

ST. BERNARD MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, August 4

10:00 Living & Deceased Members of the Buehrle Family
 12:00 +Tom Maximovich
 8:00 Pro Populo

Monday, August 5

12:10 Liv. & Dec. Members of the Andrews Family

Tuesday, August 6

12:10 +Tony & Mary Scafidi

Wednesday, August 7

12:10 Intentions of Marilyn Maximovich

Thursday, August 8

12:10 Our Lady of America

Friday, August 9

12:10 Our Lady of America

Saturday, August 10

4:30 +Bob Dangel

Sunday, August 11

10:00 +Jay Mitzel
 12:00 Tomasa Urdiales Bordeaux
 8:00 +Marilyn Fischer & Joan Scherer

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9:00 The Deceased Members of the McDowell Family

Sunday, August 12

9:00 +Eugene Bozsik

Mass Readings for the Week

Monday: Nm 11:4b-15; Mt 14:13-21
Tuesday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; 2Pt 1:16-19; Lk 9:28b-36
Wednesday: Nm 13:1-2, 25-14:1, 26-29a, 34-35; Mt 1:21-28
Thursday: Nm 20:1-13; Mt 16:13-23
Friday: Dt 4:32-40; Mt 16:24-28
Saturday: 2 Cor 9:6-10; Jn 12:24-26
Sunday: Heb 11:1-2, 8-9; Lk 12:32-48 or 12:35-40

Sunday Offering

	St. Bernard	St. Mary
July 28 th	\$7,790.00	\$1,471.00



Wedding Banns

III- Paige & William Pierce
 II-Lauren Tullis & Jordan Kay
 I-Cadie Johnston & Thomas Czerny



Special Congratulations to
 Clay Poynter & Stacy Kent

Rest in Peace Anthony Kwan

Prayer Intentions: Delores Abbott, Richard Andrea, Carol Consolo, Cora Christoff, Jim Cicora, Pam Daer, Jeanne Dorka, Rosalia Duran, Olinda Frazier, Bob & Lee Freund, Ada Gelpi, Jorge Gomes, Patrick Grismer, Don & Lorrie Haddox, Kelly Hatcher, Stephanie Hollinger, Jamie Kapes, Joyce Kilby, Bud Lundstrom, John Madia, Marilyn Maximovich, Ann Miller, Ina Dawn Nye, Helen Oreskovich, Clara Piscazzi, Ruth Reinhart, John Rienzi, Odalis Rodriquez, Joey Rundo, David Scheele, Renee Schillinger, James Schultz, Marcia Stuczynski, Steve Williams, Dave Wojcik.



St. Mary Urban Renaissance Festival 2019 September 22 from

1-6 p.m. at St. Mary, 750 S. Main St. Games, Thrones, Food, Medievally Good Fun!

First Annual Summit County Care for God's Creation Service Day Saturday, August 24, 2019

The Catholic Commission of Summit County, Camp Christopher and Crown Point Ecology Center invite you to the First Annual Summit County Care for God's Creation Service Day on Sat., Aug. 24, 9:00 AM to 12:30 PM. Sustainability and land/water conservation projects, with instruction, offered at both sites. Volunteers can include adults and teens, 13 and older. Youth under 13 must be accompanied by parent, guardian or adult supervision. Limit of 30 participants at each site. Service day is free, lunch included at Camp Christopher, Noon-12:30. RSVP/registration required by Tues., Aug. 20 to: Jeff Campbell, jcampbell@ccdocle.org, 330.535.2787 x10. Volunteers must bring/wear: long pants, work gloves, durable shoes, water bottle, snack (all tools are provided).

Working Together for Seniors Program

You are invited to attend a three-part series featuring topics every senior should know about.

"Working Together for Seniors" will be offered at St. Hilary Church, 2750 West Market Street, Fairlawn, on three Thursday evenings from 6:30-8:00pm:

- August 8th includes: Annuities & other financial options for seniors; Importance of good hearing; and New Medicare changes for 2020.

Desserts, drinks and a chance to win a \$50 Giant Eagle gift card each night. Attend *all three evenings and receive the chance to win \$250 Giant Eagle gift card* (Must be present to win.) Sponsored by Kevin Hohlefelder, CSA, Oasis Senior Advisors. Please RSVP to Beth Rado at brado@sthilarychurch.org or 330-867-1055, ext. 206.

SAVE THE DATE! St Bernard Parish Picnic

September 29th We will begin mass at 12pm and



following will be food and fun time! It will be held at Firestone Park at the Tuscarawas Pavilion after 12pm mass in the park

WANTED "Vintage" pictures (or photocopies) of St. Bernard wedding photos to decorate our Bridal Room. We could also use any ornate frames you are willing to part with. Please contact Joanne (330-633-5143) or Marianne (330-283-1684).

Inquiry Night for The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults.

If you are interested in becoming Catholic, completing your sacraments of initiation (Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Eucharist), or learning more about the catholic church, join us Tuesday, August 20 at 7:00pm in the parish offices. Anyone is welcome – no previous knowledge or experience required. If you or a someone you know have questions about how to become a fully initiated adult Catholic, this is a good opportunity to ask questions. If you are interested, contact Jim Griggy at 330.773.1248 or email at JGriggy@att.net for more information.

Adult Faith Formation Opportunity

Here is an opportunity to discover the extraordinary Catholic teaching known as the Theology of the Body. It will give you a revolutionary and fulfilling vision for life, as it offers a new way to authentically see your faith and your relationships.

Given to us by Pope St John Paul II, the Theology of the Body is renewing marriages, awakening vocations, and setting people free to live the life of greatness to which we are all called.

In **An Introduction to the Theology of the Body: Discovering the Master Plan For Your Life**, facilitated by John Zmurek, renowned author and the theologian Christopher West unfolds God's extraordinary plan for all humanity. If you desire to live out the fullest meaning and purpose of your life, then join us for this amazing discovery!

This DVD and workbook study will begin Thursday, September 19 from 7:00 to 8:30 in the History Room. There will be 8 sessions, every other Thursday. To register, or if you have any questions, please contact John Zmurek at 330-867-1267 or jwzmurek@att.net. The cost will be \$15

2019 First Step Program: Continuing education regarding marriage and divorce in the Catholic Church

Attempting to pick up the pieces of one's life after the tragedy of divorce is an area that can impact a person's relationship with God and the Church. One of the significant issues that a person faces is their place in the Church. Does the Church still care about me even though I am divorced? Am I allowed to go to Mass? Can I receive communion? How can the Church help me heal? If I decide to marry again, what do I have to do?

The Tribunal of the Diocese of Cleveland offers its First Step Program to help individuals deal with these questions in order to renew and/or strengthen their relationship with God and the Church. This program is offered to help everyone, especially those who have experienced divorce, learn more about Catholic teaching regarding marriage, divorce, and remarriage. Representatives from the Ministry to the Divorced Office of the Department for Marriage and Family Ministry will also be present to explain the resources they offer to the divorced.

Everyone is welcome to:

- Deepen knowledge of the Church's teaching on marriage...
- Learn about the Church's ministry to the divorced/separated in the Diocese...
- Hear about the annulment process and how to submit a case...
- Discover a path to healing after divorce in order to strengthen and/or renew a relationship with God and the Church

In any endeavor, taking the "first step" is always the most difficult. The First Step Program helps individuals to navigate the path of healing and closure. The First Step Program will be held on:

- Tuesday, 17 September 2019, at St. Ambrose Parish, Brunswick, at 7:00 pm

Note that the Diocese of Cleveland no longer requires any fees for this process. For more information check our website:

www.dioceseofcleveland.org/tribunal

Or call the Tribunal: 216-696-6525/800-869-6525, ext. 4000

PASTOR'S NOTE

What do a garlic festival a baseball game and a Polish church all have in common? Unfortunately, this is not a riddle or a joke. All three were scenes of aggressive personal violence this week. A massive fight broke out between the Pittsburgh Pirates and the Cincinnati Reds. Fatal shootings took place at a garlic festival in California. One of three unknown men punched a 68-year-old priest in the face in the sacristy before a mass was to begin in Poland. These very personal acts of violence either continue to get reported more and/or are happening more. I have heard many theories as to why these things happen. I've heard video games, movies, tv shows, music and political leaders that suggest and bless the means of violence the most. Each individual has personal theories as to why these things happen and the list of why's include too many potential sources to count. However, there are clear solutions no matter what the causes and I'd like to harp on them for a few weeks. For example, Jesus offers us these words: "Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called children of God." In the face of violence, we are called to respond by defending human life and dignity and promoting peaceful resolution. The Catholic teaching of double effect says you may never do an evil to accomplish a good. If the goal is prosperity or justice but the means are initiating verbal or physical harm, the plan must be reworked. We have a creative God and we are made in God's image and likeness to also be creative. We are better than violent solutions to problems. What are your creative, Catholic and Christ-like #SolutionsToViolence? Let's all do more to promote them and live them as the Body of Christ ministering to the world.

AVISOS PARA LA COMUNIDAD

RETIRO MATRIMONIAL- sábado 24 de agosto 9:00 AM-8:00 PM y domingo 25 de agosto 9:00 AM-3:00 PM. Más información hable a la Oficina del Ministerio Hispano 216-696-6525 ext. 4300

CLASES DE PRE-BAUTIZO – Se les informa a todos los padres de familia que la próxima clase de pre-bautizo será el sábado 17 de agosto a las 5:30 pm .En el Salón Histórico. Por favor llame a la oficina para más información 330-253-5161 ext. 15.

CAMPAMENTO DE STEM – Todos los niños de Proyecto Raíces y de la Comunidad Hispana que tengan la edad de 8-12 años están invitados al Campamento de STEM para los días 1, 2 de agosto de 2 a 4:30 pm y sábado 3 de agosto de 10 a 2 pm. Más información hable con Nancy 330-322-4452

SEMANA DE CAMPAMENTO EN CROWN POINT– Invitamos a todos los niños de Proyecto Raíces y de la Comunidad Hispana para que se inscriban en el campamento de verano que será del 5- 9 de agosto de 9 a 3 pm. Para más información llamar Nancy al 330-322-4452.

REUNIÓN DEL CONSEJO HISPANO- Les recordamos que la próxima reunión del Consejo Hispano es el 13 de agosto a las 7:00pm, en el Salón Histórico, agradecemos a todos por todo su trabajo y esfuerzo durante todos estos años. Dios los bendiga. Mas información comuníquese a la oficina 330-322-4452.

CAPACITAR FAMILIAS - Te invita a ti y a tu familia para la próxima sesión que será el 24 de agosto de 10-2pm, más información hable con Nancy 330-322-4452

CLASES DE BIBLIA- Todos están invitados a las clases de biblia los martes y jueves. Más información hablar con Amy Martínez.