese Retreat Center on the east side of Columbus

Facilitated by Father Stephen Dominic Hayes

(Reservations open to 50 women – all single rooms)

Early Bird price - \$135.00 per person (includes all meals, drinks & snacks)

Name: _____ Phone # _____

Address: _____

Email: _____ Parish: _____

Emergency Contact Name _____ Emergency Contact # _____

Additional Stipend Offering \$ _____ Would like to Carpool _____

Please mail your reservation to: **Peggy Rennick, 2039 Fraley Drive, Columbus, OH 43235, email your reservation to peggyrennick@hotmail.com**, drop off your registration & payment to the church office or place your form with payment in the collection basket at Mass. Earlier check-in available by request.

Please make checks payable to St. Andrew Women's Club. **Price after October 27th is \$150.00** Full & partial stipends available to support retreat tuition. Please contact Peggy as discretion is guaranteed. Questions? Call Peggy at 614-266-7712 or Vicky Macklin at 614-329-6862.

ST. ANDREW SCHOOL is blessed to be a part of the St. Andrew Parish community! Here are some ways that parishioners can help the students of St. Andrew School without spending an extra dime!

† Attend a school Mass on Wednesday at 8:30 a.m. and pray with us.

† Collect Box Tops for Education labels. Each label earns 10 cents for the Home & School Association and is used to pay for Catholic School Week activities, field trips, new lockers, and so much more!

† Register your Kroger Rewards card and Giant Eagle Advantage card to benefit St. Andrew School.

† Designate St. Andrew Athletic Association as your Amazon Smiles beneficiary.

For more ways to help, contact Home & School President, Jen Wenzke at jenwenzke@gmail.com.

S.P.I.C.E. Rack SAVE THE DATE

Trivia Night

Saturday, November 16

Nugent Parish Hall

Prizes will be given out to best costumes and decorated tables! Tickets are \$60.00 a person. Reserve a whole table and the 8th guest is free! Professional Trivia with prizes cash bar and wine pull. Please consider becoming a sponsor! If interested, please contact Jenny Fusco at jfusco@ua-law.com.

Saint Andrew Women's Club Presents...

the **ANNUAL HOLIDAY BAZAAR**

Saturday, November 9

9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. • Nugent Parish Hall

Be an early elf or wrap up your Christmas shopping!

Stop by to find that perfect gift for that special someone! You'll find lots of unique vendors/gifts for everyone on your list – tiny tots and pets, too.

You can also try your luck at the raffle, enjoy a Subway lunch, and grab a few delicious treats at the bake sale, including yummy BUCKEYES!

Come for the shopping, stay for the warmth of the holiday season.

Around the Diocese

EGAN-RYAN FUNERAL HOME is sponsoring their 5th annual **Veterans Day Food Drive** to help our local needy veterans and their families. Join with them in giving thanks to our Vets and donate to their Veterans Day Food Drive. Nonperishable food items, personal care items and monetary donations can be dropped off at either of Egan-Ryan's two locations at 403 E. Broad Street or 4461 Kenny Road, Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. beginning November 1st through 8th and on Veterans Day, November 11th. Call 614-221-6665 with questions.

The National Collection for the Archbishop for the Military Services, USA (AMS) is November 10, 2019. The AMS provides the full range of pastoral ministries to those serving (and their families) in the U.S. Armed Services, enrolled in U.S. Military Academies, undergoing treatment at Veteran Affairs Medical Centers and working in civilian jobs for the federal government beyond U.S. borders. Envelopes are available in the parlor. Make checks payable to St. Andrew Parish with AMS and envelope number in the memo section.



St. Charles Preparatory, located at 2010 E. Broad Street, will hold an open house on **Sunday, November 3** at 1:00 p.m. for all 8th grade boys and their parents.



Bishop Watterson High School's mission is to "Restore all things in Christ by educating in the Catholic tradition through prayer, service and study." You are invited to join them at their **Open House on Sunday, November 24 from 1:30-3:30 p.m.** to learn first-hand how our faith community lives out this mission. Principal Deacon Chris Campbell will speak at 2:00 p.m. Bishop Watterson High School is located at 99 E. Cooke Road.

8th Annual Sacred Heart Congress will be held on **Saturday, November 16th** at St. Michael Church in Worthington from 8:00 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. Doors open at 7:00 a.m., Rosary at 7:30 a.m. Mass with Bishop Brennan at 8:00 a.m. Guest speakers are Fr. Stash Dailey and Bill Messerly. Register at www.SacredHeartColumbus.org or call 614-468-3959. \$10.00 for individuals, \$20.00 for families. Scholarships are available.

High School boys and girls basketball Players, the Diocesan Recreation Association wants you! It is time to begin forming your parish **CYO basketball team**. Girls and boys in grades 9-12 are eligible to play. Games will be played on weekends, beginning December 7/8 or December 14/15. All teams must be formed by November 20th and the High School Sport Information Sheet (found at www.columbuscatholic.org/recreation) must be submitted to hold your spot. Questions, please contact Marty Raines at 614-241-2580 or mraines@columbuscatholic.org.

LITURGICAL ROLES SOURCES

Saturday, November 9

4:30 p.m. Colin Lauber, Annie Grotsky, Dominic Rubino

Sunday, November 10

7:30	Madeline Fisher, Isabelle Fisher, NEEDED
9:00	Amanda Cowen, Andrew Jaminet, Lauren Fernandes
10:30	Jake Ryan, Luke Ryan, Lily Ryan
Noon	Grace Farhat, Davis Boone, Eric Feldman

LECTORS

(If the Deacon is present, he will read the Petitions)

Saturday, November 9

4:30 p.m.	Jim Macklin	Cathy Covarrubias
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Sunday, November 10

7:30	Randall Doherty	Judy Kavanaugh
9:00	Chuck Caraanna	Kathy Jones
10:30	Marty Majka	Mike Stuhldreher
Noon	Eagan Foster	Madelyn Palmo

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

*B2, B3 and C2 cleanse the sacred vessels.

The Deacon will serve in C3 when he is present.

Remember the Cantor and those unable to come forward.

Saturday, November 9

4:30 p.m.	B1 Priest	C1 Susan Thornton
	B2 Kathy Couvreur*	C2 Vicki Macklin
	B3 Margaret Saffell*	C3 Mike Plahuta
	B4 Lynda Guenther	C4 Mary Kaminski
	B5 Pamela Sprigler	

Sunday, November 10

7:30	B1 Sudie Mitchell	C1 Darla Reed
	B2 Rachel Leindecker*	C2 Kevin Carpenter*
	B3 Andy Ryan*	C3 Liane Eggle
	B4 Kevin Wohlever	C4 Liane Eggle
9:00	B1 Priest	C1 Debbie Caranna K.
	B2 Bob Jones*	C2 Don McNeal*
	B3 Sarah Smith*	C3 NEEDED
	B4 Jane Sotak	C4 Cathy Montaldo
10:30	B5 Maggie McGlade	
	Bch Peggy Hoffman	Cch Larry Hoffman
	B1 Priest	C1 Claire Ngaduba
	B2 Paul Buerger*	C2 Karen Wiegandt*
	B3 NEEDED*	C3 Damion Faulkner
	B4 David Varda	C4 Laddie Waldgear
Noon	B5 Kate Diday	
	B1 Priest	C1 Rosie Brandon
	B2 Paula Volpe*	C2 Carolyn Kiss*
	B3 NEEDED*	C3 Jenny Statczar
	B4 Mike Koehler	C4 Todd Statczar
	B5 Gerry Wilke	

GREETERS

Saturday, November 9

4:30 p.m.	Carolyn Clausen
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Sunday, November 10

7:30	Ann Lynch, Gene and Judy Onesto
9:00	Jane Dickson, Iris Freisner & Sarah Gerken
10:30	NEEDED
Noon	Linda Blazer

LEAD USHERS

Saturday, November 9

4:30 p.m.	Mike Plahuta
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Sunday, November 10

7:30 Bob Slater	9:00 Doug Kristof
10:30 Radha Desai	Noon Joe Shehadi

Please use the ministry software program to sign up for any of the NEEDED positions at www.rotundasoftware.com/ministry/standrewcolumbus.