

SAINT JULIE BILLIART

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

CHURCH-CATECHETICAL CENTER • 440-327-1978

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PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

St. Julie Billiart is a welcoming Roman Catholic community that deepens our personal relationship with Jesus Christ by worshipping together, reaching out to others and building up the Kingdom of God.

July 21, 2019

PASTOR.....Rev. George A. Vrabel

Permanent Deacon.....Rev. Mr. John Rivera

Permanent Deacon.....Rev. Dr. Ken DeLuca

PSR Principal.....Kelly Reed

Music Director.....Danny O'Brien

LITURGY SCHEDULE

Masses at Church

Saturday.....5:00 p.m.

Sunday.....9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m.

Weekday Masses at the Chapel

Monday-Friday.....8:30 a.m.

(Excluding Thursdays)

Holydays.....Consult the Bulletin

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays.....4:00 - 4:30 p.m.

in the Church Library

PSR - PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

Grades K - 8: 9 - 10:15 a.m. Sundays

Children's Liturgy of the Word:

During 10:30 a.m. Sunday Mass

(except first Sunday of Month)

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY

Grades 9 - 12: 11:45 a.m. Sundays

RCIA & RCIC *(Rite of Christian Initiation
of Adults and Children)*

BAPTISMS

1st & 3rd Sunday by appointment

MARRIAGE

Arrangements must be made 6 months
in advance

NEW PARISHIONERS

You are welcome to call the office
or register on line.



16th Sunday

IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus entered a village where a woman whose name was Martha welcomed him. She had a sister named Mary who sat beside the Lord at his feet listening to him speak. - Lk 10:38-39

From the Desk of Father George

Greetings Parishioners and friends of St. Julie's,

We have all known many women with the names of either Martha or Mary... but today's gospel is about two very special women who welcomed Jesus into their home. Listen to Jesus closely. He does not criticize Martha for her obsession with the details of hospitality... rather; He invites her to be calmed for: *"You are anxious and worried about many things."*

I wonder how often each of us has been anxious over the details of some event, or worried about the little things in life while missing the most important thing of all. We can often feel as if we have lost control of our schedules and events. But Jesus calls us - through this home visit - to regroup and focus upon what truly matters. Mary has embraced the better part and poor Martha is overwhelmed with all that there is to do.

Even though our lives can be filled to the brim with things to do, do we take the time to recognize the hand of God at work and to give thanks for all creation that surrounds us? We can quickly forget that Jesus invites us to make room for others in all we say and do. Take some time this week to remember a 'forgotten' family member. Say a prayer for those trying to recover from devastating life events. Make the effort to see God around you.

Choose the better part... and it will not be taken from you!

Fr. George

Mass Intentions for the Week

July 20 - Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Andrew Herbcha (Marian Kessler)
July 21 - Sunday	9:00 a.m.	St. Julie Billiard Parishioners
	10:30 a.m.	Ida Uhl (Kathleen Sobczak)
July 22 - Monday	8:30 a.m.	Jennie Frameli (Tony Frameli)
July 23 - Tuesday	8:30 a.m.	Poor Souls
July 24 - Wednesday	8:30 a.m.	Nick Arguello (Barb Arguello)
July 25 - Thursday	No Mass	
July 26 - Friday	8:30 a.m.	Poor Souls
July 27 - Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Janetti Family (Louise Alexander)
July 28 - Sunday	9:00 a.m.	Otello Sacco (Sacco Family)
	10:30 a.m.	St. Julie Billiard Parishioners

Family Perspective

The familiar story of Martha and Mary serves as a reminder for us to "choose the better portion" with our families. Are we too busy to really be present to each other? Give the gift of time and attention to spouse, children, parents and siblings. Truly listen to them and do what they enjoy doing. *"Only if we devote time to our children, speaking of important things with simplicity and concern, and finding healthy ways for them to spend their time, will we be able to shield them from harm."* - Pope Francis, *The Joy of Love* #260

The Week Ahead

July 21

Wed.

Rosary for Life, 7:30 p.m.

Thurs.

Crockpot Community
Dinner, 6:00

Coming Events

July 30

Women's Breakfast Planning Mtg.

August 6

Special Election

August 11

Anniversary Mass, 10:30 a.m.
No 9:00 Mass

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

This is the time to think about inviting your family and friends to consider full membership in the Catholic Faith. The RCIA will once again convene in late summer or early fall. This is an opportunity for those who have never been: baptized, those baptized outside the Catholic Church, or those baptized Catholic who have never received the sacrament of Holy Eucharist; to be baptized, profess their belief in the Catholic faith or to complete the sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation. If you are an adult who has never been Confirmed, there is a separate process to complete your initiation. Either way, call Fr. George at the parish office: 327-1978.



The Lord said to her in reply, "Martha, Martha, you are anxious and worried about many things. There is need of only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part and it will not be taken from her." - Lk 10:41-42

Religious Education

PSR - Parish School of Religion, Pre K - 8th grades (Sundays, 9:00 a.m.)

FLY - Faithfully Leading Youth - St. Julie's High School Youth Ministry
Grades 9 - 12 (Sundays, 11:45 a.m.)

Discontinuing St. Julie's Thanksgiving Dinner

For the past 10 years St. Julie's has been blessed to be able to serve our community through hosting the Thanksgiving Dinner. It has been a major effort to plan and put on this dinner for the hundreds of people that partake of the meal each year.

JoAnne Pogros has chaired this effort for the last several years. We appreciate her selfless dedication.

Over the years there have been many volunteers dedicated to this ministry to plan, collect donations, cook the meal, and serve on Thanksgiving Day. All of your help has been greatly appreciated.

JoAnne is no longer able to lead this effort. The very difficult decision to discontinue hosting the Thanksgiving Dinner at St. Julie's has been made. The churches in N. Ridgeville have been notified so that plans can be made accordingly.

St. Julie's will continue to serve the community through our other outreach ministries including Crockpot Thursdays.

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**Question: Which month can't  
 make a decision?**  
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Sharing the Gospel

God created work for each of us to do, and it is important to do it. But Martha was upset because she forgot to stop and make time for Jesus. Mary had the right idea. She took a break from her work to listen to Jesus. Time with Jesus is precious, so we need to make time to rest and enjoy his love.

Prayer:

Dear God, thank you for reminding me to stop and enjoy time with you.

The FEST

Don't miss out on **Sunday, August 4** as we come together for The FEST from **Noon until 10:00 p.m.** at the CPL (28700 Euclid Avenue). Come hear great music from *Jordan Feliz*, *Tenth Avenue North*, *Matt Maher*, and *Casing Crowns* along with great food (thanks to Executive Caterers and Marc's). It's all FREE. Go to www.theFEST.us for details, parking instructions, and a complete schedule of the day. There's something for every age and generation.

Moms-Grandmas-Godmothers

Don't forget the Mom's Relaxation Station. Come for a massage, manicure, make over, a free Gift Bag and reusable tote. Register online for one of 200 gift baskets at www.theFEST.us.

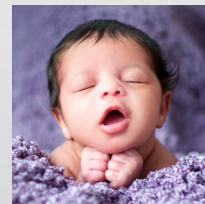


PRAY FOR . . .

the health of, and caregivers of:
 Marsha Stellato, Ginny Umpiowicz,
 Elaine Klepek, Mary Anne
 Schwarzwald, Jeff White, Bill
 Cusick, Jean Rasmussen, Terry
 Flanagan, Bill Livingston, Alma
 Hamilton, JoAnne Bellomo, John
 Murphy, Patrick Tinics, June
 Seman, Dolores Rivera, Jerry
 Moran, Carol Polak, Irene Kollin,
 Regula Family, Sondra Jirousek,
 Carol Straub; for the repose of the
 soul of John Dubecky, father of
 Greg, for our men & women in uniform,
 our police, firefighters, doctors and
 nurses; and for vocations to the
 priesthood, diaconate and religious life.

Christmas in July for Birthright

Last chance to stop by the Bootie Tree in the vestibule and select a bootie or two with gift suggestions for the needs of Birthright of Lorain County. These items are used for the Layettes they provide to moms who have come to them for help and guidance with their pregnancy. Birthright distributes over 200 layettes during the year. They need these items to re-stock the shelves. St. Julie's Rosary & Respect Life groups thank you for your generosity and continued support of Birthright. **Please return your gifts by July 28.**



Vitalant Blood Drive

Thank you for your contribution and ongoing support of the community blood program. Nine people registered to donate, which resulted in 10 units of lifesaving blood for our community.

Thank you; Vicky Fisher, James Hackney, Pat Hoffman, Janice McNamara, Tom McNamara, Alan Pavelschak, Barbara Pavelschak, Ann Riegelmayr, and Stephen Valla. Watch the bulletin for the next blood drive in the fall.

Parish Stewardship

July 14: Envelopes used: 206 (out of 687 mailed) ... \$4858
 Average per Envelope \$24
 Children's \$25
 School Subsidy \$70
 Capital Improvement \$96
Net Offertory \$5049
 Mass Attendance 487

Thank you for sharing your blessings.

News & Events

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

<u>Sat, July 20, 5:00</u>	<u>Sun, July 21, 9:00</u>	<u>10:30</u>
L- Peg Nolan	Renee Gallagher	Gloria Hearn
L- Amy Shealy	Dottie Heller	Lisa Palazzo
EM-Agnes	Theresa Bak	JoAnne Bellomo
Klimkowicz	Kristine Krejsa	Laura Knoblauch
Ted Laponi	Debijo Lamb	Tom Lamoda
Jim Nolan	Larry Rozman	John Palazzo
Chris Piontkowski	Leslie Rozman	Suzanne Snyder*
Marcia Smith	Donnie Schiffbauer	
Suzanne Snyder*	John Burghard*	

Altar Servers

Anthony Shealy Ashley McDowell Amanda Bastian
Marie Bastian

<u>Sat, July 27, 5:00</u>	<u>Sun, July 28, 9:00</u>	<u>10:30</u>
L-Sharon DeBevec	Linda Vasiloff	Mark LaLonde
L-Cindy Naprestek	Jim Livingston	Gloria Hearn
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Don Braun	Jim Carter	Barb Arguello
Marian Juskiewicz	Joanne Carter	Meg Hogue
Elaine McBriarty	Debijo Lamb*	Joe Kotarsky
Beth Paoloni*	Nick Modock	Gene Morrison
	Mary Kay Polomsky	Suzanne Snyder*

Altar Servers

Annie Dubecky Tessa Johnston Ashley McDowell

Answer: MAYbe.

Attention Married and Engaged Couples: The Church's teaching against the use of artificial contraception is often difficult for couples to understand and follow. A Natural Family Planning (NFP) class is an excellent tool to help married and engaged couples get the practical help they need to understand and live out this teaching of the Church. NFP is natural, safe, and effective for achieving or postponing pregnancy. Many couples find that NFP helps them build a deeper and closer relationship to each other and to God since they are experiencing marriage as God intended. Classes are available on-line - both live and self-paced. Also, the next in-person class starts in August at St. John Medical Center in Westlake. For information on upcoming classes or to learn more about NFP, call Tim and Mary Ellen Jakubisin at (440) 779-5793 or visit ccli.org.

Pathways Out of Darkness

Do you know someone who suffers with loneliness, anxiety, depression or suicidal thoughts? Come to St. Ladislav Church, Westlake on **Sunday, July 21, 7:00-8:30** to hear practical advice and helpful resources from; Bob Piovarchy, licensed profession counselor and pastoral counselor; Candace Clark, licensed professional clinical counselor specializing in treating adult trauma; Stephanie Stanchnik, licensed professional clinical counselor who treats patients with anxiety and depression; Greg Noveske, deacon and psychiatrist with over forty years of experience. No RSVP needed, call Deacon John Travis, 440-835-2300 x27 with questions.