

PLEASE TAKE THIS BULLETIN HOME!

Sunday, September 29 ♦

Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. Margaret & Elsie Haninger
(Glenn Haninger)

11:00 a.m. Parishioners of Holy Cross

Am 6:1, 4-7; 1 Tm 6:11-16; Lk 16:19-31

Monday, September 30 ♦ NO MASS

Tuesday, October 1 ♦ St. Therese of the Child Jesus

11:30 a.m. Sr. Mary Ann Creely (Family)

Zec 8:20-23; Lk 9:51-56

Wednesday, October 2 ♦ The Holy Guardian Angels

11:30 a.m. Bill Bierberg (Annrose Reichert)

Neh 2:1-8; Mt 18:1-5, 10

Thursday, October 3 ♦ Weekday

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

Neh 8:1-4, 5-6, 7-12; Lk 10:1-12

Friday, October 4 ♦ St. Francis of Assisi

11:30 a.m. Darlene M. Manley
(Dick & Debbie Peltier)

12:00 noon Novena to Our Sorrowful Mother

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

Bar 1:15-22; Lk 10:13-16

Saturday, October 5 ♦ St. Matthew

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

11:30 a.m. Darlene M. Manley(Orlando Fulgenzio)

Bar 4:5-12, 27-29; Lk 10:17-24

Sunday, October 6 ♦

Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. Parishioners of Holy Cross

11:00 a.m. Terry James (Kim & Mitch Manley)

Hb 1:2-3, 2:2-4; 2 Tim 1:6-8, 13-14; Lk 17:5-10

+ Please remember in your prayers our home-bound parishioners, and those who are ill: Jodi Elgin, Sandra Hilbert, Elizabeth and Robert Hackett, Jestina Jones, Susan Luck, Ellen McMillen, Mary McNellis, Cathy Miller, Marilyn Scott, Jeanne Sharp, Patty Stover, Helen Violet, Elizabeth Wanamaker.

Support to St. Lawrence Haven – October 20

Attention all our “Lil Larry” sandwich makers. Today is our opportunity to support St. Lawrence Haven following the 9:00 a.m. Mass in the Cum Christo Center.

**PLEASE REMEMBER TO
SILENCE YOUR CELL PHONES
DURING MASS.**

Last Chance!!

All adult parishioners will have the opportunity to identify existing Holy Cross members or themselves as possible candidates to parish pastoral council. Please use the **election form** located in the back of the church. Thank you for your participation.



**PARISH PICTORIAL
DIRECTORY UPDATE**

Thanks to everyone who signed up last Sunday. We have 53 photo appointments set, and look forward to accommodating the rest of our parishioners for openings on Friday, October 11, and Saturday, October 12. Here is the internet address to sign up online (<http://www.appt.lifetouch.com>) that will take you to a page where you will select the state, city and organization. Once you do that you will be able to select the date/time for your photo session. If you have any questions about this, please email Jack Kustron at jack@photoj.com or call Jack at 443-5271.

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Repair Fund Collection – October 6th

A second collection will be taken next Sunday for the repairs on the church and rectory. We thank you in advance for your continuous support of this program.

MY HOUSE COLUMBUS

Bishop Campbell has designated October 26th and 27th as My House Columbus Awareness Weekend.

The goal of My House Columbus is three-fold:

1. Protection of families from pornography using filtering software and accountability software
2. Healing for those who have been harmed by pornography’s destructive effects through support groups, accountability groups, and counseling
3. Deepen understanding of the beauty of our sexuality through Theology of the Body programs.

Each parish will have an informational table with My House resources. If you can help at all, please contact Doug Smith at smith@bluestreakstrategies.net or 614-371-2595.

THANKS

SEPTEMBER 22, 2013 OFFERINGS

Designated Collections (Funds forwarded directly to the Diocese)	Offertory	\$2,047.00
	Repair Fund.....	\$ 100.00
	Less 5% Diocese Tax...(\$	107.35)
Mass Attendance 11:00 a.m. = 67	Net to Parish:.....	\$2,039.65

THE WORD

Being complacent means to be pleased with yourself. The prophet Amos paints a vivid picture of a pampered people, lying on couches, snacking and sipping to soothing music, massaged into a state of lethargy. Then he lowers the boom: "Party's over. Get ready for exile."

Jesus also paints a portrait of ongoing indolence. Rich Man lies on his couch, dressed in luxuriant purple and soft linen, eating rich foods and drinking choice wines "each day." The problem is that he has become so anesthetized that he can't move, not even to go out to the gate where poor Lazarus lies, smelly, starving, and sickly. Then, suddenly, death pulls down the curtain.

Next scene: a reversal. The gate has become a gap, an abyss. Rich Man is on one side, Lazarus on the other. What is the point? If you enjoy this life, you will pay for it in the next? More that gates have an expiration date and we need to go through the gates life gives us now. The Latin word for gate is porta. The word opportunity comes from it. Every opportunity is a gate for entering into a world where we can make a difference. Who is on the other side can vary: a sick person, a sore person, a helpless person, a poor person.

And someone has come back from the dead to tell us this is our calling--Jesus, Resurrection Man. There is always some gate nearby. Open it and look at what's in front of you.

- Who is "outside the gate" in your life?
- When have you heard the voice of the Risen One call you to care for the poor?

from "Living the Word"



Special Parish Dates

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

- 1) Sunday, October 6, 2013 – Organ Concert by Kelly Doman at 3:00 p.m.
- 2) Friday, November 1, 2013 – Feast of All Saints-Holy Day of Obligation – Mass 11:30 a.m.

FINANCE REPORT

Included in this week's bulletin is the annual report of the parish's financial budget for fiscal year 2013-2014. If you have any questions, please contact Mike Agriesti in the office at 224-3416. We want to thank all the members of the Finance Committee: Terry Creedon, Jason Despetorich, Monica Miller, Ryan Stock, Ralph Urban and David Ward.



FAMILY ROSARY DAY OCTOBER 13

The Diocese of Columbus' annual Family Rosary Day is Sunday, October 13, 3:00 p.m., at Christ the King Church, 2777 E. Livingston Avenue, Columbus. Bishop Frederick F. Campbell is the celebrant, and Fr. Becket Soule, O.P. of the Pontifical College Josephinum is the homilist. All are welcome

Anointing of the Sick

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick is the Church's sacrament for those who are aging, or are suffering from any form of illness. It is a sacred moment when we pray for God's grace to strengthen someone who is suffering in any way. Also, anyone facing a serious illness or operation is encouraged to request this Sacrament. The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be celebrated here at Holy Cross on October 13, 2013, during the 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Masses.

"That Man Is You!"

This new program is a video-based series of 13 weekly sessions, that challenges men to explore their abilities and attitudes as well as their relationships with each other, their families and their faith. There is no cost to participate and no time-consuming study is required.

That Man Is You will be hosted at these parishes St. Timothy (Columbus), St. Patrick (Columbus), St. Brendan (Hilliard), St. Joan of Arc (Powell), Church of the Resurrection (New Albany), Blessed Sacrament(Newark), Our Lady of Peace (Clintonville) and St. Mary (Marion) for address details and to formally REGISTER at www.ThatManIsYou.org.

September 29, 2013		
26th Sunday in Ordinary Time		
Entrance Hymn	690	God, Our God of Distant Ages
Gloria	Worship Aid	Community Mass
Readings	Missalette p 71	
Psalm	Missalette p 72	
Gospel Acclamation	Missalette p 72	
Preparation of Gifts	845	Jerusalem, My Happy Home
Eucharistic Acclamations	Worship Aid	Community Mass
Communion Hymn	657	I Received the Living God
Closing Hymn	705	You Are the Way