

## Mass Intentions

**Saturday, March 10- St. Mary**

**Mass 4:30 pm**

The Living and Deceased Members of the Henry Himmelspach Family by Frances Jones

**Sunday, March 11 - St. Ann**

**Mass 9:00 a.m.**

Micah & Austin Vensil by Lawrence & Phyllis Vensil

**Sunday, March 11 - Muskingum**

**University Mass 1:00 p.m.**

For the Intentions of the Students & the Parishioners of St. Ann/St Mary

**Monday, March 12 - St. Mary**

**Mass 9:00 a.m.**

Leo Colopy by Ann Colopy

**Tuesday, March 13 - Genesis Chapel**

**Mass 7:15 a.m.**

For all Medical Personnel

**Wednesday, March 14 - St. Ann**

**Mass / Stations of the Cross 6:00 pm**

John R. "Jack" Lacy by

John & Brenda Lepi

**Friday, March 16 - St. Mary**

**Mass / Stations of the Cross 6:00 p.m.**

Mary Ann Finan Chlopan by

Joe & Marlene Finan

### CHURCH OFFICE HRS

Tues. 8:30 a.m. — 12:30 p.m.

Phone: 740-754-2221

### Mass Offerings

We have many opportunities for Masses to be offered for your loved ones either living or deceased. Just mark an envelope "Mass Intentions" and drop it in the collection basket with the name of whom the Mass is to be offered and include your name.

### BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please submit by Mon. 10 A.M. Either email or phone your submission or place it in the basket at Mass. Phone: 828-2594 Email address: [sheimer@localnet.com](mailto:sheimer@localnet.com).

### SHUT-INS / HOSPITALIZED / ILL

For correspondence to shut-ins please contact Cathy McDaniel at 454-2137.

### Heartbeats

Thank you to everyone who so generously answered the call to help Heartbeats with their need of 0 to 6 month girls' clothing.

They now need boys clothing in sizes 2 — 3 — 4.

Donations may be put in the back of the churches.

Get more out of Lent—

Make a decision to read at least some Scripture every day.

### Divine Mercy Reflections from St. Faustina's Dairy

#### A Shield and Shelter

Jesus said: These two rays issued forth from the very depths of My tender mercy when My agonized Heart was opened by a lance on the Cross.

These rays shield souls from the wrath of My Father. Happy is the one who will dwell in their shelter, for the just hand of God shall not lay hold of him (*Diary*, 299).

The two rays denote Blood and Water. The pale ray stands for the Water which makes souls righteous. The red ray stands for the Blood which is the life of souls.

*Let us pray...*



### PLEASE REMEMBER THE FOLLOWING IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Vivian Grady, Joe Susil, Ted Paulus, Mary Mears, Rick DeHaven, Pat Powers, Julie McClown, Mark Bellew, Peggy Franks, Christine Wagner, Keith Chapman, Christy Larimar, Elizabeth Six, David Six, Tracy Beale, Sue McClanahan-Pepper, Waynoe Norris, Ethan Scott, Jim Ardrey, Mary Reiss, Kaden Wortman, Tom and Cheryl Berry, Charles Jones, Chris Mears, Jenna Mears, Roger LaPort, Tommy Lencowski, Mike Lencowski, Chelsea Crawmer, Jodi Morrison, Rose Fohrman, Margarie Reeves, Edyn Dickson, Becky Fouts, Wesson James, Teresa Daugherty, Clarice Durtschi, Nick Durtschi, Marty Watson, Tom Lockhard, Marty Watson, Karen Miller, Marta Dobbins, BJ Angelo, Charlotte Jones, Ellen Alheim, Taja Rooks, Rylee Warner, Angelina Butler, Gretchen Boerner, Becky Sorg, Eli Murphy, Debi Smith, Ron Miller, Amara Larrison, Bob Smeltzer, Teagan Welen, Sara Hopper, Melody Purkey

*Refresh them Lord, with your healing grace. Please submit names of those who need our prayers. As health improves, let us know to remove the name.*

### Stewardship Report

Year July 1, 2017 - June 30, 2018

February 24 & 25, 2018

Total \$ 3,611.00

St Mary \$ 1,466.00 St Ann \$ 2,145.00

Candles \$ 20, Catholic Times \$ 17, Easter Flowers \$ 200

WEEKLY GOAL	\$ 2,400.00
ACTUAL COLLECTION	\$ 3,611.00
Variance	+ \$ 1,211.00
Year to Date Goal	\$ 84,000.00
Actual Year to Date	\$ 105,973.37
Year to Date Variance	+ \$ 21,973.37

Get more out of Lent— spend some focused time with each of your children. Listen. Pray. Maybe even have fun!



Food Pantry Ministry

Please remember our parish goal of one food item per week per family. Thank you!

### PRAYER FOR OUR MILITARY

*Our thoughts and prayers remain with those serving our country at this time and with their loved ones at home. We pray for a safe homecoming and that the world may one day be at peace. St. Joseph, pray for them. Amen.*

### Mass Readings for Next Sunday, March 18, 2018

1st Reading: Jeremiah 31:31-34

2nd Reading: Hebrews 5:7-9

Gospel: John 12:20-33

Lord, help me to quiet my mind so I can listen to your words.

### Pope Francis makes Request

Please pray for the health and protection of our Pope...just a simple Hail Mary will do.

The Holy Father has made a request for prayers that God protects him and gives him forces to meet his difficult task.

Sadie Corry Pilgrimage to  
Carey, Ohio,  
Our Lady of Consolation  
Basilica and Shrine  
**Wednesday, May 2 Cost is \$35.00**

Purchase lunch at the cafeteria.  
Paid reservations are needed by  
Monday, April 2.  
Bus departure time is 7:55 a.m. from  
Knights of Columbus, Sunrise Center, Z.  
Return about 6:45 p.m.

For information call Mary Murphy,  
452-4454 or Margaret, 453-7657.

Make checks payable and send to :  
Margaret Kronenbitter,  
2700 Wayne Ridge Rd, Zanes, OH  
43701

Learn more about the shrine at  
[www.olcshrine.com](http://www.olcshrine.com)

### Suggested penances this week:

- offer your day for someone who has fallen away from the Faith
- pray the Rosary with the intention of renewing your Marian devotion
- prayerfully make a list of the greatest desires of your heart
- reconnect with someone who was responsible for reconnecting the faith in you
- pray in a special way for the Blessed Virgin Mary

Get more out of Lent—While driving turn off the secular radio and listen to some teaching on CDs.

### Several opportunities are available to help you enrich your Lenten season:

- **Benediction and Adoration Monday, St Ann, 6 - 7 pm.**
- **Wednesday Night Mass and Stations of the Cross at St. Ann, 6 pm**
- **Friday Night Mass and Stations of the Cross at St. Mary, 6 pm**
- **Read *The Magnificat Lenten Companion* daily**

Lisa Brenninkmeyer, author of the *Walking with Purpose women's bible studies*, is coming to St. John Neumann on Wednesday, March 14. She will give two talks, 10 am & 7 pm.

Hear how you can gain a firm foundation to stand on no matter what life throws your way.

Registration is required and is available online at St. John Neumann's website, [www.saintjohnsunbury.org](http://www.saintjohnsunbury.org)

Tickets are \$15 per person.

Heavenly Father, forgive me for the times I've attended Mass and not actually been present.

Forgive me for the times I've received Holy Communion and not actively entered into it.

Have mercy on me, Lord.

### Annual Teachers' Luncheon April 11

Please save the date —  
The Women's Association will need volunteers that day.  
Details later.

We're not alone at Mass. Imagine thousands of angels and saints with us! We join in singing the Holy, Holy, Amen and Lamb of God with their heavenly voices! Thank you God, for the gift of Your Son.



### A Biblical Walk Through the Mass

**April 8 at St. Ann for Five Weeks**

Starting April 8, after Mass on Sundays at St Ann we will have a course on the Mass, *A Biblical Walk Through the Mass*.

It will last about one hour and will run for 5 weeks.

Everyone is invited.

Please RSVP so we know how many books to order.

Sign up sheets will be available at both churches.

### Catholic Women's Club Easter Candy

**Order deadline is next Sunday, March 18. Please place an order, don't count on there being extra candy to purchase.**

Order forms are in the back of both churches. You may also call Judy Graves, 754-1065, or Susie Daniels, 828-2678, to place an order.

### Candy Making March 19

**CANDY MAKING** will be **Monday, March 19** at 9:00 A.M. in the Parish Hall. We'll work until about 4 pm. Please help all day or for a few hours. **Any help will be appreciated.** We need candy melters, formers and wrappers. We also need someone to tie ribbon and to sort and bag orders.

Candy may be picked up on Saturday and Sunday, March 24 & 25.

Please let your family and friends know about our candy sale.