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.

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies and God of all comfort, who comforts us in all our affliction, so that we may be able to comfort those who are in any affliction. --2 Cor 1:3-4b, ESV

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#### October 8, 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)			
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### 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.

## St. Julie Billiart Parish

## 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

### From the Desk of Father George

Dear Parishioners and friends of St. Julie's,

As autumn scents of dying plants and drying leaves begin to fill the air, we are reminded that many harvests are taking place. Our gardens have just about given their all and it will soon be time to clear the patios and store the summer hoses, chairs and umbrellas away for the winter. There is nothing like the smell of a distant fire pit or burning leaves to fill the cool night air!

Today's Scripture passages utilize a very familiar crop for the people of their day - vineyards and their grapes. Of course, it is not literally about the wine or the fruit. Rather, it is about what each may symbolize for the author. Israel is the choice vineyard of the Lord and yet it produced wild grapes! The people of Judah forgot God's love and turned to ways not of the Lord. In a similar fashion, the Matthean Parable of the rebel tenants and the vineyard also points at those who did not produce fruit worthy of their vines. At the appointed time the rebels will be cast out and others will take their place. In other words, the Kingdom of God will be given to a people that will produce its fruit. We have been offered that opportunity to tend the vineyard and bring the Kingdom of God to others. How well are we holding to the task of our Baptismal Promises? How often have we exercised our life in the Eucharist? Can others recognize if we are consistently faithful in our efforts to proclaim Christ to the world?

While many families buzz with activities throughout the year, things accelerate with fall sports, school activities and yearnings to catch the 'last days of summer'. Enjoy, and be safe with God!

Fr. George

### Statement of the Most Reverend Nelson J. Perez, Bishop of Cleveland, regarding the shooting incident in Las Vegas.

October 2, 2017

Our country has suffered another horrific crime that has claimed many lives and shattered many others. All are heartbroken over this latest incident of hatred and senseless violence. This incomprehensible act in Las Vegas directed against innocent men, women and children reminds all of us of the fragile and precious nature of human life. As people of faith, we condemn the evil of violence and pray for the gift of peace.

I ask everyone in Northeast Ohio to join together with me in prayer for the victims of this crime and their families, for all the public safety responders and for the entire Las Vegas community. May our witness of prayer and solidarity bring some solace to their lives and may the God of all love and goodness provide consolation and healing in the wake of this dark tragedy.

+Nelson J. Perez Bishop of Cleveland

### The Week Ahead October 8

#### Sun. Blanket Sunday, envelopes in vestibule PSR New Parishioner Breakfast, after the 10:30 Mass Tues. Sunday Choir, 7:00 p.m. Wed. Holy Hour, Noon-1:00, Chapel Saturday Choir, 7:00 p.m. Rosary, 7:30 p.m. Sat. Women's Breakfast, St. Peter's Sun. PSR Coming Events

October 21 Men's Breakfast, St. Julie's Spaghetti Dinner, St. Julie's

> October 26 Crockpot Dinner

November 1 All Saints Day

### Family Perspective

The king in today's gospel entrusted his land to the tenants. They did not own the land. Our children are entrusted to us. We do not own them. They belong to God. Tend to them well so God will be pleased with our parenting efforts.

~ Thank You

Thank you Fr. George, the parish community of St. Julie's and all of our dear friends for the cards and for the wonderful reception after 5 o'clock Mass last weekend. It has been our honor to direct the Family Choir in song at St. Julie's for 39+ years. We hope to continue to minister with the choir but not in a leadership capacity. We warmly welcome Danny O'Brien to our parish and look forward to his expertise.

Mike and Mary Malbasa

# Parish & Community Events

## **Religious** Education

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

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

## MASS INTENTIONS

Oct. 7 - Saturday 5:00 p.m. Rasmussen Family (Jean Rasmussen) Oct. 8 - Sunday 9:00 a.m. St. Julie Billiart Parishioners 10:30 a.m. Jerry Soukup (Diane Soukup & Family) Oct. 9 - Monday 8:30 a.m. Carole Miller (Ken & Jan DeLuca) Oct. 10 - Tuesday Thru No Masses Oct. 13 - Friday Oct. 14- Saturday 5:00 p.m. Winnie Smick (Smick Family) Oct. 15 - Sunday 9:00 a.m. St. Julie Billiart Parishioners 10:30 a.m. Patty Orosz (Dave Orosa)

### Thanksgiving Dinner Benefit

In order to help defray the expenses of the Annual St. Julie Thanksgiving Dinner, North



Ridge Tours is sponsoring a Benefit **Mountaineer Casino Trip**, Tuesday, October 24. The cost is \$29 and you receive a \$25 Casino Benefit. Departing from North Ridgeville South Central Park promptly at 8:30 a.m., with a return time of approximately 6:00 p.m. ALL PROCEEDS after the immediate bus cost go to benefit the Thanksgiving Dinner. Contact Nick Modock @ 440-465-1578 for reservations. Make checks payable to North Ridge Tours, 5795 Tree Moss Lane, North Ridgeville, OH 44039.

### Women's Breakfast

The women of St. Julie's & St. Peter's and will be gathering together to share breakfast and our faith experiences. Our October Women's Fellowship Breakfast will be at St. Peter's October 14, starting at 8:30 a.m. and ending by 10:00 <u>please</u> <u>note we have moved to St. Pete's</u> <u>Gym</u>. Our guest speaker will be Fr. Andrew, he will share is Holy Land experience. In order to plan for food, RSVP's are requested by Tuesday, October 10 to Shirley Fumich phone 440 864-1111/ shirlf1963@gmail.com.

"We ourselves feel that what we are doing is just a drop in the ocean. But the ocean would be less because of that missing drop."

(St. Teresa of Calcutta)

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October 8, 2017



the health of, and caregivers of Father George, Catherine Paskert, Bill Livingston, Glenn Glacken, Judi Paskert, John Murphy, Kerry Decker (son-in-law of John & Dolores Rivera), JoAnne Bellomo, Marge Lesnick, Jerry & Barb Moran, Carol Polak, Chris Piazza, Pat Tinics, Dolores Rivera, Joe Reed, Diane Soukup, Irene Kollin, Don & Rose Regula and son Ron, Sondra Jirousek, Sandy Ciocca, Dick & Georgia Sullinger, and Carol Straub, for all the victims of the crime in Las Vegas and their families, and for the repose of the soul of Senior Priest-Retired Rev. Douglas T. Makowski.

### Children's Envelopes

If your child did not receive a packet of envelopes and you would like a set, please go to the PSR office or the parish office. We add the children's offerings to your contributions.

### Men's Fellowship Breakfast

Our October breakfast is on the 21<sup>st</sup> at St. Julie's. Please join us and become closer to Jesus. Food is served @ 8:20 am. So we have an idea of how much food to buy please RSVP by October 17<sup>th</sup> to Tom Fumich @ 440-610-6604 or by email to <u>sjspbreakfast@gmail.com</u>. If you have special dietary needs please let us know.

This week my prayers were for: my dad because his ankle hurts; Father George heart; Kendall; Kylee, who diagnosed with diabetes; are grandpa Monahan; my grandpa; hurricane victims.

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This is how I used my time and talent for others: I
inflated my dads boot for his ankle; helping clean up; I
helped the neighbors rake the leaves; I played out side
with my friends; I read to my little brother.

### Parish Stewardship

Oct.1: Envelopes used: 280 (out of 668 mailed) \$	7433	
Average per Envelope	. \$27	
Children's	. \$63	
School Subsidy	\$105	
Capital Improvement	\$199	
Net Offertory\$7	7800	
Mass Attendance	.575	
Hurricane Collection\$2	2789	
Thank you for sharing your blessings.		

# News & Events

### Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Sat, Oct. 7, 5:00 L- Jack Whipkey L- () EM- Don Braun Greg Dubecky Ted Lapponi Jim Miklich Suzanne Snyder*	<u>Sun,Oct.8,9:0</u> Linda Vasiloff Dottie Heller Theresa Bak Diane DeMelo* Jim Carter Alice Hogue Nick Modock	0 <u>10:30</u> Mark LaLonde Lisa Palazzo Laura Knoblauch Tom Lamoda Jim Livingston Debijo Lamb*
<u>Altar Servers</u> Annie Dubecky Marty Dubecky	Adult Servers	Amanda Bastian Marie Bastian
Sat,Oct.14,5:00 L- Sharon DeBevec L- ( ) EM- Joe Dominak Nancy Dominak Gene Morrison Suzanne Snyder*	Sun,Oct.15,9:0 Ken Allen Dottie Heller Barb Arguello Mary Kay Polom ( ) ( )	Dena Warmuth Gloria Hearns JoAnne Bellomo
<u>Altar Servers</u> Alyssa Eland Haley Eland	()	Lizzie Schiffbauer

### Women suffering after an abortion

"I Have Called You by Name" is a private healing retreat facilitated by Bethesda The House of Mercy and The Community of Jesus The Living Mercy. The retreat will be held at Loyola Retreat House near Canton on October 13-15. Come experience the mercies of the Lord through the sacraments, prayer, and scripture. For more information, call 800-482-4100 or email <u>BethesdaHouse@aol.com</u>. Information and applications for the retreat are in the literature rack in the church lobby.

### Today is Blanket Sunday

Thank you for your donation to our Blanket Sunday collection. The Diocesan St. Vincent de Paul Society will make your money go further with bulk purchases for use in our own metropolitan area. You can use the envelopes in the vestibule to make your donation to homeless and disadvantaged. So "blanket" someone for the winter and give yourself a warm feeling! You can also donate online at www.svdpcle.org.

### Spaghetti Dinner

Help to support the Community Thanksgiving Dinner Come on Saturday, October 21 after the 5:00 Mass; 6:00 to 7:30. \$10 per person, \$2 children 10 years and under. Salad, spaghetti with homemade sauce, meatballs, ice cream, coffee, pop, and music prepared and served by the K of C council 7970. Bring your own Italian beverage to share with your table. Tickets sold at the door.