

MASSES FOR THIS WEEK

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

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| Monday, Nov 9 | John & Barbara Cirullo <i>The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica</i> Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; Ps 46; 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22 |
| Tuesday, Nov 10 | Vincent Ebbing <i>St Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church</i> Wis 2:23—3:9; Ps 34; Lk 17:7-10 |
| Wednesday, Nov 11 | Albert DiFrangia <i>St Martin of Tours, Bishop</i> Wis 6:1-11; Ps 82; Lk 17:11-19 |
| Thursday, Nov 12 | Homer Byrd <i>St Josaphat, Bishop and Martyr</i> Wis 7:22b—8:1; Ps 119; Lk 17:20-25 |
| Friday, Nov 13 | (No Morning Mass) <i>St Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin</i> Wis 13:1-9; Ps 19; Lk 17:26-37 |
| Saturday, Nov 14 | (9:00 am) Confessions (5:00 pm) Peter & Katherine Bell (5:00 pm) Present. 1 st Comm./Confirm. Candidates Confirmation Candidates Wis 18:14-16, 19:6-9; Ps 105; Lk 18:1-8 |
| Sunday, Nov 15 | (9:00 am) Kathy Conti (11:00 am) For the Parishioners (Both Masses) Present. 1 st Comm./Confirm. Cand. 33 rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Dn 12:1-3; Ps 16; Heb 10:11-14, 18; Mk 13:24-32 |

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

AS WE THINK ABOUT ADVENT AND CHRISTMAS, we invite those folks who had a good Hydrangea year to harvest your “dried” blooms (longer stems preferred and if possible, harvested before they turn brown) to drop them by the Parish Center. THANK YOU!

LAST YEAR, MANY EITHER ADOPTED A TREE, donated outdoor white lights/chords, or money to purchase lights, and many also assisted in “lighting up” the outside for the Season of Christmas. Believe it or not, we can still use more lights, or outdoor chords, or donations to purchase lights, and there’s always another tree to “adopt”. If you are able to help in any way, please contact Fr Mike. Our tentative date to prepare the outside will be Saturday, Dec 19th at 10:00 am.

Celebrating Notes

THROUGHOUT THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER, we remember our beloved dead. This Saturday evening, we join with the members of our Knights of Columbus, who gather to honor and remember their fellow Knights who have died this past year. We also welcome those who are and/or were Veterans, honoring not only those living, but also those who have died in sacrifice and service of our country. This Sunday, we welcome the family members and friends of 34 loved ones, and members of Our Lady of Victory, who have died and were buried from Our Lady of Victory this past year since the last All Souls’ Day. We are grateful to the Parish Staff, as well as the members of our community, who continue to offer not only prayers and support, but who have assisted in any way with this annual “remembering” that we celebrate this Sunday. *“May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.”*

OUR LADY OF VICTORY CONTINUES TO REACH OUT to those in need: Again, this year, Our Lady of Victory members are invited to prepare for Christmas by extending a helping hand, and a ray of hope, to others in need. **Beginning next weekend, gift tags will be available** for you to take one or more cards, and buy a gift for someone being helped through Tallmadge Good Neighbors, Pregnancy Care, ARC of Summit & Portage Count, for those with developmental disabilities and their families, and new this year is *Freedom House*, a facility for veterans near Tallmadge in Kent. We’ll have about 225-250 gift tags. **On the weekend of December 5-6, at all of the Masses, bring your gifts and place them near the Advent Wreath, along with any cookies and candy you may wish to give.** The following weekend – December 12-13, again, at all of the Masses, we will be collecting paper products and food which is, again, to be placed near the Advent Wreath in Church. May God bless you all for your kindness and generosity, especially on behalf of those who are in need and whose spirits will be lifted by these acts of charity and kindness.



IN OUR PARISH – WHAT/WHERE/WHEN

MONDAY, NOV 9, 2015

Worship & Spiritual Life/Parish Ctr Rm 101/7:00 pm
9:00 Choir Practice/ Church/8:00 pm

TUESDAY, NOV 10, 2015

Youth/Teen/5:00 Choir Practice/Church/6:00 pm
5:00 Choir Practice/Church/6:30 pm
RCIA/Library/7:00 pm
PSR Teacher’s Mtg/Parish Ctr Rm 101/7:00 pm
Pastoral Council Agenda Mtg/Parish Ctr Rm 104/5:45 pm

WEDNESDAY, NOV 11, 2015 – VETERAN’S DAY

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 101/7:00 pm

THURSDAY, NOV 12, 2015

Bible Study/Parish Ctr Rm 101/2:00 pm
Bereavement Series/Parish Ctr Rm 104/7:00 pm

FRIDAY, NOV 13, 2015

SATURDAY, NOV 14 2015

Confessions/Church/9:00 am

****CHRISTMAS BAZAAR/Finnerty Hall/10am - 4pm**

****Advent Gift Tags Out**

SUNDAY, NOV 15, 2015

PSR Preschool/Parish Ctr Rms 102, 103/8:50 am
Children’s Lit of the Word/Parish Ctr Rm 100/9:00 am
PSR K-8/Tallmadge Middle School/10:30 am
PSR 11th Gr Confirmation Class/Parish Ctr Rm 101/10:30 am

****Advent Gift Tags Out**

OFFERTORY COLLECTION SUNDAY, NOV 1, 2015:

Regular Collection..... \$ 10,600.75
of Children’s Envelopes Received..... 22

Faith Formation & Religious Ed. Notes

DON’T FORGET TONIGHT – SUNDAY Nov 8, YOU ARE INVITED to an evening of “Keeping your teen safe and psychologically healthy.” This presentation is offered to any adult, especially parents/grandparents of teenagers, **from 6-7 pm in the Finnerty Hall.** Barb Deleone, a licensed counselor, will explore teen mental health and self-esteem, including topics such as teen depression and warning signs; cutting and suicide, along with resources and time for questions.

Simultaneously, a similar 2-hour presentation will be offered during the 9th and 10th grade PSR class by Victoria Gutbrod, also a licensed clinical counselor. This presentation is open to any high school students and will further explore the 'real' issues faced by teens. Please join us for this very important and informative evening.

CONGRATULATIONS to the following PSR class(es) for having perfect attendance on *Sunday, November 1, 2015*:

GRADE 2 - KATIE FLEMING

Question of the Week

Gospel: Mark 12:38-44

Adults: We are called to contribute from the depths of our time, talents, and our treasure. What more could you invest in this relationship with Jesus – a true giving from the riches of your heart?

Children: In what ways have you been generous with your family, your friends, and in your faith? What will you do this week to share yourself with others?

Coming Events & News in Our Parish

JOIN US IN OUR PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY *Wednesday, Nov 11 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, please call Rosemary at 633-8060 or Beth at 633-4759.

THE OLV WOMEN'S GUILD CHRISTMAS BAZAAR will be held on *Nov 14th from 10am – 4pm* in Finnerty Hall. Thanks to several generous parishioners, we have two \$400.00 cash prizes for our raffle and many other wonderful prizes. Raffle tickets are 6 for \$5.00 and can be purchased after the weekend Masses on **Nov 7/8 (9am Mass only on Nov 8)**, or contact Mary Gorman at 633-5719.

RUMMAGE SALE WRAP-UP MEETING – *Monday, Nov 16 at 7pm* in Parish Ctr Rm 101. Anyone who helped with the sale and has ideas to share, please join us for this "creative exchange". If you are unable to attend and have an idea or suggestion, please call Mary Beth Van Winkle at 633-1928.

20-SOMETHINGS YOUNG ADULT GROUP - for those in their 20s & 30s, single, married, with or without children. They meet *every other Thursday 7-8:30 pm* in the Parish Center, with babysitting provided. The next meeting is *Nov 19*. Contact Steve in advance to get materials at Steve@Mosholder.com or 330-554-6770.

SAVE THE DATE - OLV Young Adult Holiday Reunion on *Saturday, Nov 28 (Thanksgiving Weekend)* starting with 5:00 Mass Celebration and get-together at Sammie's Restaurant following. Watch the bulletin or Parish Facebook Page for more details! (Spread the word!)

Youth Doings...

ST V-ST M HIGH SCHOOL has informed us that Luke Carlson has achieved Honor Roll status for the 1st quarter grading period. Way to go, Luke! Blessings to ALL our students who work so hard!

CONGRATULATIONS to the following 200 Club winner(s) for the weekend of *Nov 1, 2015*:

#191 – DAVID BYRD - \$25.00

News & Notes in our Neighborhood

THE FIRST FRIDAY CLUB speaker for *Nov 13*, held at Quaker Station, 135 S Broadway, Akron, will be Caroline Woo, Pres, Catholic Relief Services, speaking on the topic of: **“Common Good, Uncommon Excellence: Service to the Poorest of the Poor”**. Send your pre-paid reservation of \$15.00 to the First Friday Club of Greater Akron, 795 Russell Ave, Akron, OH 44307 no later than the Monday prior, or call 535-7668. The program begins at Noon, and concludes at 1pm. For more information, visit www.firstfridayclubofgreaterakron.org.

THE BENEDICTINE MONKS OF ST ANDREW ABBEY invite single, Catholic men between 18-45 to their “Living with Benedict” monastic experience weekend retreat *Nov 13-15*, at the abbey located at 10510 Buckeye Rd (near Shaker Square). No charge, reservations needed. Contact Fr Finbar at 216-721-5300 x 273 or Finbar@cbhs.edu. The next retreat is Feb 12-14, 2016.

“COURAGE TO TEACH” RETREAT comes to Ohio - *Nov 13-15*, Jesuit Retreat House, Parma. Cost is \$270; financial assistance available. Revitalize your spirit and passion as an educator. All educators invited from all faiths. Based on the work of Parker Palmer. Subsidized by the Diocesan Tabor Fund. Contact www.purposematters.org for more info.

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, Nov 18 from 4-7pm*. First-time servers must attend an orientation meeting at 4pm. Provide your own transportation along with a signed permission slip.



Celebrating the Sacraments

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CONGRATULATIONS:
25th: DARRELL & DIANE AYRES – 11/10/90

NEWLY BAPTIZED:
ISAAC CHRISTOPHER BAUKNECHT – 10/25/15
EVA MARIA HAYES – 11/1/15
LIVI GRACE HAYES – 11/1/15
JEREMIAH JOHN HAYES – 11/1/15

Caring Commission

Pray for the Sick: Lucille Auber, Marion Boehm, Cleo Cummins, Robert Dumke, Daysha Furtney, Barbara George, Jim Gravatt, Zachary Gravatt, Irene Ingram, Frances Jendrisak, John Keck, Vince & Bessie Lorkowski, Yolanda Lorkowski, Anthony Massaroni, William Modzelewski, Diana Morneweck, Anna Rivera, Conor Ryan, Charlotte Scheiner, Ruth Thompson, Steven Weirich.



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We pray with the Church that Lauren Mariola (niece of Beth Mariola), and Jeanette McQuillen (mother of Patty Billow) may share in the peace and joy of the Risen Lord.

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