JOIN THE JOURNEY: Please consider

AUGUST 6, 2017 TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD

"For a moment Jesus discloses his divine glory, confirming Peter's confession. He also reveals that he will have to go by the way of the cross at Jerusalem in order to "enter into his glory." Moses and Elijah had seen God's glory on the Mountain; the Law and the Prophets had announced the Messiah's sufferings. Christ's Passion is the will of the Father: the Son acts as God's servant; the cloud indicates the presence of the Holy Spirit. "The whole Trinity appeared: the Father in the voice; the Son in the man; the Spirit in the shining cloud.""—Catechism of the Catholic Church, no. 555

MONDAY, AUGUST 7

9:00 a.m. Weekday Mass (pg. 185)

Mary Knudson

by Michael & Sharon Matthiass

TUESDAY, AUGUST 8

7:00 p.m. Weekday Mass (pg. 187)

Rose Whitehead

by John & MaryAnn Raterman

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 9

9:00 a.m. Weekday Mass (pg. 191)

Eugene Longo by Jennifer Hess

THURSDAY, AUGUST 10

No Mass Father Ted's Day Off

FRIDAY, AUGUST 11

9:00 a.m. Weekday Mass (pg. 197)

William A. Hoffman, Jr.

by Joan Theado & Family

SATURDAY, AUGUST 12

5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass (pg. 115)

Donald Carle by Randy & Martha McCoy

SUNDAY, AUGUST 13

8:00 a.m. Sunday Mass (pg. 115)

Eugene Longo by Jennifer Hess

10:00 a.m. Sunday Mass (pg. 115)

The People of St. Joseph Parish

OUR PRAYERS FOR OTHERS: Hold in your prayers **Theresa Tiberi** and all those who are on our prayer chain. If you have permission and wish to put a friend or loved one on the email prayer chain, or are interested in praying as part of our prayer chain, please contact Jackie Rose at diggersdaughter@yahoo.com or (614) 595-7633. If you would also like to have a name listed in our church bulletin for prayers, please notify us at office@saintjosephcircleville.com or call 477-2549, ext. 300.

CONDOLENCES to the family and friends of **Mark Foldvary**, nephew of Sr. Monica Justinger, CSA, who died on **July 31, 2017**. Please remember Mark in your prayers, along with his family and all who love him.

HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION: Tuesday, August 15th, is the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin. It is a holy day of obligation. There will be two Masses, one at 9:00 a.m. and one in the evening at 7:00 p.m.

MASS TIME CHANGES We will return to our fall/winter Mass schedule in September. On Sunday, September 3rd, the second Mass will be at 11:15 a.m.

walking alongside our RCIA candidates and catechumens as they journey into the Church! The RCIA team is seeking parishioners who are willing to serve as **sponsors** to those who will begin preparing this fall to be received into the Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil, 2018; and those who are willing to commit to serving as **prayer partners** for candidates over the course of the liturgical year. Sponsorship involves attending RCIA sessions at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday evenings, supporting and encouraging candidates and catechumens by your presence on this sometimes-difficult journey, and, above all, praying for them as they grow in their knowledge of the Faith. If you are interested in the possibility of being an RCIA sponsor or being paired with a candidate or catechumen as a prayer partner, please contact Michelle Estel 740-474-4006.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY GRATITUDE: In the Gospel, Jesus says: "There is no need for them to go away; Give them some food yourselves," and taking the five loaves and two fish, he blest them and gave them to the disciples to feed the crowd. Know that your gift to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul to help those living in poverty touches many lives just like the loaves and fishes. The collection totaled \$2,981.02. Thank you for your continued support of the St. Joseph conference SVDP Society. We are so grateful and blessed to represent this parish in the community.

COMMUNITY KITCHEN GRATITUDE: Community Kitchen was served by our parish on July 31st. We served over 40 people. A special thanks to Joe and Sarah Stitt for providing us with fresh vegetables from the "Mercy Garden." A wonderful crew helped to prepare, serve and clean up. I am most grateful to Don and Alice Dennis, Bob Pokrandt, Russ Kamler, Jim Schneider and Kim Pontius. Thanks also to Mary Kay and Sharon Wood for doing the shopping and to Phil and Jackie Leahy and Ann Short for providing cupcakes. Our next opportunity to serve is on October 30th.

PUMPKIN SHOW PARKING: Due to the Renovation of the Church we have limited parking this year for the Pumpkin Show. Sorry to say, we will not be able to honor everyone's request for a parking spot. Therefore, this year only, we have decided to have a lottery for the spots available. If you wish your name to be put in the lottery, please fill out the ticket below. **Only one entry per family and you must be a parishioner. Cost of the space is \$80.00 for the week.** We will draw the names on September 1st. Names will be posted that weekend in the Hall and you will be notified on the following Monday. Hopefully this will allow sufficient time to find other parking should your name not be drawn. Again, sorry for the inconvenience this may cause.

YES, I would like to enter the lottery for a Pumpkin Show Parking Spot.

ONLY 1 entry per family and Must be a registered parishioner of St. Joseph.

I understand, if my name is drawn I will pay \$80.00 for the space for the week.

NAME:	_
Phone Number:	_

Return ticket to the office at 777 East Ohio Street (PO BOX 40), Circleville, Ohio 43113 or put in the collection basket during Mass.

PSR REGISTRATION

Parents you can register your children for PSR anytime during the week be stopping at the office between 9:30 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. There will also be the opportunity after the 8 a.m. and 10 a.m. Masses on August 6th and August 27th. Please register early, so materials can be ordered prior to the start of classes.



PSR will begin **September 10th**. Classes meet on Sunday from 9:30 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. at the Parish Center on Ohio Street.

PSR CATECHIST NEEDED

We are currently in need of PSR teachers/Catechist for **2nd**, **6th and 7th** grade classes. PSR meets on Sunday morning from 9:30 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. at the Parish Center on Ohio Street. The only necessary requirements are that teachers love their faith, want to share it with children and attend weekly weekend Mass. Teachers much complete a background check and take a Protecting God's Children class

Protecting God's Children

Any adult, 18 or older, that might be interested in youth ministry events, teaching PSR, or other activities that involve youth, need to take this class to be compliant with Diocesan standards. We will be offering a Protecting God's Children class on:

DATE: Sunday, August 13.

TIME: 2 p.m.

LOCATION: Parish Center

777 East Ohio Street

To register log onto <u>www.virtus.org</u> and select first time registration on left hand side of page and then select Diocese of Columbus. Create account and follow prompts.

Vanessa Butterbaugh, PSR Coordinator/ Youth Minister vbutterbaugh@saintjosephcir cleville.com

Dates To Remember:

- PSR Registration—Aug.
 6 & Aug. 27 after 8 &
 10 a.m. Masses
- Protecting God's
 Children class—Aug. 13
- ◆ 2nd Grade Parent Meeting—Sept. 17
- ♦ Jr. H & High YM Kick

PRAYER CORNER

A Spirit to Know You
St. Benedict of Nursia
ca. 480-547

Gracious and Holy Father,
Please give me: intellect to
understand you,
reason to discern you,
diligence to seek you,
wisdom to find you, a spirit
to know you,
a heart to meditate upon
you, ears to hear you,
eyes to to see you, a
tongue to proclaim you,
a way of life pleasing to
you, patience to wait for
you and perseverance to
look for you.

Grant me a perfect end, your holy presence,





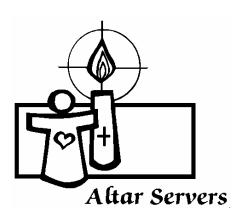
CONGRATS

Wow! What an amazing job! Congrats to Carson Forquer for a great solo performance during a special concert held this past July 30th to honor the 200th Anniversaries of The Circleville Herald and St. Philip's Episcopal Church.

Kudos to all the St. Joseph choir members that







Are you interested in becoming an altar server? Youth who have received first Holy Eucharist can become an altar server. A training class will be offered soon. Contact the office at 740-477-2549 to sign up to begin the process.



YOUTH MINISTRY KICK OFF

Come join us for an evening of fellowship! Fun games, food, and just hanging out.

WHO: Jr. High & High School Youth

DATE: September 24

TIME: 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m.

LOCATION: R & R Farms (youth minister's house)

9320 Oakland Stoutsville Road

Stoutsville, OH

FALL RUMMAGE SALE will be held at the **Knights of Columbus Hall**, **located at 2489 N. Court Street**. Sale will run from Wednesday, September 6th through Saturday, September 9th. Drop off times to be announced.

HOSPITAL AND HOME-BOUND PARISHIONERS: If you or a loved one are home or hospital-bound for any length of time, and desire to receive the sacraments, please call the Parish Office. Father Ted and Mary Kay no longer have access to the local chaplains' list; therefore, they will not know of your needs unless they are notified.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS/SHRINERS GOLF OUTING: It is our turn to host this event, so mark your calendars! Saturday, September 9, 2017, with 1:00 p.m. shotgun start at Pickaway Golf Club located at 1399 Stoutsville Pike. OSU doesn't play until 7:00 p.m., so select your foursome. \$200.00/team, \$50.00/single. Golf-Food-Team Cash Prizes – Skill and Door Prizes, win a car or \$20,000.00 cash for a HOLE IN ONE. Contact Dick Theis (740-474-2633) or Ron Kazmierczak (740-474-6916) with questions.

RESTORATION CORNER:

Following in St. Joseph's Footsteps Restoration Progress

Goal: \$1,720,240

Pledged (to date): \$1,802,931.12

Paid (to date): \$1,090,141.54

Due (to date): \$712,789.58

Stained Glass Window Shares Sold: 64 of 100

Please continue to join your parish family in offering.

KEEP UP WITH RESTORATION: Project Updates and photos are available on the St. Joseph Restoration Facebook page at https://www.facebook.com/stjoesrestoration2017/ and on our church website for those who are connected. A photo board has been set up in the church hall.

CONTEMPLATING THE MASS AT ST. THERESE'S RETREAT

CENTER: The Catholic Laywomen's Retreat League will be holding an Evening of Reflection on Thursday, August 24, 2017, from 6:00-9:00 p.m. at St. Therese's Retreat Center at 5277 E. Broad Street in Columbus. Fr. Dan Dury will give two conferences that will help you open the door to contemplate more profoundly this most perfect prayer of thanksgiving. The evening will also feature a prime rib dinner and close with Evening Prayer in the Retreat Center Chapel. Cost is \$25.00 and the deadline is August 1. Space is limited and will fill quickly. The registration form, along with more detailed information, is available at retreatleague@gmail.com or by calling CLRL Secretary Sharon Gehrlich at 614-882-1946. Phone reservations cannot be accepted.

COLLECTIONS

July 30: \$5,868.51 St. Vincent de Paul Society: \$2,981.02

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LITURGICAL MINISTERS: AUGUST 12TH, 13TH, & 15TH

If you are unable to fulfill your responsibility, please be sure to find a replacement.

Servers, Lectors, and Eucharistic Ministers please check your name off the list at the back of the church when you arrive each week.

Saturday, August 12th, 5:00 p.m.

Server: Simon Cameron, Dylan Cameron

Eucharistic Ministers: John Lake*, Shirley Lake, Dee Mogan,

Michael Theado, Chuck Estel

Lectors: Nancy Plescia (1), Grace Elliott (2)

Ushers: Jerry Zielinski, Becky Zielinski, Teri Mogan,

Joe Mogan

Greeters: Don & Alice Dennis, Andy & Amy Vance

Sunday, August 13th, 8:00 a.m.

Servers: A.J. Dossman, Audrey Meyer

Eucharistic Ministers: Michael Matthiass*, Gretchen Kleman,

Ron McMullen, Mary Kay Wood, Betsy Hupp Lectors: Ron Butterbaugh (1), Merle Valentine (2)

Ushers: John Callahan, Russell Kamler, Brendan Kleman,

Steve Ford, Tom Miner

Greeters: Darren & Susan Metzger, Steve & Beth Ford

Sunday, August 13th, 10:00 a.m.

Servers: Mallory Holcomb, Zach Martin

Eucharistic Ministers: Sharon Wood*, Matt Forquer,

Mary Kopec, Vivian Tussing, Mike White Lectors: Diane Wroten (1), Kim Frericks (2) Ushers: Dexter Hill, Anita Yaple, Ed Bohenko,

Dennis Blubaugh, Tom Kopec Greeters: John & Marcele Bowen

Tuesday, August 15th, 9:00 a.m.

Servers: Michael Matthiass

Eucharistic Ministers: Mary Lundberg*, Judy Dossman, Rita Bolender, John Bowen, Darwin Whitehead Lectors: John Raterman (1), Ron Kazmierczak (2) Ushers: Mary Kay Wood, Russell Kamler, Dexter Hill,

Carol Tarbill

Greeters: John & Marcele Bowen, Tom Miner

Tuesday, August 15th, 7:00 p.m.

Server: Andy Vance

Eucharistic Ministers: Anne Strawser*, Ron McMullen,

Beth Ford, Steve Ford, Mary Logan Lectors: Amy Vance (1), Michael Logan (2)

Ushers: Anita Yaple, Merle & Krista Valentine, Ed Bohenko

Greeters: Steve & Beth Ford, Dee Mogan