

**SEPTEMBER 25, 2016  
TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME**

*“Make it a practice to judge persons  
and things in the most favorable light at  
all times and under all circumstances.”*  
(St. Vincent de Paul)

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 26**

12:00 Noon AA (H)  
7:00 p.m. St. Vincent de Paul FOP Meeting (H)  
7:00 p.m. 4th Degree Meeting (K/C)

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27**

9:30 a.m. Staff Meeting (C)  
12:00 Noon AA (H)

**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 28**

7:00 p.m. RCIA (H)

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29**

12:00 Noon AA (H)

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 30**

12:00 Noon AA (H)

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1**

4:00 p.m. Confessions (CH)  
**5:00 p.m. Sunday Vigil Mass**  
The People of St. Joseph Parish

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 2 (Pg. 137)**

7:30 a.m. Rosary (CH)  
**8:00 a.m. Sunday Mass**  
Bill Hamann by Mark & Lori Hamann  
9:30 a.m. PSR (C)  
9:30 a.m. Adult Study Class (C)  
**11:15 a.m. Sunday Mass**  
Bertilda Arrocha & Filipe Vega  
by Hersilia Phillips  
6:00 p.m. Confirmation Parent Meeting (H)

**OUR PRAYERS FOR OTHERS:** Hold in your prayers **Solomon Gambill; Tara Wood; Alissa Amidon-Carbonaro; Bill Geddis; Sue Bialy;** and all those who are on our prayer chain. If you have permission and wish to put a friend or loved one on the email prayer chain, or are interested in praying as part of our prayer chain, please contact Jackie Rose at [diggersdaughter@yahoo.com](mailto:diggersdaughter@yahoo.com) or (614) 595-7633. If you would also like to have a name listed in our church bulletin for prayers, please notify us at [office@saintjosephcircleville.com](mailto:office@saintjosephcircleville.com) or call 477-2549, ext. 300.

**GRATITUDE FOR THE GIFT OF LIFE:** Thank you to everybody who gave of their time and energy to donate at our Blood Drive last week. The Red Cross's goal for the drive was to collect 20 units of blood; thanks to your generosity, they collected 24!

**E-GIVING IS HERE.** You may now enroll in e-Giving (automatic contributions from your checking account or credit card) for both your Regular Offertory and your Fund Drive Pledge. Please see the enrollment link on the top right of our website: [www.saintjosephcircleville.com](http://www.saintjosephcircleville.com). There will also be information in your restoration packet being provided at all upcoming receptions and at the church entrances.

**RESTORATION FUND DRIVE PAYMENTS:** Going forward, one of the money boxes at the back of the church which are currently used to collect candle offerings will be labeled "Restoration Payments." If you wish to bring your Restoration donations to Mass, please place them in this box, rather than putting them in the regular offertory collection basket.

**K OF C 90+ BIRTHDAY PARTY:** Come join us for a potluck celebration of our nonagenarians (those over ninety years old) on Sunday, October 2nd, at the K of C Hall. We're recognizing Jack Black, 92 (July 6th); Frank Plescia, 90 (September 21st); and Howard Snook, 90 (December 17th). The Knights will furnish cake and ice cream. Potluck means "whatever food happens to be available for a meal," so bring a dish (pot) of whatever you like! RSVP to Darwin (740-474-3713) by **September 29th**.

**K OF C CAMPFIRE:** Grand Knight John Goode's plan for the October 3rd Social Meeting includes a fire ring with bonfire for roasting hot dogs, marshmallows, smores, etc. Time is 7:00 p.m. Bring chairs, roasting sticks, jacket, and your favorite drink.

**PUMPKIN SHOW SLUSHY BOOTH:** Believe it or not, Pumpkin Show is just a few weeks away! As we do each year, we need volunteers to operate our parish Apple Cider Slushy Booth. If you are interested in volunteering to help, you can sign up online: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040f4bacac29a75-2016>. Thank you for serving your parish family!

**FUND RAISER FOR CANCER VICTIM:** There will be a chicken & noodle dinner to support the family of local Larry Brown, who is living with stage four cancer. The dinner, Chinese auction (including signed OSU memorabilia), 50/50 drawing, etc., will be at the K of C Hall on Saturday, October 1st, from 4:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.

**COLLECTIONS**

**September 18th – \$6,297.33  
Louisiana Flood Victims – \$1,993.63**

**ADVERTISER OF THE WEEK:**

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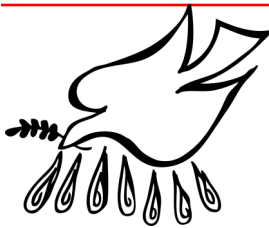


# Youth Corner

September 25, 2016

## Parish School of Religion & Youth Ministry—NEWS

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### CONFIRMATION PREPARATIONS

#### Next class session:

**DATE:** Sunday, October 2, 2016

**TIME:** 6-8 p.m.      **LOCATION:** Parish Hall at the Church

#### Upcoming Parish Events:

- ◆ High & Jr. High School Youth Kick-off—September 25 at 6:30 p.m.

#### Service Opportunities:

- ◆ **PUMPKIN SHOW SLUSHY BOOTH:** Volunteers needed to operate our parish Apple Cider Slushy Booth. If you are interested in volunteering to help, you can sign up on-line: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040f4bacac29a75-2016>

#### Dates To Remember:

- ◆ HS & JrH Kick Off—**Sept. 25** @ 6:30 p.m.
- ◆ HS Youth Conference—**Nov. 12-13**
- ◆ Pumpkin Show Slushy Booth—**Oct. 18-22**
- ◆ No PSR—**Oct. 23**
- ◆ FaithFactor—**Nov. 20**



### **First Reconciliation Preparations**

There will be a First Reconciliation Parent session on **October 30 at 9:30 a.m.** in the classroom with your child.

### **High School and Jr. High Youth Group Kick-off Party!**

**Date:** Sunday, September 25

**Time:** 6:30 p.m.- 8:30 p.m.

**Who:** High School and Jr. High Youth are invited!

**Location:** R & R Farms

9320 Oakland—Stoutsville Rd. (Just 8 miles out of Circleville)

Take 22 East turn right onto Stoutsville Pike. Go through the town of Stoutsville and R & R Farms is two miles out of Stoutsville on the left.



**With every youth event—Chaperones are needed!** Contact Vanessa if you can assist with the Kick-off Party as a chaperone! Chaperones must be Diocesan compliant (PGC & BCI check).

### **Prayer Corner**

*26th Sunday of Ordinary Time*

Jesus teaches the Pharisees about the rich man who ignored the suffering of Lazarus, who lay in misery on his own doorstep

Let us pray,

Jesus, your teachings call me to a new way of seeing the familiar world around me. Please give me clarity and energy to see and serve those who suffer.

Amen.

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## CAN YOU HELP OUR PARISH SECRETARY SARA LYNN ENTER THE MONASTERY?



Jesus has called our parish secretary, Sara Lynn, to leave us—in order to enter Christ the Bridegroom Monastery, in Burton, Ohio! The young, Byzantine Catholic community was founded in 2009 in the Eparchy of Parma in response to Pope John Paul II's call in *Orientalis Lumen* ("Light from the East") for the establishment of traditional Eastern Catholic monastic communities in the West. Sara Lynn learned of them from her spiritual director, and when she visited the monastery for a retreat last winter, her heart felt like she'd come home. She returned for several weekends, and spent several weeks living, praying, and working with the nuns over the summer.

The charisms of Eastern monasticism are, first and foremost, prayer (this community has a special emphasis on prayer for priests and seminarians, and prayer for reunification of the Orthodox East and Catholic West); and hospitality. The nun's life is rooted at the monastery. Rather than going out into the world to serve, those in the world are invited into the life of the monastery where they encounter the love of the Trinity. Christ the Bridegroom Monastery offers a place of retreat and refreshment, both to laity and clergy, Roman Catholic and Byzantine Catholic. They also focus on ministry to youth and the new evangelization. Check out their website: [www.christthebridegroom.org](http://www.christthebridegroom.org).

Sara Lynn will be the sixth to join this young community. Pictured above are (left to right): Mother Cecilia, Sr. Iliana, Mother Theodora (the *hegumena*, or abbess), Sara Lynn, Mother Gabriella, and Victoria.

### The Monastic Schedule (Weekdays)

5:45 a.m.: The Jesus Prayer  
6:00 a.m.: Matins (Morning Prayer)  
8:00 a.m.: Personal Prayer  
9:00 a.m.: Exercise  
10:00 a.m.: Meeting/Breakfast  
10:30 a.m.: Work  
12 Noon: 6th & 9th Hour (Midday Prayer)  
1:00 p.m.: Work  
3:45 p.m.: Free Time  
4:45 p.m.: The Jesus Prayer  
5:00 p.m.: Vespers (Evening Prayer)  
6:00 p.m.: Dinner/dishes  
9:00 p.m.: Compline (Night Prayer)

*Silence is observed from after Compline until 10 a.m.*

In order to enter the monastery as a *dokimos* ("one who learns"), she must be debt-free. So she needs your help paying off her student loans to enable her to follow this call to the monastic life!

You can learn more of Sara Lynn's story, and help pay off her student debts, on-line: <https://www.youcaring.com/sara-lynn-gafford-628534>



Or you can send contributions through the mail:

Sara Lynn Gafford  
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**CONGRATULATIONS TO THESE THREE YOUTH!**

These three youth have been selected to serve on the Diocesan Youth Council. DYC is a Christian leadership committee made up of high school youth who serve in advisory and assistive capacities for the Diocesan OYYAM Office. DYC representatives make a commitment to assist the staff of the OYYAM with programs like the Bosco Bash (an annual Junior High youth rally which draws 500+ young people); the Diocesan Catholic Youth Conference (a biennial youth conference which draws young people from across our diocese); "A Journey Toward Peace: A Walking Stations of the Cross" (a diocesan-wide Good Friday service incorporating social justice themes and the traditional Stations prayer); and various meetings. Most importantly, the DYC is an essential connection between the OYYAM and the young people of the Columbus Diocese.



Lexi Butterbaugh



Carter Corcoran



Hannah Mogan

**Liturgical Ministers: October 1st & 2nd**

***If you are unable to fulfill your responsibility, please be sure to find a replacement.  
Servers, Lectors, and Eucharistic Ministers – please check your name  
off the list at the back of the church when you arrive each week.***

**Saturday, 5:00 p.m.**

Servers: Patrick &amp; Xavier Mascari

Eucharistic Ministers: Dee Mogan\*, John &amp; Shirley Lake, Darwin Whitehead, Michelle Estel

Lectors: Nancy Plescia (1), Grace Elliott (2)

Ushers: Robert &amp; Peg Burton

Greeters: Dee Mogan, Teri Mogan, James Schneider

**Sunday, 8:00 a.m.**

Servers: Alexis &amp; Emma Butterbaugh, Marianna Packer

Eucharistic Ministers: Anne Strawser\*, Gretchen Kleman, Vanessa Butterbaugh, Betsy Hupp, Mary Lundberg

Lectors: Judy Dossman (1), Amy Goode (2)

Ushers: Terry Hupp, Carol Tarbill, Mary Kay Wood, James Suver, Darren Metzger

Greeters: David &amp; Molly Schiff, Doug &amp; Meg Baker

**Sunday, 11:15 a.m.**

Servers: Jay Sahr, Carson Forquer, Mallory Holcomb, Lauren Martin

Eucharistic Ministers: Rita Bolender\*, Amanda Forquer, Mary Kopec, Michael &amp; Mary Logan

Lectors: Carter Corcoran (1), Mary So (2)

Ushers: Brian Neff, Nick Gill, Phil McKibben, Doug Martin, Ed Bohenko

Greeters: The Stolarz Family, Kade Kandel, Tom Klitzka