

Liturgy Schedule

Chapel

Monday, June 6

8:00am - Ron Roberts - Tom & Pat Southam

Tuesday, June 7

8:00am - Julius & Ann Burke - Family

Thursday, June 9

8:00am - Bob Zarembo - Tom & Bonnie McCartney

Friday, June 10

8:00am - William Schworer - Ed & Pat Henderson

Church

Saturday, June 11

1:00pm - Joe Harder & Nicole Mitchell Wedding

3:30pm - Confessions

4:30pm - Eleanor Zmuginsky - Ginny Antush

Sunday, June 12 - The 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30am - Living & Deceased Members of the Holy Name Society

11:00am - Henry & Catherine Kantosky - Bill & Dorothy Kantosky

UPCOMING DATES: As we enter into these summer months keep the following dates in mind. The **parish festival** will be **August 4, 5 and 6**. We depend on this festival financially to provide us with greatly needed money to help to meet our operating expenses. And we depend on this festival to help to build and strength the bonds of community. Therefore it is important that everyone help in some way. The raffle tickets are available in the Gathering Area which you are encouraged to sell to friends, coworkers and family. In a few weeks there will be signups sheets after mass for volunteering for the festival. Please invite everyone you know to come and enjoy the festival this year. There are many new events, entertainment and food.

The **Parish picnic** will be on **August 27th** following the 4:30pm mass. Rather than having the picnic prior to the festival it was thought that moving it to after would be a way of celebrating and giving thanks for the community support at the festival. It is also a great way to kick off a weekend of fun that will include a concert on **Sunday, August 28** with **Michael James Mette**. You can check out his music and talks by going to michaeljamesmette.com.

Pray for the Sick: *David Blackburn, Betty Kuepfer, Jose' Magiste, Steve Fialkowski, Sandy Vasbinder, Tami Lynsky, Betty Kirsch, Leon Denomme, Mike Wilson, Pam Jenkins, Jim Hempfling, David Myers, Dave Wilson, Henry Husk, Brandon Bommer, Larry Knepper, Robert Yunker, Kathy Borowy, Helen Stewart, Todd Cendrosky, Reggie Kirsch, Kristy Whitman, Kenneth Schroeder, Mark Machovina, Gerry McNamee and Phyllis Boden.*

Please call the Parish Office 440-926-2364 to have a name of a friend or relative included in this list.

Congratulations to our newly baptized children of the Parish:

Johann Wolfgang Cowley

son of Douglass and Karin Cowley

Emma Grace Ratliff

daughter of Michael and Margaret Ratliff

May they grow as children of God with the support and witness of our parish community.

READING FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Kgs 17:1-6; Ps 121:1bc-8; Mt 5:1-12
 Tuesday: 1 Kgs 17:7-16; Ps 4:2-5, 7b-8; Mt 5:13-16
 Wednesday: 1 Kgs 18:20-39; Ps 16:1b-2ab, 4, 5ab, 8, 11; Mt 5:17-19
 Thursday: 1 Kgs 18:41-46; Ps 65:10-13; Mt 5:20-26
 Friday: 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-16; Ps 27:7-9abc, 13-14; Mt 5:27-32
 Saturday: Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3; Ps 16:1b-2a, 5, 7-10; Mt 5:33-37
 Sunday: 2 Sm 12:7-10, 13; Ps 32:1-2, 5, 7, 11; Gal 2:16, 19-21; Lk 7:36 — 8:3 [7:36-50]

GOD'S PRESENCE

Realize above all that you are in God's presence . . . empty yourself completely and sit waiting, content with the grace of God, like a chick who tastes nothing and eats nothing but what its mother gives it.

—St. Romuald



Wedding Banns

III— Joe Harder & Nicole Mitchell
 I - Scott LaMoreaux & Ashley Reeves
 I - Kevin Fallon & Heather Johnson



OUR LADY
QUEEN OF PEACE

PASTOR'S CORNER: We returned to Ordinary Time following the celebration of Pentecost but the Solemnities of the Holy Trinity and the Body and Blood of Christ took precedent over the Sundays of Ordinary Time the past two weeks. Therefore, this weekend we return to the semi-continuous readings from the Gospel of Luke until the Solemnity of Christ the King in November. These Sundays of Ordinary Time give us instructions on how to be a disciple of Jesus as we listen to Jesus' teachings and look to his example in the Gospel of Luke. On some Sundays we will be affirmed in how we are living as Jesus' disciples and on other Sundays we will be challenged to make some changes to better align ourselves with Jesus. Every Sunday, however, we will be challenged to grow as a disciple of Christ. To be a disciple will entail stepping out of our comfort zone to see every person as a child of God and to respond to them as such. Living in a global world and aware of people who are different from ourselves, calls us to treat each person with respect and dignity as a child of God. The gospel each week will help us to learn techniques as well as remind us of the responsibility that comes from baptism to care for everyone. The following quote from Pope Francis is a good starting point for us as we grow as disciples of Jesus during the months to come:

“If we are to share our lives with others and generously give of ourselves, we also have to realize that every person is worthy of our giving. Not for their physical appearance, or for any satisfaction that we might receive, but rather because they are God's handiwork, his creation. God created that person in his image, and he or she reflects something of God's glory. Every human being is the object of God's infinite tenderness, and he himself is present in their lives. Jesus offered his precious blood on the cross for that person. Appearances notwithstanding, every person is immensely holy and deserves our love. Consequently, if I can help at least one person to have a better life, that already justifies the offering of my life. It is a wonderful thing to be God's faithfully people. We achieve fulfillment when we break down walls and our heart is filled with faces and names! “ (Joy of the Gospel #274)

INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC? If you or someone you know is interested in becoming a Catholic please contact Fr. John or Sr. Kathleen. During this Easter Season we celebrate our faith in the Risen Christ and invite others to share in this belief. Invite someone you know to look into becoming a Catholic. Sometimes all it takes is a personal invitation.

WE NEED YOUR HELP IN UPDATING OUR RECORDS! You will be receiving in the mail a form to fill out to update your parish record. Please return this as soon as possible. In addition to the form is a survey from the Finance Council regarding electronic offertory donations.

THE FEST: As we begin the summer season... mark your calendar for the highlight of the summer season - The FEST. Join us as we bring together thousands from across our diocese on Sunday, August 7, 2016 from 12 noon until 10:00pm for a day of faith - family - and fun - all for FREE. The 16th Annual Catholic Family FESTival will be held on the grounds of the Center for Pastoral Leadership in Wickliffe. The FEST includes great Christian artist: Newsboys, Michael W. Smith, Matthew West, and Lauren Daigle. The FEST

also has engaging activities and displays for the entire family. The FEST is FREE and open to all. The day concludes with an inspiring outdoor Mass at 8:00pm. It's the highlight of summer - EVERYTHING that your family needs for a great family day!!! For more information, go online to www.theFEST.us

CATHOLIC RENEWAL MINISTRIES: All are invited to the 34th Annual Conference to be held on July 15th and 16th, 2016 at Magnificat High School in Rocky River. Guest speakers will be Jim Murphy, Paco Gavrillides, Nellie Cruz Krawczynski, Fr. Damian Ference, Fr. Bob Franco, Bishop Richard G. Lennon and Roberto Santiago. This year's theme is “Proclaim God's Mercy”. The conference opens on Friday at 7:00pm. Contact Shirley or Tom Fumich at 440-327-1226 for registration information or visit www.crmweb.org. Advance registration through July 6th is \$30 and at the door \$35. Come experience the healing power and gifts of the Holy Spirit.

SMALL PLEASURES

Little things seem nothing, but they give peace, like those meadow flowers which individually seem odorless but all together perfume the air.

—Georges Bernanos

Thank you for your generous support of our Parish, and your help with the needs of the community through your ongoing participation in our various ministries.

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Goal</u>	<u>Difference</u>
Sunday, May 29: \$	6,906.47	\$ 8,800.00	(\$ 1,893.53)
Sunday Y-T-D : \$	429,716.59	\$422,400.00	\$ 7,316.59

LEADERSHIP MEETING: There will be a meeting of all the heads (or representative) of all the organizations and ministries this coming Thursday, June 9th at 7:00pm. We will be looking ahead to how we can respond to this Year of Mercy through the activities and ministries in the year ahead. This will include working on the parish calendar for July 1, 2016 – June 30, 2017. If your ministry or organization has not already turned in your requested dates to the office please do so before May 26th so we can have a rough draft of the calendar available for this meeting. Please include in your requests the weekends you wish to be in the Gathering Area during the year as we will be limiting the number of fund raisers on a given weekend.



SCRIPTURE STUDY: Our study of the Book of Revelation is in progress and looking for more input from others. We invite you to join anytime, and discuss with us GOD’S WORD. We meet in Room 2 of the Hall for lesson Five (Revelation chapters 12-14) on Thursday June 23rd. Study books are available in the Church office or contact Rick Gallaher (440) 458-6335 for a book or questions. You will enjoy increasing your knowledge and appreciation of your faith. Hope to see you there.

50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION: The annual 50th Wedding Anniversary Celebration that will be held on Sunday, July 31, 2016 at the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist. Bishop Richard Lennon will be the principal celebrant. Reservations are now being accepted for couples married 50 years (married in 1966). Couples who are celebrating other significant anniversaries (55 or over) or have missed previous celebrations are welcome to register and attend. Seating is limited in the Cathedral. The number of guests will be determined by the seating capacity and total number registered.

Date & Time: Sunday, 31 July 2016 at 2:30 p.m.

Mass Place: Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist All registrations should be handled through the parish office.

HEARTS FOR HUMANITY: Day after day hundreds of people are faced with hunger and homelessness in Northeast Ohio. You are invited to join us for the Hearts for Humanity Fundraiser on Thursday, June 16th from 5 - 8pm at Burntwood Tavern (19304 Detroit Rd., Rocky River). The \$25 ticket includes 2 adult beverages and an appetizer buffet. All proceeds will support the work of Bishop William Cosgrove Center, Lorain Family Center (8th Street) and St. Joseph Shelter.

For tickets visit

<http://hearts4humanity.eventbrite.com>. For more information contact Sue LePelley at smlepelley@ccdole.org or 216-334-2961

SACRED STEPS TO PEACE / Catholic Divorce Recovery The Department for Marriage and Family Ministry is featuring a Catholic Divorce Recovery Program entitled Sacred Steps to Peace. The Sacred Steps General Meeting is held on the third Friday of each month, with a focus on spiritual healing and growth through education, discussion and reflection on Scriptures and Church teachings. A “Working on the Steps” group meets the first and third Thursday of each month, and is guided by a team in a support group format, using prayer, exercises and a workbook as a pathway to divorce recovery. Participants are welcome to join at any time.

Sacred Steps General Meeting, for 14 sessions

Place: St. Joseph Parish, 12700 Pearl Road, Strongsville, Ohio 44136.

Cost: \$25 for series, including the workbook

Date & Time: The first meeting was Friday, 18 September 2015 from 6:30 – 8:30 p.m. but you can join at any time. It continues to meet the **third** Friday of each month, from 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

Working the Steps Support Group (optional)

Date & Time: First and third Thursday of each month from 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

Register online at Sacred Steps to Peace, or call 216-334-2978.



This Week in the Parish:

Sunday, June 5

8:30am - Blood Drive (Parish Hall)
11:00am - Graduation Mass (Church)

Monday, June 6

7:00pm - Choir Practice (Church)

Thursday, June 9

11:30am - Seniors Luncheon (Parish Hall)
7:00pm - Leadership Mtg. (Parish Hall)

Friday, June 10

8:00am - KOC (Parish Hall)
1:30pm - Keystone Pointe Nursing Home

Saturday, June 11

8:00am - KOC (Parish Hall)

Sunday, June 12

9:00am - Lab Screening (Church)



PARISH FESTIVAL: Our Sixth Annual Homecoming Days will be August 4, 5, & 6. There will be rides, games, bingo, beer garden, 5K, entertainment, festival food and so much more. Raffle tickets are available for pickup and for sale after mass in the gathering area and at the parish office. We are in need of a publicity chair. If you can fill this vacancy for us please contact the parish office.



PARISH NURSE: On Sunday, June 12, 2016 from 9:00am to 11:00am the Parish Nurse program will be offering a free health screening in the Gathering Area. The free screening

includes: CMP, Lipids, HgA1c, TSH, PSA (men 40 & over) and blood pressure. These are **fasting** tests so nothing to eat after midnight.

WALK TO REMEMBER 2016:

Join Us on Sunday, June 12

Gates open at 7:30 a.m., Opening Ceremony at 8:45 a.m.

It isn't too late to step up and join us at Cleveland Metroparks Zoo on Sunday, June 12 for Walk to Remember 2016! The event provides a place for the entire community of families who support our mission to come together, celebrate life and "pay it forward" by helping others in our care. Please go to the "EVENTS" section on the "HOME PAGE" of our website for more information and a registration link.

PARISH INFORMATION

† **Weddings:** Couples need to make arrangements at least six months prior to the wedding date.

† **Baptism:** Baptisms are celebrated at a mutually convenient time. Please call the office to make arrangements.

† **Ministry to the Sick:** Please notify the office for visits to parishioners in the hospital.

† **New parishioners:** Are asked to register as soon as possible at the Parish Office or by phone.

† **Inquiry Classes in the Catholic Religion:** Persons interested in becoming Catholic are asked to contact the Parish Office for information about the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults, RCIA.



Holy Name Society Golf Outing:

Please join the Holy Name for a 4-man Scramble Golf Outing on Saturday, July 9, 2016 starting at 9:00am 'shotgun start' at Pine Brook Golf Course.

Cost for the outing is \$65 per person, which includes; 18 holes of golf with cart, food, beverages, and snacks! There will be various raffles, skills games and you could win a **NEW CAR** with a hole in one on our designated par 3 hole. This event is sponsored by "Liberty Ford, Brunswick"! Sign-up in the Gathering Area after all Masses this weekend.

Can't Golf! Would you consider being a hole sponsor? Any parishioner who would like to sponsor a hole or would like to have their company or knows of a company or someone who would like to sponsor a hole, please contact Jim Andrews at the Parish Office 440 926-2364, Jim Lynsky 440 926-3389, Max Jalowiec 440 567-0201 or Dave Ward 440 926-3996.



BLOOD DRIVE: The Life Share Bloodmobile will be at Our Lady Queen of Peace Hall this Sunday from 8:30am to 12:30pm for anyone who wishes to donate this vital gift to the life of others.

Join the latest 20 members of the Donor Honor Roll from April and surpass those donations to once again obtain our goal of 25 donors. Contact Rick Gallaher 458-6335 if you have any questions.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: Here is a list of churches conducting Vacation Bible School:

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton: June 20 - 23
440-236-3711

St. Jude: June 13 - 17
440-366-5711 - ask for Kristen