

Mass Intentions for the Week of April 22nd

Tuesday: Easter Weekday; St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen, Priest, Martyr 6:15 P.M.
Solanus Kolbe Ewing by Van Horn Family
Wednesday: Saint Mark, Evangelist 9:00 A.M.
Ramiro Ospina by Family
Thursday: Easter Weekday 9:00 A.M.
Fr. Jim Cszaszar by Rowland LeMaster
Friday: Easter Weekday 9:00 A.M.
Matthew & Mallory Westerheide by Mom & Dad
Sunday Vigil 5:00 P.M.
Theresa Voldness by Sister, Joan Gotherman
Fifth Sunday of Easter 8:00 A.M.
Mary Stevens by Mary Lou Calasso
10:45 A.M.
For the People of the Parish
First Holy Communion Mass 12:30 P.M.
Frances Louis Litton by William & Nancy Vogel
5:00 P.M.
Deceased Members of the Lombardo Annarino Families by Family

Sunday Lector and Eucharistic Ministers Schedule

Vigil Mass, April 28th 5:00 P.M.
Amy Erhard, Jodi Snider (L), Bev Donaldson, Lorrie Lohri, Tina Frischen, Joyce Williams, Pam Rauch (EM)
Sunday, April 29th 8:00 A.M.
Judy Healy, Elizabeth Bowman (L), Deacon Patrick, Peggy Komada, Nancy Ogilbee, Patrick Wesley, Barb Harris (EM)
10:45 A.M.
Monica Stanley, Sarah Ewing (L), Jay Goletz, Maria Bigler, Karen Gross, Mike Clark, Michelle Cleland (EM)
First Communion Mass 12:30 A.M.
Josh Caton, Ken Billig (L), Deacon Patrick, Deacon Busic, John & Susanne Urban
5:00 P.M.
Cliff Bigler, Christina Priest (L), Mike Stickle, Matthew Walsh, Kathy VanWy (EM)

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Week of April 22nd

6:15 p.m., Tuesday, April 24th – Yvonne King (L), Volunteers (Servers)
9:00 a.m., Wednesday, April 25th – Don Montell (L), Mark Jewett, Ilana O’Neill (Servers)
9:00 a.m., Thursday, April 26th – Mike Back (L), Madi Hampton, Brenden Sheehan (Servers)
9:00 a.m., Friday, April 27th – Assigned (L), Devin Gross, Sara Moore, Mya Stokes, Braydon Vanvelzor (Servers)
Sunday Vigil Mass, April 28th 5:00 P.M.
Sarah Snider Mary Snider Kate Erhard
Sunday, April 29th 8:00 A.M.
Amelia O’Neill Ilana O’Neill Colin Crumrine
Braydon Vanvelzor
10:45 A.M.
Imani King Violet Caton Drew Caton
DéAndre King-Thompson
First Holy Communion Mass 12:30 P.M.
Jeffrey Urban Sam Busic Job Busic
Violet Caton Drew Caton
5:00 P.M.
Sam Anderson Mya Stokes Harrison Walsh



Next Week’s Scripture

April 29th

Fourth Sunday of Easter

1st Reading: Acts of the Apostles 9:26-31
“I will praise you Lord, in the assembly of your people.”
Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 22:26-27, 28, 30, 31-32
2nd Reading: 1 John 3:18-24
Gospel: John 15:1-8
This week, we pray Liturgy of the Hours
Seasonal Proper IV.



Our Stewardship Collection

April 15, 2018

Budgeted per Week	\$	12,199.38
Offertory (158 envelopes)	\$	7,007.84
Average Auto Withdrawal (120 households)	\$	3,328.38
Loose Cash	\$	605.00
Total	\$	10,941.22
Deficit	(\$	1,258.16)
Year to Date Offertory Budget	\$	512,373.96
Year to Date Actual Offerings	\$	512,662.48
Central & Eastern Europe Collection	\$	201.00
YTD Centennial Building Fund Collection	\$	43,135.43
Centennial Building Loan Balance	\$	1,631,981.24
YTD Church Restoration Collection	\$	124,939.49
Church Restoration Loan Balance	\$	122,117.02

Remember in your prayers all parishioners who are ill or injured, especially for *Theresa Nutter, Brandy Seigel, Marjeanne McDonnell, Velma Braunbeck, Sara Stephens, Thomas Wheeler, Judith Rada, Charlotte Walker, Linda Elizondo, Wes Baker, Rob Thompson, Rita Carter, Rita Norton, Barbara LeVeque, Eileen Gray, Ed Schmeltzer, Ashley Markam, John Pintz, Tim Robb, Barb Evans, Barb Rue, Ed Moats, Renee McCann, Donald Bexstead, Mark Spinazzola, John Deering, Michelle Darkes, Debbie Ridenour, Mingo O’Rourke, Karen Addy*, and for those who are homebound or in healthcare facilities.

To be good stewards, we must be good shepherds, willing to lay down our lives for those committed to our care, not mere hired hands who run off, “leaving the sheep to be snatched and scattered by the wolf.”

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

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| Douglas Chacey, Air Force | Nathan Hall, Navy |
| Lucas Chacey, Air Force | Chase Meldau, Marines |
| Edward Wilson, Navy | Brandon Medley, Army |
| Joshua P. Brown, Air Force | Bob Yanka, Army |
| Foxx Schneider, Marines | Drake Nance, Army |
| Catherine Wagner, Air Force | Aubrey Biller, Army |
| David L'Esperance, Army | Evan Sturm, Navy |
| Dillon Nethers, Coast Guard | Logan Gray, Army |
| Edward Starr, Air National Guard | |
| Victoria McPherson, Air National Guard | |
| Caroline Thiel, Naval Academy | |
| Rudy Snider, Air Force Academy | |
| Christopher Severino, Air Force | |
| Connor Severino, Air Force Academy | |

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

Our Parish & School Events

Parish Prayerline

The entire parish is requested to pray:

The Vatican Intentions for the month of April

- **Universal: For those who have Responsibility in Economic Matters.** That economists may have the courage to reject any economy of exclusion and know how to open new paths.
- **Father Wilson's Intention:** That all deceased members of the parish would experience eternal rest and peace.

Adoration of The Holy Eucharist

"Be still and know that I am God." – Psalm 46

We are in *serious* need of adorers for the following hours:
Mondays, 1:00-2:00 p.m., 4:00-5:00 p.m. and 6:00-7:00 p.m.;
Wednesday, 5:00-6:00 p.m., 6:00-7:00 p.m., and 7:00-8:00 p.m. *Please* consider finding time in your week to be with the Lord during one of these hours?

The Church strongly encourages devotion toward the Holy Eucharist and teaches that prayers before the Lord, present in Adoration, "extends the union with Christ which the faithful have received in communion." Come join us in this ministry and find that precious treasure – for it is in silence that the Lord speaks to us. *To schedule your hour, or if you have questions, call Caroline Starr at 740-366-3591.*



**Blessed Sacrament School Drama Club
presents *Musicville!***

Go on an adventure with Maiden Melody and Radical Rhythm as they attempt to save their town from the Sorcerer of Silence. Their journey teaches them about new kinds of music, overcoming obstacles, and the importance of working together! Come out and support our talented Blessed Sacrament students at our new venue this year – **Indian Mound Mall Hullabaloo Theatre located next to Big Sandy store on Friday, May 4th, Saturday, May 5th, at 7:00 p.m. and Sunday, May 6th, at 2:00 p.m.** Advanced tickets are \$5.00, and can be purchased at the School and Parish Offices and after all Masses. Tickets are \$10.00 at the door.

This Week

BSS Drama Ticket Sales after all Masses

Sunday, April 22

- 7:30 a.m. Rosary
- 8:00 a.m. Mass
- 9:00 a.m. CCD Classes
- 9:00 a.m. RCIA Classes – Library
- 10:45 a.m. Mass
- 11:45 a.m. Little Flower Baby Shower for Twins – Shepherd Hall**
- 5:00 p.m. Mass

Monday, April 23

- 12:00 p.m. Adoration until 8:00 p.m.
- 7:00 p.m. WWP Women's Bible Study – Cafeteria

Tuesday, April 24

- 5:00 p.m. Adoration until 6:00 p.m.
- 5:30 p.m. Reconciliation until 6:00 p.m.
- 5:30 p.m. Rosary
- 6:15 p.m. Mass
- 7:00 p.m. Choir Practice
- 7:00 p.m. Finance Meeting – Conference Room
- 7:00 p.m. Holy Name Meeting – K of C 721 Hall

Wednesday, April 25

- 9:00 a.m. Mass
- 10:00 a.m. Adoration until Midnight
- 6:00 p.m. Alpha Team – Library
- 6:30 p.m. Alpha – Shepherd Hall**
- 7:00 p.m. Liturgy & Spiritual Life Meeting – Marian Room

Thursday, April 26

- 9:00 a.m. Mass
- 6:30 p.m. First Communion Potluck & Practice – Shepherd Hall**

Friday, April 27

- 9:00 a.m. Mass
- First Communion Retreat – All Day!

Saturday, April 28

- 9:00 a.m. Drama Practice – Annex
- 4:00 p.m. Reconciliation
- 5:00 p.m. Mass

Sunday, April 29

- 7:30 a.m. Rosary
- 8:00 a.m. Mass
- 10:45 a.m. Mass
- 12:30 p.m. First Holy Communion Mass**
- 5:00 p.m. Mass

Parish Mission "The Holy Eucharist"

Our Parish Mission will be Monday, May 14th through Wednesday, May 16th, with Fr. Thomas Blau, O.P., Parochial Vicar of St. Patrick Church, Columbus, who will speak on "The Holy Eucharist." Bring family and friends to our Parish Mission in the church, then join us afterwards in Shepherd Hall for light refreshments. A more detailed flyer will be in an upcoming bulletin.

Little Flower Shower Baby Shower

It's TWINS! Little Flower Shower is hosting a **Baby Shower – Today** – Sunday, April 22nd, in Shepherd Hall, from 12:00-2:00 p.m. All are welcome to come and celebrate these two precious lives and this amazing mom!

Newark Catholic St. Joseph the Worker Day

Friday, May 4th, students from Newark Catholic High School will volunteer their services to those in need. St. Joseph the Worker day has been a long tradition of service to our community. It is our hope that students will have the opportunity to help those in need of light housework and yardwork. If you would like to schedule workers to help, email Julie Waggoner at waggoner_julie@gmail.com, or call 740-344-3594 and leave a message with your name and phone number.



**Blessed Sacrament Catholic Men's Ministry
Men Of The East**

Traveling Holy Hour with Reflection

Men Of The East is a new Catholic Men's Laity Ministry comprised of all Catholic men, 18 years and older, who are registered at one of the twelve parishes in Knox, Licking and Muskingum Counties. Men Of The East exists to support, strengthen and help maximize the spiritual growth of the men of the Catholic Church and is a part of the larger Catholic Men's Laity Ministry in the Diocese of Columbus. For information about Men of The East, visit www.menoftheeast.com, or email MenOfTheEast12@gmail.com.



Spiritual Adoption

Our parish is participating in a Spiritual Adoption until Christmas. Stop by and see our fetal development poster in the church vestibule as it follows the progress of your spiritual baby each month. We will pray each month for the unborn, the mothers and fathers of those children, and we ask you pray for all preborn babies, especially those who may be vulnerable to abortion. We also pray for parents who are considering abortion and for parents choosing to make an adoption plan. We will conclude or spiritual adoption in December by honoring the birth of our Lord and Savior by donating baby gifts to Heartbeats.

"My heart started beating today!" During the first amazing month of life, the baby grows to 10,000 times his size at conception. He is totally dependent upon his mother. Between the mother and child lies the vital organ called the placenta. Here vessels from the mother and baby intertwine without joining, highlighting this newly formed relationship – mutual, nourishing and deeply connected. By the third week, the baby's tiny heart begins to beat. Pray for me!

Prayer: *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.



Pray the Rosary

You are invited to come pray the Rosary at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesdays, before the Blessed Sacrament, for the intention of those in Licking County who struggle with addictions, and for an end to all forms of violence.



Mass Intentions

One of the greatest acts of charity is to pray for the living and the dead, and the greatest and most powerful prayer we have is the Mass, since the fruits of the Mass are the very fruits of Jesus' redemption. Mass stipends (offerings) are \$10.00 each. All intentions will be listed in the bulletin. We have many *daily* Mass times plus *weekend* Mass times available. Call the Parish Office at 740 345-4290 to schedule Mass intentions.



Register for Blessed Sacrament School!

Registration for Blessed Sacrament School is open for the 2018-2019 school year! We offer small classes, friendly students and an excellent staff! Our leader has over 2,000 years of teaching experience...Jesus! We offer EdChoice Expansion scholarships. EdChoice expansion is a full tuition scholarship for those whose income qualifies. For a family of four the income cap is \$50,200.00. Call our School Office today at 740 345-4125 for more information or to arrange a visit.

Local Events of Interest

Newark Catholic Cabaret and Art Show

Join a great cast of very talented students who will be performing songs from the 70's. Also, there will be fine arts displayed by Mrs. Boehmer's art students. Shows are Friday and Saturday, May 4th and 5th. Dinner will begin at 6:30 p.m., and the show starts at 8:00 p.m. Ticket price is \$15.00, and may be purchased in advance at the School Office.



SVdP Housing Facilities Fund Raiser Night

St. Vincent de Paul Housing Facilities is hosting a **Fund Raiser Night at Hot Head Burritos on Wednesday, April 25th, from 3:00-8:00 p.m.** Stop by Hot Heads at 790 S. 30th Sreet, Heath, or 480 E. Broad Street, Pataskala, for a great meal, while supporting a great cause. Pick up a flyer in our church vestibule and present it at either Hot Heads in Heath or Pataskala, and St. Vincent de Paul Housing Facilities receives 50% of your purchase.



Newark Catholic Touch of Class Dinner and Auction

Newark Catholic Touch of Class Auction is Saturday, April 28th, at NC High School, 1 Green Wave Drive, with the theme "A Night at The Races." Preview begins at 5:00 p.m. Tickets are \$75.00/each and are available online at www.newarkcatholic.org. If you or your business is interested in donating items for the Silent or Grand Auction, contact the School Office at 740-344-3495. This annual auction is the largest fund raiser of NCHS and 100% of the proceeds go directly to the NCHS operating budget.



18th Annual Card Party

The Women of St. Francis Church are hosting their annual Card Party on Thursday, April 26th, from 7:00-9:00 p.m., in the Lamy Center, and you are invited! Tickets are \$7.00/each and may be purchased by contacting Deb Shelly at 740-366-6924, or Lori Brown at 740-323-3562. Card games provided are: Euchre, Tripoli and Uno, or bring a game which you and your friends wish to play. Enjoy delicious refreshments and great door prizes! Advance ticket purchases help with food planning. Call today!

NEWARK CATHOLIC YOUTH FOOTBALL

5th and 6th Grade Tackle Football for 2018 Season

Signups and fittings for equipment will be at Jobes Henderson and Associate Gym, located at 59 Grant Street Newark, Ohio, on Saturday, May 5th, from 10:00 a.m. to noon. Any questions, please call or email Kevin Blaine at 740-877-8823 or kblainesurvey@yahoo.com.



**St. Vincent de Paul Housing Facilities
Spring Fling**

We honor those who serve. Every year, we take time to honor two community members who have gone above and beyond the "call of duty" to serve our communities neediest. This year, we honor Skip Salome and a "surprise" honoree at our Spring Fling for the Haven. Doors open at 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, May 10th, 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 \$65.00/each or sponsor a table for \$500.00. Other sponsorships are available. Registration forms and sponsorship forms are available in our vestibule. RSVP by calling John Paul Munhall at 614-549-9782.

Did Someone Say Free Tuition!

Win up to \$5,000.00 off of the 2018-2019 school year tuition at one of the three Licking County Catholic schools, Blessed Sacrament, Newark Catholic, or St. Francis. Second prize is a \$1,000.00 tuition credit voucher and third prize is a \$500.00 tuition credit voucher. Tickets are \$100.00/each and **only 300 tickets will be sold!** *First-come, first-served!* To purchase a ticket, contact the NC Front Office at 740-344-3594 for a ticket form, or contact Dave Stalling at 614-519-1853 or email ncaa@newarkcatholic.org for information and tickets. This raffle is sponsored by Newark Catholic Athletic Association. The drawing will be held June 7th.

Around the Diocese

Put a Spring into Your Step!

That's what you'll have after a **Worldwide Marriage Encounter** weekend! The next two weekends are July 13-15 and September 14-16, in Central Ohio. Marriage Encounter is where married couples get away from jobs, kids, chores, and phones and focus only on each other. For more information or to apply, contact Paul and Marilou Clouse at 614-834-6880, or visit www.wmecolumbus.org.



Bethesda Healing Ministry

We know that after an abortion, mothers and fathers often feel isolated and alone. At Bethesda, we recognize that abortion wounds the body, soul and spirit. The pain and sorrow of the abortion experience need not endure a lifetime. You are not alone. Call Bethesda Healing Ministry for support and assistance from those who know and have been there. We meet on the 2nd and 4th Monday of each month. Confidential lines are 614-309-2651 or 614-309-0157, or visit www.bethesdahealing.org.

Annual Dinner: April 26th, at St. Agatha Catholic Church, 1860 Northam Road, Upper Arlington. Mass and Dinner, 5:30-8:30 p.m. "Rich in Mercy," speaker: Bishop Wall, Gallup, N.M. Tickets are \$30.00/each and can be purchased at bethesdahealing.org, or by calling Diana Davis at 614-718-0277.

Diocesan Jail and Prison Ministry Conference

Living as Missionary Disciples, Saturday, April 28th, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., at St. Elizabeth Church, 6077 Sharon Woods Boulevard, Columbus. This is for both experienced prison ministers and those interested. Our keynote speaker is Ron Zeilinger, Executive Director of Dismas Ministry, a national Catholic Prison Outreach. Conference topics include: *Restorative Justice, Models of Ministry, Reentry Ministry, and Advocacy*. This is a free conference. Register by April 24th at www.columbuscatholic.org/prison-ministry-criminal-justice, or call 614-241-2540.

150th Anniversary Celebration Mass

Join Bishop Campbell and the clergy of the Diocese of Columbus in celebrating **150th Anniversary Celebration Mass**, an important milestone in our Diocese's history **Today, Sunday, April 22nd, at 5:15 p.m., at St. Joseph Cathedral**, Columbus. All members of the Diocese are invited to attend. Parking is limited. For more information about 150th Anniversary activities, visit columbuscatholic.org/150th-commemoration.

The Shepherd's Tour

Celebrate 150 years of the Diocese of Columbus with a Pilgrimage. Join Fr. Joshua Wagner and tour a variety of sites to venerate those Bishops who are interred within our Diocese. Tour sites include St. Joseph Cathedral; Mt. Calvary Cemetery; St. Joseph Cemetery; St. Francis de Sales, Newark; Blessed Sacrament, Newark; St. Edward the Confessor, Granville; and the Pontifical College Josephinum with Mass at St. Turibius Chapel (tour stops subject to change). *Tour space is limited!* For dates, starting points within the diocese and registration information, visit catholicchurchtour.com.
