

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.



31st SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Therefore, do and observe all things whatsoever they tell you,
but do not follow their example. For they preach but
they do not practice." - Mt 23:3

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November 5, 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,

During this month of November we continue to pray for the intention of All Souls. I always find this intention to be one which speaks to the depth of not only the loss of our loved ones throughout history, but also of the powerful message of hope that comes to and through the resurrection. Please take the opportunity to inscribe the names of your departed loved ones into the 'Book of the Dead' located near to the baptistery.

On Thursday - November 9th, we celebrate the Feast of the Dedication of St. John Lateran Basilica in Rome. The **Basilica of St. John Lateran** (Italian: **San Giovanni in Laterano**; official name: **Archbasilica of the Holy Savior**) is the oldest and first among the great patriarchal basilicas of Rome, Italy. The Basilica of St. John Lateran is also a cathedral, and not just any cathedral - it is the cathedral of the bishop of Rome, i.e., the Pope. Contrary to what might be easily assumed, St. Peter's Basilica is not the cathedral of Rome.

The site was, in ancient times, occupied by the palace of the family of the Laterani. Some few remains of the original buildings may still be traced in the city walls outside the Gate of St. John, and a large wall decorated with paintings was uncovered in the 18th century within the basilica itself, behind the Lancellotti Chapel. The Basilica has an interesting history: The Lateran Palace eventually came into the hands of Constantine, the first Christian emperor, through his second wife Fausta (sister of Maxentius). Constantine gave it to the Christian Church by 313, when a council (The First Lateran Council) against the Donatists - those who maintained that membership within the church was restricted to those free from sin and re-baptism was necessary to be re-admitted - was held within its walls.

The basilica was consecrated in 324 by Melchiade's successor, Pope Sylvester I. From that time onwards it was always the residence of the popes and the cathedral of Rome. Hence the proud title which may be read upon its walls:

Omnium urbis et orbis ecclesiarum mater, et caput

Of all churches in the city and the world, the mother and head. St. Leo the Great restored it about 460, and it was again restored by Pope Hadrian, but in 896 it was almost totally destroyed by an earthquake— *ab altari usque ad portas cecidit* "it collapsed from the altar to the doors"— damage so extensive that it was difficult to trace the lines of the old building. But after much digging, the foundation was uncovered and the new building was of the same dimensions as the old. This second church lasted for four hundred years and then burnt down in 1308. It was rebuilt by Pope Clement V and Pope John XXII, only to be burnt down once more in 1360, but again rebuilt by Pope Urban V. When the popes returned to Rome from their long absence at Avignon in 1377, they found the city deserted and the churches almost in ruins. Great works were begun at the Lateran by Pope Martin V and his successors. The palace, however, was never again used by them as a residence. The Vatican, which stands in a much drier and healthier position, was chosen in its place.

Throughout the ensuing centuries various renovations took place continuing to alter the facades and original character. It is a must see for any pilgrimage to Rome.

The Week Ahead

November 5

Sun.

PSR Mass, 9:00 a.m.

Sun. to Sun.

Family Promise

Tues.

Sunday Choir, 7:00 p.m.

Wed.

Saturday Choir, 7:00 p.m.
Rosary, 7:30 p.m.

Sat.

Women's Fellowship
Breakfast, St. Julie's

Sun.

PSR

Coming Events

November 16

PrimeTimers Pot Luck

November 18

Men's Breakfast, St. Peter's

November 23

Community Thanksgiving Dinner

December 2

St. Julie's Christ Craft Show

December 8

PrimeTimers Christmas Luncheon

December 9

Breakfast with Santa

Parish News and updates:

This week at the voting booth, we are called to make decisions for our future. While the church must remain neutral in individual candidates, I urge you to approach the polling places with a well formed conscience. If you have not yet prepared yourself to vote, spend some time reviewing appropriate materials that will guide your decision. Prayer should always be part of decision making processes for a well formed conscience, and so I encourage you to pray for the wisdom and grace of the Holy Spirit to choose wisely. Voting is a right and privilege of the democracy in which we live. Strive to exercise your right to vote for the various candidates and issues.

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

MASS INTENTIONS

Nov. 4 - Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Carl Kessler (Jim & Joanne Carter)
Nov. 5 - Sunday	9:00 a.m.	St. Julie Billiard Parishioners
	10:30 a.m.	Mary Lou Jufko (Dennis Jufko)
Nov. 6 - Monday	8:30 a.m.	Deceased Priests of the Diocese
Nov. 7 - Tuesday	8:30 a.m.	Lori Field & Brad (Gene Morrison)
Nov. 8 - Wednesday	8:30 a.m.	Josephine Kubasak
Nov. 9 - Thursday		No Mass
Nov. 10 - Friday	8:30 a.m.	All Souls
Nov. 11 - Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Jerry Begany (PrimeTimers)
Nov. 12 - Sunday	9:00 a.m.	Larry Forthofer (Forthofer Family)
	10:30 a.m.	St. Julie Billiard Parishioners

Women's Breakfast

The women of St. Julie's and St. Peter's and will be gathering together to share breakfast and our faith experiences. All women of both parishes are welcome. **Our November Women's Fellowship Breakfast will be at St. Julie's - November 11**, beginning at 8:30 a.m. and ending by 10:00 a.m. Our guest speaker will share her personal witness. In order to plan for food, RSVP's are requested by Tuesday, November 7 to Shirley Fumich phone 440-864-8111 or shirlf1963@gmail.com. We look forward to sharing the morning with you.

We need your help!

There are several ways in which you may make a contribution to our Community Thanksgiving Dinner on

November 23. If you would like to join us by volunteering your time to make this an awesome meal for those in need, you can either sign up at the table in the vestibule or send an email with your name and phone number to stjturkey@gmail.com. You can also sign up in the vestibule for food donations; and remember... cash donations are always welcome to help defray expenses.

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 ~ This week my prayers were ~
 ~ for: my dad's sore back; uncle ~
 ~ Matt, that he has a speedy ~
 ~ recovery; grandma and ~
 ~ grandpa. ~
 ~ This is how I used my time ~
 ~ and talent for others: helped ~
 ~ my teacher pass out papers at ~
 ~ school; helping mom clean. ~
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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, Carol Straub and for vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and religious life.

Men's Fellowship Breakfast

Our October breakfast is on the 18th at St. Peter'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 November 14th to Tom Fumich @ 440-610-6604 or by email to sjspbreakfast@gmail.com. If you have special dietary needs please let us know. Remember this month's breakfast is at St Julie's. Hope to see you on November 18.

Baby Bottle Drive

supporting Maggie's Place, a community that provides homes of hospitality for pregnant and parenting women in need. Please return the bottles and any money collected after Mass next weekend November 11/12.



PrimeTimers

Thursday, November 16, 12:00 noon - Pot luck lunch. Father Andrew, from St. Peter's will speak to us about praying the Rosary. Please RSVP with your food contribution to Natalie @309-4269.

Friday, December 8, 12:00 noon - Christmas Dinner at Legacy, 750 Jaycox Rd., Avon Lake. We will ask for a donation to Community Care in lieu of gift exchange. Please RSVP to Natalie @309-4269 for both events.

Parish Stewardship

Oct. 29: Envelopes used: 197 (out of 669 mailed)	\$4539
Average per Envelope	\$23
Children's	\$57
School Subsidy	\$5
Capital Improvement	\$450
Net Offertory	\$5051
Mass Attendance	492

Thank you for sharing your blessings.

News & Events

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Sat, Nov. 4, 5:00

L- Sharon DeBevec
L- Terry Flanagan
EM- Don Braun
Ted Lapponi
Gene Morrison
Marcia Smith
Suzanne Snyder*

(Sacristan*)

Sun, Nov. 5, 9:00

PSR
PSR
Theresa Bak
Michelle Davis
Greg Dubecky
Jim Livingston
Nick Modock
John Palazzo
Linda Forthofer*

10:30

Mark LaLonde
Jim Cassidy
Barb Arguello
JoAnne Bellomo
Joe Dominak
Nancy Dominak
Meg Hogue
Debijo Lamb*

Altar Servers

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Annie Dubecky
Lizzie Schiffbauer

Marie Bastian

Sat, Nov. 11, 5:00

L- Jack Whipkey
L- Peg Nolan
EM- Agnes
Klimkowicz
Jim Miklich
Gene Morrison
Jim Nolan
Beth Paoloni*

Sun, Nov. 12, 9:00

Linda Vasiloff
Diane DeMelo*
Jim Carter
Joanne Carter
Dottie Heller
Ceil Morrison
Mary Kay Polomsky

10:30

Dena Warmuth
Gloria Hearn
John Burghard
Michelle Davis
Terri Lanser
Mike Yarosh*
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Altar Servers

Lizzie Schiffbauer

Adult Servers

Amanda Bastian
Marie Bastian

"Even the weakest and most vulnerable, the sick, the old, the unborn and the poor, are masterpieces of God's creation, made in his own image, destined to live forever, and deserving of the utmost reverence and respect."
Pope Francis

Elyria Catholic High School Band Parents'

Holiday Craft Show and Bazaar

Start the season off on a happy note by visiting Elyria Catholic's Holiday Craft Show and Bazaar! Sponsored by the band parents, this year's event is bigger and better yet with over 70 vendors! Join us **Saturday, November 11, 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.** at Elyria Catholic for some great food and wonderful gift ideas! \$3.00 admission, children under 10 are FREE. *No strollers, please.*

St. Anthony Dinner

St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church, 1305 E. Erie Avenue, Lorain, will be hosting a dinner after the 4:00 p.m. Mass on the 1st Saturday of each month. The menu will be different each month & prepared by our own St. Anthony kitchen crew. *The cost of each dinner will be only \$10.* You can RSVP by calling the Parish Office, 440-288-0106. You will pay at the door. Carry out is available. Hope to see you there!