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## MASS AND SACRAMENTS

### Daily Masses

Monday Novena Mass ... 7:00 PM

Tuesday, Thursday,

Friday & Saturday ..... 8:30 AM

Saturday Vigil ..... 4:00 PM

Sunday Mass .... 9:00 & 11:00 AM

### Reconciliation

30 minutes before Mass  
or by appointment



## MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA

Monday Mornings with Mary and Her Son  
8:30 AM Holy Hour  
Monday 7:00 PM with Mass

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**LITURGICAL MINISTERS SCHEDULE****Saturday, January 24****4:00 p.m.**

Lector: Need Volunteer

Eucharistic Minister: \* Need Volunteer

Server: Need Volunteer

**Sunday, January 25****9:00 a.m.**

Lector: A. Kaiser

Eucharistic Ministers: \* D. Sielschott, H. VanTilburg

Servers: E. Cabrera, J. VanTilburg

**11:00 a.m.**

Lectors: C. Rowe, N. Smith

Eucharistic Ministers: \* P. Davis, N. Smith

Servers: Need Volunteers

**COLLECTION COUNTERS (JANUARY 25):**

Rowe, Sohner, Smith

**LITURGICAL LINENS (FEBRUARY):**

K. Rowe

**READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK**

Isaiah 8:23–9:3

1 Corinthians 1:10-13, 17

Matthew 4:12-23

**THE POPE'S MONTHLY INTENTION (JANUARY):****For Prayer with the Word of God**

Let us pray that praying with the Word of God be nourishment for our lives and a source of hope in our communities, helping us build a more fraternal and missionary Church.

**THE SANCTUARY LAMP BURNS  
THIS WEEK: (JANUARY 18TH)**

In memory of Karin Carrier

**LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS****Saturday, January 17 –****Vigil: Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

4:00 p.m. Patricia Heston – Linda Boggs

**Sunday, January 18 –****Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

9:00 a.m. Casimir Zawisa – Marita and Family

11:00 a.m. The Living and Deceased of SMM

**Monday, January 19 – Weekday**

7:00 p.m. Marion Dalicandro – Joe &amp; Karen Harrison

**Tuesday, January 20 – Weekday**

8:30 a.m. Lew Lindner – Bobbi Lindner

**Thursday, January 22 – Day of Prayer for the Legal  
Protection of Unborn Children**

8:30 a.m. Karen Carrier – Lisa Carrier

**Friday, January 23 – Weekday**

8:30 a.m. Darlene Marie Drake – The Rhodes Family

**Saturday, January 24 – Saint Francis de Sales,  
Bishop and Doctor of the Church**

8:30 a.m. The Special Intention of the Priest

**Saturday, January 24 –****Vigil: Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

4:00 p.m. Kathy Foley – Birthright of Columbus

**Sunday, January 25 –****Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

9:00 a.m. The Living and Deceased of SMM

11:00 a.m. Jodie Marmon – Cindy Oddi

**NOW ACCEPTING BOOK/MEDIA  
SALE DONATIONS!**

With our Annual St. Mary Magdalene Book and Media Sale set for **Saturday, February 28th and Sunday, March 1st**, we are now accepting donations



of new and gently-used books, board games, jigsaw puzzles, music CDs and children's DVDs. Please also consider donating your old vinyl records! Collectors have discovered our sale and are buying dozens of albums from the 1960s, 1970s and 1980s, especially Vintage Rock & Roll, Country, Pop and Motown records. (Please, no 45s or 78s.) Especially requested books are recent best sellers by popular fiction authors, memoirs, biographies and children's literature.



Please do NOT donate your encyclopedias, textbooks, dictionaries, Reader's Digest condensed books, VHS or cassette tapes. There is simply no market for these items. You may bring your donations to church with you and place in the bins at each door or drop items off at the church offices on weekdays between 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. If you are interested in helping in any way, you may call or text Nancy Smith at 614-746-7203.



**FROM THE DESK OF THE PRIEST:**

Beautiful proclamation of John the Baptist: "I have seen Him and I testify that this is the Son of God." It is the declaration of someone who has experienced Him and cannot remain silent because deep within his being he has received Him: "I have seen Him," and immediately he proclaims, "and I testify that this is the Son of God." We, the missionary servants of the Word, have as part of our spirituality a phrase that we take very seriously in our missionary life: "Whoever has known God cannot remain silent," taught by our founder, Father Luis Butera, and which compels us to proclaim the One who has called us. It is a very true and powerful phrase from someone who cannot remain still without speaking of Jesus, without making Him known, like John the Baptist. May this Sunday the Word who became Man and dwelt among us inspire us to proclaim Him and never remain silent before a world that needs Him today more than ever.

Fr. J. Fernando Bonilla Sánchez, MSP

**DEL ESCRITORIO DEL SACERDOTE:**

Hermosa proclamación de Juan el Bautista "yo lo vi y doy testimonio de que éste es el Hijo de Dios". Es la declaración del alguien que lo ha experimentado, y no puede callarse porque muy dentro de su ser lo ha recibido "yo lo vi" y en seguida proclama "y doy testimonio de que éste es el Hijo de Dios". Los misioneros servidores de la palabra tenemos como parte de nuestra espiritualidad una frase que llevamos muy en serio en nuestra vida misionera "Quien ha conocido a Dios no puede callar", enseñada por nuestro fundador, el padre Luis Butera, y que nos impulsa a anunciar a Aquel que nos ha llamado. Es una muy cierta y fuerte frase de quien no se puede quedar quieto sin hablar de Jesús, de darlo a conocer, como Juan el Bautista. Que este domingo la Palabra que se ha hecho Hombre y hábitó entre nosotros nos impulse a anunciarlo y a jamás quedarnos en silencio ante el mundo que lo necesita hoy más que nunca.

Fr. J. Fernando Bonilla Sánchez, MSP

**LA INTENCIÓN MENSUAL DEL PAPA (ENERO):  
PARA ORAR CON LA PALABRA DE DIOS**


Recemos para que orar con la Palabra de Dios sea alimento para nuestras vidas y fuente de esperanza en nuestras comunidades, ayudándonos a construir una Iglesia más fraternal y misionera.

**18 DE ENERO DE 2026 –**

**SEGUNDO DOMINGO EN TIEMPO ORDINARIO**
**Introducción a la Liturgia del Día**

Desde Navidad hemos oído cómo Jesús se reveló con el tiempo al mundo exterior. Se manifestó ante los pastores cercanos la noche de su nacimiento. Los magos siguieron a la estrella desde tierras lejanas hacia el este. La semana pasada escuchamos que el Espíritu Santo descendió como una paloma, revelando a Jesús en su bautismo. Hoy escuchamos a Juan el Bautista ver a Jesús y testificar: "He aquí el Cordero de Dios, que quita el pecado del mundo." Decimos las mismas palabras en cada Eucaristía. Que resuenen con nosotros hoy y siempre.

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**Por favor, únete a la escuela SMM para su jornada anual de puertas abiertas el domingo 25 de enero de 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.**

**¡Cuéntale a tus amigos, familia y vecinos sobre este colegio en crecimiento y precioso! Sirviendo de preescolar a 8° curso. Visitas guiadas por estudiantes a las 10:15 y 11:15, con sesiones intermedias para aprender sobre primaria, secundaria y precios asequibles. ¡Llama a la oficina del colegio para cualquier otra pregunta! 614-279-9935**



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A partir de la última semana de Enero:  
Las misas de 7PM en Español Entre Semana  
(solo de Martes a Viernes)  
y la Adoración Eucarística los Jueves (8:00 PM a 9:00 PM)  
Se Celebrarán en la Iglesia de Santa María Magdalena.

La oficina Parroquial atenderá los Miércoles en  
Santa Maria Magdalena. De 10:30AM – 2:30PM  
Este Cambio empezará Enero 27 de 2026

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**PREGUNTA DE LA SEMANA:**

Cómo voy a dar testimonio de mi fe, de Jesús, esta semana?

**THIS WEEK AT ST. MARY MAGDALENE****Monday, January 19 – Parish Office closed**

8:30 a.m. Monday morning hour with Mary –  
Miraculous Medal Novena, Exposition of  
the Blessed Sacrament, the Rosary and  
the Divine Mercy Chaplet.

7:00 p.m. Novena Mass

**Tuesday, January 20**

8:30 a.m. Mass

**Thursday, January 22**

8:30 a.m. Mass

9:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.  
Media Sale sorting

**Friday, January 23 –**

8:30 a.m. Mass

**Saturday, January 24**

8:30 a.m. Mass

**QUESTION OF THE WEEK:**

How will I bear witness to my faith, to  
Jesus, this week?

**JANUARY 18, 2026 –****SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME****Introduction to the Liturgy of the Day**

Ever since Christmas we have heard how Jesus was revealed over time to the wider world. He was made manifest to the nearby shepherds on the night of his birth. The magi followed the star from distant lands to the east. Last week we heard that the Holy Spirit descended like a dove, revealing Jesus at his baptism. Today we hear John the Baptist see Jesus and testify, "Behold the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world." We say the same words at each Eucharist. May they resonate with us today and always.

**SUPPORT THE MISSION OF ST. MARY  
MAGDALENE... SACRIFICIALLY, JOYFULLY  
AND REGULARLY!**

Through your generosity and support, we are able to answer God's call to serve others and build His Kingdom.

*"Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to bless you abundantly, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work."*

1 Corinthians 9: 7-8


**NEXT WEEKEND'S SPECIAL COLLECTION WILL  
SUPPORT THE CHURCH IN LATIN AMERICA.**

Your donation will help promote solidarity throughout the hemisphere by providing support for pastoral projects in Latin America and the Caribbean through contributions to an annual collection.

**Financial Report as of January 11, 2026**

Regular Sunday Collection - 45 Envelopes	\$ 2,738.20
Children's Envelopes - 9 Envelopes	\$ 17.00
Online Giving	\$ 3,324.00
Other Parish Income	\$ 583.09
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>\$ 6,662.29</b>

**2025 Appeal**

Parish Goal	\$ 35,675.78
Amount Pledged as of 01/11/2026	\$ 37,137.78
Amount Over Goal	\$ 1,462.00

All members of the parish are invited to a meeting on **Sunday, January 18, at 4:00 p.m.** in the Parish Hall. At the meeting you will learn about the latest plan for the combining of St. Agnes and St. Mary Magdalene Parishes, and for the expansion of Catholic education in this part of Columbus. This is your chance to hear the latest information, ask questions, and offer suggestions. A similar meeting will take place at St. Agnes on Sunday, January 25, at 4:00 p.m. in the gymnasium.


**IMPORTANT INFORMATION -  
LOCATION CHANGE**

Beginning with the last week in January, the 7pm Spanish Mass currently celebrated at St. Agnes on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday will move to St. Mary Magdalene.

Eucharistic Adoration (Thursday 8pm-9pm) will also be celebrated at St. Mary Magdalene.

During this same week, the St. Agnes parish secretary will begin working from the St. Mary Magdalene location on Wednesdays from 10:30am-2:30pm

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**PLEASE JOIN SMM SCHOOL FOR ITS ANNUAL  
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## ADORATION AT THE OHIO STATEHOUSE

Thursday, January 22, 2026 – Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children



The CCO will be holding Eucharistic Adoration, with the special intention of praying for the legal protection of unborn children. This is a beautiful opportunity to unite in prayer with the thousands of people who will gather in Washington, D.C. for the National March for Life. The Catholic Bishops of Ohio invite all the faithful to spend time with Jesus in the Ohio Capitol Building and pray for our government leaders to enact laws to protect the unborn and uphold human dignity.

Eucharistic Adoration will take place:

**Thursday, January 22, 2026 from 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.**

**Governor Thomas Worthington Center**

(inside the Ohio Statehouse)

**1 Capitol Square, Columbus, Ohio, 43215**

Visit <https://www.ohiocathconf.org/adoration> for more information.

*"Only with prayer – prayer that storms the heavens for justice and mercy, prayer that cleanses our hearts and souls – will the culture of death that surrounds us today be replaced with a culture of life."*

– U.S. Catholic Bishops

## WHAT IS A "SPIRITUAL COMMUNION"?



The Eucharistic Liturgy is the summit of the church's worship. It is a sacramental communion with God the Father through the Son Jesus Christ in the Holy Spirit. **For Catholics watching our livestream**, who are unable to be physically present in church to receive the Sacrament, there is a Spiritual Communion in and with Jesus Christ.

We should prepare for a Spiritual Communion in the same way we prepare to receive Jesus in the Eucharist. We should mentally collect our thoughts and prepare our hearts as best we can. Anytime Catholics are unable to receive the Eucharist, they can make an act of Spiritual Communion.

**During the time the priest is preparing to distribute Communion to our congregation, the lector will read the *Prayer of Spiritual Communion*.**

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YOURSELF  
THE GIFT  
OF TIME  
WITH JESUS**  
and your sisters  
and brothers  
in Christ at the  
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Men's Conferences

**Saturday,  
February 21 and  
28, 2026**

**YOU'RE INVITED**

**LOOK TO HIM AND  
BE RADIANT**  
Psalms 34:6

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