

PLEASE TAKE THIS BULLETIN HOME!

Sunday, April 29 ♦ Fourth Sunday in Easter

9:00 a.m. Parishioners of Holy Cross

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Acts 4:8-12; 1 Jn 3:1-2; Jn 10:11-18

Monday, April 30 ♦ No Mass

Tuesday, May 1 ♦ Easter Weekday

11:30 a.m. Parishioners of Holy Cross

Acts 11:19-26; Jn 10:22-30

Wednesday, May 2 ♦ St. Athanasius

11:30 a.m. Anna May White (Mary Anne White)

Acts 12:24-13:5; Jn 12:44-50

Thursday, May 3 ♦ Sts. Philip and James

11:30 p.m. Parishioners of Holy Cross

1 Cor 15:1-8; Jn 14:6-14

Friday, May 4 ♦ Easter Weekday

11:30 a.m. Parishioners of Holy Cross

12:00 p.m. Novena to Our Sorrowful Mother

7:30 p.m. All-Night Eucharistic Vigil

(Intention of Presider)

Acts 13:26-33; Jn 14:1-6

Saturday, May 5 ♦ Easter Weekday

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

11:30 a.m. Parishioners of Holy Cross

Acts 13:44-22; Jn 14:7-14

Sunday, May 6 ♦ Fifth Sunday in Easter

9:00 a.m. Parishioners of Holy Cross

11:00 a.m. Parishioners of Holy Cross

Acts 9:26-31; 1 Jn 3:18-24; Jn 15:1-8

+ Please remember in your prayers our homebound parishioners, and those who are ill: Mary Cordesco, Marianne Garrison, Joseph Huntzinger, Jestina Jones, Lauren Jones, Susan Luck, Ellen McMillen, Mary McNellis, Cathy Miller, Mary Montell, Charles Mooney, Bob Scholl, Marilyn Scott, Graham Sowers, Helen Violet, Elizabeth Wanamaker.

Support to St. Lawrence Haven – May 27th

Attention all our “Lil Larry” sandwich makers. The next opportunity to support St. Lawrence Haven is Sunday, May 27th, following the 9:00 a.m. Mass at the Cum Christo Center.

THANKS!

APRIL 22, 2012 OFFERINGS

Designated Collections

(Funds forwarded directly to the Diocese)

Central/Eastern Europe
= \$729.30

Mass Attendance

9:00 a.m. = 87

11:00 a.m. = 109

Offertory \$2498.25
Votives 48.00
Repair Fund..... 135.00
Less 5% Diocese tax ... (134.06)

Net to Parish: ..\$2,547.19

New Parishioners

Correction: Mary Ann Weixel



Kudos!

Prayerful best wishes to Cy Falter and Kelli Lozier, who will be married in our Parish Church Saturday, May 5.

Central/Eastern Europe Collection Results

The proceeds from last week’s collection go directly to support seminaries, social service programs, youth ministry, pastoral centers and the spreading of the Gospel message through the mass media in Central and Eastern Europe. \$714.15 was contributed.



**ATTENTION: ALL MARRIED COUPLES
CELEBRATING THEIR JUBILEE OF
MARRIAGE ANNIVERSARIES:**

A celebration will be held on Sunday, June 24, 2012, at 2:30 p.m. at St. Matthew Parish, 807 Havens Corners Road, Gahanna, Ohio, 43230, in honor of married couples celebrating their 25th, 30th, 35th, 40th, 45th, 50th, 55th, 60th wedding anniversaries and every year thereafter. The occasion includes Mass celebrated by Bishop Frederick F. Campbell and a reception. Contact the Marriage and Family Life Office (614-241-2560) to register. Reservations for Jubilarians and guests are necessary and must be received by Friday, June 15, 2012.

Safe Environment Program

The Diocese of Columbus wants to hear from anyone who wishes to report an allegation of abuse or needs pastoral and/or clinical care in order to begin or continue the progress of healing from sexual abuse as a child at the hands of a member of the clergy or a Church employee or volunteer. Simply call the diocesan Victim’s Assistance Coordinator. You can contact the Victim’s Assistance Coordinator, the Rev. Msgr. Stephan J. Moloney at 614-224-2251. If you wish to receive a Complaint Form for Allegations of Sexual Abuse of a Minor, or any of the diocesan policies and procedures, simply call the number above or visit Holy Cross web site at www.holycrosscatholic.com and click on the link to the diocese web site then select button – “Protect our Children” on the left.

THE WORD

Peter is a wonderful example of someone growing into the role of a good shepherd. His calling was evident from the beginning, when Jesus summoned him and his brother Andrew while they were casting their nets into the sea: "Come after me, and I will make you fishers of [people]" (Mark 1:17).

We know Peter as the first to confess Jesus as Messiah, but also as someone who did not understand what this would mean both for Jesus and His followers: the cross. We know Peter was not afraid to ask questions along the lines of "What are we going to get out of being disciples?" or even say the wrong thing ("You shall never wash my feet!"). And, perhaps most importantly, we know Peter folded when the chips were down, denying he ever knew Jesus.

This same Peter boldly preaches Jesus as raised by God for the salvation of all who believe. He preaches not only outside the upper room on Pentecost, but in the synagogue soon after, then twice before the Sanhedrin (Jewish leaders in Jerusalem), and finally in the house of the Roman centurion Cornelius.

What explains this transformation from denying follower to charismatic leader? Paul tells us in one of his letters (1 Corinthians 15:5) that the risen Lord appeared to Kephias (the Aramaic name for Peter). And Luke records the descent of the Spirit upon those in the upper room (Acts 2:4). All of this reminds us that God's power at work in us is the key to having and being a good shepherd.

from "Living the Word"

✠ April 29, 2012 ✠

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Opening Hymn	572	The Day of Resurrection
Sprinkling Rite	554	We know That Christ Is Raised
Readings	Missalette p 123	
Gloria	Worship Aid	Mass of St. Benedict
Responsorial Psalm	Missalette p 124	The stone rejected by the builders has become the cornerstone.
Gospel Acclamation	Worship Aid	Mass of St. Benedict
Preparation of Gifts	847	My Shepherd Will Supply My Need
Eucharistic Acclamations	Worship Aid	Mass of St. Benedict
Communion Hymn	629	Gift of Finest Wheat
Closing Hymn	549	Alleluia! The Strife Is O'er

Special Parish Dates

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

- 1) **Sunday, April 29, 2012 – First Communion during the 11:00 a.m. Mass.**
- 2) **Sunday, May 6, 2012 – May Crowning at 9:00 a.m. Mass. This will be the last day for Atria I, II and III.**

Organ Update

Don Manley, member of Parish Council overseeing the installation of our "new" organ, reports that the installation is progressing. A structural engineer identified that a new floor beam had to be installed to support the weight of our organ. That activity was completed this week and Don is still hoping the turn over our new organ to Kelly Doman, Choir Director, by Sunday, May 13, 2012.

Repair Fund Collection – May 6th

A second collection will be taken next Sunday for the repairs on the church and Rectory. Recently, the hot water tank had to be replaced that serves the church's Sacristy and School of Religion. We thank you in advance for your continuous support of this program.

All Catholic Singles

The Columbus Ohio Catholic Alumni Club is hosting a dance on Saturday, May 12 – 7:30 p.m.-11:30 p.m. at the Bow Ties Lounge in the old Ramada Inn, 4900 Sinclair Road just North of Morse Road at the I-71 southbound exit. Come early for the dance lessons 6:30-7:30 p.m. Admission is \$8.00. Cash Bar. For additional information, call Don Heyl at (614) 204-2554 or web site www.singleactivitiestoday.com.

2012 Catholic Family Night

Join the Columbus Clippers on Tuesday, May 15, 2012, at Huntington Park for Catholic Family Night. Our \$15.00 Family Pass offer provides reserved seating on the third base side for two adults and up to four youth age 18 or younger! Pre-game parade of Catholic Youth at 5:50 p.m. All orders must be received by May 8, 2012, for return mailing of tickets. For questions, call Brittany at (614) 462-5250, ext. 1202, or bmckittrick@clippersbaseball.com.

Notre Dame Americorps Volunteer Service Opportunity

Shepherd's Corner, an ecology center sponsored by the Dominican Sisters of Peace, has an opening for an Americorps volunteer beginning September 1, 2012, ending August 1, 2013. This position involves participation in education programs, animal care, gardening and special events. Americorps provides a living stipend and an education grant for its volunteers. Contact Sister Rose Ann Van Buren, OP, at shepherds corner@sbcglobal.net for more information.