

MASSES FOR THIS WEEK

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

Monday, May 7	Sylvia McCloskey All Souls Intention <i>Acts 16:11-15; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Jn 15:26—16:4a</i>
Tuesday, May 8	Linda Smith All Souls Intention <i>Acts 16:22-34; Ps 138:1-3, 7c-8; Jn 16:5-11</i>
Wednesday, May 9	(8:30 am) Nancy Litten All Souls Intention (6:30 pm) Rosary (7:00 pm) Easter Evening Prayer <i>Acts 17:15, 22—18:1; Ps 148:1-2, 11-14; Jn 16:12-15</i>
Thursday, May 10	Joseph Brugnano All Souls Intention <i>St Damien de Veuster, Priest</i> <i>Acts 18:1-8; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 16:16-20</i>
Friday, May 11	<i>(No Mass)</i> <i>Acts 18:9-18; Ps 47:2-7; Jn 16:20-23</i>
Saturday, May 12	(9:00 am) Confessions (5:00 pm) Dr John Garrott <i>Sts Nereus & Achilleus, Martyrs; St Pancras, Martyr</i> <i>Acts 18:23-28; Ps 47:2-3, 8-10; Jn 16:23b-28</i>
Sunday, May 13	(9:00 am) Anna Monaco (11:00 am) For the Parishioners Ascension of the Lord <i>Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-9; Eph 4:1-13; Mk 16:15-20</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!**



From the Pastor's Desk

YOUR PARISH THANKS YOU.....and Serra Club of Akron thanks all altar servers for service to Our Lady of Victory by assisting in the celebration of the Liturgy. The Club recently presented Altar Server Certificates for 2018 to the following graduating altar servers at OLV: **JOHN LABOSKY, VINCE LABOSKY, JOEL MCMULLEN, TODD MCMULLEN, and JERRY WALSH.** Akron Serra is one of six Serra clubs in the Diocese of Cleveland that support and promote vocations to the priesthood and consecrated religious life. For more information about Serra, or how Serra can help promote or support vocations in the parish, contact Dave Fetyko at dfetyko729@gmail.com. Serra International was formed in 1939; its patron is St Junipero Serra, founder of nine missions from San Diego to San Francisco.

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, MAY 7, 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/8:00 pm

TUESDAY, MAY 8, 2018 – ELECTION DAY



WEDNESDAY, MAY 9, 2018

Men’s Prayer Group/Church/6:30 am
AA Meeting/Parish Ctr Rm 100/10:00 am
Prayer Shawl Ministry/Library/1:15 pm
Bible Study/Parish Ctr Rm 101/7:30 pm

THURSDAY, MAY 10, 2018

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

FRIDAY, MAY 11, 2018

SATURDAY, MAY 12, 2018

Confessions/Church/9:00 am

- **Mother’s Day Blessing & Social after Mass
- **Right to Life Carnation Sale after Mass
- **Welcome Committee taking new Registrations after Mass

SUNDAY, MAY 13, 2018 – MOTHER’S DAY

- Child Liturgy of the Word/Parish Ctr Rm 100/9:00 am
- **Mother’s Day Blessing & Social after Masses
- **Right to Life Carnation Sale after Masses
- **Welcome Committee taking new Registrations after Masses

Celebrating Notes

THE ANNUAL RIGHT TO LIFE “FLOWERS FOR LIFE” SALE will be held NEXT WEEK on Mother’s Day Weekend, *May 12 & 13.* Carnations at \$2.00 each, or 3 for \$5.00, and bouquets at \$10.00 each will be sold after all Masses. Please say “*Thank you for the gift of life*” to wives, moms, grandmas, godmothers and loving friends with beautiful flowers and support Right to Life of NE Ohio’s continuing efforts to promote the sanctity of all human life from conception to natural death.



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

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.



Going away for Memorial Day? Planning a summer vacation? Continue your OLV support uninterrupted with e-giving through Faith Direct. Pick up a pamphlet at the end of the pew, or sign up online at www.faithdirect.net using our church code OH669.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION SUNDAY, APRIL 29, 2018

Regular Collection\$ 7,095.51
of Children’s Envelopes Rcvd 4

6th SUNDAY OF EASTER

CONGRATULATIONS to the following teacher for his dedicated service to PSR: **Andrew Mort**, for 10 years teaching our 10th grade class. His name was added to our **10 Year Plaque** at the back of church. **ALSO, CONGRATULATIONS** to the following PSR students with perfect attendance for the 2017-2018 PSR School Year: *Jacob Black, Mackenzie Black, Christopher Carvaines, Colella Cochran, Dante Cochran, Ryan Jajola, Owen Justice, Brinley Krakowski and Malena Warzinski.* Way to go!!

Question of the Week

Reading: *John 15:9-17*

Adults: The love of the Father for Jesus, and the love of Jesus for His disciples, illustrates how they, and we, are to love one another. What will you do this week to be an example of that self-sacrificing love for another?

Children: Jesus commands us today to "love one another". How well do I choose to follow Jesus' command to "love"?

Coming Events/News in our Parish

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 WIDOWS OF FAITH, HOPE, AND CHARITY invite ALL widows to a morning of faith and fellowship on the third Tuesday of each month at OLV. Join us *Tuesday, May 15* at 8:30 Mass, followed by a presentation by Mary Kay Dotterer (instead of the usual May gathering at the restaurant), who is a social worker at The Highlands, a Tallmadge group home for teenage mothers and their babies. If you wish to make a donation, they can use trash bags and paper products. For more info, please call Beverly Dannemiller at 330-983-4706.



OUR MONTHLY GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP will meet on *Friday, May 18 at 11am* in Parish Ctr Rm 100. This is an opportunity to join with others to share your stories, your memories, and check out some resources for your grieving process.

News & Notes in the Neighborhood

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.

ST BERNARD'S SOUP KITCHEN - All adults and high school youth, age 16 and older, are invited to serve dinner at St Bernard's soup kitchen on *Wednesday, May 16 from 4-7pm*. First-time servers must attend an orientation meeting at 4pm. Provide your own transportation along with a signed permission slip (for participating youth).



3RD ANNUAL DERBY FOR DOLLARS - *MAY 18, 2018* at the beautiful Portage Country Club, 240 N Portage Path, Akron! This premier event will feature the amazing Fr Leo Patalinghug, who will cook live on stage and talk about the importance of nourishing the body, mind, and soul. Catholic Charities provides food, financial assistance, and access and referrals to their many other programs and services. For more details, visit www.ccdole.org/derby4dollars, or call Carl Bako at 330-762-961 x 220. Mark your calendars now!



CONGRATULATIONS to these 200 Club winner(s) for the weekend of *April 29, 2018:*

#154 - FR JOHN HENGLE - \$75.00

Celebrating the Sacraments

ANNIVERSARY CONGRATULATIONS:
40TH:

MARK & MARYBETH VAN WINKLE - 5/6/78
MARKO & MIRA VRANIC - 5/6/78

Caring Commission

Pray for the Sick: Joanne Christian, Cathy Cotter, Doug Fox, Irene Ingram, Norma Jean Kempf, Tom Labosky Jr, Beth Mason, Marion Mears, Bishop George Murry, Leonard Palmer, Violet Paulus, Phyllis Poole, Katrina Shunk, Hank Skowronski, Janet Treat, Dee Tronick, Lisa Von Gunten.



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We pray with the Church that Charles Stein may share in the peace and joy of the Risen Lord.

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Mother Teresa