

Mass Intentions

Sunday, October 5th

9:00 am Al Dooley

11:00 am Cecelia Januszewski

Monday, October 6th

No Morning Mass

Tuesday, October 7th

No Morning Mass

Wednesday, October 8th

No Morning Mass

Thursday, October 9th

No Morning Mass

Friday, October 10th

No Morning Mass

Saturday, October 11th

4:00 pm St. John Nepomucene Parish

Sunday, October 12th

9:00 am Ethel Nowak

SJN Altar & Rosary Society

11:00 am Hyatt M. "Gunner" Rhine
& the Living & Deceased Members
of the Rhine & DeMore Families

Readings for the Week of October 5th

Sunday: Is 5:1-7/Phil 4:6-9/Mt 21:33-43

Monday: Gal 1:6-12/Lk 10:25-37

Tuesday: Gal 1:13-24/Lk 10:38-42

Wednesday: Gal 2:1-2, 7-14/Lk 11:1-4

Thursday: Gal 3:1-5/Lk 11:5-13

Friday: Gal 3:7-14/Lk 11:15-26

Saturday: Gal 3:22-29/Lk 11:27-28

Next Sunday: Is 25:6-10a/Phil 4:12-14,
19-20/Mt 22:1-14 or 22:1-10

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, November 2nd at Immaculate Heart Parish at 1:30 pm.** Reservations are needed; please call 216-341-2734 for information or to make your reservation.

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-**November 23, 2014 at 12:45 pm.** This program satisfies the requirement for marriage preparation as stipulated by the Catholic Diocese of Cleveland. Register at 440-884-9300 or online at www.jrhcleve@att.net

Pastor's Paragraphs

Dear Parishioners,

We had a beautiful celebration of St. Wenceslaus Day. I am grateful to our parish staff, the St. Wenceslaus Committee and the volunteers who assisted us.

I thank Kimm Bunch, our Finance Council Chairperson and the Members of our Finance Council – Charles Beargie, Jim Fletcher, Marge Lanzola, Nancy Recko, Lynne Sempruch and Pauline Kowalski for preparing and presenting our annual parish financial report. I am grateful to Pauline for the many hours of work, which she devoted to this project.

Because of your generosity we saw the completion of the following Capital Improvements – a new church roof, tuck pointing on the Church, the outside painting of the Rose Window in our choir loft, the installation of two new rooftop heating & air conditioning units on our school roof and the rewiring of the second and third floors of our rectory.

As a Stewardship Parish, we are called to reflect upon God's Blessings, and then with a grateful heart, we share our time, treasure and talent. As we see that our offertory contributions have declined, I ask you please to consider starting to contribute financially to our parish if you are not already doing so. If you are contributing financially to our parish, I ask you to consider prayerfully if you can increase your offertory gift. The offertory collection gives us needed funds for our operational expense.

October is the Month of the Rosary. At Fatima, Portugal, Our Blessed Mother identified herself as Our Lady of the Rosary. She asked that we pray a five-decade rosary everyday. If we do this, we will have peace in our world. Our country is involved in military conflicts in Afghanistan, Syria and Iraq. Praying the Rosary can help end these conflicts. In church, on the school side are bumper stickers that you can pick up after Mass. The bumper sticker reads: HELP AMERICA – PRAY THE ROSARY. Please feel free to pick one up and place it on the bumper of your car.

Kathryn DeCapite, the President of the World Apostolate of Fatima, Cleveland Division will give a detailed presentation on the requests of Our Lady of Fatima after the 11 am Mass on Sunday, October 12th. Afterwards, we will have a Holy Hour sponsored by the World Apostolate of Fatima, Cleveland Division.

Prayers & Best Wishes!
Father Robert Jasany

Stewardship of Treasure

<i>Sunday, September 28th</i>	<i>\$3870.35</i>
<i>Praise the Roof</i>	<i>120.50</i>
<i>Communications Campaign</i>	<i>57.05</i>
<i>Utilities</i>	<i>45.10</i>

God bless you for your continued support and generosity to our parish.

Sanctuary Guild Volunteers for
October 1st thru October 14th

Kathy Bondzio & Patty Kowalec

Sunday, October 5th

Baptism Preparation Class at our parish at 12:30 pm. This class is for parents preparing to have their child baptized.

Monday, October 6th

PSR Classes 6:30 – 8 PM

It is not too late to register for PSR Classes, which start today. We accept and serve children from Slavic Village and Southeast Cleveland parishes. So invite a friend, relative or neighbor to join us in learning more about our faith. Classes are held Monday evening 6:30 pm–8 pm. Please call Judy Lasecki at 216-641-8444, Ext. 29 for more details and to register.

Tuesday, October 7th

St. Clement Parish Respect Life Annual Celebration of Life in honor of Mary beginning at 7 pm. The Rosary, party refreshments and entertainment by the St. Ignatius Circus Company will be the focus of the evening.

Wednesday, October 8th

Rosary Makers 10 AM – Noon Rectory
Adult Education – “Narnia” at 6:30 pm
Zumba 7 PM
Choir Practice 7 PM

Saturday, October 11th

Trinity High School Placement Test from 9 am–12 Noon. Register at www.ths.org or call the Admissions Office at 216-581-1061.

Sunday, October 12th

Holy Name Society Meeting at 10 am followed by 11 am Mass
World Apostolate Holy Hour 12:30 pm
Join in this Holy Hour with Eucharistic prayer and the Rosary.

STEWARDSHIP –Today’s Gospel reading poses some challenging stewardship questions. When Christ returns, will we be found working diligently in the Lord’s “vineyard”; converting our own hearts into a rich harvest of love and compassion? Calling those outside our vineyard to enter into the joy of the Lord? Or will we just be living, taking advantage of what the Lord has given us, but not doing our part in return? Jesus’ parable suggests that if we aren’t good stewards of the gifts we’ve been given then the gifts will be taken away, and we will be called to give an account for our failures. We have all we need for a bountiful harvest. What will our Lord find when He returns?

2015 Masses – We have begun taking mass intentions for 2015. If you are interested in having masses for your loved ones please contact the rectory office at 216-641-8444. You may book your masses over the phone or you can stop at the rectory office weekdays from 9 am – 3:30 pm

Congratulations to the Winners of our
September \$1000 Raffle

\$1000 Winner – Karen Feda
\$100 Ticket Seller – Theresa Semproch

\$10. Consolation Winners
Diane Dufalla, Jean Fortuna, Karen Bican,
Carole Krzynowek &
Maggie & Gracie Selva

Our October drawing will be held on Sunday, October 26th. Anyone interested in receiving a \$5.00 book of raffle tickets may call the rectory office.



May the sick and their caregivers, receive comfort and strength through our prayers, remembering especially John Balciar, Mary Ann Betliskey, Millie Bloedorn, Bill Connors, Corrine Dawe, Robert Dunning, Jose Dybzinski, Gerri Grabel, Kristin Hill, Frances Holecek, Art Madsen, Cindi Magyar, Rita Petkoff, Andrew Turowski, Virginia Turowski and Dolores Witovitz.

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

Please remember these individuals, who have been called to the priesthood in your daily prayers.

Also, please remember our Holy Father Pope Francis in your prayers

Sunday, Oct. 5th – Bishop Anthony Pilla
Lennon

Monday, Oct. 6th – Jose Juan Cortes, sj
St. Mary Seminary

Tuesday, Oct. 7th – Adam Nestor
St. Mary Seminary

Wednesday, Oct. 8th – Peter Bang
St. Mary Seminary

Thursday, Oct. 9th – Joshua Trefney
St. Mary Seminary

Friday, Oct. 10th – John Mulhollan
St. Mary Seminary

Saturday, Oct. 11th – Jacob Bearer
St. Mary Seminary

Sunday, Oct. 12th – Pray for All Pastors

Altar Society News – The Society has started their Christmas Gift Card Raffle. Raffle tickets are on a flyer by the entrance doors of the church. Tickets are \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00. **Last year the Society had 4 Prizes - \$300, \$150, \$100 and \$75 in gift certificates were won by lucky individuals.**

Members – Please remember to turn in your raffle tickets and your donations of gift cards or a monetary donation to purchase gift cards. These may be put in an envelope to the attention of Loretta Delagarza. You may put these in the collection basket or mail them to the rectory office.

Coming Events –

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish (East 55th & Broadway) invites you to the 7th Annual International Food & Culture Festival on Saturday, October 18th from 5-8 pm. Bilingual Mass at 4 pm. Enjoy foods from European, Latin American & Asian countries along with traditional folkloric music and dance. Money Raffle - \$500, \$200 and three \$100 Prizes. For more information call 216-641-2829

Trinity High School Annual “Walking with the Spirit” Eighth Grade Retreat at Camp Christopher, October 17th-18th. For information or to register, visit Trinity’s website at www.ths.org/spirit or call 216-581-1061.

Free One-Day Addiction Awareness Workshop at St. Malachi Center; West 25th & Detroit on Saturday, October 25th from 9 am – 4 pm. Please call 216-861-5343 or judydstowe@gmail.com to register or for more information

Karen's Korner

Did you know that the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick is not just for people who are near death? The USCCB says, "Christ's compassion toward the sick and his healing of almost every kind of infirmity are a resplendent sign that 'God has visited his people'." (CCC #1050) For most of us, there is nothing more frustrating than being sick. Illness can run from an annoying inconvenience, like a headache, to grave, life-threatening cases involving major surgery or incurable disease. But in each case illness reminds us of our human limitations.

The Rite of Anointing tells us there is no need to wait until a person is at the point of death to receive the Sacrament. A judgment that the illness is of a serious nature is enough. The Sacrament may be repeated if the sick person recovers after the anointing but becomes ill once again, or if, during the same illness, the person's condition becomes more serious. A person should be anointed before surgery when a dangerous illness is the reason for the intervention. Also, the elderly may be anointed if they are in weak condition even though no dangerous illness is present. Sick children may be anointed if they have sufficient use of reason to be comforted by this sacrament.

The faithful should be encouraged to ask for the anointing and, as soon as the time for the anointing comes, to receive it with faith and devotion, not misusing the sacrament by putting it off. (USCCB Catechism pg. 253) Only priests and bishops may administer the sacrament. But there are special graces that come with anointing. The Sacrament unites the sick person to the passion of Christ, for his own good and that of the whole Church.

It gives the sick person the strength, peace and courage to endure in a Christian manner the sufferings of illness or old age. It imparts the forgiveness of sins, if the sick person was not able to obtain it through the sacrament of Reconciliation. It provides for the restoration of health, if it is conducive to the salvation of the soul. And it helps the sick person in the preparation for passing over to eternal life.

In the last couple of years of his life, my father was anointed several times. I know it helped strengthen him for his journey home. In St. James' letter, he says, "Is anyone among you sick? They should call for the elders of the church and have them pray over them anointing them with oil in the name of the Lord. The prayer of faith will save the sick, and the Lord will raise them up; and anyone who has committed sins will be forgiven." I have received the sacrament before surgeries and when I was first diagnosed with diabetes. It gives me comfort and strength, knowing I am not alone in this journey!

Join me for "Friday Night at the Movies". On October 17, we will be viewing "Heaven is for Real"!

See you soon! Karen

Blanket Sunday is next weekend
October 11th-12th sponsored by the Diocesan St. Vincent de Paul Society. In this week's bulletin is a flyer and envelope for next week's collection. They will gratefully accept your cash donation and do the shopping for you, making your money go even farther with bulk purchases of blankets and other items needed by low income families. So give someone a blanket for the winter and give yourself a warm feeling!

Praise the Roof Fund

Balance as of August 31 st	\$1079.84
Less:	
9/7 Roof Envelopes	- 263.50
9/14 Roof Envelopes	- 160.00
9/21 Roof Envelopes	- 151.00
9/28 Roof Envelopes	- 120.50
Memorials	- 240.00
Gifts	- <u>125.00</u>
BALANCE AS OF	
SEPTEMBER 30, 2014	\$ 19.84

Praise the Roof Memorials & Gifts

In Loving Memory
of Anita & Gilbert Tommer
from Jan Tommer

In Loving Memory of Clara Semproch
from Theresa Semproch

In Loving Memory of Ed Span
from his wife, Carol

In Loving Memory of Barbara Weglewski
from Eileen & Sheila Van Nort

A Gift from Donald & Shannon Redmond

In Loving Memory of Cindie Turner
Love & Prayers, Mom & Dad Bellomy

A Gift from Robert Dunning

Acme Fresh Market Community Cash Back Program is back and our St. Vincent DePaul Society is participating. If you shop at Acme, please save your receipts and drop them in the collection basket. All proceeds from the program will go to help those in need in our parish & community

On behalf of
the
fundraising
committee,



I would like to express our sincere thanks to everyone for attending and contributing to the success of this year's Chinese Auction and Parish Picnic. It has taken us awhile but the reports have been compiled, they are now done and the profit for the Chinese Auction was \$4347.89. This year there were less than 100 people in attendance at the Chinese Auction and there were very few parishioners. The fundraising committee will be re-evaluating the Chinese Auction as we move forward.

The Parish Picnic Profit was \$5805.23. A great big **THANK YOU** goes out to the committee. Many hours were put in by the fundraising members before the picnic as well as the day of the picnic.

THANK YOU to everyone who made the commitment to help the parish by purchasing raffle tickets, donating items for the raffles, baking and helping out...from set-up to clean up. We value each and every one of you. Thanks for your time, talent and treasure! The baskets that were made up for the picnic were phenomenal! There were many lucky winners. No matter how you contributed to the picnic, it truly helped to make everything a success.

Once again, if you have suggestions or ideas for next year's picnic, please let me know. We are always looking for new ideas. You can write them up and drop them in the collection basket marked to my attention.

May God bless each and every one of you!
Kathy Bartoszek