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 Friday, Closed

**Weekly Stewardship Report
 Weekly Offertory Breakdown
 October 23, 2016**

Total Envelope Count	88	
Total Envelope \$ Amount		\$ 3,618.00
Loose Checks #42		
Total Loose Checks \$ Amount		\$ 1,720.64
Total Loose Cash \$ Amount		\$ 1,191.00
Total Collection \$ Amount		\$ 6,529.64
EFT/Automatic Contributions		\$ 12,725.06

Mass Attendance:

October 8 & 9	971
October 15 & 16	798
October 23 & 24	1,004



Mass Intentions

Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday + Sunday, October 29th & 30th

- 4:30 p.m. Margaret Bracaloni by Giovina Viol
- 9:00 a.m. Don & Mary Gardner by The Gardner Family
- 11:30 a.m. Ivo DiRienzo by Clara DiRienzo
- 6:00 p.m. St. Christopher Parishioners

Weekday Masses

Monday, October 31st

9:00 a.m. Hayley Crawford by Kathleen Crawford

Tuesday, November 1st

- 9:00 a.m. Anne Hall by John Connor
- 7:00 p.m. April Green by Carole Heinzenberger

Wednesday, November 2nd

9:00 a.m. Rita Melaragno by Flora & Dominic Valentino

Friday, November 4th

9:00 a.m. Claude Browing by Vince Staley

Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday + Sunday, November 5th & 6th

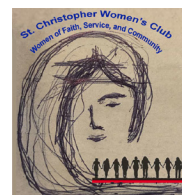
- 4:30 p.m. Anita Sbrochi by Fausto Sbrochi
- 9:00 a.m. John & Maria Iacovetta by Guido Ciotola
- 11:30 a.m. James Feldhaus by Deacon Byron & Nancy Phillips
- 6:00 p.m. St. Christopher Parishioners



REMEMBER OUR SICK AND HOSPITALIZED IN

YOUR PRAYERS – Sophia Basil, Cathy Bowman, Holden Bowman, Tim Danielson, Henry Drayer, Betty Evans, Mark Evans, Glenn Glassner, Maryann Hogan, Logan Kinzel, Jean Montenaro, Daniel Patrick Murphy, Deacon Byron Phillips, Anna Reed, Teri Ruzicka, Denise Schumaker, Andrea Stanley and Mary Yingst

PARISH ACTIVITIES:



Women's Club is having a SOUP SALE. We will be taking orders November 5/6. All orders must be placed by November 11, 2016. All soup orders will be ready for pick up on November 19/20 after the Mass you designate. Your choice of homemade soups are: Spicy Roasted Butternut Squash Soup (gluten free), Chicken and Spatzle Noodle Soup, Gypsy Vegetable Soup (Moosewood inspired recipe). **All soups are \$8.00/Quart. Fill out an order form, email tamaracriswell@att.net, or call 614-485-2261. Order now for Thanksgiving.**

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR NOVEMBER 5-6

	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS	LECTORS	ALTAR SERVERS
4:30 p.m. Saturday	Deacon Brad & Matt Tillett	Matt Tillett	Aaron Schwirian & Ryan Schwirian
9:00 a.m. Sunday	Deacon Brad, Elli Moehrman, Marlene Friedman, Dominic Valentino, Mary Helber, Nick Linkenhoker & Patty Spaulding	Neil Dimond	Ben Wolfe & Michael DeLuccia
11:30 a.m. Sunday	Deacon Brad, Susie Gerschutz, Tony Gossman & Bev Finkle	Susie Gerschutz & Tony Gossman	Quino Serantes, Javier Serantes & Aidan O'Reilly
6:00 p.m. Sunday Last Call	Deacon Brad, Rob Cooper, Kathy O'Neill, Alex Phillips, Mallary St. John, Rita Morgan & Nathan Esselburn	Tom Chansky	Aidan Shonk, Zelma Hutton & Harriet Hutton

ALTAR CARE FOR OCTOBER: Pat Brown & Julia Mathew **Linens:** Susan Reeser



From the Pastor's Desk

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Dear brothers and sisters,

Just to keep you updated on Deacon Byron: he is doing well and recovering from issues (probably) related to the meds and blood thinners he is on in recovery from his stroke. Byron is resting at home enjoying some peace and quiet and is expected to make a full recovery. I gave him the month of November off so that upon his return he will be 100%! Continue to keep him in your prayers.

Now that I'm moved in and unpacking, I would like to begin the organization of some parish committees to help me make decisions about the parish. I ask you to discern and pray if you would like to belong to this body of parish leaders. It will involve eight meetings per year. These open committees are organized into three distinct groups. These are: the liturgy committee, the parish life committee, and the buildings and grounds committee. Along with myself and a representative from the finance committee, the chosen chair from each of these three committees will be on the pastor's pastoral council. More to follow later.

God's Peace,
Fr. David



Thank you for your generous response to the Society for the Propagation of the Faith last weekend on World Mission Sunday. While some go

to serve in other countries to develop the Church and serve its people, all of us are called to pray and support the Missions from right where we live. To continue answering this call, download the Mission App, which makes it possible for you to meet and support religious Sisters and Brothers, priests and dedicated lay leaders who provide help and hope in some of the world's poorest places. These missionaries provide essential education and health care, social outreach and advocacy, and pastoral service. They address basic human needs, while in every moment offering spiritual comfort and support to the suffering and the marginalized. Join them in mission every day as you joined them this past World Mission Sunday!

Next week our parish will take up the Collection for the Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA (AMS). The AMS relies solely on private donors in support of its mission, "Serving those who serve" and its ministry to provide the same pastoral care and services to Catholics serving in the United States Armed Forces, enrolled in U.S. Military Academies, undergoing treatment at any of the 153 Department of Veterans Affairs' Medical Centers, working in civilian jobs for the federal government beyond U.S. borders, and the families of these populations, as does any other Catholic diocese. While the salaries and retirement of Catholic military chaplains are paid for by the U.S. Government, the AMS receives no funding from government or the military for its programs and services, including the Co-Sponsored Seminarian Program, which provides priests for home dioceses and for the military chaplaincy. To learn more about the AMS, go to www.milarch.org/nationalcollection



PSR: Children's Religious Education

**NEEDS A PRESCHOOL/KINDERGARTEN TEACHER,
SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS, CLASSROOM VOLUNTEERS**

Would you like to share your faith with children, meet new people, and contribute your time to the parish families? We meet Sundays, 10:05-11:15 a.m.

PLEASE VOLUNTEER. Part-time, anytime you can give. We have a great group of teachers, families, children to share your time and talents. Contact Linda Wolfe at 614-486-0457 or llwolfe1966@gmail.com.



The Knights will be collecting new clothing and toiletries for the Veterans on Veterans Day weekend, November 12th and 13th. We will have Knights at the doors after Masses for any cash contributions that weekend. Underwear, socks, and warm clothing are especially needed. We will provide a detailed list of needed items in the next couple of weeks.

Adult Faith Formation

This week: October 30, 2016 – Faithful Citizenship and the 2016 Election Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship. Key speaker: **Jerry Freewalt** is with the Office for Social Concerns, Catholic Diocese of Columbus. *The session will take place in the 6th grade classroom upstairs.*

Looking ahead: November 6, 2016 – Christ Child Society: Past, Present and Future will present the history of the Christ Child Society, including information about the founder of the national organization, Servant of God, Mary Virginia Merrick. The presentation will include information about the projects of the Columbus Chapter as they relate to the current and future needs of children in central Ohio. **Beth Kistler** is president-elect of the Columbus Chapter of the Christ Child Society. *For questions or suggestions, please contact committee member Marlene Yeldell at myeldell@columbus.rr.com. Full program may be downloaded at the parish website under Faith Formation/Adults.*



2016 Cub Scout Popcorn Sale

The Cub Scouts from Pack 414, sponsored by St. Christopher, will be selling delicious popcorn after Mass. Look for their tables outside of the church.

This is the major fund raiser for the Pack and helps the boys pay for fun activities like camping trips and the pinewood derby. Please stop by and give them your support. There are new OSU tins that would be the perfect Christmas gift for any Buckeye fan.

If you aren't a fan of popcorn, you do have the option to make a Military Donation which will provide popcorn for our troops overseas. This is a great way to spread some joy during the upcoming holiday season!

If you would like to order some popcorn and can't see the Scouts after mass, please contact Popcorn Kernel Jeanette Ferguson. See her after the 11:30 a.m. Mass or send her an email at nettypoho@hotmail.com.

OUTSIDE ACTIVITIES:

Cemetery Sunday Prayer Services will be held at 2:00 p.m. on November 6th, at St. Joseph, Resurrection, Holy Cross and Mt. Calvary Cemeteries.

Egan-Ryan Funeral Home is sponsoring their second annual Veterans Day Food Drive to help our local needy veterans and their families. Join with Egan-Ryan Funeral Services in giving thanks to our Vets and donate to their Veterans Day Food Drive. Nonperishable food items, personal care items and monetary donations can be dropped off at either of Egan-Ryan's two locations at 403 E. Broad Street or 4661 Kenny Road, Monday through Friday, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., beginning November 1st through Veterans Day, November 11th. Call 221-6665 with questions.