

## Thoughts From the Deacon

June 3, 2021

This weekend is the **Feast of Corpus Christi**, celebrating the Body Blood soul and Divinity of Our lord Jesus Christ in the Eucharist. We are having our annual procession for Corpus Christi next Sunday June 13 at St Ann after 9am Mass. Procession will be shortened this year so more can participate. We will be having a reception for **Fr. Blubaugh immediately following** in the parish hall. **Come and thank Father for his service to us this past year.**

This Saturday June 5, 8am **cleanup day at St Ann**. Bring tools for bush removal and yard work. Thanks to all who participated at St Mary last month.

Fr Ryan Schmit is scheduled to start the weekend of July 17-18. We are going to have a light reception /meet and greet after each Mass. He is scheduled to move in the week prior and may need help with furniture, etc. More to come on that.

**Rummage sale** is August 6-7. Please do not bring any items **until July 19th**, so we can have a clean hall for Fr. Schmit's first weekend.

**First Friday** tomorrow June 4th at St Mary 6pm. Exposition, Adoration, Divine Mercy and Benediction. Our parish, our country and the world are in great need of prayer. Please come and help us offer reparation to Our Lord for all the tepid souls.

Remember that the Bishops of the Catholic Conference of Ohio have rescinded the dispensation from attending Mass starting this weekend. All Catholics, unless for **grave** reason, are **obliged (that is required) to attend Mass** at least on Sundays. We will be restarting the Holy Water, Offertory Procession and handshake of peace. Bishop Brennan is withholding reinstating the Eucharist under both species at this time. Please see the Bishops letter on the web page.

Next week will be having a **survey of parish regarding daily Masses** to get an Idea of when people can attend for our new pastor. Please prayerfully consider and complete the survey in pews next weekend, June 12-13. They can be placed in the offertory basket.

Viva Cristo Rey!!

