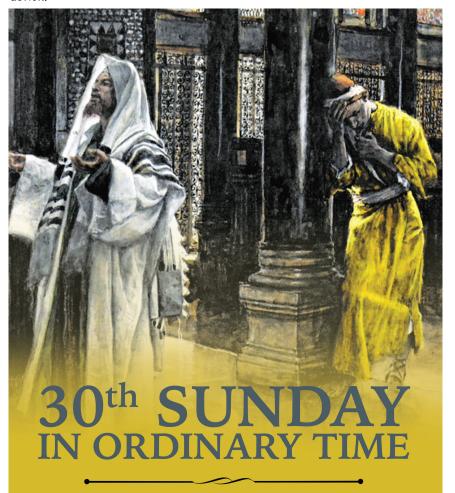


St. Julie Billiart is a welcoming Catholic stewardship based community that strives to proclaim God's goodness in our friendly and caring outreach to those seeking a spiritual home.

Our faith community is centered in the celebration of the Eucharist. Sent forth nourished by the Word of God and our sacramental encounters with the Lord Jesus, we endeavor to live the Gospel each day.

As a compassionate Christian people, empowered by the Holy Spirit, we minister to each other and the greater world community through prayer and



"I tell you, the latter went home justified, not the former; for whoever exalts himself will be humbled, and the one who humbles himself will be exalted." - Lk 18:14

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October 23, 2016

PASTOR......Rev. George A. Vrabel Permanent Deacon.......Rev. Mr. John Rivera

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

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

Religious Education

PSR Principal.....Kelly Reed

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

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.

From the Desk of Father George

Greetings parishioners and friends of St. Julie's,

Once again the scriptures lead us to focus upon prayer in our lives. Each of the readings guides us in our journey. From the academician Jesus ben Sira we learn once again that God hears the cry of the poor and lowly and that God is attentive to those who serve God and others attentively. The author of 2 Timothy, who has preserved the thoughts and teachings of Paul for later generations, offers the thought that suffering itself can be prayer. And finally, the gospel exposes two men at prayer: the Pharisee who informs God of his own accomplishments in a series of "I statements", and the tax collector who is humble and filled with remorse for his sins.

One might ask the question: "Where are any of us in those postures of prayer?" God desires us to be persons of prayer... to be in close relationship with Him. The following ancient rabbinic prayer might be of some help.

"Where I wander - You!
Where I ponder - You!
Only You, You again, always You!
When I am gladdened - You!
When I am saddened - You!
Only You, You again, always You!
You! You! You!
You above! You below!
In every trend, at every end,
Only You, You again, always You!
You! You! You! You!

Fr. George

MASS INTENTIONS

Oct. 22 - Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Jerry Soukup (Diane Soukup)
Oct. 23 - Sunday	9:00 a.m.	Jerry Polomsky (Mark & Judy Selee)
	10:30 a.m.	St. Julie Billiart Parishioners
Oct. 24 - Monday	8:30 a.m.	Patrick Gallagher (Eileen Gallagher)
Oct. 25 - Tuesday	8:30 a.m.	Tom Wanosik (Toni & Al Rall)
Oct. 26 - Wednesday	8:30 a.m.	Clara Sittinger
Oct. 27 - Thursday	N	lo Mass
Oct. 28 - Friday	8:30 a.m.	Sally Davis (Pat Liccardi)
Oct. 29 - Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Frank Jr. & Jim Valenta (Agnes Valenta)
Oct. 30 - Sunday	9:00 a.m.	St. Julie Billiart Parishioners
	10:30 a.m.	Dave & Sarah DeLuca (Ken & Jan DeLuca)

On October 29/30 the Sacrament of the Sick will be offered to all who are in need of physical, emotional or spiritual healing. This sacrament should be approached with a heart open to the power of Christ and with genuine need. The Sacrament of Anointing is the proper sacrament for those whose health is seriously impaired by sickness or advanced age.

The Week Ahead

Sun.

PSR

Altar Server Training, Noon

Tues.

Parish Council, 6:45 p.m. Sunday Choir, 7:00 p.m.

Wed.

Family Choir, 7:00 p.m. Rosary for Life, 7:30 p.m.,

Thurs.

Crockpot, 6:00 p.m.

Sat./Sun.

Priesthood Sunday Anointing of the Sick Baby Bottle Return

Sun.

PSR

Coming Events

November 11

Chili Cook Off

November 6

PSR Mass

November 8

Election Day

November 12

Women's Breakfast, St. Julie's

November 19

Men's Breakfast, St. Peter

November 24

Thanksgiving Day

Thanksgiving Dinner, St. Julie's

November 27

No PSR

December 3

Craft Show, St. Julie's

December 4

Christmas Tea

Priesthood Sunday, October 30

Keep Father George in your thoughts and prayers as he ministers to the parishioners and guests of St. Julie Billiart Parish. We ask God to bless Father George with renewed good health, happiness, and joy in the years to come. Don't forget to thank him for his dedication, his sense of humor, and his spiritually.

Parish & Community Events

October 23, 2016

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



Thank you to our parishioners who have recently made special donations to our parish. A donation of \$100 was made to replace the St. Francis of Assisi statue on Julie Lane which was destroyed by vandals a few weeks ago. A donation of \$150 was made for the fall altar flowers. A statue of the Blessed Mother, to replace the vandalized statue on Julie Lane, was purchased by the parish at a cost of \$180. If anyone would like to donate toward this statue, you can call the office or drop an envelope in the collection basket.

Thanksgiving Dinner

Thank you for the responses that we received for our request to chair the Thanksgiving Dinner. Joanne Pogros has volunteered to manage the Team, and these are the Team Leaders; Dan & Gloria Hearns, Jim Livingston, and Rick & Marianne Nielson.

Blood Donor Volunteers

Thank you to the 15 donors who were able to donate 17 units of blood. Each unit will in turn save as many as four lives. Our heroes: Jennifer Becker, Pat Hoffman, Sharon Hosier,

Jennifer Jones, Keith Klimkowicz, Debijo Lamb, Jim Livingston, Helen Miles, Michael Ochall, Rhoda Pikul, Ann Riegelmayer, Maggie Rodriguez, Dave Rodrigues, Eileen Schlather and Stephen Valla.

This week my prayers were for: gramps and grandma
Maggie; my uncle Kery; my
uncle Kenny; my cousin; mommy,
daddy & my dog Ariel; Candy,
Brian, my family, friends,
teachers, uncle Jim; my
brother in heaven, Tanner
Joseph Mack; Mr. Ethan
Rintoul; mom, dad, Brian; uncle
Kenny; my uncle; Father
George; Connor.

This is how I used my time and talent for others: by praying; I helped my mom and dad; I helped my brother; I shared my toys & snacks at school; I helped my brother read & do his homework. (He is in kindergarten.); I let my mom go to a fundraiser instead of making her drive me to the store; read to my mom; I helped my mom; helping my family; I helped my mom; chorse.

PRAY FOR ...

the health of, and caregivers of Mary Primozic, Bob Bellomo, Carol Polak, Mary Polchek, George & June Seman, Andrea Daw, Pat Tinics, Chuck Smick, Michelle Palmer, Teresa, Brian Edmonds, Dolores Rivera, Cindy Olsieski, Rick Birsic, Joe Reed, Carl Kessler, Diane Soukup, Irene Kollin, Don & Rose Regula and son Ron, Sondra Jirousek, Sandy Ciocca, Dick & Georgia Sullinger, Carol Straub, and for vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and religious life.

Adoration for Life

Please join St. Julie's and St. Peter's Respect Life and Rosary Groups as we host an evening of Prayer and adoration for life on Wednesday, October 26, beginning at 7:30 p.m. The evening will be held in St. Julie's Church. All are welcome. Call Linda or Mark LaLonde, (440) 213-6010 with questions.

Family Perspective

The saying of Jesus in today's gospel is meant for family life: "all who humble themselves will be exalted." Especially in this Year of Mercy let us remember to humbly ask for what we need and then be generous in return. It is in giving that we discover the depth of our love for one another.

Dear Current Fourth and Higher Grade Students

The Parish is in need of your help as an Altar Server. You get to wear a cool Alb, assist Fr. George and our Deacons, and learn all about why we do what we do and why Mass is so important. Please consider this invitation and join us. The training session is this Sunday, October 23rd @ Noon. The class will be 90 minutes. After training, we will schedule you with seasoned servers so that you will always be a part of a team.

Parish Stewardship

Oct.16: Envelopes used: 200 (out of 670 mailed)	\$4799
Average per Envelope	\$24
Children's	\$44
School Subsidy	\$95
Capital Improvement	
Net Offertory	
Mass Attendance	

Thank you for sharing your blessings.

News & Events

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Sat, Oct. 22,5:00 L- Cindy Naprestek L- () EM- Don Braun Laura Eland Marian Juszkiewicz Marcia Smith Beth Paoloni*	Sun, Oct. 23, 9:00 Barb Arguello () Theresa Bak Gene Morrison Mary Kay Polomsky Suzanne Snyder* ()	10:30 Gloria Hearns Lisa Palazzo John Burghard* Terri Lanser Jim Livingston John Palazzo
Altar Servers Amanda Bastian	Haley Eland	Lizzie Schiffbauer
Sat, Oct. 29,5:00 L- Ed Hurst L- () EM- Joe Dominak Nancy Dominak Marian Juszkiewicz Agnes Klimkowicz Jeanne Kovach*	*	10:30 Mark LaLonde Jim Cassidy Greg Dubecky Laura Knoblauch Tom Lamoda Mike Yarosh*
<u>Altar Servers</u> Lizzie Schiffbauer	()	Marty Dubecky

Breast Cancer Awareness: Abortion increases the risk of breast cancer. See: www.abortionbreastcancer.com.

If you know someone considering abortion, God has given you the opportunity to be a lifesaver! "Rescue Kits" are available in the literature rack in the church foyer. In the Rescue Kit are various brochures and other information that can equip you to help someone you know decide in favor of life. Pick up a Rescue Kit, look through the various materials, and prayerfully decide which information will be most helpful. Pray like crazy, and then go talk to the person you know considering abortion. Through you, God can work a miracle!

Eucharistic Ministers Needed

St. John Medical Center needs Eucharistic Ministers to provide Holy Communion to its Catholic patients. Visit the sick and provide the ultimate gift of the Blessed Sacrament. Only takes a couple of hours per week or every other week, or even just on an "as needed" vacation fill in. Please call Joe or Nancy Dominak, 440-353-1805 for more information.

The Avon Cleveland Clinic Hospital Volunteer
Eucharistic Minister Ministry needs certified Eucharistic
Ministers to provide this service. The EM service is
generally provided for about two hours one or two days
per month. You will be trained by the hospital Spiritual
Care, Volunteer and EM Volunteer staff. For information
contact Russ Bower, EM volunteer Coordinator,
216-221-8415 russellbower@sbcglobal.net