

PLEASE TAKE THIS BULLETIN HOME!

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Sunday, August 19 • Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. Martha Walsh (Dick & Betty Morbitzer)

11:00 a.m. Parishioners of Holy Cross

Jer 38:4-6, 8-10; Heb 12:1-4; Lk 12:49-53

Monday, August 20 • St. Bernard

11:30 a.m. Susie Stover (John Santorello & Sons)

Jgs 2:11-19; Mt 19:16-22

Tuesday, August 21 • St. Pius X

11:30 a.m. Patrick & Martha Walsh

(Walsh & Burkey Families)

Jgs 6:11-24; Mt 19:23-30

Wednesday, August 22 •

Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

11:30 a.m. James & Patricia Manley Family

(Richard & Sharon Stilwell)

Jgs 9:6-15; Mt 20:1-16

Thursday, August 23 • Weekday

11:30 a.m. Jo Wolf (Helen E. Erickson)

Jgs 11:29-39; Mt 22:1-14

Friday, August 24 • St. Bartholomew

11:30 a.m. Frank Scholl (Children)

Rev 21:9-14; Jn 1:45-51

Saturday, August 25 • Weekday

11:30 a.m. Rita Schwendenman (Carol Higgans)

Ru 2:1-3, 8-11; 4:13-17; Mt 23:1-12

Sunday, August 26 • Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. Paul Stover (Patty & Dayna)

11:00 a.m. Parishioners of Holy Cross

Is 66:18-21; Heb 12:5-7, 11-13; Lk 13:22-30

MASS SCHEDULING POLICY: In order to accommodate as many requests for specific dates as possible, we cannot schedule more than five at one time. Requests without a specific date are scheduled as openings permit. Please include the suggested offering of \$10.00 (for each Mass) when the request is made. Thank You!

+ Please remember in your prayers our home-bound parishioners, and those who are ill: Hilda Barrett, Charles "Sonny" Bellamy, Rosemary Fee, Sara Fingerlin, Peter Garrett, Marianne Garrison, Michael Hanrahan, Chris Igel, Jestina Jones, Edith Kowalsky, Ellen McMillen, Mary McNellis, Helen Meers, Mary Scholl, Marilyn Scott, Sheila Shirey, Margaret Trainor, Helen Violet, Elizabeth Wanamaker.

| THANKS! | |
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| AUGUST 12, 2007 OFFERINGS | |
| Designated Collections (Funds forwarded directly to the Diocese) | Offertory..... \$1,628.00 Votives..... \$ 26.75 Novena/1st Friday .. \$ 445.00 Repair \$ 600.72 Less Tax (\$ 135.02) |
| Mass Attendance 9:00 a.m.: 101 11:00 a.m.: 68 | Net to Parish \$2,565.45 |

Sympathy and Prayers

Frank Flynn, former parishioner, died last week. Please keep him and his family members in your prayers.

Welcome New Parishioners

We are pleased to announce the following who have recently registered in the parish:

Mr. & Mrs. Gregory (Kathleen) Drew

Ross E. Daly & Janet Kachinske

(to be married in December 2007)

Repair Collection Results

Thank you for the generosity and support of the Repair Fund collection last week. \$600.72 was contributed.

Choir Practice at Holy Cross

Holy Cross Church Choir will be singing for our annual patronal homecoming celebration, the EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS, on September 16, 2007, 10:00 a.m. Mass.

Rehearsals will be on Tuesdays: August 28th and September 4th, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. and Sunday, September, 9th following the 11:00 a.m. Mass in the church. Daniel Di Santo will be leading our choir this year.

Capital Campaign Update

The Campaign Committee is proud to announce that the latest Diocesan Report, dated August 7th, reflects that we have more than \$264,400.00 in pledges from 113 parish families. We are very grateful to all those who have contributed to the campaign and we thank you for your generosity. To date, we have more than 75% of our pledge total. If you have yet to return your pledge card, please do it ASAP. You are welcome to mail in your response, drop off your response at the Parish Office, or place it in the Offertory Collection.

Role of Mary in the Church

On September 22, 2007, The Center for Dominican Studies at Ohio Dominican University is sponsoring a Symposium titled: *The Role of Mary in the Church*. The event will take place from 8:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. in Erskine Hall-Matesich Theatre. The keynote speaker will be Bishop Frederick Campbell. The symposium will engage a variety of theologians and historians including Bishop James Griffin, Fr. Betrand Buby – University of Dayton, Sr. Thoma Swanson – artist and scholar, and Sr. Jean Frisk – University of Dayton. The individual registration fee is \$30.00 while the group rate is \$150.00 for 10 participants. For more information, call Sr. Catherine Colby at (614) 251-4722.

THE WORD

By now, just about all of summer has been unwrapped and spent. As the season drains away and summer's light dims, so too grows the realization that the busy work of life must soon be taken up in earnest once more. Once more, the realization returns that life calls us seriously to particular autumn cares. No matter how fearful or challenging, each of us must follow that inner voice or else sense that life will have become less.

Such was the story of Jeremiah, who found himself prophet to the Hebrew people. He sensed an inner call to speak God's word against the nation's political alliances and against the king's penchant to trust in military machines. As a result, Jeremiah found himself tossed into a well. Yet, he remained committed.

It is also the story of Jesus, who came with truth as a walking stick and the kingdom as seeds of life to be scattered and sown. He also knew full well that few would walk where He would walk or choose to feed on what He would sow. Yet, He would not back away from what He was about.

Such a willingness to stretch ourselves into the unknown is part of that mysterious list of things that make us human. At such times, we walk in the shadow of Jesus as He leads us into new ways of being human. Seldom, if ever, is it without struggle or even pain; yet, it is then that we begin to gain a fuller sense of who we truly are, and it is then that, through us, God brings the world to something new.

-from "Living the Word"

† 19 August 2007 †

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

❖ Hymns are not announced ❖

The first reading begins on page 29

9:00 a.m. – Ron Barrett, organist

11:00 a.m. – Daniel Di Santo, organist

Cantor, Lucian Smith

Gathering Hymn *Crown Him with Many Crowns*
(#702)

Responsorial Psalm *Lord, come to my aid, come to my aid.* (#17, page 30)

Gospel Acclamation (#18, page 30)

Offertory Hymn *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling*
(#808)

Communion Hymn *Shepherd of Souls, in Love, Come, Feed Us*
(#631)

Closing Hymn *Faith of Our Fathers*
(#791)

Special Parish Date

Mark your calendars for the following important date for the parish:

- 1) Sunday, September 16, 2007 – Parish celebrates Exaltation of the Holy Cross at 10:00 a.m. Mass, followed by a reception.

Relocation of J.O.I.N. Offices

Joint Organization for Inner-City Needs has moved to its new location at 578 East Main Street. Office hours for J.O.I.N. are Monday through Friday, 10:00 to 11:30 a.m. and 1:00 to 2:00 p.m. J.O.I.N.'s telephone number remains the same at 614-241-2531. Their programs are administered without regard to race or religion of those found in need and in full cooperation with agencies, public or private, secular or religious, which also work on behalf of those in need. In addition to J.O.I.N. at the Main Street address, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul (S.V.D.P.) will have an office at the same building and will continue a successful partnership with J.O.I.N. in assisting clients. S.V.D.P. will begin food distribution from this site. In addition, S.V.D.P. will begin accepting donations in mid-September of clean and gently used clothing, backpacks and duffle bags, shoes, bed linens and blankets, winter coats and attire. Individuals who wish to donate may call at 614-241-3554 to schedule drop-offs at a time when volunteers are available on-site to receive donations.

St. Gabriel Catholic Radio 1270 AM

St. Gabriel Radio has moved its offices and studio to 1585 Bethel Road, Suite 101-LL, Columbus, Ohio 43220, to prepare for the planned expansion of its broadcast signal from 500 watts to 10,000 watts! A major fund-raising campaign is underway to raise \$2 million needed for the signal expansion, which is targeted for May 2008. Information on donating and volunteering at St. Gabriel Catholic Radio is available on the web site at www.stgabrielradio.com or phone 614-442-1270.

Visit the Dream

Bethesda Healing Ministry invites you to visit our new home located on the west campus of Christ the King. Open House will be held today from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. Refreshments will be served. The address of our new Five Porticos is 2744 Dover Road. Please park in the back and come to the rear entrance. We look forward to sharing this holy place with you. For more information, call Judy on BHM cell (614-309-0157) or Theresa (614-309-2651).

Holy Name Parish Yard Sale

Holy Name Parish, 154 E. Patterson Avenue, will hold its 9th Annual Yard Sale on Friday, September 14th, 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., and Saturday, September 15th, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. This sale supports many parish activities. Stop by and check out the sale.