Sunday, April 30th
9:00 am    St. John Nepomucene Parish
11:00 am    Ann Briganti

Monday, May 1st
No Morning Mass

Tuesday, May 2nd
8:30 am    Gertrude Grodek

Wednesday, May 3rd
No Morning Mass

Thursday, May 4th
8:30 am    Madeline Koston

Friday, May 5th
8:30 am    Elizabeth Morrish

Saturday, May 6th
4:00 pm    Megan Wagner
4th Anniversary

Sunday, May 7th
9:00 am    Albina Selva
11:00 am    Pete & Carmella Gentile

___ Stewardship of Treasure

Sunday, April 23rd $2442.59
Utilities 12.00
Home Mission Appeal 114.00
St. Vincent de Paul Society 7.00

God Bless You and thank you for your generosity to our parish.

___ 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, June 11th at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish at 11:45 am. Reservations needed; please call 216-641-2829 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 May 7th 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
Dear Parishioners,

We have a number of events coming up which I would like to highlight.

**Sunday, April 30th** – We have our Annual Holy Name Society “Spring Chicken” Family Dinner. Meals are served between Noon and 1:30 pm. Please join us for a delicious chicken dinner and fellowship with our parishioners.

**Thursday, May 4th** - I will be giving a talk at the City Club on The Urgency of the Fatima Message for the World of Today at 12 Noon. The address is 850 Euclid Avenue. If you wish to attend, please contact First Friday of Cleve @ gmail.com. You can also call 1-440-390-0172. You have until May 4th to make your reservations.

**Saturday, May 6th** – We are having A Night at the Duck Races. Doors open at 5 pm and the races begin at 6:30 pm. We are still looking for people or business to sponsor a race for $50.00 (we have two races in need of sponsors.) Also, we still have 24 ducks that need sponsors at $20.00/duck. If your duck wins the race you will win $50.00 (You do not need to be present.) You do not have to take your winning duck home. Kathy Bartoszek will provide a good home for all the ducks. The proceeds will go to our “Touch Up the Towers” Campaign. Please join us for this fun-filled event. Invite your family and friends to come with you. There is no admission fee for this event. There will be food, beer, wine & refreshments for purchase. The deadline for sponsoring a race or buying a duck is Thursday morning, May 4th. Please call the rectory or stop in if you are interested.

**Sunday, May 7th** – We will celebrate May Crowning of our statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary at 12:30 pm. During this service, we will have the opportunity to present flowers to Our Blessed Mother in advance of Mother’s Day. We will then pray the rosary. Mary is not only the Mother of God; she is our mother as well.

After this devotion, we will have an additional service, which will include Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Benediction.

**Sunday, May 14th** – The Fatima Cell Hour of Holiness is cancelled in view of Mother’s Day, so people can celebrate with the mothers. Please come to our Marian Devotion on May 7th to honor Our Blessed Mother.

Finally, there will be a second collection at our Masses this weekend, April 29th/30th to help restore the Trinity Dome of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in the United States of America. This is the patronal church of the United States; our patronal feast is the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Please be generous in helping with this project.

I hope to see you at these various events. We are called to prayer and fellowship with one another.

Prayers and Best Wishes!

Father Jasany
**Sunday, April 30th**

Today we will have a collection for the Trinity Dome in Washington DC. Become a part of Mary’s Shrine and help to bring to completion our church. For more information, please visit [www.trinitydome.org](http://www.trinitydome.org)

**Today is the Holy Name Society “Spring Chicken” Family Dinner**, the Eight Buck Cluck, in our school hall. Serving Noon-1:30 pm. Chicken, Sides, Salad, Roll, Desserts and Beverage. $8.00 for Adults (two chicken quarters) $6.00 Under 12 & Seniors (one chicken quarter)

Limited number of tickets at the door. Carry-Out available.

**RCIA Class 6-8 pm**

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**Wednesday, May 3rd**

**Rosary Makers 10am – Noon**

**Liga Morska Meeting – 11 am at Cuyahoga Hts. Village Hall**

**Zumba – 7 pm**

**Choir Practice – 7 pm**

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**Friday, May 5th**

**First Friday**

Rosary at 8 am & Mass at 8:30 am for First Friday

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**Saturday, May 6th**

**SJN Day at the Ozanam Center** from 8:30 am – Noon. Volunteers are always needed. Please consider volunteering a few hours of your time.

**Mass in Honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary** celebrated by Father Glaros at 2:15 pm in the rectory

**First Saturday Devotions – 3 pm**

**Night at the Duck Races** – Doors open at 5 pm and the races begin at 6:30 pm. **Free Admission**. Food, Refreshments, Beer and Wine for purchase. Side-Boards, Instant Bingo, Basket Raffle.

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**Sunday, May 7th**

**May Crowning – 12:30 pm**

Everyone is invited to join in praise to Mary, Mother of God and our Mother too.

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**Readings for the Week of April 30th**

**Sunday**: Acts 2:14, 22-33/Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-11/1 Pt 1:17-21/Lk 24:13-35


**Joseph the Worker**: Gn 1:26--2:3 or Col 3:14-15, 17, 23-24/Ps 90:2-4, 12-14, 16/Mt 13:54-58

**Tuesday**: Acts 7:51--8:1a/Ps 31:3cd-4, 6, 7b, 8a, 17, 21ab/Jn 6:30-35

**Wednesday**: 1 Cor 15:1-8/Ps 66:1-3a, 4-7a/Jn 14:6-14

**Thursday**: Acts 8:26-40/Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20/Jn 6:44-51

**Friday**: Acts 9:1-20/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Jn 6:52-59

**Saturday**: Acts 9:31-42/Ps 116:12-17/Jn 6:60-69

**Next Sunday**: Acts 2:14a, 36-41/Ps 23:1-6/1 Pt 2:20b-25/Jn 10:1-10

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**Congratulations to the April $1000 Raffle Winners!!!**

- **$1000 Winner**: Suzanne Camp
- **$100 Ticket Seller**: Suzanne Camp
- **$10. Consolation Winners**: Suzanne Camp, Robert Pavlasek, Debra Stryczny, David Olenski & Sharon Priebe

Any interested in purchasing a $5.00 book of raffle tickets may call the rectory at 216-641-8444. All proceeds from the raffle goes to our Church Preservation & Maintenance Fund.
Sanctuary Guild Volunteers  
For April 26th thru May 9th  
Jackie Hejl and Elaine Smith

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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 remembering especially Allan Selva, whose funeral was last week.  

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

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A Stewardship Moment...As today’s gospel reveals, the first meal shared with the risen Lord happened in a place called Emmaus. Perhaps there is no better time to reflect on this story than in those prayerful moments at Mass when we return to our place after receiving Holy Communion. Those few moments give us an opportunity to reflect on our stewardship of Christ’s presence within us. We have a chance to practice hospitality by inviting Jesus into our hearts to walk and talk with us about our own Emmaus journey. We can relive once again the time when he broke bread for the disciples. And just as they did, we too can recognize Christ in this meal we have just shared with others.

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The Garden Committee is asking for your surplus black-eye susans. If you are prepping your home gardens and have extra plants and would like to share them for our May 13th planting date, please call Karen Small @ 614-806-2183 by May 6th to make arrangements. Our request is limited to this flower variety only. Thank You!

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The Northeast Ohio Fatima Centennial Conference July 28-29th at the Embassy Suites Cleveland; 5800 Rockside Woods Blvd. in Independence. Register by June 1st and save $20. Off daily ticket price. Event Pricing which includes 3 meals is $140.00 for one Day; $280 for two Days. For more information or to register visit www.neofatimaconf.com or call 440-241-5788. Registration forms available in church near our entrance doors.