HOLY FAMILY PARISH

A Catholic faith community called to serve God and others through Eucharist, prayer, education, and daily living of the Gospel values.

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ST. JOHN CHURCH 1405 FIRST AVENUE SATURDAY 4:30 PM SUNDAY 10:30 AM

WEEKEND MASSES HOLY TRINITY CHURCH 201 CLARK STREET SUNDAY 9:00 AM

ADORATION HOLY TRINITY CHURCH MONDAY- FRIDAY 12:30 - 4:30 PM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION ST. JOHN CHURCH SATURDAY 3:30 PM

July 30, 2017

Garage & Bake Sale to Benefit VBS

Saturday - Aug 5th 9 AM - 4 PM

St. John Undercroft

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ACCEPTING DONATIONS!



Friday, August 4th 11 AM - 3 PM PLEASE! NO DONATIONS DAY OF THE SALE!

Accepting clothing, books, small appliances, toys, household items, holiday decor and any miscellaneous items. We are also accepting small furniture items the size that can be transported in a car trunk or the back of a minivan. Call Sandy Richter 937-550-9073 for a pick up of *small* furniture items / household items.

CALLING ALL BAKERS!

We're asking for donations of dessert goodies - cookies, cupcakes, brownies...

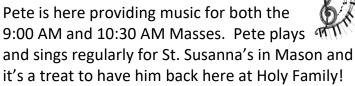


whatever you like to bake! Proceeds benefit 2018 VBS. Please drop off your donation this Friday, August 4th.

LINING UP VOLUNTEERS WHO VBS!

We need volunteers who will help with lifting, sorting, and pricing items as well as cleaning up after the sale. Call Sandy Richter 937-550-9073 or email her sr67murphebayer@aol.com or call the parish office 422-0602. Proceeds from the Garage and Bake Sale benefit 2018 VBS - June 11 - 15, 2018!

Welcome Back Pete Padolik!



17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

The Fifth Sunday Collection for the St. Vincent de Paul Society



Volunteers will be at the church doors after every Mass or drop the special gray envelope for 5th Sunday SVDP donations in the collection basket. Thank you for your

generosity and kind support!

COMING EVENTS



VBS Garage & Bake Sale	Sat Aug 5
Annual Parish Golf Outing	Sun Aug 13
RCIA Informational Meeting	Sun Aug 27
Annual Holy Family Athletics Steak Dinner	Sat Sept 9
Annual Parish Picnic	Sun Sept 10

HOLY FAMILY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday and Sunday - July 29 and 304:30 PM Mass SJCharlie Day - Anniversary Rem.9:00 AM Mass HTCalvin Moon - Birthday Remembrance10:30 AM Mass SJDeceased Members of the Lolli Family

Monday, July 31

12:10 PM Communion Service HT

Tuesday, August 1

No 8:15 AM Mass J23 - Summer Break

Wednesday, August 2

12:10 PM Mass HT Special Intention

Thursday, August 3

12:10 PM Mass HT Fern & Charles Combs - Wed Anniv Rem

Friday, August 4

8:00 AM Mass HT Kelly & Nori Families

12:10 PM Communion Service HT

Saturday, August 5

- 8:00 AM Mass HT Steve Heggi Birthday Remembrance
- 4:30 PM Mass SJ Jean & Jack Buckley

Sunday, August 6 Feast of the Transfiguration

9:00 AM Mass HT Paula Burke

10:30 AM Mass SJ Jack Kiesewetter - Birthday Rem.

Weekly Collections Stewardship Sunday, July 23rd \$10,431

Thank you for your generous stewardship!

MINISTERS NEXT WEEK

Aug 5/6	4:30 PM SAT	9:00 AM SUN	10:30 AM SUN	
Eucharistic	Linda Day 1B	Mary Ann Long 1B	Jane Romer 1B	
Ministers	Ellen Krause 2B	Lorraine Sivy 2B	Roger Romer 2B	
	Franka Cope 3B	Kathleen Wourms 3B	Karen Gregosky 3B	
	John Lyons 1C	Mary Anne Kelley 1C	Rick Gregosky 1C	
	Don Brooks 2C	Alice Brown 2C	Beth McGuire 2C	
	Michelle Brooks 3C	Janet Chase 3C	Rhonda Koenig 3C	
	Jennifer James 4C	Jeanne Higgins 4C	Bridget Clark 4C	
Lectors	Michael Paddock	Valerie Cross	Lois Allen	
	Stephanie Burk	Ed Combs	Todd Moore	
Servers	Nicholas Hill	Kara Jackson	Maia McCurley	
	Jordan Griffith	Jake Johnson	Cohen Nicholas	
Greeters	David Schul D1	Donna Kramer D1	Jane Romer D1	
	Linda Nickell D1	Marilyn Abbott D2	Roger Romer D1	

Daily Scripture Readings

Mon: Ex 32:15-24,30-34 / Mt 13:31-35 Tues: Ex 33:7-11;34:5b-9,28 / Mt 13:36-43 Wed: Ex 34:29-35 / Mt 13:44-46 Thurs: Ex 40:16-21,34-38 / Mt 13:47-53 Fri: Lv 23:1,4-11,15-16,27,34b-37 / Mt 13:54-58 Sat: Lv 25:1,8-17 / Mt 14:1-12 Sun: Dn 7:9-10,13-14 / 2 Pt 1:16-19 / Mt 17:1-9

In Your Prayers Remember Matt Clemens, Zona Courey, and Terry Cochran at Atrium, Angela DiCristoforo in an Indianapolis Hospital, and Mark Hagen at UC West Chester this week.

Health Ministry: What About the Lemon Wedge? Germs are everywhere, yet some



of their favorite hangouts may be less obvious. We are aware of germs on door handles and checkout screens, in restrooms and gas pumps, etc. Did you ever consider that the table at your favorite restaurant could be a hot spot? **Table** - wiped with a cloth that will be used on other tables and at times to wipe off seats. **Menu** - which you hold hasn't been disinfected since it was printed. Hint: Clean your hands *after* you order, not before.

Seasonings - salt and pepper shakers, catsup and other condiment bottles which, if they are wiped off at all it will be with the same cloth that cleaned the tables and maybe the seats. Hint: Handle bottles with a clean napkin.

No "bus staff" - therefore your server must remove dirty dishes as well as serve fresh food. Few have time or think to wash their hands between these two chores.

Lemon wedges - in or on the rim of your water or iced tea glass. Many have touched the often unwashed lemon by handling, cutting, placing in a container and then picking up those slices with often unwashed hands and putting it in your drink. (In several studies it was found that 50% - 70% of the lemons were contaminated with fecal matter and various harmful microbes.) Hint: "No lemon for me this time, thanks." Aside from basic hygiene like hand-washing and choosing a clean restaurant, we really do have to trust our immune system to do its job. Healthy Living/WebMD/AT&T/Yahoo Research Results

Gathering of Widows

Join other widows of the parish for support and community every first Tuesday morning of the month - this August 1st-

at 11:00 a.m. in the Holy Trinity Center. Please call Carol Bishop (937) 746-9090 for more information.

Knights of Columbus Council 1610 Meeting

The K of C Council 1610 monthly meeting is set for this Wednesday, August 2nd at 7:00 p.m. in the Knights Council Hall.

K of C Ladies Auxiliary Meeting

The K of C Ladies Auxiliary monthly meeting is set for this Wednesday, August 2nd at 7:00 p.m. in the Holy Trinity Center.

Do These Questions Sound Familiar?

1) Is there something out there that will energize my spiritual life - some practical application of the gospel message that will give me real everyday-life ways to put my faith into action?

- 2) Is there a group I can join where I can *really* make a difference and help out others in my parish community?
- 3) Where can I find and surround myself with good, caring, upbeat people who are willing to do something positive in the world today?

If you've been thinking these kinds of questions, we hope you'll consider joining the Bereavement Ministry. The Holy Family Parish Bereavement Ministry is made up of four integral groups that offer truly invaluable services to families coping with a loved one's death. You could be involved a little or a lot; work on a team or on your own; be a leader or a worker-bee. Almost everyone in the Bereavement Ministry serves on an as-needed basis, allowing you to participate when it fits your schedule. The Bereavement Luncheon Coordinators do commit to a month and answer the call sometimes just once or twice - sometimes five or six times - during their month, but with enough people on your team, flexible schedules can be accommodated. So by it's nature, there's no real set schedule.

The families that our Bereavement Ministry help at this difficult time are so appreciative and we often receive notes and donations expressing that appreciation. Why not call the parish office 422-0602 and join with other great people who work together in the Bereavement Ministry?

Introductions to Sunday Readings

by Bishop Ken Untener, in collaboration with Catherine Haven and Fr. Bill Taylor



First Reading - 1 Kings 3:5, 7-12

King Solomon ruled about 95 years before Christ. His wisdom was legendary. Today's reading describes an event from early in Solomon's rule that tells how he became a wise person.

Second Reading - Romans 8:28-30

As we continue our reading from the eighth chapter of Paul's letter to the Romans, we will today hear Paul use the word *predestined*. This word does not mean that individuals are locked into a destiny over which they have no control. Rather, it means that in Christ, God provides abundant grace for everyone.

Ministry Planners meet with family members to help them choose readings and hymns for their loved one's funeral, as well as schedule Lectors, Servers, Greeters and Eucharistic Ministers for the Mass. They coordinate with the celebrant, organist, luncheon coordinator, and funeral home staff.

Funeral Mass Ministers volunteer as Lectors, Servers, Greeters and Eucharistic Ministers. Family members will sometimes choose to participate as Eucharistic Ministers and Lectors for the funeral. Volunteer ministers offer support by filling in as needed.

The **Bereavement Choir** group join together to sing at the funeral Mass. Volunteers don't necessarily belong to any other parish choir and there are no individual parts to sing. The songs that are chosen are familiar to every Catholic. The blending of voices in celebration of the funeral Mass are truly a comfort to the family.

The **Bereavement Luncheon** group is made up of volunteers who prepare and serve a luncheon for the family and friends after the funeral. Many volunteers donate a variety of side dishes and desserts while others work as hosts for the luncheon.





Happy Birthday Ruth Gambill!

Ruth celebrates her 101st birthday on Monday, July 31st! Hope you have a great birthday!



*** August Dates to Remember ***

Parish Bocce League Thursday nights - HT Grounds Early Birds @ 4:30 p.m. / Night Owls @ 6:45 p.m.

Gathering of Widows Tuesday, August 1st at 11:00 a.m. in the Holy Trinity Center

K of C Council #1610 Meeting Wednesday, August 2nd at 7:00 p.m. in the K of C Council Hall

K of C Ladies Auxiliary Meeting Wednesday, August 2nd at 7:00 p.m. in the Holy Trinity Center

VBS Garage & Bake Sale Saturday, August 5th 9 AM - 4 PM in the St. John Undercroft

St. Vincent de Paul Meeting Monday, August 7th at 7:00 p.m. in the Holy Trinity Center

Msgr. McNary 4th Degree Assembly Meeting Tuesday, August 8th at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Hall

Men's Fellowship second and fourth Saturdays of the month - August 12th and 26th 7:00 to 8:30 a.m. in the St. John Rectory

Annual Parish Golf Outing Sunday, August 13th shotgun start at 1:30 p.m. at Wildwood Golf Course

RCIA Informational Meeting Sunday, August 27th after the 10:30 AM Mass - St. John Rectory

Wanted: Volunteers to Film 2017 BFHS Football Games



The Bishop Fenwick Football program is seeking two to three volunteers who

would be interested in filming our football games during the 2017 season. Contact Assistant Coach Matt Mulligan mmulligan@fenwickfalcons.org or call / text Matt at 513-594-6243.

Save the Dates!

Saturday, September 9th!

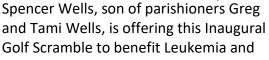
Annual Holy Family Athletics Steak Dinner Sunday, September 10th! Annual Holy Family Parish Picnic



Links for Leukemia & Lymphoma **Inaugural Golf Scramble**

In Honor of Parishioner Tami Wells Saturday, September 30th Shaker Run Golf Club







LYMPHOM SOCIETY

Lymphoma and in honor of his mom, Tami, who was diagnosed with leukemia earlier this year. Please go to our parish website www.holyfamilymiddletown.com to download a Sponsorship & Foursome Registration Form. If you can't make the golf outing but would like to make a donation in honor of Tami, please use this form or contact Spencer by phone 513-722-5161 or by email spencerwells@mccequip.com.

1-Fenwick Weekend August 4th- 6th



This weekend event is an

intentional effort to unite the many geographies and years that have all contributed to this great school. Whether you are in one of the 65 graduating classes or are a parent, student or community member that has supported Fenwick, we want you to join us!

Friday, August 4th

All Alumni Class Reunion Night 6:30 to 11:30 p.m. Saturday, August 5th

Falcon 5K Race 8:30 a.m. Pancake Breakfast 9:00 to 11:30 a.m. Golf Outing Honoring Fr. John Civille 1:00 p.m.

Comedy Night 8:30 p.m.

Sunday, August 6th

Community Mass in the school chapel 10:30 a.m. Golden Falcon Brunch in the media center 11:15 a.m. Kyle Babcock Alumni Soccer Game 4:00 to 5:30 p.m. For more information or to register for one or more of the 1-FENWICK activities, please go to our school website www.fenwickfalcons.org. See you there!!

Middletown Preschool Registration Children ages 3 to 5 years old My Child is Ready!

Make sure your child is successful in school by providing them a high-quality



preschool experience. Registration is now open for Fall 2017. Register today by calling 513-785-6850

50th Annual Greek Festival Go Greek for a Day!

Friday - Sunday July 28th - 30th Friday 5 - 10 PM Saturday 4 - 10 PM Sunday Noon - 5 PM Free Admission!



Saints Constantine & Helen Greek Orthodox Church 2500 Grand Avenue, Middletown

Parkinson's Support Group

3 - 4 PM First Wednesday of the Month Atrium Medical Center Professional Bldg Fifth Floor - Classroom 5A



This support group in an informal setting offers an exchange of practical and useful information about treatments, research, and lifestyle adaptations plus an opportunity for people to connect and share similar experiences and tips for living with Parkinson's disease. Group discussions will be facilitated on a variety of topics, such as therapies, medicines and more. For more details call 423-1399.

The Coffee Hour Connection 10 - 11 AM First Wednesday of the Month Dorothy Lane Market, Springboro



Hospice of Butler & Warren Counties is pleased to invite you to The Coffee Hour Connection,

a drop-in support group open to anyone in the community who is coping with the loss of a loved one. The group meets in the upstairs community room at the Dorothy Lane Market in Springboro. No reservation is necessary and coffee and cookies are served. Drop by to talk, listen, or just share a cup of coffee with others dealing with similar challenges. You might even be a help to someone else! Why not stop in this Wednesday, August 2nd?

Pendleton Art Center First Fridays & Second Look Saturdays! *This* Friday & Saturday, August 4th & 5th



The studios are open for First Friday each month from 5:00 to 9:00 p.m. and the following day for Second look Saturday 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. The Pendleton Art Center, BeauVerre Studios, the Middletown Arts Center and many other places are open to celebrate arts, fun, and community pride!

See the Bulletin in COLOR!

Go to www.holyfamilymiddletown.com!



St. John XXII Catholic School Pre-K to Grade 8

by Dawn Pickerill / Principal

TRADITIONAL VALUES. EXCEPTIONAL EDUCATION.

St. John XXIII represents 150 years of Catholic Education dedicated to encouraging and developing well-rounded, self-confident and compassionate children and young adults who lead successful, mindful, service-driven lives. Our school community is the foundation on which our core principles of faith and hard work bind us together as a family.

If you are interested in a Catholic education that provides a challenging, structured and thoughtful learning environment led by highly qualified and experienced teachers, contact Principal Dawn Pickerill at 424-1196 for a meeting and a tour of the school.

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT

After 55 years, the gymnasium at St. John XXIII Catholic School is getting air conditioning. For anyone who has spent any amount of time in our gym, you know how unbearable it can be. There are events where the temperature is in the 90's!

The reason for installing the air at this time is multi-faceted, however, the main reason is that our current boiler system is aging, and while we are fastidious in our maintenance of it, the lifespan is limited. The gymnasium is a huge load on the boiler system, and by installing the HVAC in this space, we will take it off of the current boiler system, thus reducing the load they bear and extending their life to be used for the remainder of the school.

UPCOMING EVENTS

We are hosting a back to school movie night for school and parish families on Friday, August 11th. This event will be held on the football field and we will be showing the movie "Trolls." Admission is \$1.00 per person and the gates will open at 8:00 PM. Please bring blankets to sit on; chairs will not be permitted on the field. Please, no outside coolers, drinks, food, etc.

The concession stand will be open for the event to sell popcorn, pretzels, hot dogs, candy, soda, water, Gatorade, **and** beer. Additionally, the Kona Ice Truck will be here selling snow cones from 8:00 to 10:00 PM. We look forward to seeing many of you there!

Holy Family Parish 24th Annual Golf Outing HOSTED BY FR. JOHN CIVILLE Sunday, August 13th Wildwood Golf Course



Four person scramble

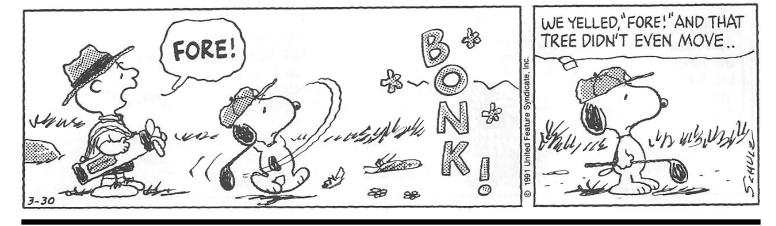
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- Cost of \$55 includes golf, cart, beverages, snacks and dinner along with awards and prizes
- + Shotgun start at 1:30 PM
- + Registration form also on www.holyfamilymiddletown.com

Return the registration form with payment for golf and extra dinners to the parish office or drop it in the collection basket.

Contact Cecelia Nenni 513-594-4550 or <u>cecelia@nenni.com</u> for more information. Due to the popularity of this event the registration deadline is <u>Wednesday</u>, August 9th!

Name	Phone
Golf and Dinner (includes golf, cart, beverages, snacks and	dinner) \$55.00
Dinner only Make your check payable to HOLY FAMILY	
My foursome is: 1) ME	
2)	
3)	
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Baptism Preparation Class - These classes are held quarterly: March, June, September and December. The actual date, time and location will be announced in the weekly bulletin. Please call the parish office to register. **Baptisms** - Please call the parish office to schedule a baptism.

Becoming Catholic - Please call the parish office to find out more about the RCIA process.

Bulletin Deadline - Submit announcements in hard copy or to monica@holyfamilymiddletown.com by noon Tuesday.

Hospitalization or Death in the Family - Please notify the pastor as soon as possible by calling the parish office.

Marriages - Couples wishing to be married must set the date with the pastor at least six months in advance.

Nursery - The Nursery is available in the St. John Center during the Sunday 10:30 AM Mass.

Parish Religious Education Program - Preschool: Sundays 10:15 - 11:30 AM and K - 8th Grade: Mondays 6:30 - 7:30 PM. **St. John XXIII Catholic School** - Parish school for Preschool - 8th Grade - <u>www.stjohn23school.org</u>.





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