



MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, September 21st

9:00 am Jane Harpster
11:00 am Tim Bartoszek Jr;
Joseph Bartoszek Sr.,
Joseph Bartoszek Jr. & Kevin Krusoe

Monday, September 22nd

NO MORNING MASS

Tuesday, September 23rd

8:30 am Living & Deceased Members
of the Jaworski & Jarosz Families

Wednesday, September 24th

NO MORNING MASS

Thursday, September 25th

8:30 am Frank Salamon and
May & Cornelius Stern

Friday, September 26th

8:30 am Edward Bondzio

Saturday, September 27th

4:00 pm St. John Nepomucene Parish

Sunday, September 28th

9:00 am Martin Mangan
11:00 am Living & Deceased Members
of Czech Karlin Club

Thank you for the following collections:

Sunday, September 14th \$3,333.00
Students \$11.00



“He said to one of them in reply, “ My friend, I am not cheating you. Did you not agree with me for the usual daily wage? Take what is yours and go.

What if I wish to give this last one the same as you? Or am I not free to do as I wish with my own money? Are you envious because I am generous?” Thus the last will be first, and the first will be last.”
Mt. 20:13-16

Readings for the Week of September 21, 2008

Sunday: Is 55:6-9/Phil 1:20c-24, 27a
/Mt 20:1-16a

Monday: Prv 3:27-34/Lk 8:16-18

Tuesday: Prv 21:1-6, 10-13/Lk 8:19-21

Wednesday: Prv 30:5-9/Lk 9:1-6

Thursday: Eccl 1:2-11/Lk 9:7-9

Friday: Eccl 3:1-11/Lk 9:18-22

Saturday: Eccl 11:9—12:8/Lk 9:43b-45

Next Sunday: Ez 18:25-28/Phil 2:1-11 or 2:1-5/
Mt 21:28-32

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.



**Church
Cleaning**
September 17th thru September 30th

Jackie Hejl & Elaine Smith

Sunday, September 21st

Catechetical Sunday 9:00 am Mass

Altar & Rosary Society Meeting 12:30 pm

Monday, September 22nd

PSR 6:30-8:00 pm

Tuesday, September 23rd

NO Rosary Making

St. Vincent de Paul Meeting 7:00 pm

Wednesday, September 24th

Choir practice 7:30 pm

New Choir members are welcome as we prepare for our St. Wenceslaus Day Celebration, Christmas, and the Advent Taize Eucharistic Prayer.

The choir also sings for 9:00 am Mass each Sunday, and will continue practicing every Wednesday at 7:30 pm in church.

Currently the choir will be presenting more and more of the Gregorian chants and propers particular to each given Mass in English and Latin. These beautiful chants can really energize our prayers. We will also continue singing our popular sacred songs, modern music, easy polyphony, and Czech & Polish carols.

Join us this week. Questions?
Call Ralph Bednarz @ 216-641-7988

Thursday, September 25th

Alanon Meeting 1:00 pm (rectory basement)

Friday, September 26th

FRIDAY NIGHT BINGO

Early Birds 6:45 pm Regular Games 7:00 pm

DOORS OPEN 4:45 pm



\$1000 RAFFLE DRAWING

All Raffle Tickets need to be turned in!!!

Sunday, September 28th

St. Wenceslaus Day

The 85th Annual Observance of the Feast of St. Wenceslaus at St. John Nepomucene Parish.

The celebration is held in honor of St. Wenceslaus, the Patron Saint of the Czech people.

Bishop Roger Gries will preside and be the homilist at the 11:00 am Mass.

Following the Liturgy, a traditional Czech dinner (pork, dumplings and sauerkraut) will be served in the social hall, catered by Wal-Tam's. The Hronek Czech Band will provide music. Dinner tickets were advanced sale only. Any questions please contact Amy at 216-641-9128.

Catholic Communication Campaign

How did you hear the Good News today?

Next week's collection supports the Bishops' Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC). For more than 25 years, the CCC has been spreading the Gospel message locally and nationally on radio, television, in print, and on the Internet. It is only through donations from Catholic parishioners that the work of the CCC is possible. Please contribute generously to the Campaign in the upcoming parish collection. Half of the collection will remain in our diocese to fund local Catholic communication efforts. Visit

www.CatholicCommunicationCampaign.org for national program information. The Catholic Communication Campaign-it's how the Good News gets around.



The sick or hospitalized that through our prayers they will receive comfort and strength remembering Mary Mally, Ronald Rasoletti, Maureen Seaman, Chester Ryba, Tina Fiscus, Dolores Ruff, Lenore Begin, Ron Walk, Joseph Barbish, Jessica Morrish, Carol Donlin, Grace Volland and Cecelia Filicko, and Kyle Wienschreiner.

May our Loved ones who have died rest in eternal peace, remembering Loretta DiVencenzo, mother of Matt Garran.

Pre -Cana Program for couples anticipating the Sacrament of Marriage will be held at the Jesuit Retreat House on **October 19, 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.

Marriage Encounter

Turn a good marriage into a great marriage through a Marriage Encounter Weekend! Recharge your marriage; give your spouse the gift of yourself and your time. The next weekend scheduled is **September 26th -28th**.

For more information and reservations call Ken & Rose Breen at 440 899-9002 or register online at www.wwme.org/new.html.

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 Sacred Heart Parish on **October 5th** at 12:30 pm. It is necessary to call them at 341-2828 if you plan to attend

St. John Nepomucene Regional Parish School of Religion is accepting registration for new students in grades 1-8 for the 2008-2009 school year. We accept and serve children from Slavic Village and Southeast Cleveland parishes. So invite a friend, relative, or neighbor to join us in learning more about our faith. Classes are held every Monday evening from 6:30 pm-8:00 pm. **Hurry, classes began September 8, 2008! It is not to late!** Please call Judy Lasecki at 216-641-8444 Ext. 29 for more details and to register

Family Day-September 22, 2008 Dinner Makes a Difference!

Dinnertime is the perfect time to connect with your kids on a daily basis. Through the reflective prayers said during grace plus the array of favorite meals served and the loads of laughs shared about the day's events, you can help continually feed your child's mind, body and soul. To learn more about Family Day and to join parents across America in taking the Family STAR pledge, log on to www.CASAFamiyDay.org

Certificate Program

Check out our selection of gift certificates.

Certificates for groceries, restaurants, and gasoline make great gifts!

→ *Did You Know?* → Parents of SJN Grade School and Catholic High School students, **you 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- Acme Market, Giant Eagle, Kohl's, Dave's, Heinens, 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, Acme Market, Giant Eagle, Heinen's, Dave's, J.C. Penney, Kohl's, K-Mart, Sears, Shell, Speedway, Marathon, BP, Macys, T.J. Maxx, CVS Pharmacy, Drug Mart, Walgreen's, Old Navy/Gap/Banana Republic, Dillards, Bed Bath & Beyond, Dick's Sporting Goods, Longhorn, Olive Garden/Red Lobster, Damons, Toys/Kids/Babies-R-Us, GFS (Gordon Foods Services), Office Max, Texas Roadhouse, TGI Fridays

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

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

\$15.00 Certificate- Subway

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

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



Upcoming events at St. John Nepomucene Parish

1st Annual Classic Car Show
Oct 18, 2008 from 9:00 am to 2:30 pm

2nd Annual Tailgate party Oct 19, 2008

Tailgating begins at 12 noon after mass
Game time 4:15 pm

**If you are interested in working any of these
events or have any questions contact**

Kathy Bartoszek at 216-288-2115
or 440- 526- 6824.

October Lottery Drawing

St. John Nepomucene Parish sponsors a Lottery Drawing at the cost of \$5.00 a ticket. This drawing is based on Ohio's 3-Digit **EVENING** Lottery Drawing. The daily prize is \$100.00 when you number comes in straight. Tickets for the October Drawing are valid October 1st thru October 31st, and numbers available are 000 thru 999.

Tickets may be purchased at the Rectory during office hours:

Monday thru Friday 8:30 am-4:30 pm
Evenings Monday thru Thursday 6-8:30 pm
Saturdays 9:00 am-3:00 pm



Entertainment 2009 Books

Our Parish in conjunction with Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish will be selling the Entertainment 2009 Greater Cleveland Edition Entertainment Books.

You can begin using your book as soon as you purchase it! The cost of a book is \$25.

Books are available at our rectory.



St. John Nepomucene Parish is participating in the
2009 Enjoy the City Fundraiser.

The Cost of a book is \$20 and is available at the rectory.

Enjoy The City coupon books feature thousands of dollars in savings at many of the area's most popular places.

Congratulations

Joseph A. Fortuna, parishioner and SJN School alumni, graduated Cum Laude from Cincinnati College of Mortuary Science. He will join the Fortuna Funeral Home staff as an apprentice.

Step Out

Walk to Fight Diabetes

What: 4k

When: Saturday, October 4, 2008 @ 10 am

Where: Time Warner Cable Amphitheater
at Tower City

Did you know?

...23.6 million children & adults in the U.S. suffer from diabetes

Help Fight Diabetes

Contact Anne Zuchowski @ 216-401-0776 to be part of a team.

Donations Accepted:

Checks payable- American Diabetes Association. Donations may be dropped off at the rectory during office hours, dropped in the weekend collection or mailed to:

American Diabetes Association
Attention: Anne Zuchowski
44 East Schaaf Rd,
Brooklyn Hts, Oh 44131

Registration at St. John Nepomucene School

St. John Nepomucene School is still 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.