

**October 15, 2017**  
**Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**The Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Saturday, October 14, 2017**

**4:30 pm – Sam Malley** *Judy & Tom Benda*

**Sunday, October 15, 2017**

**8:00 am – Andrew & Patricia Kavlich** *John & Andrea Eafanti*

**10:00 am – Eve Morel** *Sharon Morel*

**12:00 noon – dec'd members of the Dawson, Jurek, & Haugh Families** *The Dawson Family*

**5:30 pm – Julius Szabo** *The Pertz Family*

**Monday, October 16, 2017**

**7:30 am – Rose Samuto** *The Samuto Family*

**Tuesday, October 17, 2017**

**7:30 am – Vikram Chokshi** *Alberta Chokshi*

**Wednesday, October 18, 2017**

**7:30 am – Arthur DePiero** *Gina & Dolores Bertoia*

**Thursday, October 19, 2017**

**7:30 am – John Baird** *Rita Shine*

**Friday, October 20, 2017**

**7:30 am – The intentions of all St. Mary Parishioners**

**9:20 am – Joseph Bolton, Sr.** *Ann & Joe Bolton, Jr.*

**Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Saturday, October 21, 2017**

**4:30 pm – Howard & Jane Rohr** *Mike & Marilyn Rohr*

**Sunday, October 22, 2017**

**8:00 am – dec'd members of the Malise Family** *Barbara Malise*

**10:00 am – Doreen Sedlak** *Bob Sedlak*

**12:00 noon – Jennifer Sanderson** *Jessica & Eric Bloom*

**5:30 pm – Connie Stock** *Julie Oppenlander & Family*



Karen Baptie

Jules Berry

Gia Biondo

Agnes Blackley

Kevin Bonko

Louise Borawski

John Bowyer

Karen Brent

Jeff Brock

Carol Browne

David Browne, Sr.

Jacob Brunton

Richard Burns

Barbara Cahill

Christine Calabro

Doug Campbell

Rose Casillo

Linda Clapacs

Nathan Cole

Ann Marie Costa

Mindy DeMent

Ann Marie DiBlasi

Edward Divincenzo

John Ferrara

Jeff Foster

Mike Foster

Denise Friend

Eleanor Gale

Norman Galloway

Ralph Geraci

Rudy Gerlica

Christopher Gilbey

Lisa Goodall

Nancy Grantham

Nancy Hart

Bill Henry

Phil Hlabse

Lillian Hruska

Lynne Johnson

Carl Kangas

Norma Kangas

Donna Kinney

Thomas Kirchner

Joanne Kniskern

Donald Kocies

Fred Koizumazi

Gary Kolesar

Jeanne Kubrin

Tom Lampman

George Lanstrum

Rita Lavrich

Nicholas LeBlanc

Betsy LeBlanc

Carol Machi

Barbara Malise

Mary Malloy

Pete Mancuso

Sr. Joesetta Marie

Mary Ellen Martin

James Martonchik

Nancy McCauley

Jack McMeecham

Thomas McNulty

Joe Meyers

Eugene Milliron

Annette Moore

Rose Napalo

Ruthann Olp

Frank Penavic

Antoinette Primoziac

Thomas Quinn

Richard Rakovan

Brady Reynolds

Fran Reynolds

Rosalie Robichaud

Dahlia Sak

Cathy Schonauer

Tim Schuffler

Gary Schussler

Albert Serafini

Mary Seuffer

Lillian Shieff

Tom Smith

Mark Spluvak

Anthony Staraitis

Walter Staraitis

Nathaniel Stolle

Merrill Stukbauer

Raymond Sulak

Dennis Susman

Rick Swenders

Mark Taddie

Anita Triozzi

Kenneth Udovic

Chantel Vargo

Crystal Vecchio

Ned VonLindern

Lauren Watts

John Carter Wolf

Edilio Zamora

Barbara Zingale

**Additions or  
Deletions please  
contact the Parish  
Office at 285-7051.**

**Meetings this Week**

<b>Mon. 10/16</b>	50+ Club Social	1:00 p.m.	ABC
	PSR gr. 1-5	6:15 p.m.	Clrms,SL,Caf.,ABC
	Parish Council	6:30 p.m.	FR
	RCIA	6:30 p.m.	HR
<b>Tues. 10/17</b>	Private Party	4:00 p.m.	ABC,BR
<b>Wed. 10/18</b>	Bible Study	9:00 a.m.	CR
	PTU Meeting	6:00 p.m.	SL
	Painting Party	6:30 p.m.	Caf.
	Alzheimer Group	6:30 p.m.	CR
	Mission Partnership	7:00 p.m.	HR
<b>Thurs. 10/19</b>	Divorced & Separated	7:00 p.m.	CR
	Boy Scouts	7:30 p.m.	ABC
<b>Fri. 10/20</b>	Soulcore	6:30 p.m.	HR
	Video Group	7:00 p.m.	CR
<b>Sat. 10/21</b>	WOW Mtg.	8:00 a.m.	HR
	Catechist training	9:00 a.m.	ABC
<b>Sun. 10/22</b>	Youth Life Nights	4:00 p.m.	ABC,Caf.
	PSR Gr. 6-8	6:30 p.m.	Clrms,SL,Caf.
	PSR Confirmation Class	6:30 p.m.	BR

**Attention!!!** Our monthly Avila Holy Hour will be this **Wednesday, October 18th**, following the Divine Mercy Litany after 7:00 p.m.  
Any questions, call Mike Kawalec at 440-226-9187.

**Welcome New Parishioners for the Month of September**

Jess Bohr James Brod Emilie Chesler  
David & Nicole Davison Bruce & Angela Dean  
Ken & Judith Kovats Barry & Cheryl Lane  
Scott & Denise Pietrzak Adam Pysell

**Wedding Banns**

**III Elizabeth Grau & Kyle Ori**

**III Samantha Getson & Dustin Hargis**



**Pray for those who have died.**  
**Lucille Amodeo, wife of Thomas**

## *A Letter from the Pastor*

To my brothers and sisters in Christ:

Our readings for Mass this weekend talk about a banquet feast. They mention that the feast will have all that one may ever need. Isaiah says that there will be *"a feast of rich food and choice wines"* where no one will be in sorrow again for veil that veils all peoples; death, will be destroyed. St. Paul mentions that *"My God will fully supply whatever you need, in accord with his glorious riches in Christ Jesus."* St. Matthew tells us that the master of the feast has *"prepared my banquet, my calves and fattened cattle are killed, and everything is ready; come to the feast."* In Sacred Scripture, a wedding feast is a foreshadowing of Heaven, which is our final destination. St. Matthew tells us that *"Many are invited, but few are chosen."* This should cause us to reflect on how we are living our lives so that at the end of our earthly life, are we going to be among the "chosen." Many assume that they are going to be the chosen, but will find out that they are not. The man at the wedding feast without the wedding garment has been invited to the feast, but was thrown out of the feast. The first invited did not come so whoever the master's servants could find were then invited. Why was this man thrown out for not wearing a wedding garment? Here is where we need to know something about the culture of that time. When guests were invited to a wedding, they had to travel. Some traveled a short distance and others a long distance, but no matter the distance traveled, the guests would come dirty. There was no enclosed vehicle for them to travel, like a car, bus, or plane. They had to travel by riding on a beast of burden or walk. The area was dusty and guests would be covered in dust. The guests would be invited to cleanse themselves and receive a clean wedding garment to wear. It was provided by the one putting on the wedding feast. This imagery should make us see the invitation of the wedding feast begins with Baptism. We are washed in the waters of Baptism, cleansed of original sin, made a new creation in Christ. The white garment of baptism shows our newly found purity from sin and also that we have "put on Christ," we have been given the faith. The man has rejected the wedding garment, indicating that he has rejected faith in Christ. He may have felt that his traveling clothes were clean enough for the feast, or brought his own clothes. Whatever the case, they were not appropriate for the master of the feast. The master would have been insulted by this disregard of his charity given to the guest. This disregard for the faith is what causes the man to be expelled from the wedding feast, from Heaven. He has rejected the invitation to eternal salvation. He has rejected Christ. "Many are invited, but few are chosen." Let us take time to reflect on our invitation to the "wedding feast" of God through Baptism. What are we doing with the "wedding garment" of Faith that was given to us at Baptism? Will our garment be free from sin and pure as it was when given to us at Baptism? Let us reject our sinful self, "our garment" or cleanse the "soiled wedding garment" and take the means given to us through the Sacrament of Penance and the other Sacraments. The wedding feast has been prepared. We have been invited. Will we be chosen to partake in this feast?

Your servant in Christ,



Fr. Edward J. Janoch  
Parochial Vicar

**The 7:00 pm Mass on Wednesday, November 2,** will be a **Memorial Mass** honoring all the deceased of the parish from the preceding year. Their names are inscribed in the Book of the Dead, which will be displayed in a place of honor in the Gathering Space throughout the month of November.



If you have suffered the loss of a loved one this past year and their funeral was held somewhere other than St. Mary, **Please call the Parish Office, 285-7051 so that your loved one's name can be included in the program.** You will be invited to come forward and light a candle in their memory when their name is read during this memorable liturgy.

**A reception in the Hospitality Room** will immediately follow the 7pm Mass.

All parishioners are welcome to attend the Mass and pray for our recently deceased members and offer support and consolation to their families and friends.

## St. Mary's School

### Principal's Corner



We have quite a busy upcoming week planned for both our school and parish community!

On Tuesday we welcome Bishop Perez! What an honor it is to host a Mass and reception for all of our Lake and Geauga parishes to celebrate with our new Bishop! The Mass is by invitation only, but we can all pray for him and his success in the Diocese of Cleveland. May God bless him and guide him in this new endeavor.

On Wednesday, Mrs. Allin, our Junior High Science Teacher, and I will be traveling to Columbus for our first STEM Convene. We are excited to meet with other STEM schools in Ohio to share and learn about all kinds of STEM lessons and activities.

On Thursday our Pre-Kindergarten Class is traveling to the fire station to learn all about fire safety. In the evening we will be hosting Trunk-Or-Treat for the community. Please join us from 6:30-8 pm. The event is free and open to all.

Friday our second graders will host our all school Mass. You are always welcome to join us in this very special celebration.

I would like to thank everyone for their support of our candy/magazine drive. Your support will help keep our children safe during lunch and recess!

Our Student Council hosted a Go for the Goal dress down and game day. The students raised over \$200 for Pediatric Cancer Research. Thank you St. Mary School for helping a very worthwhile cause.

St. Mary School is in need of substitute teachers. If you or anyone you know is interested, please call the school office for details at 286-3590.

Peace and Joy,

Mary Petelin

## Parish Ministries



**Calling all High School Teens, Life Teen** is every Sunday and starts with 5:30 pm Mass with the Life Night to follow. Life Nights end at 8:15 pm, and this semester the teachings are on the Holy Spirit, so please plan on coming to learn more about the Holy Spirit and how you can allow the Holy Spirit to work within your life. In addition, to the teaching nights, we also

have some fun social nights. One evening in particular that Life Teen will be participating in is Trunk or Treat on Thursday October 19<sup>th</sup>. We also have a Lock In coming up from Saturday evening October 28<sup>th</sup> until Sunday morning at October 29<sup>th</sup>, so watch the bulletin in the coming weeks for additional details.

Life Teen will also be hosting their **Oktoberfest Fundraiser, which will be Friday November 3<sup>rd</sup>. The cost will be \$25 per adult, \$10 for children 6 to 10 years of age, and 5 and under are Free.** The Fundraiser will start at 7:00 pm, and we will be having a 50/50 Raffle and Chinese auction. If anyone is interested in donating a theme basket for the Chinese Auction or interested in attending the Fundraiser, please contact us at [lifeteen@stmarychardon.org](mailto:lifeteen@stmarychardon.org). All proceeds from the Fundraiser go to help with Life Teen expenses, events, retreats, service projects and Life Nights.

Also, if anyone has any questions about Life Teen, donating food gift cards or donating a meal to help out with food every week or about lecturing the 5:30 pm Life Teen Mass, please contact us at [lifeteen@stmarychardon.org](mailto:lifeteen@stmarychardon.org).

Thank you for supporting Life Teen and God Bless! Sherry and Chris Loxterman and the entire Core Team.

### Dear Women of the Parish, Family, and Friends,

Please join Fr. Edward Janoch and the St. Mary Women of the Well Ministry at the **Fifth Annual Women's Day of Prayer** on a journey of hope.

**Sat., Dec. 2, 2017, 8:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.**

**Registration forms, due Nov. 20,** are in the gathering space trifold display.



## Parish Ministries

### Painting With A Purpose- A fun way to support Geauga Birthright!



Paint a pretty picture. No experience necessary!

\$35 per person.

A fun evening for all ages. You will get all the supplies you need and an

instructor to help you complete a painting on canvas you can take home with you and hang on your wall!

Its easy but most of all a ton of fun! Coffee/ water and light snacks provided.

Call or email Geauga Birthright office to Rsvp 440-286-9711 or [birthright\\_geauga@aol.com](mailto:birthright_geauga@aol.com)

Geauga Birthright is hosting two painting parties in the month of October.

**October 18 @ 6:30pm -Held in St. Mary's cafeteria.**

**October 25 @ 6:30 pm -Held in Geauga Birthright's office (Next door to Joeys Italian Grill)**

You'll find the pictures we are painting on Painting with a Purpose Facebook page under "Events" or the picture posted in the Gathering Space



**The Prayer Shawl Ministry** will be meeting on **Sunday, October 15th** in the **Community Room** directly after the noon mass. As our holiday seasons are

quickly approaching, please help yourself to a shawl of your choice (there are no costs). Remember to sign the registry if you would like us to pray for the recipient of the shawl.



**50+ Club will meet on October 16th in the ABC Rooms.** Mr. Nickolas Fischbach will tell "Haunted" stories of Geauga County. Cider & doughnuts—Hosted by the Club will be served.

Raffle prizes always welcome. Come and enjoy! Questions call Dolores Hissom at 286-9836.



**The truck is coming!! Bundle Weekend—October 21-22**

Donations of clean, useable items are most welcome. The truck will be here in the church parking lot from late Saturday

afternoon till 8:00 a.m. Monday morning. SVDP thanks you for your support.



### Empty Nesters

Here Come the Witches, Ghosts, and Goblins, and all those Creepy Things.

Join the Empty Nesters for their annual **Halloween Party** to be held in the **ABC Room on Friday, October 27 at 7:00 p.m.** Costumes are optional. Bring an

appetizer or dessert. For more information call Beth or Bob at 286-9080.



**Rug Rat Basketball Clinic** for boys and girls in grades K-2 will be held Saturday mornings October 21 & 28, November 4 & 11. 9:30-10:30 a.m. —Kindergarten ~ 10:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.—1st and 2nd grade. St. Mary's School Gym.

Rug Rats is a 4-week basketball clinic where boys and girls will learn basic basketball skills and have FUN!

For Information contact Eric Hartog

440-637-7654, [erichartog@yahoo.com](mailto:erichartog@yahoo.com).

Participants receive a T-shirt and an end of session pizza party on November 11th.



**ANOTHER GREAT "COVERUP" – THANK YOU FOR A SUCCESSFUL BLANKET SUNDAY**

- Thanks to your support, many needy families and individuals will receive warm blankets, hats,

gloves, socks and other items for the winter months through SVDP's Ozanam Centers, Catholic Charities agencies and other organizations serving the homeless in our own metropolitan area.

A sincere thank you to all our parishioners who assisted through their donations and prayers! If you still have your envelope, you can drop it in this week's collection basket.



**PRO-LIFE: 40 Days for Life** is in progress. It is a community based campaign that draws attention to the evil of abortion through the use of a three-

point program

Prayer and fasting—Constant vigil—Community outreach

40 Days for Life takes a determined peaceful approach to showing local communities the consequences of abortion in their own neighborhood, for their own friends and families. It puts into action a desire to cooperate with God in the carrying out of His plan for the end of abortion in America.



Please consider joining the **Knights of Columbus on Saturday October 21 for a Pro-Life vigil.**

The vigil will be from **12-1pm at Family Planning 54 South State St. in Painesville.** If you wish to carpool will we meet at 11:30am at the church.



## Parish Ministries



### STRUDEL FOR YOUR HOLIDAY TABLE!

Proceeds to benefit Geauga Birthright  
Orders for delicious, ready to  
bake strudel are now being taken  
until November 4.

The strudel is to be kept in the freezer until ready to bake.  
\$12 each- Apple—Peach- Blueberry—Cherry w/ Coconut-  
Cheese w/ Pineapple.

Email your order to [birthright\\_geauga@aol.com](mailto:birthright_geauga@aol.com) or call  
Emily Burke 44-537-3260.

There are order forms and a drop order box in the  
Community Room as well. Please leave a telephone  
number when ordering.

PICK UP FOR FROZEN STRUDEL IS SUNDAY  
NOVEMBER 19 AT ST. MARYS IN THE COMMUNITY  
ROOM at the 8 AM, 10AM and NOON mass.

### NATURAL HOME AND BEAUTY MAKE AND TAKE BAZAAR

NOVEMBER 11

Between 10:30am and 2pm

GEAUGA BIRTHRIGHT  
209 Center St. Unit A Chardon

\$18 per person. Cost includes

- THREE of the many items to choose from to make  
and take such as bath bombs/ linen and room sprays/  
roll-ons, etc.
- light lunch w/punch, coffee and tea

You may also purchase many other make and take  
items at a minimal cost. No limit.

RSVP to Birthright  
440-286-9711 or [birthright\\_geauga@aol.com](mailto:birthright_geauga@aol.com)



*Knights of Columbus Polka Fest*  
*Saturday, October 21, 2017*  
*6:00-10:00 p.m.*

*St. Helen Gym, 12060 Kinsman Rd.,*  
*Newbury*

*Live music and dancing to:*  
*Joey Tomsick and His Band*

*Dinner*

*Beer and Wine Cost Extra*

*Raffle*

*20.00/ticket Only 250 tickets available*

Call Bill Molnar—440-285-5026—Ed Rowan—440-338-  
5836—Mike Kalal—440-552-4276.

**We will be holding our 21 Day  
Purification class again.**

### 21 Day Purification Challenge

**Would you like to**

- \*Lose Weight - Typical Weight Loss 8-  
25 pounds
- \*Have Better Digestion \*Reduce Joint &  
Muscle Pain
- \* Improve your mood? \*Have Shinier  
Hair\*Sleep Better
- \*Improve Mental Clarity\* Improve  
Hormonal dysfunction/PMS
- \*Improve Allergies???
- \*Discover toxins lurking in your  
environment and your food
- \*Learn how the body handles toxins
- \*Make a decision to detoxify!

**The 21 Day Purification Challenge  
Provides:**

- \*Guidelines for healthy eating (no  
caloric restrictions) \*Organically grown  
whole food supplements that support  
the body's natural efforts to remove  
toxins

**October 16<sup>th</sup> Monday @ 6:00 P.M.**  
**7555 Fredle Drive, Suite 230 Concord,**  
**Ohio 440-352-0444**  
**Special Discounted Rate for attending**  
**\$10 reservation fee...refundable at time**  
**of the class**

**Limited Seating....Make your  
reservation NOW!!**

**Clearer. Brighter. Lighter.**

21 Days to Purify Your Body and Transform Your Life

## Community News



**LAST CALL**  
**100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Fatima 10 Day Pilgrimage to Portugal offered Nov 7-16, 2017 from Cleveland Hopkins Airport.**

We will be departing both St. Mary's Chardon and St. Anselm parking lots where you can leave your car. Cost of

\$3449.00 in twin accommodations with single accommodations also available. We will be visiting Lisbon, Fatima, Santarem, Portugal, Burgos, Spain, Carcassone, Lourdes, France and Barcelona Spain. We have just 8 seats left.

For further information please call Mr. James Adair at 440-564-8001 toll free or simply email [jimadair@thecatholictour.com](mailto:jimadair@thecatholictour.com)



**ATTENTION BOYS GRADES 2-8:**

The Diocese of Cleveland is sponsoring a multi-parish CYO Wrestling Team for 2nd - 8th grade boys. All boys within the Cleveland

Catholic Diocese are encouraged to register for the upcoming 2017-18 winter season. Wrestling practices will be held Monday and Wednesday evenings at the Notre Dame Cathedral Latin High School Baker gym. Interested parents can contact our coaches Alex Massiello at [massiea@ccf.org](mailto:massiea@ccf.org) or Steve Cavolo at [scavolo@ndec.org](mailto:scavolo@ndec.org). Additional information and Registration can be found at: <http://lionwrestling.org> or <http://ccdole.org/program/cyo.wrestling>.

**You are invited to the "Bridegroom's Banquet" a benefit dinner for the nuns of Christ the Bridegroom Monastery, on November 11, at St. Joseph Byzantine Catholic Church in Brecksville, Ohio.**

There is no cost to attend the dinner, but registration is required (by October 30). Adults 21 and older may attend. Enjoy a buffet dinner, improv comedy by Fr. Ryan Mann and Fr. Jacob Bearer, and an evening with the nuns and their guests.

Learn more information and to register, please visit [www.christthebridegroom.org](http://www.christthebridegroom.org) or call 440-834-0290.

**SND Bethany Retreat Center Programs 2017-2018**

The SND Bethany Retreat Center in Chardon announces its programs for 2017 – 2018.

If you would like your own copy of the programs at Bethany or wish to receive their retreat information throughout the year, please e-mail Sister Jennifer Kramer, SND, Director of Bethany Retreat Center at [jkramer@ndec.org](mailto:jkramer@ndec.org)

**City Music Cleveland Chamber Orchestra will open**



**their 14th Season with a concert at St. Jerome Church on Wednesday, October 18th at 7:30pm.** Avner Dorman will conduct and the program will feature the amazing violinist, Tessa Lark.

Doors open at 7pm for this free family friendly concert. A free will offering will be taken.

**St. John Vianney presents Regina Brett and "Becoming Positive and Hopeful in a Negative World on Thursday, October 26, 2017 at 7:30 p.m.**

Please join us for 7:00 p.m. mass prior to her presentation. A good will offering will be collected after the event and given to "The Gathering Place", a caring community for those touched by cancer.

St. John Vianney is located at 7575 Bellflower Rd., Mentor, Oh.

*French Toast Breakfast  
 And Mini Craft Fair  
 OUR LADY OF LOURDES SHRINE  
 21281 CHARDON RD.  
 EUCLID, OHIO 44117  
 216-481-8232*

*Sunday, November 5, December 3  
 February 4 and March 4  
 8:45-11:30 AM  
 TICKETS: \$5.00  
 (216) 481-8232*

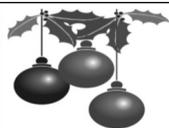


*French Toast, Bacon or Sausage, Coffee or Tea and Juice*



**Lake Catholic Open House—**

Tuesday, November 7 from 6:00—8:00 p.m.



**Lake Catholic Craft Fair** The 34th Annual Lake Catholic Performing Arts Boosters Craft Fair will be held on **Saturday November 4th from 9:00am-3:00pm.** Over 150 crafters and vendors. Bake sale, raffles, 50/50 and

food. Free kids corner with crafts and activities for children 3+. Admission is \$3.00 for adults, \$2.00 for seniors and children 13 and under are free. All proceeds benefit Lake Catholic Performing Arts Boosters.



**St. Anselm Women's Guild Annual Christmas Boutique, Saturday, November 11, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., 13013**

**Chillicothe Road, Chesterland (Rt. 306, just south of Rt. 322),** featuring handcrafted items by over 80 area craftsmen for your holiday decorating and gift giving. There will also be a Bake Sale, Snack Bar, and Prize Raffle with many prizes. \$1.00 admission. For further information call Shirley at 216-832-5158.