

MondayOctober 12th5:00 p.m.Joann BosleyTuesdayOctober 13th8:30 a.m.Robert Bergman

Wednesday October 14<sup>th</sup> Callistus I, pope/martyr

5:00 p.m. Clara Smith

Thursday Oct. 15<sup>th</sup> Teresa of Jesus, virgin/dr of the Church

8:30 a.m. Grant, Tim and Pat Keys

<u>Friday</u> <u>October 16<sup>th</sup> Hedwig, religious;</u>

Margaret Mary Alacoque, virgin

8:30 a.m. Paul and Harriet Pionk

Saturday Oct. 17<sup>th</sup> Ignatius of Antioch, bishop/martyr

9:00 a.m. John Russell

2:00 p.m. Wedding: Trevis Waters & Audra Dill

4:30 p.m. Living & Deceased Members of St. Mary Parish

**Sunday** October 18<sup>th</sup> 29<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. Lillian and Don Zvosec

9:30 a.m. Leo Pitts

11:00 a.m. Living & Deceased James Ross Family

Readings for the Week of October 12<sup>th</sup>

Mon Rom 1:1-7; Ps 98:1-4; Lk 11:29-32 Tue Rom 1:16-25; Ps 19:2-5; Lk 11:37-41 Wed Rom 2:1-11; Ps 62:2-3, 6-7, 9; Lk 11:42-46 Thur Rom 3:21-30; Ps 130:1-6; Lk 11:47-54

Fri Rom 4:1-8; Ps 32:1-2, 5, 11; Lk 12:1-7 Sat Rom 4:13, 16-18; Ps 105:6-9, 42-43; Lk 12:8-12

Sun Is 53:10-11; Ps 33:4-5, 18, 20, 22; Heb 4:14-16;

Mk 10:35-45

## *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, Brooke, Carmen, Ceil, Chuck, Darlene, Dottie, Eli, Jim, Linda, Lois, Mary, Michael, Pat, P.J., Sarah, Shadia, Tom, Vicki and all who have asked for our prayers.

## STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Sunday Collection (10/04/15) \$12,146.63 Envelopes 271 Helping Hands Ministry \$1,427.00

## Thank you for your generosity.

[2<sup>nd</sup> Collection October 11<sup>th</sup> - Capital Improvement Fund] [2<sup>nd</sup> Collection October 18<sup>th</sup> - World Mission Sunday]



My Friends,

October is a time when we reflect on our commitment to our parish through our stewardship. We are stewards, not masters, of God's gifts. He blesses us with time, talent and treasure to help build up the kingdom of God. Over the next couple of weeks we will pray and reflect on our commitment for the coming year. There are so many ways in which to give of yourself in service of our parish mission. Pope Francis says that we cannot be indifferent to the needs around us. I ask once again if you are not involved in a parish activity of some kind that you give it some thought over these coming days. It is in parish activities and programs that we get to know one another and grow together as a parish family.

This week, the parish Finance Council is making its annual report to the parish. As I have mentioned before, the parish school is putting a strain on our budget. We will need to grow our income to meet our budget needs. We are presently working on an alumni association as a source of support for our continued operation. If you have addresses of former graduates, we would love to send them a letter to be a part of the association.

We will also focus on developing legacy giving in the month of November. Gifts from the past have assisted us with some major capital improvements. Presently, we have had to undertake some work on the church steeple. The wind was blowing off some of the wooden finials which created a hazard for people walking by. We have an opportunity through an anonymous gift to match up to \$25,000 to assist us in covering this expense. If you are able to make a contribution, place the money in an envelope marked for the 'matching grant' and put it in the collection.

Stewardship is not only about treasure, it also entails time and talent. We will have an opportunity in the coming week to indicate how we would like to be involved personally in the life of the parish. Please begin reflecting and praying now to discern what God is calling you to do.

Fr. Charlie



Please pray for the repose of the souls of *Albert R. Plas* and *Martha Peloquin* who died this past week and for the consolation of their loved ones.



II Alistair Shaw & Elizabeth Stewart
III Trevis Waters & Audra Dill

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. If you have someone whom you would like to have remembered, (who has died this past year), please call Sister Mary Dorothy at 323-5539.

#### TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



### This Week in our Parish

Monday October 12th

5:30 p.m. Helping Hands Ministry - Conference Room P.S.R. - St. Joseph & Marian Buildings 6:30 p.m.

October 13<sup>th</sup> Tuesday

5:00 p.m. Hot Meals - Cafeteria 6:00 p.m. Brownies - Green Room

Spiritual Development - Conference Room 6:30 p.m.

October 14th Wednesday

5:00 p.m. Youth Community - Lower Church 5:30 p.m. Youth Community - Cahill Library

6:00 p.m. Cub Scouts - Green Room

1st Reconciliation Parent Meeting-Weigand Room 7:00 p.m.

7:00 p.m. Choir - Choir Loft

October 15th **Thursday** 

**Eucharistic Adoration - Lower Church** 9am - 5pm Altar & Rosary - Rosary & Benediction 11:00 a.m. + Luncheon & Meeting - Weigand Room

Book Club - Cahill Library 7:00 p.m.

Hotel on the Corner of Bitter & Sweet by Jamie Ford

October 18<sup>th</sup> **Sunday** 

Blood Pressure Checks - Weigand Room 9 - 11a.m. 9:30 a.m. Liturgy of the Word with Children 11:00 a.m. Pre-School P.S.R. - St. Joseph Building Secular Franciscans - Lower Church 1:30 p.m.

200 CLUB WINNER: 10/11/15 Barb Jezewski #165



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.



"REVISITING OUR FAITH TRADITIONS" will be held in the Conference Room on Tues., Oct. 20<sup>th</sup> at 7pm. Our topic will be 'The Patriarchs - Part 1: Genesis 12, 15-18, 22-24". \_----

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# Altar & Rosary Society

St. Mary's Altar & Rosary Society will meet this Thursday, Oct. 15<sup>th</sup> in the Lower Church at 11am for the Rosary and Benediction followed by a luncheon and business meeting in the Weigand Room.

All ladies of the parish are welcome and encouraged to join and become active members of the Altar & Rosary Society -Dues are \$7/year. Membership envelopes can be found in your October/November offertory packet.



Blood Pressure checks will be available next Sunday, Oct. 18<sup>th</sup> after the 8 & 9:30am Masses in the Weigand Room.



St. Mary School Fund Raiser

Marco's Pizza Day 649 S. Abbe Rd ~ Elyria



Make it a Pizza Day! Stop in at Marco's Pizza on Thursday, October 15<sup>th</sup> - be sure to mention that you are from St. Mary's when you order and we will receive credit.

[The next Marco's Pizza Day will be Thursday, December 10<sup>th</sup>.]



**Halloween Party** & Trunk-or-Treat Sunday, October 25th

[Beginning at Noon in the Parish Hall]

Questions? Please contact Mike Parobek at 323-8208 or Caitlin Valley at 309-0712.

\* Attention all NEW Parish Members [Families & Individuals who have joined the Parish - Oct. 2014 to present]: You are invited to a New Member Dinner on Wed., October 28<sup>th</sup> at 5:30pm in the Weigand Room. Please call Ingrid at 440-452-3259 by Oct. 23<sup>rd</sup> if you are planning to attend.

Book Club will meet Thurs., October 15<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm in the Cahill Library This month's book is: Hotel on the Corner of Bitter and Sweet by Jamie Ford.





Our Parish will be serving dinner this Sunday, Oct. 11<sup>th</sup> from 5-6pm in the School Cafeteria. Volunteers are always appreciated to serve or help with preparation at 3pm.



**THANK YOU** to all who have been participating in the 'Coupons for the Military' program. The coupon collection box is located outside the Green Room in the Lower Chapel. This is an on going program and your donations of coupons are greatly appreciated.

> ~ Magdaline Bomback, American Legion Auxiliary Chaplain

Sponsor of the Week:

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