



Mass Intentions

Monday 5:00 p.m.	Nov. 9th Dedication of the Lateran Basilica Wukie Family
Tuesday 8:30 a.m.	Nov. 10th Leo the Great, pope/dr of the Church Special Intention for Mary Keys
Wednesday 5:00 p.m.	November 11th Martin of Tours, bishop Living & Deceased Members of our Military Services
Thursday 8:30 a.m.	November 12th Josaphat, bishop/martyr Nora and Norman Essenmacher
Friday 8:30 a.m.	Nov. 13th Frances Xavier Cabrini, virgin Jennifer Kaminski
Saturday 9:00 a.m. 4:30 p.m.	November 14th Special Intention for Mary Keys Katie Kindle
Sunday 8:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	November 15th 33 rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Living & Deceased of the Larizza Family Living & Deceased Members of St. Mary Parish Carl Ternes

Readings for the Week of November 9th

Mon	Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; 1 Cor 3:9-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22
Tue	Wis 2:23-3:9; Ps 34:2-3, 16-19; Lk 17:7-10
Wed	Wis 6:1-11; Ps 82:3-4, 6-7; Lk 17:11-19
Thur	Wis 7:22-8:1; Ps 119:89-91, 130, 135, 175; Lk 17:20-25
Fri	Wis 13:1-9; Ps 19:2-5; Lk 17:26-37
Sat	Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9; Ps 105:2-3, 36-37, 42-43; Lk 18:1-8
Sun	Dn 12:1-3; Ps 16:5, 8-11; Heb 10:11-14, 18; Mk 13:24-32

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, Carmen, Charlie, 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

Sunday Collection (11/01/15)	\$12,332.79
Envelopes	276
Helping Hands Ministry	\$1,454.00

Thank you for your generosity.

[2nd Collection November 8th - Women's Shelter]
[2nd Collection November 15th - Tuition Assistance]



My Friends,

This year as part of our October stewardship drive we focused on the social action ministries of St. Mary's. I was overwhelmed by the number of responses that we received. To me, it reflects a positive response to Pope Francis' challenge to the Church to minister among the poor. Our active involvement is what gives credibility to the faith we profess. We see the power of that witness in the life of Pope Francis as people without faith are drawn to him.

This past Wednesday, we had a meeting on our latest endeavor of creating a shelter for women. We now have three women living there with incredible stories. But as one of the women expressed, she does not want to call it a shelter. Her name was a 'Home for a Season.' The purpose is to provide a means for women who are at the end of their rope to get a footing and work toward self-sufficiency. This is where the volunteer help comes in. There are many ways to get involved. This past week, the Reitz's donated a washing machine. A pickup truck and a couple of extra hands would have been helpful. The Lang's donated furniture and housewares as Linda closed out her mother's house.

Mentoring the women through their time at the house to become independent is especially helpful. They will need to develop working and budgeting skills. Many will have personal issues to work through. There may be a need for a ride to the doctor. The house may need a plumbing or electrical fix. These are just some ways we will be involved in the home. Each month, one second collection will be dedicated to support the operation of the home. It will replace the capital improvement collection. There may soon be a possibility of opening up a house to assist men in transition.

This Wednesday, we are having a meeting to address all the social concerns of the parish. Those who signed the survey have been personally invited. But anyone who is interested in the various ministries in the parish are most welcome to attend.

Fr. Charlie



Please pray for the repose of the soul of **Charles Babinec** who died this past week and for the consolation of his loved ones.



I Antony Andrews & Deborah Riedel



Blood Pressure checks will be available next weekend
November 15th/16th after 8 & 9:30am Masses
in the Weigand Room.

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



This Week in our Parish

Monday November 9th
5:30 p.m. Helping Hands Ministry - Conference Room
6:30 p.m. 'Called to Protect' - Weigand Room
6:30 p.m. P.S.R. - St. Joseph & Marian Buildings

Tuesday November 10th
5:00 p.m. Hot Meals - Cafeteria
6:30 p.m. Spiritual Development - Conference Room
6:30 p.m. P.T.U. Meeting - Cahill Library

Wednesday November 11th
6:00 p.m. Cub Scouts - Green Room
6:30 p.m. Pre-Baptism Class - Weigand Room
6:30 p.m. Social Concerns - Cahill Library
7:00 p.m. Choir - Choir Loft

Thursday November 12th
9am - 5pm Eucharistic Adoration - Lower Church

Friday November 14th
5:30 p.m. *Vino & Ale* - Parish Hall

Sunday November 15th
9-11am Blood Pressure Checks - Weigand Room
9:30 a.m. Liturgy of the Word with Children
11:00 a.m. Pre-School P.S.R. - St. Joseph Building
1:30 p.m. Secular Franciscans - Lower Church
6:00 p.m. Teen JAM - Cahill Library

200 CLUB WINNER: 11/01/15 Pat Henderson #114
11/08/15 Kathleen Sieminski #256



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.



Altar & Rosary Society

St. Mary's Altar & Rosary Society will meet next Thurs., Nov. 19th in the Lower Church at 11am for the Rosary and Benediction followed by a luncheon and business meeting in the Weigand Room.

Ladies ~ This is still membership time. All ladies of the parish are welcome and urged to become active members. Meetings are held the 3rd Thursday of the month. Dues are \$7/year [which goes toward keeping the Altar supplied with candles, hosts, wine, etc.] Just drop an envelope in the collection basket marked Altar & Rosary along with \$7, your name, address & phone #.

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.

ADVENT FAMILY NIGHT

The Spiritual Development Commission is sponsoring an Advent Family Night, in the Weigand Room on Tuesday, Dec. 1st from 6:00-8:30pm. Our Advent Family Night this year centers on the Twelve Days of Christmas song, using the book and printed materials from "Our Father Gave to us" by Rebecca Treon Even. Do you know why this song is referred to as "A Carol Catechism"? ~ Join us and find out. The evening is meant to be fun as well as educational. Children of all ages are most welcome. Invite grandparents and other family friends to share this experience with you. A light supper & beverages will be provided. The cost for the evening is \$7.00 per family. Registration forms are available at the entrances of the Church. Registration deadline is Wednesday, November 25th.

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.

Book Club will meet Thurs., Nov. 19th at 7:00pm in the Cahill Library This month's book is: **Brain on Fire: My Month of Madness** by Susannah Cahalan.



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

...and Jesus said...FEED THE HUNGRY

We begin our 12th year of feeding the homeless at St. Joseph's Overnight Catholic Shelter in Lorain on November 21st. If you could contribute a pasta with meat dish, dessert, bread/rolls or salad please call me by Wednesday, Nov. 18th and thank you once again. Also this year I could use a driver for each month to take the food to the shelter 4:30pm on the third Saturday of each month.

~ Maryann 440-458-6159



St. Mary Church along with its family & friends are sponsoring a **Free Thanksgiving Dinner** on Thanksgiving Day from **12 Noon - 3pm** and a **Free Christmas Dinner** on Christmas Day from **12 Noon - 3pm**.

If you are interested in helping with set-up, tear down, decorating, serving, baking, packing or delivery, for either dinner, please email stmaryelyria@aol.com or call the Parish Office 323-5539. Thank you for your support.



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