



MAY THE SOUL OF OUR HOLY FATHER, POPE JOHN PAUL II, REST IN THE PEACE OF CHRIST!

There is a great sadness in our world today because of the death of our Holy Father. We have lost a great spiritual and moral leader who spent his life preaching the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Pope John Paul took the truth that is Jesus Christ to the very corners of the earth. He was a faithful witness of the Gospel to the entire world. He was the great teacher that the world needs to remind us of the great love that God has for all of us. He has left many people old and young with a greater understanding of our faith. An understanding that will help many people in the years to come to really know Jesus and the love and mercy that He came to proclaim to the world.

We must indeed give thanks to Almighty God for the great gift of Pope John Paul II. Our good and loving God gave us the gift of Pope John Paul II's papacy at a time when the world needed it the most. As the world and the Church continues to reflect on his life and example let us pray that we may grow in faith and holiness and become the followers of Jesus that God calls all of us to be.

I do not believe that it is merely a coincidence that our Holy Father was called from this life in the final hours of the First Saturday of the month, a day dedicated to the Holy Mother of God, and the first hours of the Feast of Divine Mercy. Our Holy Father was totally dedicated to Our Blessed Mother as he was to proclaiming the mercy and love of God. He faithfully followed the example of our Blessed Mother by his faithfulness and obedience to God. His devotion to our Blessed Mother was exemplified by his giving us the Mysteries of Light when we pray the Rosary so that we might better reflect on the events in the life of Jesus through the eyes of our Blessed Mother.

As we commend our Holy Father to Almighty God we are in the midst of the Year of the Holy Eucharist, which is another gift he gave us so that we might grow in our devotion to the Real Presence of Jesus in the Holy Eucharist. Let us treasure this gift so that as we receive the Body and Blood of the Lord and as we worship in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament we may be transformed in mind and heart to see Jesus in our brothers and sisters and be like Jesus in the way we treat them.

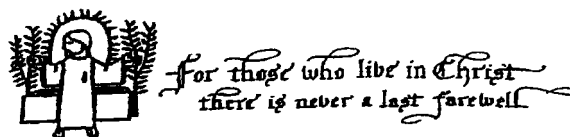
Our Holy Father believed in the dignity of every human being from the moment of conception to natural death. He was a great advocate for the respect of human life and freedom of all peoples. This is a great truth of our faith and this is the truth that Pope John Paul II preached tirelessly throughout his ministry. Can we do any less than strive to live this truth in our daily lives?

Pope John Paul II relentlessly and with great power preached the Gospel of Life in the midst of a growing culture of death in the world today. This is part of the great legacy that he has left to us and all the world. Let us pray that his words will help the world to come to a deep and profound respect for the gift of life, a gift given to us by God Himself.

Pope John Paul II has left us a great legacy in his teaching and witness to Jesus Christ. I pray that all of us will always treasure his teachings and continue to learn from them. As we lay our Holy Father to rest let us not bury his teachings, but let us allow his words and example to guide our hearts and our world to live in the true light that is Jesus Christ.

We mourn the death of our Holy Father and I personally feel a great loss in my own life, but I am not without hope because I believe that the Holy Spirit does guide the Church and He will guide the cardinals as they meet to elect a new pope who will continue to teach us the truth of the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

It was reported that as our Holy Father lay dying he told his friends, "I am happy and you should be also. Let us pray together in joy." Let these words be an inspiration for all of us. Even as we feel sadness that he is no longer here with us, let us rejoice that he is in God's hands and that he will continue to help all of us from his place in heaven.



Mass Intentions



- Saturday, April 9, Vigil: 3rd Sunday of Easter**
 5:00 p.m. Tom Mitman [Bob & Donna Kilway]
- Sunday, April 10, Third Sunday of Easter**
 8:00 a.m. For Our Parish
 9:30 a.m. Mary Ayers [Butch & Judy Kosco]
 11:30 a.m. Irene Morley [Beatrice Meade]
- Monday, April 11, St. Stanislaus**
 8:00 a.m. Loretta Veney [Tuesday Prayer Group]
- Tuesday, April 12**
 8:00 a.m. Poor Souls
- Wednesday, April 13, St. Martin I, Pope**
 8:00 a.m. Communion Service
 5:30 p.m. Tom Russ, Anniversary [Elaine Daigle]
- Thursday, April 14**
 8:00 a.m. Communion Service
 9:30 a.m. Vincent Costanzo [Tom & Annette Palecek]
- Friday, April 15**
 8:00 a.m. Henry Carrino [Nancy & Children]
- Saturday, April 16**
 8:00 a.m. Communion Service
 5:00 p.m. Mary Labak [Family]
- Sunday, April 17, Fourth Sunday of Easter**
 8:00 a.m. Frances Tekaucic [M/M Ignatz Reich]
 9:30 a.m. For Our Parish
 11:30 a.m. William Rabatin [Jeanne Chesko]



PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS the family and friends of Marian Paluch, mother of Veronica Bilas, who died recently. May our Lord grant Marian eternal rest.

WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP REPORT -- APRIL 3
[5% of our collection was given to Camp Quality Ohio]

Offertory.....	\$18,672.00
Support Our School	\$716.00
Debt Reduction.....	\$1,352.00
Easter.....	\$1,786.00
Holy Land.....	\$48.00
Number of envelopes used:.....	393

MANY THANKS for your generous offerings.

The St. Vincent de Paul Society gave assistance in March to 27 families totaling \$2,773.00 for rent, utilities, food, medical, and miscellaneous needs. Thank you very much for your generosity.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS-APRIL 17, 2005 "Do not forget that today, too, there is a need of holy priests, of persons wholly consecrated to the service of God!"

John Paul II The Holy Father reminded us that the Church needs good, holy men and women who will use their whole life to witness for Jesus Christ. All of us share in the responsibility of promoting and encouraging vocations in our homes and in our parish. Pray that many of our young people will open their hearts to the Lord. The Diocese of Cleveland has two sites filled with information about priesthood [www.a-full-life.com] and consecrated religious life [www.churchvocations.com]. Take some time to go online to find out information about vocations and upcoming discernment programs.



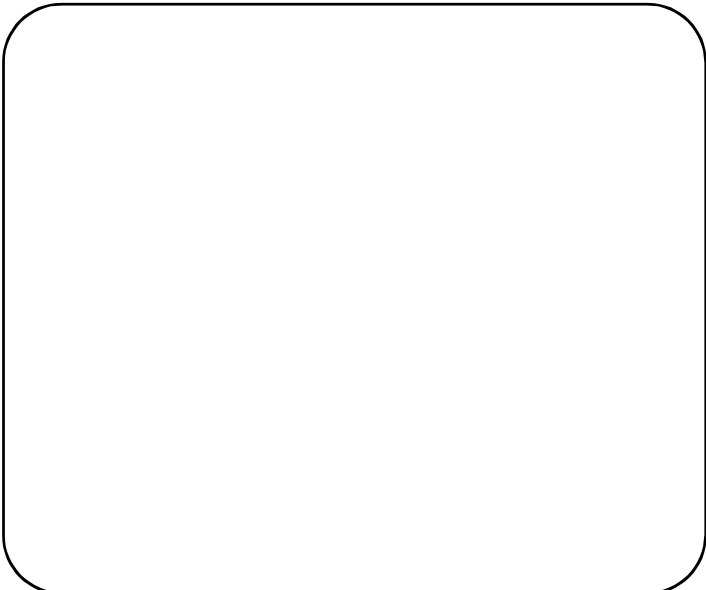
WORDS OF POPE JOHN PAUL II



Pope John Paul II, addressing, in November, a meeting of the Pontifical Council for the family, said that anyone who destroys the family causes great harm to society. "Whoever destroys this fundamental fabric of human coexistence, by not respecting its identity and by upsetting its tasks, causes a profound wound in society and provokes harm that is most often irreparable," said the pope. The pope went on to recommend that young families should seek out the "generous help of other couples who have been experiencing marriage and the family for some time.

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING classes are starting Wednesday, May 11. Natural Family Planning is a great gift to any marriage. To register or learn more, please call Tim and Karen O'Bryan, 330-725-2410.

DOES THE CATHOLIC CHURCH FROWN ON SATISFYING SEXUAL RELATIONSHIPS? To follow-up on the recent speaker Patty Schneider, a discussion group is being set up to discuss Christopher West's "Good News on Sex and Marriage" and other issues she spoke on. If interested, please call the parish office, 336-3049.



Liturgical Roles

MASS SERVERS SCHEDULE

Week of April 11

- 8:00 a.m. - **Monday - Wednesday**
- Kelly Flanigan, David Kauffman
- Allison Flanigan, Eddie Duckworth
- 5:30 p.m. - **Wednesday ONLY**
- Michael Carps, Samuel Illig
- Alysse Illig, Megan Stafford
- 8:00 a.m. - **Thursday - Saturday**
- Michael Paridon, Vince Pelini
- Tre Palecek, Jake Pelini

Saturday, April 16

- 5:00 p.m. - Caleb Busson, Christian Baughman
- Jeffrey Gahan, Marie Choate

Sunday, April 17

- 8:00 a.m. - Jason Kelty, Rachel Figliomeni
- Keith Cooper, Emily Cooper
- 9:30 a.m. - David Zuchniak, Isaac Yetzer
- Alex Zvada, Samuel Yetzer
- 11:30 a.m. - Allan Muzilla Kevin Zita
- Michael Muzilla, Amy Sobnosky

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION SCHEDULE

Saturday, April 16

- 5:00 p.m. - Chuck & Vera McEvoy, Russ Haller
- David & Lucy Meager

Sunday, April 17

- 8:00 a.m. - Jim & Linda Venner, Bill Walchli
- Ken & Ginny Hampton
- 9:30 a.m. - Chuck & Marge Ruhlin, Maria Manning
- Joe McNeill, Ryan McNeill

Cup Ministers

- Jan & Bill Elliott, Luke Carlisle
- Josh Watson,
- 11:30 a.m. - Mary Ciofani, Jim & Joan Clark
- Ann Kellish, Madonna DiPietro

Altercare

- Schaffers

Liberty Residence

- Buccitelli

Magnolia

- Eaton/Whalen

Sterling Oaks

- Lionetti/Seifert

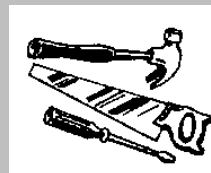
LECTOR SCHEDULE

Saturday, April 16

- 5:00 p.m. - Sue Bielawski, Ann Nemeth

Sunday, April 17

- 8:00 a.m. - Char Kasner, Jean Sega
- 9:30 a.m. - Pat McNeill, Mike Kriemeyer
- 11:30 a.m. - Amber Beery, Frank Bertuzzi



GOF [GENERATIONS OF FAITH] MARK YOUR CALENDARS! Wednesday, April 13, and Saturday, April 16, is our next GOF festivals. If you haven't made it to the Carpenter Shop yet, please come and try it out. It just gets better and better!

YOUTH NEWS

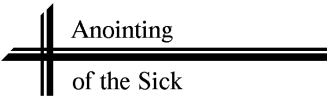
- Summer opportunities are filling quickly! All need your response ASAP!
- We have 12 spots reserved for our high school mission trip to the Chicago area July 17-23. Only a few openings are left-call Mrs. Bellinger at 336-3049 to grab one.
- The Steubenville Youth Conference is July 8-10. Students entering 9th grade are eligible for that. This is a great experience to deepen your faith. Mr. Pandrea will be at our youth group meeting to talk about that. Please reserve your spot or call him at 1-330-658-2341.
- Junior Jam West will be at our parish July 28-29. Forms are at the church entrances. This is for students entering 7-8-9th grades. That will be filling shortly so don't wait to send it in.

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HEROESCAMP IS COMING JUNE 20-24TH! It's our tenth anniversary! We will walk the desert with Abraham, climb a tree with Zacchaeus, cross the Red Sea with Moses, and greet the angel with Mary. Best of all, we will encounter

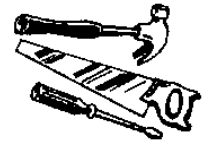
our Hero of Heroes, Jesus the Lord. To bring the joy of Jesus to the young people of our parish, we need your help. [God loves a cheerful giver!] If you will be in sixth grade next fall, you are old enough to help as a youth aide. We also need counselors. Please turn in your yellow volunteer sheets as soon as possible! The HeroesCamp Retreat will be Sunday, April 24, at 6:00 p.m. Mark your calendars for this special event. Prayer is the foundation of HeroesCamp. Even if you can't be there, please pray for those who are now training to be on the front lines. Thanks!



Anointing
of the Sick

PLEASE NOTIFY THE PARISH OFFICE, 336-3049, by April 22 if you would like to be anointed or you need a ride.

This Week...



SUNDAY, APRIL 10

- Blood Pressure Screening after 8 & 9:30 Masses, Andes Room

MONDAY, APRIL 11

- 3:00 p.m. - Brownies, Conry Room
- 3:15 p.m. - Jr. Praesidium, Andes Room

TUESDAY, APRIL 12

- 7:00 p.m. - Boy Scouts, McMahan Hall
- 7:30 p.m. - WHYS, Andes and Conry Rooms

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13

- 10:00 a.m. - Bible Study Group, Andes Room
- 3:15 p.m. - Youth Choir, church
- 5:45 p.m. - GOF, church lower level**

THURSDAY, APRIL 14

- 7:30 p.m. - Adult Choir, church

FRIDAY, APRIL 15

- 12:00 p.m. - BB Bible Study, Andes Room

SATURDAY, APRIL 16

- 8:45 a.m. - GOF, church lower level**
- 11:00 a.m. - Confessions until Noon, church
- 3:30 p.m. - Confessions until 4:30 p.m., church
- 5:45 p.m. - GOF, church lower level**

SUNDAY, APRIL 17

- 7:00 p.m. - Rosary for Vocations, church
- 7:00 p.m. - Youth Group



DISCOUNTED MOVIE THEATRE TICKETS for AMC and Regal theatres to support women who have given their lives to spreading the gospel of Jesus Christ, and who are living the evangelical counsels of poverty, chastity, and obedience.* Please support our efforts by purchasing these tickets which are good for general admission to any movie** at any AMC or Regal theatre nationwide.



AMC tickets: minimum donation \$7.50

Regal tickets: minimum donation \$8.00

Contributions beyond the stated price are gratefully accepted and are tax deductible. Please make check to Foundation of the Faith. For more information on these consecrated women, please go to www.regnumchristi.org and click on the consecrated life link. **See back of tickets for restrictions

SOUP AND ALL THAT JAZZ! Come sample soups from area restaurants and hear some cool jazz by the Brunswick and Highland High School jazz bands at this Faith in Action fundraiser, Thursday, April 14, 5:30-7:30 p.m., at Outlook Pointe. Tickets are available at the door, \$12 for adults and \$6 for children ages 6-12. Faith in Action Medina County Caregivers is also seeking silent auction items. They may be brought to Outlook Pointe, 1046 N. Jefferson St., Medina. Your help is needed to continue this valuable ministry to frail, isolated, or health-impaired seniors in Medina County. Call Jackie, 330-764-3877, or Doris, 330-725-3926 for more information. Bring a friend! Bring the kids!

THE PUZZLE OF DEMENTIA Prince of Peace Helping Hands Ministry has invited Sharon Berube, RC, to speak about "The Puzzle of Dementia" this Sunday, April 10, after the 10:30 a.m. Mass in the school gym. Discussion will revolve around memory loss, dementia, and Alzheimer's. Information on its signs and symptoms, medications, treatments, and activities for daily living will be shared for both patients and family members. Coffee, tea, and cookies will be available. Reservations are not necessary, but would be helpful. Call the parish rectory 330-825-9853.

PLEASE JOIN US FOR THE WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS, Wednesday, April 13, at 5:30 p.m., when we celebrate the parish April anniversaries!

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ROSARIES FOR OUR SERVICEMEN! The Altar & Rosary Society would like to continue making rosaries for our servicemen, the missions, or wherever they are needed. There will be a rosary making meeting on Tuesday, April 19, at 10:00 a.m., in the Andes Room. Anyone interested or who has questions, please call Carol Heim, 334-6746, or Lois Potts, 336-6262.



QUALITY EXPERIENCES FOR CHILDREN WITH CANCER

Camp Quality Ohio is a non profit organization that provides free summer camping experiences and year round support programs to children with cancer and their siblings. 2005 Camp date: July 10-16, for ages 4-18. Volunteers needed, 18 and over. Contact: John Skipper, Co-Director, 330-784-9967 or 866-364-1458, email: campqualityohio@aol.org, or website: campqualityohio.org

