

**Mass Intentions
for the Week of May 7th**

Tuesday: Easter Weekday 6:15 P.M.
Jose Villa by Wife

Wednesday: St. Damien de Veuster, Priest 8:15 A.M.
Rose Marie Wrhen by John & Karen Vescio

Thursday: Easter Weekday 8:15 A.M.
Mary Kreim by Alice Slavokovsky

**Friday: Sts. Nereus & Achilleus, Martyrs;
St. Pancras, Martyr** 8:30 A.M.
Alberta Rauch by Family

Saturday: Our Lady of Fatima 5:00 P.M.
Jennifer Pintz (Anniversary) by Jim, Cathy,
Natalie, Kevin, & Katie Pintz

Fifth Sunday of Easter 8:00 A.M.
Jean Luzio by Veronica Edwards

10:30 A.M.
For the People of the Parish



Remember in your prayers all parishioners who are ill or injured, especially for *Paul Yanka, Del Norton, Donald Bexstead, Mark Spinazzola, David Boldon, John Deering, Nancy Young, Mary Stevens, Michelle Darkes, Eileen Gray, Debbie Ridenour, Mingo O'Rourke, Karen Addy*, and for those who are homebound or in healthcare facilities.

Our love, prayers, and sympathy for the family and friends of Joseph Annarino, Jr. May he rest in the arms our Our Risen Savior.



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

Fifth Sunday of Easter

1st Reading: Acts of the Apostles 6:1-7
"Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in you."

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 33:1-2, 4- 5, 18-19

2nd Reading: 1 Peter 2:4-9
John 14:1-12

*This week, we pray Liturgy of the Hours
Seasonal Proper III.*

**Liturgical Ministers Schedule
Week of May 7th**

Daily Mass Schedule

6:15 p.m., Tuesday, May 9th – Yvonne King (L),
Assigned (Servers)

8:15 a.m., Wednesday, May 10th – Kathy Wilson (L),
Mary Snider, Reagan Sheehan, Harlei Antritt (Servers)

8:15 a.m., Thursday, May 11th – Judy Healy (L),
Joseph Stanley, Kate Erhard (Servers)

8:30 a.m., Friday, May 12th – Assigned (L),
Violet Caton, Mark Jewett, Caden Canning,
Bailee Fleming (Servers)

Sunday Vigil Mass, May 13th 5:00 P.M.
Sarah Snider Mary Snider Elisa Halsey

Fifth Sunday of Easter, May 14th 8:00 A.M.
Sam Anderson Braydon Vanvelzor Colin Crumrine

10:30 A.M.
Lacey Holman Violet Caton Drew Caton
Caden Canning



Our Stewardship Collection

April 30, 2017

Budgeted per Week	\$	11,618.46
Offertory (144 envelopes)	\$	7,229.25
Average Auto Withdrawal (117 households)	\$	3,205.16
Loose Cash	\$	639.25
Total	\$	11,073.66
Deficit	(\$	544.80)
Year to Date Offertory Budget	\$	511,212.24
Year to Date Actual Offerings	\$	519,536.67
YTD Centennial Building Fund Collection	\$	39,871.17
Centennial Building Loan Balance	\$	1,774,710.16
TD Church Restoration Funds Collected	\$	819,444.40
Central European Collection	\$	343.00

**Sunday Lector &
Eucharistic Ministers Schedule**

Sunday Vigil Mass, May 13th 5:00 P.M.
Jodi Snider, Netti Nau (L), Bev Donaldson,
Theresa Nutter, Debbie Bickle,
Caroline Starr, Mollie Phillips (EM)

Fifth Sunday of Easter, May 14th 8:00 A.M.
Patricia Laughman, Kathy Wilson (L), Deacon Patrick,
Barb Harris, Glenna Bowman,
Tricia Robinson, Marge Burger (EM)

10:30 A.M.
Yvonne King, Matthew Walsh (L), Deacon Patrick,
Sharon Van Horn, Michael Burger,
Phil & Sue West (EM)

Jesus says, "I came that they may have life, and have it to the full." Good stewards are grateful for the gift of life and joyfully share their abundance with others.

Let us pray for those in the military on active duty and overseas:

- Douglas Chacey – Air Force
- Lucas Chacey – Air Force
- Joshua P. Brown – Air Force, Italy
- Chase Meldau – Marines
- Rudy Snider – Air Force Academy

If you wish to submit names for this list, please call the parish office at 740 345-4290.



Annual Festival Raffle Tickets

Our annual Festival raffle tickets have been mailed! Over the past several years, raffle tickets have been a major part of our fund-raising efforts. Thanks to everyone who purchases or sells Festival raffle tickets. Place ticket stubs and money in the small return envelope and drop it in the weekend collection basket or at the parish/school office by **May 16th**, so you can be in the *first Early Bird Drawing!* The winner will receive \$150.00 and the seller of the winning ticket will receive \$50.00. Tickets drawn will be re-entered for a chance in other Early Bird drawings on June 20th, July 18th and the final drawing on Saturday, August 26th. If you would like to purchase/sell tickets, or for more information, call the parish office at 740 345-4290.

Bishop’s Annual Appeal

“Living the Gospel in Faith, Hope, and Charity”

This weekend begins the 2017 Bishop’s Annual Appeal. As this year’s appeal theme reminds us, we are “Living the Gospel in Faith, Hope, and Charity” as members of His Church on earth. We have been asked, as a parish, to realize a goal of \$59,487.32, which will contribute to the diocesan goal of \$6.5 million. Your gifts help to support the many programs and ministries directed by our diocese such as Catholic education and support of our children, adult ministry programs, marriage preparation programs, the education and support of our future priests and deacons, and so many more programs that often benefit the good people of our own parish. Please prayerfully consider a gift to the Appeal, knowing that no gift is too small. Any amount that is given over our goal will be refunded to our parish to be used for our particular needs.

Into the Breach – Men’s Group

A “**call to battle**” to all men! Come join us the **Third Saturday** each month in **Shepherd Hall**, from **6:30-8:00 a.m.**, as we explore the Most Reverend Thomas J. Olmsted’s Apostolic Exhortation to Catholic Men, “**Into the Breach.**” **Boot camp begins Saturday, May 20th.** All men of the parish are encouraged to attend and to bring; a friend, neighbor, son, dad, brother, nephew, uncle and grandfather. Monthly sessions are designed to be, as Bishop Olmsted says, “*a calling forth to mission for every willing man.*” A hot breakfast will be provided. For more information, contact Mike Tennyson at 740-973-5377.

Our Parish & School Events

Parish Prayerline

The entire parish is requested to pray:

The Vatican Intentions for the month of May.

- **Universal: Christians in Africa**, in imitation of the Merciful Jesus, may give prophetic witness to reconciliation, justice, and peace.
- **Father Wilson’s Intention:** That those suffering from any form of addiction, including addictions to drugs, alcohol, and pornography, would experience healing and freedom.

Server Training

Server training begins on Sunday, June 4th at 9:15-10:15 a.m. (between the Masses). Training will continue on Sunday, June 11th and Sunday, June 25th, starting at 9:15 a.m. If you are entering the fifth grade in 2017-2018 school year or if you are in any grade up through high school, you are welcome to attend these training sessions. For more information, call Deacon Patrick at 740-405-5308.

Renewal Meeting Leadership May 24th

All leaders of any ministry, group or organization are asked to attend a **Renewal Leadership** meeting on **Wednesday, May 24th at 7:00 p.m. in our school library.** We will ask each leader to complete a short survey as one of the agenda items. If the leader is unable to attend, please send someone in your place. For more information, call the parish office at 740-345-4290.



This weekend, Blessed Sacrament School Drama Club presents “Dear Edwina, Jr.” Edwina Spoonapple is a 13-year-old problem solver who dishes out good advice with the help of her friends – and *a little song and dance!* Come join us **Saturday, May 6th at 7:00 p.m. and Sunday, May 7th at 2:00 p.m.** at the OSU – Newark Reese Center. Tickets are \$10.00 at the door. Children 5 and under are free!

You are invited to our **Annual Spiritual Adoption Baby Shower today, Sunday, May 7th**, in Shepherd Hall immediately following the 10:30 a.m. Mass. This event will be held in conjunction with Donut Sunday and benefits Heartbeats of Licking County.

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Parish Office will be closed on Fridays starting June 2nd. The parish office will continue to be open, Monday-Thursday, from 9:00 a.m. until 4:30 p.m.



This Week

Centennial Building Collection

Sunday, May 7 – HNS Donut Sunday

- 7:30 a.m. Rosary
- 8:00 a.m. Mass w/HNS
Joshua Hupp – 1st Communion
- 9:00 a.m. CCD Classes
- 9:00 a.m. RCIA – Library
- 10:30 a.m. Mass – *May Crowning* at the conclusion of Mass
- 11:30 a.m. **Spiritual Adoption Baby Shower** – Shepherd Hall
- 2:00 p.m. **BSS Drama “Dear Edwina, Jr.”**
OSU-N Reece Center

Monday, May 8

- 12:00 p.m. Adoration till 8:00 p.m.
- 7:00 p.m. Walking W/Purpose – Cafe

Tuesday, May 9

- 5:00 p.m. Adoration until 6pm
- 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 10

- 8:15 a.m. Mass
- 9:00 a.m. Adoration until 12:00 midnight
- 7:00 p.m. Parish Liturgy and Spiritual Life Meeting – Marian Room

Thursday, May 11

- 8:15 a.m. Mass

Friday, May 12

- 8:30 a.m. Mass

Saturday, May 13

- 6:30 a.m. Men’s Faith Sharing – Conference Room
- 4:00 p.m. Reconciliation
- 5:00 p.m. Mass

Sunday, May 14 – Mother’s Day!

- 7:30 a.m. Rosary
- 8:00 a.m. Mass
- 10:30 a.m. Mass

New Eucharistic Adoration Schedule

Starting this Tuesday, May 9th, and every Tuesday thereafter, Eucharistic Adoration will be observed from 5:00-6:00 p.m.

Adorers are needed for Mondays (12:00 noon-8:00 p.m.) and Wednesdays (9:00 a.m.-12:00 midnight).

Prayerfully consider scheduling an hour with our Lord. What works with your schedule? Our Lord is waiting for you to spend personal time with Him. Also, if there has been a change in your schedule and you are not able to sit with the Lord during your Holy Hour or if you would like to change your schedule, call Caroline Starr at 740-366-3591 or email hcstarr@roadrunner.com.



Spiritual Adoption

“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.

Please Pray: *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.

“Blessed Be... The God of All Comfort, who comforts us in our affliction, so that we may be able to comfort those who are in any affliction, with the comfort with which we ourselves are comforted by God.” Corinthians 1:4. We ask you to continue to uplift the O’Rourke family and make your own needs known. The smallest of gestures is an elixir to soothe the heartache of peripheral t-cell lymphoma. You may place donations in a box in the church vestibule: Premier Protein vanilla energy drink from Costco; Clorox wipes; Tide detergent; paper towels. Donations of Kroger, Costco, or gas cards we ask that you place in an envelope marked O’Rourke family and drop in the collection basket or at the school office. You may also drop off donations to Ruth Myers at 95 Fairfield Avenue. *God is good. Share this love!*

Knox/Licking Vocations Club is hosting their monthly lunch and meeting on Tuesday, May 9th at St. Leonard Church (57 Dorsey Mill Road, Heath). Come join us at 12:00 noon for lunch, followed by our speaker, Fr. John Reade. The cost of the lunch is \$5.00/person. Money collected supports and encourages seminarians, priests and religious. For more information, call 740-366-6924. We Hope to see you on the 9th.

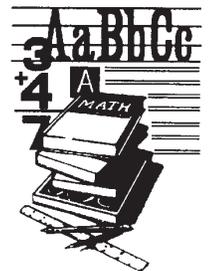


Can you help the Sisters? They are spread out pretty thin in three locations (Newark, Columbus, Cincinnati) and are in *much* need of help at their large facility in Newark. The sisters are asking for a few women who will help with house cleaning one day a week and men with chain saws and/or carpentry skills. Anyone who can help would be appreciated, and in return, the promise of many prayers for you and your loved ones! Sisters of Children of Mary: 740-323-1977, childrenofmarysisters@gmail.com or www.childrenofmary.net.



**Preschool-Pre-K
Teacher Position Available**

St. Francis de Sales Preschool is creating two additional classes for this upcoming school year. An additional part-time Pre-K teacher is needed. Qualifications are: Pre-K-3 degree (Bachelors in Early Childhood Education), practicing Catholic, current license or willing to renew your current license, experience in literacy readiness is preferred but not required. For inquiries, email Michelle Burd at mburd@cdeducation.org. Send your résumé with cover letter to: Director of Preschool, c/o Michelle Burd, 40 Granville Street, Newark, 43055.



Newark Catholic Athletic Association and the **NC Boys Golf Team** are hosting a **Golf Outing** on Monday, June 12th at Moundbuilders Country Club. Check-in and lunch begins at 12:00 noon, shotgun start is 1:00 p.m. The cost is \$100.00/person and includes: lunch, filet dinner, golf, cart and beverages. Gift bags and fun! Contact Golf Coach Thom McManus at 740-973-1307 to enroll your foursome.



Mary Garden Showers is coming to Blessed Sacrament! Mary Garden Showers seeks to empower and encourage women in crisis pregnancies by providing love and support of a personalized baby shower. Our very sweet but quiet May mother and her newborn daughter and little girl need your love and mercy. Join us in celebrating this new life God has given her on **Saturday, May 20th** at Blessed Sacrament Shepherd Hall, from 2:30-4:30 p.m. All are welcome! For more information about Mary Garden Showers or if you would like to get involved, contact Michele Hansen at MGS@stpatrickcolumbus.org or Angie Robbins at go11gators@yahoo.com. Go to Amazon Baby Registry and click to see May Momma MaryGardenShowers’ registry.



Mary Garden Showers

Local Events of Interest



St. Vincent de Paul Housing Facilities Spring Fling
We honor those who serve. Our new Executive Director, John Paul Munhall, cheerfully invites you to join in recognizing the extraordinary contributions of Deb Dings and Jim Matesich, heroes to St. Vincent Haven and our community on Thursday, June 1st. Doors open at 6:00 p.m. with Reception, Cash Bar, and Silent Auction then at 7:00 p.m. is Dinner and program, Live Auction. Join us at the Elks Club, 73 N. 3rd Street, Newark. Tickets are \$50.00/each or sponsor a table for \$400.00. Other sponsorships are available. RSVP by May 19th by calling John Paul Munhall at 614-549-9782.



INTO THE BREACH

a Catholic Men's Monthly Spiritual Boot Camp



"And I sought for a man among them who should build up the wall and stand in the breach before me for the land..."

Ezekiel 22:30

A **call to battle** to all men of the Church of the Blessed Sacrament.
Come join us the ***Third Saturday*** each month in ***Shepherd Hall***
from ***6:30 am to 8:00 am*** as we explore the
Most Reverend Thomas J Olmsted's
Apostolic Exhortation to Catholic Men, *Into the Breach*.
Boot camp begins Saturday, May 20th

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Be confident!* † *Be bold!* † *Forward, into the breach!

For more information contact *Mike Tennyson* at (740) 973-5377 or ohfamilyman@gmail.com

Into the Breach is a Band of Brothers men's ministry at the:

Church of the Blessed Sacrament
394 East Main Street
Newark, OH 43055
Fr. Jonathan Wilson, Pastor



Mass at St. Mary Mattingly Settlement

In addition to the 4:30 p.m. Saturday Mass at St. Mary Church, Mattingly Settlement, and 9:00 a.m. Mass on Sunday Mornings at St. Ann Church, Dresden, there will be an additional 7:00 a.m. Sunday Morning Mass at St. Mary Church, Mattingly Settlement. It is designed for the campers at Dillon, farm families, the many family reunions in our parish, plus the early sunrise!



Volunteer Help Needed

Damascus Catholic Mission Campus (7550 Ramey Road, Centerburg) is having a Maintenance Work Day on Saturday, May 27th, from 9:00-5:00 p.m., and volunteers are needed! Lunch and dinner will be provided. Work includes: grounds maintenance, painting and chainsaw work. Call Mike Stickle at 740-258-3138 for more information or if you would like to car-pool to the campus.



Celebrate Two Great Moms this Mother's Day!

Honor our Blessed Mother and your own earthy mother or your favorite mother figure by attending a special Marian event at St. Peter & Paul Retreat Center, (2374 Seminary Road SE). Join us Saturday, May 13th – the 100th anniversary of the apparitions of Fatima! Catholic author/speaker/radio host Elizabeth Ficocelli will present “Spiritual Warfare in the Age of Mary,” a dynamic presentation that recounts key visits of Our Lady. This event is from 9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon, which includes a continental breakfast and book signing. Registration is \$20.00 and can be made by contacting info@stspeterandpaulretreatcenter.org or by calling 740-928-4246.



Classes for 2-Year-olds with Communication and/or Socialization Challenges

Starting June 6th, our yearly 6 weeks summer program will resume at St. Edward Church for 2-year-olds with communication and/or socialization challenges. Classes are tentatively scheduled from 9:30-11:30 a.m. or from 12:00-2:00 p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Children work in groups of 6, with two teachers and evidence-based “play” procedures are used to improve their communication and socialization skills.

Teacher Needed

A teacher is needed for a preschool of 2-year-olds with challenges in communication and socialization. Classes are 2 days a week, from 9:30 a.m.-2:00 p.m., until May 25 and for 6 weeks starting on June 6th. Preference given to applicants with an undergraduate degree in any area of child development.



Free Summer Program for Those with Autism

(6 weeks starting June 5th)

Participants should have 2nd grade (approximately) reading skills and will work one-on-one with mentors in small groups on Monday-Friday, from 9:00 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Children will work on noncompetitive physical activities including: “obstacle” courses, music, dancing, yoga, crafts, games, cooking, interviewing, drama, visiting restaurants and other places of interest in Granville. Children are asked to bring a meal to eat with the other children. This program 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, new activities and new people.

These programs are sponsored by the Language Experience Center, a nonprofit organization. Children of all races, colors, and national/ethnic origins are welcome. Classes are held at St. Edward Catholic Church, 785 Newark-Granville Road, Granville. Contact Barbara Lechner, Ph.D., at 740-587-7214 or talkdoc43023@msn.com to enroll or for more information

Around the Diocese

Diocesan Senior Citizens Day Celebration



The Diocesan Senior Citizens Day Celebration will be at St. Joan of Arc Church, Powell. Bishop Campbell will celebrate Mass at 10:30 a.m., and a luncheon will follow. This annual event is a great opportunity for seniors to meet with other seniors from around the Diocese. Registration for the celebration is \$10.00. To register, send a check payable to the Office for Social Concerns, Catholic Diocese of Columbus, 197 E. Gay Street, Columbus, 43215. For more information, call 614-241-2540 or email socmailbox@columbuscatholic.org. Registrations are requested by June 1.

