



**Sunday, August 6<sup>th</sup>**

**9:00 am St. John Nepomucene Parish**  
**11:00 am Charlotte Kotlarsic**  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary**

**Monday, August 7<sup>th</sup>**

**No Morning Mass**

**Tuesday, August 8<sup>th</sup>**

**8:30 am Sammy Moyer, New Marine**  
**for Health & Blessings**

**Wednesday, August 9<sup>th</sup>**

**No Morning Mass**

**Thursday, August 10<sup>th</sup>**

**8:30 am Walter & Anne Lasecki**

**Friday, August 11<sup>th</sup>**

**8:30 am Helen and Henry Zarko**

**Saturday, August 5<sup>th</sup>**

**12 Noon Wedding**  
**Alexandra Marincic &**  
**Joseph Bednarz**  
**4:00 pm Daryl & Mary Ann Pasek**  
**50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary**

**Sunday, August 13<sup>th</sup>**

**9:00 am William Bican**  
**11:00 am St. John Nepomucene Parish**

**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 Sunday, September 10<sup>th</sup> at Immaculate Heart Parish at 1:30 pm.** Reservations needed; please call 216-341-2734 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 **September 24<sup>th</sup> 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)

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Wedding  Banns

**III Alexandra Marincic**  
**& Joseph Bednarz**



Dear Parishioners,

I look forward to celebrating with you at our Annual Parish Picnic on Saturday, August 26<sup>th</sup> at Klima Gardens. The parish picnic begins with 4 pm

Mass on the picnic grounds. God has placed all of us together for a reason, so that we can form a community in Christ. It is good for us to enjoy the Presence of Christ and the presence of one another. Please sign up to volunteer your time on the chipboards by the school exit in our church. We need your help to make this a beautiful event for everyone.

I am grateful to have recently received a check for \$651.00 from the Rooted in Faith/Forward in Hope Initiative. I am grateful for all who are paying off their pledges. If you have not yet made a gift to the Campaign but would like to do so, or if you would like to make an additional gift, please go to

[www.catholiccommunity.org/rif/newgift](http://www.catholiccommunity.org/rif/newgift).

Also, please consider using the Touch Up the Towers envelopes to make a gift to the parish. The cost of our exterior and interior work on the church is \$181,655.00. As of July 2<sup>nd</sup>, the remaining balance is \$22,562.91. The proceeds of our picnic will go towards this cause.

Please consider supporting this worthwhile project with your financial contributions. God willing, I hope to have the choir loft ceiling restored and repainted in the fall of this year.

I wish to thank all those who supported our Fatima Conference on July 28<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup>.

It was a wonderful event! In regards to our Fatima Cell Hour of Holiness for Sunday, August 13<sup>th</sup>, it is cancelled. Everyone is invited to go instead to the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist. This will be another opportunity to receive the Jubilee Plenary Indulgence. The rosary will be recited after every Mass on Sunday; Fatima Prayers, Rosaries and Scapulars will available in the vestibule. The Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Our Lady of Fatima will be present as well. For more details, please call the Cathedral at 216-696-6525.

May Our Blessed Mother help and guide us on our way to Christ.

Prayers and Best Wishes!

Gratefully,  
Father Jasany

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Stewardship of Treasure

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| Sunday, July 30 <sup>th</sup> | \$2714.91 |
| Maintenance Fund              | 74.00     |
| Utilities                     | 54.00     |
| Novena Lights                 | 41.00     |
| St. Vincent DePaul Society    | 135.00    |
| Assumption                    | 10.00     |

Thank you for your continued generosity to our Parish.  
May God Bless you!

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Sanctuary Guild Volunteers  
August 2nd thru August 15th

Barbara Nieszczur & Toni Suchy

### Readings for the Week of August 6<sup>th</sup>

Sunday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9/2 Pt 1:16-19/Mt 17:1-9  
Monday: Nm 11:4b-15/Ps 81:12-17/  
Mt 14:13-21  
Tuesday: Nm 12:1-13/Ps 51:3-7, 12-13/Mt 14:22-36 or 15:1-2, 10-14  
Wednesday: Nm 13:1-2, 25--14:1, 26-29a, 34-35/Ps 106:6-7ab, 13-14, 21-23/Mt 15:21-28  
Thursday: 2 Cor 9:6-10/Ps 112:1-2, 5-9/Jn 12:24-26  
Friday: Dt 4:32-40/Ps 77:12-16, 21/  
Mt 16:24-28  
Saturday: Dt 6:4-13/Ps 18:2-4, 47, 51/  
Mt 17:14-20  
Next Sunday: 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-13a/  
Ps 85:9-14/Rom 9:1-5/Mt 14:22-33

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### Sunday, August 6<sup>th</sup>

**The FEST is today!** The 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Catholic Family FESTival from 12 noon until 1 pm at the CPL (28700 Euclid Avenue in Wickliffe). Join in for a day of faith, family and great fun! Plenty of FREE close parking. Great family affordable food. Outdoor Mass at 8 pm followed by fireworks display.

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### Monday, August 7<sup>th</sup>

**Slavic Village Market;** 5106 Fleet Avenue from 4-7 pm. Find fresh local Produce, meats and hand crafted goods.

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### Wednesday, August 9<sup>th</sup>

**Rosary Makers 10 am- Noon**

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### Saturday, August 12<sup>th</sup>

**SJN Volunteer Day at the Ozanam Center** located at Holy Name Parish from 8:30-11:30 am. Please consider volunteering a few hours of your time to assist the less fortunate.

May our prayers bring healing, comfort and strength to the sick and their caregivers, remembering especially Mary Adams, Kathryn Angelone, Greg Basco, Gwen Beres, Mary Ann Betliskey, Joyce Bican, Phillip Bilelo, Noella Burrows, Pat Colburn, Donna Czyzynski, Corrine Dawe, Maria DeNova, Robert Dunning, Jose Dybzinski, Jason Glaros, Judy Glaros, Ron Glaros, Kristin Hill, Millie Jasany, Lucy Konkoly, Tom Konkoly, Judy Landolph, Bishop Richard Lennon, Barbie Lister, Art Madsen, Therese McFadden, Rose Meadows, Jeanette Miller, Marguerite Miller, Jeannette Morrow, Louis Novac, Art Novotny, Dan Palmentera, John Pocius, Betty Rhine, Brianna Rhine, Patricia Rhine, Joel Rivera, Bob Schippling, Margaret Slechta, Elaine Stack, Rev. John Tezie, Aaron Thiem, Andrew Turowski, Ed Vitigoj, Carole Walk, Ron Walk, Robert Wagner and David Zelenka.

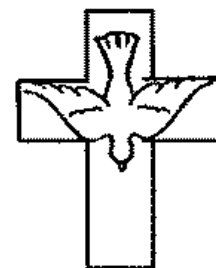
May our Loved Ones who have died rest in eternal peace in heaven remembering Agnes Bartoszek, Mother of Tim Bartoszek whose funeral was this week.

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

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We welcome to our Parish  
Community

Harper Sophia Woyma,  
Daughter of Frank & Laura  
who was recently baptized



**Stewardship Moment...** Today we celebrate the Feast of the Transfiguration of the Lord, and in today's Gospel reading we hear it proclaimed that on Mount Tabor, Peter, James and John caught a glimpse of Jesus' divinity strong enough to strike fear into their hearts. The event took place shortly after Peter's confession of faith that Jesus was, indeed, the Messiah. In today's second reading from Peter, we hear his personal testimony. This comes from a man who spent more than three years with Jesus. Peter witnessed his humanity. He saw Jesus hungry, tired and finally, rejected and crucified. But he also saw Jesus feed the 5,000, walk on water, heal the sick and raise the dead. He saw Jesus in his glory when he was transfigured. He saw Jesus risen from the dead and ascend into heaven with the promise that he is coming again in power and glory. How strong is the stewardship of our own faith? Do we accept Peter's apostolic witness to Jesus as Christ? Does this testimony help us acknowledge and trust Christ Jesus as our Lord and Savior?

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### **Parish Picnic Improvement Raffle**

All parishioners should have received their raffle tickets for the drawing, which will be held at our picnic on August 26<sup>th</sup>. Please consider purchasing or selling your tickets. Please call the rectory office at 216-641-8444 if you have not received your tickets.

If every household purchased their Parish Improvement tickets, we could raise \$8000.00, which could go toward restoring and maintaining our church!

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### **Protecting God's Children**

The Diocese of Cleveland's "Protecting God's Children" program is a continuing effort to instruct and inform everyone about the protection of children from sexual abuse. To report any past or present suspected inappropriate behavior toward children by priests, deacons, religious lay ecclesial ministers or personnel associated with the Church, please contact the Diocesan Response Service Office at 216-334-2929 or via e-mail at [response.services@dioceseofcleveland.org](mailto:response.services@dioceseofcleveland.org). You are also asked to immediately inform local authorities about inappropriate behavior.

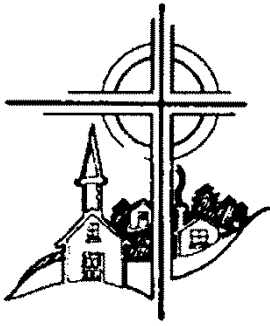
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**Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish Summer Social** on Sunday, August 20<sup>th</sup> at Klima Gardens, Cuyahoga Heights. Music by Dan Peters Band from 2-4 pm and Charlie Tansek and the Chicago Tradition from 4-8 pm. Delicious food – including cabbage and noodles, pierogis, sausage sandwiches, hot dogs, hamburgers and bakery will be available to fill everyone's hunger needs. Everyone is invited to attend. Call Mary Ann at 216-341-2734 for more information.

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**Fourth Annual Friends of Holy Name Parish Golf Outing** on September 9<sup>th</sup> at Emerald Woods Golf Course in Columbia Station. Donation is \$85 per golfer (includes 18 holes w/cart. Lunch, Dinner, beer, soft drinks & water) Prizes, Sideboards, Skins Game, Raffles & 50/50. If interested in golfing or being a sponsor of this event please contact Bill Hartman at 440-340-5592.

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## Touch Up the Towers Campaign

Thank you for the generous gifts and memorials that have been given to our parish. These

contributions along with your Rooted in Faith Campaign pledges and our fundraisers assist us in keeping our church well maintained. We have also made much-needed repairs to our church, among these the tuck-pointing that was completed. Our next project will be interior repairs and re-painting to sections of our church.

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| Balance as of 6/30/17                  | \$22,562.91        |
| Less July Contributions:               |                    |
| Touch Up the Towers Envelopes          | - 1,357.37         |
| Memorial Envelopes                     | - 478.00           |
| July Online Memorials                  | - 350.00           |
| July Online Giving to The Tower Fund   | - 100.00           |
| Rooted In Faith Distribution           | - 651.00           |
| Duck Races Profit                      | - <u>3,515.41</u>  |
| <b>BALANCE REMAINING AS OF 7/31/17</b> | <b>\$16,111.13</b> |

## Church Memorials & Gifts

In Loving Memory of Ronnie Selva  
from his Cousin, Tim Selva

In Loving Memory of Barbara Reaves  
from Suzanne Camp

In Loving Memory of Donald Pawlak  
on His Birthday, August 29<sup>th</sup>  
With Love from Susan, Geri & Marge

In Loving Memory of Rosemarie Dunning  
from her Husband, Robert

In Loving Memory of George Smith  
from Marlene Wesley

In Loving Memory  
of Pauline & James Skala  
from Lisa Balli

In Loving Memory of Tracy Dunning  
from her Father, Robert

In Loving Memory of Grace Balli  
from Lisa Balli

In Loving Memory  
of Edward & Helen Svec  
from Mr. & Mrs. Robert Dawe

In Loving Memory of Agnes Bartoszek  
Loving Mother, Grandmother  
& Great-Grandmother  
Love, Your Family  
Tim, Kathy Lauren, Katlyn,  
Alan & Harley

A Gift from Mr. & Mrs. Jeff Hartlieb

A Gift from Elaine Trautman  
Winner of our July \$1000 Raffle