

**NEWLY BAPTIZED**

We welcome into the Cathedral of Saint Columba **Donald Phillip Lowe**, child of Donald and Alexandra (Decenzo) Lowe. We cherish the life that has been given, we trust in God's mercy and care, and we dedicate ourselves to protect and to nurture this little gift of life.

**Ash Wednesday, March 6, 2019, Masses at 12:10 and 5:30 p.m. ~ Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors, Servers and Ushers:** If you are able to be a Liturgical Minister on Ash Wednesday, please sign up on the schedule located in the Sacristy. **Please note:** There will also be a Service with Ashes in the Cathedral at 7:30 a.m.

**Easter Flowers:** You should have received your contribution envelope packet in the mail which includes an envelopes for Easter Flowers. Those wishing to donate an Easter plant in memory of a deceased member of your family or other, may do so by making a \$15.00 donation. Please fill out the information on the back of the envelope and place it in the collection basket or mail it to the rectory. The names will be listed in the bulletin the weekend after Easter Sunday. These flowers will be used to decorate the Cathedral

**Emmet Cahill:** The Cathedral of Saint Columba is excited to announce the return performance of Irish Tenor Emmet Cahill. Emmet will be returning to the cathedral for a Spring Performance on Sunday, May 5, 2019. Tickets are now available for purchase at [www.ticketleap.com](http://www.ticketleap.com). Ticket prices are \$55 (which includes a Meet & Greet with Emmet in the Parish Hall prior to the concert), \$40 and \$35. Come and enjoy an amazing musical evening with International talent Emmet Cahill.

**2018 Contributions:** Contribution listings were closed on Monday, January 1, 2019. Any contributions dated after December 31, 2018 will be listed on your 2019 Financial Statement. Please call the rectory at 330-744-5233 if you need a copy of your contribution statement.

**Diocesan Youth Choir Festival:** The Diocese of Youngstown will participate in the 2019 American Federation of Pueri Cantores Pittsburgh Choir Festival and Mass to be held on March 30, 2019, at Saint Paul's Cathedral in Pittsburgh, PA. This event will serve as the annual Diocesan Youth Choir Festival and all parish and school youth choirs are invited to participate. Several hundred students from Pittsburgh, Erie, Greensburg, Wheeling, and Youngstown dioceses are expected to join in this day-long event which culminates in the celebration of the vigil liturgy at 6:00 p.m. in Saint Paul's Cathedral. Most Reverend David A. Zubik, Bishop of Pittsburgh will be the main celebrant at Mass. The Director of the Festival is Mr. Paul French, nationally known Music Director at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church in Chicago. All students of the diocese in grades 4-12 are welcome to participate in this instructive and fun-filled day. Students planning to attend the choir festival will be expected to rehearse the planned music prior to the event.

**Friday Daily Mass:** Beginning March 1, 2019 the Cathedral will go back to having Mass on Friday's instead of Communion Prayer Services. Please call the rectory at 330-744-5233 if you would like to schedule Mass Intentions.

**7<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Prelude Preludio Sine Nomine  
Herbert Howells

Entrance Hymn W 610  
Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven

Penitential Act  
Gloria W 230  
Collect

**Liturgy of the Word**

Reading I  
Responsorial Psalm W 1129  
*The Lord is kind and merciful.*

Reading II  
Alleluia W 335  
Gospel  
Homily  
Nicene Creed (*inside front cover*)  
Universal Prayer

**Liturgy of the Eucharist**

Offertory Hymn W 700  
Where Charity and Love Prevail

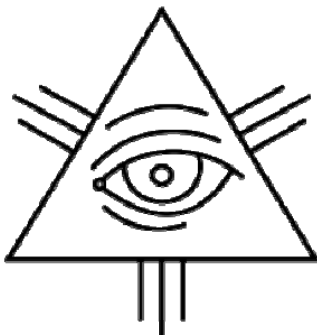
*Mass for a Servant Church* W 231, 232, 235  
Lord's Prayer  
Lamb of God W 236  
Communion Hymn W 693  
Love One Another

Anthem My Eyes for Beauty Pine  
Herbert Howells

Announcements

Blessing & Dismissal

Postlude Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven  
Robert Hobby



## MASSES for the WEEK

**Sunday, February 24****Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time***Readings: 1 Sm 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23**1 Cor 15:45-49**Lk 6:27-38*

10:30 AM Colleen Cummings Dailey

4:00 PM Parishioners of Saint Columba

**Monday, February 25****Weekday***Readings: Sir 1:1-10**Mk 9:14-29*

12:10 PM Frank &amp; Helen Garancovsky

**Tuesday, February 26****Weekday***Readings: Sir 2:1-11**Mk 9:30-37*

12:10 PM Mary Janosik

**Wednesday, February 27****Weekday***Readings: Sir 4:11-19**Mk 9:38-40*

12:10 PM Elizabeth E. Gurley

**Thursday, February 28****Weekday***Readings: Sir 5:1-8**Mk 9:41-50*

12:10 PM Donald P. Kirkbride

**Friday, March 1****Weekday***Readings: Sir 6:5-17**Mt 10:1-12*

12:10 PM Helen Hyland &amp; John F. Smith Families

**Saturday, March 2****Vigil: Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time***Readings: Sir 17:1-15**Mk 10:13-16*2:00 PM **Wedding:** Michael Hudzik & Cortney Conklin

4:00 PM Rich &amp; Gloria Conway, Jr.

**Sunday, March 3****Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time***Readings: Sir 27:4-7**1 Cor 15:54-58**Lk 6:39-45*

10:30 AM Bartolec Family

4:00 PM Friends of the Cathedral

## COMING PARISH EVENTS

**Saturday, February 23**

9:00 AM Sacrament of Reconciliation

4:00 PM Sunday Liturgy

**Sunday, February 24**

9:00 – 10:15 AM Religious Education Classes

10:30 AM Sunday Liturgy

11:30 AM Ministry Day

4:00 PM Sunday Liturgy

**Tuesday, February 26**

1:00 PM Sacrament of Reconciliation

**Thursday, February 28**

1:00 PM Sacrament of Reconciliation

5:15 PM Choir Rehearsal

**Saturday, March 2**

9:00 AM Sacrament of Reconciliation

4:00 PM Sunday Liturgy

**WEDDING BANNES**

Please remember all couples as they prepare for the Sacrament of Matrimony. We pray that God will bless them with a lifetime of good health and happiness.

**Michael Hudzik & Cortney Conklin**

**IN YOUR PRAYERS**

Please remember the sick and deceased members of our parish, especially **Dorothy George** who died February 16, 2019



**REMEMBRANCE FLAMES**  
for the week of **February 24:**



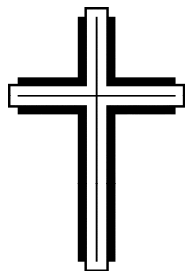
**Blessed Mother:** Peg McMahon

**Lady of Czestochowa:** Special Intention

**Sanctuary:**

**St. Joseph:**

*Donation for a Remembrance Flame is ten dollars per week.*



## Our Weekly Offering

February 16/17 \$ 3,937.00

Envelopes mailed: 321

Envelopes returned: 83

Catholic Exponent	\$ 33	Common Cents	\$ 6
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**Stewardship Thought:** *“But rather, love your enemies and do good to them, and lend without expecting anything back.” LUKE 6:35*

Easier said than done, right? But, if we are to imitate Christ, most of us need to practice mercy and compassion more frequently. Start with the little daily annoyances that we experience, the unkind word or hateful glance we receive. Instead of plotting revenge on that person, try saying a quick prayer for that person. Mercy and compassion will put us on the path to holiness.

**Classes for Mind, Body & Spirit:** Have a resolution to improve your mind, body and spirit in 2019? The Ursuline Education & Wellness Center can help. We offer programs to help keep adults stay fit – including a book club, spiritual book club, SilverSneakers land classes, yoga, water aerobics, spirituality offerings and short-term counseling. Contact the Ursuline Center at [www.theursulinecenter.org](http://www.theursulinecenter.org) or at 330-799-4941 for dates and times. The Ursuline Center is sponsored by Ursuline Ministries and furthers the mission of the Ursuline Sisters of Youngstown.

**Learning Opportunities for Adults:** Adults seeking to learn more or deepen their understanding of topics in faith and Catholic Church practice can take advantage of online and onsite opportunities outlined in a new brochure released by the Office of Religious Education of the Catholic Diocese of Youngstown. In addition to courses, the brochure also lists lectures, activities, and other learning events around the diocese aimed at shaping the mind and touching the heart of faith. For more information, contact the Office of Religious Education by email, [jlawson@youngstowndiocese.org](mailto:jlawson@youngstowndiocese.org), go to the “For Catechists/Catechist Courses” page of the Catechist Café website, <https://catechistcafe.weebly.com> or call the Office of Religious Education by phone at 330-744-8451, ext. 302.

**Saint Patrick’s Day Celebration:** Saint Patrick Church, 225 N. Main Street, Hubbard is holding *A Taste of Our Festival* a Saint Patrick’s Day Celebration on Saturday, March 2, 2019 from 5:00 – 8:00 p.m. Dinner includes: Stuffed Cabbage; Sausage, Pepper & Onions Sandwich; Steak Hoagie; Ribs; Haluski; Cavatelli/Meatballs; Corn Dogs; Avalon Pizza; Homeade French Fries; Super Dogs; Lemon Shakes; Apple Dumplings/Ice Cream; Pizza Fritte; Beer. Prices will be A-La-Carte with Free Admission. Entertainment – County Mayo Band. Call 330-534-1928 for more information.

**Permanent Diaconate:** Are you interested in the Permanent Diaconate in the Diocese of Youngstown? Interested men and their wives are cordially invited to learn more about the role of the Permanent Deacon in the Diocese of Youngstown. A presentation will be made explaining the permanent diaconate and the formation program leading to ordination. If you are interested in the Permanent Diaconate, plan to attend an Information Session at one of the following locations: Wednesday, February 27, 2019 from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. at Saint Michael the Archangel Parish (Fannon Center), 3430 St. Michael Blvd. NW, Canton or Sunday, March 3, 2019 from 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. at Saint Patrick Parish, 357 N. Main Street, Hubbard. If you plan on attending, or if you have questions, please call the Office of Permanent Diaconate at 330-744-8451.

**Catholic Exponent:** This Sunday’s Gospel reading from Luke tells us how Jesus spoke to “a great crowd of His disciples and a large number of the people from all Judea and Jerusalem.” We hear Jesus’ words – familiar but still vibrant, even startling – telling us to look beyond our present difficulties and trust in God, to rise above what we see in this world and love as Jesus did, knowing that “your reward will be great.” Like the disciples, we would all love to hear Jesus’ words of counsel and encouragement. Still Jesus left us with His grace, His Scripture, and His Church, to help us carry on. The complex, often grueling world we live in sometimes makes it difficult to remember all Jesus has given us and sends conflicting messages about how to live His word. Our diocesan newspaper, the Catholic Exponent, helps connect us to Jesus and our Church and understand how our faith applies today. In addition to offering news about the Church right here in our diocese and around the world, the Exponent brings commentary, Scripture reflection, and adult faith formation. Your support for the Exponent nurtures not only you but also your fellow Catholics who are in need of that connection. Subscribe or renew your subscription today by dropping “The Catholic Exponent” envelope from your parish packet into the collection basket. Call 330-744-5251 or email us at [exposubscriptions@youngstowndiocese.org](mailto:exposubscriptions@youngstowndiocese.org) to request subscription information. Remember Jesus’ presence in your life. Read and support the Catholic Exponent.

**Saint Columba Food Pantry:** Please donate non-perishable foods the weekend of March 2 and 3. There will be baskets in the front of the Cathedral and in the vestibule for your donations. Suggested items are: Pasta and Sauce • Peanut Butter and Jelly • Cereal • Canned Vegetables and Fruits • Juices • Canned Soups and Crackers • Tuna and other Canned Meats. Thank you for your continued support.

## MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Cathedral Parish of St. Columba is twofold: to serve as the spiritual center of the Diocese of Youngstown by fostering the mission of the Bishop and to participate in the saving mission of Jesus Christ by caring for the spiritual and physical needs of people in Central Youngstown.

## THE FRIENDS OF THE CATHEDRAL OF SAINT COLUMBA

The purpose of *The Friends of The Cathedral of Saint Columba* is to have a visual reminder of our beloved deceased not only on special days such as birthdays and anniversaries but also throughout the entire year. Once a month, a Mass is celebrated for the repose of the souls of *The Friends of The Cathedral of Saint Columba*. On the ninth of June, the Feast of Saint Columba, the intention of the parish Mass is for *The Friends of The Cathedral of Saint Columba* and a small luncheon follows. Friends who are remembered are not necessarily parishioners of St. Columba and membership to *The Friends of the Cathedral of Saint Columba* is annual, commencing anytime of the year. Contact the parish office for further information. *Donation for being a Friend is fifty dollars a year.*

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| † Joseph & Doris Balough – Judith & George Lesnansky        | † Paul P. Luchansky – Ellie Luchansky                   |
| † Theophil & Dorothy Barcikowski – Karen Barr               | † Marie Mansour – The Mansour Family                    |
| † Joseph & Ann Berroteran – Joann Rich                      | † Deceased Members of the McCullion Family --           |
| † Patrick & Rosella Cisine – John Cisine                    | Mickey Murphy   |
| † Ethel & Hank Belszek – Marie & Bob LaCivita               | † Patricia McGowan Miller – Henry Elmo Miller & Sons    |
| † Ethel & Hank Belszek – Marlana LaCivita                   | † Milan & Ruth Monus – The Monus Family                 |
| † Belszek, Veck, & LaCivita Families – Marie & Bob LaCivita | † Timothy Mulholland – Barbara Mulholland               |
| † Stella A. Bilas – Barb Zorn                               | † Edward & Mary (McCullion) Murphy –                    |
| † Ruth Bolan – Carole McDonough                             | Mickey Murphy & Mary Ann Tanner                         |
| † George & Virginia Borak & Jean – Family                   | † Gloria Modarelli – Carole McDonough                   |
| † James Burke – Howard O'Malley                             | † Joseph L. Muscatello – Carole McDonough               |
| † Mike & Gerry Butch – Gary & Pauli Butch                   | † Myra Musick – Carole McDonough                        |
| † Dorothy & Charles Butler – Tom & Marilyn Butler           | † Sal Musitano – Mary Lou, Monica, Paul, Chris & Alec   |
| † Gene Campana – Cathy, Tom, John & Jim Campana             | † Ralph & Catherine Naples – The Naples Family          |
| † Deceased Members of the Chick Family –                    | † Gary Oles – Alice Reardon                             |
| Michael & Barbara DeLucia                                   | † Howard O'Malley III – Howard O'Malley                 |
| † Richard Cipriano – Carole McDounough                      | † Howard & Winifred O'Malley – Howard O'Malley          |
| † Jack Conroy – Gary & Josie Foster                         | † Mr. & Mrs. John J. O'Malley – Howard O'Malley         |
| † Joseph L. Cook – Carole McDonough                         | † Rosemary O'Malley – Howard O'Malley                   |
| † George C. Economus – Judith Varveris-Economus             | † Deceased Members of Pasternack & Shutrump Families –  |
| † Jack L. Elder – Tim, Laura & Elizabeth Elder              | John & Georgia Pasternack                               |
| † Helen & Michael Elko, Sr. – Elko Family                   | † Carl & Mary Jane Patton – Judith Varveris-Economus    |
| † John Elko, Jr. – Elko Family                              | † Geraldine Perrine – Kenneth Giba                      |
| † George Ellis, Sr. – Elizabeth Ellis                       | † Dominic & Mary Petrella – Andrew & Millie Petrella    |
| † Ray, Virginia & Joe Ergler – Mike & Prue Gallagher        | † Lynne Pilolli Osterholt – Anthony & Nora Pilolli      |
| † Stephen & Kathryn Evans – Gary & Pauli Butch              | † John Polando – Mother                                 |
| † James & Lena Fair – Bill & Jean Wainio                    | † Paul Polando - Wife, Mary                             |
| † Betty Forney – Keith Forney & Natalia Wells               | † Anna & Peter Polando - Family                         |
| † Frances R. Gale – Carole G. McDonough                     | † Bridget & Marshall Popelka – Janice & James Donlin    |
| † Larry & Peg Gallagher – Mike & Prue Gallagher             | † Mr. & Mrs. John L. Quinn – Howard O'Malley            |
| † Larry Jr. & Joanne Gallagher                              | † James E. Reardon – Alice Reardon                      |
| † Bill & Sue Gause – Paul & Kathy Gause                     | † Thomas C. Reardon – Alice Reardon                     |
| † Joe & Julie George – Daughter                             | † John & Mary Roman – Jan, Debbie & Diane               |
| † Joan Giba – Kenneth Giba                                  | † Mercedes & Carmen Roqué – Leo & Rosa Tirado           |
| † Paul W. Giba – Grandchildren & Great Grandchildren        | † Mary Ellen Shiller – Family                           |
| † Tom & Mary Hamrock – Hamrock Family                       | † Joseph Slipenchak – Daniel Laginya                    |
| † Theresa & John Horney – Family                            | † Rev. William P. Slipski – Kenneth Giba                |
| † Jean & Michael Horney – Family                            | † Kathleen H. Snovak                                    |
| † Edward J. Hulme – Hulme Family                            | – Graigh, Sean, Dennis, Thomas and Graig Snovak         |
| † Edward J. Hulme, Jr. – Hulme Family                       | † Kathryn & Paul Sovik – Alice Giba                     |
| † John D. Hulme – Hulme Family                              | † Taaffe and Tinkler Families                           |
| † Marian I. Izak – Karen Barr                               | † Daniel Charles & Christopher Tinkler – Tinkler Family |
| † Joseph & Mary Jacobson – Patricia Grinstead               | † John N. Varveris – Judith Varveris-Economus           |
| † John-Phillip Knapick – Sally Knapick Winsen               | † Ann & Peter Vlaykovich – The Naples Family            |
| † Richard Kunzer – Elizabeth Kunzer & Son                   | † William & Josephine Wainio, Jr. – Bill & Jean Wainio  |
| † Deceased Members of the Lamb Family – Hulme Family        | † Anthony & Sara Wielbruda - Frank & Gloria Wielbruda   |
| † William, Philomena & Gloria LaTessa –                     | † Edward F. Winsen – Sally Winsen                       |
| Judith Varveris-Economus                                    | † Andrea Lynn Yohman – Joann Yohman & Family            |
| † Thomas & Clara Leone - Frank & Gloria Wielbruda           | † Pete Yohman – Pam, Carla, Kara & Brandon              |
| † Frances & Michael Luchansky – Gary Giba                   |   |