



24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SEPTEMBER 14, 2025



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Please call Parish House to include prayer intentions or announcements in Sunday Liturgy

St. Aloysius—St Agatha School

640 Lakeview Road • Cleveland, Ohio 44108

Phone: 216-451-2050 • **Fax:** 216-541-1601

Monday thru Friday: 7:30 a.m.–3:00 p.m.

St. Aloysius Preschool

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Pastoral Staff

Sr Mary Jean Raymond OSU..... Parish Life Coordinator

Fr. Daniel Schlegel.....Presbyteral Moderator

Mrs. Nancy Lynch.....St. Aloysius School Principal

Ms. Carol Bunn Hunger Center Director

Ms. Kim JamesPreschool Director

Parish Leadership

Gregory Clifford.....Pastoral Council

Joe Harbert Finance Council

Belinda Sims Liturgy-Spiritual Life Committee

Carol Bunn..... St. Vincent dePaul Society

Marguerite Strickland..... Choir Representative

Chris Sledge Men's Club President

Beverly Berry.....Evangelization Committee

Community Services

Project HopeAndrea Wasdovovich-Duffner

Connecting Seniors to Services.....Carol Bunn

Eucharistic Celebration

Sunday Mass:10:00 a.m.

Reconciliation: Before Sunday Mass or by appt.

Marriages: Arrangements made at the Parish House at least 6 months prior to the date of the wedding.

Baptisms: Contact the Parish House.

First Communion, First Reconciliation: Contact the Parish House.

Anointing of the sick and Hospital Visits: Contact the Parish House.

Funerals: All arrangements must be made at the Parish House before publication in Newspapers.

Registration: Everyone should be properly registered in the Parish. New parishioners should contact the Parish House. Those moving in or out of the Parish are asked to notify the Parish House.

Welcome back students

MISSION OF THE PARISH

We are a welcoming Catholic Parish
Embracing its African American culture,
Empowering its members
And sharing its love of Christ
Through service to the community.

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Sr. Mary Jean's Column

Article from the Global Sisters Report a project of National Catholic Reporter by Sr. Magda Bennasar

So, I ask you, dear Pope Leo: What would Jesus do today? Jesus, the Palestinian Jew - he would stand in the hunger line. I'm sure of it. Where should we stand, as his followers?

You already know the answer. Jesus gave it to us in the parable of the good Samaritan (Luke 10:25-37). It was the Samaritan who stopped, cared for the injured man on the roadside, carried him to safety, and paid for his care out of his own pocket.

Our brothers and sisters in Gaza are the body of Christ, Your Holiness. They are the broken body lying at the side of the - the one that priests and clerics should no longer pass by. Not when so much is at stake. Not when an entire people's lives are hanging in the balance.

That's why I'm daring to ask you—and the other cardinals, robed in red - to stand in the hunger line in Gaza. To protect, with the power of your visible presence and the courage of your lives, those who have been forgotten. This is a people that some are trying to erase from the map - just as others have tried to do throughout history.

Please don't let them become victims of egos that will divide our history into a "before" and an "after."

Could you - those of you wearing the red of martyrdom - stand visibly, physically, on behalf of all of us who cannot go?

Brother Leo, a strong prophetic gesture - like the church making itself visible and vulnerable in Gaza - could bring many back to the Christian community. It would shake consciences. It would restore faith in those called to lay down their lives for love of their neighbors.

It would restore hope in the Church of Jesus for me and for millions of others.

Sermons, statements and protests are no longer enough. The time has come for radical action.

Continued in next week's bulletin.

MINISTERS - SEPTEMBER 14, 2025

LECTORS	
Beverly Berry	Diane Adriano
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	
Belinda Sims	Dana Baker
Greg Clifford	David Woody
SECOND SUNDAY COUNTERS	
Chris Sledge	Trewery Ford
Karen Clifford	

MASS INTENTIONS - SEP 14 - 20, 2025

Sunday	10:00 a.m.	People of the church
Wednesday	11:30 a.m.	People of the church
Sunday	10:00 a.m.	James Harland

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Eben Anderson, Jr., Denise Brewster, Henritta Broadus, Lois Bunker, Angela Comedy, Jerri Evans, Miles Frierson, Irene Gantt, Victoria Harden, Jermaine Harland, Keli Harland, Madelyn Harland, Deborah Howard, Eugene Jones, Marlene Jones, Paulette Jones, Melissa Kennedy, Rosetta Mackey, Mary McCombs, Yvonne Nettles, Toni E. Payne, Trudy Payne, Jaxon Peck, Jordyn Peck, Clarice, Barbara Williams, Ann White Vermonte Wright

HOMEBOUND & NURSING HOMES

Marilyn Anthony, Margaret Atwell, Hollis & Barbar Bridges, Delores Brown, Evelyn Davis, Vyrdy Hopes, Paulette Jones, Everette Matlock, Sr., Rosemary McKeon, Mary Ann Melton, Jackie Reese, Etta Reynolds, Vivian Watkins, Lavonia Williams

Jubilee 2025 Pilgrims of Hope

May the grace
Of the Jubilee

Reawaken hope in us

-Pope Leo XIV-

December 29, 2024 - December 28, 2025

Candles can be
purchased after Mass
in the sacristy.
Cost is \$5.00

EVENTS THIS WEEK

Sunday	Sep 14	10:00 a.m. Mass
Monday	Sep 15	
Tuesday	Sep 16	5:00-6:00 p.m. Community Meal and food distribution
Wednesday	Sep 17	11:30 Mass or Prayer Service
Thursday	Sep 18	
Friday	Sep 19	
Saturday	Sep 20	
Sunday	Sep 21	10:00 a.m. Mass

We have begun once again to have our anti-violence witness on the front steps after Mass. This is a small but important way to continue to keep this important issue before everyone in the neighborhood.

Everyone is encouraged to join us every Sunday.

Online payment
Custom Amount



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PLEASE CONSIDER ONLINE GIVING

Take advantage of the simplistic convenience of safe, automatic, regularly scheduled contributions (or one-time gifts for special collections).

COLLECTION SUMMARY 9/7/25

Offertory	\$2,011.00
Renovations	\$266.00
Special Collections	\$130.00
Collection Target	\$83,200.00
Collections Year to Date	\$26,985.00

SUNDAY READINGS

1st Reading - Numbers 21:4b-9
Lift high the cross!

2nd Reading - Philemon 2:6-11
Glory in the cross of Christ.

Gospel - John 3:13-17
By the cross, Christ has redeemed the world.

WEEKLY SCRIPTURES

Mon Sep 15 - 1 Tm 2:1-8; Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35
Tue Sep 16 - 1 Tm 3:1-13; Lk 7:11-17
Wed Sep 17 - 1 Tm 3:14-16; Lk 7:31-35
Thu Sep 18 - 1 Tm 4:12-16; Lk 7:36-50
Fri Sep 19 - 1 Tm 6:2c-12; Lk 8:1-3
Sat Sep 20 - 1 Tm 6:13-16; Lk 8:4-15

SCHOOL NEWS

The first weeks of school were filled with excitement as enthusiastic students reunite with their friends. They were eager to dive into new subjects while dedicated teachers kicked off the year with engaging lessons and warm welcomes. All are ready for a fantastic year full of growth, laughter, and learning!

*Now is the time to remember family members with intentions at Mass.
Sunday and Wednesday
Mass dates are available.
See Sr. Mary Jean for requests.
Cost is \$10.00*

St. Aloysius Hunger Center Food Distribution Schedule

Every Tuesday after community meal between
5:00-6:00 p.m.
Every 4th Saturday from 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.