

PLEASE TAKE THIS BULLETIN HOME!

Sunday, July 4 ♦ Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. Patrick Walsh (Walsh & Burkey Families)

11:00 a.m. Parishioners of Holy Cross

Is 66:10-14; Gal 6:14-18; Lk 10:1-12, 17-20 or 10:1-9

Monday, July 5 ♦ NO MASS

Tuesday, July 6 ♦ Weekday

11:30 a.m. Mary Margaret Fadley (Mary Pulsinelli)

Hos 8:4-7, 11-13; Mt 9:32-38

Wednesday, July 7 ♦ Weekday

11:30 a.m. Nicholas Aleksandrovich Vasiliev & Sydney

Henry Gould (Bill & Inna Gould)

Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12; Mt 10:1-7

Thursday, July 8 ♦ Weekday

11:30 a.m. Special Intention of George Guice

(Dennis Wilcox)

Hos 11:1-4, 8-9; Mt 10:7-15

Friday, July 9 ♦ Weekday

11:30 a.m. Albina Cykowski (Ray & Eileen Kiersh)

Hos 14:2-10; Mt 10:16-23

Saturday, July 10 ♦ Weekday

11:30 a.m. Elsie Haninger (Mark & Claudia Fruin)

Is 6:1-8; Mt 10:24-33

Sunday, July 11 ♦ Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. Michael & Karen Fiorile – Wedding

Anniversary (Elizabeth, Katherine &

Pete)

11:00 a.m. Parishioners of Holy Cross

Dt 30:10-14; Col 1:15-20; Lk 10:25-37

+ Please remember in your prayers our homebound parishioners and those who are ill: Mary Bonner, Mary Cordesco, Sara Fingerlin, Marianne Garrison, Bobby Hackett, Lauren Jones, Mary Kay Keefer, Mary Knapp, Susan Luck, Ellen McMillen, Mary McNellis, Cathy Miller, Rita Neff, Marilyn Scott, Joe Shirey, Helen Violet, Elizabeth Wanamaker.

Monthly Financial Target – June 2010

Average Monthly Budgeted Expense:	\$18,118.71
June 2010 Net Offerings	= \$ 9,850.60
Other Parish Income	= \$22,755.82
(Catholic Foundation Distribution	= \$20,276.02)
Total June 2010 Income	<u>\$32,606.42</u>
Monthly Results – Gain	\$14,487.71

THANKS!

June 27, 2010 Offerings

Designated Collections	Offertory\$1,933.90
(Funds forwarded directly to the Diocese)	Votives93.00
Peter's Pence = \$511.00	Eucharistic Vigil0.00
Mass Attendance	Repair10.00
9:00 a.m. = 88	Less 5% tax(101.85)
11:00 a.m. = 105	Net to Parish:\$1,935.05

Belated Congratulations!

We apologize to Spencer Tuttle for the omission of his name in our latest parish newsletter.

Spencer graduated from Whetstone High School this year and will be attending the College of Mt. St. Joseph in Cincinnati in the fall.

Congratulations, Spencer and God's blessing on you as you begin this new phase of your life.

Kudos!

Prayerful best wishes to the following couples being married in our Parish Church:

Armando Dela Hostaria & Jennifer Jones – July 31

Eric White & Alicia Tomasulo – August 7

Peter's Pence Collection Results

Thank you for the generosity and support of the Peter's Pence collection last week. \$511.00 was contributed.



A Prayer For Our Nation

Gracious and loving God, we come to You in humble prayer for the United States of America.

Bless our President. Give him wisdom and strength to serve the American people and lead our country in ways that are pleasing to you.

Bless our Congress. Instill in them knowledge and understanding to enact laws that protect the sanctity of life – from the unborn to the elderly; and promote the good of all people.

Bless the people of the United States. Make us aware of our responsibility as citizens to uphold the principles of life, liberty, justice and equality. Send Your Holy Spirit upon our beloved country. Make us people of faith in time of uncertainty. Make us people of hope in times of trouble. Make us people of compassion with those who are less fortunate. Make us people of peace in our homes, our communities, our country, and our world.

*We ask this through Jesus Christ,
Our Lord and Savior. AMEN*



All Readers and Eucharistic Ministers

Important Meeting – July 18th

For all present Readers or Eucharistic Ministers plus those interested in becoming a Reader or Eucharistic Minister, please plan to attend a meeting on July 18, 2010, at the Cum Christo Center at 10:00 a.m. to meet with Sr. Pat and Sr. Anne Keenan. Thank you!

THE WORD

It is not often that we are invited to think of God as mother. Two occasions can be found in the book of the prophet Isaiah. First, we hear God speaking the beautiful words: "Can a mother forget her infant/be without tenderness for the child of her womb?/Even should she forget/I will never forget you." (Isaiah 49:15)

Then, today we hear words of comfort addressed to the exiles in Babylon, calling them to rejoice with Jerusalem, to exult with her. God will make a new Jerusalem and all her children will be nursed at her breasts. Then suddenly the image shifts from Jerusalem as mother and the peoples as nurslings to God as mother: "As a mother comforts her child, so will I comfort you." (66:13)

Jesus sends out the seventy-two disciples to bring comfort by proclaiming that "The kingdom of God is at hand for you." (Luke 10:9) The first words of the disciples when they enter a house are to be "Peace to this household." (10:5) The God who comforts wishes to dwell with us in peace.

In concluding his fiery letter to the Galatians, Paul wishes peace and mercy to all who follow him in boasting in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ. Through Christ's dying on the cross a new creation is coming into being.

We are always free to reject this peace, to refuse God's comfort, to avoid entering into the dying and rising of Christ. Yet Eucharist offers us the opportunity to open our hearts once again to God doing new things in and through us.

from "Living the Word"

July 4, 2010

✠ Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time ✠

❖ Hymns are not announced ❖
The first reading begins on page 32

9:00 and 10:00 a.m. – Sharon Stohrer, organist

Gathering Hymn	<i>A Mighty Fortress</i> (#804)
Gloria	(#282)
Responsorial Psalm	<i>All You Nations</i> (#409)
Gospel Acclamation	<i>(Missalette p 33, #18)</i>
Offertory Hymn	<i>For the Fruits of All Creation</i> (#952)
Eucharistic Acclamations	(#264)
Communion Hymn	<i>Christ, Be Our Light</i> (#924)
Closing Hymn	<i>America the Beautiful</i> (#1002)

Special Parish Dates

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

- 1) **Sunday, August 8, 2010 – Farewell to Sr. Pat. after both Masses.**
- 2) **Sunday, September 12, 2010 – Patronal Feast Day, 10:00 a.m. Mass only followed by Reception.**



Mission Appeal Today!

Father Bob Klem, C.S.B., will celebrate both Masses today and speak about the work of the Priests of the Basilian Fathers Missions among the poor and needy they serve in their Latin American Apostolate. There will be a special collection to help them in their efforts to bring the Gospel of God's love to the poor and the needy. Please be generous in your prayers and sacrifices. Thank You!

Farewell for Sr. Pat (Sunday, August 8th) After Both Masses

If anyone would like to contribute refreshments, please contact Claire Miller at 614-593-5349.

Bishop's Annual Appeal

BAA Campaign for 2010 is still progressing well after 9 weeks. The committee has received a total of 56 pledges for \$25,265.00 which is 176% of our 2010 goal of \$14,346.00. **Since we have reached our goal, every dollar pledged and paid over goal comes back directly to the parish.** We encourage everyone – parishioners and regular visitors – to make a pledge no matter what the size of your gift. Thank you!

Support to St. Lawrence Haven – July 11th

Attention, all our "Lil Larry" sandwich makers: Next Sunday is our opportunity to support St. Lawrence Haven, following the 9:00 a.m. Mass at the Cum Christo Center.

Sunday School Teachers Needed

Would you like to work with students who want to grow in the faith? Holy Cross will offer classes for children age 4 to 14, beginning Sunday, September 19, from 10:00-11:30 a.m. If you are interested in sharing your faith and time with the future of the Church, contact Debi Matthews at 861-1746 or matthews9244@sbcglobal.net.

The Greatest Event of 2010

Fr. John Corapi is coming to Cincinnati on July 17, 2010, to the Cintas Center for an all-day conference dedicated to the Church's teachings on Social Issues and our culture today. Fr. Tom Euteuneuer of Human Life International will be the Emcee. Tickets can be purchased by calling 513-593-0089 or online at www.cmgboking.com.