



WEEKLY SCHEDULE

	SATURDAY, July 18
4:00 p.m.	For the People
	SUNDAY, July 19
9:00 a.m.	Dottie Kelly † SM
9:00 a.m.	Annalouise & Paul Wohrle † CC
11:00 a.m.	Agnes Dorn Carpenter † SM
11:00 a.m.	Yenichek family † SL
	MONDAY, July 20
	No Mass
	TUESDAY, July 21
6:30 p.m.	Mass of Thanksgiving SL
	WEDNESDAY, July 22
	<i>Feast of Saint Mary Magdalene</i>
8:30 a.m.	Giuse Hien Doan † CC
	THURSDAY, July 23
8:30 a.m.	Living/Deceased of the Gammell Miller families SM
	FRIDAY, July 24
8:30 a.m.	Sihock Keomany † SM
	SATURDAY, July 25
4:00 p.m.	For the People Donna Fields & Bernard Golden † SL
	SUNDAY, July 26
9:00 a.m.	Jeff Fuller † SM
9:00 a.m.	Donald & Patrick Hope † CC
11:00 a.m.	Dale Chuha † SM
11:00 a.m.	Vongdeuane Chanthasene † SL

Confession available:

Saturday 3:15-3:45 – Sunday 8:15 – 8:45 – Sunday 10:15 – 10:45
and by appointment

After the final Blessing please join us in reciting the following prayers: The Our Father, the Hail Mary, the Glory Be and the Prayer to Saint Michael, the Archangel.

BAPTISMS IN JULY

July 19: Gibson family, daughter, Mallory
July 26: Burns family, son, Matthew



SERMON ON THE AMOUNT

Week of:	Actual offertory/ other income	Amount needed to cover expenses	Amount over/under Variance
July 12, 2020	\$7,282	\$9,859	(\$2,577)
Year to date	\$14,904	\$19,718	(\$4,814)

*Other income includes gifts, bequests and donations from societies

**Refresh them Lord with your healing grace.
Please remember in your prayers**

Hospital, Nursing/Assisted Living facility:
Toni Neal, Wesley Walker

At home: Sharon Kirby, Mary Sailor, Carla Palkuti, Dan Hogan, Foday Kenneh, Denise Gammell, Tammy Littler, Shirley Thibaut, Danny Campbell, Albert Petrikas Alieu Kenneh, Frank Wickham, Kou and Fu-mei Liu, Jim Hanson, Jenny Jimenez, Bill Antoniak, John Graff, David Wells, Nancy Jones, Rick Driscoll, Art Roehrenbeck, Jack Auer, Mary Seikel

*If you are admitted to a hospital St. Mary may not be notified.
Please ask a family member to call the parish office.*

SSCM PANTRY-ITEM FOR JULY: The food item needed for the month of **July is baked beans**. Please drop your donation off throughout the month. We will have a basket marked “food pantry” in the Vestibule.

UPCOMING SPECIAL EVENTS

❖ August 1, 2020 at 4:p.m.

This Mass will be a celebratory Mass for our 8th grade graduates.

❖ August 16, 2020 at 11:00 a.m.

First Communion will be celebrated.

Please keep in mind CDC and Diocesan guidelines for social distancing will apply until further notice.

SAINT MARY SCHOOL NEWS

The school office will be open Tuesday through Thursday from 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. throughout the summer.

Our first day with students will be August 31st, but we will have a staggered start so that we can properly educate the students in safety and sanitation procedures.

2020-21 BAA: EVERY GIFT HELPS!

Our goal for the 20-21 Bishop’s Annual Appeal is \$48,695.00. The theme for this appeal is “*Living the Joy of the Gospel*”. You will find BAA donation envelopes on the tables in the back. Please prayerfully consider your gift keeping in mind that any funds over and above our goal are refunded to Saint Mary.

In a world where people “look for love in all the wrong places”— settling for second-rate substitutes that can result in addictions, family strife, depression, and suicide—Jesus shows us a way. He is the answer to all our questions, no matter what our age or state of life. He offers solace to those aching for relief. He offers truth to young people who are searching for deeper meaning and security. He restores the dignity and moral center of those who are looking for life and see only death. To each of these weary souls, Jesus says: “Come to me, all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens and I will give you rest...learn from me; for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls” (Matthew 11:28-29).

Notes from the Pastor

This weekend we hear more parables about weed-sowing and leaven. Weeds can destroy a good harvest if they are not taken care of at the proper time. But if one uproots them too early, it can destroy the good plants as well! It is a testimony to timing and patience!

Just like weeds teaching us patience, so God is being patient with us as He's planted the seed of the word in our hearts. God's word brings us life, and we need to allow the word to take root in our hearts, because God will separate evil from the good!

We also hear about the mustard seed. Mustard seeds are really small, but they grow to be a huge tree! It's the same for the Kingdom of God- it starts with a small place in the hearts of people who are open to God's word and causes a huge transformation in a person!

Leaven (yeast) produces much change to dough. If there's no yeast, then the dough does not change, but if you add yeast to the dough, it provides a huge change that makes bread. The Kingdom of God is the same- it provides a transformation by the Holy Spirit- the Holy Spirit may show little change in the beginning, but if we let God's word take root in our hearts, we will have the transforming love Christ can provide!

May we allow Christ' love rule our hearts and our actions with the guidance of the Holy Spirit!

- Pray for Pope Francis and all those who lead the Church, especially Bishop Brennan
- Pray all the priests who started their pastoral assignments last Tuesday
- Pray for those affected by natural disasters and acts of violence (COVID-19 pandemic, shootings in the United States)
- Pray for the repose of the souls of the following: James Dorn, Elizabeth Doersham and Kevin Moore. Eternal Rest, grant unto them O Lord. And let perpetual light shine upon them.
- The South End surveys continue to be collected; if you haven't written one, please contact the parish offices; due date is in August!.

Fr. Vince

News Worthy Notes

IN REMEMBRANCE OF:

- ✓ Memorial Mass for Dorothy Manns was held on Thursday, July 16th
- ✓ Funeral Masses were held for:
 - Jim Dorn on Friday, July 17th
 - Elizabeth "Betty" Doersam on Saturday, July 18th
 - Kevin Moore on Monday, July 20th

May they rest in Peace and may their loved ones find comfort in God's love and grace.

SAINT MARY SCHOOL RENOVATIONS

The renovation process for our school gymnasium is under way. A portion of the parking lot will be used to accommodate the additional dumpsters and orange storage bins needed during this process

WEEKEND SACRAMENTAL CELEBRATIONS

BAPTISM: This weekend Deacon Minner will witness/preside at the baptism of Mallory Gibson, daughter of Joe and Brittany Gibson. May your baptism be filled with blessings and love, and be a glimpse of the exciting journey that lies ahead of you

WEDDING: Father Adam Streitenberger will witness/preside at the marriage of Arlington Bell and Ariel DeNoto. God bless you both as you begin this wonderful journey of marriage together.

PARKING LOT: ENTRANCE/EXIT

Reminder: when arriving or leaving Mass please enter and exit via 3rd Street or Lazelle Street. The private drive that exits onto Mohawk Street is accessible when leaving Mass by car or passenger vehicle. Construction and heavy duty trucks please use the 3rd Street or Lazelle Street exits. Thank you for your cooperation.

STREET CLEANING RESUMES: CITY OF COLUMBUS

Just a reminder, the City of Columbus resumed its' street cleaning schedule this month. 3rd Street is on the schedule for the 2nd Tuesday (west side) and Wednesday (east side) of each month through October.

FROM THE OFFICE OF MARRIAGE AND FAMILY LIFE

Freedom. Life. Love. Gift: We praise God that he has lavished these blessings upon us and we seek to share them with engaged and married couples by teaching them about Natural Family Planning. Because having the freedom to love, be a gift to another, and be open to new life is what NFP is all about. We are offering a drop in Zoom session on NFP on **Tuesday, July 21, from 6:30-7:30 p.m.** The link can be found on our website at <https://columbuscatholic.org/nfp-parishes>

RCIA PROGRAM: Do you know someone interested in learning about the Catholic Faith? Would you like to assist those who are making their own journey of faith? Are you interested in updating your own understanding of our Catholic Traditions? For more information contact the parish office at 614 445-9668 or email Deacon Roger at rjminner@columbuscatholic.org

PARISHIONER RECORDS

If you've moved, changed your email address or not sure if you have shared your email address with the parish office please contact us. To minimize the cost of postage Deacon Minner has been emailing our bulletin, important parish news, letters from Father and updates on pending events. Having a current email address eliminates the cost of a first class letter



DON'T FORGET....WEAR YOUR MASK

INDIGENOUS HELP TO HEAL THE WORLD

Kateri Tekakwitha—born Mohawk and Algonquin in 1656, canonized in 2012—is a fitting intercessor for coronavirus, though she is actually patron saint of ecology. Losing her family to the same smallpox epidemic that left her disfigured and half blind,

Kateri knew firsthand the suffering wrought by disease. Perhaps her empathy helps account for so many miraculous healings attributed to her to this day. But Kateri's love of the earth may also inspire our continued care of the environment, which has seen healing of its own during human quarantine.

Kateri, pray for us on all fronts!