

Mass Intentions

Monday	November 2nd <u>All Souls' Day</u> <u>Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed</u> 5:00 p.m. All Souls *7:00 p.m. <i>All Souls Prayer Service</i>
Tuesday	November 3rd <u>Martin de Porres, religious</u> 8:30 a.m. Anthony Larizza Family
Wednesday	November 4th <u>Charles Borromeo, bishop</u> 5:00 p.m. Deceased of the Kovacs and Pawelski Families
Thursday	November 5th 8:30 a.m. Walter Clare
Friday	November 6th 8:30 a.m. Bob O'Donnell
Saturday	November 7th 9:00 a.m. Ernest E., Sr. and Sophia Bedocs 4:30 p.m. Jean Baumann
Sunday	November 8th <u>32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time</u> 8:00 a.m. Andrew O'Connor 9:30 a.m. Living & Deceased of the Herman & Dolores Plas Family 11:00 a.m. Living & Deceased Members of St. Mary Parish

Readings for the Week of November 2nd

Mon	Wis 3:1-9; Ps 23:1-6; Rom 5:5-11; Jn 6:37-40
Tue	Rom 12:5-16; Ps 131:1-3; Lk 14:15-24
Wed	Rom 13:8-10; Ps 112:1-2, 4-5, 9; Lk 14:25-33
Thur	Rom 14:7-12; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Lk 15:1-10
Fri	Rom 15:14-21; Ps 98:1-4; Lk 16:1-8
Sat	Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27; Ps 145:2-5, 10-11; Lk 16:9-15
Sun	1 Kgs 17:10-16; Ps 146:7-10; Heb 9:24-28; Mk 12:38-44

In your prayers...

This week, please remember all in our parish community, the intentions in our intention book, our family and friends in need, especially: *Ann Lou, Barb, Bette, Bob, Brooke, Carmen, Charlie, Chuck, Cookie, Dan, Darlene, Dottie, Eli, Jack, Jim, Kathy, Kelly, Linda, Lois, Martha, Mary, Mary Lou, Matt, Merry, Michael, Pat, Paul, P.J., Sarah, Shadia, Sharon, Tom, Vicki* and all who have asked for our prayers.



STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Faith Direct (10/15/15)	\$4,038.00
Sunday Collection (10/25/15)	\$8,126.49
Envelopes	240
Tuition Assistance	\$653.15

Thank you for your generosity.

[2nd Collection November 1st - Helping Hands Ministry]
[2nd Collection November 8th - Women's Shelter]



My Friends,

This Sunday is the Feast of All Saints. We affirm our belief in the communion of saints each time we pray the Nicene Creed at Mass. It reminds us of the intimate link we share with those who have gone before us. Their intercession, or maybe a better way of saying it, their love draws us together into deeper union in God who is love. The example of their lives inspires us to live the gospel in our day and time so that we can sit down with them at the Eucharistic feast. The more we are aware of their encouragement and intercession, the more we are able to be faithful to God's will for us and complete the course as St. Paul did. There is a tremendous force and energy for good that we can tap into by deepening our relationship with the saints. Daily reading of the lives of the saints is a wonderful way to grow in our own spirituality.

Monday, November 2nd, is All Souls Day. Our belief in Purgatory reminds us of all that is yet to be redeemed in the Body of Christ. We pray for all who have yet to share in the full joy of the heavenly feast. We hold in prayer our own family members who go before us. On Monday evening, we remember in a special prayer service all of our parishioners who died this past year. May they rest in peace.

With the election day coming up on November 3rd, you will find an insert in the bulletin from Bishop Lennon and the bishops of Ohio regarding issue #3. I can't believe that we would give any kind of consideration to legalizing marijuana. Thanks to some slick advertising by big money, it seems like the only reasonable thing to do. We have an incredible drug problem in this state. I don't see how issue #3 is a solution. We keep adding more drugs and guns and wonder why society is unraveling!

Finally, I thank all who made a contribution toward our matching grant of \$25,000. We are up to \$11,585. It would be great if we could take advantage of the full grant. There is still time to make a donation.

Fr. Charlie



Please pray for the repose of the souls of *Edna May Coleman, John V. Radachi* and *Marie A. Schroeder* who died this past week and for the consolation of their loved ones.

All Souls Remembrance
Monday, November 2, 2015

A Prayer Service will be held at 7:00pm
to remember all our beloved deceased especially those
who have died during the past year.

Pre-Baptism Class will be **Wednesday, November 11th** from **6:30-8:30pm** in the Weigand Room. Babies & Godparents are welcome to come with the Parents. To register, please call the Parish Office at 323-5539. Our next class will be February 17, 2016.



This Week in our Parish

Monday November 2nd
 5:30 p.m. Helping Hands Ministry - Conference Room
 6:30 p.m. P.S.R. - St. Joseph & Marian Buildings
 7:00 p.m. All Souls Prayer Service - Church followed by reception in Weigand Room

Tuesday November 3rd
 11:00 a.m. Hot Meals Planning Meeting - Conf. Room
 12 Noon Senior Luncheon - Weigand Room
 6:00 p.m. Brownies - Green Room
 7:00 p.m. Wellness Group - Conference Room

Wednesday November 4th
 6:00 p.m. Cub Scouts - Green Room
 6:00 p.m. Teen JAM - Cahill Library
 6:30 p.m. Shelter Volunteers - Weigand Room
 7:00 p.m. Choir - Choir Loft

Thursday November 5th
 9am - 5pm Eucharistic Adoration - Lower Church
 2:30 p.m. Girl Scouts/Brownies - Art Room
 7:00 p.m. Bible Study - Cahill Library

Sunday November 8th
 9:30 a.m. Liturgy of the Word with Children
 11:00 a.m. Pre-School P.S.R. - St. Joseph Building
 5:00 p.m. Hot Meals - Cafeteria

Parents, Grandparents, Aunts, Uncles - anyone who is a primary care giver to a child or works with children is invited to the 'Called to Protect' Information Meeting on **Mon., Nov. 9th** at **6:30pm** in the Weigand Room. 'Called to Protect' is a program that is offered through the Diocese of Cleveland in addition to the 'Virtus' program and was created to build awareness of and give information on how we can keep our children safe. If you have not already attended a 'Called to Protect' meeting, please join us.




Our Parish will be serving dinner next Sunday, November 8th from 5-6pm in the School Cafeteria. Volunteers are always appreciated to serve or help with preparation at 3pm.

Elyria Catholic High School invites prospective students & their families to their **Open House** on **Sun., Nov. 1st** from **11:30am-2pm**. All those interested in Elyria Catholic are invited to come, visit and meet with teachers, staff & coaches. Freshman Placement Exam dates are **Sat., Nov. 7, 2015** & **Sat., Jan. 9, 2016** beginning at **8:30am**. Please register online at www.elyriacatholic.com. For more information, contact Annie Cunningham, Dir. of Admissions & Marketing at 365-1821 ext. 116.

FIRST FRIDAY FORUM, NOVEMBER 6TH: Our speaker will be Most Rev. Richard G. Lennon, DD, MTh, MA., who will offer his thoughts on our Holy Father, Pope Francis', first visit to America. Join the First Friday Forum for spiritual refreshment, fellowship & good food at LCCC Spitzer Conference Ctr., 11:30am. Tickets: \$17. RSVP by calling the reservation line 440-244-0643 or ffflorain@gmail.com by Monday, November 2nd.

Gentle Woman Fellowship will meet Fri., Nov. 6th at St. Clarence Parish Ctr. 30106 Lorain Rd., N. Olmsted beginning at 9:30am. Fr. Tom Hagedorn, Pastor Emeritus, St. Patrick, Westpark will be our speaker - his topic will be "The Women Disciples of Jesus." All women are welcome. No reservations needed. Bring a friend. Questions? Call Mary 458-5063 or Mary 235-6258.

 For 30 years the Sisters of Charity of St. Augustine have been blessed with Associates, women and men who share their charism of charity, namely, love given freely as Jesus did in response to needs in their families, parishes and work. To learn more about CSA Associates "Come and See" on Saturday, November 7th, 2015 from 1:30 - 3pm at Mt. Augustine, 5232 Broadview Rd., Richfield, OH 44286. Contact Margaret Ann Jablonski at 216-398-6913 or margaret.jablonski@sbcglobal.net to register.

Natural Family Planning: Learn about your faith and a method of family planning that goes beyond the physical. NFP classes start Monday, November 9th, at University Hospitals Medical Building in Westlake. More info and registration online www.neo-nfp.org.

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The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is a journey process for those interested in the Catholic Faith. If you have never been baptized, were baptized in another Christian community, or were baptized Catholic and have not received the sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation, or know of someone interested in learning about the Catholic Faith please contact Sister Mary Dorothy at 440-323-5539.



The next Senior Luncheon will be Tues., November 3rd. We will begin with lunch. The presentation is titled: *A Virtual Tour of The Plymouth Plantation*. The cost of the luncheon is \$5.00. Please call in your reservations to Sister Mary Dorothy at 323-0140. We look forward to a great meal, good fellowship and game of BINGO for those who wish to stay. Bring a friend and enjoy a great afternoon.

JOIN US FOR A RELAXING EVENING of "Vino & Ale" on Saturday, November 14th from 5:30 until 10pm in St. Mary Hall. Your \$10 ticket entitles you to hors d'oeuvres, a complimentary drink ticket for beer or wine and a performance by "Essence" featuring St. Mary's own Tim Pope & Robert Steinmetz. (Cash bar available.) Reserve & pay for a table of 8 by November 7th and receive 8 additional drink tickets. Tickets are available in the Parish Office or by calling 322-3561 or 322-9704.