

Saint Martin of Tours

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WELCOME

St. Martin of Tours is a continuation of the life of Christ, in the lives of our parish members and of our visitors as well.

St. Martin of Tours was founded in 1911. For a complete history of our parish, consult our web site.

As you join our community for the Eucharist this Sunday, may the Lord's grace and peace remain with you, this week and always.

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

Strengthened by Jesus in the celebration of the Sacraments, especially the Eucharist, and inspired by the Word of God, we gratefully share our time, talent and treasure. We endeavor to reach out to all members of our parish and the larger community through faith formation, the ministry of our school, fellowship and works of charity. As a Roman Catholic parish within the Archdiocese of Cincinnati, this vision guides our ministry and service in the Cheviot/Western Hills community.

PHONE NUMBERS

Parish Office 661-2000
School Office 661-7609
www.saintmartin.org

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 8:00, 9:30 & 11:30 a.m.

HOLY DAY MASS SCHEDULE

Consult the schedule
inside bulletin

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday, Wednesday & Friday
6:30 a.m.
Tuesday & Thursday
8:00 a.m.

BINGO

Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

BULLETIN DEADLINE

Monday 5:00 p.m.

TOUR TALK DEADLINE

10th of each month

SACRAMENTS

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 3:30-4:30 p.m.

HOLY ORDERS

Call our Parish Office to explore the possibility of a vocation to the Ordained Priesthood, Diaconate, or Vowed Religious Life for Women and Men.

MATRIMONY

Engaged couples should contact our Parish Office at least six months in advance of desired date to make an appointment with a priest. Date will only be set after this interview. Marriage Preparation Program is a prerequisite.

BAPTISM

Arrangements for Pre-Baptismal Program should be made before the birth of your baby or shortly thereafter. Contact our Parish Office for details.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please notify our Parish Office of illnesses or hospitalizations so that we may visit you.

PASTORAL COUNCIL

President: Debbie Weitz 661-8256
Vice-President: Eileen Duffy 481-6732

NEW PARISHIONERS

Interested in becoming a member of our parish family? Please contact our Parish Office to register.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Please notify our Parish Office if you have had a change of address or phone number, or if a member of your family has gone into a nursing facility.

BEQUESTS: A LEGACY OF FAITH

By naming St. Martin of Tours in your will, you can bequeath to a new generation a legacy of faith and gain for yourself the blessing and personal satisfaction of knowing that your gift will help to further the work of Our Lord Jesus Christ. For more information, please call our Parish Office.

ST. MARTIN OF TOURS CHURCH



MONDAY, November 5, 2018—Weekday

8:00 a.m. Celebrants Intention

TUESDAY, November 6, 2018—Weekday

8:00 a.m. Dorothy Calardo

WEDNESDAY, November 7, 2018—Weekday

8:00 a.m. Steven Schwing

THURSDAY, November 8, 2018—Weekday

8:00 a.m. Robert Hyle

FRIDAY, November 9, 2018—Dedication of Lateran Basilica

8:00 a.m. Poor Souls

SATURDAY, November 10, 2018—St. Leo the Great

5:00 p.m. Liam Herzog & Virginia Brennon

SUNDAY, November 11, 2018—22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. Mass for the Parish

9:30 a.m. Michael Kramer

11:30 a.m. Norb Kenkel

MASS SERVERS

8:00 A.M. Tuesday & Thursday, November 6 & 8

Madalyn Emery, Chloe Calender

Saturday & Sunday November 10 & 11

Mass	Servers	Lectors
5:00 p.m.	Aidan Fulmer Grace Hauer	Laura Flight
8:00 a.m.	Aaron Westermeyer Debbie Kleisinger	Anne Petersman
9:30 a.m.	Rebecca Fantetti Rosa Fantetti Nathaniel Fantetti	Margie Hammitt
11:30 a.m.	Chloe Calender Jaela Bayless Laurie Huff	Tom Gibson

Readings for the Week

Monday, November 5	Phil 2:1-4/Lk 14:12-14
Tuesday, November 6	Phil 2:5-11/Lk 14:15-24
Wednesday, November 7	Phil 2:12-18/Lk 14:25-33
Thursday, November 8	Phil 3:3-8a/Lk 15:1-10
Friday, November 9	Ez 47:1-2,8-12; Cor 3:9c-11,15-16/Jn 2:13-22
Saturday, November 10	Phil 4:10-19/Lk 16:9-15
Sunday, November 11	1 Kgss 17:10-16;Heb 9:24-28/Mk 12:38-44

St Martin's PRAYER FOR PEACE is held every Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. in church. Please come to pray the rosary for peace for our country, peace for the world and for the protection of our soldiers stationed around the world. All are welcome.

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time:

Today Jesus presents an exceptional idea that has survived the centuries of religious tradition: a perfect commandment - Love the Lord God with all your heart, soul, mind, and strength. And, love your neighbor as yourself. He has told us that whatever we do for others we are also doing for Him. The more we know of God's love and truth the more we love what he loves and reject what is hateful and contrary to his will. To love Jesus with our heart, soul, mind and strength, we should make time for God "first" on our agenda each day, not as an afterthought. God is love and everything he does flows from his love for us.

Prayer Moment:

Lord Jesus, give us pure love in our hearts, born of your love for us, that we may love others as you love us.

Vocation View:

Love of God and love of neighbor are not mutually exclusive, but rather are mutually enriching. Demonstrate the love you have for God by acting in service to your neighbor in Christ.

CHURCH COLLECTION:		
		Deficit
Sunday, October 28, 2018	\$7,299.35	
Online Donations	\$465.00	
Average Weekly Needed	\$12,100.00	\$4,335.65
Fiscal Year to Date	\$176,957.00	
Needed Fiscal Year to Date	\$217,800.00	\$40,843.00
Preserving Our Treasures	\$36,656.00	

Stock Donations: Donations of stocks to St. Martin of Tours Church will be processed through St. Martin of Tours individual custodial account at Fifth Third Bank. Please contact Lois Sundrup for specific information and delivery instructions.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH:

Remember in your prayers those who are in nursing homes, sick at home, and all who have received prayer blankets.

If you know of anyone who can benefit from a PRAYER

BLANKET, please call the parish office at 661-2000, to remind those who need it that the people of St. Martin are praying for their physical, mental and spiritual health.

In April 2003, new national hospital-patient privacy laws were enacted. Therefore, many hospitals will not notify St. Martin's of your admission. If you would like someone from St. Martin to visit you in the hospital, please call the Parish Office to notify us.

The following parishioner has entered Eternal Life. Please remember him in your prayers

Norman Neiheisel, beloved husband of the late Joyce Doench Neiheisel, dear father of David, Carol, and Barb.

If you have a change of address or phone number, please call the Parish Office at 661-2000. Also, if you are new to the parish please call the parish office to register.



Martinfest: Our second annual Martinfest is just a few days away. I do hope that you will be able to join us on Saturday evening.

We will begin with Mass at 5:00 p.m. celebrating the feast day of our parish patron, St. Martin of Tours. Since it is also Veterans Day weekend we will also be praying for all the men and women who have served our country in the armed forces. Dinner will then be served in Fr. Mick Hall. The evening will be chock-full with games, beer tasting, a basket bonanza, silent auction and highlighted by the drawing of the winning tickets for the major awards. Not only will Martinfest be an important fundraiser to support the ministry of our parish, but also a great time for us to be together as our St. Martin Parish Family. I'm looking forward to seeing you on Saturday, November 10.

Remembering the Faithful Departed: Last Sunday afternoon, God blessed us with a very prayerful Vespers Service for All Souls Day. We prayed for all who have completed their earthly journey and in particular, for our parishioners who have died since last November. A special word of thanks to the members of the Bereavement Ministry for assisting with this liturgy and for their sensitive and caring ministry to our families throughout the year. All of the faithful departed will have a special place in our parish prayers throughout the month of November.

Election Day: As we prepare to vote on Tuesday, let us spend some time in prayer asking the Holy Spirit to guide and direct us in our choices and decisions.

Vocation Awareness Week: We begin today our annual Archdiocesan Vocation Awareness Week. God calls each of us through our Baptism to use our talents and gifts to spread His love throughout the world. This call is our "vocation". Our vocation may be lived as a single person, a member of a vowed religious community, a married person or an ordained priest or deacon. We pray especially this week that God will bless our church with an increase of vocations to the priesthood and to the religious life as a brother or sister, to the diaconate and to the lay ministry.

Loving and Gracious God,
you call us by name and ask us to follow You.
Help us to imitate Your example of service
and to share our talents and gifts with Your people.

Give us the energy and courage of Your spirit
to proclaim and live out your Gospel.

Grant us faith-filled leaders in Your church
who will embrace Christ's mission of love and justice.

Bless this parish of St. Martin of Tours by raising up
dedicated and generous ministers from our families and community
who will serve Your people
as Sisters, Priest, Brothers, Deacons and Lay Ministries.

Open our hearts to hear Your call.
Amen

God's Blessings
Fr. Terry

Lectors: We are working on the December, January & February lector schedule. If there are dates that you are unable to lector, please call the parish office at 661-2000. If anyone is interested in becoming a lector, please call the parish office.

The 11:30 Mass at St. Martin's is in need of additional Eucharistic Ministers. You are going to be at Mass anyway. In most cases you will only be scheduled twice a month to distribute at Mass. If you'd like to volunteer, please contact Margie Hammitt at 574-1056 for more information. Thank you in advance for your consideration.

MARTINFEST 2018

Join us this Saturday, November 10, 2018, for our 2nd annual Martinfest 6:00 p.m. until midnight. Plan on joining us for the 5:00 p.m. Mass and afterwards a dinner catered by R&R Meats will be served in Fr. Mick Hall. Dinner is only \$18.00 per person. After dinner, come to our Craft Beer Tasting in our parish center. Dinner and Beer Tickets are being sold in advance (form below). There is no admission charge. There will be wine, bourbon and Muse Coffee.

Martinfest Pre-Sale Dinner & Beer Tickets

Dinner \$18 per person Craft Beer Tickets 4/\$10 or 10/\$20

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____

#Dinner Tickets _____ # Beer Tickets _____

Amount Enclosed \$ _____

Return orders to the parish office by October 30, 2018.

Please pick up Pre-Sale ticket orders at the doors to Fr. Mick Hall on the night of the event.

Our "Lucky 11s" Major Award Raffle \$3,011 Grand Prize Drawing will be held at 11:11 p.m. on November 10 PLUS, three other cash prizes on this evening: One \$1,011 and two \$511. Need not be present to win. Be sure to get your tickets now, drop them in the collection basket or drop off at the parish office, mark your envelope: Major Award.

Major Award Raffle Ticket Donation \$20 each

Name _____

Address _____

Phone () _____

Attention St. Martin of Tours Alumni: Fall Alumni Mass Invitation On Saturday, November 10, at 5:00 p.m., we invite SMOT alumni and their guests to join us for our fall Alumni Mass. Our pastor, Fr. Terry Hamilton (Class of 1961) will be our Celebrant for this special Mass honoring our Veterans and our Patron Saint. After Mass, join us for dinner at our second annual Martinfest! We will showcase our "Lucky 11s" Major Award Raffle and feature; a craft beer tasting, wine, bourbon and coffee, live entertainment, a silent auction, a basket bonanza raffle, split the pot, "Suds OR Suds" door prize, and a rapid raffle card game! Martinfest will provide the perfect opportunity for local classmates to gather!



St. Vincent de Paul is having a coat drive. There is a bin in the vestibule for you to drop off your GENTLY USED & CLEAN coats. We will take any size, from infant to adult. Please help us help others stay warm this winter. Thank you for your generosity and God bless you.

Annual Father Daughter Square Dance for all girls and their Dad or Grandpa or Uncle Friday, November 16, 2018 6:30 to 9:00 p.m. Doors open at 6:30 for pictures, Dance will run 7:00-9:00 p.m. in Fr. Mick Hall \$10 per couple (\$5 per additional girl in family) We have a new caller this year. Snacks and Drinks Provided Questions? Call Jenny at 661-8985.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS		
Date/Time	Event	Place
Monday, November 5, 2018		
7:00 p.m.	RCIA	Red School
7:00 p.m.	Bible Study	Red School
Tuesday, November 6, 2018		
7:00 p.m.	Prayer for Peace	Church
Wednesday, November 7, 2018		
	Music Practice	Church
7:00 p.m.	Bingo	Fr. Mick
Friday, November 9, 2018		
1:00 p.m.	Knit & crochet	Red School
Saturday, November 10, 2018		
6:00 p.m.	Martifest	Parish Center
Sunday, November 11, 2018		
8:00 a.m.	PSR 1 st Reconciliation Class	Red School

Play St. Martin's BINGO on Wednesday evenings in Fr. Mick Hall. Doors open at 5:00 p.m. games begin at 7:00 p.m.

Bingo provides a substantial amount of financial assistance to the parish. Without bingo, we would have to raise school tuition considerably.

PLEASE schedule your night to work. Contact Becky Fellerman at beckyfellerman@yahoo.com or 389-0108.

If you are scheduled to work at bingo, please arrive by **6:00 p.m.**

We need brown paper grocery bags for Bingo. Please drop bags off at the Parish Office. Thank You!

ATTENTION VOLUNTEERS...

A requirement from **THE ARCHDIOCESE of CINCINNATI** The **Required VIRTUS® Monthly Continuing Education Bulletins** are posted around the first week of each month. You do not need an email reminder from VIRTUS® to read your monthly Bulletin. Set up a monthly reminder to log in to VIRTUS® and click the VIRTUS® Training tab to view the monthly VIRTUS® Bulletin and answer the question. If you **fall two VIRTUS Bulletins behind** you **WILL BE MADE INACTIVE.**

Reminder to anyone who coaches, chaperones, volunteers or has any contact in any capacity with the children at St. Martin: BEFORE you can begin volunteering, The Archdiocese of Cincinnati is **REQUIRING** that all volunteers and staff who work with children must **1) attend a VIRTUS® Program** and **2) Beginning January 1, 2014, volunteers do not need to be fingerprinted, BUT they MUST do a background check with Selection.com from within their VIRTUS account.** The background check will be required for anyone **who has not had fingerprints or had a background check done in the last five years.** **GO ONLINE TO YOUR VIRTUS ACCOUNT TO DO THE BACKGROUND CHECK THROUGH SELECTION.COM** (the link is found in the Toolbox Tab of your VIRTUS page). In order to do the background check through Selection.com, please call the parish office for a Fastrax Token worth \$25.00.

Neidhard-Minges Funeral Home is presenting Hope for the Holidays a program for people who are grieving. Together, we will explore the possibilities of healing with hope, honesty, and even humor. The program will be held on Sunday, November 11, from 1-3 pm at Neidhard-Minges Funeral Home, Harrison Ave., Westwood. There is no charge for the program. Reservations are appreciated, but not necessary. For questions or reservations call 661-3022.

Family Corner

Marriage Moment

"You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength." (Mark 12:31) Yes, this is true. In addition to wholehearted love of God, can you also say this about your beloved spouse since God lives in him or her also?

Parenting Pointer

How well do your children know their deceased relatives? Why not help them remember by praying for each by name today. Go back as far as you can remember and perhaps reminisce about their saintly qualities.

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- 1) Select the type of contribution.
- 2) Select Recurring or One time donation.
- 3) Select Complete and confirm your information.

St. Martin Prayer Chain-Let's Pray Together:

"He prayeth best who loveth best" (Samuel Coleridge, poet)

Join us to pray for and pass on via telephone those who have requested our prayers. This is a good ministry for those who want to be active parish members, but because of health or family restrictions cannot serve outside of their homes. Interested? Call Carol at 451-8566.

Need prayers? There are two ways to be included on our prayer chain:

1. Call Carol (451-8566) or Peg (922-7575) and leave the first name or initial of the person needing our prayer and why.
2. Write your request, place in an envelope, mark it "Prayer Chain" and drop it in the collection basket.

We also send "Thank you, God" prayers, too!

The 2019 Panthers Lacrosse sign-ups are accepting all Cincinnati area grade school and middle school boys from K-8th grade. The program focuses on teaching fundamentals and developing skills through practices and games scheduled against other local US Lacrosse teams. For information and signups visit www.cincypantherslacrosse.com or email pantherlax4u@gmail.com or call 513.941.0399 for questions.

St. Joseph Cemetery will have a Candlelight Prayer Service on Tuesday, November 6 at 7:00 p.m. in St. Joseph Mausoleum. Fr. Chris Lack will be the Celebrant. Call 251-3110 if planning to attend. You may bring a small photograph of your loved one to be included in a framed collage. Pictures will not be returned.

Cub Scout Pack 187, will be holding an Italian Dinner on Saturday, November 17 in the St. Al's School Cafeteria from 4:30 – 7:00 pm.

Dine in or carry out. They will be serving a homemade meatball and spaghetti dinner and a meatball hoagie dinner. Dinner includes salad, spaghetti and meatballs or meatball hoagie, bread, drink, and dessert. Adults and Juniors: \$10.00 Spaghetti Dinner and Meatball Hoagies Children ages 3-9 : \$6.00. Packages or 12 frozen Meatballs are available for \$12.

Join the Little Sisters of the Poor for their annual Christmas Boutique, November 9 & 10, 10 am-4 pm at 476 Riddle Rd. This event benefits the Activity Department at the Home for the Residents. Homemade soups, baked goods, Holiday décor, crafts, quilt and afghan raffles, and so much more!