

PLEASE TAKE THIS BULLETIN HOME!

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Sunday, October 1 ♦

Twenty-sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. Vincent & Mary Margaret Carey
 11:00 a.m. Living/Deceased of the Holy Cross Family
 – Ez 18:25-28; Phil 2:1-11 or 2:1-5; Mt 21:28-32

Monday, October 2 ♦ No Mass

Tuesday, October 3 ♦ Weekday

6:15 p.m. George Joseph Paesano (Diva Volpi)
 – Zec 8:20-23; Lk 9:51-56

Wednesday, October 4 ♦ St. Francis of Assisi

11:30 a.m. Bill Bierberg (Annrose Reichert)
 – Neh 2:1-8; Lk 9:57-62

Thursday, October 5 ♦ Weekday

11:30 a.m. Msgr. Lawrence J. Corcoran
 (Robert C. Carter)
 – Neh 8:1-4, 5-6, 7-12; Lk 10:1-12

Friday, October 6 ♦ Weekday

11:30 a.m. Living/Deceased of Cullinan Family
 (Jeanne C. Brown)
 12:00 p.m. Sorrowful Mother Devotion
 7:30 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration (Intention of Presider)
 Benediction & Devotional Prayers
 – Bar 1:15-22; Lk 10:13-16

Saturday, October 7 ♦ Our Lady of the Rosary

11:30 a.m. Thomas Doc MacKinnon
 – Bar 4:5-12, 27-29; Lk 10:17-24

Sunday, October 8 ♦

Twenty-seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. Dick Morbitzer (Betty Morbitzer)
 11:00 a.m. Living/Deceased of the Holy Cross Family
 – Is 5:1-7; Phil 4:6-9; Mt 21:33-43

+ Please remember in your prayers our home-bound parishioners, and those who are ill: Michael Baker, Betty Cockran, Richard Deneski, Ann Froesch, Bernadette Froesch, Herbert Froesch, Sr. Sally Groom, Robert Hackett, Ted Igel, Louise Knapp, Julie Litsinberger, Susan Luck, Ellen McMillen, Mary McNellis, Helen Meers, Andy Piaskowy, Marilyn Scott.

St. Lawrence Haven – October 15th

Attention, all our “Lil Larry” sandwich makers. Sunday, October 15, 2017, is our next opportunity to support St. Lawrence Haven following the 9:00 a.m. Mass at the Holy Cross School.



Sympathy and Prayers

Vicki Meyer, long-time parishioner and volunteer at St. Lawrence Haven, died last week. Please keep her and her family members in your prayers.



YOUR HELP IS NEEDED!

WHEN: *October 18, 2017, from 7:00-8:00 p.m.*
WHERE: *The Rectory Office*
WHY: Fr. Dwayne would like your input and feedback on the choice of postcards we are going to mail out inviting local apartment and condo dwellers to attend Holy Cross Church. Your voice counts, so let it be heard!

~ Invitation to all Women of Holy Cross ~

The women’s group will be meeting in October on Wednesday October 11, at 6:00 p.m. again at Pam Beech’s place: Park Towers – 1620 E. Broad Street #302 Columbus 43203. Parking is on Broad or Woodland. Please contact Jan Kustron to RSVP at jan@photoj.com or 614-443-5271.



Repair Fund Collection – Today!

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

SPECIAL COLLECTION – TO ASSIST THOSE DEVASTED BY HURRICANE IRMA – OCTOBER 8TH

With the devastation from Hurricane Irma in mind, the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops has requested, and Bishop Campbell has approved, a special collection from the Diocese of Columbus for those affected by Hurricane IRMA. These funds will be used to support the efforts of Catholic Charities USA and other Catholic agencies as they reach out to provide humanitarian aid in Florida and other affected parts of the Atlantic Coast region.

THANKS!

SEPTEMBER 24, 2017

Designated Collections

(Funds forwarded directly to the Diocese)

Mass Attendance

9:00 a.m. = 93
 11:00 a.m. = 86

Offertory.....	\$3,168.00
Mail-In	\$ 126.00
Repair Collection	\$ 0.00
Mail-in Repair.....	\$ 12.00
Less 6% Diocese Tax ..	(\$ 198.36)
Net To Parish	\$3,107.64

THE WORD

Once upon a time, I taught a student who constantly got into trouble. Teachers even placed bets about how long it would take until he landed in jail. About a decade after he graduated from eighth grade, his sister invited me to play the organ for her wedding. After the wedding, a finely dressed young man approached the organ and asked, “Mr. C, do you remember me?” I replied that I could not forget him and asked what he was doing with his life. He answered, “I’m a police officer.” I must have looked stunned, because he asked, “Surprised?” “Yes,” I said. “You know we placed bets about when you would land in jail.” He laughed then told me, “I was about to be arrested a third time when the officer said, ‘You have such great skill for getting into trouble, how about learning how to use it to help people stay out of trouble?’” “The rest is history. The son in today’s Gospel who said, “No, no” learned how to say, “Yes, yes.” Joe – I’ve changed the name to respect him – learned how to turn from wickedness to doing what is right and how to help others do so. Instead of stubbornly refusing to admit his wrongdoing, Joe emptied himself and learned obedience and freedom through what he suffered. Because of that openness he let God guide him to a just and good life thanks to an insightful arresting officer.

The tables were turned that day. My former student became my teacher. I learned to have faith in those I’d written off, as God has faith in us. God’s ways are not our ways, but they certainly can become our ways.

- *When have you said no to God’s ways but then relented and did what was right?*
- *How has God’s mercy changed how you viewed yourself or someone else?*

“Living the Word”

WELCOME!!

If you are not yet registered in our parish, please drop this form in the collection basket:

I would love to have you as a member

– Fr. Dwayne

() Yes, I would like to register in Holy Cross Parish:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone no. _____

E-mail: _____

Special Parish Dates

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

- 1) **Wednesday, October 11, at 6:00 p.m. Women’s Meeting at Pam Beech’s place: Park Towers – 1620 E. Broad Street #302 Columbus 43203.**
- 2) **Wednesday, October 18, at 7:00-8:00 p.m. Rectory. Input meeting on choice of postcards to be mailed out.**

Pontifical College Josephinum

Pontifical College Josephinum invites you to join us for the upcoming lecture in the 2017-2018 Lecture Series, “Building Spiritual Bridges To The Community” on Wednesday, October 25, 2017, 7:00 p.m. at the Jessing Center. Dr. Denis McNamara, Associate Director and Associate Professor at the Liturgical Institute of the University of Saint Mary of the Lake will be presenting “Signs and Symbols of Heavenly Realities: The Liturgical Movement, Vatican II and Sacred Images”. For more information, please visit www.pcj.edu.

Ohio Dominican – MBA Information Session

Are you considering pursuing your MBA? Ohio Dominican University invites you to attend an information session for its Master of Business Administration program **at 6:00 p.m. on Wednesday, October 4, in the Bishop James A. Griffin Student Center**, located on ODU’s campus at 1215 Sunbury Road, Columbus, 43219. At ODU, students can earn their MBA completely online or on campus during the evening in as few as 16 months. Register today at ohiodominican.edu/MBAinfo.



St. John Chrysostom – Bake Sale

St. John Chrysostom, 5858 Cleveland Avenue, Columbus; is holding their First Friday Sale on Friday, October 6, from 4:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. We will have cabbage rolls, \$10.00 for a package of 6 rolls, hot and ready to eat! Piroghi with various fillings sold frozen for \$6.00 per pkg. of one dozen and nut rolls for \$12.00 each. We will also have halushki and other goodies. Please come and see us on Friday, October 6th!