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THE FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, JULY 11/12, 2020

ANNUAL HOMECOMING - The St. John's Homecoming Event is being cancelled. Due to the ongoing pandemic, it is no longer feasible to hold the Homecoming Event this summer. We are incredibly disappointed, but the health & safety of our community, friends, & families is our number one priority.

St. John's community has held the Homecoming for 100+ years. This event has been a gathering of our community to socialize & fundraise in order to continue the upkeep of our building & cemetery funds. It is our sole fundraising effort to maintain St. John's. We know times are difficult during this crisis. Please consider making a donation to help out this year. Checks can be made payable to **St. John's Cemetery Fund** & should be sent to Janet Bell, 2535 Dutch Ridge Rd, Guysville, OH 45735-9525.



We look forward to seeing everyone again in 2021 when we can all safely be together.



YARD WORK AT CTK - Anyone interested in joining a crew are invited to gather at 10:00 a.m. for a work day in the yard at CTK on Tuesday, July 14.



LINEN CARE	July 12	July 19
CTK	Janis Tysko	Sue Mabry
STP	Bruce Nottke	Terri Trese

Saturday
 4:30 p.m. (SH) Robert E. Roush (Agnes Roush)
 5:00 p.m. (CTK) Irene & Louise Van Vossel (Yolande Helm)

Sunday
 8:00 a.m. (CTK) Diocesan Seminarians
 8:30 a.m. (SMH) Margaret Kochis (Sam & Brenda Simons)
 9:30 a.m. (SH) Pat Moore (Mike & Margie Lawson)
 10:00 a.m. (CTK) Carmel Colaizzi (Maria Henning)
 10:00 a.m. (HC) Roger Dillon (Mary Jane Cotter)
 12:00 p.m. (CTK) People of the Parishes
 6:00 p.m. (CTK) For Couples Preparing for Marriage

Monday
 8:00 a.m. (STP) Bruce Steiner (Beth Steiner)

Tuesday
 8:00 a.m. (STP) Saunders & Halley Families
 (John & Blaine Halley)
 8:30 a.m. (SMH) Peter Stetson (SMH CWC)

Wednesday
 8:00 a.m. (STP) Healing/Strengthening for Those With
 Terminal Illness
 8:30 a.m. (SH) People of the Parishes

Thursday
 8:00 a.m. (STP) Diocesan Seminarians

Friday
 8:00 a.m. (STP) Extraordinary Form
 8:30 a.m. (SH) Greater Protection for the Unborn
 12:15 p.m. (CTK) Stella & Carmine Morelli (Maria Henning)

Saturday
 4:30 p.m. (SH) Ellen Smith (Kevin & Sue Keeney)
 5:00 p.m. (CTK) Dec. of the Davoli/Bray Family (Joanne Bray)

Sunday
 8:00 a.m. (CTK) Bruce Steiner (Rick & Eileen Sirois)
 8:30 a.m. (SMH) Joe Pidcock (Paul Stenson & Jeannine Morris)
 9:30 a.m. (SH) Pat Moore (James Moore)
 10:00 a.m. (CTK) Zelda Howard (Janet & Kenneth Bell)
 10:00 a.m. (HC) Betty McDonald (Carl & Karen McDonald)
 12:00 p.m. (CTK) Diocesan Priests
 6:00 p.m. (CTK) Holy Souls

SACRED HEART SERVANTS OF MARY
PRAYER FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE

*Mother of God & our Mother, pray for us to
God the Father of mercies that both this
pandemic & racial tensions end soon, &
restore our nation to peace.*

SACRED HEART ROOF UPDATE - Three weeks ago we mailed a letter to parishioners asking for pledges to help with the new roof for Sacred Heart. At this point, \$27,155 has been pledged, & \$19,625 has been paid. Thank you for your generosity!

POMEROY K OF C NEWS - The Pomeroy K of C has donated \$4200.00 for the replacement of Sacred Heart Church roof.

Congratulations to the winners of the Fish Fry Bonanza:

\$50.00-Richard Davis

\$100.00-Steve Peters

\$100.00-Rose Denison

\$250.00-Teresa Hollis

\$500.00-Stephanie Salisbury



SCHOLARSHIPS - Meigs Cooperative Parish is now accepting applications for scholarships. Applicants must be a member of a church affiliated with the Meigs Cooperative Parish. Applications can be picked up at the office & must be returned to the co-op no later than October 10th by applicant's pastor.



FORMED - An option to learn more about various aspects of our faith is to check out Formed.org. Free access to the program is available with our parish code: **8RX4WV**. Once you've registered, there is a great variety of content available! You will be able to find ways to grow in your understanding of faith & vocation.

MT. CALVARY CEMETERY - Just a reminder that plastic flowers are not allowed on the graves at Mt. Calvary in Athens. They can damage mowing equipment.

SUMMER WITH ATHENS CATHOLIC TEENS

ACT is still offering faith-forming & fellowship opportunities for the youth in our parish. All in Grades 9-12 (including upcoming high-schoolers & those recently graduated) are welcome!

Catch Up With ACT: Monthly "Zoom" Meetings filled with online games, activities & fun.

Connect With ACT: Bi-Weekly Video Series created by the ACT Team to be used as a prayer-tool & a way to "connect with" God.

Outdoor Adventures: Hiking, Kayaking, Fishing or Biking... Vote online!

Join our Flocknote for more information by emailing Abby Swintek at as450214@ohio.edu.



ATHENS KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS

Thanks to all who helped with the Mt. Calvary Cemetery cleanup! We got rained out a little sooner than planned, but the large turnout helped get a lot of work done quickly, & the results are beautiful! It was great to see parishioners gathered & working together! Smiling faces, conversations, the Holy Spirit was with us.



The monthly meeting of the Knights is Tuesday, July 14, at 7:00 p.m. in the HFC. We'll be making plans to finish the painting projects in the HFC.

FLOCKNOTE - We've been using Flocknote to communicate with you over the last few months. We usually send a weekly update to all community members on Friday mornings which includes the links to the livestream Masses & bulletin announcements for all the parishes.

If you are not receiving these messages, please check your email's spam/junk/clutter folders. If you have any questions or need help, please contact Mary Catherine (mkennedy@athenscatholic.org).

