

Thank you for the following collections:

Easter Sunday \$6642.00

Students \$10.00

Holy Thursday \$568.00

Good Friday Collection for the Holy Land
\$383.00



**MASS
INTENTIONS**

Sunday, March 30th

9:00 am Clara Sulkowski

11:00 am Mary "Corkie" Jones

Monday, March 31st

NO MORNING MASS

Tuesday, April 1st

8:30 am Anna Blaha

Wednesday, April 2nd

NO MORNING MASS

Thursday, April 3rd

8:30 am Edward Gill and the Gill Family

Friday, April 4th

8:30 am James Kara

Saturday, April 5th

9:30 am First Reconciliation Service

4:00 pm St. John Nepomucene Parish

Sunday, April 6th

9:00 am Gloria Lasecki

11:00 am Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Clark

Rosary – Rosary is held at 8:00 AM on weekdays when morning Masses are celebrated.

Baptisms – The 2nd & 4th Sunday of the month at 12:00 PM. Parents are required to attend Pre-Baptism Class. Arrangements must be made a minimum of 2 weeks prior to the date of baptism.

Weddings – Parishioners are to contact the rectory office at least 6 months in advance of the wedding to schedule an appointment.

Sick Calls – Please notify the rectory office to bring the Sacraments when a member of your family is hospitalized. Call the parish office or our Pastoral Minister, Heidi Madsen.

Godparent and Sponsor Certificate – Sponsors for Baptism or Confirmation must be **registered** and practicing members of the Church, attending weekly and Holy Day Masses for a minimum of 3 months prior to the celebration of the Sacraments for which they have requested the certificate. If you attend mass, but are not registered, please contact the parish office so that you can be registered here.

Sunday, March 30th

Rice Bowls–It is NOT TOO LATE to turn in your Rice Bowls. Drop off boxes are provided at the Holy Family side altar, or you can drop them off at the Rectory during office hours. Thank you and God bless you for your participation in Operation Rice Bowl.

Monday, March 31st

PSR 6:30-8:00 pm

NO RCIA

VPL II 7:00 pm (Immaculate Heart)

Thursday, April 3rd

ALANON Meeting 1 pm (rectory basement)

Enrollment Advisory Council Meeting 7-9 pm
(social hall)

Friday, April 4th

First Friday Holy Hour for Vocations 7:30 am

The Avilas of the Catholic Diocese of Cleveland were formed in 1971 for the sole purpose of praying for new vocations as well as for perseverance for those already called.

Please join us!



FRIDAY NIGHT BINGO
Early Birds 6:45 PM Regular Games 7:00
DOORS OPEN 4:45 pm

Saturday, April 5th

NO First Saturday Devotions

First Reconciliation 9:30 am

Sunday, April 6th

St. Joseph Society Breakfast following 11:00 mass

Baptism Class-Before you baptize your child, parish and diocesan policy require you to complete a Baptism Preparation Class. The next class will be held at St. Stanislaus Parish on **April 6, 2008** at 1:00 pm.

It is necessary to call 341-9091 if you plan to attend

Elections-SJN Parish Council is currently seeking persons interested in serving the parish as Parish Council members. Please consider giving of your time & talent and serving your parish. For more information please contact the rectory office at 641-8444.

Please keep in your prayers

the sick or hospitalized that through our prayers they will receive comfort and strength remembering Rose Tyburski and Wilma Vitigoj.



Sanctuary Guild Volunteers

April 2nd thru April 15th

D. Dobransky, D. Gromovsky, and Toni Suchy



Just to let you know

We have many people who attend weekly mass and are not registered here at St. John Nepomucene Parish. **If you are not receiving monthly envelopes** chances are we do not have you in our parish registry.

If anyone is interested in becoming a parishioner, please complete a registration form, located in the back of the church, and either mail it to the parish rectory or drop it in the weekend collection basket.

You may also get a form by calling the rectory office at 641-8444.



**Registration Opens at
St. John Nepomucene School**

St. John Nepomucene School is accepting registration for new students in Grades 1-8 and Kindergarten. Please bring the following: Birth Certificate, Immunization Records, Custody Papers (if applicable) and the registration fee of \$150 for the first child and \$70 for any additional children. Call the school office at 216-341-1347 to schedule an appointment.

St. John Nepomucene School is chartered and fully accredited. We offer a quality Catholic education committed to giving students the opportunity to Grow in faith and academic excellence since 1903!

The Ohio Education Department has announced the availability of the Cleveland Scholarship and Tutoring Program Applications for the 2008-2009 school year. Please call the school for information 341-1347.



St. John Nepomucene School is participating in the Abitibi Recycling "Schools on Goal" program, which ends in March. Please bring any acceptable recycling to the drop off bin by **March 31st** for pick up to help with this contest. Please help support St. John Nepomucene and recycle for the future.

We will still continue to recycle but this is the last day for the contest.

APRIL LOTTERY



It is not to late to purchase April Lottery tickets!

Tickets are available at the rectory office. The cost of a ticket is \$5.00 and is valid April 1st thru April 30th. The **Daily prize is \$100.00** when your number comes in straight. The Drawing is based on Ohio's 3-Digit **EVENING** Lottery Drawing. Numbers available are 000-999.



Community News

World day of Prayer for vocations is Sunday, April 13, 2008 Let us pray for Catholic priests, brothers, sisters, deacons, married and single people. Let us come together at the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist, as a diocese from 4 pm to 5:30 pm. Benediction, songs, and prayers for vocations, hear vocation stories, and hear young people witness to the value of Catholic vocations. Sunday Liturgy at the Cathedral will begin at 5:30 pm.

The 50th Wedding Anniversary Celebration will be held at the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist, on Sunday, July 27, 2008 at 2:30 PM. The Most Reverend Richard G. Lennon will be the Principal Celebrant. Reservations are now being accepted for couples married 50 years (married in 1958). Couples who are celebrating other significant years 55 or over or missed previous Celebrations are welcome to attend. Seating is limited at the Cathedral. Number of guests will be determined by the seating capacity and total number registered. Please call the rectory office at 216-641-8444 by June 11, 2007 to register.

The next Pre -Cana Program for couples anticipating the Sacrament of Marriage will be held at the Jesuit Retreat House on **April 20, 2008** at 12:45 PM.

This program satisfies the requirement for marriage preparation as stipulated by the Catholic Diocese of Cleveland. Please call 440-884-9300 for more information or registration.

We are currently updating records and would appreciate if you would write your email address on your weekly envelope

Plant the Seed!!

**St. John Nepomucene Ministry Fair
April 12th and 13th in the social hall
After all masses**

Come and see the many wonderful organization and ministries we have to offer here at St. John Nepomucene Parish.

Great new opportunities exist to become involved in our parish and school.

Everyone is called to be involved in our parish mission to proclaim Jesus Christ as Lord in word, sacrament, community, witness, and service.

What is missing from our Ch__ch? U R !!

Calling all Searchers!

With 2008 being the 40th anniversary of the Akron CYO Search Program, we are seeking all Search Alumni to help celebrate this momentous occasion! The Reunion will be held Saturday, September 20th at Camp Christopher in Bath, Ohio.

Search Alumni wishing to receive more information about the upcoming reunion or willing to help in the planning stage, please email Louise Grizer lgrizer@akroncyo.org or 330-762-2961 ex 220.

St. Edward High School

Presents "Brigadoon"

April 11-13 and April 18-20.

The Edwardian Players include students from Magnificat High School and St. Joseph Academy, in addition to the young men of St. Edward. There is a dinner theater on Saturday, April 19th sponsored by the Performing Arts Boosters. For more information call 216-221-0793 ex 209 or go to www.sehs.net/arts.html.

The **St. Edward High School Mother's Club** is hosting a brunch to raise funds to benefit the young men who attend the school.

The **Champagne Brunch** will take place on Sunday, April 20, at 11:30 am at the Lakewood Country Club. A vintage fashion show "A Walk Through History" will be presented.

For tickets contact Michelle Tarr 216-316-0252 or mtarr@sbcglobal.net

Community News

Villa Angela-St. Joseph High School

Presents "Charlie and the Chocolate Factory"

April 25th and 26th at 8:00 pm

April 27th at 2:00 pm

Pre-sale tickets are available by contacting Matt at 216-481-8414 ex 235 or at morgovan@vasj.com.

Beaumont School

Discover the Beaumont Experience!

Beaumont Spring Open House

3301 N. Park Blvd.

Wednesday, April 16th 6:30-8:00 pm

Call 216-321-2954 for more information.

Jesuit Retreat House

Day Retreat: The Call to Service

April 8th, 9:00 am-2:30 pm

Conducted by Patrick Cleary-Burns

How do I serve God as God deserves? That is the guiding question of this day retreat focusing on generous service. For more information or to register, call 440-884-9300 or go to www.jrh-cleveland.org/registration

Cornerstone of Hope

Programs offered to those grieving the death of a loved one. The programs are designed to be supportive, education and interactive. They provide an opportunity for all age groups to meet and share with those experiencing feelings of grief and loss. For more information call 216-524-3787.

Wednesdays at Karlin Hall

Polka bands every Wednesday at 7:30 pm
Czech Meals by Ron Smotek from 5:30-7:30 pm.
Reservations available by calling 581-4362.

The Czech Radio Program of Cleveland,
with **Joe Kocab** can be heard **Sundays**

WERE 1490 AM 1:00-2:00 pm

WHKW 1220 AM 3:03 to 5:00 pm

Certificate

Program

Purchase Gift Certificate!

You will be helping your parish and they make great gifts!

Parents of SJN Grade School and Catholic High School students can **earn \$20 tuition credit for every \$1000 purchased.**

Certificates may be purchased by anyone; parents, aunts, grandparents, neighbors, work associates, etc., and credited to you.

Parishioners may also support the program with proceeds going to our parish.

Certificates Available

\$100.00 Certificates- Giant Eagle, Kohl's, Dave's, Heinen's, J.C. Penney (Kohl's & J.C. Penney certificate may be used to pay on charge accounts)

\$50.00 Certificates-Honey Baked Hams, Home Depot, Lowes

\$25.00 Certificates-Applebee's, Giant Eagle, Heinen's, Dave's, J.C. Penney, Kohl's, K-Mart, Sears, Shell, Speedway, Marathon, BP, Macys (formerly Kaufman's), T.J. Maxx, CVS Pharmacy, Drug Mart, Walgreen's, Old Navy, Dillards, Bed Bath & Beyond, Dick's Sporting Goods, Longhorn, Olive Garden/Red Lobster, Damons, Toys/Kids/Babies-R-Us, GFS (Gordon Foods Services), Mavis Winkle's, Office Max
All in ONE Gift Card-T.J. Maxx cards are accepted at Marshalls, A.J. Wright and HomeGoods (\$25)

\$20.00 Certificates-Bath & Body, The Gap, Pat Catans,

\$10.00 Certificates-Arbys, Malley's Candy, Macys, Bob Evans, Blockbuster Video, Benningans, Borders Books, Waldenbooks, Cracker Barrel, Panera Bread, Toys-R-Us, Bakers Square, Starbucks, Wendy's

\$5.00 Certificates-Burger King, KFC, Mr. Hero, Mr. Chicken

Call the rectory at 216-641-8444 for information!

Home for Sale

4507 Bridgeview Ave in Newburgh Hts.

Call Larry or Lori at 216-224-7747.