



**Masses For The Week**

- Sat. Sept. 25**  
5:00 PM People of the Parish
- Sun. Sept. 26 - Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
8:00 AM Betty Roop (Family)  
10:00 AM The Poor Souls in Purgatory (4<sup>th</sup> Degree Knights of Columbus)
- Mon. Sept. 27 - St. Vincent de Paul**  
8:00 AM No Mass
- Tues. Sept. 28 - St. Wenceslaus; St. Lawrence Ruiz**  
8:00 AM Jean Brown (Jane Brown)
- Weds. Sept. 29 - Sts. Michael, Gabriel & Raphael**  
10:00 AM Larry Fletcher (Janet & Steve Campbell)
- Thur. Sept. 30 - St. Jerome**  
8:00 AM Rob Kaising (Janet Kaising)
- Fri. Oct. 1 - St. Therese of the Child Jesus**  
8:00 AM Ray & Pat Allison (Jim & Brenda Piper)
- Sat. Oct. 2 - The Holy Guardian Angels**  
5:00 PM Deceased Members of Cassady Family (Matt & Angelina Cassady)
- Sun. Oct. 3 - Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
8:00 AM People of the Parish  
10:00 AM Jim Mock (Paul & Norma Geiger)



**Your prayers are asked for the following people:**

**General List**

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|---------------------|------------------|
| Vincent Alexander   | Brad Lyman       |
| Chad Allberry       | Ernie Maniskas   |
| Harold Bails        | Jo Ann Murtha    |
| Ray Beaulieu        | Rita Pompey      |
| Bill Brown          | Dorothy Rardain  |
| Betty Cagg          | Becky Raybourne  |
| Bob Cassidy, Jr.    | Barbara Rogers   |
| Hannah Colliton     | Matt Schmeltzer  |
| Donna Sue Dougherty | Regina Schooley  |
| Martha England      | Alicia Slatzer   |
| Mary Lee England    | Butch Sprinkle   |
| Dan Frazier         | Freddie Sprinkle |
| Lily Gay            | Shirley Switzer  |
| Nathaniel Hensley   | Dan Tharp        |
| Joseph Howdyshell   | Regina Tharp     |
| David Inboden       | Fred Vaughan     |
| Marley Jones        | Rick Visintine   |
| Margaret Krannitz   | Quentin Waid     |
| Tina Lindsay        | Nancy Willard    |

**Nursing Home/ Shut-in List:**

- David Giffin  
Linda Johnson  
Rosie Labrador  
Vicky McNamee  
Kay Peterson  
Jo Proctor  
Teresa Szymczak

**To place/remove a name on the prayer list, call Church Office.**

**THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH**

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|---------------|---------|---------------------------------|
| <b>Sun.</b>   | Rosary  | (after each Mass)               |
| <b>Mon.</b>   | 6:00 pm | St. Vincent Food Pantry         |
|               | 6:30 pm | Cub Scout Mtg.                  |
| <b>Tues.</b>  | 6:30 pm | Adult Ed Class (in Church Hall) |
| <b>Wed.</b>   | 6:30 pm | Boy Scout Mtg.                  |
| <b>Thurs.</b> | 6:00 pm | St. Vincent Food Pantry         |
| <b>Fri.</b>   | 8:30 am | Exposition (until 7:00 pm)      |
| <b>Sat.</b>   | 3:00 pm | Reconciliation                  |
|               | Rosary  | (after Mass)                    |

**Church Cleaning  
October 2, 2021**

D. Mohler, P. Olson, T. Shaben



**We Welcome Fr. Thomas Blau**, who is celebrating the Masses for us this weekend. Thank you, Fr. Blau, for filling in for Fr. Steve during his absence.

09-26-21	Lector	Ushers	Extraordinary Ministers	Rosary Leaders
5:00 PM	B. Hogon	R. Janey, B. Miller, J. Pompey, M. Cassady	Dcn. Robers, D. Vasko	M. Schmitzer
8:00 AM	C. Robers	C. Robers, E. Bachmann, K. Kerns, J. Shaben, S. Saving	Dcn. Robers, M. Messmer	A. Taulbee
10:00 AM	M. Shaw	B. Avery, H. Sheets, R. Beiter, M. Poindexter, K. Geiger	Dcn. Robers, D. Robers	P. Robers

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5:00 PM	B. Hogon	R. Janey, B. Miller, J. Pompey, M. Cassady	Dcn. Robers, C. Guyman	Dcn. Robers
8:00 AM	N. Rupert	C. Robers, E. Bachmann, K. Kerns, J. Shaben, S. Saving	K. Kerns, D. Duclos	T. Peterson
10:00 AM	M. Shaw	B. Avery, H. Sheets, R. Beiter, M. Poindexter, K. Geiger	C. Robers, M. Poindexter	Fr. Maroon, J. Maroon

# TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## IN OUR PARISH

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament** will take place this Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. All are welcome to attend.



**Adult Altar Servers:** We will soon start having altar servers during weekend Masses. If you would be interested in this ministry, please contact the Church Office.

**Adult Ed Classes** are held each Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. in the Church Hall. New members welcome. - Marie Auflick at 740-385-4762



**Real Presence Real Future Update:** The Diocese has requested that all parishioners be involved in the planning for the future of the Diocese of Columbus. To allow for individual input, there will be two sessions on Oct. 12 and Oct. 14 from 6:30-

8:30 p.m. to be a part of a zoom meeting. Detailed instructions on how to register for the meetings are inserted into this bulletin. If you don't have access to the internet but would like to be involved, the insert will give you information on how you may participate in some compacity.

### Offertory Report September 13 - 19, 2021

Loose Collection:	
Checks	\$ 130.00
Cash	\$ 409.00
Envelopes:	\$ 3,006.00
# of envelopes received:	67
Total Collection Received: \$ 3,545.00	
Tithe.ly Received: \$ 206.00	
<u>Estimated Weekly Expenses:</u> \$ 7,041.00	
Net Excess (Deficit) (\$ 3,290.00)	



**St. Vincent News:** St. Vincent de Paul Society is always open to donations for their food pantry from our parish, whether they be monetary or in the form of food and toiletries. Some of the needed items include hand soap, bars of soap, toothpaste, toothbrushes, feminine products, shampoo and deodorant. As to food, they especially are in need of bread, eggs, peanut butter, jelly and cans of soup. More volunteers are always welcome, too. With the changing weather (and maybe even due to Covid) St. Vincent is assisting more clients. Your help and prayers are always appreciated.

**Knights Breakfasts:** Due to the threat of exposure to the Covid virus and its variant, the Knights will not be holding monthly breakfasts until further notice.



**Mary (Alex) Hill & Parker Brady** were united in marriage on September 18, 2021 here at St. John Church. We wish them God's blessings!

## IN OUR DEANERY



**Fisher Catholic High School** started a new student service program called "Encountering Christ by Helping Others" (ECHO). They are looking for individuals and organizations to partner with them to plan and execute service activities throughout the school year. Please reach out to parent volunteer Matt Shaw (614-571-0973) for more information or to partner with them to help our students serve Christ through serving others.

**Life Chain 2021:** The Lancaster Ohio Life Chain will take place October 3<sup>rd</sup> from 1:00 - 2:00 p.m. Gather at 12:50 p.m. to prayerfully witness to the value and dignity of every human life by standing up for those who do not have a voice, the unborn. We will stand on either side of Memorial Drive between Wheeling Street and Sixth Avenue. Signs will be provided at Miller Pool's Parking Lot, 409 N Memorial Dr, Lancaster. Contact Joe Holbrook at 740-503-4726 for more info. There is also a Facebook group for the Life Chain: [facebook.com/groups/642525033110049](https://www.facebook.com/groups/642525033110049).



**Fatima Rosary Rally:** The Holy Rosary will be recited in honor of the 104th Anniversary of the Fatima Marian Apparitions on Saturday, October 16 at noon at the Downtown Lancaster Gazebo, located on the corner of Broad and Main Streets.

## IN OUR DIOCESE

**Catholic Men's Luncheon Club:** Each October, the Bishop of Columbus addresses the Catholic Men's Luncheon Club. Bishop Robert Brennan will address the group on Friday, October 1<sup>st</sup> at St. Patrick Church in downtown Columbus. Mass (optional) begins at 11:45 a.m. followed by lunch at 12:10 p.m. and Bishop Brennan's remarks. Free parking available in the Columbus State Grant Avenue parking lot (25-S) across the street from St. Patrick. No reservations necessary. \$10 covers the lunch and meeting. Bring a friend! For information on Catholic Men's Luncheon Club, visit [www.catholicmensministry.com/cmlc](http://www.catholicmensministry.com/cmlc).

**Ohio Dominican - Instant Admission Day:** Wednesday, Oct. 20. Address: 1215 Sunbury Rd., Columbus. Students can begin and complete the admission process in a single day during Instant Admission Day. Sign up for a time to visit the campus from 6:00-8:00 p.m., take a tour, and speak with students, faculty and staff about ODU. Register by visiting [ohiodominican.edu/Instant](http://ohiodominican.edu/Instant).

**Columbus Catholic Young Adult Conference (CCYAC):** Saturday, October 23, St. John Neumann Catholic Church, Sunbury, OH. Doors open 8:30 a.m. Theme: "No Fear in Love". This conference is for young adults (ages 19-35). Register online at [www.ccyac.org/register](http://www.ccyac.org/register).

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