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Bishop Herbert A. Bevard

### Mass Schedule

Monday through Friday.....8:00 a.m.  
Saturday (Vigil).....6:00 p.m.  
Sunday.....8:30 a.m.

### Devotion

**Adoration** (Temporarily on hold)  
Wednesday .....8:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

**Novena to O.L.P.H.**  
Wednesday..... 8:00 a.m.

**Novena to Sacred Heart of Jesus**  
First Friday.....8:00 a.m.



### CHURCH DIRECTORY

#### PASTOR

Rev. Boniface-Blanchard M. Twaibu

#### Deacons

Rev. Mr. Emith Fludd  
Rev. Mr. Tony Murray

**Parish Secretary:** Anna Doward  
**Parish Accountant:** Penrose Gardiner  
**Religious Ed. Director:** Nereida Washington  
**SPYM Director:** Nereida Washington  
**Music Director:** Alvin Milligan

#### Sacristans

#### ICM Sisters

Barbara Lancaster    Sr. Claina Letang  
Nancy A. Soto        Sr. Florine Bailey  
Patricia Santiago    Sr. Mary Dasari

#### Temporary Office Hours:

Tues - Thurs & Fri: 9 - 12noon & 12:30 - 4 pm

### SCHOOL DIRECTORY

#### SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

Rev. Boniface-Blanchard M. Twaibu

#### Assistant Principal

Ms. Lydia Davis

#### Office Manager

Sr. Mary Dasari, ICM  
Ms. Deslin Simmons, Volunteer

#### School Concession Manager

Ms. Hermitta Florent

#### After School Program

Sr. Claina Letang, ICM

**School Accountant:** Ms. Penrose Gardiner

**Librarian:** Ms. Linda Garvin

**Cafeteria Manager:** Ms. Denise Joseph

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### MASS INTENTIONS

**SATURDAY, June 20**  
**6:00 PM** – Pierre Tepie & Vertilee Daniel, Birthday Blessings/A.  
 Doward

**SUNDAY, June 21**  
**8:30 AM** - Emmanuel Augustin, Birthday Blessings/Family

**MONDAY, June 22**  
**8:00A.M.** - Tina Tuitt, Grace of Healing/Duval Family

**TUESDAY, June 23**  
**8:00A.M.** + Joan Glista Wilkins, Repose of Soul/Rosanne Boyan

**WEDNESDAY, June 24**  
**8:00 A.M.** - Deslin Simmonds, Birthday Blessings/Family

**THURSDAY, June 25**  
**8:00A.M.** + Chester & Jean Boyan, Repose of Soul/Rosanne Boyan

**FRIDAY, June 26**  
**8:00A.M.** + Fr. Joseph Bertrand, Repose of Soul/Duval family

**SATURDAY, June 27**  
**6:00 P.M.** - Petula & Le’Mar Alexander, Birthday Blessings/family

### SCRIPTURE READINGS OF THE WEEK

**SUNDAY:** Jer 20:10-13  
 Rom 5:12-15  
 Mt 10:26-33

**MONDAY:** 2Kgs 17:5-8,13-15,18  
 Mt 7:1-5  
**Saint Paulina of Nola, Bishop  
 Saints John Fisher, Bishop, and  
 Thomas More, Martyrs.**

**TUESDAY:** 2Kgs 19:9-11,14-21,31-35,36  
 Mt 7:6. 12-14

**WEDNESDAY:** Is 49:1-6/Acts 13:22-26  
 Lk 1:57-66,80  
**The Nativity of John  
 The Baptist.**

**THURSDAY:** 2Kgs 24:8-17  
 Mt 7L21-29

**FRIDAY:** 2Kgs 25:1-12  
 Mt 8:1-4

**SATURDAY:** Lam 2:2. 10-14,18-19  
 Mt 8:5-17  
**Saint Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop**

### PRAY FOR THE SICK & SHUT-INS

*Please pray that they may find comfort and healing in Christ.*

Steve Alexander, Olivia Anger, Nicholas Andrew, Marilyn Bailey, Eric Belcher, George Bondieumaitre, Debra Bruce, Virginia Burke, Fred Calvillo, William Carino, Ninon Gussman Carr, Norma Carillo, Paulette Christopher, Victorino Cruz, Daphne Davis, Matthew Donelley, Anna D’Souza, Norma Dyer, Harold Fisher, Sr., Leona Garvey, Kimberly Fludd,, Elsie Galloway, Johnetta Goodloe, Sarah Gordon, Dr. Amy Hardin, Anselmo Heyliger, Enis Hilaire, Urla Isaac, Lidia Jiminez, , Eleanor Johnson, Alma John, Ann Joseph, Electra Joseph, Rose Joseph, Edwin Josiah, Jeannie Krigger, T’Agho Lopez, Chamarla Louis, Felina Artigo, Gwendolyn Lucas, Kathleen Smith-Maccow, Marla Matthew, Carlos Matus, Luz Melendez, Beverly Nesbitt, Bevon Nicholas, Marilyn Nicks, Ann Parris, Fr. Simon Peter, Geralda Pickering, Michelle Gibbs Riviere, Carmen Russell, Henrietta Sandy, Jose Manuel Santana, Gwen Skeoch, Aurea Stamatakis, Martha Lena St. Juste, Eric Thomas, Juan Valentin, Cletina Tuitt, Vincent Urgent, Inez Walker, Deacon Oliver Washington, Ann Weikel, Inez Williams, Simeon Williams, Curtis Williams, Joseph Wilson, Ingerborg Mc Intosh, William Lang, Anita Pulpul & Kemit Lewis, Noel Lercana & Bertille Samuel, Lewis Eugene, & Vilma C. Johnson, Fanny Andrews Clarke.

*(Please call the Church Office to add or remove names to/from this list Church)*

### MASS ATTENDANCE – JUNE 13-14 2020

Saturday at 6:00 pm Holy Mass 32 / Sunday at 8:30 am Holy Mass 41-Total = 73

### SECOND COLLECTION FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 2020

School Support.....June 06-07  
 Maintenance Fund.....June 13-14  
 Father’s Day..... June 20-21  
 Debt Reduction.....June 20-21  
 Peter’s Pence... ..June 27-28

# Announcements

## Happy and Blessed Father's Day to all Fathers!

Wishing all our Fathers a very happy and blessed Father's Day. May Almighty God bless you and protect you during this trying time.

## School Easter Raffle Books Sale in Progress

The drawing day is just one week away, June 28 following Holy Mass. Please, remember to turn in sold books and monies. We are still struggling to cover the prizes and expenses related to this fundraiser due to Covid-19 crisis. Your support in buying tickets is greatly appreciated. Raffle Books are still available in both school and church offices.

## Preserve the Past Campaign in Progress

Our Church restoration project is in progress and your contribution is still welcome. Please call the church office or contact a minister of hospitality for the contribution envelope.

## Sunday Offerings Appeal

We received a few offering envelopes this week. We thank those who sent their offerings and continue to encourage others to prayerfully discern ways you can help your church during this time by maintaining your offertory commitment. We thank you for considering this sacrificial commitment.

## 2020-2021 School Year School Early Bird Registration

Please register your child/children now and enjoy the discount of \$200.00 per child. This offer is valid until June 30th.

## Bishop Scholarship

Applications for the Bishop Scholarship/Financial Aid are available at the School Office on Tuesday and Friday; From 9am to 2pm.

## Peter's Pence Collection

Next week, we will take up the Peter's Pence Collection, which provides Pope Francis with the funds he needs to carry out his charitable works around the world. The proceeds benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins, including victims of war, oppression and disasters. Please be generous.

## Next Weekend Readers (June 27-28)

6:00PM Holy Mass – Nancy Soto

8:30AM Holy Mass – Deslin Simmons

## Necrologium

**Most Reverend Bishop George V. Murry**, who served in our Diocese from June 30th 1999 until his appointment to the Diocese of Youngstown in 2007 has passed away. He died on June 5th in Youngstown, Ohio. Bishop Herbert Bevard will offer a memorial Holy Mass for the repose of this soul at Saints Peter and Paul cathedral on June 25th at 11:00am. We are all invited to attend.

**Iris B. Richards**, one of our a very active and involved members of our parish has passed away. She died on June 7th. Her funeral Holy Mass is scheduled for Monday, June 29 at 10:30am.

May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

**Bulletin announcements must be submitted to the Church Office by Wednesday at noon**

# Parish Information

## Sacrament of Baptism

Fourth Sunday of each month. Please register your children at the Church Office. Present a copy of the child(ren) birth certificate(s). Classes for parents & godparents are on the 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday from 6:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. each month.

## Sacrament of Marriage

Please make arrangements with parish priest 6 months before your wedding.

## Confraternity of Christian Doctrine (CCD) Classes

Classes are held every Sunday during the school year and begin with attendance and instruction in the classroom at 8:30 a.m. followed by Mass at 10:00 a.m.

## Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) Classes

RCIA is the journey of faith by which interested persons become members of the Roman Catholic Church. The program instructs adults to enter into full communion with the Catholic Church through Baptism and/or Confirmation and Holy Communion. To register, please call the church office at (340) 772-0138.

## Sacrament of Penance

Confession is the sacrament that allows us to admit our faults and develop humility, but the most profound part is we get to experience Christ's gift of mercy.

Weekdays..... 15 min. before Holy Mass

Weekends..... 30 min. before Holy Mass

## Funerals

All funeral services begin at 10:30 a.m. Viewings at 9:30 am. No funerals are held on weekends. Arrangements must be made with the Church before funeral arrangements with the funeral home.

## Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

Please call the rectory at (340) 772-0138 whenever a family member or friend is seriously ill or hospitalized.

## Parish Registration

Parishioners who are 18 years and older are invited to register at the Church Office as well as become active and contributing members. We would like to maintain an up-to-date listing of all St. Patrick parishioners. Registration also helps in providing quick services for the request and proof of miscellaneous church letters for individuals, Baptism, Confirmation, etc.

# From the desk of Fr. Boniface

My dear parishioners:

Today's Gospel is a continuation of the instructions that Jesus gave to the twelve apostles as he sent them out to go and proclaim the Good News of the Kingdom of God. The values of the Kingdom are different from the values of the world, so much so that people tend to reject the message and turn against the messengers. Jesus identifies in the apostles two kinds of fear: fear of false accusation and conviction, and fear of bodily harm and death. In either case Jesus teaches them that the way to overcome the fear is by keeping one's mind focused not on the here-and-now but on the coming kingdom of God. It is for this reason that Jesus said to them: "Do not be afraid of those whose who kill the body but cannot kill the soul; rather, be afraid of the one who can destroy both the soul and the body in Gehenna". The question we may ask for ourselves is: How Do we deal with fears that come across our daily lives?

The phrase: "Do not be afraid," occurs in the Bible for more than 365 times. Wow! You know what? In a year there are 365 days. This is a good reminder for us that every single day of the year, God assures us not to be afraid because Jesus Himself is braved enough to face the scribes and pharisees, Pontius Pilate, the chief priest and all His accusers with a clean heart and strong conviction. And so we should not be afraid especially in proclaiming our faith in God in words and a life that is lived according to the values and demands of the Gospel. Sunday to you all!

## SAINT PATRICK'S MINISTRIES & REPRESENTATIVES

- Altar Servers: Deslin Simmons & Patricia Santiago
- Readers: Jeanne Garcia
- Saint Patrick Choir/Song leading: Alvin Milligan
- EMHC: Jeanne Garcia & Sally Cunnigham
- SPYM: Nereida Washington
- Charismatic Prayer Group: Anna Doward
- Legion of Mary: Jeanne Garcia
- Sacred Heart Society: Julia Pankey (TBD)
- Men's Fellowship: Mae Louise & Marian Francois
- Church Cleaning Ministry: Eloise Benjamin
- Home Visitation Ministry: Magdalen Joseph & Winifred Hardy
- Decoration Ministry: Dorothea Cools
- Ministry of Hospitality (Greeters/Ushers): Nicole Vidal
- Social & Event Planning: Nicole Vidal

### Prayer of Saint Francis

Lord make me an instrument of your peace,  
Where there is hatred let me sow love.  
Where there is injury, pardon.  
Where there is doubt, faith.  
Where there is despair, hope.  
Where there is darkness, light.  
And where there is sadness, joy.

O divine master grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled as to console;  
to be understood as to understand;  
To be loved as to love  
For it is in giving that we receive-  
and it's in pardoning that we are pardoned.  
And it's in dying that we are born to eternal life. Amen.

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