

Next Weekend

St. Alphonsus Parish Festival

July 12 - Serving BBQ Chicken and Ham Dinners
11am until 7pm

The St Alphonsus Festival is approaching very quickly. Thank You to all of our Chairpersons for the extras they do for our parish festival. Committee chairpersons are scheduling their workers. We need everyone to pitch in. We are only asking you to donate 2 hours of your day. If you are willing to work more than one shift I know I have a place to put you! So Please consider giving back to the church by working a shift or two. Hog Drop Tickets are going fast. We have about 12 tickets out of 128 left. Eric Adleman won the first Early Bird Drawing for \$50.00 our next one will be June 28 after mass. For those of you who do not know what the Hog Drop is. We have boards with 128 squares if the hog does his business (poops) on your square you win \$1000.00. Tickets are \$25.00 each. Thanks to everyone who bought one. Festival Tickets were mailed out. Please return sold and unsold tickets.

Our Quilt is once again beautiful Thank You to those who had a hand in making it. We need your delicious pies for the dining room there will be signup sheets in the back of church so we know we are getting enough pies for the festival that's needed. We also need decorated cakes or cupcakes for the kid's cake walk. Please don't forget your Silent Auction items. They may be dropped off in the small hall.

A huge Thanks to Tony & Tami Leroux for running the softball tournament for so many years. We truly appreciate their dedication. Jason Leibold has so graciously offered to take over the tournament. Let's make him feel at home and Thank him for donating his time and talent.

We are the oldest parish in the Toledo Diocese let us keep that title and come together as one and make this year's festival another success. For those of you who cannot be with us on July 11 and 12th we ask you to pray that we have beautiful weather and a successful parish festival. Once again we Thank Everyone for doing their part.

Festival Questions please call Maria Temple 419-668-0254

St. Joseph Festival News—

The committee this year announces the addition of amateur euchre tournament to the Sat Night schedule. This will take the place of Blackjack and Maverick. Registration will be from 6-7:15pm, drawing for partners will follow and tournament begins at 7:30 til 9:30pm. Cost is \$10 with 50% payback split between winners. Please mark your calendars and plan to spend the evening with friends! Registration forms for the parish talent show at the church festival are available in the rear of the church or contact Miranda Bores @ 419-706-4293. Water and pop donations may be left in the entrances of the church or parish office. Coke and Pepsi products only please. Also still asking for gently used stuffed animals and silent auction items—call Geri Myers 419-706-4911. Reverse Raffle tickets are available at the parish office M-F 9A-3p. The cost of a ticket is still \$100 and comes with 2 BBQ dinner meals. So far we have sold 148 tickets—Early Bird Reverse Raffle draw will be July 20th! Tickets can also be purchased at Fitzgerald's, Beauty Vault, Gem's Salon, Twist & Shout. Reverse Raffle questions call Mindy Gies 419-706-7066. Pie tins are in back of church. Yard signs will be available after Mass next week. We ask that you sign up where these will be posted to help the committee with placement. Also, please plan to return these after the festival. Look for the festival tickets and work schedules mailed out this week if you do not receive them please call the parish office.

St. Alphonsus & St. Joseph Parish Office
Phone Number 419-465-4142

St. Alphonsus & St. Joseph Parishes

Our Eyes Are on You, Oh Lord

July 5, 2015 — 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Hello St. Alphonsus and St. Joseph! My name is Fr. Ron Schock

and I am blessed to be your new Pastor! I was born and raised on a Dairy farm near Attica. I have two brothers and three sisters, 11 nieces and nephews. My Mom and Dad, Tony and Lucille still live on the family farm. I worked as a sales representative and custom applicator at a local fertilizer company for 10 and a half years after high school, as well as being an auctioneer and selling real estate on the side, before entering the seminary when I was 29. I was ordained a priest on June 8, 1996. I have been blessed to serve in a variety of assignments. Most recently, I served as Associate Pastor at Delphos St. John and Landeck St. John. I had asked to be assigned as an Associate Pastor because I needed to recover from some health issues. In July of 2013 I was diagnosed with kidney cancer and needed to have my left kidney removed. I also had persistent nausea before and after the surgery. I am doing much better and just had a CAT Scan. I look forward to serving you for many great years!

I look forward to meeting you in the weeks to come. I am excited that I will have the chance to meet many of you at the first of our parish festivals at St. Alphonsus next weekend. Make sure you come up and introduce yourself!

Sincerely yours in Christ, Fr. Ron Schock

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat. July 4 **Weekday**
5:00 PM (SA) Albert & Jeanette Cusano
James & Antonette Grimm

Sun. July 5— **14th Sunday in Ordinary Time**
8:00 AM (SJ) Joe Bischoff, Scott Shuker (1st Anniv)
Arthur Schlachter
Edmond Martin
Russell Stang
9:30 AM (SA) Deacon George Stepanic

Mon. July 6— **Weekday**
No Mass

Tues. July 7— **Weekday**
6:30 PM (SA) Silent Adoration/Confession
7:00 PM (SA) Gene Krupp, Harold Hammersmith

Wed. July 8— **Weekday**
7:30 AM (SJ) Silent Adoration/Confession
8:00 AM (SJ) Wilfred & Odilia Myers

Thurs. July 9— **Weekday**
6:30 PM (SJ) Silent Adoration/Confession
7:00 PM (SJ) Bette (Beier) & Rick Bowers

Fri. July 10— **Weekday**
7:30 AM (SJ) Silent Adoration/Confession
8:00 AM (SJ) Helen Didion

Sat. July 11 **St. Benedict**
5:00 PM (SA) Living & Deceased Members of the
Ralph Wangler Family

Sun. July 12— **15th Sunday in Ordinary Time**
8:00 AM (SJ) Dorothy McFadden
Walter & Margaret Schlachter
Mabel C. Martin
9:30 AM (SA) Richard Gates
Virginia Gates
Richard & Marie Raftery

CONTRIBUTIONS—June 28

St. Alphonsus—2,606, Loose-134, Ladies-10, Vigil Lights-18, Father's Day-10, Peter's Pence-60, VBS-153

St. Joseph—2,627, Loose-78, 50/50-20, Ladies-10, School Support-5, Bldg-5, Peter's Pence-35, Father's Day-5

Happy 4th of July Weekend!

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Saturday, July 11— 5:00 p.m. – St. Alphonsus

L Susan Moore
U Volunteers
EM Deacon Mike & Diane, Gregg & Susan Moore
S Jake, Mason & Ethan Kluding

Sunday, July 12—8:00a.m.—St. Joseph

L Cherri Schaffer
U Dan Stieber, Dave Mahl, Carl Dahm
EM Deacon Mike, Geri Myers, Marilyn & Richard Palmer, Cherri Schaffer
S Jasmine Edwards, Kirsten & Hannah Stieber

Sunday, July 12— 9:30 a.m. —St. Alphonsus

L Michelle Montvillas & Larry Hanneman
U Tom Ott, Jim Schindley, Jim Pheiffer, Dave Barman
EM Deacon Mike & Diane, Tom Smith, Mary Ott, 3 Volunteers
S Amelia & Grant Opper, Lily Smith
G Linda & Chuck Furey

COMMUNION TO SHUT-INS July 12—Katie Leber

COUNTERS – July 6 Nancy Alt, Annabelle Meyer, Catherine, Alice & Bob Crist

K of C Club Winners

\$50: Bryan Daugherty
\$25: Bryan Daugherty, Dorothy Bauer

Health Ministry: July is National Park and Recreation Month, so get out and enjoy a park or rec center close to you! There are many things you can do, such as walking, swimming in approved areas, hiking or enjoying a picnic. If you are taking children along and they want to use the playground equipment, here are some safety facts you should be aware of: Check the surfacing material beneath the equipment to make sure it is safe, as well as the equipment itself. Check the temperature of equipment surfaces. Supervise the children on the equipment, especially making sure they have proper clothing on. Lastly make sure the equipment your child wants to use is age appropriate. Injuries can occur but your knowledge and inspection of equipment can help to keep children safe. *“We are all the children of light, and the children of the day: we are not of the night nor of darkness.” 1 Thessalonians 5:5.*

Bishop Daniel E. Thomas Statement on Supreme Court Decision

Regarding Marriage When human law contradicts or directly opposes Divine law, we are bound in conscience to follow and honor not the human, but the Divine. When human law devalues, dishonors or rejects human life, we treasure, honor and respect all human life. When human law denies nature, reason and revelation, we honor and respect the complementarity of men and women. When human law may result in bigotry, bias and discrimination, we will continue to love, honor and respect all persons created in the image and likeness of God. In light of the recent Supreme Court decision on “marriage,” please visit www.toledodiocese.org to read the collective statement from the Bishops of Ohio and the statement from Archbishop Joseph E. Kurtz of Louisville, Kentucky, president of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB).

CONTRIBUTIONS—June 21

St. Alphonsus—1,719, Loose-259, Vigil Lights-15, Father's Day-286, Cemetery-35

St. Joseph—2,042, Loose-117, 50/50-55, Ladies-10, School Support-30, Bldg-10, StVdP-15, Father's Day-113, Peter's Pence-20

PARISH & AREA CALENDAR

Wednesday, July 8 –Wisdom people will meet at 12 noon at the Cranberry Hill Golf in New Washington, Ohio

Wednesday, July 8— St. Joseph Festival Meeting 7:00pm Carpenter's House.

Saturday, August 1—Embraced in Hope-Moving Beyond the Shock of a Cancer Diagnosis. 10a—230p @ St. Francis Spirituality Center, 200 St. Francis Ave, Tiffin. Pre-register by July 25 419-443-1485 Suggested cost \$20 includes retreat & lunch.

Saturday, August 29, 2015(pre-convention 8-28-15) Annual Convention Toledo Diocesan Catholic Council of Women (TDCCW) @ All Saints Catholic Church, 628 Lime City Road, Rossford, Ohio (Buck Road EXIT 197—I-75) By God's Design the Vocation and Mission of Women In this year of Consecrated Life, how can we, as women of the Church, live out our calling and vocation as women and spiritual mothers of souls? By god's design, all women are called to be formed by the Holy Spirit in the mold of Mary, who is the model of feminine virtue. St. John Paul II, in his Letter to Women (1995) wrote “We can note that women are ever ready and willing to give themselves generously to others...In this work, they exhibit a kind of affective, cultural and spiritual motherhood...Cost: \$25 before 8/22, \$30 after 8/22 **REQUIRED REGISTRATION FORM IN BACK OF CHURCH**

Sunday, July 26th EXCLAIM! Free Christian Concert & more at The Monsignor Schmit CYO Athletic Complex, 555 S. Holland-Sylvania Rd. Toledo, Ohio 2-9pm—7pm Outdoor Catholic Mass

St. Joseph School Scrip—The Scrip team is asking that you consider summer as a great time to keep earning tuition credit. Orders will be placed July 6, July 20 and August 10. They need to be in the office by 8:30am Mondays. You can drop them in the collection basket—please clearly Mark them “scrip” on the outside of the envelope, or drop off to the parish office. Orders can be picked up at the parish office on Thursdays (call first to be sure order is ready-as it is prepared by the scrip team) Remember you can shop 24/7 by signing up online and using Pres-to Pay, www.shopwithscrip.com option lets you shop from home. Over \$12,000 was distributed for tuition credits for next year. Why not earn more on your everyday purchases? If you have any questions: stjoesccarpenters@gmail.com

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