



Mass Intentions for the Week of May 8th

Tuesday: St. Damien de Veuster, Priest 6:15 P.M.
James Fegan by Holy Name Society
Wednesday: Easter Weekday 8:15 A.M.
Rosemarie Wrhen by John & Karen Vescio
Thursday:
Sts. Nereus, St. Achilleus, St. Pancras, Martyrs 8:15 A.M.
Esther Ghiloni by Art & Family
Friday: Our Lady of Fatima 10:00 A.M.
Grandparents Day
Jennifer Pintz (Anniversary)
by Jim, Cathy, Natalie, Kevin, Katie & Ralph
Saturday: St. Matthias, Apostle 5:00 P.M.
Mike Healy (Birthday)
Pentecost Sunday 8:00 A.M.
For the People of the Parish
10:30 A.M.
Anne Renee Carroll (40th Birthday) by Carroll Family



**Liturgical Ministers Schedule
Week of May 8th**

Daily Mass Schedule

6:15 p.m. Tuesday, May 10th –
Yvonne King (L), Assigned Servers
8:15 a.m. Wednesday, May 11th –
Kathy Wilson (L), Emma Genuske, Reagan Sheehan,
Zachary Hampton, (Servers)
8:15 a.m. Thursday, May 12th –
Mike Back (L), Braydon Vanvelzor,
Michael Snider (Servers)
10:00 a.m. Friday, May 13th –
Assigned (L), Violet Caton, Wyatt Conley,
Duncan Humphries, Caden Wells (Servers)
Sunday Vigil Mass, Saturday, May 14th 5:00 P.M.
Jonah Cunningham Sarah Snider J.J. Snider
Michael Snider Rudy Snider
Sunday, May 15th 8:00 A.M.
Jacob Koch Emily Tennyson Caden Wells
Sam Anderson Braydon Vanvelzor
10:30 A.M.
Nick Jewett Ed Jewett Paul Jewett
Mark Jewett Tyler Clark

Sunday Lector & Eucharistic Ministers

Schedule

Sunday Vigil Mass, Saturday, May 14th 5:00 P.M.
Jodi Snider, Ken Billig (L), Deacon Patrick,
Theresa Nutter, Debbie Bickle, Joyce Williams,
Caroline Starr (EM)
Sunday, May 15th 8:00 A.M.
Kathy Wilson, Diane Layton (L), Deacon Patrick,
Nancy Ogilbee, Patrick Wesley, Barb Harris,
Rita Shonebarger (EM)
10:30 A.M.
Scott Van Horn, Erin Lane (L), Deacon Patrick,
Jay Goletz, Mike Clark, Michelle Cleland,
Maria Bigler (EM)

Remember in your prayers all parishioners who are ill or injured, especially for *Michelle Darkes, Tom Snider, Teresa Tucker, Barb Dolan, Eileen Gray, Debbie Ridenour, Patty Poth, Mingo O'Rourke, Clayton Mitchell, Florence Medley, Pat Molnar, Shawn Miller, Karen Addy, Lou Ann Fleming, Erin Selfe, Fr. Leopold Reyes* and for those who are homebound or in healthcare facilities.

Our love, prayers, and sympathy for the family and friends of Harl Sharrer and Philly Dolen. May they rest in the arms of Our Risen Savior.



**Next week's Scripture
May 14th**

Pentecost Sunday: At the Vigil Mass

1st Reading: Genesis 11:1-9
"Lord send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth."
Responsorial Psalm: 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30
2nd Reading: Romans 8:22-27
Gospel: John 7:37-39

May 15th

Pentecost Sunday

1st Reading: Acts of the Apostles 2:1-11
"Lord send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth."
Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 104: 1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34
2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13
Gospel: John 20:19-23
*This week, we pray Liturgy of the Hours
Seasonal Proper III*

Our Stewardship Collection
May 1st

Budgeted per Week	\$ 11,280.05
Offertory (163 envelopes)	\$ 7,617.75
Average Auto Withdrawal (111 households)	\$ 2,710.96
Loose Cash	\$ 260.00
Total	\$ 10,588.71
Weekly Deficit	(\$ 691.34)
Year to Date Offertory Budget	\$507,602.25
Year to Date Actual Offerings	\$500,868.95
Year to Date Deficit	(\$ 6,733.30)
YTD Centennial Building Fund Collection	\$ 38,075.93
Centennial Building Loan Balance	\$1,864,537.70
TD Church Restoration Funds Collected	\$586,952.79

Jesus ascended into heaven, blessing His disciples and promising that they would soon receive the power of the Holy Spirit. We who have received that promised gift of the Spirit are now empowered to be His witnesses to the ends of the earth – to use our time and talents to spread the good news of salvation.

Our Parish & School Events

Join **Blessed Sacrament School Drama Club** as they proudly present **Alice in Wonderland Jr.** at Ohio State University-Newark Reese Center (1209 University Drive). Performances are: Saturday, May 14th at 7:00 p.m. and Sunday, May 15th at 2:00 p.m. Presale tickets are \$5.00/each or \$10.00 at the door. Purchase your tickets after all Masses *this weekend* as well as the school office. Bring friends and family! We hope to see you there!

Thank You

A huge "thank you" to everyone who supported our Home and School Annual Plant and Flower Sale! \$5,005.75 was raised toward our flashing school safety crosswalk project, as well as other worthwhile projects directly benefiting the students of Blessed Sacrament School!

Bishop's 2016 Annual Appeal

Emmanuel – Be His Hope to Others – God With Us

We are happy to report that the good people of this parish are answering the call in support of the Bishop's Annual Appeal. This is most encouraging, but we have a long way to go to realize 100% participation from our parishioners. If you have not yet had the opportunity to make a pledge, please fill out a pledge envelope and drop it in the collection baskets or return it to the parish office. The needs of our diocese and individual parishes are great and only by the support of the faithful can the various ministries and programs remain available to so many in our diocese. This year, our parish goal is \$58,027.32 and any amount generated over that goal will be returned to our parish. No gift is too small.

Crosswalk Volunteers Needed!

Our parish is in need of Crosswalk Volunteers for the remainder of our weekend Masses in our temporary church (Annex) 411 E. Main Street. Are you available to donate your time for one Mass? We need at least 3 people, 30 minutes before each Mass, and remain 30 minutes afterwards, to assist those who are crossing East Main Street. Safety vests and flags are available in the foyer of the annex. If you are interested in more information or if you would like to be on a list to volunteer for a certain Mass; contact Howard Hill at uticareddskins@yahoo.com.

This Week



**Ascension of the Lord
Happy Mother's Day!**

Sunday, May 8

- 7:30 a.m. Rosary
- 8:00 a.m. Mass
- 9:00 a.m. **No** RCIA today
- 9:15 a.m. **No** CCD Classes
- 10:30 a.m. Mass

Monday, May 9

- 12:00 p.m. Adoration till 8:00 p.m. – *Church*

Tuesday, May 10

- 12:00 p.m. Adoration till 6:00 p.m. – *Church*
- 5:30 p.m. Reconciliation till 6:00 p.m.
- 6:15 p.m. Mass
- 7:00 p.m. Choir Practice
- 7:00 p.m. SVdP Meeting – Library

Wednesday, May 11

- 8:15 a.m. Mass
- 9:00 a.m. Adoration till 12:00 a.m. – *Church*
- 7:00 p.m. Parish Liturgy & Spiritual Life – Marian Room

Thursday, May 12

- 8:15 a.m. Mass
- 6:00 p.m. Alpha Team – Library
- 6:30 p.m. ALPHA Celebration Dinner**

Friday, May 13

- BSS Grandparents Day**
- 10:00 a.m. Mass w/Grandparents
- 11:00 a.m. Grandparents Day Lunch

Saturday, May 14

- 4:00 p.m. Reconciliation
 - 5:00 p.m. Mass
 - 7:00 p.m. BSS Drama Opening Night at OSU-Newark Reese Center**
- St. Vincent de Paul Collection
Pentecost**

Sunday, May 15

- 7:30 a.m. Rosary
- 8:00 a.m. Mass
- 9:00 a.m. RCIA – Library
- 9:15 a.m. CCD Classes
- 10:30 a.m. Mass w/CCD in attendance
- 2:00 p.m. BSS Drama Show at OSU-Newark Reese Center**

Blessed Sacrament Festival Raffle Tickets

Raffle tickets have been mailed and the first "Early Bird" drawing is fast approaching! Return ticket stubs and money (checks payable to Blessed Sacrament) by **Monday, May 16th** to be in the first drawing and you could win \$250.00! This year tickets are \$5.00/each or a book of 6, purchased by the same buyer, is \$25.00. Early Bird drawings will also be held on June 20th and July 18th. Winning tickets from the Early Bird drawing will be put back in the bin for a chance to be drawn again. Drop your envelope with ticket stubs and money in the collection basket at the weekend Masses or by stopping by the parish/school offices. *Mark your calendars* and plan on attending our **Annual Festival on Saturday, August 20th, from 5:00-11:00 p.m.**

Parish Prayerline

The entire parish is requested to pray:

The Vatican Intentions for the month of May

- **Universal: Respect for Women.** That in every country of the world, women may be honored and respected and that their essential contribution to society may be highly esteemed.
- **Evangelization: Holy Rosary.** That families, communities and groups may pray the Holy Rosary for evangelization and peace.
- **Father Wilson's Intention.** That all deceased members of the parish would experience eternal rest and peace.



Spiritual Adoption

Month 8 – "I like to listen to my Mommy's voice!"

In the last two months, the baby continues to gain weight. She is developing a layer of fat that will keep her warm after she is born. In the 9th month, she will shift to a head-down position, preparing for birth. Her lungs are now fully developed and capable of making the transition to breathing air. After birth, she will continue the human growth process for many years to come.

Lord Jesus Christ, You took our human nature upon Yourself. You shared our life and death, our childhood and adulthood.

You also shared our time in the womb. While still God, while worshiped and adored by the angels, while Almighty and filling every part of the universe, You dwelt for nine months in the womb of Mary. You were our Redeemer in the womb, our God who was a preborn child.

Lord Jesus, we ask You to bless and protect the children who today are in their mothers' womb. Save them from the danger of abortion. Give their mothers the grace to sacrifice themselves, in body and soul, for their children. Help all people to recognize in the preborn child a brother, a sister, saved by You, our Redeemer in the womb.

Plan on joining us for our **Spiritual Adoption Baby Shower** on Sunday, May 22nd after the 10:30 Mass in Shepherd Hall. Bring your unwrapped baby gift to the baby shower or gifts can be placed in the bassinet located in the church foyer during the month of May. Gifts will be donated to Heartbeats of Licking County. For more information or to volunteer, contact melissraestack@yahoo.com.

Local Events of Interest

2016 Diocesan Senior Citizens Celebration

The 39th Annual Diocesan Senior Citizens Celebration is Monday, June 6th, at St. Edward the Confessor Catholic Church, (785 Newark Granville Road, Granville). Bishop Frederick F. Campbell will celebrate Mass at 10:30 a.m. Mass will be followed by a luncheon. This annual event is a great opportunity of prayer, food, and fellowship with senior citizens from around the 23-county Catholic Diocese of Columbus. Registration is \$10.00. Make checks payable to the Office for Social Concerns, Catholic Diocese of Columbus, 197 E. Gay Street, Columbus, 43215. For information, call (614) 241-2540 or email socmailbox@columbuscatholic.org. Registrations are requested by June 1.

The Knox/Licking Vocations Club will meet on Tuesday, May 10th at St. Leonard Church, 57 Dorsey Mill Road, Heath, at Noon. Lunch will be served (\$5.00/person). Fr. Patrick Toner, retired priest and former associate at St. Francis, will be our speaker. Come and bring a friend. For more information, contact Dee Jones at 740-522-4875 or drjones1@columbus.rr.com.

Newark Catholic Athletic Summer Camps

Girls & Boys Golf Camp for grades 4-8 is at The Links at Echo Springs Golf Course on Tuesday, June 7th-Thursday, June 9th from 4:00 p.m.-7:30 p.m. For information, contact Coach Tracy Johnson at 740-755-2891.

Boys Basketball Camp is Monday, June 20th-Thursday, June 23rd from 8:30-11:30 a.m. for any boy entering grade 3-9. For information, email Coach Eric Sheck (esheck@laca.org).

Girls Basketball Camp is Tuesday, June 21st-Thursday, June 23rd from 5:00-7:30 p.m. for 5th-8th grades. For more information, contact Coach Rob Smith.

Volleyball Camp is Monday, July 11th-Thursday, July 14th: Grades 1-5 are from 9:00 a.m.-Noon; grades 6-7 are from 1:00-4:00 p.m., and grades 8-12 are from 6:00-9:00 p.m. For more information, contact 740-404-5446 or jerh@cgate.net.

Football Camp is Monday, July 25th-Thursday, July 28th from 5:00-7:00 p.m. for grades 3-5 and 6-8. For information, contact Coach Bill Franks at 740-403-1729.

On Wednesday, May 11th at 7:00 p.m., St. Francis de Sales Church (40 Granville Street) will present "Come Holy Ghost: A Festival of Hymns for Pentecost." This event will feature Pentecost hymns from plainchant to the present day, some familiar and some perhaps "new to you," sung by all present. Background, commentary, and reflections on each hymn will be provided by Dr. Christopher Urbiel, Director of Music. Pentecost organ music will be played by Mr. Craig Jaynes, Director of Music at St. Colman of Cloyne Church, Washington Court House, who will also creatively accompany each hymn on the church's Austin organ. A freewill offering will be taken up to benefit the music program of St. Francis de Sales, and a festive reception will follow in Johnson Hall. Join us for this evening invoking the presence of the Holy Spirit.

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Free 6-week Summer Camp for Those with Autism
A free 6-week summer camp for children with autism begins June 6th. Children should have age appropriate reading skills. They will work one-on-one with mentors in small groups on non-competitive physical activities (including stations), music, dancing, yoga, crafts, games, cooking, interviewing, drama, etc., at St. Edward Catholic Church, 785 Newark Granville Road, Granville. The camp was created to improve social and communication skills, to allow for sensory issues and a child's need for routine, to develop executive skills, and to reduce anxiety with new situations and new activities and new people. The program is sponsored by the Language Experience Center, a non-profit organization. **Prospective students and mentors (who will be trained and paid) should contact Barbara Lechner, Ph.D., CCC, at 740-587-7214 or talkdoc43023@msn.com.**

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Women's Morning of Reflection: "The Gift Of Peace"
Join us for an uplifting morning of praise and inspiration on becoming a kinder and more caring Christian woman on Saturday, May 21st, from 9:00 a.m.-Noon. Cost is \$20.00, includes continental breakfast. Facilitated by Sr. Louis Mary Passeri. Sts. Peter and Paul Retreat Center (2734 Seminary Road, Newark). Visit www.stspeterandpaulretreatcenter.com, email info@stspeterandpaulretreatcenter.org or call (740) 928-4246 to register today!

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Ora Et Labora – Pray & Work Days at Sisters of Children of Mary (8353 Pleasant Chapel Road, Newark). The Sisters need you! There is much work to be done on our 106 acres of land! Join us for **Mass at 9:00 a.m. on Saturday, May 14th**. Lunch is provided. The day ends with a special Healing Holy Hour at 3:00 p.m. All are welcome! Visit www.childrenofmary.net for more information.

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Around the Diocese

Bethesda Post Abortion Healing Ministry



"Lord, you are kind and forgiving, most loving to all who call on you" (Psalm. 86:5). Bethesda Healing Ministry invites and welcomes all men and women burdened with the pain of abortion. You are welcome to join Bethesda Healing Ministry on the 2nd and 4th Monday of each month to share in the healing experience. Confidential ministry lines are 614-309-0157 or 614-309-2651.

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Our Lady of Consolation Shrine (315 Clay Street, Carey, OH), will offer a **Healing Mass** on Friday, May 13th and Friday, June 3rd at 7:00 p.m. We welcome all to come and pray together. Following Mass, visitors are invited to participate in special prayers for healing.

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Catholic Conversations Welcomes Fr. Josh Wagner: Join us on Sunday, May 15th, 6:00-8:00 p.m. at Sports on Tap in Hilliard (4030 Main Street), for an evening of laughter, inspiration, and healing as **Fr. Wagner presents "I Thank You and I Love You."** Fr. Wagner will share how these simple words will improve your relationship with God and each other. Hosted by St. Margaret of Cortona Parish, this event is free to attend, you just pay for any food or drink you order. To register, visit EventBrite and search for Catholic Conversations. Seating is limited so be sure to register today! For questions, contact Julie Naporano at julienaporano1@gmail.com.

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Marriage is a Sacrament

What exactly does that mean? You'll learn a new way to find the Lord in your home at a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend. The next two weekends are August 5-7 and November 11-13, both in central Ohio. For more information or to register, contact Paul & Marilou Clouse at 614-834-6880 or visit www.wwmecolumbus.org.

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Attention, all married couples celebrating their 25th, 30th, 35th, 40th, 45th, 50th, 55th, 60th Anniversary and every year thereafter: The Annual Jubilee of Anniversaries Mass will be held on Sunday, June 26th at St. Andrew Parish, 1899 McCoy Road, Upper Arlington, at 2:30 p.m. Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Frederick F. Campbell, followed by an informal reception in your honor. Registration forms are available from the parish office. You may also register online at <http://familylife.colstdioc.org> or by calling 614-241-2560. Reservations for you and your guests are necessary and must be received by Friday, June 10th.

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