**Mass Intentions**

**Sunday, June 26th**
9:00 am St. John Nepomucene Parish
11:00 am Living & Deceased Members of our Sacred Heart Altar & Rosary Society

**Monday, June 27th**
No Morning Mass

**Tuesday, June 28th**
No Morning Mass

**Wednesday, June 29th**
No Morning Mass

**Thursday, June 30th**
No Morning Mass

**Friday, July 1st**
No Morning Mass

**Saturday, July 2nd**
4:00 pm Donna Behlke

**Sunday, July 3rd**
9:00 am Eleanor & Walter Bednarz
11:00 am St. John Nepomucene Parish

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**Sick Calls** – Please call the rectory to arrange for Father Jasany to bring the Sacraments when a member of your family is hospitalized.

**Weddings** – Parishioners are asked to call the rectory office at least 6 months in advance of the wedding to schedule an appointment with Father Jasany.

**Baptisms** – The 1st & 3rd Sunday of the month at 12:00 pm. Parents are required to attend Pre-Baptism Class. Arrangements must be made a minimum of 2 weeks prior to the date of baptism. Before parents baptize their child, Diocesan and parish policy requires you to complete a Baptism Preparation Class. The next class will be on Sunday, July 10th at Immaculate Heart Parish at 1:30 pm. Reservations needed; please call 216-341-2734 to register.

**Godparent and Sponsor Certificate** – Sponsors for Baptism or Confirmation must be registered and practicing members of the Church, attending weekly and Holy Day Masses for a minimum of 3 months prior to the celebration of the Sacraments for which they have requested the certificate. Please note individuals 18 years of age and older, no longer in school, need to register.

**Pre-Cana Program** for couples preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage at the Jesuit Retreat House on **July 24th at 12:45 pm.** Program satisfies the requirement for marriage preparation as stipulated by the Catholic Diocese of Cleveland. Register at 440-884-9300 or www.jrhcleve@att.net

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**Stewardship of Treasure**

Sunday, June 19th  $2308.10
Memorials  40.00
Utilities  64.00
Assessments  35.00
Maintenance Fund  65.00
St. Vincent DePaul Society  120.00
Dear Parishioners,

We congratulate the Cleveland Cavaliers on their historic victory. Some people are referring to it as a Cleveland miracle. Did you know you couldn’t spell the word Miracle if you leave out the letters – CLE. The letters CLE are an abbreviation for the City of Cleveland. A positive thought could be miracles can happen in Cleveland. Good things can happen in this city and in our lives.

Around this time, the scaffolding should start to go up for the work on our towers and our church masonry. Please continue to help us fund this project by your use of the “Touch Up the Towers” envelopes. Also, please continue the practice of making memorial gifts in honor of your loved ones who have died. These gifts will go towards this project. May the generosity of those who built this church live on in us. Winning a world championship was a team effort for the Cleveland Cavaliers; so too, to have a vibrant parish, we need a team effort. Everyone is important and everyone is called to contribute. In a Stewardship perspective, we do this by contributing our time, talent and treasure. Please consider donating your time, talent and treasure. Prayerfully, review your commitment to our parish. We need all of you on our team!

I will be on vacation from June 27th thru July 8th. We will be suspending the weekdays Masses during this time. We hope to strip, clean and wax the church floors in the two sacristies of our church building. Thus far Father Joseph Callahan, Pastor of Our Lady of Lourdes; Father Matthew Glaros, University Hospitals Chaplain; and Father Andre Panek, Parochial Vicar at Immaculate Heart have volunteered to assist with funerals during this time.

Father Dennis Christz will be conducting the Annual Missionary Appeal the weekend of July 2nd & 3rd for the missionary work of the Precious Blood Fathers. There will be a second collection that weekend. Please be generous.

We are called to the Fortnight for Freedom, June 21st to July 4th. We are called to pray, educate ourselves and reflect upon religious freedom. For more information visit www.dioceseofcleveland.orgfreedom or www.Fortnight4freedom.org

Prayers & Best Wishes,
Father Jasany

Sanctuary Guild Volunteers

June 22nd thru July 5th
Barbara Nieszczur & Toni Suchy

Wedding Banms

II Megan Huml
and Robert Joseph
Sunday, June 26th
$1000 Raffle after our 11 am Mass in the school lobby.

Altar Society Meeting – Doors open at 12:00 and meeting will begin at 12:30 pm. New members are always welcome. Stop in and attend the meeting.

Today we take up the Peter's Pence collection, which provides Pope Francis with funds needed to carry out his charitable works around the world. Envelopes are provided in your monthly envelope packet.

Slovak Picnic from Noon – 8 pm. Admission $4.00 at the gate; at the Slovak Sokol Camp; 2069 Royalwood Road in Broadview Hts. Music by the Frank Moravcik Band. Slovak Food, Beer, Pastries & Dancing.

Tuesday, June 28th
Fund Raising Committee Meeting
6:30 pm at the rectory – This meeting will be to start planning our Parish Picnic. Do you have any new ideas or things you would like to see at our picnic. Please, stop in and attend the meeting or call Kathy Bartoszek at 440-526-6181

Wednesday, June 29th
Rosary Makers – 10 am in the rectory
East 50th Street Block Club Meeting at 6:30 pm at the rectory
Zumba Fitness – 7 pm in the school gym
$2/Session.
Choir Practice – 7 pm

Friday, July 1st  First Friday
Avila Holy Hour at 7:30 am to pray for new vocations to the vowed & ordained way of life and to pray for perseverance for those already called to serve. Come, pray!

Saturday, July 2nd
First Saturday Devotions  3:15 pm

Sunday, July 3rd
Fr. Dennis Christz, C.PP.S., will be with us this weekend to ask our support for the work of the Missionaries of the Precious Blood. Each year we are given the opportunity to hear about the missionary work of the Church and to support that work through our financial gifts and our prayers. The Missionaries of the Precious Blood are based in Dayton, Ohio; but they also serve the Church in Guatemala, Chile, Peru and Colombia. We will have a second collection at our July 2nd & 3rd Masses. Please welcome Fr. Dennis with warm hospitality and respond to his message with generosity. Checks should be written to St. John Nepomucene Parish.

The Missionaries of the Precious Blood believe that the redeeming power of the Blood of Christ can save the world. The Missionaries preach of Christ’s all-inclusive love, especially for those whom society may view as too poor or lowly to be of any value. Their ministry, then, often calls them to the fringes of society, such as in their missions in Chile, Colombia, Peru and Guatemala, where they serve parishes in sprawling urban centers, in villages high in the mountains and among country people who may otherwise seldom see a priest. They have worked to establish schools, clinics and many parish ministries. They are ministers of the Word who have seen the Word work great miracles among the lives of the people to whom they minister – and in themselves.
SAVE THE DATE!!!
St. John Nepomucene Parish Picnic
Saturday, August 27th

Opening with Mass at 4 pm at Klima Gardens
4646 East 71st Street in Cuyahoga Hts.
Music by---
Wojtla Orchestra 5:30 – 8 pm
Stu & the Brew 8:30 pm to close
Ample Parking! Fun for all Ages!

Watch for more information in the bulletin and on our webpage.

Please remember these individuals, who have been called to the priesthood in your daily prayers.

Sunday, June 26th – Bishop Richard Lennon
Monday, June 27th – Evan Jamison (Washington)
Tuesday, June 28th – Bradley Jasko Borromeo Seminary
Wednesday, June 29th – Robert Johanson
Thursday, June 30th – Michael Dirkson St. John Vianni; Colorado St. Mary Seminary
Friday, July 1st – Andrew Karpinski Borromeo Seminary
Saturday, July 2nd – Jason Keller Borromeo Seminary
Sunday, July 3rd – Pray For Peace

May our prayers bring healing, comfort and strength to the sick and their caregivers, remembering especially

May Our Loved Ones who have died rest in eternal peace in heaven.

For the Men and Women serving in the military, especially those from our parish and their families.

The Visiting Nurse Association of Ohio is looking for volunteers for our hospice program. You’re invited to explore the possibility of becoming a Volunteer with the Visiting Nurse Association of Ohio Hospice. A wide range of volunteer skills are needed from office/clerical assistance to spiritual companionship, bereavement and many other possibilities. If interested contact Dora Harper at 216-694-6266 ordharper3@vnaohio.org

Thank You for your Recycling Efforts!
We received a check from River Valley Paper for $26.65 for our April recycling. We also saved 25.59 Trees and 4.97 cubic yards of landfill space!
Readings for the Week of June 26, 2016

Monday: Am 2:6-10, 13-16/Ps 50:16-23/Mt 8:18-22
Tuesday: Am 3:1-8; 4:11-12/Ps 5:4-8/Mt 8:23-27
Day: Acts 12:1-11/Ps 34:2-9/2 Tm 4:6-8/Mt 8:23-27
Thursday: Am 7:10-17/Ps 19:8-11/Mt 9:1-8
Friday: Am 8:4-6, 9-12/Ps 119:2, 10, 20, 30, 40, 131/Mt 9:9-13
Saturday: Am 9:11-15/Ps 85:9-14/Mt 9:14-17

STEWARDSHIP –
Today’s Gospel reveals to us the beginning of Jesus’ journey to Jerusalem. We will journey with Jesus for many Sundays to come and along the way he will teach us about the demands of discipleship. His instructions may seem harsh and unreasonable to our ears. His response to legitimate requests to postpone the journey reminds us that there are always justifiable excuses to defer the journey or put off the responsibilities of discipleship. His instructions may seem harsh and unreasonable to our ears. His response to legitimate requests to postpone the journey reminds us that there are always justifiable excuses to defer the journey or put off the responsibilities of discipleship. Other important matters compete for our attention. Some of us must make heart-wrenching choices, but there is urgency about Jesus’ mission to bring forth God’s kingdom. His demand is that we proclaim the Kingdom of God now. Is this our first priority or do we have other priorities?

Living Bread Catholic Radio on AM1060 airs local programming such as Life Line on Fridays at 2 pm. Listen on the radio, online at livingbreadradio.com or download an app for your phone. Listening to Catholic radio helps you strengthen your faith!

St. Mary of the Falls Church, 25615 Bagley Road in Olmsted Fall is presenting a Summer Video/Discussion Series “Priest, Prophet & King”. You will discover Jesus as the Anointed One – ultimate priest, prophet and king foreshadowed throughout the Hebrew Scriptures. This will be held on Wednesday afternoons – July 6th thru August 10th from Noon–1 pm. Also, Wednesday evenings from 7–8 pm. Please call St. Mary’s at 440-235-2222 for more information.

All are invited to attend Catholic Renewal Ministries’ 34th Annual Conference to be held on July 15th & 16th at Magnificat High School in Rocky River. Guest speakers will be Jim Murphy, Fr. Damian Ference, Bishop Richard Lennon and more. This year’s theme is “Proclaim God’s Mercy”. The conference opens on Friday at 7 pm. 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 & gifts of the Holy Spirit.
The FEST 2016 is less than two months away. Join others for the 16th Annual Catholic Family FESTival on Sunday, August 7th for a day of faith, family and fun – and it’s FREE! Come and hear the best of the best of the nation Christian artists—Newsboys, Michael W. Smith, Matthew West and Lauren Daigle. The day includes activities for all ages, opportunities for prayer and reflection, a large outdoor Mass followed by fireworks and more. Volunteers are also needed for this event. For more information or to register go to www.theFEST.us.

St. Vincent de Paul Society Golf Outing for Hunger Relief – Whether you’re an avid golfer or just enjoy the great outdoors, you’re invited to an Inaugural Golf Outing on Friday, July 29th from 8 am to 4:30 pm at Grantwood Golf Course. The outing will raise money to feed the 13,000 people who turn to our food pantries for nourishment each month. For tickets call 216-696-6525, ext. 3570 or order online at www.svdpcle.org.

Rose Cinovec has been working on setting up the advertising sponsorships for our bulletin last week. Please consider advertising in our bulletin. Advertisements can be purchased for a business, family, or a sponsor ad can be purchased supporting community service organizations like battered women’s shelter, neighborhood ministries, etc. We need and appreciate your assistance. If you have a business, know someone who has a business or would like to be a sponsor please call Rose directly at 800-477-4574, ext. 6383. Thank you in advance for your generous support and please patronize our advertisers.

Cesky Den Czech Day, an olde-world festival will be celebrated on July 10th at 11 am to dusk at the D.T.J. Farm in Taborville, Auburn Township. All are welcome. Music, Brass Bands, Czech foods. Admission is $5.00 and all proceeds go towards supporting Czech cultural centers. For information contact Rich at 330-722-5474 or Bruce at 440-543-8494.

What might God do in Just One Year? If you are a spiritual seeker, God may be inviting you to a life-changing year dedicated to spiritual growth and formation! The Sisters of the Humility of Mary are offering women a one-year immersion in spiritual growth and formation. “Just One Year” is an opportunity to participate in the rich spiritual life found for centuries by seekers who are searching for growth and transformation through prayer, service and learning. Open to women ages 21 and up, there are four weekends this year. Call Sr. Cheryl Rose at 440-356-6130 or crose@hmministry.org for more information.

Online Giving – Our parish now offers Online Giving, a convenient service for contributions. It allows you to start, stop and change your contributions at any time. It is easy to use and requires no special knowledge other than how to access the internet. If you are interested in signing up go to our parish website at www.st-john-nepomucene.org and select Online Giving. If you have any questions concerning our Online Giving Program please call the rectory office at 216-641-8444 and speak to Mrs. Kowalski.