



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.

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.

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PASTOR.....Rev. George A. Vrabel

Permanent Deacon.....Rev. Mr. John Rivera

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

PSR Principal.....Kelly Reed

Music Director.....Danny O'Brien

LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday.....5:00 p.m.

Sunday.....9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m.

Weekday Masses will be at

St. Peter Parish until further notice

Holydays.....Consult the Bulletin

CONFESSIONS

2nd Saturday of the month 4:00-4:30 p.m. in the Church Library



From the Desk of Father Franco

Dear Friends and Parishioners of St. Julie's,

Sunday, November 11 is Veterans Day. Although it will be observed on Monday, November 12, I want to take this opportunity to thank the men and women who have served or are currently serving in one of the five branches of the United States military. In the name of St. Julie Parishioners, we are grateful for your service to our country and the freedoms we enjoy because of your service.

This year Thanksgiving falls on Thursday, November 22nd, the earliest it can be. There are some events that take their cue from this day:

- * **The Knights of Columbus Turkey Raffle:** This raffle will take place this Sunday, November 11 at St. Peter Parish. Doors open at 5:00 p.m. and the raffling off of turkeys, hams, cheese wheels and fruit baskets take place shortly thereafter. Other gift baskets will be raffled off. Proceeds from the turkey raffle are used to provide three \$500 scholarships, one of which will be a student from St. Julie Parish. All are welcome.
- * **The St. Julie Turkey Dinner:** This dinner has traditionally served over 300 people annually. Lots of help is needed to make this dinner a success. Please see the bulletin for details for ways in which you can help. Please sign up in the lobby of St. Julie church for ways to help.
- * **Ecumenical Thanksgiving Prayer Service:** The Christian churches of North Ridgeville have gathered annually for an ecumenical Thanksgiving prayer service on the Sunday before Thanksgiving. This year's ecumenical service is being hosted by Fields United Methodist next Sunday, November 18. Local ministers and priests take part in the service. This year I am preaching. The service begins at 7:00 p.m. and includes at time of fellowship (desserts and beverages) immediately following the service. All are welcome.
- * **Thanksgiving Day Mass:** Just as St. Peter Parish joined St. Julie's on Labor for Mass (and the pancake breakfast), so St. Julie parishioners are invited to St. Peter Parish for Mass on Thanksgiving Day at 9:00 a.m. It is a great way to begin this holiday.

Today's gospel mentions widows twice. At the beginning of the gospel Jesus castigates the scribes who "devour the houses of widows and as a pretext, recite lengthy prayers." In other words, these scribes live on fees or donations from widows who, in Jewish society, could least afford to give them. Then Jesus highlights a widow whose voluntary and almost hidden sacrifice is greater than the "big givers" to the Temple.

The contrast couldn't be greater. The scribes who "devour the houses of widows" are deceitful takers. The widow who makes sacrifices for God's work is a cheerful giver. May our lives be a journey from taking to giving, becoming a blessing to others and pleasing to the Lord.

In Christ,

Fr. Bob Franco

Mass Intentions for the Week

Nov. 10 - Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Debbie Thompson (Fred & Rae Curylo)
Nov. 11 - Sunday	9:00 a.m.	St. Julie Billiard Parishioners
	10:30 a.m.	Frank Jr. & Jim Valenta (Agnes Valenta)
Monday - Friday		No Masses until further notice*
Nov. 17 - Saturday	2:00 p.m.	Wedding: Timothy Malbasa & Kristin Knight
	5:00 p.m.	Moxie DePalolo (Louise Alexander)
Nov. 18 - Sunday	9:00 a.m.	St. Julie Billiard Parishioners
	10:30 a.m.	Living & Deceased of Ken & Jan DeLuca Family

*Morning Mass will be at St. Peter's, 8:15 a.m. every weekday.

The Week Ahead

November 11

Sun.

Veterans Day
Baby Bottle Return
PSR
Cursillo, 6-9:00 p.m.

Sat.

Men's Breakfast, St. Peter

Sun.

PSR

Coming Events

November 22

Thanksgiving Mass, St. Peter's,
9:00

Community Thanksgiving Dinner

December 1

St. Julie's Craft Show, 9-4

December 8

Immaculate Conception
Breakfast with Santa

December 9

Communal Penance Service,
St. Julie's

December 27

Crockpot Dinner

December 30

Blood Drive

"You know well enough that Our Lord does not look so much at the greatness of our actions, nor even at their difficulty, but at the love with which we do them." (St. Therese of Lisieux)

Many rich people put in large sums. Calling his disciples to himself, he said to them, "Amen, I say to you, this poor widow put in more than all the other contributors to the treasury. For they have all contributed from their surplus wealth, but she, from her poverty, has contributed



all she had, her whole livelihood." - Mk 12:41c, 43-44

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
Grades 9 - 12 (Sundays, 11:45 a.m.)

Children's Liturgy of the Word: During 10:30 a.m. Sunday Mass
(except first Sunday of Month)

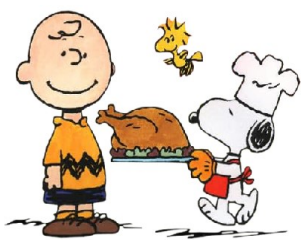
High School Ministry - Grades 9 - 12: 11:45 a.m. Sundays

RCIA & RCIC (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults and Children)

Men's Fellowship Breakfast Reminder



Our November breakfast is on the 17th from 8:30 to 9:45 a.m. at St. Peter's in the School Gym. Please join us and become closer to Jesus. So we have an idea of how much food to buy please try to give an RSVP by November 13th to Tom Fumich (610-6604 - sjspbreakfast@gmail.com) to attend. If you have special dietary needs please let us know.



Turkey Time!

Thanksgiving is quickly approaching. The annual Thanksgiving

Day Community Meal will be held at St. Julie's on November 22, 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

We need your help! There are several ways in which you may make a contribution. 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 to stjturkey@gmail.com. You can also sign up in the vestibule for **food donations** (which we really need) and we need **people to cook the turkeys** on Monday and Tuesday; and remember...cash donation are always welcome to help defray expenses.

Reminder: If you signed up to bring food, we need it next weekend (November 17/18) except for pumpkin pies.

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 ✓ **This week my prayers were**
 ✓ **for:** my family; world peace; to
 ✓ bring peace; Simon Thomascik;
 ✓ my grampa; Grandpa; Jesus.
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 ✓ **This is how I used my time**
 ✓ **and talent for others:** helped
 ✓ my mommy take the trash cans
 ✓ to the road; I was a good
 ✓ listener to others; being a
 ✓ problem solver; helping people
 ✓ at the store; I played with my
 ✓ brother; I did my laundry; I
 ✓ was extra nice to everyone.
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the health of, and caregivers of Father George, Claudia (daughter of Thomas Carcione), Danielle Deorvnak, Rae Curylo, Phyllis Turk, JoAnne Bellomo, Phil Vella (brother of Dottie Heller), Vicky Marlowe, Aaron Kruger (nephew of Agnes Dlubac), John Murphy, Patrick Tinics, Theresa, June Seman, Dolores Rivera, Bill Livingston, Marge Lesnick, Jerry & Barb Moran, Carol Polak, Chris Piazza, Irene Kollin, Regula Family, Sondra Jirousek, Carol Straub; for the repose of the souls of Sandy Ciocca, wife of Richard, David Perez, father of Bishop Nelson Perez and Deacon Edward McCarthy, Jr., retired; for our men & women in uniform, our firefighters, police, doctors and nurses; and for vocations to the priesthood, diaconate & religious life.

Turkey Raffle

The Knights of Columbus North Ridgeville Council 7970, serving St. Peter/St. Julie Billiard Parishes, will be holding its Annual Turkey Raffle on Sunday, November 11 at St. Peter Gym. Doors will open at 5:00 p.m., admission is free. The kitchen will be open and will serve hamburgers, hotdogs and assorted refreshments. Come have some fun and help us support our Grant Program for St. Peter School.

Family Perspective

The widow in today's gospel gave everything she had. She didn't hold back, she trusted that God would care for her. In our homes we are called to imitate the widow and invest totally in one another, paying with the coins of generous love and empowering trust.



Parish Stewardship

Nov. 4: Envelopes used: 268 (out of 683 mailed) \$6495
 Average per Envelope \$24
 Children's \$112
 School Subsidy \$0
 Capital Improvement \$713
Net Offertory.....\$7320
 Mass Attendance.....658

Thank you for sharing your blessings.

News & Events

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

<u>Sat, Nov. 10, 5:00</u>	<u>Sun, Nov. 11, 9:00</u>	<u>10:30</u>
L- Cindy Naprestek	Linda Vasiloff	Lisa Palazzo
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EM- Elaine Klepek	Barb Arguello	Meg Hogue
Agnes Klimkowicz	Diane DeMelo	Tom Lamoda
Jim Miklich	Kristine Krejsa	John Palazzo
Jim Nolan	Nick Modock	()
Beth Paoloni*	Mary Kay Polomsky	Mike Yarosh*
	Linda Forthofer*	

Altar Servers

Haley Eland	Adult Servers	Kady Jerore
Alyssa Eland		Tessa Johnston

<u>Sat, Nov. 17, 5:00</u>	<u>Sun, Nov. 18, 9:00</u>	<u>10:30</u>
L- Jack Whipkey	Ken Allen	Mark LaLonde
L- Terry Flanagan	Dottie Heller	Gloria Hearn
EM- Don Braun	Theresa Bak	John Burghard*
Greg Dubecky	Debijo Lamb*	Michelle Davis
Ted Lapponi	Larry Rozman	Laura Knoblauch
Marcia Smith	Leslie Rozman	Joe Kotarsky
Beth Paoloni*	()	()

Altar Servers

Anne Dubecky	Juliana Cerny	Anthony Shealy
	Ashley McDowell	

Attention Married and Engaged Couples: The Church's teaching against the use of artificial contraception is often difficult for couples to understand and follow. A Natural Family Planning (NFP) class is an excellent tool to help married and engaged couples get the practical help they need to understand and live out this teaching of the Church. NFP is natural, safe, and effective for achieving or postponing pregnancy. Many couples find that NFP helps them build a deeper and closer relationship to each other and to God since they are experiencing marriage as He intended. Classes are available in person and on-line. For information on upcoming classes, call Tim and Mary Ellen Jakubisin at (440) 779-5793.

Copies of the encyclical *Humanae Vitae*, are available at the back of church. You can also read *Humanae Vitae* online at: <https://bit.ly/2Pi8Uqw>

Campaign for Human Development is next weekend. Over 43 million people in the United States live in poverty. This collection supports programs to empower people to identify and address the obstacles they face as they work to bring permanent and positive change to their communities. Learn more about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development at www.usccb.org/cchd/collection.

Community Care

Special Items Needed This Week:

Canned Vegetables ~ Applesauce ~ Pasta Sauce