**HSP Advent Study** 

What: The Fulfillment of All Desire

When: After Mass for about one hour

Nov. 27, Dec. 4, Dec 11

Cost: Free

Contact: Martha at

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Course Consists of:
- Lecture Video (~20 minutes)
- Lectio Divina Exercise (~10 minutes)
- Supplemental Reading Material

In this short <u>online</u> course, Dr. Ralph Martin, Director of Programs in the New Evangelization at Sacred Heart Major Seminary, shows how achieving holiness is not only possible, but something each and every one of us is called to. He will present the stages of spiritual growth as lived out by some of the great spiritual masters of the Church: St. Teresa of Ávila, St. John of the Cross, St. Catherine of Siena, St. Bernard of Clairvaux, and St. Francis De Sales. Reflecting on their examples, the course will cover practical tips and advice for advancing in our journey to God. The curriculum is based on Dr. Martin's book The Fulfillment of All Desire: A Guidebook for the Journey to God Based on the Wisdom of the Saints. The book is not necessary for the course, but you are welcome to purchase it on your own.



# The Historic Church of Saint Patrick Community Outreach "The Angel Tree"

For our community outreach this Christmas season we have adopted a <u>family</u> in need, from a local shelter here in downtown Toledo called "Leading Families Home"

Leading Families Home mission is helping families achieve independence and economic stability by providing life-changing resources, including mental wellness, education, employment services and safe, affordable, sustainable housing. We guide families from homelessness to housing in economic stability through trauma-informed case management, behavior health, education, and employment services. Hope is found when you enter our doors.

Leading Families Home is a 501C3 charity based in Toledo, Ohio. We provide resources to support homeless families as they transition to permanent housing.

Starting November 13<sup>th</sup>, there will be an "Angel Tree" in the back of the church with paper angel ornaments on it. On the tag will be the information for one of the children or their Mother, their age and what they would need or like for Christmas. We are hoping for all of the tags to be chosen and gift purchased.

The gifts will need to be wrapped (if possible, please) with the angel tags taped to the gift.

Place your gift under the tree on or before December 11<sup>th</sup>.

December 11<sup>th</sup> the gifts will be taken to Leading Families Home. They will be delivered to the families in time for Christmas.

Thank you for your generosity helping to make this family's Christmas merry and full of blessings!







Bring a donation of canned food or hygiene items to benefit HSP pantry.

SATURDAY,
December 10
10:00 AM

Historic Church of St. Patrick

130 Avondale

Toledo, OH

(Enter through side door)

Yoga class taught by certified yoga instructor: Mike Zerner

Bring yoga mat, water bottle, and a smile:)

# ADVENT CALENDAR

EACH DAY ADD AN ITEM TO A BOX.

ON CHRISTMAS EVE DONATE THE CONTENTS TO A

FOOD BANK.

December 1 - box of cereal

December 2 - peanut butter

December 3 - stuffing mix

December 4 - boxed potatoes

December 5 - macaroni and cheese

December 6 - canned fruit

December 7 - canned tomatoes

December 8 - canned tuna

December 9 - dessert mix

December 10 - jar of applesauce

December 11 - canned sweet potatoes

December 12 - cranberry sauce

December 13 - canned beans

December 14 - box of crackers

December 15 - package of rice

December 16 - package of oatmeal

December 17 - package pasta

December 18 - spaghetti sauce

December 19 - chicken noodle soup

December 20 - tomato soup

December 21 - can corn

December 22 - can mixed vegetables

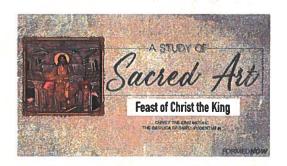
December 23 - can carrots

December 24 - can green beans





# Week of November 20, 2022



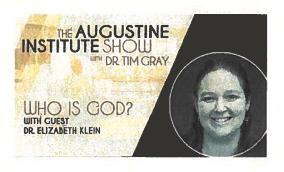
### Sacred Art: Christ the King

Sit down with Dr. Ben Akers and Taylor Kemp as they explore Catholic theology through the lens of Sacred Art. In this episode, they discuss the Solemnity of Jesus Christ, King of the Universe.



#### Ode to Saint Cecilia

The lives of the saints are epic stories and particular expressions of God's grace in humanity. Celebrate St. Cecilia with this audio drama by the Augustine Institute Radio Theatre.



#### Who is God? The Augustine Institute Show

Who is God? If we want to love God and make him the center of our lives, we would do well to settle this question at least in some small way. Tim Gray welcomes Professor Elizabeth Klein to discuss this topic.

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#### **Diocese of Toledo**

## Forming Our Lay Leaders

Strong lay leaders are essential to the engagement and operations of our parishes and schools. These tremendous leaders at the backbone of the incredible ministries that our parishes offer to the communities they serve.

The Diocese of Toledo is dedicated to providing parishes and schools with the tools, education, and formation that our lay leaders request to enrich our communities.

An endowment will be established to maintain a singular, faith-based learning platform for our lay leaders and equip them with resources, skill development, and a knowledge base that will create a lasting impact on our diocese.

The Mistoric Church of Saint Patrick

- Bell Tower Restoration
- Parking Lot Maintenance
- Sanctuary Maintenance



#### **CAMPAIGN PROGRESS**

Last Updated: 11.14.22
Parish Goal: \$360,000
Total Raised: \$293,600
Percentage Raised: 82%
Number of Gifts: 33
Parish Participation: 13%

#### Campaign Prayer

O God, our generous Father, the saving death and glorious resurrection of your son Renews your church in every way for the work of the Gospel.

Ignite in the hearts of your people the fire of love that burns in the heart of your son. Inspire in us a lively generosity for the selfless service of our brothers and sisters. Invigorate our commitment to follow more closely Jesus, our Shepherd and Savior.

May the Holy Spirit, who brings Christ to life in each of us,
Prompt all our efforts for the success of the Living Christ Campaign.
May Mary, our Mother, and all the Saints intercede for us
To be joyful witnesses to the Redeemer at work within us and among us.
We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

