

# Our Lady of Mercy Church

## MASS TIMES

### Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday	4:30 p.m.
Sunday	9:30 a.m.
Weekday: Tuesday-Friday	8:30 a.m.
Confessions: Saturday	3:45 p.m.

## OFFICE AND CHURCH HOURS

837 Bartlett Rd. Harborcreek, PA 16421  
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8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

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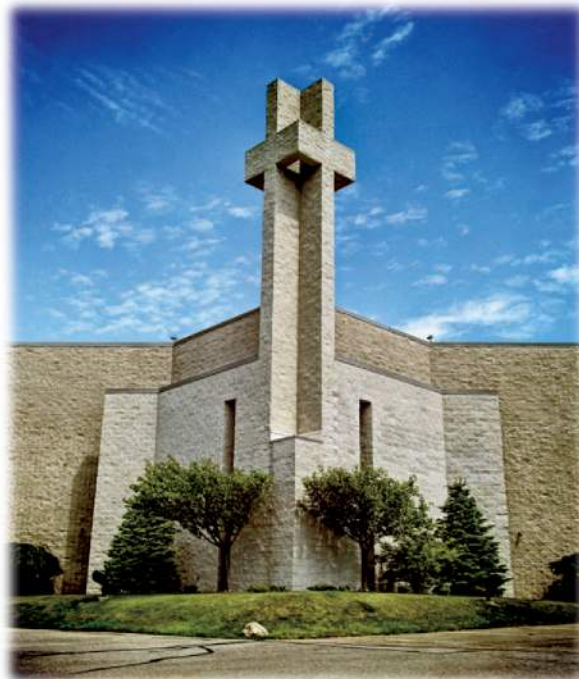
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## The Week Ahead

For a complete calendar of events, please visit:  
[ourladyofmercychurch.org/calendar](http://ourladyofmercychurch.org/calendar)

- Mon. 02/02** 9:30 a.m. Steel Magnolias SCC  
 5:30 p.m. Wild Hope SCC  
 6:00 p.m. Roman Candles SCC  
 6:30 p.m. Fireside Chatters SCC  
 7:00 p.m. Knights of Columbus
- Tue. 02/03** The Feast of St. Blaise  
 8:30 a.m. Blessing of Throats  
 8:30 a.m. OLM Pickleball Club  
 9:15 a.m. Prayer Shawl  
 1:00 p.m. Potters Clay SCC  
 4:00 p.m. Religious Ed Gr 3-6  
 6:00 p.m. Blessing of Throats  
 6:00 p.m. OLM Pickleball Club  
 6:30 p.m. Pastoral Council
- Wed. 02/04** 8:30 a.m. OLM Pickleball Club  
 6:00 p.m. Adult Faith Formation Mtg  
 6:00 p.m. OLM Pickleball Club
- Thu. 02/05** 8:30 a.m. OLM Pickleball Club  
 9:00 a.m. Painting/Crafting Group  
 6:00 p.m. Prayer Shawl  
 6:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal  
 6:00 p.m. OLM Pickleball Club
- Fri. 02/06**
- Sat. 02/07** 10:00 a.m. OLM Pickleball Club  
 3:45 a.m. Sacrament of Penance
- Sun. 02/08** 10:30 a.m. Religious Ed. Gr. K-2 & 9  
 10:30 a.m. Knights of Columbus  
 Induction Ceremony

## Mass Intentions

- Mon. 02/02** 8:30 a.m. **NO MASS**
- Tue. 02/03** 8:30 a.m. **Ray & John Simpson**  
 (The Simpson Family)
- Wed. 02/04** 8:30 a.m.
- Thu. 02/05** 8:30 a.m. **Millie Herrmann**  
 (Family)
- Fri. 02/06** 8:30 a.m.
- Sat. 02/07** 4:30 p.m. **For the People of OLM**
- Sun. 02/08** 9:30 a.m. **Fran Hatheway**  
 (Merry Widows)

## Liturgical Ministry Schedule

If you cannot make your scheduled Mass, please  
 contact another minister to sub for you & notify  
 the Parish Office of any schedule changes.

### Saturday, February 7<sup>th</sup> at 4:30 p.m.

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|---------------------|-------------------|
| <b>Lector</b>       | Clara Camillo     |
| <b>Bowl 1</b>       | Carol Stauffer    |
| <b>Altar Server</b> | Gabby Peters      |
| <b>Greeter</b>      | Jason Rzodkiewicz |
| <b>Greeter</b>      | Joyce Rzodkiewicz |

### Sunday, February 8<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 a.m.

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|---------------------|----------------------------|
| <b>Lector 1</b>     | Karen Sweeney              |
| <b>Lector 2</b>     | Joe Tarquinio              |
| <b>Bowl 1</b>       | Brian Meyer                |
| <b>Bowl 2</b>       | Ed Meyer                   |
| <b>Cup 1</b>        | Karen Meyer                |
| <b>Cup 2</b>        | Marlene Meyer              |
| <b>Cup 3</b>        | Chris Morealli             |
| <b>Cup 4</b>        | Greg Morealli              |
| <b>Altar Server</b> | Falyn Baker & Violet Rizzo |
| <b>Greeter</b>      | Marilyn Garwig             |
| <b>Greeter</b>      | Tony Gilmore               |
| <b>AV Ministry</b>  | Adam Baker                 |
| <b>CLW</b>          |                            |

## We Remember

**Ed Jackson,**

who passed away recently.

Please hold him and his family in your prayers  
 during this difficult time.

## Question of the Week

Question-of-the-Week winner for the week of Jan. 25 was **Laughlin Eighmy, grade 5**, who knew that St. Peter was the first pope. 



## Sanctus

Mark your calendar. The annual Sanctus retreat at OLM will be held **Saturday, March 7**. The event is free and open to all out of high school. Looking for a way to deepen your spiritual life this year? Register for Sanctus.

## The Amigo Program Needs You

The Amigo Program from the Mission Office of the Diocese of Erie partners parishioners in our diocese with families in Merida. Families hold each other in prayer, exchange letters of friendship and learn about each other's lives. Erie partners are asked to make a monthly monetary donation to assist their family who is struggling to provide for their basic needs. The suggested monthly donation is \$35. For more information, see the brochures and registration forms on the bulletin tables.

## THE FEAST OF ST. BLAISE



The feast of St. Blaise will be celebrated with the Blessing of the Throats at Our Lady of Mercy on **Tuesday, February 2<sup>nd</sup>** at **8:30 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.**

## olm book group

Join us on **Wednesday, Feb. 11 @ 6:30**, at the home of Pat Marshall, 516 W. Eaglewood Dr., to discuss Emperor of Gladness by Ocean Vong. In March we will discuss Queens of Crime by Marie Benedict.



**Join Us**

**OUR LADY OF  
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**FEBRUARY 1  
11 A.M. - 4 P.M.**

## Spaghetti Dinner

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## Eucharist to the Homebound

If you are unable to join us on Sunday morning, let us bring the eucharist to you. Contact Irene at [ilucas@ourladyofmercychurch.org](mailto:ilucas@ourladyofmercychurch.org) or **814-899-6132** to let us know of your need.

## No Greater Love

"No Greater Love" is a biblical journey through the Passion of Christ. Dr. Edward Sri will bring together the events of Holy Week with their Old Testament allusions and current spiritual implications. Each week will begin with a 30 minute video presentation followed by group discussion. The study will be offered twice each week, 9:30 Thursday morning or 5:30 Saturday evening in the Conference Room. There is no cost, no registration, no obligation to attend every week. Participants can purchase a companion book at Ascension Press, but it is not needed for the study.



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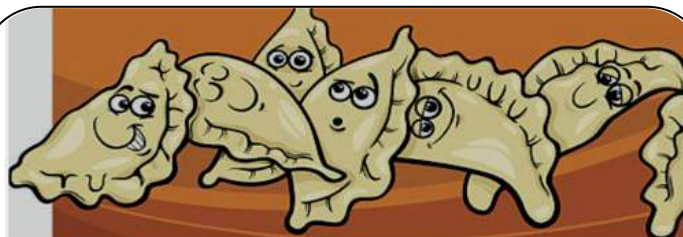
## Invitation to a Small Christian Community

Lent is just around the corner. If you are looking for something to enrich your Lenten journey, consider a small faith group. Here is what one parishioner has experienced.

"I have been part of Sophia's Circle for over 35 years, and in time, much has changed and much has stayed the same. Our numbers have decreased with death, illness, moving out of town (although they are still a vital part of our group) and increased with the addition of new members over the years. But the heart and core have endured and grown in love and gratitude for the gifts that each one brings our group.

We have shared our sorrows, joys, trials, fears and various life experiences without feat of judgment. We laugh, we pray, we eat, we celebrate, we morn together in a spirit that has been forged by the bonds of friendship and camaraderie. I am so grateful for the positive and uplifting influence my "sister" have on my life. They are a true blessing to me." Joanne Cargioli

If you would like more information about joining a small faith group, contact Irene at **814-899-6132** or [ilucas@ourladyofmercychurch.org](mailto:ilucas@ourladyofmercychurch.org). We have communities to meet a variety of schedules.



## WHO DOESN'T LOVE PIEROGIES!

Ever wish you knew how to make them?

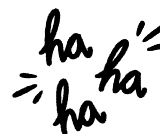
Join us on Saturday, February 21 from 11:00 – 1:00 in Sperry Hall as Karen Sweeney and Tina Piotrowicz demonstrate how to make their delicious pierogies and various fillings.

Best of all, we will be able to sample them at the end!



## The Sunday Silly.

What does Punxsutawney Phil use to clean his laundry?  
Hogwash.



# Ash Wednesday

## Wednesday, February 18th

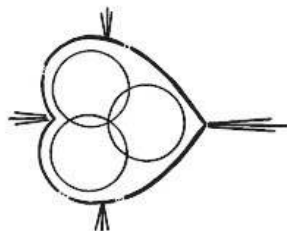
Mass with  
distribution of  
Ashes at  
8:30 a.m. & 6 p.m.



# SANCTUS

March 7, 2026

Retreat! Step back from the hectic pace of life to spend a day with God. Give yourself the gift of time to hear afresh the story of God's great love, to renew your faith and deepen your walk with Christ. Join us for prayer, reflection, sharing and renewal.



Meals are provided. There is no cost. To register, complete the bottom portion of this flier and return it to the RE Office or in the collection basket by Feb. 22.

Questions? Call Irene @ 814-899-6132  
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# Music for Mass

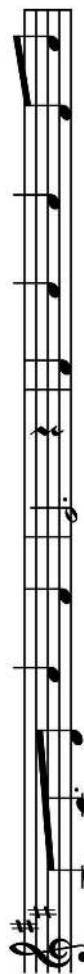
Gathering: Praise to the Lord - # 585

Offertory: O How Blessed

Verses



1. O how blessed are the poor in spir - it, the  
2. O how blessed are the meek and low - ly, for  
3. O how blessed are the pure of heart, for  
4. O how blessed those who fight for peace, the




1. king - dom of God is theirs. O how blessed those who  
2. they shall pos - sess the earth. O how blessed those who  
3. they shall be - hold God's face. O how blessed those who  
4. chil - dren of God are they. O how blessed those de -



1. dwell in sor - row, they sure - ly will be con - soled.  
2. thirst for jus - tice, they sure - ly will have their fill.  
3. mend with mer - cy, for - give - ness is their re - ward.  
4. spised and hat - ed, who bear it be - cause of me.

Refrain



Re - joice and be glad, be - loved of the Lord, the  
king - dom of heav - en is yours. The first shall be last, the  
last shall be first, for such is the wis - dom of God.

Communion: Here at This Table - # 777

Recessional: City of God - # 813

## Prayer for a New Bishop

O Almighty God,  
Pour forth the Holy Spirit upon the Holy Father  
and those who assist him  
in the discernment of our new bishop.  
May the one chosen have the strength  
to be a compassionate leader,  
who models humility and joy.  
Grant him the wisdom of Solomon,  
the courage of the apostles,  
and the tenderness of your Son, the Good Shepherd.

We also pray for the Diocese of Erie  
that he is called to serve.  
May we welcome him with open hearts  
and work with him in a spirit of synodality,  
called to listen, collaborate, and build unity.  
Through the intercession of the  
Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church,  
St. Joseph, the protector of the Church,  
and St. Patrick, the patron of our diocese,  
may we journey the path of life  
with an unwavering focus  
on the hope we have in Christ.

For he lives and reigns forever and ever. Amen.





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