

PLEASE TAKE THIS BULLETIN HOME!

Sunday, June 27 ♦ Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. Elti & Inge Chiandussi (David & Dee Strawser)

11:00 a.m. Parishioners of Holy Cross

1 Kgs 19:16, 19-21, 13; Gal 5:1, 13-18; Lk 9:51-62

Monday, June 28 ♦ NO MASS

Tuesday, June 29 ♦ Sts. Peter and Paul

11:30 a.m. Msgr. Lawrence Corcoran

Acts 12:1-11; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18; Mt 16:13-19

Wednesday, June 30 ♦ Weekday

11:30 a.m. Paul & Anna May White (Their Children)

Am 5:14-15, 21-24; Mt 8:28-34

Thursday, July 1 ♦ Weekday

11:30 a.m. Msgr. James M. Berendt (His Family)

Am 7:10-17; Mt 9:1-8

Friday, July 2 ♦ Weekday

11:30 a.m. James Scanlon (Mary Montell)

12:00 p.m. Sorrowful Mother Novena

7:30 p.m. All-Night Eucharistic Vigil
(Intention of Presider)

Am 8:4-6, 9-12; Mt 9:9-13

Saturday, July 3 ♦ St. Thomas

7:30 a.m. All-Night Eucharistic Vigil
Closes with Benediction

11:30 a.m. Frank Pulsinelli (Bob & Pat Albert)

Eph 2:19-22; Jn 20:24-29

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

+ 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.

Support to St. Lawrence Haven July 11th

Attention, all of our "Lil Larry" sandwich makers. The next opportunity to support St. Lawrence Haven is Sunday, July 11th, following the 9:00 a.m. Mass at the Cum Christo Center.

THANKS!

June 20, 2010 Offerings

Designated Collections

(Funds forwarded directly to the Diocese)

Mass Attendance

9:00 a.m. = 89

11:00 a.m. = 97

Offertory\$2,472.40

Votives29.75

Eucharistic Vigil0.00

Repair.....185.00

Less 5% tax (134.36)

Net to Parish:\$2,552.79

Welcome!

Myles Jerome, son of Daniel and Karla Bednar, was baptized on June 20, 2010.

Kudos!

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

Kevin Reade & Bethany Seibert – July 24

Armando Dela Hostaria & Jennifer Jones – July 31



Peter's Pence Collection Today!

This week, our diocese will take up the Peter's Pence Collection which provides the Holy Father with the assistance he needs to carry out his most important charitable works. The proceeds benefit the most disadvantaged: victims of war, oppression, disease, and natural disasters. Through your generosity, with Pope Benedict we can cast the love of Christ upon the world.

Outstanding Publication

By now, you should all have received your copy of *Connections*, our parish newsletter. We are sure you will agree this issue is outstanding.

We are so blessed to have the professional talent and generosity of our parishioners Jan and Jack Kustron so powerfully displayed. **Thank you from all of us.**



Bishop's Annual Appeal

BAA Campaign for 2010 is still progressing well after 8 weeks. The committee has received a total of 55 pledges for \$25,145.00 which is 175% 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!

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

Today, Jesus is teaching His disciples what it means to follow Him. For one thing it means renouncing the way of violence, that is of responding to the violence of others by our own form of violence, whether in word or deed. The hatred between Jews and Samaritans shows itself here in the Samaritans' refusal to let Jesus and His disciples pass through their town on their way to Jerusalem. When James and John want to call down fire on them, Jesus rebukes them.

Following Jesus on the way does not allow for repaying contempt or unkindness in kind, much less with escalated violence. Jesus goes on to teach what it means to be His disciple: being willing to put the kingdom of God above everything else – possessions, family, even one's security. It means putting the Kingdom of God first.

As a further example, in today's first reading, we see Elisha responding to the call to be a prophet when Elijah throws his cloak over him. Not only does Elisha burn his bridges behind him, he burns his plow and slaughters twelve oxen. One wonders how his family felt about this.

Jesus asks much, but gives even more in response to our generosity. "For freedom Christ set us free," Paul writes to the Galatians, "So stand firm and do not submit again to the yoke of slavery" (Galatians 5:1). Following Christ gives us freedom from being enslaved by our anger, our desire for vengeance, our being held captive to anything other than Christ. In Him is our freedom; in Him, the life of the Spirit.

from "Living the Word"

June 27, 2010

† **Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time** †

❖ **Hymns are not announced** ❖
The first reading begins on page 29

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

Gathering Hymn	<i>To Jesus Christ, Our Sovereign King (#710)</i>
Gloria	(#282)
Responsorial Psalm	<i>You Will Show Me the Path: Psalm 16 (#382)</i>
Gospel Acclamation	<i>(Missalette p. 31, #16)</i>
Offertory Hymn	<i>The Servant Song (#800)</i>
Eucharistic Acclamations	(#264)
Communion Hymn	<i>I Received the Living God (#657)</i>
Closing Hymn	<i>Jesus Shall Reign (#702)</i>

Special Parish Dates

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

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



July 4th Mission Appeal

On Sunday, July 4, Father Bob Klem, C.S.B., will be here to speak at both Masses 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 needy. Please be generous in your prayers and sacrifices. Thank You!

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

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

1st Friday Sale

St. John Chrysostom's next 1st Friday sale will be held on July 2, 2010, from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. at 5858 Cleveland Avenue, Columbus. We have stuffed cabbage, homemade noodles and cabbage, pirogi and various other homemade goodies available for carry-out. Thank you for your support of our fund raiser.

Did You Know?

Our Garrett O'Grady Memorial Fund, on deposit with The Catholic Foundation recently provided our parish with \$20,276.02 from this year's distribution which will be utilized partly for day-to-day operations and the remainder into diocesan savings for future major maintenance projects.

If you wish to contribute funds to this endowment for our parish, contact Fr. Jerry or The Catholic Foundation. You may also want to consider remembering our parish in your will. Without such extraordinary income, we could never meet our ongoing expenses.



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.