

## Masses September 1 - 8, 2019

### Sunday

8:30 AM (STP)	Bruce Steiner (Paul T. Farley)
8:30 AM (SMH)	Mary Dewhurst (Ann McDonald)
9:30 AM (SH)	Jane Beegle (Rita Beegle Fisher)
10:00 AM (CTK)	Helen Coffey (the Coffey family)
10:00 AM (HC)	Marsha King (Members of the Holy Cross Catholic Women's Club)
11:30 AM (STP)	Connie Bahn (Members of the Catholic Ladies of Columbia)
6:00 PM (CTK)	People of the Parish

### Monday - Labor Day

9:00 AM (STP)	Unemployed & the Underemployed
9:00 AM (SH)	Beulah Voltin (Irvin Voltin)

### Tuesday

8:15 AM (STP)	Saunders & Halley Families, Living & Deceased (John & Blaine Halley)
5:30 PM (CTK)	Vlasta Marshall (Wendy & Bill Serbonich)
6:30 PM (SMH)	People of the Parishes

### Wednesday

8:15 AM (STP)	Healing & Strengthening of Those With Terminal Illness
8:30 AM (SH)	Elderly of the Parish
5:30 PM (CTK)	OU Catholics

### Thursday

8:15 AM (STP)	Maurice Masters (Kathleen & James Masters)
6:30 PM (SH)	Sick & Shut-ins of the Parish
6:30 PM (HC)	Deborah J. Richards (Theresa Chopp)

### Friday

8:30 AM (SH)	Holy Souls in Purgatory
9:00 AM (HFC Chapel)	St. Francis Society
12:15 PM (CTK)	Diocesan Seminarians

### Saturday

8:30 AM (SH)	Greater Protection of the Unborn
4:30 PM (SH)	People of the Parish
5:00 PM (CTK)	John & Cecelia Wasko (Carol Wasko)

### Sunday

8:30 AM (STP)	Albert Sirois (Rick & Eileen Sirois)
8:30 AM (SMH)	Margaret Kochis (Michelle Ellis)
9:30 AM (SH)	Beulah Voltin (Steve & Barbara Musser & Family)
10:00 AM (CTK)	Nancy Colvin (10 o'clock Choir)
10:00 AM (HC)	Roger Dillon (Neil & Jeannine Butt)
11:30 AM (STP)	Pat Moorehead (Bruce Steiner)
6:00 PM (CTK)	Vocations

### LITURGICAL MINISTERS CTK/STP next weekend: September 7/8

Mass	Greeters/Gift Bearers	Servers	Readers	EMHC
5:00 PM CTK	Carol Wasko	Chuck Bechter	Janis Tysko Karen Coschigano	Carol Wasko, Karen Coschigano, Ric Abel, Chuck Bechter
8:30 AM STP	Ann & Joe Mulligan	TBA	Dave Montle Ann Mulligan	Dcn. Scott Carson, Terri Trese, Joe Mulligan, Dave Montle
10:00 AM CTK	the Love Family	Yuriy Slyvka Annamarie Montle	Sue McAdoo Kurt Montle	Sandy Patton, Hannah Vorisek, Sherry Curp, Sue McAdoo, Mike Kraus
11:30 AM STP	Nan Cooley	Baelyn Carey	Pam Beam Margaret Thomas	Dcn. Scott Carson, Yvette Wolf, Nan Cooley
6:00 PM CTK		Luke Frost	Nancy & Dan Denhart	Dcn Dan Murray, Dan Denhart, Veronica Rodriguez

### THE WEEK AHEAD @ CTK, STP & SH

Date	Time	Event	Place
<b>September 1</b> <i>The 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>			
<b>September 2</b> <b>Labor Day</b>			
Monday	9:00 AM	Mass	STP
	9:00 AM	Mass	SH
<b>September 4</b>			
Wednesday	9:00 AM	Adoration	SH
	7:00 PM	OU Catholics	HFC
	7:00 PM	ACCFP Meeting	HFC
<b>September 5</b>			
Thursday	9 AM - 9 PM	Adoration	HFC
	5:30 PM	K of C Meeting	SH
	7:00 PM	Youth Group Team	HFC
<b>September 6</b>			
Friday	9:00 AM	St. Francis Soc. Mass & trip	HFC Chapel
	6:00 PM	Young Adult Group	
		Cookout (Strouds Run)	
<b>September 7</b>			
Saturday	7:00 AM	K of C TMIY	HFC
	9:30 AM	Rosary	SH
<b>September 8</b> <i>The 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>			
Sunday		Commitment Weekend	
	9:45 AM	CWC Meeting	STP
	11:00 AM	RE Potluck Picnic	HFC
	12:45 PM	Baptism	STP

### RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS -

Are you interested in becoming Catholic? Do you know anyone who is? Were you baptized Catholic but were never confirmed?



You are invited to an information session on **Monday, September 9, at 7:30 PM** in the Holy Family Center Library. Contact Nancy Sand at [nsand@athenscatholic.org](mailto:nsand@athenscatholic.org) for more information.

**LABOR DAY** - Mass will be celebrated at 9:00 AM at both St. Paul Church & Sacred Heart Church on **Monday, September 2nd**. The parish offices will be closed.

LINEN CARE	September 1	September 8
CTK	Janis Tysko	Karen Vedder
STP	Billie Jo Essman	Susan Matters

### TASTE AND SEE WOMEN'S RETREAT

- ◆ Saturday, September 28, 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM
- ◆ Holy Family Center
- ◆ Register online [athenscatholic.org](http://athenscatholic.org) or fill out a form available at STP, CTK & the HFC; registration deadline is September 7
- ◆ Cost is \$19.50; proceeds benefit Mary's Meals



**ALTAR FLOWERS** - This weekend the flowers at CTK are in honor of *Beatrice Selotlegeng's 72nd birthday*. Happy Birthday Beatrice!!!

**ADORATION** - We are extending our hours for Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament from 9:00 AM to 9:00 PM **beginning Thursday, September 5**. If you would like to sign up for an hour or to volunteer as a sub, please contact Fr. Tom at the parish offices. Adoration is held in the HFC Chapel on Thursdays.

### SUNDAY COLLECTION: AUGUST 25

#### Christ The King

Envelopes	\$ 2272.00
Loose	\$ 314.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 2586.00</b>

Envelopes Used: 53 out of 231  
August Votive Candles \$ 86.00

#### St. Paul

Envelopes	\$ 2672.00
Loose	\$ 274.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 2946.00</b>

Envelopes Used: 42 out of 171  
August Votive Candles \$ 248.00

#### Sacred Heart


Envelopes	\$ 1785.00
Loose	\$ 192.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 1977.00</b>

Envelopes Used: 52 out of 132  
August Votive Candles \$ 60.00

*Thank you for supporting your parish!*

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS** - The Faith & Family R.E. Kick-Off Potluck Dinner is Sunday, September 8, 11:00AM at CTK & the HFC. Schedule: 11:00-11:10 Opening Prayer (parents attend); 11:15-12:00 students & catechists to classrooms; 11:15-11:45 parents meet in church; 12:00 Potluck Picnic (bring a dish to share; RE provides paper products); 12:30-1:30 games in the parking lot.

Join a team of dedicated individuals working to bring the teachings of Jesus & the Church to the youth of the parish. Catechists/Teachers/Aides are needed at several grade levels. Contact Nancy Denhart at 740-590-3302 for more information.

 Classes begin September 8. PK & KN classes meet during 10:00 Mass. Grades 1 - 8 meet from 11:00-12:30. All classes are held at CTK.

**2019-2020 YOUTH GROUP** - Teens in grades 9 - 12 are invited to weekly gatherings to discuss & discover the faith, pray & live in truth with one another, & grow in meaningful relationships.


**Kick-Off Event**  
 ♦ Sunday, September 8 @ 7:00 PM  
 ♦ the Holy Family Center  
 ♦ Join us for dinner, activities & discussion about plans for the year!



More information upcoming bulletins. For questions, email Abigail Swintek at [as450214@ohio.edu](mailto:as450214@ohio.edu).

**PRC BANQUET** - The annual Banquet is Thursday, September 19. We are excited to share what we believe God has in store for the Pregnancy Resource Center this upcoming year! 2019 has been a year full of growth as we continue to serve the men, women, & families of our community. For more information about the Banquet or the PRC, contact us at 740-592-4700 or [info@athensprc.com](mailto:info@athensprc.com).

**UPCOMING HABITAT EVENT** - The Fall 5K Fun Run takes place on Saturday, September 28. More information coming soon. (George Bain, 740-592-3828 or [gbain45701@yahoo.com](mailto:gbain45701@yahoo.com)).

 **THANK YOU!** The Catholic Ladies of Columbia would like to thank everyone for your support for our Ice Cream Social this year. It was a very successful event!

**ATHENS CATHOLIC YOUNG ADULTS** - Are you a graduate student or a young professional looking for some Catholic friends around your age? If so, your prayers have been answered! Come join us at Strouds Run State Park for a picnic at 6:00 PM on September 6 to kick off the new school year. If you have any questions, contact Emily Watts at (540) 717-9997 or [efw24@vt.edu](mailto:efw24@vt.edu) or find us on Facebook!

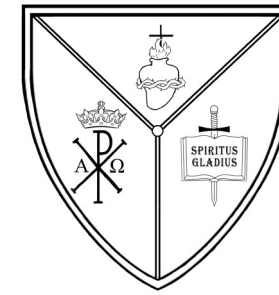
**ST. FRANCIS SOCIETY** - Mass will be celebrated on Friday, September 6, at 9:00 AM in the HFC Chapel. After Mass, we'll carpool to Green Edge Gardens in Amesville. Kip & Becky Rondy are the farm owners & will be our tour guides. Lunch will be at the Triple Nickel Diner in Chesterhill, & we are trying to arrange a tour of the Chesterhill Genealogical Center. The Center focuses on African American history in Southeast Ohio & also has works regarding the Melungeon Peoples of Appalachia.

**WE NEED YOU!** - Have you ever wanted to serve the Church but are unsure of how to volunteer? On September 7/8 we will offer you brochures describing ministries & opportunities available in our parishes. Be an Altar Server, Reader or an Extraordinary Minister of Communion at Mass; help with Religious Education; volunteer to visit the sick & shut-ins; join a women's group, the prayer network, St. Francis Society. There are so many ways to get involved in the parish!



**FAITH SHARING PROGRAM** - The Peace & Justice Committee is sponsoring the 8-week "Journey to Compassion" program developed by Just Faith, a national organization committed to exploring social justice within the context of Catholic faith. Sessions are Tuesday evenings from 6:30-9:00 PM beginning September 24. Please contact Joe McLaughlin, [mclaughj@ohio.edu](mailto:mclaughj@ohio.edu), for more information.

**CHRISTMAS CARD PROJECT** - The Catholic Women's Club will be selling Christmas cards this year in support of our Rosary Project. The pictures used are photos of the crèche scene from St. Paul & the stained glass window in the chapel of the Holy Family Center. Cards will be sold in packets of 12 for \$10. Examples of the cards & order forms are available in the Vestibule at St. Paul & the Gathering Space at Christ the King. Orders need to be placed by September 30; cards will be available by October 31.



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*Mass Times*  
**SACRED HEART CHURCH**  
 WEDNESDAY 8:30 AM  
 THURSDAY 6:30 PM  
 FIRST FRIDAY MASS 8:30 AM  
 FIRST SATURDAY MASS & DEVOTIONS 8:30 AM  
 SATURDAY VIGIL  
 4:30 PM  
 SUNDAY  
 9:30 AM  
**ST. PAUL CHURCH**  
 MONDAY - THURSDAY  
 8:15 AM  
 SUNDAY  
 8:30 AM, 11:30 AM  
**CHRIST THE KING CHURCH**  
 MONDAY - WEDNESDAY (CHAPEL)  
 5:30 PM (DURING THE ACADEMIC YEAR)  
 FRIDAY 12:15 PM  
 SATURDAY VIGIL  
 5:00 PM  
 SUNDAY  
 10:00 AM  
 6:00 PM (DURING THE ACADEMIC YEAR)  
**ST. MARY OF THE HILLS**  
 TUESDAY 6:30 PM  
 SUNDAY 8:30 AM  
**HOLY CROSS**  
 THURSDAY 6:30 PM  
 SUNDAY 10:00 AM  
*Confessions*  
 SACRED HEART: SATURDAY 4:00 PM  
 SUNDAY 8:45 AM  
 CHRIST THE KING: SATURDAY 4:00 PM  
 SUNDAY 5:00 PM (DURING THE ACADEMIC YEAR)  
 THURSDAY 8:00 - 9:00 PM  
 CONFESSIONS ARE HEARD ANYTIME BY REQUEST.

*Prayers*  
 Please remember in your prayers the health (H), intentions (I), or repose (R) of the following people:

Deb Brockert (H)	Bob Casci (H)	Dawn Class (H)
Marylyn Harris (H)	Paul Jasman (H)	Blaycen Jeffers (H)
Chelsie Knopp (R)	Linda Maher (H)	Michael Mertz (H)
Ernie Midkiff (H)	Laura Nowicki (H)	Mildred Riggs (H)
Agnes Roush (H)	Keith Stout (H)	John Taylor (H)
Sophie Truszka (H)	Mary Walburn (R)	Jim White (H)

*Prayers for the clergy of our Diocese:*

Bishop Jeffrey M. Monforton	(1st)
Msgr. James Boehm	(2nd)
Msgr. John Wippel	(3rd)
Msgr. Frederick Pasquinelli	(4th)
Msgr. Donald Horak	(5th)
Rev. Timothy Huffman	(6th)
Rev. Mark Froehlich	(7th)

*Prayers for the Deceased Clergy of the Diocese:*

Rev. Cronan Molloy	(1st)
Rev. John Price	(1st)
Rev. Robert Glynn	(3rd)
Rev. Ronald Griffith	(5th)

## SACRED HEART CHURCH

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SEPTEMBER 1, 2019

*For all those who are suffering with depression & addiction: that God will give them comfort & healing.*

**SYMPATHY** - Please pray for the repose of the soul of *Chelsie Knopp* who passed away last week. Chelsie was the granddaughter of Larry & Phyllis May. We offer Chelsie's family our sincere sympathy & prayers.

*Eternal rest grant to her, O Lord, & let perpetual light shine upon her. May her soul & the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.*

**EVENTS THIS WEEK** - Adoration is held the first Wednesday of each month & is scheduled for this Wednesday, September 4, from 9:00 AM until 12:00 Noon.

The Knights of Columbus will be meeting at 5:30 PM on the first Thursday of each month. The next meeting is Thursday, September 5.

First Friday Mass is celebrated at 8:30 AM on September 6.

First Saturday Mass & devotions will be at 8:30 AM on September 7. The Rosary will be prayed following Mass.

Cleaning schedule (following 8:30 AM Mass & Rosary on September 7): Joan Anderson & Danny & Roxie Marcinko. Please help your parish by signing up to clean the church. The work is light & easy with more volunteers!

**CCD** - We'll have a kick off to start the 2019/2020 school year on Sunday, September 15, following 9:30 Mass. There will be pizza & games; parents are welcome to stay with their children & join in the fun! Classes begin September 22.

Parents of children in Kindergarten are asked to fill out a registration form located on the table inside the church. You can drop the completed form in the basket by the table, in the collection basket, or mail it to the parish office, 75 Stewart Street, Athens, 45701. There are also calendars for the CCD year available on the table.



### LITURGICAL MINISTERS

	September 7 4:30 PM	September 8 9:30 AM
Eucharist	Emerson Heighton & Carol McCullough	Robert Beegle & Steve Musser
Word	Amity Wamsley	Wilma Mansfield
Gifts	Harold & Susie Stewart	the Brooker family
Ushers	Harold Stewart & David Shuler	Pete Brooker & George Korn
Altar Server	Michael Martin	MJ Arnott & Addi Well
Hospitality	Irene Dill & Carol McCullough	Jamie & David Deem

*Sunday, September 1, 2019*  
*The 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time*

**Masses for September 1-8**

**Saint Mary of the Hills & Holy Cross**

Sunday, September 1  
8:30 AM (SMH) Mary Dewhurst (Ann McDonald)  
10:00 AM (HC) Marsha King (HC CWC)

Monday, September 2  
Labor Day  
9:00 AM (SP) at St. Paul's in Athens  
9:00 AM (SH) at Sacred Heart in Pomeroy

Tuesday, September 3  
6:30 PM (SMH) People of the Parishes

Thursday, September 5  
6:30 PM (HC) Deborah J. Richards (Theresa Chopp)

Sunday, September 8  
8:30 AM (SMH) Margaret Kochis (Michelle Ellis)  
10:00 AM (HC) Roger Dillon (Neil & Jeannine Butt)

**Liturgical Ministers- St. Mary of the Hills**

September 8

Lector Julia  
EMHC Pat & Cheryl

**Liturgical Ministers- Holy Cross**

September 8

Server Lucas & Andrew  
Lector Donna  
EMHC Tom & Kerry

**Holy Cross Refreshment Schedule**

September 8  
After Mass JoAnna, Josephine, Paula  
Bingo Jeannie, Tammy, Kay

**Prayer Requests**

*Please pray for our sick and homebound.*

Jim & Jean Bickley	Marsha Jewell
Gary Braglin Sr.	John Koons
Larry Bycofski	Teddie Love
Joe Bokovitz	Jack Maurer
David (Dabo) Brunton	Casey Moore
David & Norma Carter	Pete Moore
Randy Cavella	Marion Mucha
William Devine	Ethan Peacock
Mike Falzone	Kim & Lisa Roback
Victor Fox	Norma Roseberry
Daniel Frank	Carol Sciance
Shirley Kamento Harper	Linda Shafer
Caroline Herd	Harry Smith
Betty Higgins	Gary Stufflebean
Mary Carter Hillyer	Bob & Bev Stoncel
Don Holbert	Helen Walker
Paul & Doris Jameson	Kim Wolfe

**September Birthdays**

- 1- Linda Erdy
- 2- Kelly Sikorski
- 3- Larry Bycofski
- 6- Jaycie Williams
- 6- Pat Watson

**ST MARY OF THE HILLS CWC**- will meet after the 6:30 PM Mass on Tuesday, September 10.

**RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS**

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Contact Nancy Sand at [nsand@athenscatholic.org](mailto:nsand@athenscatholic.org) for more information.

**NEW PARISH OFFICE CONTACT**- To review some of the information Father Mark included in the bulletin a few weeks ago, as of the beginning of September, all parish office needs for St. Mary of the Hills and Holy Cross will be handled from the Catholic Community office in Athens. My name is Sabrina Kotts and I will be your primary contact at this office. I, and the other people in the Athens office, will make every effort to help this transition work well. I ask for your patience for the first few weeks as we work out the logistics for this new arrangement. Thank you for your understanding.

**CONTACT INFORMATION**- I will be in the office on Mondays and Tuesdays.

The best way to communicate with me will be by email [skotts@athenscatholic.org](mailto:skotts@athenscatholic.org)

The phone number for the parish office is 740-592-2711.

If you send mail to the parish office, please address it:

Parish Office  
Attn: Sabrina  
75 Stewart St.  
Athens, Ohio 45701

**MASS STIPENDS**- I will be handling all Mass requests and stipends. If you mail them to the office, or place them in the Sunday collection basket, please write "Mass Request" on the back of the envelope. A contact number or email address will be helpful in case I have a question. If it will make it easier for you, please look for the Mass Request envelopes at your church near the bulletins. You will continue to write Mass Stipend checks to "St. Mary of the Hills" or "Holy Cross".

**BULLETIN**- The deadline for submitting bulletin items to me will be noon on Tuesday. The deadline for the bulletin to be submitted to the printer will continue to be at the end of the day on Tuesday.

If you know a week or more in advance of an upcoming event, it will be helpful if you send the information or a written announcement to me as soon as possible. I will keep track of information I receive and place it in the bulletin for the requested week.

I look forward to working with you.  
Sabrina

**Schedule for the Week  
of September 1**

September 1 Sunday	Holy Cross Bake Sale after 10:00 AM Mass NO Bingo this week
September 2 Monday	Labor Day Parish Office will be closed
September 3 Tuesday	St. Mary of the Hills Adoration at 5:30 PM
September 7 Saturday	<i>That Man Is You</i> Knights of Columbus- 7:00 AM Holy Family Center in Athens



**PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION**- Signup sheets can be found at the entrance of the churches for youth religious education classes. Parish School of Religion is not just for preparation for the reception of the sacraments, it is preparation for a faith-filled life and to strengthen and grow in faith. Everyone benefits immensely from a good, solid religious education. Please sign up for classes. Class times and start dates will be determined soon.

**TASTE & SEE RETREAT**- The Athens CWC and CLC are hosting a day long women's retreat on Saturday, September 28 at the Holy Family Center in Athens. The theme of the retreat is based on Psalm 34. The day will feature whole group and small sessions, Adoration and Benediction, and lunch. Online registration is available at [www.athenscatholic.org/womens-retreat-registration](http://www.athenscatholic.org/womens-retreat-registration). You may also contact Marilyn to register or for more information. Registration is available till September 7 and is limited to the first 125 women. The registration fee is \$19.50 with all proceeds going to Mary's Meals, a program which provides meals for children in impoverished areas.

**Our Weekly Stewardship**

Sunday Collection for August 25

St Mary of the Hills	\$390.00
Holy Cross	\$625.00

*Thank you for supporting your parish!*