

THE WEEK OF August 13

Monday **August 13** 8:30 a.m.
Al Zarella ~ M/M Van Johnson

Tuesday **August 14** 8:30 a.m.
Hannah Svarny ~ Crumb Family

Wednesday **August 15** 9:00 a.m.
Mary Masciangelo ~ Ginny/Angelo
Lucarelli
7:00 p.m.
Rosemary Keaveny ~ Bob/Pam DeMay

Thursday **August 16** 8:30 a.m.
Bud Madden ~ Jerry/Debbie Smock

Friday **August 17** 8:30 a.m.
Communion Service ~ Rosary

Saturday **August 18** 4:30 p.m.
Mark McCarthy ~ David/Jane Nist

Sunday **August 19** 10:00 a.m.
Bud Madden ~ Family

Today is the 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time. Three questions from Jewish leaders open the Gospel for this weekend. The first two questions are rhetorical and question the identity of who Jesus is... the son of Joseph, and whether or not they know his father and mother. The third question asks about this authority, and how he can claim to have come down from heaven. The response of Jesus develops his relationship with his Father and the role the Father in drawing believers to Jesus. Jesus then solemnly teaches those gathered that eternal life comes to those who believe. Again, he self-identifies as the Bread of Life and the "living bread" in the "I am" statements.

Thanks to all those who supported our Second Saturday Supper is this weekend. We served an Haluski and Keilbasa dinner. Thanks to all those who worked, cooked, and baked for this dinner too. Proceeds from these second Saturday Suppers go directly into paying down our mortgage. Next up: Saturday, September 8... Stuffed Cabbage Dinner!

Our summer seminarian, John Rovnak is back to school. You can reach him at: John Rovnak, St. Mary's Seminary, 28700 Euclid Ave. Wickliffe, OH 44092. All Seminarians enjoy getting mail!

Welcome all our visitors who are with us this weekend. You are always welcome... and we would love to have you join our parish family. You can find on the welcome/information table in the gathering space, new parishioner packets if would like to join us. You can also find a book of our parish organizations and who to contact if you would like to join... maybe you can offer us something to improve our faith community. We all bring different gifts to the church and to the altar. It is our call to share those gifts.

Diocese of Youngstown 75th Anniversary Regional Youth Mass - Teens of the diocese are invited to gather in prayer for Mass and a reception on Sunday, August 26 for 5:30 p.m. Mass at St. Rose in Girard.

We did not have a winner in our "Pot of Gold" jackpot for last weekend (#107). The pot will continue to grow until we get a winner who used their \$2 weekly 'Pot of Gold' envelope. The total is now at least \$228.00. Join the weekly fun by dropping in the collection basket your \$2 in the specially marked envelope. Envelopes must be received by Monday at 10:00 a.m.

CLOW (Children's Liturgy of the Word) If anyone is available to do C.L.O.W. during Mass Saturday at 4:30 p.m. or Sunday at 10:00 a.m., please contact the rectory 330-394-2361 or 330-394-2461.

T.G.I.F. Registration must be returned now. We have to plan and order material for the coming year.

Calling all Catechists: Our Religious education program is looking for a few dedicated men or women who would be willing to teach our Parish children one Sunday each month for nine sessions. Must be able to be finger printed and attend Child protection class. Please call the rectory at 330-394-2461.

Update on Bishop Murry - Bishop Murry is progressing well and he appreciates your prayers and support. He will be undergoing a mild third round of chemo in mid-August, and if he responds well, he is considering returning to the office on a part time basis by September. Of course, your continued prayers are appreciated.

The Trumbull County Society of St. Vincent de Paul is seeking donations for grade school and high school students going back to school. They are looking for a variety of back-to-schools items. Call 330-774-2398 for more information, to arrange a pick-up, or contact a member of our own St. Vincent de Paul Society. There is a collection container located in the gathering space for donations.

Coming Sunday, September 23...the 9th Annual Faith and Family Festival from 11:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. at the West Quad of the Walsh University Campus at Walsh College, North Canton, OH. It is a FREE day of fun and fulfillment for families, students, and friends. There will be an opening Mass, local and nationally-known musical acts, activities for kids, young people and families, plus vendors and affordable food by Café Augustine. For more information go to www.faithfamilyfest.org

The Dillon-Santucci Funeral Home is now open for business. For services or preplanning call 330-856-0918, or go to www.dillon-santucci.com.



Congratulations to all our winners at the Reverse Raffle held on Saturday, July 28. We made a profit of \$4,399.17! Thanks also to all who supported the raffle by purchasing tickets, the sellers who worked the floor selling raffle tickets, the kitchen crew who cooked the spaghetti dinner and all who served the dinner to all our guests, including our seminarians from around the Diocese. Thanks to all who helped in any way.

\$1,500 winner... Georgia Hoskin
\$1,000 winner... Lorraine Erison
\$500.00 winner... Ed Biello
\$300.00 Coverall Bingo (split pot)... Bruce Hilliard & Judy McElrath

50/50 winner... Addie Zuhosky
\$200 Money Jar... Nancy Yonchak



The Seniors will meet on August 14 at 11:00 am for a Pot Luck Picnic. Please bring a salad, vegetable, or dessert enough for 8.



Thanks to the following parishioners who came to the "church cleanup" on Monday, August 6.

Kara Svarny
Lindsay Dean
Jack Loges
Bella DelGarbino
Bethany DelGarbino
Mary & Joe Svarny



The Ladies Guild is sponsoring a **CRAFTERS & VENDORS SHOW** on Saturday, September 29. If you are interested in displaying your goods, please call Marsha Ruha at 330-534-3749 for an application.



Altar flowers were donated by Sue Simeone in memory of her mother, Josephine Long

Stewardship August 5, 2018

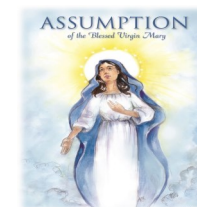
Sunday \$6855.95 173 envelopes

Please mark your envelope with the amount of your contribution.

STEWARDSHIP

Time ♦ Talent ♦ Treasure

Can't be here every weekend? Sign up for electronic giving at theapostlethomas.com



Wednesday, August 15 is the Feast of the Assumption. Masses will be at 9:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

Coming Sunday September 30th... "Mass Mob"...???! More information coming soon!