

**PLEASE TAKE THIS BULLETIN HOME!**

**Sunday, May 18 ♦ Fifth Sunday Of Easter**

9:00 a.m. Robert Byrd (Klausman Family)

11:00 a.m. Holy Cross Parishioners

Acts 6:1-7; 1 Pt 2:4-9; Jn 14:1-12

**Monday, May 19 ♦ No Mass**

**Tuesday, May 20 ♦ Easter Weekday**

11:30 a.m. Robert Byrd (Ted & Penznie Klott)

Acts 14:19-28; Jn 14:27-31

**Wednesday May 21 ♦ Easter Weekday**

11:30 a.m. Alex J. & Aileen M. Toth (Alan Toth)

Acts 15:1-6; Jn 15:1-8

**Thursday, May 22 ♦ Easter Weekday**

11:30 a.m. Holy Cross Parishioners

Acts 15:7-21; Jn 15:9-11

**Friday, May 23 ♦ Easter Weekday**

11:30 a.m. Patrick Walsh (Walsh/Burkey Family)

Acts 15:22-31; Jn 15:12-17

**Saturday, May 24 ♦ Easter Weekday**

11:30 a.m. Darlene M. Manley  
(Domenic, Michael & Joseph Manley)

Acts 16:1-10; Jn 15:18-21

**Sunday, May 25 ♦ Fifth Sunday Of Easter**

9:00 a.m. Holy Cross Parishioners

11:00 a.m. Living/Deceased of the Cullinan Family  
(Jeanne C. Brown)

Acts 8:5-8, 14-17; 1 Pt 3:15-18; Jn 14:15-21

**+ Please remember in your prayers** our homebound parishioners, and those who are ill: Joe Dury, Jodi Elgin, Sandra Hilbert, Robert Hackett, Walter Jakeway, Susan Luck, Ellen McMillen, Mary McNellis, Cathy Miller, Marilyn Scott, Patty Stover, Elizabeth Wanamaker.

**St. Lawrence Haven – May 25th**

Attention all our “Lil Larry” sandwich makers. Next Sunday, May 25, 2014, is our next opportunity to support St. Lawrence Haven following the 9:00 a.m. Mass in the Cum Christo Center.

**Seniors Socialize – May 22**

On Thursday, May 22nd, the Senior Group will gather at 11:30 a.m. for their monthly luncheon at the Florentine Restaurant. If you plan to attend, please call Betty Morbitzer at 614- 875-4304. We look forward to seeing you then.

**Repair Fund Collection Results**

Thank you for the generosity and support of the Repair Fund collection held last week. \$601.00 was contributed.

**2014 Bishop’s Annual Appeal Update**



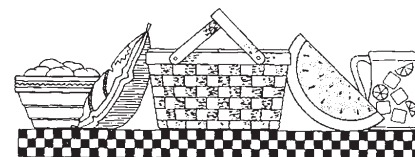
The Bishop’s Annual Appeal is off to a good start with 79% of our goal of \$16,564.92 being pledged so far. In order to reach our goal, we rely on each and every family in our parish. Once we reach our goal, every dollar pledged and paid over the goal comes back directly to the parish. The BAA Committee – Jack Balogh, Terry Creedon, and Kathy Sako – thank you in advance.

**Mission Appeal – May 25th**

This year, the Diocesan Office of the Propagation of the Faith has assigned the Missionaries of the Sacred Heart, MSC, to do a Mission Appeal in our parish. Mission Appeal reminds us that the Catholic Church is universal. The MSC have served in many mission lands since their foundation more than 150 years ago. Please remember them in your prayers, asking God to give them wisdom and courage in spreading His word and in witnessing to His loving concern for all people all over the world. For more information on the MSC, you can check out their web site – [www.misacor-usa.org](http://www.misacor-usa.org).

**Catholic Communication Campaign – Today!**

This Sunday is the Collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign. Collection proceeds support a wide variety of media projects that spread the Gospel message and connect communities and individuals to their faith and the Church. Please contribute generously to the Collection, and visit [www.usccb.org/nationalcollections](http://www.usccb.org/nationalcollections) for more info. Remember, half of the collected funds stay right here to support diocesan media projects.



**Sunday School Picnic – Today**

The Holy Cross Sunday School Picnic will be held in the Old Deaf School park Sunday, May 18, 12:00-2:00 p.m. Families who have participated in the Sunday School this year, as well as those who are interested in participating next school year, are encouraged to attend. Please bring your own beverages. Paper products will be provided. Come and join the Fun!!

**THANKS**

**MAY 11, 2014 OFFERINGS**

**Designated Collections**

(Funds forwarded directly to the Diocese)

**Mass Attendance**

9:00 a.m. = 86

11:00 a.m. = 137

Offertory .....\$2,212.52

Repair Fund.....\$ 601.00

Less 5%

Diocese Tax .(\$ 140.68)

**Net to Parish: ....\$2,672.84**

## THE WORD

Architecture is perhaps unique among art forms in the fact that it is art that we inhabit. Over time, we can let slip from our minds the beauty of spaces that we occupy on a regular basis, but their beauty and artistry still affect us on a subconscious level, shaping our way of being and feeling. Perhaps this is why buildings are such important metaphors in Scripture. Like a great work of architecture, the Christian faith is something that we are called not simply to admire from the outside, but to occupy, to inhabit, and to let shape us on levels both conscious and unconscious.

We see one such metaphor in First Peter, where the Christian community is compared to a building – a “spiritual house” – of which Christ forms the cornerstone, upon which the whole edifice rests. We are called to make the life and worship of the Church our home, the structure that shapes us spiritually.

We see the same image of a house in the Gospel reading. Among some more literally-minded Christians, the reference of Jesus to the “many dwelling places” in His Father’s “house” has prompted speculation as to the nature of structures in which the redeemed will dwell for eternity. This is perhaps encouraged by the well-known King James translation of “dwelling places” as “mansion,” which conjures images of luxurious rewards being prepared for the followers of Jesus, as well as speculation as to the dimensions and construction materials. St. Thomas Aquinas cut through such idle speculation by pointing out that when Jesus refers to His Father’s house, it is really a metaphor for God: it is into this house that we will all be gathered (see *Commentary on John* 14.1). Our destiny is not to live in any created dwelling place, but to share in the life of the eternal God. It is by dwelling in the “spiritual house” of the Christian community on earth – through worship and mutual love – that we come to dwell with God in eternity.

from “Living the Word”

<b>May 18, 2014</b>		
<b>Fifth Sunday Of Easter</b>		
**** Spoken Mass Responses begin on page 1 ****		
Readings, collects & Antiphones	<b>page 269</b>	Living Liturgy Sunday Missal
Entrance Hymn	<b>961</b>	Church of God, Elect and Glorious
Gloria	<b>1139</b>	Mass of St. Benedict
Psalm	<b>page 270</b>	Lord, let Your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in You.
Gospel Acclamation	<b>1140</b>	Mass of St. Benedict
Preparation of Gifts	<b>992</b>	Make Us True Servants
Eucharistic Acclamations	<b>1142-1147</b>	Mass of St. Benedict
Communion Hymn	<b>967</b>	The Servant Song
Closing Hymn	<b>1033</b>	Immaculate Mary

## Special Parish Dates

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

- 1) **Sunday, May 25, 2014, Mission Appeal at both Masses.**
- 2) **Sunday, June 15, 2014, Mass of Thanksgiving, 10:00 a.m. Mass only.**

### NAMI WALK

You are invited to join Ann Seren on Saturday, June 14 for the NAMI Walk (National Alliance on Mental Illness) at Fred Beekman Park on OSU West campus. There is no fee and we would very much appreciate you walking/sponsoring us. Walk brochures are in the vestibule or contact Ann at 237-1379 or [annseren57@gmail.com](mailto:annseren57@gmail.com).



### RICE BOWL

If you haven't returned your rice bowl to the parish yet, please plan to bring it next Sunday. Thanks!

**St. Charles Preparatory School will host several athletic camps this summer.** They include: soccer, lacrosse, football, baseball and basketball. Contact Coach Jeff Pharion ('86) at [jeffpharion@gmail.com](mailto:jeffpharion@gmail.com) for dates and cost.

### Great News!

The Catholic Foundation has given two grants to Holy Cross Church:

- 1) \$18,600.00 toward a new boiler in the Cum Christo Center.
- 2) \$3,660.00 toward advertising campaign to evangelize the Capital South families moving into the area utilizing the “614” magazine.

### 2014-15 Events from the O.Y.Y.A.M.

(Office of Youth & Young Adult Ministries)

#### Youth Events:

2015 Bosco Bash  
Saturday, January 31, 2015  
St. Cecilia, Columbus

2015 Diocesan Youth Rally  
March 14-15, 2015  
St. Paul the Apostle, Westerville

2015 Walking Stations of the Cross  
Friday, April 3, 2015  
St. Joseph Cathedral, Columbus