

Mass Intentions

Saturday, Sept. 8 - St. Mary

Rosary 4:00 p.m., Mass 4:30 pm

Cindy Mattingly Balderson by
John & Brenda Lepi

Sunday, Sept. 9 - St. Ann

Rosary 8:40 a.m., Mass 9:00 a.m.

For the Intentions of Ted Paulus by
his Mother, Mary Wilson

Sunday, Sept. 9 - Muskingum

University, Mass 1:00 p.m.

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

Monday, Sept. 10 - St. Mary

Mass 9:00 a.m.

Gaylee Foley by Mary Lou Smeltzer

Tuesday, Sept 11 - Genesis Chapel

Mass 7:15 a.m.

Deceased Sister Mary Jane Mertens

CHURCH OFFICE HRS

Tues. 8:30 a.m. —12:30 p.m.

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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 homecom-
ing and that the world may one day
be at peace. St. Joseph, pray for them.
Amen.*

Mass Readings for Next Sunday, September 16, 2018

Isaiah 50:4-9

James 2:14-18

Mark 8:27-35

Divine Mercy Reflections from St. Faustina's Diary

Jesus said: **Were a soul like a decaying corpse so that from a human standpoint, there would be no [hope of] restoration and everything would already be lost, it is not so with God. The miracle of Divine Mercy restores that soul in full. Oh, how miserable are those who do not take advantage of the miracle of God's mercy! You will call out in vain, but it will be too late** (*Diary*, 1448)

Here the misery of the soul meets the God of mercy. Tell souls that from this fount of mercy souls draw graces solely with the vessel of trust. If their trust is great, there is no limit to My generosity. The torrents of grace inundate humble souls. The proud remain always in poverty and misery, because My grace turns away from them to humble souls (*Diary*, 1602).

**Bulletin Deadline for September
23 bulletin is September 13.**

Remember our food pantry goal of
one food item per week per family.
Thank you!

Let us pray... 

PLEASE REMEMBER THE FOLLOWING IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Vivian Grady, Ted Paulus, Rick DeHaven, Pat Powers, Peggy Franks, Christine Wagner, Keith Chapman, Tracy Beale, Sue McClanahan-Pepper, Chelsea Crawmer, Jodi Morrison, Rose Fohrman, Margarie Reeves, Edyn Dickson, Becky Fouts, Wesson James, Teresa Daugherty, Clarice Durtschi, Nick Durtschi, Tom Lockhard, Marty Watson, Karen Miller, BJ Angelo, Charlotte Jones, Ellen Alheim, Rylee Warner, Gretchen Boerner, Becky Sorg, Eli Murphy, Ron Miller, Amara Larrison, Teagan Welen, Sara Hopper, Melody Purkey, Frances Berry, Clark Watson, Lynn Seward, Allie White, Seve Woytko, Craig Harple, Kevin Kenily, Katherine West, Dakota Miller, Robert Thomas, Sarah Ludinich, Kristi Larimer

*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

August 25 & 26, 2018

Total \$ 2,170.00

St Mary \$ 1,135.00 St Ann \$ 1,035.00

Assumption \$ 5, PSR \$ 30

WEEKLY GOAL	\$ 2,400.00
ACTUAL COLLECTION	\$ 2,170.00
Variance	- \$ 230.00
Year to Date Goal	\$ 19,200.00
Actual Year to Date	\$ 22,004.24
Year to Date Variance	+ \$ 2,804.24

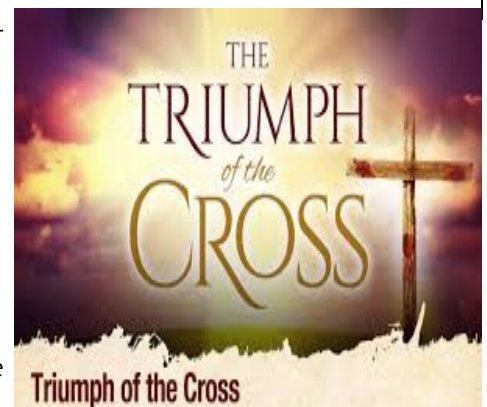
September 14, the Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross

The Feast of the Universal Exaltation of the Precious and Life-Giving Cross is celebrated each year on September 14. The Feast commemorates the finding of the True Cross of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ by Saint Helen, the mother of the Emperor Constantine.

In the twentieth year of his reign (326), the Emperor Constantine sent his mother Saint Helen to Jerusalem to venerate the holy places and to find the site of the Holy Sepulchre and of the Cross. Relying upon the oral tradition of the faithful, Saint Helen found the precious Cross together with the crosses of the two thieves crucified with our Lord. However, Helen had no way of determining which was the Cross of Christ.

With the healing of a dying woman who touched one of the crosses, Patriarch Macarius of Jerusalem identified the True Cross of Christ. Saint Helen and her court venerated the Precious and Life-Giving Cross along with many others who came to see this great instrument of Redemption.

The Feast is an opportunity outside of the observances of Holy Week to celebrate the full significance of the victory of the Cross over the powers of the world.



Catholic Men's Ministry

All men are invited

We will be meeting on **Sept. 10**, the second Monday, at **7:30** at St Mary.

We will start with Eucharistic Exposition, Benediction, prayer, and Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ. Plus light refreshment will be served. Feel free to bring a refreshment to share. Come join us and feel the Grace of God and take it back to your family and Parish. Remember there is strength in numbers, let's see how many men we can get to answer the call of God, bring a friend!

Our new schedule is we will meet at St. Mary's May through October and St. Ann's November through April.

Questions, please contact
Dave Bonifant @ 740-763-4647

Our Parish School of Religion starts this Sunday.

This will be a day for registration, etc. Parents are asked to attend to update any information on their children. Unless they are new to the program they will not need to complete the entire packet however they will need to attend the meeting to review the registration on file for any address changes, etc.

Classes are held Sundays in Kempf Hall from 10:00 a.m.— 11:30 a.m.

Any questions about our program please contact the office at 740-754-2221 Tuesday from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Praise to you, Almighty God!

Reboot Sept 26, 7-9:30 pm at St. Francis de Sales, Newark.

Let internally renowned speaker and author Chris Stefanick along with top performing live music artists help you REDISCOVER GOD, and REDISCOVER THE LIFE YOU WERE MADE FOR.

REBOOT is the fun, inspiring and practical experience for all ages (12 and up) of applying the beauty and genius of the Gospel to every aspect of your life from dating, marriage, parenting, health and more!

It's time to start living the life you were made for.

To get tickets to see Chris Stefanick at his REBOOT event at St. Francis de Sales in Newark go to <http://reallifecatholic.com>.

Click on "See Chris Live". Scroll to the right until you see "Sept 26, Buy Tickets" Click on that link.

You don't want to miss this! Oftentimes his events sell out so get your tickets soon!

Becoming Catholic

Have you been thinking about becoming a Catholic someday? Do you know of someone who might be interested in becoming Catholic?

Adults enter into full communion with the Catholic Church through a process called the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA). The RCIA

* Adults who have never been baptized

* Adults Baptized in other Christian traditions who would like to enter into full communion with the Catholic Church.

* Adults Baptized Catholic who have not yet received Confirmation or First Holy Communion OR who have been away from the Church and would like to rejoin us in full communion.

All are Welcome!

Contact

Elaine Mitchell 740-624-0107 or
Dr. Sheryl House 740-704-0131
with questions

Italian Night!

Next Saturday, September 15
in the Parish Hall on the
St Ann Campus

Gather at 5:30, eat at 6:00 pm.
This will give those going to
Mass at St. Mary time to get to
the Parish Hall.

There are sign up sheets in the back of both churches for anyone who has a pasta recipe they would like to prepare and share. You can also bring garlic bread or a dessert to share.

We're going to play Bingo!
No need to bring prizes;
we have plenty!

It is not necessary to bring something we just want everyone to come and enjoy a fun evening.



Turban Project Mission

We've supported the mission for several years. Turbans are sewn by volunteers and donated to many hospitals, cancer centers, and doctors' office throughout Ohio and across the country. The turbans are blessed by a Newark Catholic priest and are always given free of charge. Below is letter from a Cancer Center who received some turbans.

"I had the pleasure of taking some of your turbans to the Cancer Center yesterday. The women who work there were so excited and could not believe they were receiving such a gift for their patients. I was able to watch first hand as they gave their first turban to a client and it brought tears to her eyes and mine too. To see a smile on someone's face that is going thru a rough time is such a blessing."