



MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, January 28th

9:00 am St. John Nepomucene Parish
11:00 am Charlotte Kotlarsic

Monday, January 29th

No Morning Mass

Tuesday, January 30th

8:30 am Valentine & Joe Skiba
and the Living & Deceased
of the Skiba & Seneff Families

Wednesday, January 31st

No Morning Mass

Thursday, February 1st

8:30 am Anthony (Tony) Delagarza Sr.

Friday, February 2nd

8:30 am Jeannette Morrow
St. Vincent de Paul Society

Saturday, February 3rd

4:00 pm Tony Konopinski

Sunday, February 4th

9:00 am St. John Nepomucene Parish
11:00 am All Souls

Sanctuary Guild Volunteers
for January 31st thru February 13th

Loretta Delagarza & Gloria Seneff

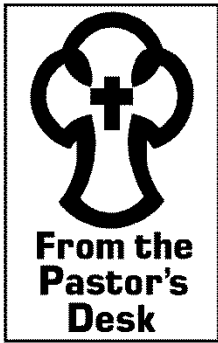
Sick Calls – Please call the rectory to arrange for Father Jasany to bring the Sacraments when a member of your family is hospitalized.

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, February 4th 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 **Sunday, March 11th 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 thank those who initially filled out their Stewardship Renewal and Commitment forms. We are grateful for those who have responded. Our

Stewardship Commission will meet on Thursday, February 8th and begin to go over the forms and contact those who volunteered for new ministries. Ministry Information books and Commitment forms are at the church exits. You are always welcome to pick up a Ministry Information book and a Commitment form and volunteer for a ministry in our parish. All are welcome to become involved and to participate.

We thank everyone who has initially responded to the following request: We are in desperate need of the following items for our food pantry – canned soup, cereal, canned beans and spaghetti sauce to address the needs of hungry people who come to the rectory for food. Last year, we served 495 people. In the last three and a half months into this fiscal year, we have served 263 people. Therefore, we kindly ask you to respond to this urgent request so that we can serve the needs of people who come to the rectory door asking for food. An estimate, we are on our way to serving 700 people food this year. Your generous response makes this possible.

Please consider placing these needed items in or around the plastic containers by our church exits.

We will have the traditional Blessing of Throats after the homily at our three masses next weekend.

“Through the intercession of St. Blaise, Bishop and Martyr, may God deliver you from every disease of the throat and from every other illness in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.”

May all of us experience the healing presence of Our Savior.

Prayers & Best Wishes!
Father Jasany

Stewardship of Treasure

Sunday, January 21 st	\$2940.20
Capital Improvements	30.00
Utilities	53.00
Assessments	25.00
Novena Lights	45.00
First Offering	30.00
Maintenance	27.00
Catholic University	67.00
St. Vincent de Paul Society	600.00

Sunday, January 28th

St. Vincent DePaul Society – 10 am
\$1000 Raffle – Drawing takes place in the school foyer after 11 am Mass.

Monday, January 29th

PSR Class 6:30–8 pm

Wednesday, January 31st

Rosary Makers – 10 am
East 50th Street Block Club Meeting
6:30 pm at the rectory
Choir Practice – 7 pm

Friday, February 2nd First Friday

First Friday Avila Holy Hour at 9 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.

Saturday, February 3rd

First Saturday Devotions - 3:15 pm

Sunday, February 4th

Blessing of Throats at our weekend Masses for the Feast of St. Blaise,

February 3rd. St. Blaise was a bishop of Sebasta, Armenia in modern Turkey, who was martyred for witnessing to the faith. He was tortured and beheaded for his beliefs by the local Roman government around AD 316. This is all that is known about him, the rest being legend. The special blessing of throats associated with St. Blaise is due to a miracle attributed to him. While he was being led to prison, he miraculously saved a boy choking on a fish bone. Early in the sixth century, evidence exists in the Eastern church that Blaise was prayed to for ailments of the throat. To this day, his feast is a holy day in the Eastern Church. In the ninth century, veneration of St. Blaise came to the Western church and became very popular. Blessing of the throats with crossed candles began in the 1500's, the height of devotion to St. Blaise and that blessing is still part of the devotion of the Catholic Church. St. Blaise is a reminder to us of God's care and concern for us in our weakness, sickness and human existence. God's healing touch is with us always. St. Blaise's celebration is one of the ways in which we highlight and thank God for that concern

Readings for the Week of January 28th

Sunday: Dt 18:15-20/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 7-9, [8]/1 Cor 7:32-35/Mk 1:21-28

Monday: 2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13/Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 [8a]/Mk 5:1-20

Tuesday: 2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30--19:3/Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [1a]/Mk 5:21-43

Wednesday: 2 Sm 24:2, 9-17/Ps 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7 [cf. 5c]/Mk 6:1-6

Thursday: 1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12/1 Chr 29:10, 11ab, 11d-12a, 12bcd [12b]/Mk 6:7-13

Friday: Mal 3:1-4/Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10 [10b]/Heb 2:14-18/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32

Saturday: 1 Kgs 3:4-13/Ps 119:9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 [12b]/Mk 6:30-34

Next Sunday: Jb 7:1-4, 6-7/Ps 147:1-2, 3-4, 5-6[cf. 3a]/1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23/Mk 1:29-39

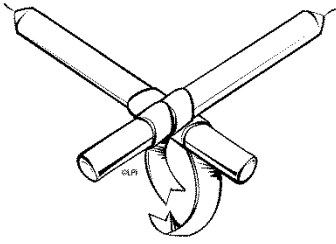
Good Friday

Living Stations of the Cross

Anyone interested in participating in the Good Friday Living Stations of the Cross is asked to call Marge Lanzola at 216-544-9623 to sign up, or for more information. Students age 12 and older and adults, any age are invited to join us. It's important that we know you are interested, so we can plan accordingly.

There will be a meeting on Sunday, February 4th at after 11 am Mass.

If you have a loved one incarcerated in one of the eight counties of the Diocese and would like to have a priest, deacon or one of our lay volunteer ministers visit with them, please call the Parish Life Office at 216-696-625, Ext. 3500. The Diocesan Ministry to the Incarcerated has a presence in the three state prisons, the county jails and the juvenile facilities located within our diocese. We would be glad to have someone visit with them.



Let us remember
in our prayers
those who are
sick. May they and
their caregivers
receive comfort

and strength, remembering especially
Mary Adams, Greg Basco,
Mary Ann Betliskey, Tony Betliskey,
Noella Burrows, Pat Colburn,
Donna Czyzynski, Corrine Dawe,
Joseph Deccola, Carole Dlouhy,
Jose Dybzinski, Kristin Hill, Jake Jackson,
Millie Jasany, Suzanne Kilker,
Tom Konkoly, Judy Landolph,
Bishop Richard Lennon, Barbie Lister,
Art Madsen, Rose Meadows,
Jeanette Miller, Marguerite Miller,
Geri Milton, Donna Murrin, Louis Novac,
Art Novotny, John Pocius, Megan Pucciani,
Joel Rivera, Bob Schippling,
Margaret Slechta, Mary Smith,
Elaine Stack, Rev. John Tezie,
Aaron Thiem, Ed Vitigoj, Carole Walk,
Ron Walk, Robert Wagner, Vicky Yates
and David Zelenka.

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

May our Loved Ones who have died
rest in eternal peace in heaven
remembering especially Lucille Konkoly
and Reverend Mark Dinardo, whose
funerals were this week.



Congratulations to
Phillip Skipper
who is on the
Honor Roll at
Benedictine High
School for the
Second Semester
of the school year.

**First Energy customers can receive a
free light bulb kit.** Enroll by calling
800-735-1872 or online at www.ohioenergykit.com. There is no cost for the
kit. One kit per account.

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 216-334-2999 or via
e-mail at
responseservices@dioceseofcleveland.org.

You are also asked to immediately inform
local authorities about inappropriate
behavior.

Church Memorials

In Loving Memory of Gloria Lasecki
from her Daughter, Judy

In Loving Memory of the Nagle Family
from Emily Nagle

In Loving Memory
of Ashley & Drew Seneff
from Loretta Delagarza & Jan Vitt

In Loving Memory
of Robert Schaefer
from his Children, Bob, Mike & Trish

In Loving Memory
of Frank & Arline Matousek
from their Daughter, Mary Terese