

# SAINT JULIE BILLIART

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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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.



## 6<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Again you have heard that it was said to your ancestors, *Do not take a false oath, but make good to the Lord all that you vow.* But I say to you, do not swear at all. Let your ‘Yes’ mean ‘Yes’ and your ‘No’ mean ‘No.’” —Mt 5:33-34a, 37

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February 12, 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.

## From the Desk of Father George

Greetings Parishioners and friends of St. Julie's,

For the next few weeks we will hear the preaching of Jesus - simple teachings for those who want to live a peace-filled, loving, satisfying life. While indeed they are what we should expect and work toward, they are difficult to remember and act on when we are rushed or stressed or hurting.

Just like winter has its purpose (*remember those spring bulbs are already doing their thing beneath the scattered snow falls*) so too Jesus' Sermon on the Mount has its purpose. Jesus asks us to consider the weight and meaning of what we say - and to realize the chasm that often exists between our words and actions. Jesus calls us to slow down and reflect on what we truly believe. What do we hold dear in the depths of our hearts? Can we name it, or do we get blinded by the winter storm of "me, myself, and I"?

Take time this week to reflect upon what is truly going on in your family, your home and yourself. Strive for compassion, forgiveness and gratitude. Embrace the reality that God is with us in our struggles and never forgets his children. Remember the spring bulbs deep beneath the snow!

**Fr. George**

### Parish Updates and News:

- Our updating and renovation project is moving along quite well. Over the weeks I have been confined, much has been accomplished and it looks like we might have only a few more weeks to go. While the work continues on-site, the word is that the new chairs are in production and scheduled for shipment in early March.
- I have enjoyed your many cards and appreciated your inquiries to my 'reconstruction'. I still have the pins through my toes and into my foot for another 10 days, so I am still non-weight bearing on that foot, but it's time to get back into action - even if I am still in a wheel chair. Every day is one day closer to the end of my confinement!

## MASS INTENTIONS

Feb. 11 - Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Tom Wanosik (Frank & Bonnie Walsh)
Feb. 12 - Sunday	9:00 a.m.	St. Julie Billiard Parishioners
	10:30 a.m.	Elmer & Kathryn Uhl (Kathleen Sobczak)
Feb. 13 - Monday	8:30 a.m.	Clara Sittering
Feb. 14 - Tuesday	8:30 a.m.	James E. Smalley (Lawrence & Janet Smalley)
Feb. 15 - Wednesday	8:30 a.m.	Deceased Priests of the Diocese
Feb. 16 - Thursday		No Mass
Feb. 17 - Friday	8:30 a.m.	All Souls
Feb. 18 - Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Foot, Norma & Larry Forthofer (Forthofer Family)
Feb. 19 - Sunday	9:00 a.m.	St. Julie Billiard Parishioners
	10:30 a.m.	Tom Wanosik (Sandy Wanosik)

## The Week Ahead

February 12

- Sat./Sun.** Catholic Charities Appeal
- Sun.** PSR  
Blood Drive, 10:00-1:00
- Tues.** Sunday Choir, 7:00 p.m.
- Wed.** Family Choir, 7:00 p.m.  
Rosary, 7:30 p.m., St. Anne Rm.
- Fri.** PrimeTimers tour of Wesleyan Village, 11:30 a.m.
- Sat.** Men's Breakfast, St. Julie's
- Sun.** PSR  
Appreciation Brunch, Noon

## Coming Events

February 23

Crockpot

February 26

Appreciation Brunch

February 28

Parish Council

March 1

Ash Wednesday

March 5-7

Lenten Mission

### St. Julie's and St. Peter's Lenten Mission

Is the Parish Mission on your calendar yet? If not, join us March 5, 6, and 7th from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. for a three day Catholic adventure you will never forget!

Catholic speaker, best-selling author, and radio host Joh Leonetti will help us close the gap between the Gospel and our everyday lives.

There will be a social each night with coffee and cookies after the mission.



"You have heard that it was said to your ancestors, You shall not kill; and whoever kills will be liable to judgment. But I say to you, whoever is angry with his brother will be liable to judgment." - Mt 5:21-22a

## Religious Education

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

February 12 - PSR Class

February 26 - PSR Class

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

### PrimeTimers

Friday, February 17, PrimeTimers will be touring Wesleyan Village in Sheffield Lake. Buses will pick us up in St. Julie's south parking lot at 11:30 a.m. Please RSVP by Monday, February 13. Lunch will be provided. Call Natalie @ 309-4269.

**The 2017 Catholic Charities Annual Appeal** is underway with an in-pew commitment process taking place this weekend. This is not a special collection; rather, the Catholic Charities Annual Appeal represents the chance for all Catholics to make a significant pledge, payable in installments, to Catholic Charities, Diocese of Cleveland in order to support its mission of a society that stands united in its support of the "least among us." You did it for Me. Your support of the Appeal helps us to carry out the mission that Jesus entrusted to us: I say to you, whatever you did for one of these least brothers of mine, you did for me.' Please consider a generous gift that will change the lives of the 400,000 who are served each year in Northeast Ohio. Please pray for the success of the appeal, which provides for essential programs and services in need throughout all eight counties of the Diocese of Cleveland. On behalf of the poor and needy of Northeast Ohio, thank you! We invite you to view the stories of inspiration and more information at [www.catholiccommunity.org/2017Appeal](http://www.catholiccommunity.org/2017Appeal).

### Family Perspective

Today's Gospel is from the "Sermon on the Mount." Jesus gives strong and lofty ideals to inspire and guide our living. Today we celebrate World Marriage Day and are reminded that ideal marriages are not lived on lofty mountaintops, but in the nitty-gritty of everyday life. In their love, mutual sharing and forgiveness, couples give us a glimpse of the Kingdom of Heaven.

### Men's Fellowship Breakfast

Our February breakfast is on the 18<sup>th</sup> at St. Julie's. Please join us and become closer to Jesus. Food is served @ 8:20 a.m. So we have an idea of how much food to buy please RSVP by February 14<sup>th</sup> to Tom Fumich @ 440-610-6604 or by email to [sjspbreakfast@gmail.com](mailto:sjspbreakfast@gmail.com). If you have special dietary needs please let us know.

### Appreciation Brunch



Invitations have been sent out to those who have volunteered for our various committees this past year. If you did not get an invitation and have volunteered please let the office know tomorrow, February 13. Postcards often get lost in the mail. Today, February 12 is the last day to RSVP. Monday we must call Wagner's with our count of people attending. Please remember if we count you as coming and you decide not to come, we still have to pay for your meal.



the health of, and caregivers of Father George, Marge Lesnick, Barb Moran, Stephen Fontecchio (son of Mary Lou), Mathew Ode, Larry Primozic, 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.

### Shroud Encounter

Could an ancient Jewish linen cloth be the actual burial shroud of Jesus? Could the Shroud of Turin be a document of the crucifixion? Is that even possible? Or is it nothing more than a medieval hoax? Shroud Encounter is a dramatic big-screen experience. Each clue is revealed and examined like a CSI Investigation leading deeper into its maze of mystery and intrigue. Explore this profound enigma with Russ Breault, one of the world's leading experts captivating audiences coast to coast and seen in numerous documentaries including the History Channel, Discovery and CBS. St. Clarence Church, 30106 Lorain Ave., N. Olmsted, Sunday, February 26, 2:00 p.m. Admission is free. A life-size replica will be on display. Website: [www.ShroudEncounter.com](http://www.ShroudEncounter.com)


  
**This week my prayers were for:** the people who were in the ambulance & fire trucks; Tanner Joseph Mack; my nana, grampie and uncle Kenny; grandma Maggie; to have a happy week; Mr. Dodeky's Birthday; Unc Al & Mana & Grandpa; my sister to get better.
   
**This is how I used my time and talent for others:** play with friends; to be pashent in school; helped with laundry; helped my mom with the laundry.
   


### Parish Stewardship

<b>Feb. 5:</b> Envelopes used: 302 (out of 660 mailed) ..	\$6779
Average per Envelope .....	\$29
Children's .....	\$49
School Subsidy .....	\$26
Capital Improvement .....	\$220
<b>Net Offertory .....</b>	<b>\$7074</b>
Mass Attendance .....	<b>522</b>

Thank you for sharing your blessings.

# News & Events

## Liturgical Ministers Schedule

<u>Sat, Feb. 11, 5:00</u>	<u>Sun, Feb. 12, 9:00</u>	<u>10:30</u>
L- Terry Flanagan	Linda Vasiloff	Mark LaLonde
L- ( )	Barb Arguello	Cindy Naprestek
EM- Don Braun	Jim Carter	JoAnne Bellomo
Marian Juskiewicz	Joanne Carter	Meg Hogue
Jim Miklich	( )	Tom Lamoda
Marcia Smith	Brenda Klein	Suzanne Snyder
( )*	Gene Morrison	Debijo Lamb*
	Mary Kay Polomsky	
	Suzanne Snyder*	

### Altar Servers

( )	Adult Servers	Marty Dubecky
		Annie Dubecky

<u>Sat, Feb. 18, 5:00</u>	<u>Sun, Feb. 19, 9:00</u>	<u>10:30</u>
L- Sharon DeBevec	Ken Allen	Lisa Palazzo
L- Peg Nolan	Barb Arguello	Jim Cassidy
EM- Agnes Klimkowicz	Theresa Bak	Greg Dubecky
Ted Lapponi	Jim Carter	Laura Knoblauch
( )	Joanne Carter	Jim Livingston
Jack Whipkey	Nick Modock	John Palazzo
Beth Paoloni*	( )	Suzanne Snyder*
	( )	
Sacristan*	Linda Forthofer*	

### Altar Servers

Lizzie Schiffbauer	Haley Eland	( )
Sydney Schiffbauer	Alyssa Eland	

## Catholic Men's Fellowship of Northeast Ohio

Men! Hold the Date! On Saturday, March 25 Catholic Men's Fellowship of Northeast Ohio is holding its 17th annual "Answer the Call" conference at centrally located Holiday Inn Rockside in Independence. The Theme of the conference will be "What does it take to be a Catholic Man." Key speakers will be Tim Staples, Fr. Michael Denk and Elvis Grbac. See the website [www.cmfneo.com](http://www.cmfneo.com). Or call the office for more details.

## Life In The Spirit Seminar

"The Lord of all kindness will set our hearts free"  
Ps 119:32. A one-day "Life in the Spirit Seminar" will be held on Saturday, February 25 from 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Our Lady of Angels Prayer Group invites you to prepare for Lent. Complimentary continental breakfast and lunch will be provided; there is no cost for this seminar. Join us in the Primary Building (behind Linus Hall) 3644 Rocky River Drive, Cleveland 44111 (there will be signs). For questions or to register call Verna, 216-251-3560 or Pat, 440-777-1667.

### ***Striving for Sainthood:***

*"To be saints is not a privilege for the few, but a vocation for everyone."*

*- Pope Francis*