

Mass Intentions

Saturday, Aug 31- St. Mary
Mass 4:30 p.m

For Special Intentions of
Marc & Connie Guthrie
Sunday, Sept 1 - St. Ann

Mass 9:00 a.m.

Bertha Haren

by Reid & Linda Baughman

Monday, Sept 2 - St. Mary

Mass 7:30 a.m.

For World Peace

Tuesday, Sept 3 - Genesis Chapel

For the Homeless

CHURCH OFFICE HRS

Tues. 8:30 a.m. —12:30 p.m.

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PRAYER FOR OUR MILITARY

Let us pray for our brothers and sisters as they go forth with courage and determination to face the forces of violence, weapons of destruction and hearts filled with hate. We pray, Lord, that you preserve the members of our Army, Navy, Marines, Coast Guard and Air Force from all harm. *Amen.*

Labor Day Prayer

Lord, on this Labor Day, we thank You for the blessing of work. We ask for strength to complete each day. We ask for rest when we are weary. We ask for Your guidance for everyone seeking employment and we ask that You be with those whose faces we might never see but who work tirelessly each day for the good of us all. *Amen.*

Mark Your Calendars for the
2020 Women's and Men's
Annual Conferences
in Columbus.

Women's Conference
is February 15

Men's Conference
is February 22

Becoming Catholic RCIA begins September 15 following the 9 am Mass. Classes will take place in the Rectory Parlor.

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 is for:

- * 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

Everyone is invited to join the RCIA group in the Rectory Parlor each week until Thanksgiving to listen to Bishop Robert Barron's "Word on Fire Series".

Please pray for our PSR teachers in addition to the people in the RCIA program and the RCIA teachers, Elaine Mitchell and Dr. Sheryl House.

We pray that God will bless and guide them in their vital role of teaching our children and the new catechumens. *Amen.*



Food
Pantry
Ministry

Please remember our family goal of one item/week.

PLEASE REMEMBER THE FOLLOWING IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Vivian Grady, Ted Paulus, Pat Powers, Peggy Franks, Christine Wagner, Tracy Beale, Margarie Reeves, Sue McClanahan-Pepper, Jodi Morrison, Rose Fohrman, Edyn Dickson, Wesson James, Teresa Daughtery, Clarice Durtschi, Nick Durtschi, Tom Lockhard, Marty Watson, Karen Miller, Ellen Alheim, Rylee Warner, Gretchen Boerner, Eli Murphy, Ron Miller, Amara Larrison, Teagan Welen, Sara Hopper, Melody Purkey, Clark Watson, Lynn Seward, Steve Woytko, Craig Harple, Kevin Kenily, Dakota Miller, Sarah Ludinich, Michelle Merry, Cheryl Trego, Lisa Adornetto, Don Nichols, Greg Steinmetz, Sue Lawler, Charles Jones, Ava Winner, Gary Wilson, Tom Clawson, Ron Miller, Jeffrey M. Schiele, Connie Kihm, Tim Scholl, Christine Mitchell, Miriam Santacruz, Bill McBride, Jim & Mary Ann Miller, Jeff Miller, Jeff Shawger, Jenny Ripple Kimble

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, 2018 - June 30, 2019

August 17 & 18, 2019

TOTAL COLLECTION \$ 2,389.00

Feast of the Assumption \$ 835

WEEKLY GOAL	\$ 2,400.00
ACTUAL COLLECTION	\$ 2,389.00
Variance	-\$ 11.00
Year to Date Goal	\$ 16,800.00
Actual Year to Date	\$ 19,830.00
Year to Date Variance	+ \$ 3,030.00

God bless you for supporting YOUR Parish.

First Friday Devotions September 6, at 6 pm at St. Mary

Divine Mercy Society

will hold its monthly
First Friday devotion
Friday, September 6,
at 6 p.m. at St. Mary.





Last Saturday's Mass with Bishop Robert Brennan is available on youtube.com. You can find a link from our parish's facebook pages, St. Ann & St. Mary Parish Family and St. Mary's Mattingly Settlement- St. Ann Dresden. You can also find a link on our parish's website, <http://stannstmary.org> or go to www.youtube.com directly.

There are many pictures of the Mass and Bishop Brennan on both of our facebook pages.

Men of the East Retreat Huge Success

Last Saturday's Men's Retreat was attended by 88 men from 12 parishes! If you missed the retreat you can find one of the retreat talks, by Kevin McNamara, on youtube.com. Search for "Men of the East 2019 August Retreat talk by Kevin McNamara"

Bishop Brennan explained the group is named Men of the East because they are men from the eastern side of the diocese.

Each month they host a traveling Holy Hour and Eucharistic Adoration.

The next Holy Hour and Eucharistic Adoration will be Thursday, September 12 at 7 pm at St. Vincent De Paul Catholic Church in Mt. Vernon.

All men of the twelve parish consortium are invited and encouraged to participate in the monthly Holy Hour.

Men of the East is a Catholic Men's Laity Ministry serving the parishes in Knox, Licking and Muskingum Counties.

Our Parish School of Religion Parent Meeting and Registration is September 15 after the 9 AM Mass at 10:15 AM.

PSR Classes Begin Sunday, September 22

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

Our teachers this year are:
Tracy Beale, Jr., Linda Bice,
Kelley Gaynier, Sarah House,
Mark Huffman, Amy Jacoby
and Ali Smeltzer.

Support teachers are:
Reda Affinito, Dave Bonifant, Lin-
da Hindel, Anna House, Te-
resa Smeltzer and Neil Williams.

Kathy Stilwell is the coordinator,
Trudie Haren handles the curricu-
lum and Martha Silver gives
technical support.

St. Ann/St. Mary Annual Retreat

**Saturday, September 14, 2019
10 am - 3 pm**

Everyone is Welcome!

Our theme this year is
"His Divine Mercy"

Pulled Pork sandwiches and Drinks will be provided. We ask everyone to bring a covered dish to share.

The retreat will be held at the home of Bill and Elaine Mitchell, 36979 Township Rd. 437A, Dresden.

Directions:

Travel north from Dresden on Hwy 60 to Wakatomika.

Turn left on Township Rd 437A. Drive 1.5 miles crossing over a one lane bridge.

Turn left into the next driveway, house is on top of the hill.

Sign up sheets are in the back of church, we hope to see you there!
The retreat is **Free** and everyone is welcome!

Women of the Church Study Group for the Ladies of the Parish

September 3 at St. Ann at 6 pm.

The last woman we studied was Ruth. If you were unable to attend the meetings to learn about Ruth, you can pick up the weekly materials available in the backs of the churches. The material is also available on the parish website, stannstmary.org.

Materials include factual/historical information, reflections, prayers and practical application activities.

The next meeting will be held at **St. Ann's on Tuesday, Sept 3 at 6 pm.**

We will begin the study of
Mary and Martha.

This study is open to all women of the parish at any time! If you need to miss a meeting please don't let that prevent you from attending the following month.