

Saints Cosmas and Damian

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Parish Liturgy Schedule:

Weekdays: Daily at 8:30 am

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 pm

Sunday: 9:00 am & 11:00 am

Confession: Saturdays 3:00-3:30 pm

Parish Center Office Hours:

Monday-Friday 9:00 am – 5:00 pm

Perpetual Adoration –

The Eucharistic Adoration Chapel is open 24/7 for private prayer and adoration. Listings and contacts are available in the Parish Center.

Twinhaven Reception Center 330-425-1616

Emergency Assistance 330-888-0134

For information regarding Baptisms, Marriages,
Visitation of the Sick, Funerals or Registering
as a Parishioner please call the Parish Center
330-425-8141

Mission Statement:

*To be disciples of Christ,
Teach the Catholic Faith,
And serve those in need.*

Mass Schedule & Intentions For The Week
All Masses will be livestreamed on the
parish's Facebook page.

Monday, January 17 – Weekday Mass

8:30am Mary Volpi

Tuesday, January 18 – Weekday Mass

8:30am Gene Chubbuck

Wednesday, January 19 – Weekday Mass

8:30am Myron & Loretta Steiner

Thursday, January 20 – Weekday Mass

8:30am Souls of All Parishioners

Friday, January 21 – Weekday Mass

8:30am Robert Flinchbaugh

Saturday, January 22 – 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time (vigil)

4:00pm Marlin & Marilyn Rider

Sunday, January 23 – 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00am Ursula Zak

11:00am Bill DiMuzzio Sr.

Scripture Readings January 17 – January 23

Monday Saint Anthony, Abbot

1 Sm 15:16-23; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 & 23, R. v.23b;
Mk 2:18-22

Tuesday Tuesday of the Second Week in Ordinary Time

1 Sm 16:1-13; Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28, R. 21a; Mk 2:23-28

Wednesday Wednesday of the Second Week in Ordinary Time

1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10, R. v.1; Mk 3:1-6

Thursday Saint Sebastian, martyr; Saint Fabian, pope and martyr

1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7; Ps 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13, R. v.5b;
Mk 3:7-12

Friday Saint Agnes, Virgin and Martyr

1 Sm 24:3-21; Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6 & 11, R. v.2a; Mk 3:13-19

Saturday Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children

2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27; Ps 80:2-3, 5-7, R. v.4b;
Mk 3:20-21

Sunday Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15, R. see Jn 6:63c;
1 Cor 12:12-30; Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21

Dear Parishioners,

Next weekend is the annual parish Pork Dinner. I am so grateful to Tom Brown and our community-building ministries who have helped us stay close as a parish family, especially in these difficult years.



For those who are at higher risk or compromised immunity, I realize that you cannot gather with crowds. Know that we are praying for you and look forward to seeing you in the future. God willing, that will be soon. Keep up your optimism. Join us online for prayers and the parish Facebook page.

For those who are able to gather in person, thank you for being so attentive to the needs of your neighbors and fellow parishioners. We all feel a little more isolated and could use some healthy friendships. Thanks for being good listeners and for praying for one another.

I have noticed that our Mass attendance has been pretty good since the beginning of Advent. I have seen a lot of new faces that have moved into the area or have recommitted to the parish. Welcome! It is so good to have you here!

There are still many people who are joining us remotely via the internet. Keep up the practice of the faith. For some, the trials of these years have caused them to slip in their discipline of prayer and parish. Don't give up. It is a new year and a chance to get focused. No one is judging you; rather, we are all rooting for each other.

Building community is essential to our spiritual life. Some have asked, "How can you love the God you cannot see if you do not love the people you see every day?" Unfortunately, there is a loophole: just avoid seeing the others. Obviously, in the wisdom of the Church, we are called to gather and support one another, not avoid each other. I look forward to getting past this pandemic and seeing you all around the altar of the Lord. May God heal this world of its sickness and strengthen us in our loneliness.

In Christ,

Father Michael J. Stalla

We are beyond grateful for the generosity of our parish family. Your amazing responses to needs in our food pantry and responses to the Giving Tree were above and beyond kind. This year our Giving Tree requests were more than toys. There was a great need for coats, blankets, shoes and boots. You were boundless in your generosity for these items responding with the warmest coats (and the cutest !) and quality shoes and boots.

Often pairing clothing with a toy or two.

May God bless your kindness with bountiful graces and blessings in this New Year.

-The Emergency Assistance Ministry

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wonderfully. Beautifully Made!

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 26 - 9AM - 3PM

SS. COSMAS & DAMIAN CHURCH; TWINHAVEN

A Retreat!

- TO CELEBRATE NOT ONLY YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE CHURCH BUT MOST ESPECIALLY, TO CELEBRATE WHO YOU ARE!
- TO SEE YOURSELF AS GOD SEES YOU!
- TO COME AND REST, REFRESH, & RENEW!
- TO GIVE THANKS AND PRAISE TO YOUR CREATOR, AND TO REJOICE IN HIS GREAT GOODNESS!

To register, please call the Parish Office (330)425-8141. Inform us at that time if you have any food allergies or other special needs for the day. RSVP by 2/23!

Retreat fee of \$25 includes: breakfast, lunch, snacks, & retreat materials!
(Payable to Ss. Cosmas & Damian)

Save The Date

Ss. Cosmas and Damian Annual Pork Dinner
Sunday January, 23rd following the 11am Mass

Dinner is: Roast Pork, Sauerkraut, Spatzel, Pork Gravy, Rolls w/ Butter, and Dessert

Cost is \$5/person (children under 5 are free). Please RSVP by calling the Parish Office (330)425-8141 or by signing up after Mass in the Gathering Area. You can pay at the door, but you must sign up in advance so we can make the appropriate table settings.

Offertory (includes EFT):

January 8 & 9 \$ 10,878.00

Capital Campaign:

Capital Campaign Pledges: \$ 1,502,310.00

Capital Campaign Money Received: \$ 1,271,886.00

Capital Projects:

Mortgage Balance \$ 342,400.00



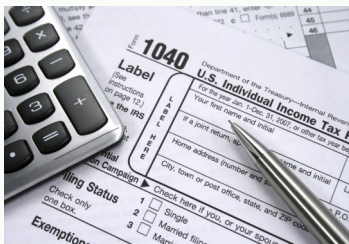
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| Jenna Nightingale | Ron Withers |
| Mary Jo Rom | Richard Davis |
| Mark Fetterman | Pearl Rubino |
| Pat Cirino | |

We Pray to the Lord...

Our Parish Family Welcomes:



Meredith Udovich
Baptized on January 16th!



**Are You Getting
Ready to File
Your Taxes???**

**2021 Contribution
Statements**

will be printed upon request only.

If you wish a print-out of your donations,
please complete a request form,
which will be available in the Gathering Area
of the Church after all Masses
beginning next weekend (1/23).

The print-outs will be ready for pick-up in the
Gathering Area following Masses
during the month of February

After that time they will be available in the
Parish Center Office during
weekday business hours (Mon. – Fri. 9-5).

This Week in the Parish

Sunday, January 16: 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00am—Mass

9:30am—Faith Formation Classes in the Parish Center

11:00am—Mass

7:00pm—Charismatic Prayer Group in Church

Monday, January 17:

8:30am—Morning Mass

9:15am—TEA Bible Study in Twinhaven

Tuesday, January 18:

8:30am—Morning Mass

Wednesday, January 19:

8:30am—Morning Mass

9:00am—Pro-Life Rosary in Church

6:30pm—Cub Scouts upstairs in Parish Center

7:00pm—Journey of Faith in 114

Thursday, January 20:

8:30am—Morning Mass

9:30am—Book Club in Twinhaven

7:00pm—Choir Practice in Church

7:00pm—Catechist Praesidium in 114

Friday, January 21:

8:30am—Morning Mass

Saturday, January 22: 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time (Vigil)

4:00pm—Mass

Sunday, January 23: 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00am—Mass

9:30am—Faith Formation in the Parish Center

11:00am—Mass

12:00pm—Pork Dinner in Twinhaven

7:00pm—Charismatic Prayer Group in Church

**Join us for the next VBS planning meeting
on Tuesday January, 25th at 6:30pm in
Room 114 in the Parish Center.**

ADORATION OPENINGS

We are in need of a few more people to fill Adoration hours.
Can you make the sacrifice and sign up for one of these hours
weekly or twice a month?

No long-term commitment is necessary.

Sign up to try an hour for just 30 days!

Mondays 3am

Tuesdays 3pm

Wednesdays 12pm

Thursdays 4am, 7pm

Fridays 5am, 11am

Saturdays 8pm

Sundays 1am, 2pm, 3pm, 5pm, 6pm

Please contact Carol Twigger at 330-425-7688



Couples Ministry

Join us for “Pizza and Pivotal Players” on
Saturday January, 29th at 6pm. Connect with other
couples sharing the joy of our Catholic faith.
RSVP to Millie Prebel (440)241-5760

*May the souls of the faithful
departed, rest in peace.*

Robert Suchan

**Our Love
& Prayers
ARE WITH
You & Your
Family**

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dinner Date Night

February 12; 5:30pm - 8:30pm
Pre-sale Tickets Only!
\$75 Per Couple

Enjoy your own romantic candlelit "Table for Two" in our beautiful Twinhaven reception center!

Enjoy delicious five-course meal, served to you at your table!

Romantic music and opportunities for dancing!

Special time for private moments between you and your spouse!

Call to mind special memories of the two of you, while creating new ones this evening!

Limited tickets available after all the weekend Masses or through the Parish Office (M-F, 9-5)



Knights of Columbus Raffle Winners

Week #1

\$50—Mary Mandell #051
 \$30—Ralph Burnnett #058
 \$20—Rick Wolinski #146

Week #2

\$50—Rose Mary Marshall #030
 \$30—Don Burke #085
 \$20—Heather Grossmayer #126

Week #3

\$50—David Dick #089
 \$30—Jeff Mandel #143
 \$20—Joe Cannavino #078

Week #4

\$50—Don Burke #062
 \$30—Brittany Burke #72
 \$20—Ken Roddie #087

Week #5

\$50—D.J. Grossmayer #70
 \$30—Dave Govern #79
 \$20—Tom Brown #96

Week #6

\$100—Eleanor Smith #92
 \$75—Eric Wolinski # 23
 \$50—Frank Vaillamagna #15
 \$40—Deborah Leben #77
 \$25—Amy Kalal #61

Thank you everyone for helping make this a successful fundraiser!

Liturgical Minsters—January 22 & 23 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

| | Lectors | E.M.H.C. | Altar Servers |
|---|----------------|---|---------------------------------|
| Saturday Jan. 22nd, 4:00pm | Jan Huter | Judy Brown, Judi Okeson, Lisa May, Grant May | Volunteers Needed |
| Sunday Jan. 23rd, 9:00am | Celeste Wise | Maureen Ashdown, John Bartolovich, Donna Bartolovich, Patty Kraynak | Volunteers Needed |
| Sunday Jan. 23rd, 11:00am | Bill Furey | Frank Chickos, Kelly Chickos, Pat Miller, Leslie Magda, | Gwyneth Friess, Kelsey Clune |

Ss. Cosmas & Damian—Second Sunday in Ordinary Time; January 16, 2022

Gloria

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

First Reading

Isaiah 62:1-5

For Zion's sake I will not be silent, for Jerusalem's sake I will not be quiet, until her vindication shines forth like the dawn and her victory like a burning torch. Nations shall behold your vindication, and all the kings your glory; you shall be called a new name pronounced by the mouth of the Lord. You shall be a glorious crown in the hand of the Lord, a royal diadem held by your God. No more shall people call you, "Forsaken," or your land "Desolate," but you shall be called "My Delight," and your land "Espoused." For the Lord delights in you and makes your land his spouse. As a young man marries a virgin, your Builder shall marry you; and as a bridegroom rejoices in his bride so shall your God rejoice in you.

The Word of the Lord—All Reply: Thanks be to God

Responsorial Psalm

Proclaim his marvelous deeds to all the nations.

Sing to the Lord a new song;
sing to the Lord, all you lands.

Sing to the Lord; bless his name.—*Refrain*

Announce his salvation, day after day.
Tell his glory among the nations;
among all peoples, his wondrous deeds.—*Refrain*

Give to the Lord, you families of nations,
give to the Lord glory and praise;
give to the Lord the glory due his name! - *Refrain*

Worship the Lord in holy attire.
Tremble before him, all the earth;
say among the nations: The Lord is king.
He governs the peoples with equity.—*Refrain*

Second Reading

1 Corinthians 12:4-11

Brothers and sisters: There are different kinds of spiritual gifts but the same Spirit; there are different forms of service but the same Lord; there are different workings but the same God who produces all of them in everyone. To each individual the manifestation of the Spirit is given for some benefit. To one is given through the Spirit the expression of wisdom; to another, the expression of knowledge according to the same Spirit; to another, faith by the same Spirit; to another, gifts of healing by the one Spirit; to another, mighty deeds; to another, prophecy; to another, discernment of spirits; to another, varieties of tongues; to another interpretation of tongues. But one and the same Spirit produces all of these, distributing them individually to each person as he wishes.

The Word of the Lord—All Reply: Thanks be to God

Gospel

John 2:1-11

There was a wedding at Cana in Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. Jesus and his disciples were also invited to the wedding. When the wine ran short, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." And Jesus said to her, "Woman, how does your concern affect me? My hour has not yet come." His mother said to the servers, "Do whatever he tells you." Now there were six stone water jars there for Jewish ceremonial washings, each holding twenty to thirty gallons. Jesus told them, "Fill the jars with water." So they filled them to the brim. Then he told them, "Draw some out now and take it to the headwaiter." So they took it. And when the headwaiter tasted the water that had become wine, without knowing where it came from—although the servers who had drawn the water knew—the headwaiter called the bridegroom and said to him, "Everyone serves good wine first, and then when people have drunk freely, an inferior one; but you have kept the good wine until now." Jesus did this as the beginning of his signs at Cana in Galilee and so revealed his glory, and his disciples began to believe in him."

The Gospel of the Lord—Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ

The Creed

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, *(At the words that follow, up to and including, 'and became man', all bow.)*

And by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic, and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen

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Altar Flowers
Altar Flowers for this weekend were donated by
Jim & Linda Benedict
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Deceased Members of the
Benedict & Lange Families

To find out more about and get your request on the schedule, please call Elizabeth Innocenzi at 216-533-0515



Music for 11am Mass on January 16th; Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Opening: Our God

Verse 1

Water You turned into wine
Opened the eyes of the blind
There's no one like You
None like You

Verse 2

Into the darkness You shine
Out of the ashes we rise
There's no one like You
None like You

Chorus

Our God is greater
Our God is stronger
God You are higher than any other
Our God is healer
Awesome in power our God our God

Bridge

And if our God is for us
Then who could ever stop us
And if our God is with us
Then what could stand against
And if our God is for us
Then who could ever stop us
And if our God is with us
Then what could stand against
(Then) what could stand against

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Offertory: Sacred Silence

Chorus

Sacred silence holy ocean
Gentle water washing over me
Help me listen Holy Spirit
Come and speak to me

Verse 1

God my Father Christ my brother
Holy Spirit sanctifying me
Lord I'm sorry please forgive me
Come and set me free

Verse 2

Holy Mary gentle mother
God's pure vessel praying for me
Saints and angels all in heaven
Come and be with me

Ending

Come and be with me
Come and speak to me

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Communion: Remembrance

Verse 1

Oh how could it be
That my God would welcome me
Into this mystery
Say take this bread take this wine
Now the simple made divine
For any to receive

Pre-Chorus

By Your mercy we come to Your table
By Your grace You are making us faithful

Chorus

Lord we remember You
And remembrance leads us to worship
And as we worship You
Our worship leads to communion
We respond to Your invitation
(We respond to Your invitation)
We remember You

Verse 2

See His body His blood
Know that He has overcome
Ev'ry trial we will face
And none too lost to be saved
None too broken or ashamed
All are welcome in this place

Bridge

Dying You destroyed our death
Rising You restored our life
Lord Jesus come in glory

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Reflection: Behold The Lamb Of God

Verse

You are my Lord
It's You I adore
Nothing on earth
Could ever take Your place
Your might humbles ev'ry heart
The highest of heavens bow
For nothing on earth
Could ever take Your place

Pre-Chorus

And now we see Your sacrifice
The greatest gift our greatest prize

Chorus

Behold the Lamb of God
Behold the Lamb of God
Who takes away the sins of the world

Bridge

We will not forget
We will stay awake
We will not abandon
The promise that You made

Ending

The sins of the world
The sins of the world

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Closing: Lord Reign In Me

Verse 1

Over all the earth You reign on high
Every mountain stream every sunset sky
But my one request Lord my only aim
Is that You'd reign in me again

Chorus

Lord reign in me reign in Your pow'r
Over all my dreams in my darkest hour
You are the Lord of all I am
So won't You reign in me again

Verse 2

Over every thought over every word
May my life reflect the beauty of my Lord
'Cause You mean more to me
Than any earthly thing
So won't You reign in me again

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