

MASSES FOR THIS WEEK

DAILY MASS – Mon - Thurs 8:30 am (except where noted)

Monday, Apr 30	Joseph & Fern Dahlkemper <i>St Pius V, Pope</i> <i>Acts 14:5-18; Ps 115:1-4, 15-16; Jn 14:21-26</i>
Tuesday, May 1	Bill Fahey <i>St Joseph the Worker</i> <i>Acts 14:19-28; Ps 145:10-13ab, 21; Jn 14:27-31a</i>
Wednesday, May 2	(8:30 am) Health & Blessings for Esther Slater (6:30 pm) Rosary (7:00 pm) Easter Evening Prayer <i>St Athanasius, Bishop/Doctor of the Church</i> <i>Acts 15:1-6; Ps 122:1-5; Jn 15:1-8</i>
Thursday, May 3	Martin Begue <i>Sts Philip and James, Apostle</i> <i>1 Cor 15:1-8; Ps 19:2-5; Jn 14:6-14</i>
Friday, May 4	<i>(No Mass)</i> <i>Acts 15:22-31; Ps 57:8-10, 12; Jn 15:12-17</i>
Saturday, May 5	(9:00 am) Confessions (5:00 pm) Bernice Pepey Baptism of Joseph Lawrence Lenzo Marino <i>Acts 16:1-10; Ps 100:1b-3, 5; Jn 15:18-21</i>
Sunday, May 6	(9:00 am) For the Parishioners (11:00 am) Bernie Goldbach 6th Sunday of Easter <i>Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48; Ps 98:1-4;</i> <i>1 Jn 4:7-10; Jn 15:9-17</i>

Check us out on Facebook at: **Our Lady of Victory Church**,
and our youth page at: **Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church Youth Ministry!**



LAST CALL!! Be a NEW enrollee with FAITH DIRECT by **APRIL 30**, for a chance to win a \$50 restaurant gift card for either Danny Boys, Delanie's, El Tren, Fire House, Sammies, Applebees, Longhorn, O'Charley's, Olive Garden, or Outback!! Forms located in pews, at the doors of the church, or online at www.faithdirect.net. Use church code OH669.

From the Pastor's Desk

ANNOUNCING MASS and CLASS for ADULTS!

This past year, we were thrilled to engage our K-10th graders (their catechists and some parents) in "Mass and Class" on Sundays between the 9 and 11 AM Masses. It was a chance for them to hear about Mass, Baptism and all sorts of things up-close and in person, in the Church and in the Sanctuary, as well as afford them the opportunity to ask me any question they wanted . . . and they asked GREAT questions! Well, some of our adults expressed that "We want that too!", and so, we are offering "MASS and CLASS" for ADULTS" after all of the Masses the weekend of June 9/10! No need to RSVP, just remain in Church after any of those Masses, and be part of this event (and, ask any question you like . . . and I/we will do my/our best to answer them!) Bring a friend!

In Our Parish – What/Where/When

MONDAY, APR 30, 2018

5:00 Choir Practice/Church/6:30 pm
9:00 Choir Practice/Church/8:00 pm

TUESDAY, MAY 1, 2018

Parish Council Agenda Mtg/Parish Ctr Rm 103/5:45 pm

WEDNESDAY, MAY 2, 2018

Men's Bible Study/Parish Ctr Rm 100/6:30 am
AA Meeting/Parish Ctr Rm 100/10:00 am
Bible Study/Parish Ctr Rm 101/7:30 pm

THURSDAY, MAY 3, 2018 – NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER

Bible Study/Parish Ctr Rm 101/2:00 pm
Evangelization Comm Mtg/Parish Ctr Rm 101/7:00 pm
High School Youth Bible Study/Library/7:00 pm

FRIDAY, MAY 4, 2018

SATURDAY, MAY 5, 2018

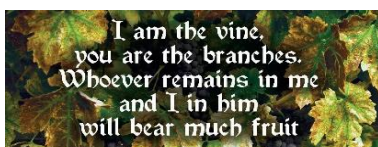
Confessions/Church/9:00 am

**K of C Measure-up Campaign as you exit

SUNDAY, MAY 6, 2018

Child Liturgy of the Word/Parish Ctr Rm 100/9:00 am

**K of C Measure-up Campaign both Masses as you exit



OFFERTORY COLLECTION SUNDAY, APRIL 22, 2018

Regular Collection	\$ 6,212.86
# of Children's Envelopes Rcvd	1
Faith Direct (4/15/18)	\$ 6,065.00

Celebrating Notes



THE ANNUAL MAY CROWNING OF MARY and the Infant Jesus will take place *Sunday, May 6*, at the conclusion of the 9:00 AM Mass. All children may join in the annual procession that will begin in Church, and move to the outside Shrine for the Crowning (weather permitting). Sign-up Sheets are on tables at the entrances of the Church.

MASS INTENTIONS: All parishioners are free to schedule Mass Intentions for their deceased loved ones at any time, by filling out the [blue 1/2-sheet form](#), located at each of the doors of the church. Enclose the form with your stipend of \$10.00 per Mass (make checks payable to OLV), and mail it to the office, or place it in the collection basket. Or you can stop by the office to schedule them personally. (Note that if you are unable to provide a stipend, a Mass Intention will still be accepted.) You may also continue to make contributions to OLV's Replacement Account, or other memorializing contributions to the parish. Mass Intentions may also be brought to the Parish Office for us to forward to the Cleveland Diocesan Mission Office for distribution to local and missionary priests, who may be in need of intentions, and they will celebrate the Mass for you. For questions, please call the office at 633-3637 and speak to Jean, or Fr Mike.

Standing in the Gap Prayer Times:

Monday 9:15 am, 5:00 pm. Tuesday 4:30 pm.
Wednesday 11:00 am, 6:00 pm. Thursday 1:00 pm.
Friday 9:00 am, 3:00 pm.

Faith Formation & Religious Ed. Notes

EVENING BIBLE STUDY began last *Wednesday*, and will continue through *May*. IT'S NOT TOO LATE TO JOIN with others for Evening Prayer at 7pm, and then in Room 101 of the Parish Center to read and contemplate Paul's letters to the Philippians. See you there!

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REGISTRATION has begun! Extra registration forms are on the tables. We are still in need of adults to help with various components of this adventure. Contact Linda Herold at 633-3637 if you'd like to help.

Question of the Week

Reading: John 15:1-8

Adults: With the vine and branches imagery, Jesus connects His identity with that of all His disciples, including us. As we strive to remain in Him, He remains in us, and we are able to bear fruit. What will you do this week to maintain that connection? What acts of love will you do for others, whether big or small, to bear fruit, to show you are in spiritual communion with Jesus?

Children: Jesus A branch can't grow or bear fruit if it is cut off from its vine. Jesus tells His disciples and us that He is the "true vine" and we are His "branches". How am I growing and bearing fruit in my life?

Coming Events/News in our Parish

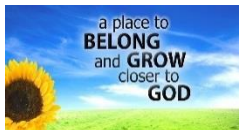


NEXT WEEKEND, OLV's Knights of Columbus, Council #5613, will collect for the "Measure Up Campaign", which supports citizens in Ohio with developmental disabilities. This is their primary fundraiser to assist those with disabilities, raising approximately \$400,000 for statewide and local caring agencies that sponsor a variety of training and support programs. Of the monies collected, 80% is returned to the local councils for donating to their local agencies, while the remaining 20% is used for statewide programs. The Knights thank you in advance, as you "Measure-up" to help people with developmental disabilities!

JOIN US IN OUR PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY *Wednesday, May 9 at 1:15 pm* in the Parish Center Library. If you are aware of anyone who would benefit from receiving a blessed shawl, or need more information about this ministry, please call Rosemary at 633-8060 or Beth at 633-4759.



READY TO COME HOME? If you would like to become a member of our parish family at Our Lady of Victory, we invite you to stop back in Finnerty Hall on the weekend of *May 12 & 13* after any Mass, where a member of our Welcome Committee will assist you in filling out a Registration Form. Or you may come to the Parish Office any weekday during office hours. *Welcome home!*



"**THE BLESSED TRINITY PARISH FOOD PANTRY** thanks the parishioners of OLV for your donations of Lenten almsgiving of \$5,177.81...We have 2 food programs. The 1st program allows families to pick up emergency food for 3 days. In March, (we) served 328 families; in the 2nd program, which serves those without transportation, this ministry served 69 families...Your donation will go to purchase food in bulk at reduced cost from the Akron-Canton Foodbank. Thank you for your generosity!"

News & Notes in the Neighborhood

LOCAL NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER SITES: **Summit County Court House**, 165 High St, Akron – Begins Apr 29 at 4pm and ends May 3 at 10am. Email summitcondp@post.com to participate in this marathon of prayer/Bible reading; or **Springfield Lake Gazebo**, Akron – May 3 from 7-8pm. Rain or shine. Some seating at the gazebo - bring portable sports chair if you like.

THE FIRST FRIDAY CLUB speaker for *May 11 at Noon*, at Tangier, 532 W Market St, Akron, will be Terrie Baldwin, speaking on "Keeping our kids Catholic". Make your reservation at www.firstfridayclubofgreaterakron.org using PayPal, call 535-7668 and then pay at the door, or send your check for \$20.00 to the First Friday Club of Greater Akron, 795 Russell Ave, Akron, OH 44307 no later than the Monday prior to the program.



CONGRATULATIONS to these 200 Club winner(s) for the weekend of *April 22, 2018*:

#20 – PAUL BERTSCH - \$50.00

Celebrating the Sacraments

WELCOME NEWLY BAPTIZED:

CATHRINE MARIE SCHULTZ – 4/14/18
SARAH RUTH BAUKNECHT – 4/22/18

Caring Commission

Pray for the Sick: Joanne Christian, Doug Fox, Irene Ingram, Mary Jermont, Norma Jean Kempf, Tom Labosky Jr, Leonard Palmer, Violet Paulus, Phyllis Poole, Katrina Shunk, Janet Treat, Dee Tronick, Lisa Von Gunten.



We pray with the Church that Bill Dineen and Deacon Lee Hinderscheid may share in the peace and joy of the Risen Lord.

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