



Sunday, May 31st

9:00 am *Albina Selva*
11:00 am *Paulette Krockner*

Monday, June 1st
No Morning Mass

Tuesday, June 2nd
8:30 am *Bertha Valters*

Wednesday, June 3rd
No Morning Mass

Thursday, June 4th
8:30 am *Norbert Nieszczur*

Friday, June 5th
8:30 am *Al Dooley*

Saturday, June 6th
4:00 pm *St. John Nepomucene Parish*

Sunday, June 7th
9:00 am *Tim Widhalm*
11:00 am *John Papushak*
7th Anniversary

Stewardship of Treasure

Sunday, May 31 st	\$2281.00
Memorial Gifts	190.00
Improvement Fund	52.00
Utilities	117.00
Ascension	5.00
Diocesan Development	5.00

Thank you for your continued generosity and continued financial support.

Sick Calls – Please call the rectory to arrange for Father Jasany to bring the Sacraments when a member of your family is hospitalized.

Weddings – Parishioners are asked to call the rectory office at least 6 months in advance of the wedding to schedule an appointment with Father Jasany

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. Before parents baptize their child Diocesan and parish policy requires you to complete a Baptism Preparation Class. **The next class will be on Sunday, June 7th at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish at 11 am.** Please call 216-641-2829 to make a reservation.

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. Please note individuals 18 years of age and older, no longer in school, should register as adults. If you attend mass, but are not registered, please contact our parish office so that you can be registered here.

Pre -Cana Program for couples preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage at the Jesuit Retreat House on **June 7th at 12:45 pm.** This program satisfies the requirement for marriage preparation as stipulated by the Catholic Diocese of Cleveland. Register at 440-884-9300 or online at www.jrhcleve@att.net

Readings for the Week of May 31st

Sunday: Dt 4:32-34, 39-40/Rom 8:14-17/
Mt 28:16-20

Monday: Tb 1:3; 2:1b-8/Mk 12:1-12

Tuesday: Tb 2:9-14/Mk 12:13-17

Wednesday: Tb 3:1-11a, 16-17a/
Mk 12:18-27

Thursday: Tb 6:10-11; 7:1bcde, 9-17;
8:4-9a/Mk 12:28-34

Friday: Tb 11:5-17/Mk 12:35-37

Saturday: Tb 12:1, 5-15, 20/Mk 12:38-44

Next Sunday: Ex 24:3-8/Heb 9:11-15/
Mk 14:12-16, 22-26

Monday, June 1st

Altar & Rosary Society Board Meeting
6 pm at the rectory

Tuesday, June 2nd

Rosary at 8 am before Mass
Finance Council Meeting 7 pm

Wednesday, June 3rd

Rosary Makers 10 am – Noon
Liga Morska Meeting at 11 am at
Cuyahoga Hts. Village Hall
Adult Ed – 6:30 pm “A Quick Journey
thru the Bible”
Choir Practice 7 pm

Thursday, June 4th

Rosary at 8 am before Mass

Friday, June 5th First Friday

Avila holy Hour 7:30 am

We are all invited to pray for new vocations
and for perseverance for all those who serve
the church. One Hour-No Dues, No
Meetings....Just Prayer!

Saturday, June 6th

Market Day PickUp 10:30-11:30

First Saturday Devotions 3:15 pm

Sunday, June 7th

**This weekend,
Saturday &
Sunday our Altar
Society will be**



holding a Bake Sale along with a split raffle
and lottery ticket raffle. Please stop in the
school hall after this weekend's masses to
purchase some bakery. You also have the
opportunity this weekend to purchase raffle
tickets for the drawings if you haven't
already done so.

MEMBERS – Please remember to drop off
your lottery tickets for the drawing as well
as your baked goods. You can bring these to
the school hall on Saturday, after 3 pm or
before the Masses on Sunday. You can also
drop off your lottery ticket purchases at the
rectory.

**The first stop on the Year of Consecrated
Life Pilgrimage is with the Adrian
Dominican Sisters, who staffed St. John
Nepomucene School from 1903 to 1990.**

You are invited to St. Dominic Parish,
19000 Van Aken Blvd in Shaker Hts from
1:30–4 pm to learn more about who the
Dominicans are today and to take a video
tour of the Motherhouse in Adrian,
Michigan. The Dominican Sisters who
currently minister in the Diocese look
forward to meeting and greeting you.

**Please Note – The Fatima Holy Hour
scheduled for Sunday, June 14th** has been
cancelled due to the Altar & Rosary Meeting
which is scheduled for the same time.

The ladies who conduct the Holy Hour are
also members of the Altar & Rosary Society.

The next Fatima
Holy Hour is
scheduled for
Sunday,
July 12th.





For those who are sick and those who care for them, may they receive comfort and strength through our prayers, remembering especially

Agnes Bartoszek, John Balciar, Gwen Beres, Mary Ann Betliskey, Bill Bican, Bill Connors, Corrine Dawe, Dolores Dobransky, Jose Dybzinski, Kristin Hill, Lucy Konkoly, Raymond Kraushaar, Judy Lasecki, Cindi Magyar, Gavin Minc, Marilyn O'Mera, Nancy Recko, Brianna Rhine, Elaine Stack, Virginia Turowski, Seymour Ullman and Rob Zanath.

May our Loved Ones who have died, rest in eternal happiness in heaven remembering especially Reverend Kenneth J. Wolnowski, whose funeral will be held on June 9th.

For the Men and Women serving in the military, especially those from our parish and their families.

Congratulations to the Winners of
May's \$1000 Raffle!!!!

\$1000 Winner – Thomas Janiak
\$100 Ticket Seller – Barbara Janiak

\$10.00 Consolation Winners
Corrine Dawe, Carol Golembiecki,
Ernest Tench, Dave Lanzola
& Pauline Kowalski

Our June Drawing will be held on Sunday, June 28th. If you are interested in receiving a monthly \$5.00 book of tickets please call the rectory office.

Sanctuary Guild Volunteers
May 27th thru June 9th
Barbara Nieszczur, Andrea Powers
& Toni Suchy

STEWARDSHIP –In today's Gospel and reading from the letter of St. Paul we hear of the gift of the Triune God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit. In our devotional life we make the sign of the cross and recite the "Glory Be" as an expression of our faith as a Trinitarian people. But what does it mean for Christian stewards to accept in a practical way the experience of God in this three-fold gift? Is it a call to share our own life in community, with compassion and love, and to work for healing, justice, peace and unity? Is it an invitation to invite others into fellowship with us in the unity of the Father, Son and Spirit?

The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is June 26th-28th at the Clarion Inn; Hudson, Ohio. Call Lori and Scott at 330-305-963 to register. Dates and Registration are also available at WWME.org

The Newburgh Heights Annual Community-Wide Garage Sale will be held on Friday, June 5th & Saturday, June 6th. Permits are available for sellers. Maps are also available. Both are at the Village Hall, 4000 Washington Park Blvd. Call 216-641-4650 if you have questions.

All are invited to attend Catholic Renewal Ministries 33rd Annual Conference to be held on July 17th & 18th at Magnificat High School in Rocky River. Guest speakers will be Lloyd and Nancy Greenhaw and Father John Gordon, and local clergy Bishop Roger Gries and Father Damian Ference. This year's theme is "Father Make Us One." For registration information call Shirley or Tom Fumich at 440-327-1226 or visit www.crmweb.org. Advance registration through July 8th is \$30 and at the door \$35. Come experience the healing power and gifts of the Holy Spirit.

KAREN'S KORNER

Did you know that there are certain platitudes that make me crazy? One of them is “God only gives you what you can handle.” Well, what if you can’t handle it? Does that make you a bad person? People have said, “Well, it’s biblical!” Sorry, no it isn’t! The closest I can come is from 1 Corinthians 10:13 which says, “No temptation has overtaken you that is not common to man. God is faithful, and he will not let you be tempted beyond your ability, but with the temptation he will also provide the way of escape, that you may be able to endure it”. Hmmmm, doesn’t say exactly the same thing, does it?

I also go crazy when people say, “Well, God took him/her to heaven.” Sorry, death is not of God! God does not cause death or disease or other suffering! God Is Love. 1 John 4:18 says, “There is no fear in love, but perfect love casts out fear. For fear has to do with punishment, and he who fears is not perfected in love.” When sin entered the world, so did suffering, disease and death. These things are not the result of God, but of the evil that entered the world in the Garden of Eden.

The Catechism of the Catholic Church states: “Angels and men, as intelligent and free creatures, have to journey toward their ultimate destinies by their free choice and preferential love. They can therefore go astray. Indeed, they have sinned. Thus has moral evil, incommensurably more harmful than physical evil, entered the world. God is in no way, directly or indirectly the cause of moral evil. He permits it, however, because he respects the freedom of his creatures and mysteriously, knows how to derive good from it.” (311) in the YouCat, (Youth Catechism) the explanation is clarified a little more: “Evil in the world is an obscure

and painful mystery. Even the Crucified asked his Father, ‘My God, why have you forsaken me?’” (Matt. 27:46) Much about it is incomprehensible. One thing, though, we know for sure: God is 100 percent good. He can never be the originator of something evil. God created the world to be good, but it is not yet complete. In violent upheavals and painful processes it is being shaped and moved toward its final perfection. That may be a better way to classify what the Church calls physical evil, for example, a natural catastrophe. Moral evils, in contrast, come about through the misuse of freedom in the world. “Hell on earth” – child soldiers, suicide bombings, concentration camps—are usually man-made. The decisive question is therefore not, “How can anyone believe in a good God when there is so much evil?” but rather, “How could a person with a heart and understanding endure life in this world if God did not exist?” Christ’s death and Resurrection show us that evil did not have the first word, nor does it have the last. God made absolute good result from the worst evil. We believe that in the Last Judgment God will put an end to all injustice. In the life of the world to come, evil no longer has any place and suffering ends. God sees the end, we do not. God does not cause pain and suffering. Period. But He helps us through it!

Keep your eyes and ears open and I will see you soon! Karen

Dr. Carolyn Woo, President & CEO of Catholic Relief Services will speak at St. Clarence Parish, 30106 Lorain Road on Thursday, June 4th from 7-8:3 pm. This **FREE** talk, titled Faith, Action Results will describe how CRS responds to the call of the Gospel to serve the poorest and most vulnerable.