

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 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 action.

January 22, 2017

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.



3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

He said to them, "Come after me, and I will make you fishers of men."

- Mt 4:19



From the Desk of
Father George

*"Closed for
reconstruction!"*

As [Jesus] was walking by the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers, Simon who is called Peter, and his brother Andrew, casting a net into the sea; they were fishermen. He said to them, "Come after me, and I will make you fishers of men." - Mt 4:18-19



MASS INTENTIONS

Jan. 21 - Saturday 5:00 p.m. Janetti Family (Louise Alexander)
 Jan. 22 - Sunday 9:00 a.m. Jerry Polomsky (Alan & Mary Fentner)
 10:30 a.m. St. Julie Billiard Parishioners
 Jan. 23
 thru No Mass
 Jan. 27
 Jan. 28 - Saturday 5:00 p.m. Eddie Smick & Mary Smick (Smick Family)
 Jan. 29 - Sunday 9:00 a.m. St. Julie Billiard Parishioners
 10:30 a.m. Anne Knoblauch (Al Cool & Family)

Crockpot Dinner

We are always looking for volunteers to help with our once a month Crockpot Dinners. There are many different areas to help with so please consider signing up or call the office, 440-327-1978 to help. We have many volunteers that go to Florida for the winter months and that means more responsibility for the few volunteers that are still here. The dinners are held for low income families or people that would just like to have company to eat with. Everyone is welcome. We feed 100-150 people each time. Please consider volunteering today.

Parish Mission

Mark you calendar for our upcoming parish mission March 5 - 7. Jon Leonetti, international Catholic speaker and author, will be speaking on "Surge of the Heart", Who Is God And Why Love Him, God's Dream For Your Life, and Living God's Dream. "One of the most gifted speakers I've heard in my years as a priests." says Fr. Rich O'Donnell, VT. "Engaging, entertaining, and hilarious!" says Erin Walsh, NE.

The Week Ahead

January 22

Sun. PSR
 Tues. 2nd Grade Reconciliation, 7:00 p.m.
 Sunday Choir, 7:00 p.m.
 Wed. Family Choir, 7:00 p.m.
 Rosary for Life, 7:30 p.m.
 Thurs. Crockpot Dinner, 6:00 p.m.
 Sun. PSR

Coming Events

February 5

PSR Mass

February 11

Woman's Breakfast, St. Peter's

February 12

Blood Drive

February 18

Men's Breakfast, St. Julie's

February 23

Crockpot

March 1

Ash Wednesday

March 5-7

Lenten Mission

Family Perspective

The Gospel tells us that Jesus "withdrew" when John the Baptist was arrested. It is important to know when to withdraw. Many disputes at home are about petty things. We may win an argument but damage the relationship. Knowing when to withdraw from conflict is the Spirit's gift of wisdom and the reward is peace.

On Eagle's Wings

I just want to thank you for all you do for families especially mine. I appreciate you helping me out. Have a blessed New Year. I know my granddaughter gets so excited when you pull up with the box.

Love,
(Anonymous)

Religious Education

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

January 24 - First Reconciliation for 2nd grade, 7:00 p.m., Church

February 5 - PSR Mass

FLY - Faithfully Leading Youth - St. Julie's High School Youth Ministry

Today marks the 44th anniversary of the January 22, 1973 U.S. Supreme Court decisions that legalized abortion throughout all nine months of pregnancy. In forty-four years, 58 Million American babies have been killed by abortion, and many women and men have been harmed by participating in abortion. Please pray for an end to abortion and the protection of all human life.

Holy Hour for the Unborn at St. Peter Parish, N. Ridgeville

A Holy Hour for the unborn will be held on Thursday, January 26, 7:00 p.m. in St. Peter's Church. Father Andrew Hoover will be presiding. The Holy Hour will end with Benediction. Weather permitting, there will be a procession to the St. Peter Memorial for the Unborn, followed by refreshments in the church basement. The date coincides with the travel date for those who are able to attend the March for Life in Washington D.C. on January 27.

"Defense of unborn life is closely linked to the defense of each and every other human right. It involves the conviction that a human being is always sacred and inviolable, in any situation and at every stage of development." (Pope Francis in *Evangelii Gaudium*, "The Joy of the Gospel", #213)

Collection for the Church in Latin America

For over 50 years, the Collection for the Church in Latin America has been an expression of the solidarity of the Church in the United States with the Church in Latin America and the Caribbean. In a letter celebrating this important anniversary, Pope Francis commended this work, saying, "Through your support many lives have been touched by the Good News of Christ's merciful love, especially for the poor." Your participation in the collection helps share the faith with those who long to experience God's mercy and compassion in strong faith communities.

In northern Peru, great distances and deteriorated roads mean that pastoral agents and ministers must often travel by foot or mule to rural communities. As a result, some communities are visited by these church agents only once per month, others sometimes just twice per year. The Collection for the Church in Latin America was able to help fund training for 65 pastoral ministers for some of these communities. Because of your support, these new leaders continue to reach out and serve the rural areas, ensuring all feel included in our family of faith. Through projects like this, you are helping empower the people of Latin America and the Caribbean to deepen their faith and share it with the world.



the health of, and caregivers of Father George, Ron Sroka, Chris Piazza, Steve Herbcha, Michelle Frameli & Lisa Engle (daughters of Tony Frameli), Craig Tracey, Carol Polak, Andrea Daw, Pat Tinics, Dolores Rivera, Cindy Olsieski, Rick Birsic, Joe Reed, 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.

Soup for the spirit

Mark your calendar for a good time and you will also be helping out North Ridgeville Community Care at the same time. Saturday, February 25 at Tom's Country Place from 6:00-11:00 p.m., the cost is \$50 per person. After dinner the North Ridgeville Show Choir will perform. There will also be Sideboards and a Chinese Raffle. To Purchase tickets call 440-353-9716. To be a sponsor call Selena Kimble, 823-3540.



Gentle Woman Fellowship

We meet on First Fridays at Saint Clarence Parish Center, 30106 Lorain Road, North Olmsted, 44070. Our next gathering is Friday, February 3. We pray a rosary at 9:30 in the chapel. There will be refreshments in the Terrace Room. All women are welcome to come and bring a friend! No reservations needed. Questions, call Mary Hoover at 330.636.1698 or Lillian at 440.284.9539.

This week my prayers were for: everyone who has passed away; Esther, Chris, Sparky; Tanner Joseph Mack; Mrs. Dobeky; my brother; aunt Gerry & Conner; my grandpa and grandma.

This is how I used my time and talent for others: I helped mommy set the table and make dinner; I was good for papa; I helped my brother; made friends; my brother playing with me; helped my dad pick up sticks in the yard.

Parish Stewardship

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| Jan. 15: Envelopes used: 234 (out of 660 mailed) | \$5084 |
| Average per Envelope | \$22 |
| Children's | \$44 |
| School Subsidy | \$75 |
| Capital Improvement | \$225 |
| Net Offertory | \$5428 |
| Mass Attendance..... | 532 |

Thank you for sharing your blessings.

News & Events

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

| <u>Sat, Jan. 21, 5:00</u> | <u>Sun, Jan. 22, 9:00</u> | <u>10:30</u> |
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| L- Sharon DeBevec | () | Lisa Palazzo |
| L- Ed Hurst | Ken Allen | Jim Cassidy |
| EM- Joe Dominak | Theresa Bak | Laura Knoblauch |
| Nancy Dominak | Laura Eland | Terri Lanser |
| Agnes Klimkowicz | Nick Modock | John Palazzo |
| Jim Miklich | Gene Morrison | () |
| Beth Paoloni* | Mary Kay Polomsky | Debijo Lamb* |
| | Linda Forthofer* | |

Altar Servers

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| Amanda Bastian | Haley Eland | Marty Dubecky |
| | Alyssa Eland | Annie Dubecky |

| <u>Sat, Jan. 28, 5:00</u> | <u>Sun, Jan. 29, 9:00</u> | <u>10:30</u> |
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| L- Jack Whipkey | Cindy Naprestek | Mark LaLonde |
| L- Peg Nolan | Linda Vasiloff | Gloria Hearn |
| EM- Don Braun | Jim Carter | Barb Arguello |
| John Burghard* | Joanne Carter | JoAnne Bellomo |
| Marian Juskiewicz | Brenda Klein | Tom Lamoda |
| Marcia Smith | Ceil Morrison | Jim Livingston |
| | Gene Morrison | Suzanne Snyder* |
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An Inter-Parish Men's Group will meet at St. Clarence Church, 30106 Lorain Road, North Olmsted, on February 3, for a First Friday luncheon, beginning at 11:30 a.m., followed a talk by Rev. Fr. Kevin Elbert, and concluding with Mass. Cost is \$10. Please call George Perz at (440) 937-6606 to make reservations by Tuesday, January 31.

St. Peter School Open House

St. Peter Catholic School N. Ridgeville invites you to join us for our Open House on Sunday, January 29 from 11:00-1:00 p.m. It is one of the only local Catholic elementary schools with religious leadership inspired by the Sisters of Notre Dame which results in a uniquely family-friendly and welcoming environment. Come and see how we nurture responsible leaders by teaching respect, morals, and values through action and prayer rooted in the Catholic faith. We offer challenging academics, leadership development, enrichment programs, 1:1 technology and STREAM Electives (Science, Technology, Religion, Engineering, Arts, Math). Our dedicated faculty maintains high expectations for our students, hold students accountable, and instill a strong work ethic resulting in our students performing in the top tier of high school entrance tests. St. Peter School is currently accepting applications for students entering Pre-K through 8th grade in the 2017-18 academic year.

New for next year will be a Pre-K All Day Enrichment option.

For more information, to schedule a visit or if you have questions, please contact our Principal, Mr. Roger Brooks at 440-327-3212 or visit our web site at

www.StPeterSchoolNR.org.