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*Risen*  
EASTER 2024

**OUR LADY OF FATIMA FAMILY OF PARISHES**

**Church of the Transfiguration**

972 S. Miami Street, West Milton, OH 45383

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### ST. CLARE ADORATION CHAPEL

Entrance is at the back of St. Boniface.

Saturday, 5:00 a.m.-Thursday, 11:59 p.m.

Friday, 4:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m.

### ST. PATRICK

Wednesdays following morning Mass to 7:00 p.m.

### TRANSFIGURATION

Thursdays following morning Mass to 7:00 p.m.

## CHURCHES

**St. Boniface Catholic Church** SB 937-773-1656

310 S. Downing St., Piqua, OH 45356 [www.piquaparishes.org](http://www.piquaparishes.org)

Monday-Thursday 8:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

Friday 8:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

**St. Mary Catholic Church** SM 937-773-1327

528 Broadway St., Piqua, OH 45356 [www.piquaparishes.org](http://www.piquaparishes.org)

Monday-Thursday 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Friday 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

**St. Patrick Catholic Church** SP 937-335-2833

409 E. Main St., Troy, OH 45373 [www.stpattroy.org](http://www.stpattroy.org)

Monday-Thursday 8:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

**St. Teresa of the Infant Jesus** ST 937-473-2970

6925 W. US Rt. 36 [www.stteresacovington.org](http://www.stteresacovington.org)

Covington, OH 45318

Hours by Appointment

**Church of the Transfiguration** TR 937-698-4520

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West Milton, OH 45383

Monday-Friday 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

### NEW! BULLETIN ENTRIES

Bulletin content submissions are due two Thursdays prior to the weekend it's needed or sooner. See the one-stop OLF bulletin submission link on any of our church websites.

### CONTACT YOUR CHURCH OFFICE FOR THE FOLLOWING:

**BAPTISM** Class is required, by appointment.

**MATRIMONY** Schedule at least nine months in advance. Preparation program and parish registration is required.

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK** Those weakened by age, afflicted by serious illness or preparing for serious surgery should receive this sacrament.

**HOMEBOUND** Extraordinary Ministers can be arranged to visit homes and nursing facilities with the Eucharist for those unable to worship on Sundays.

**SAFEPARISH** To volunteer with children within Our Lady of Fatima, you must be Archdiocesan compliant and registered with the SafeParish program.

**PARISHIONER CONTACT INFO** Be sure to keep your address, phone number and email up-to-date!

## OLF PASTORAL COUNCIL See page 3 for how to be involved

SB Amy Woehrmyer

SP Crystal Ayers

SB Teresa Burnside

ST Duane Bachman

SM Michelle Cox

ST Bev Yount

SM Melissa Galbreath

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# WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

MASS TIME	PARISH	PRESIDER	INTENTION	READING
<b>MONDAY, APRIL 22</b>				
7:45 a.m. 8:15 a.m. 8:30 a.m.	St. Patrick Transfiguration St. Boniface	Fr. Steven Shoup Fr. Jerry Bensman Fr. Eric Bowman	Laura Gudorf Nate Ankerman Living & Deceased of the Charles & Nunziatina Caserta Family	Acts 11:1-18 Jn 10:1-10
<b>TUESDAY, APRIL 23</b>				
7:45 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	St. Patrick St. Boniface Transfiguration	Fr. Eric Bowman Fr. James Duell Fr. Isaiah Callan	†Ray Guillozet †Eleanor Thoma †Stefan & Barbara Diettrich	St. Adalbert, Bishop & Martyr Acts 11:19-26 Jn 10:22-30
<b>WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24</b>				
7:45 a.m. 8:15 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 8:30 a.m.	St. Patrick Transfiguration St. Mary St. Teresa	Fr. Eric Bowman Fr. Steven Shoup Fr. Isaiah Callan Fr. James Duell	Poor Souls of Purgatory Purgatorian Mass †Tom Jones †David Mayor	St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen, Priest & Martyr Acts 12:24-13:5a Jn 12:44-50
<b>THURSDAY, APRIL 25</b>				
8:15 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 8:30 a.m.	Transfiguration St. Patrick St. Boniface St. Teresa	Fr. Steven Shoup Fr. Isaiah Callan Fr. Eric Bowman Fr. James Duell	OLF Priests †Charles Heckman †Jerry Peters †Nicholas Deeter	St. Mark, Evangelist 1 Pt 5:5b-14 Mk 16:15-20
<b>FRIDAY, APRIL 26</b>				
7:45 a.m. 8:15 a.m. 8:30 a.m.	St. Patrick Transfiguration St. Mary	Fr. Isaiah Callan Fr. Steven Shoup Fr. James Duell	†Clarence & Eileen Spade Poor Souls in Purgatory †Ernie Vagedes	Acts 13:26-33 Jn 14:1-6
<b>SATURDAY, APRIL 27</b>				
8:30 a.m. 3:30 p.m. 5:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.	St. Mary St. Boniface St. Patrick St. Mary Transfiguration	Fr. Eric Bowman Fr. Eric Bowman Fr. Isaiah Callan Fr. James Duell Fr. Steven Shoup	†Charles & Rita Hennessey †Patricia Hiser †Lawrence & Eleanor Huter and Family †Sylvester Magoteaux †Brooks Barnes	Acts 13:44-52 Jn 14:7-14
<b>SUNDAY, APRIL 28</b>				
7:30 a.m. 7:30 a.m. 7:30 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 11:30 a.m.	St. Patrick Transfiguration St. Teresa St. Mary St. Patrick Transfiguration St. Teresa St. Boniface St. Patrick	Fr. Isaiah Callan Fr. Steven Shoup Fr. Eric Bowman Fr. James Duell Fr. Isaiah Callan Fr. Steven Shoup Fr. Eric Bowman Fr. James Duell Fr. Joseph Kozar	†Patrick Dromej Living & Deceased of TR †Elaine Christian Jim & Nancy Kearns – Anniversary †Bob Rose †Norma & Charles Parmenter †Rita & Greg Holthaus Living & Deceased of SB & SM Parishes †Jean Evenden	5th Sunday of Easter Acts 9:26-31 1 Jn 3:18-24 Jn 15:1-8

\$ = 2nd Collection   † = In Memoriam   \* = Fellowship Sunday, coffee and doughnuts after Mass  
All weekday and Sunday Masses are streamed at Transfiguration: [transfigurationcatholicchurch.org/streamspot](https://transfigurationcatholicchurch.org/streamspot).

## CONFESSIONS

CHURCH	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>ST. PATRICK</b>			6:00-6:45 p.m.			4:00-4:30 p.m.
<b>TRANSFIGURATION</b>				6:00-7:00 p.m.		3:30-4:30 p.m.
<b>ST. BONIFACE</b>					6:00-6:45 p.m.	
<b>ST. MARY</b>						9:00 a.m.
<b>ST. TERESA</b>		5:00-6:00 p.m.				

## GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

### FR. ERIC'S RAMBLINGS – VENERABLE LUCIA – THE LONELY MARIAN APOSTLE – PT. 6



#### • The Sacred Moment of Her First Holy Communion •

“Once the High Mass began and the great moment drew near, my heart beat faster and faster, in expectation of the visit of the great God who was about to descend from Heaven, to unite Himself to my poor soul. The parish priest came down and passed among the rows of children, distributing the Bread of Angels. I had the good fortune to be the first one to receive. As the priest was coming down the altar steps, I felt as though my heart would leap from my breast. But he had no sooner placed the Divine Host on my tongue than I felt an unalterable serenity and peace. I felt myself bathed in such a supernatural atmosphere that the presence of Our Dear Lord became as clearly perceptible to me as if I had seen and heard Him with my bodily senses. I then addressed my prayer to Him: “O Lord, make me a saint. Keep my heart always pure, for You alone.” Then it seemed that in the depths of my heart, Our Dear Lord distinctly spoke these words to me: “The grace granted to you this day will remain living in your soul, producing fruits of eternal life.”

### SUBMIT BULLETIN CONTENT REQUESTS VIA THE NEW ONE-STOP, SIMPLE LINK!

**Find the link on any of our Our Lady of Fatima websites.** An easy-to-use Google Form will be the sole method for submissions moving forward. This will ensure consistency in the materials collected to help those submitting and those maintaining the entries. If there is a question, please call the Transfiguration office at 937-698-4520.

### BONUS BULLETIN CONTENT

Troy and Piqua parishioners can find bonus bulletin content/info from outside of our family of parishes by visiting [www.transfigurationcatholicchurch.org/sunday-bulletins](http://www.transfigurationcatholicchurch.org/sunday-bulletins) and scrolling to the final page.

*A special way you can serve your parish*

**OUR LADY OF FATIMA PASTORAL COUNCIL** effectively unified with representation from all five churches this year! In preparation for the first term-limits expiring this coming summer, Pastoral Council wishes to extend an invitation for self-nomination. Please contact your church office manager by May 1 to be added to the rolling nomination list for Pastoral Council's consideration and potential appointment as vacancies arise in the future.

**OLF Pastoral Council Purpose:** Striving to be missionary disciples, Pastoral Council provides a platform to share support, concerns, praises and liaising to pastoral leadership so that the Church can continue to be strengthened. Pastoral Council participates in interactive exchanges, serves as a voice of the people and allows for additional accountability for the parish's strategic plan goals.

*Pastoral Council typically meets once per month, approximately eight-ten months per year. The term-limit is typically three years with consideration for renewal.*

## MINISTRIES

### YOUTH MINISTRY

Congratulations to our newly-confirmed as they receive the gifts of the Holy Spirit this month!  
Please pray for them and their faith journey. Photos to follow!

There are still a few more opportunities remaining for Youth Ministry sessions this school year!

All are welcome:

Youth Group – Grades 9-12 Sundays | 7:00-8:30 p.m.

**April 21 | April 28**

Bosco Night – Grades 6-8 Mondays | 7:00-8:30 p.m.

**April 22 | April 29 | May 6 | May 13 | May 20**

Both programs are held in the Youth Ministry building at Transfiguration.

Questions: [acanavan@stpattroy.org](mailto:acanavan@stpattroy.org)

### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

**Our Lady of Fatima's Final CCD Classes** are noted here and will include an end-of-year party! Parents/guardians, please mark your calendars, as families are encouraged and invited to attend! Second graders are welcome to bring their special First Communion gifts that they would like to have blessed by our priest.

St. Patrick	April 30
St. Boniface/St.Mary	May 8
Transfiguration	May 7

**Parents, you are the most important teachers of your child's faith, and we have been proud to support your domestic church this year!** Stay tuned for next year's CCD enrollment and program information later this summer. Feel free to invite others whose students need this reliable, fun, sacramental and educational program. In the meantime, we'll be sure to greet you and your children with smiles at Sunday Masses!

**FIRST COMMUNION:** Please pray for our First Communicants as they join us in receiving the most beautiful physical Body and Blood of Christ during special Masses this month and next. Congratulations, second graders!

**OCIA:** Enroll to become initiated into the Catholic Church through Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA, formerly RCIA).

**CCD:** Join us! Volunteer, inquire or register your child for Confraternity of Christian Doctrine (CCD).

Contact the Director of Religious Ed, Susan Anderson:  
[sanderson@stpattroy.org](mailto:sanderson@stpattroy.org) | 937-335-2833, ext. 2006.

ST. CLARE EUCHARISTIC ADORATION CHAPEL



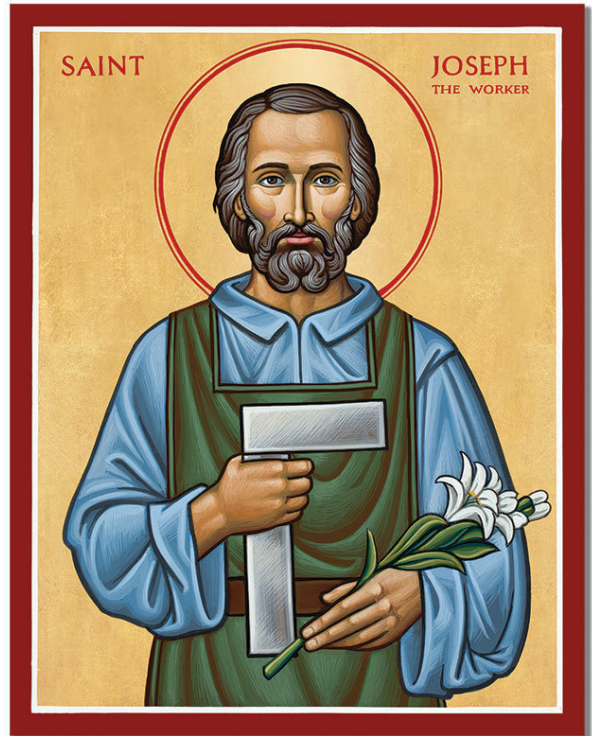
Praise God for all the blessings that come from the devotion of Adoration! We are blessed in so many ways – with this special place to visit almost anytime, with committed, original guardians since the inception of the chapel in 1990, and with several recent new, regular and substitute guardians from all over Our Lady of Fatima’s region. Thank you!

**Consider this call for HELP! There is still a great need** for late evening substitutes along with regular and substitute guardians for overnight. Please prayerfully consider responding to this invitation to be a guardian once/twice per month, weekly or as a sub. To inquire about available hours, or to ask questions about St. Clare Chapel, please contact Mike Epperly at 937-622-0112 or Mary Jane Karn at 937-778-0496.

PIQUA CHURCHES CONTACTS

Prayer Chain	Gretchen Roeth	778-0325
Knights of Columbus	Dennis DeBrosse	214-7945
Knights of St. John	Doug Francony	214-4915

FOOD PANTRY DONATIONS



In honor of the Feast of St. Joseph the Worker on May 1, the St. Boniface and St. Mary churches will continue the tradition of donating nonperishable food items to the Bethany Center Food Pantry. A St. Joseph Table will be set up at all weekend Masses for donations on April 27 and 28.

PIQUA CATHOLIC DAILY DRAWING

**April 15-19:**  
Marilyn Hoban, Dick & Gail Brandewie,  
Kathy Henne, Linda Blais, John & Barb Vavroch

**\$7-A-MONTH CLUB WINNERS – APRIL**  
**Bob and Cathy Bogart**

THANK YOU!

Adult Faith Formation shares thanks to parishioners for participating in the “Prayer Partners Program” for our 2024 OCIA participants and Confirmation students.

MISSION COMMISSION

The Mission Commission committee will begin to accept their annual Rummage Sale items by appointment. Contact Don Stonerock at 937-773-2400 or Rose Hemm at 937-778-8642 to donate. Thank you for supporting the Mission Commission! Stay tuned for more info regarding the Rummage Sale in the near future.

Join us! The next Mission Commission committee meeting will be April 29 at 6:00 p.m. in the North Street Campus cafeteria. We will discuss the Rummage Sale and a few other agenda items.

CONGRATULATIONS

Piqua Catholic will induct Marilyn Hoban, former teacher, into the Hall of Fame on Sunday, May 5! To congratulate Marilyn on this significant achievement, please find slips of paper with the appropriate mailing address at the entrances of the two Piqua churches. Congratulations, Marilyn!

LITURGICAL MINISTERS – ST. BONIFACE

Saturday, April 27 – 3:30 p.m.	
Altar Server	C. Calvert, D. Johnston, D. Johnston
Extraordinary Ministers	B. Daniel, J. Herbe, V. Pierson, L. Ventura
Lectors	R. Webb, T. Sharp
Sacristan	B. Brush
Ushers/Greeters	C. Peltier, Volunteer, P. Penny, D. Penny
Sunday, April 28 – 11:00 a.m.	
Altar Servers	F. Friend, K. Johns, C. Herbst
Extraordinary Ministers	D. Johnson, G. Johnson, D. Peltier, J. Peltier
Lectors	K. Zimmerman, M. McDonald
Sacristan	D. Decknadel
Ushers/Greeters	B. Decknadel, J. Josefovsky, T. Jenkins, M. Cool

LITURGICAL MINISTERS – ST. MARY

Saturday, April 27 – 5:00 p.m.	
Altar Servers	D. Richard, J. Richard, G. Staley
Extraordinary Ministers	J. Mikolajewski, K. Wendeln, C. Cianciolo, B. Karpinski
Lectors	B. Hewitt, E. Merrifield
Sacristan	R. Holtvogt
Ushers/Greeters	R. Ventura, P. Larger, 2 Volunteers
Sunday, April 28 – 9:00 a.m.	
Altar Servers	E. O’Leary, F. O’Leary, G. O’Leary
Extraordinary Ministers	M. Galbreath, S. Mary Alice, C. Lee, D. Stonerock
Lectors	J. Terry, C. Buecker
Sacristan	A. Cecil
Ushers/Greeters	R. Foster, S. Kalmar, D. Francony, P. Jenkins

# ST. PATRICK

## LITURGICAL MINISTERS – ST. PATRICK

Saturday, April 27 – 5:00 p.m.	
Altar Servers	C. Pannapara, L. Schwietermann
Extraordinary Ministers	Dcn. J. Carlin, J. Scott, K. Scott
Lector	V. Pannapara
Sacristan	T. Pannapara
Sunday, April 28 – 7:30 a.m.	
Altar Servers	E. Gudorf, A. Knapke
Extraordinary Ministers	P. Menker, A. Gehret, Volunteer
Lector	J. Gudorf
Sacristan	S. Gudorf
Sunday, April 28 – 9:30 a.m.	
Altar Servers	A. Cianciolo, S. Goubeaux, W. Kelleher
Extraordinary Ministers	H. Spaide, C. Bockey, P. Cartwright, M. Gifford
Lector	A. Cianciolo
Sacristan	M. Henry
Sunday, April 28 – 11:30 a.m.	
Altar Servers	B. Baumann, B. Baumann
Extraordinary Ministers	D. Wolfe, A. Gutman, Dcn. J. Carlin
Lector	J. Iames
Sacristan	J. Iames

## ATTENTION WOMEN OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA

Are you looking for a way to meet other women members of our parish and increase your knowledge of the Catholic faith? Join the W.E. Discuss (Women's Enrichment Discussion Group) which meets the first and third Mondays of each month, September-May. Meetings are held in the Art Room, second floor, of StoryPoint in Troy.

9:00-9:30 a.m. Coffee and socializing  
9:30-11:00 a.m. Discussion of faith-related topics

We would love to have you join! For more info, contact Rosemary at 937-339-7926 or Mary at 937-339-5286.



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**Prayer Chain** Sue Hastings 937-339-2945  
shastings@woh.rr.com



## TRANSFIGURATION

### LITURGICAL MINISTERS – TRANSFIGURATION

#### Saturday, April 27 – 5:00 p.m.

Altar Servers	O. Sanders, D. Harrison, F. Harrison
Extraordinary Ministers	V. Daum, C. Crabtree, L. Albright
Lector	D. Albright
Sacristan	C. Crabtree
Ushers	T. Paxton, J. Ruffing, T. Bushong, M. Bushong

#### Sunday, April 28 – 7:30 a.m.

Altar Servers	Volunteers
Extraordinary Ministers	R. Gallegos, J. Mergler, D. Mergler
Lector	S. Schaurer
Sacristan	R. Gallegos
Ushers	N. Carport, R. Gallegos, J. Stutz

#### Sunday, April 28 – 10:00 a.m.

Altar Servers	G. Moore, J. Moore
Extraordinary Ministers	T. Fisher, M. Olenchuk, M. Hummel
Lectors	C. August, M. Schubert
Sacristan	L. Manson, C. August, <b>Volunteers</b>

## TRANSFIGURATION CONTACTS

<b>Prayer Chain</b>	Shelly Thompson	937-698-4520
<b>Altar Rosary Society</b>	Rosalie Dzendzel	937-698-3251
<b>Men's Prayer Group</b>	Mike Schubert	937-776-9082
<b>Homebound Ministry</b>	Mary Allen	937-269-2558
<b>Street Saints</b>	Jeanne White	937-829-5147

## ST. TERESA

### ST. TERESA CONTACTS

<b>Shelter Rentals</b>	Alex Moore	937-418-8884
<b>Prayer Chain</b>	Anne Vanderhorst	937-473-5497

### LITURGICAL MINISTERS – ST. TERESA

#### Sunday, April 28 – 7:30 a.m.

Altar Server	J. Kuether
Extraordinary Minister	M. Kuether
Lector	M. Kuether
Ushers	T. Kuether, C. Wehner

#### Sunday, April 28 – 10:30 a.m.

Altar Server	C. Vanderhorst, R. Vanderhorst
Extraordinary Minister	E. Vanderhorst
Lector	E. Vanderhorst
Ushers	K. Rindler, A. Moore



### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus Council #15424 will meet on Monday, April 22 at 7:00 p.m.

The Covington Knights of Columbus will be having one more Fish Fry on Friday, April 26 in the St. Teresa Parish Hall from 4:30 to 7:00 p.m. or until all meals are sold out. Meals are \$10 and include 3 pieces of fish, 2 sides and coffee. Soft drinks and desserts will also be available for purchase.

Interested in becoming a Knight? K of C members will be available after both Masses at St. Teresa on April 21 to answer any questions you may have. Any practicing Catholic who is male and 18 years or older is eligible to join.



*Join this special annual event:  
"Taste & See" Spring Social!*

Saturday, April 27, 7:00-10:00 p.m. at the Piqua Catholic North Street campus! A specially-crafted selection of delicious appetizers and desserts with top-shelf bourbons, fine wines and craft beers will be ready to sample. Learn from the bourbon and wine experts! Don't miss the Brewing Education and Tasting Session from 7:00-7:30 p.m. in the cafeteria, featuring six craft beers and a NEW beer brewed EXCLUSIVELY for this event! A cash bar featuring craft cocktails and mocktails will also be available. Enjoy LIVE entertainment, raffles and more. Tickets are \$60.

[www.piquacatholic.org/page/tasteandsee](http://www.piquacatholic.org/page/tasteandsee)

Follow on Facebook for more event details @PiquaCatholicSchool

## DAY OF RENEWAL



### *“The Messages of Fatima for Our Times”*

**Speaker:** Mother Marie-Cecile of the Trinity

**Date:** Tuesday, May 14, 2024

**Times:**

Mass 8:15 a.m. | Rosary after Mass

Program 9:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

Chaplet of Divine Mercy to close the day

**Where:** Holy Family Catholic Church  
Frenchtown 11255 OH-185, Versailles, OH 45380

Light lunch and water will be provided

\*Free will donation will be accepted.

Church is air conditioned.

You may want to bring a sweater or wrap.

**RSVP:** Reservations are required by

May 1, 2024 to reserve your spot.

**Contact:** Ginny Metzcar

call: 937-916-5020 | text: 937-417-1305

email: gmetzcar47@gmail.com

### **“MARY IN CATHOLIC EDUCATION”**

The Blessed Virgin Mary is an integral component of Catholic educational culture as both a subject of teaching and an exemplar for educators. In this exhibit, teacher education students at the University of Dayton use materials from the Marian Library’s collections to explore how Catholic ideals have been shared with different audiences through various media.

**Dates:** Open now through June 28, 2024

**Cost:** Free and open to the public

**Location:** University of Dayton Roesch Library  
(first-floor gallery and the Marian Library, seventh floor)

**Parking, directions and other information:**

[go.udayton.edu/mary-in-catholic-ed](http://go.udayton.edu/mary-in-catholic-ed)

**Hours:** 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday

### **CATHOLIC FAMILY FARM AWARDS**

Century Farm Award would like to honor Catholic family farms that are celebrating 100 years in the north region of the Archdiocese of Cincinnati. Awards will be presented at the 2024 Rural Urban Mass on Thursday, June 27, 7:00 p.m. at the Auglaize County Fairgrounds.

To apply for the award, please contact Roger Hoying: [rbhoying@hotmail.com](mailto:rbhoying@hotmail.com) or 419-733-4543.

### **CANCER PRAYER SERVICE TO BE HELD AT SHRINE**

The Shrine is pleased to be able to offer the St. Peregrine Relic for prayer and veneration. Three times per year, a prayer service is held for those who are on a journey with cancer, whether it be as a patient or as a caregiver. The next service will be held on Sunday, April 21st at 2:00 p.m. in the Shrine’s Adoration Chapel. This event is free and open to the public. All who have been affected by cancer are encouraged to attend. The Maria Stein Shrine is located at 2291 St. Johns Road, Maria Stein, OH.

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