Mass Intentions

Monday, March 16, 2015
7:00 p.m. Jenny and Fred Topi (Grandniece, Laura)

Tuesday, March 17, 2015
12:15 p.m. In Honor of St. Patrick
(Children of Holy Rosary)

Wednesday, March 18, 2015
12:15 p.m. Beverly Battista (Marie Fratus)

Thursday, March 19, 2015
7:00 a.m. Special Intention

Friday, March 20, 2015 – Day of Abstinence from Meat
12:15 p.m. George and Mabel Powell (Shirley & Debbie)

Saturday, March 21, 2015
5:00 p.m. John Vorobel (Wife & Children)

Sunday, March 22, 2015 – Fifth Sunday of Lent
8:30 a.m. In Honor of St. Anthony
(St. Anthony Women’s Society)
11:00 a.m. James Fatika (Bibiana Fatika)
8:00 p.m. Living and Deceased of Holy Rosary

Daily Readings, Feast Days & Observances:

Monday, March 16:
Is 65:17-21; Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12a, 13b; Jn 4:43-54

Tuesday, March 17:
Ez 47:1-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 5:1-16

Wednesday, March 18:
Is 49:8-15; Ps 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18; Jn 5:17-30

Thursday, March 19: Solemnity of Saint Joseph
2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27, 29; Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22; Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a

Friday, March 20: Day of Abstinence
Wis 2:1a, 12-22; Ps 34:17-18, 19-20, 21 and 23;
Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

Saturday, March 21:
Jer 11:18-20; Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-10, 11-12; Jn 7:40-53

Sunday, March 22: Fifth Sunday of Lent
Jer 31:31-34; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 14-15; Heb 5:7-9; Jn 12:20-33

St. Joseph Table – Mass and Dinner
The annual parish observance of the Solemnity of Saint Joseph will be delayed due to the renovation of the church. It is rescheduled for Thursday, April 16th with Mass at 6:00 p.m. and the annual dinner to benefit the needy will follow. Tickets will be available next week after the Sunday morning Masses (at coffee/ donuts) or from the Parish Office during business hours. Tickets are $15.00 adults and $5.00 for children under age 12.

With Gratitude & Appreciation
Weekly Budget: $6,500.00
March 8: $5,406.36

Thank you for your generosity!
For information about electronic giving through Faith Direct, visit faithdirect.net. The Parish Code for Holy Rosary is OH473.

Upcoming Parish Events:

Sunday, March 15: • PSR/Atrium, 9:30 a.m.-11:00 a.m.
• First Communion preparation for children, 11:10 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Tuesday, March 17: RCIA at 7:00 p.m. (Adult Ed Room)
Topic: Sacrament of Marriage

Wednesday, March 18: Communal Penance at Sacred Heart of Jesus at 7:00 p.m. Note: No confession at Holy Rosary this evening.

Friday, March 20: Day of Abstinence from meat.
• Eucharistic Adoration following 12:15 p.m. Mass until 1:45 p.m.
• Stations of the Cross at 7:00 p.m. in the Church Hall

Sunday, March 22: • PSR/Atrium, 9:30 a.m.-11:00 a.m.
• First Communion preparation for children, 11:10 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
• Pre-Baptism Preparation, 2:00 p.m. (Adult Ed Room/school bldg.)

Lenten Communal Penance Service
There will be a Communal Penance Service at our cluster parish, Sacred Heart of Jesus, on Wednesday, March 18th at 7:00 p.m. Several priests will be in attendance and please note that this is the only Communal Penance Service for Holy Rosary during Lent (1545 South Green Road, South Euclid Ohio).
(Note: There will not be Confession at Holy Rosary this evening.)

Lenten Reminders & Stations of the Cross
Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence from meat for those age 14 and older. Good Friday is a day of both fast and abstinence. Fasting applies to those 18-59 years of age (only one full meal during the day with two lighter meals and no eating between meals). We invite you to one hour of Eucharistic Adoration after the 12:15 p.m. Masses on all Fridays of Lent.
All are welcome to pray the Stations of the Cross on all Fridays of Lent at 7:00 p.m. in the hall.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS for March 21-22
Lectors:
5:00 p.m. Rosetta Vercellino
8:30 a.m. Colleen Bosworth
11:00 a.m. Caroline Koepe
8:00 p.m. Edward Occhionero

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:
5:00 p.m. Len Okuly, Lin Okuly, Tammy Moore
8:30 a.m. Mike Trentenalli, Fred Karboski
11:00 a.m. TBD
8:00 p.m. Steve Bacik, Heather Pindel, David Pindel

Altar Servers:
5:00 p.m. J. Moore, C. Moore
8:30 a.m. C. Karboski, L. Karboski
11:00 a.m. M. Doyle, G. Seddon
8:00 p.m. S. Bacik, M. Fallon
My Dear Parish Family:

During their journey in the RCIA process (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults), our candidates, already baptized in a Christian faith, are given the opportunity to renew their personal relationship with the Cross, its purpose and significance. In November, during a day of reflection, they each were handed a cross made simply from two twigs to hold and meditate upon. On a Saturday morning just three weeks ago, while preparing for the Rite of Continuing Conversion, they each held a larger Crucifix, meditating upon the body of Jesus nailed to the Cross. In two weeks, during their retreat, the candidates will experience the Crucifix standing tall in the Sanctuary of the Church and, with the Spirit of Christ in them, give thanks for bringing them full circle to the Eucharistic Table of our Lord.

The many months of discernment and preparation were not without periods of darkness, confusion and questions. Each candidate persevered and opened their hearts and minds to deepening their relationship with Jesus Christ, hearing His words and allowing His Light to diminish and eventually eliminate the darkness and confusion that once prevailed.

Is not this the purpose of the Church’s Lenten retreat… for you and I to persevere by intensifying our bond with Christ, recognizing His Light and allowing it to overshadow that particular obstacle that brings darkness into our lives?

This fourth Sunday of Lent is known as “Laetare” Sunday. [Laetore – a Latin word that means “rejoice”] In the midst of our Lenten journey, the Church gives us this time to rejoice as we await the joy that will be ours at Easter. The readings for this week remind us that God is kind, merciful, but He is also just: the faithful are saved – the unfaithful destroyed. Saint Paul’s letter vividly speaks about how death overshadows us when we sin. It is God’s great love for us that brings us back to life in and through His Son, Jesus Christ – the light of our lives.

In the Gospel, Saint John tells us that this can only happen if we choose to accept God’s mercy and live in His love.

We are already midway through Lent. Many of us have the best of intentions to do something special during this time, but it doesn’t always happen the way we plan. It’s not too late to deepen your relationship with Jesus. You may want to emulate our candidates and begin by just tenderly holding a Crucifix in your hand, touch the wood and the corpus of our Lord and visualize His passion… His fate. Imagine what it was like for Him to hang on this cross… all for us. In these last few weeks, if it hasn’t already happened, come to know Him as the Light of your life, and come home to the Table of our Lord, Jesus Christ.

In Christ,
Anne DeMarco
Pastoral Associate

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***This Week’s Schedule***
Monday, March 16, 5:45 p.m. Labre Homeless Outreach meets at Sigma Chi to bring food & friendship to those outside. Contact Labreinfo@case.edu to volunteer.

Tuesday, March 17, 6:15 p.m. Lectio Divina Bible Group in the IFC. Contact Peter Liao at pll21@case.edu for more information.

Tuesday, March 17, 7:30 p.m. Lenten Bible Discussion Group in the IFC. Contact Ondrej Maxian at oxm60@case.edu for more info.

Thursday, March 19, Dinner at 6:30 p.m., Weekly Newman Night in the IFC at 7:00 p.m. Bill Boomer, Director, Diocesan Marriage & Family Ministries, will join us to discuss, “Building Healthy Dating Relationships – A Common Sense Catholic Perspective.”

Thursday, March 19, 8:00 p.m. in the IFC, Newman Vision Planning Meeting. Come share your ideas, volunteer to help lead our Labor Day weekend 2016 retreat, or learn how you can be a FYSH guide.

Saturday, March 21, 4:00-6:30 p.m. Neighborhood Connections Meal in E. Cleveland. We need students to help serve a special pre-Easter dinner to our neighbors at Our Family Home Center. Contact Sharon at sxb671@case.edu to volunteer!

***Upcoming Events***
Tuesday, March 24, 4:30-6:15 p.m. Sacrament of Reconciliation in Amasa Stone Chapel. Snacks available, pizza to be delivered at 6:15 p.m.

Saturday, April 18, 9:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Nature Retreat at West Creek Metroparks. Connect with God in nature to learn about watershed stewardship. Water use is one of the global environmental concerns of Pope Francis.

See details about Newman’s HoneyBaked Ham Easter fundraiser on the next page...

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**IMPORTANT RENOVATION REMINDER**
Just a reminder that all Masses will be held in the hall during the renovation process and we thank you for your patience during this time. Please note that the hall will be unlocked a half-hour before all Mass times. We also ask for your patience in the parking lot. Please use caution when driving, especially mindful of the pedestrians entering and exiting the school building.
CRS Rice Bowl – Continues During Lent
Join our parish community and more than 13,000 Catholic communities across the U.S. in a life-changing Lenten journey with the Catholic Relief Services Rice Bowl. Please pick up your family’s Rice Bowl today, and don’t forget to download the CRS Rice Bowl app! Remember, your Lenten sacrifices change lives.

Respect Life Ministry: The Holy Rosary Respect Life Ministry meets the third Monday of each month following the 7:00 p.m. Mass at approximately 7:40 p.m. in the Adult Ed Room of the School. The next meeting will be on March 16.

Stitch Ministry Invitation
In March the Stitch Ministry invites you to stitch on Thursday, March 19, from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in the Adult Education room in the school. We will not meet on the 2nd Thursday in March. We have an ongoing need for tied fleece blankets (all sizes), baby blankets (all sizes), hats and/or scarves for toddlers/small children & adults. We will also accept your donations of gift cards, yarn and fleece fabric. Blankets may be made or purchased. Contact Patricia Cornacchione at (216) 791-7166 or via email at cornacchione@sbcglobal.net for more information. See next page for more information...

Annual Men’s Conference
Diocese of Cleveland
"Answer the Call" – Presented by the Catholic Men’s Fellowship of Northeast Ohio. Saturday, March 21, Villa Angela St. Joseph High School at East 185th Street and Lakeshore Boulevard, Cleveland. Registration/ Breakfast at 8:00 a.m. Conference at 9:00 a.m. Includes lunch, confession and closing Mass celebrated by Fr. Norm Douglas at 4:00 p.m. Register online at www.cmfneo.com or call 877-208-5585. $35.00 for a single registration/$15.00 students. If you are interested in a group discount with Holy Rosary Men’s Ministry, call Fred at 216-321-4596.

Holy Rosary Capital Campaign
Continuing the Tradition
PARISH GOAL: $1,300,000.00
Pledges Made to date: $1,083,592.80
Payments Made to date: $683,162.73
We are grateful for the sacrificial pledges and payments made by parish families and friends who believe in Continuing the Tradition that is Holy Rosary. If interested in pledging, please call (216) 421-2995. Thank you for your generosity and prayers.

Catholic Charities Annual Appeal
If you did not receive a letter about the 2015 Catholic Charities Annual Appeal, we invite you to pick up an envelope at the tables near the exits. This annual appeal represents the chance for all Catholics to join with our beloved Pope Francis in opening our hearts to live joyfully and generously. Please consider a generous gift and pray for the success of this important Appeal. Open Your Heart to Live Joyfully and Generously! www.catholiccommunity.org/2015Appeal.

Holy Rosary Lenten Work of Mercy for the Elderly
Please help Saint Augustine Manor to care for the elderly poor in their facility on Detroit Road on the near west side. During the Sundays of Lent through March 22nd, boxes will be located near the hall doors for donations.

The following items have been requested:
- Deodorant (for men and women) • Toothpaste
- Old Spice after shave for men • Hand or body lotion
- Shampoo and conditioner • Kleenex or Puffs
- Disposable briefs, all sizes • Pants, size medium through 2X
- T-shirts, size medium through 2X
- White crew socks, men’s or women’s
- Party napkins, plates and cups • Snacks
- Electric razors • Coin purses • Playing cards
- Large print books • Copy paper

The Holy Rosary Respect Life Ministry thanks you in advance for your generosity during this Lenten season.

Could you use a HoneyBaked Ham for Easter?
HoneyBaked hams will be delivered to Holy Rosary & ready for pick-up between 4:30 and 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday, April 1. Two ways to order. In person order forms will be available at the entrances to the worship space. Just fill one out and bring cash or check made out to “Newman Campus Ministry-OCFE” to the Rectory or Sharon. Or, if you prefer to use a credit card, you may order online. Just go to the HoneyBaked Ham fundraiser website and search for Newman Campus Ministry in Cleveland or email Sharon at sxb671@case.edu for the direct link.

Proceeds to benefit the Newman Campus Ministry retreat and service trip scholarship fund.

40 Days for Life – Lenten Vigil
Now through March 29, join in 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. Pray peacefully outside Preterm, Cleveland, or at other locations in our area. For more information or to volunteer, call John at 216-245-9744 or via email at clevelandpraysforlife@gmail.com. You may also visit the website at www.40daysforlife.edu/cleveland.

The New One in Faith Hymnals Have Arrived
If you are interested in making a donation toward the new hymnals that will be used by our parish, please come to coffee/donuts after the Sunday morning Masses today or call 216-421-2995 or visit the Parish Office this week. The new hymnals also contain the order of Mass and the Sunday readings. The donation is $17.00 each and a personalized nameplate will be placed in the front of the hymnal. For those parishioners who made donations toward new hymnals in 2006, those requests will be honored. Because there are a number of hymnals still available, they are being offered in addition to those previously donated. Thank you!
Pray for those in the Military, Law Enforcement & Firefighters

- Third District Cleveland Police • Battalion 1 Cleveland Firefighters • City of Bedford Safety Forces • Firefighter Nicholas Angie, Kirtland • First Lieut. Timothy Berger, Marines • Sgt. Dan Clementi, Shaker Hts. Police Dept. • Rct. Frank DiPenti, Marines • Lt. Guy Estergall, Cleveland Fire Dept. • Patrol Officer Christopher Frato, Jr., Shaker Heights • Firefighter Joseph Frato, Akron • Cpl. Aaron Gobidas, Marines • Ryan Gvora, Mayfield Heights Firefighter • William Madan, Mayfield Heights Firefighter • Nicholas Mandato, Air Force • Sgt. Miles McGreehan, US Army Reserves • Sgt. Sean Moriarty, Army • Sgt. Kevin Owens, Beachwood Police Dept. • Stevan Previte, Air Force • Joseph Della Rosa, US Coast Guard • Captain Jonathan Royer, Marines • Firefighter Michael Scabbo, Bedford • Matthew Scalsi, Cleveland Clinic Police Dept. • Deputy Rex Smith, Minnehaha County, SD • Mark Stack, Marine Reserves & Lorain Firefighter • Patrol Officer Matthew Sustarsic

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Please pray for the following from our community:

Karen Algiro • Frank Horvath
Maria Alvares • Aileen Hyden
Jim Anderson • Josie Falorio Kolus
Michael Antonacci • Rose LaMattina
Danny Antonacci • Salvatore C. Lamont
Donna Antonacci • Lida
Judy Barnhart • Morgan Maloney
Karina Bellissai • Bobby Mandato
Susan Bartlett • Norma Mandato
Betty Bienet • Ron Mandato
Gabriella Bogardy • Robert Manion
Susan Borgmann • Theresa Manocchio
Lisa Boyd • Brian Martin
Baby Eleanor Ann Bramante • Jim Martin
Britt • Denise Martinez
Michael K. Buckholz • Terri McGee
Mary Ellen Buell • George Mertel
Joanne Burns • Joseph Monaco
Stacey Burnett • Gus Nahra
William Carson Family • Nancy Olah
Ebe Chamberlin • Mark Peck
Jose Christofano • Danielle Pelusec
Marie Cilenti • Michael Peluso
Margaret Cipullo • Emily Pinzone
Patricia Cornacchione • Shane Prichard
Jackie Crabi • Ray
Thomas W. Cullinan • Alexis Renick
Michael P. Curran • Holly Renick
Mary D’Angelo • Susan Royer
Dawn Darcangelo • Bob S.
Charles Davis • John Sabetta
Frank DiLillo • Donnie Sack
Anthony Dottore • Joann Sack
Sadie Falorio • Tom Satyshur
Alison Feighan • Antonino Scarpeti
John Feighan • Bill Schaefer
Lynne Feighan • Zeta May Sikole
Evelyn Francioli • Charles Skripko
Maureen Gannon • Joe E. Strumbly
Anthony Gatto • John Swicki
Jackie Gallagher • Karyn Thomas
Nick Grasso • Jeff Vandermeulen
Marilyn Hanlon • Cordelia Willetts
Ron Hanlon • Donald Worthington
Michalina Hocevar

You are invited to join with The Stitch Ministry of Holy Rosary Church to provide Baby Blankets for Birthright International in Cleveland Between March 25, The Annunciation, and May 31, The Visitation

You can participate either individually or as part of your own group:
- Make & donate a baby blanket or quilt, knitted, crocheted, quilted, tied fleece
- Buy and donate a baby blanket or quilt
- Make and donate 6” squares (knitted or crocheted) for a community blanket

This is the perfect project for:
- Any needleworker who knits, crochets, quilts, sews, or anyone who can tie fleece
- Any needleworker who wants to stitch as part of a group effort
- Any school or youth group
- Any non-needleworker who can purchase and donate a blanket

As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another as good stewards of God’s varied grace. (1 Peter 4:10)

Contact Patricia Cornacchione at 216-791-7166 or cornacchione@sbcglobal.net if you want to gather for stitching and fellowship; if you need inspiration for choosing a knit or crochet pattern or have no patterns of your own or need instructions for making a tied fleece blanket; if you want to stitch but cannot provide your own yarn; if you have acceptable yarn for another to use, or if you have any questions.

Since 2012, you have given 160 blankets to Birthright. Thank you!

All of your gifts can be dropped off at the Parish Office during business hours between May 16 and May 31 or in the Stitch Ministry box in the Church Hall. Please include your name with your donation (your name will remain at Holy Rosary).

About Birthright International:
Birthright provides caring, nonjudgmental support to girls and women who are distressed by an unplanned pregnancy. They provide friendship and emotional support, free pregnancy testing, and maternity and baby clothes, as well as give information and referrals to help clients meet legal, medical, financial, and housing needs. Birthright treats each woman as an individual who deserves kindness and respect, as well as personal attention to her unique situation. All Birthright services are free, absolutely confidential, and available to any woman regardless of age, race, creed, economic or marital status. Four locations in our area: Parma, Lakewood, Mentor, Cleveland • 24-hour toll-free hotline: 800-550-4900 • www.birthright.org • Thank you!

Pre-Baptism Session at Holy Rosary
If you are anticipating the Baptism of your first child, we invite you to register for the next Pre-Baptism Preparation Session at Holy Rosary on Sunday, March 22 at 2:00 p.m. in the Adult Ed Room in the lower level of the school building. Call Tammy at 216-421-2995, ext. 18.