MASSES FOR THIS WEEK

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

Monday, Feb 5 Judy DeLuca

St Agatha, Virgin/Martyr

1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13; Ps 132:6-10; Mk 6:53-56

Tuesday, Feb 6 Frank Regallis All Souls Intention

St Paul Miki & Companion, Martyrs 1 Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30; Ps 84:3-5, 10-11;

Mk 7:1-13

Wednesday, Feb 7 Gerald Boudreaux

1 Kgs 10:1-10; Ps 37:5-6, 30-31, 39-40; Mk 7:14-23

Thursday, Feb 8 Stanley & Sophie Mileski

St Jerome Emiliani; St Josephine Bakhita, Virgin 1 Kgs 11:4-13; Ps 106: 3-4, 35-37, 40; Mk 7:24-30

Friday, Feb 9 (No Morning Mass)

1 Kg 11:29-32; 12:19; Ps 81:10-11ab, 12-15;

Mk 7:31-37

Saturday, Feb 10 (9:00 am) Confessions

(5:00 pm) Marion Boehm

Baptism of Gabriella Nicole Sommers

St Scholastica, Virgin

1 Kgs 12:26-32; 13:33-34; Ps 106:6-7ab, 19-22;

Mk 8:1-10

Sunday, Feb 11 (9:00 am) For the Parishioners

(11:00 am) Frank Vento 6th Sunday Ordinary Time Lv 13:1-2, 44-46; Ps 32:1-2, 5, 11;

1 Cor 10:31—11:1; Mk 1:40-45

In Our Parish - What/Where/When

MONDAY, FEB 5, 2018

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

K of C Member Mtg/Parish Ctr Rm 101/7:00 pm

9:00 Choir Practice/Church/9:00 pm

TUESDAY, FEB 6, 2018

Children's RCIA/Parish Ctr Rm 102/4:30 pm

Pastoral Council Agenda Mtg/Parish Ctr Rm 104/5:45 pm

RCIA/Library/7:00 pm

WEDNESDAY, FEB 7, 2018

Men's Bible Study/Parish Ctr Rm 100/6:30 am

AA Meeting/Parish Ctr Rm 100/10:00 am

Women's Guild Board Mtg/Parish Ctr Rm 103/6:45 pm

Catholics Returning Home/Library/7:00 pm

THURSDAY, FEB 8, 2018

Bible Study/Parish Ctr Rm 101/2:00 pm

Human Trafficking Rosary/Church/6:30 pm

Speakers/Parish Ctr Rm 101/7:00 pm

FRIDAY, FEB 9, 2018

SATURDAY, FEB 10, 2018

Confessions/Church/9:00 am

200 Club Banquet for 2017 Ticket-holders/Finnerty Hall/6:00 pm

**Catholic Charities in-pew Appeal at Mass

**Blessing of Married Couples at Mass

SUNDAY, FEB 11, 2018

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

PSR Grade 11 Confirm Class/Parish Ctr Rm 101/10:15 am

PSR K-8 Grades/TMS/10:45 am

Youth Group/Parish Ctr Rm 101/12:30 pm

**Catholic Charities in-pew Appeal at both Masses

**Blessing of Married Couples at both Masses

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



Sharing our Treasure



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From the Pastor's Desk

PARISH FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE APPLICATIONS for Catholic School Students for the 2018-19 academic year are now available at the Parish Office for those wishing to apply, or you can find these online at the parish website www.ourladyofvictory.net. Complete and return the form to the Parish Office, attention: Fr. Mike. In addition to the parish application and/or Endowment Scholarships, each applicant must also complete a Tuition Assistance Application through whatever service the school utilizes. Speak with the school Principal to obtain this information and their deadline for submission. The deadline for submitting application requests to Our Lady of Victory is Monday, April 2nd. As always, a completed application for OLV does not guarantee financial assistance will be granted, but is necessary for consideration. Applicants for OLV will be notified of awards granted/not granted sometime after the middle of June. Parish Assistance from OLV may be available for Kindergarten through 8th Grade. Education Endowment Fund Scholarships are from 1st through 12th Grades.

Celebrating Notes

LEARN THE SIGNS TO END TRAFFICKING - *On Thursday, Feb 8*, we remember the Feast of St Josephine Bakhita, who was sold into slavery as a child. **Join us here at OLV at 6:30 pm in church**, as we pray a Rosary for an end to human trafficking, and for all children who live in slavery, or are exploited, followed by our guest speakers.

SAVE THE DATE! – *Wednesday, Feb 28, 5-8pm*. An Evening of Confession at all Catholic Churches. Details later.

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.

(NOTE Monday & Wednesday morning time changes.)

Coming Events/News in our Parish

2018 CATHOLIC CHARITIES APPEAL - This year's appeal begins this weekend with today's insert, which includes parish goal information and an overview of the importance of Catholic Charities in our communities. Next weekend, the in-pew commitment process will take place at all Masses. All who have not received the mailing from Bishop Perez, or have not had a chance to respond to it, will be asked to consider making a generous pledge to support the ministries and services provided by Catholic Charities. If you have received the mailing, please respond to it, and we ask you to also complete the in-pew envelope and check the box that you have responded by mail.

JOIN US IN OUR PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY Wednesday, Feb



14 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.

OUR MONTHLY GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP will meet in Parish Ctr Rm 100 on Friday, Feb 16 at 11am. This is an opportunity to join with others to share your stories, your memories, and check out some resources for your grieving process.

YOU'RE THE MISSING PIECE! 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 Feb 17 & 18 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!

Question of the Week

Reading: Mark 1:29-39

Adults: Simon's mother-in-law was willing to serve Jesus because of what he had done for her. What are you willing to do for the Lord because of what He has done for you? Share with someone this week, how the Lord has worked in your life.

Children: Jesus cured Peter's mother-in-law, cured others, and then went off to pray alone. Do you take time to be alone in prayer?





SECOND OUARTER HONOR/ MERIT ROLL lists are arriving at the OLV office. Looks like kudos are due for so many students! Great job, guys! We're pulling (& praying) for you!!

CONGRATULATIONS to the 200 Club winner(s) for the weekend of January 28, 2018:

#188 - DANTE & ROSEMARY GAMBACCINI - \$75.00

News & Notes in our Neighborhood

CAREGIVERS MINI RETREAT - A DAY OF SPIRITUAL RENEWAL AND RELAXATION: Includes Massage, Pet, Music and Art Therapy. Sponsored by Aseracare Hospice Foundation and hosted by St Paul Church, 1580 Brown St, Akron, Saturday, Feb 17, from 11:30 am - 3:00 pm. Ellen Barber, Spiritual Care Coordinator will present this retreat. Call her at 330-801-0463 for questions. RSVP to Terry Nesline, Adult Ministries, St Paul Church 330-724-1263. Lunch provided.

EMBRACE CLINIC and CARE CENTER in Barberton (formerly Community Pregnancy Ctr), is offering free fatherhood classes begin Wednesday, Feb 21. This 6-week series will help strengthen the relationship between a man and his children by advocating the importance of authentic manhood and fatherhood through educational, emotional, and spiritual growth. For times, or to enroll, call 330-825-1900.

"ANSWER THE CALL" MEN'S CONFERENCE - FEB 24 - Men! Want a spiritual jump start? Make plans to attend the 18th annual Catholic Men's Fellowship of Northeast Ohio "Answer the Call" Men's Conference, held at Holiday Inn Rockside, Independence. This will be a day of dynamic speakers, music, fellowship, and much more. The conference begins with a light breakfast at 8am, and concludes with 4pm Mass. More information and registration at www.cmfneo.com.

30TH ANNUAL LUNCHEON, STYLE SHOW, SILENT AUCTION and RAFFLE - The Women's Board of Catholic Charities invites you to join them Thursday, Mar 1 at 11:00 am at Guy's Party Centre, 500 E Waterloo Rd, Akron. Reservations must be received by Feb 19. Make check for \$25.00 payable to Women's Board of CCCS/SC and mail to: Mikey Steward, 45 Bermont Ave, Munroe Falls, OH 44262, include name, address, and phone number, and indicate seating preference. Proceeds benefit Catholic Charities programs in Summit County. For more info, www.ccdocle.org/summit-county/womensboard/luncheon.

Celebrating the Sacraments

ANNIVERSARY CONGRATULATIONS

ROBERT & CONNIE McNEAL - 2/6/93

Caring Commission

Pray for the Sick: Chris Cortel, Irene Ingram, Kate Naglak, Willy Naso, Katrina Shunk, Jean Sibit, Dwight Strayer, Eugene Torisky, Lisa Von

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