



# Mass Intentions for the Week

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**Sunday, October 2<sup>nd</sup>**

9:00 am Frank, Mary & Bob Rubinski  
11:00 am Gloria Lasecki

**Monday, October 3<sup>rd</sup>**

No Morning Mass

**Tuesday, October 4<sup>th</sup>**

No Morning Mass

**Wednesday, October 5<sup>th</sup>**

No Morning Mass

**Thursday, October 6<sup>th</sup>**

No Morning Mass

**Friday, October 7<sup>th</sup>**

No Morning Mass

**Saturday, October 8<sup>th</sup>**

4:00 pm Stanley Brindza

**Sunday, October 9<sup>th</sup>**

9:00 am Martin & Catherine Mangan  
11:00 am Kathryn Ksiazka

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**Stewardship of Treasure**

Sunday, September 25 <sup>th</sup>	\$2614.50
Memorials	47.00
Utilities	44.00
Maintenance Fund	55.00
St. Vincent DePaul Society	10.00
Catholic Communications	41.00

Thank you for your continued generosity  
towards our 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.

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**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.

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**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 Wednesday, October 5th at St. Stanislaus Parish at 7 pm.** Reservations needed; please call 216-271-4242 to register.

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**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.

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**Pre-Cana Program** for couples preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage at the Jesuit Retreat House on **October 16th 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](mailto:www.jrhcleve@att.net)

Please Note that we will not have daily Mass the week of October 3<sup>rd</sup>. Father Jasany will be participating in a four-day convocation for all priests in the Diocese of Cleveland. The main topic of discussion will be creating a strategic plan for the Diocese in regards to the changing demographics of the Diocese and the lack of priests, as many priests will be retiring in the next four years. Please keep our priests and Diocese your prayers.

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### **Sunday, October 2<sup>nd</sup>**

**RCIA 6-8 pm** at the rectory  
Anyone still interested in the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults is welcome to come to this initial session. These sessions are open to adults who need to receive the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist as well as those who would like to refresh themselves on the teachings of the church.

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### **Monday, October 3<sup>rd</sup>**

**PSR Classes 6 - 8:30 pm**

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### **Wednesday, October 5<sup>th</sup>**

**Rosary Makers** - 10 am in the rectory  
**Liga Morska Meeting** - 11 am at Cuyahoga Hts. Village Hall  
**Zumba Fitness** - 7-8 pm in the school  
**Choir Practice** - 7 pm in Church  
**East 50<sup>th</sup> Street Block Club Meeting**  
6:30 pm at the rectory

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### **Friday, October 7<sup>th</sup> **First Friday****

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

### **Sunday, October 9<sup>th</sup>**

**Holy Name Society Meeting** at 10 am followed by Mass at 11 am

**World Apostolate of Fatima Holy Hour**  
12:30 pm - People of Faith come together for the love of Jesus, for conversion of sinners and in reparation for the sins committed against the Immaculate Heart of Mary. Join us every second Sunday of the month in church from 12:30 to 1:30 pm. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, the Rosary, Reflection, Benediction, the Divine Praises, Chaplet of Divine Mercy and the Act of Consecration to Mary.

**St. Edward High School Open House**  
13500 Detroit Avenue in Lakewood from 11:30 am -2:30 pm. Call 216-221-3776, ext. 413 or [JKASL@sehs.net](mailto:JKASL@sehs.net) for information

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**St. Stanislaus 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Polish Festival** this weekend- October 7<sup>th</sup> thru 9<sup>th</sup> at their Social Center; 6601 Baxter Avenue. Call 216-341-9091 or visit [www.ststanislaus.org](http://www.ststanislaus.org) for information.

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Congratulations to Earl & Mary Lou Sheets on the occasion of their 45th Wedding Anniversary. Earl & Mary Lou will be renewing their vows on October 8<sup>th</sup> at our 4 pm Mass. God's blessing on Earl & Mary Lou and their family!

**BLANKET SUNDAY COVERS MANY NEEDS!** The weekend of October 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> is Blanket Sunday, sponsored by the Diocesan St. Vincent de Paul Society. When you make your donation, your money will go even further through the bulk purchase of blankets and other items for the homeless and the needy individuals in our area. So blanket someone for the winter and give yourself a warm feeling. (Due to lack of storage, we will accept your donation and do the shopping for you.) Please see the flyer and attached envelope for your donation in this week's bulletin.

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Readings for the Week of October 2<sup>nd</sup>

Sunday: Hb 1:2-3; 2:2-4/Ps 95:1-2, 6-9/  
2 Tm 1:6-8, 13-14/Lk 17:5-10  
Monday: Gal 1:6-12/Ps 111:1-2, 7-10/  
Lk 10:25-37  
Tuesday: Gal 1:13-24/Ps 139:1-3, 13-15/  
Lk 10:38-42  
Wednesday: Gal 2:1-2, 7-14/Ps 117:1-2/  
Lk 11:1-4  
Thursday: Gal 3:1-5/Lk 1:69-75/Lk 11:5-13  
Friday: Gal 3:7-14/Ps 111:1-6/Lk 11:15-26  
Saturday: Gal 3:22-29/Ps 105:2-7/  
Lk 11:27-28  
Next Sunday: 2 Kgs 5:14-17/Ps 98:1-4/2  
Tm 2:8-13/Lk 17:11-19



*II Ashley Fassinger  
& Kyle Cottos*

**STEWARDSHIP** – From today's second reading, we are made to realize, like Timothy, that Christ's call is meant for us all. Good stewards realize they have everything necessary to live for Christ. "Stir up the fire that is already burning inside you." Another way to express this thought in the vocabulary of stewardship is, "Use your gifts now! Serve the Lord Now! Get involved now! God put the fire inside you but you have to stir up the flame! Let it burn!" Everyone can give witness to Christ's presence in the world, and most of us can do more than one thing for the Lord. How exactly do you "stir into flame" God's unique gifts you hold within you?

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Congratulations to the Winners of our  
September \$1000 Raffle!!!

\$1000.00 Winner – Kathy Bartoszek  
\$100.00 Seller's Prize – Kathy Bartoszek

\$10.00 Consolation Prizes  
Joelle Barnes, Michael Frys, Carol Miller,  
Debra Stryczny, & Suzanne Camp

Our next raffle will be on Sunday, October 23<sup>rd</sup>. To purchase a \$5.00 book of raffle tickets, please call the rectory office.

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**The Village at Marymount, sponsored by the Sisters of St. Joseph, TOSF** is holding its annual Celebration of Life Gala. The fundraiser includes a chance to win a \$10,000 first prize, \$2,500 second prize and \$1,000 third prize. Tickets are \$50 each or three for \$100. If you are interested, please contact Mary Bednar at 216-272-4955 by Wednesday, October 12<sup>th</sup>.

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Sanctuary Guild Volunteers  
for September 28th thru October 11th  
Jackie Hejl & Elaine Smith

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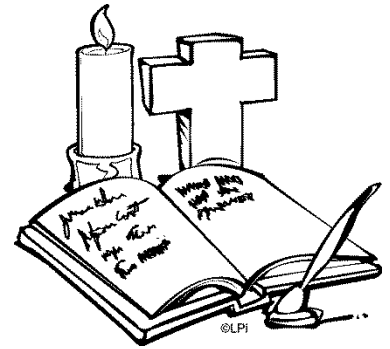
**Proceeds to Light Up and Decorate our new Fleet Avenue** during the winter season on Friday, October 14<sup>th</sup> from 6:30-10:30 pm at the "Nash", 3563 East 80<sup>th</sup> Street in Cleveland. Tickets include live music by The Good Knights. Free Bowling, Pizza, Soft Drinks, Cash Bar available. Tickets are \$20.00 for Adult and \$10.00 for children 5 years old and over. Children age 4 and under are free. Sponsored by Fleet Avenue Merchants & Stakeholders. Please call Mary Ann Trzaska at 216-849-6533 for tickets or information.

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**2017 Mass Book** – I will begin accepting Mass intentions for 2017 on Wednesday, October 5<sup>th</sup>. You will be able to book four masses for 2017. Two of your selection may be weekend Masses – Our 4 pm on Saturday, 9 am on Sunday and 11 am on Sunday. The other two selections may be for the 8:30 am weekday morning Mass. A limited number of Holy Day Masses are available. You may book your Masses by writing down your mass intentions and dates requested and placing them in an envelope with the stipend of \$10.00 per mass to my attention. Your envelope may be placed in the collection basket. Please make your check payable to St. John Nepomucene Parish. You may also book your masses in person or by phone beginning Wednesday, October 5<sup>th</sup> from 9 am until 3:30 pm.

Thank you, Mrs. Kowalski

Please remember in your prayers those who are sick. May our Lord comfort and strengthen them and their caregivers.



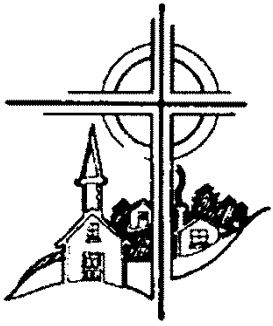
Remembering especially Mary Adams, Tim Angelone, Agnes Bartoszek, Greg Basco, Gwen Beres, Bill Bican, Joyce Bican, Phillip Bilelo, Mary Ann Betliskey, Corrine Dawe, Joseph Dybzinski, Kristin Hill, Lucy Konkoly, Tom Konkoly, Art Madsen, Judy Landolph, Cindi Magyar, Marguerite Miller, Jeannette Morrow, Dan Palmentera, John Pocius, Betty Rhine, Brianna Rhine, Frank Rudowsky, Elaine Stack, Rev. John Tezie, Ed Vitigoj, Ron Walk, David Zelenka and Joseph Zelenka.

May our loved ones who have died rest in eternal peace in heaven remembering especially Leonard Dzigiel and James Von Tobel, whose funerals were last week.

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

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The next worldwide Marriage Encounter weekends will be November 11<sup>th</sup>-13<sup>th</sup> and February 17-19<sup>th</sup>. It is a positive, private experience between husband and wife that revitalizes marriage. Make a weekend! Call Terri & Steve at 440-834-8563 or [www.GreatMarriagesOhio.org](http://www.GreatMarriagesOhio.org) for more information or to make a reservation.



## Touch Up the Towers Campaign

The work has been completed on our church towers. Thank you for your gifts, memorials and prayers

as we continue to preserve our beautiful church.

Balance as of 8/31/16 \$69,057.00

### Less September Contributions:

Touch Up the Towers Envelopes	- 1,455.00
Online Giving to the Tower Fund	- 100.00
Memorials	- 521.21
Online Giving Memorials	- 280.00

### **BALANCE REMAINING**

**AS OF 9/30/16 \$66,700.79**

### Church Memorials & Gifts

In Loving Memory of James Hronek  
from St. Johns Mens Club

In Thanksgiving & Celebration on our  
68<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary  
Bill & Joyce Bican

In Loving Memory of Justina Delagarza  
from Pat & Phil Balli

In Loving Memory of  
the Voris & Jenicek Family  
from Joseph Kocab

In Loving Memory  
of John & Jennie Jakovcic  
from their Nephew, Tim Selva

In Loving Memory  
of Stanley, Cecilia & Mary Ann Vitt  
from Jan Vitt

In Loving Memory of Lottie Ruminski  
from her Daughter, Carole Walk

In Loving Memory of  
Michael J. Wagner & Lisa Marie Kamenar  
from Jan Vitt

In Loving Memory of Tracy Dunning  
from her Father, Robert

In Loving Memory of  
Arnoldo Roberto dela Garza Sr.  
from Jan Vitt

In Loving Memory of Jim & Pauline Skala  
from Lisa Balli

In Loving Memory of Robert Halamek  
from his Mother, Helen

In Loving Memory of David L. dela Garza  
from Jan Vitt

In Loving Memory of Rosemarie Dunning  
from her Husband, Robert

In Loving Memory of  
Justina Marie dela Garza from Jan Vitt

In Loving Memory of James & Mary  
Stepanek (Jeda & Baba) and Anna Vitt  
from Jan Vitt

In Loving Memory of  
Stanley Adaska & Family from Leona York

In Loving Memory of Grace Balli  
From Lisa Balli