

PLEASE TAKE THIS BULLETIN HOME!

Sunday, May 16 ♦ Ascension of the Lord

9:00 a.m. Parishioners of Holy Cross

11:00 a.m. Msgr. Lawrence Corcoran

Acts 1:1-11; Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28, 10:19-23;

Lk 24:46-53

Monday, May 17 ♦ NO MASS

Tuesday, May 18 ♦ Easter Weekday

11:30 a.m. Rose Mary Fee (Anne Reinhardt)

Acts 20:17-27; Jn 17:1-11

Wednesday, May 19 ♦ Easter Weekday

11:30 a.m. Jeffrey Jones (Patty Jones & Family)

Acts 20:28-38; Jn 17:11-19

Thursday, May 20 ♦ Easter Weekday

11:30 a.m. Jeannine Morbitzer
(Betty & Dick Morbitzer)

Acts 22:30, 23:6-11; Jn 17:20-26

Friday, May 21 ♦ Easter Weekday

11:30 a.m. Frank & Esther Filichia (Mary Collura)

Acts 25:13-21; Jn 21:15-19

Saturday, May 22 ♦ Easter Weekday

11:30 a.m. Stephen Shank (Bob & Ellen Griffin)

Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Jn 21:20-25

Sunday, May 23 ♦ Pentecost Sunday

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

11:00 a.m. Parishioners of Holy Cross

Acts 2:1-11; 1 Cor 12:3-7, 12-13 or Rom 8:8-17;

Jn 20:19-23 or 14:15-16, 23-26

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

**Support to St. Lawrence Haven –
June 6th**

Attention all our “Lil Larry” sandwich makers. Sunday, June 6th is the next opportunity to support St. Lawrence following the 9:00 a.m Mass at the Cum Christo Center.

THANKS!

May 9, 2010 Offerings

Designated Collections (Funds forwarded directly to the Diocese)	Offertory \$1,958.03
	Votives 45.30
	Eucharistic Vigil 0.00
	Repair 711.00
Mass Attendance	Less 5% tax (135.72)
9:00 a.m. = 83	Net to Parish: \$2,578.58
11:00 a.m. = 118	

Sympathy and Prayers

Mary Scholl, aunt of parishioners Fran Klausman, Patty Stover and Mary Jane Sheline, died last week. Please keep her and their families members in your prayers.

Kudos!

Prayerful best wishes to Joey Smith and Tiffany Sekinger, who will be married in our Parish Church Saturday, May 22nd.

From Sr. Pat

My Dear Parishioners,

It is with a heavy heart but deep confidence in our Good God’s continuing call in my life, that I tell you I will be leaving Holy Cross in August of this year.

You have truly been family to me – taking me into your lives and your hearts and it is only because of the very real need of my Notre Dame congregational family that I am making this move.

I will be going to be of service and in ministry with our sisters in Belgium and/or France. The details are still evolving and I certainly will share them with you at a later date. Meanwhile, let us pray for each other.

Choir Practice

Kelly Doman, Choir Director, will hold practice today and on Sunday, May 23rd, after the 11:00 a.m. Mass and Sunday, May 30th, at 9:00 a.m. for Fr. Dan Dury’s First Mass.

Reception for Fr. Dan Dury

May 30 is fast approaching with the joyful parish celebration of Fr. Dan Dury’s first Mass and our parish family reception.

The sign-up sheets are at the door today for those of you able to bring a suggested side dish and/or help with setting up and cleaning up.

If you prefer a monetary donation, simply put the envelope in the offertory basket. Thank you for your generous response to this blessed event.

NAMI WALK

Mark your calendar for the Annual NAMI Walk (National Alliance for Mental Illness) on June 5, 10:00 a.m. at Beckman Park. More details will follow.



Be Thou My Vision
Bishop's Annual Appeal

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BAA Campaign for 2010 is off with a great start after two weeks. The committee has received a total of 33 pledges for \$14,754 which is over our 2010 goal of \$14,346. **Since we have reached our goal, every dollar pledged and paid over goal comes back directly to the parish.**

THE WORD

In the first account of the Ascension today, after Jesus was lifted up and a cloud had taken Him from sight, suddenly two men dressed in white stood beside the disciples and asked them why they were looking up at the sky. Jesus was gone. There were things to do, like witnessing for Jesus not only in Jerusalem, but in Judea and Samaria and to the ends of the earth.

Luke was writing his Gospel nearly fifty years after Jesus had ascended. The hope that Jesus would be returning soon was beginning to fade. The disciples had heeded Jesus' last words. They had readjusted their vision from looking up in expectation of a quick return to looking outward and seeing all that had to be done. Given that the number of people declaring themselves atheists and agnostic has doubled, according to a recent survey, the mission of making Jesus known still remains.

In the Letter to the Ephesians, the author prays: "May the eyes of your hearts be enlightened" (1:18). Then he asks for three things for the community: "that you may know what is the hope that belongs to his call, what are the riches of glory in his inheritance among the holy ones, and what is the surpassing greatness of his power for us who believe"(1:18-19).

This knowledge is the lasting legacy of the ascended Jesus, now sitting at the right hand of the father, interceding for us: that we have knowledge of hope, of glory, and of God's power at work in all who believe.

– from "Living the Word"

Special Parish Dates

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

- 1) **Sunday, May 16, 2010 – First Communion – 9:00 a.m. Mass.**
- 2) **Saturday, May 29, 2010 – Ordination of Daniel Dury to the Priesthood – 10:00 a.m. Mass at St. Joseph Cathedral.**
- 3) **Sunday, May 30, 2010 – Fr. Daniel Dury Celebrates his First Mass – One Mass only – 10:00 a.m.**

ATTENTION, ALL MARRIED COUPLES CELEBRATING THEIR 25th, 30th, 35th, 40th, 45th, 50th, 55th, 60th ANNIVERSARY:

Jubilee of Anniversaries 2010 will be held on Sunday, June 27, 2010, at St. Cecilia Church, 434 Norton Road, Columbus, Ohio, 43228 at 3:00 p.m. The occasion includes a Mass celebrated by Bishop Frederick F. Campbell and a reception in your honor. Registration forms are available from the parish by calling 614-224-3416. Reservations for you and your guests are necessary and **must be received by Friday, June 18, 2010.**

Repair Fund Collection Results

Thank you for the generosity and support of the Repair Fund collection last week. \$711.00 was contributed.

Catholic Communication Campaign

Today is the Collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign. This Collection funds media projects that spread the Good News through the Internet, radio, TV and print media. These projects evangelize, nourish the faithful, foster community and grant easy, direct access to thousands of Catholic resources such as movie reviews so frequently used by parents. Help connect the world with God's Word! Support the Catholic Communications Campaign in today's Collection.

Senior Citizens Day Celebration is June 9

The 33rd annual diocesan Senior Citizens Celebration will be held on Wednesday, June 9, 2010, at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish, 600 Hill Road North, Pickerington. Bishop Campbell will celebrate Mass at 10:30 a.m. Mass will be followed by a luncheon. Registration fee for lunch is \$15.00. To register, please send your check payable to the Office for Social Concerns, Catholic Diocese of Columbus, 197 E. Gay Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215 or call (614) 241-2540. Registrations are requested by June 2. If you are planning to attend, please contact Sr. Pat.

Sts. Peter and Paul Retreat Center – Newark

New mid-week retreat programs at Sts. Peter and Paul Retreat Center in Newark, Ohio. Come and spend two days with God alone. Newly renovated private single and double rooms; freshly prepared meals; 500 acres of woods with walking paths. Call 740-928-4246 or visit web site: www.stspeterandpaulretreatcenter.org.

May 16, 2010

† **Ascension of the Lord** †

❖ **Hymns are not announced** ❖

The first reading begins on page 134

9:00 & 11:00 a.m. – Kelly Doman, organist

Gathering Hymn *Sing We Triumphant Hymns of Praise*
(#580)

Gloria *Mass of Redemption* (Missalette, p.9)

Responsorial Psalm *God Mounts His Throne*
(#403)

Gospel Acclamation *Alleluia*
Mass of Redemption

Offertory Hymn *Be Joyful, Mary, Heavenly Queen*
(#557)

Eucharistic Acclamations *Mass of Redemption*
(Missalette p.28, 33, & 38)

Communion Hymn *Gift of Finest Wheat*
(#629)

Closing Hymn: *Hail the Day that Sees Christ Rise*
(#578)