`BULLETIN COPY – ST. MARY CHURCH – GROVEPORT, OHIO - SUNDAY, November 20 – USE CUT # 2-B				
Saturday	5:00 p.m.	For the Parish Family		
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	Dick Krauss by Mike Krauss		
	11:00 a.m.	Jack & Rosemarie Shinoskie by the Shinoskie Family		
Monday	8:30 a.m.	Novena & Rosary		
Tuesday	8:30 a.m.	Audrey Hall by Carol & Joe Groom		
Wednesday	8:30 a.m.	Paul Gallagher by Jared & Mary Markowitz		
Thursday	9:00 a.m.	Nick & Glenn Frank by Evelyn Frank		
Friday	8:30 a.m.	Jerry Jenkins by the Jerry Jenkins Family		
Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Roger Crites by Sandy Trammer		
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	Deceased Children of the TCF's by Rose Mary Billiter		
	11:00 a.m.	For the Parish Family		
		THIS WEEKEND	NEXT WEEKEND	
SERVER SCHEDULE				
Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Brian Ropchock, Frank Trammer	Brian Ropchock, Frank Trammer	
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	Branson Cline, Jonathan Maier, Marita Surry	Jonathan Maier, Marita Surry, Jazlyn Winski,	
			Deven Winski	
	11:00 a.m.	Sandro Nuakey, Connie Brown, Eli Nuakey	Connie Brown, Todd Lutz, Sandro Nuakey,	
		Matt Hambrick	Macie Sporleder	
LECTOR SCHEDULE				
Saturday	5:00 p.m.	David Wilson, Joe Stewart	Sydney Blain, Sandy Trammer	
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	Alice Doran, Rosemarie Watters	Dave Solack, JoEllen Stebelton	
	11:00 a.m.	Mayellen Fowler, Noreen Reeves	Patricia Raynak, Mayellen Fowler	
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER SCHEDULE				
Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Judi Matz, Pam Gerardi, Shawna Gentile,	Pam Gerardi, Sandy Trammer, Phil Feldmeier,	
Saturday	5.00 p.m.	Sandy Trammer, Marilyn O'Linn	Marilyn O'Linn, Shawna Gentile	
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	Irene Fagan, JoEllen Stebelton, Carolyn Veit,	Pat Jenkins, Rosemarie Watters, Mary Slone,	
Banaay	0.50 u .m.	Rosemarie Watters, Christine Boucher	Irene Fagan, Carolyn Veit	
	11:00 a.m.	Jan Gale, Cindy Kinch, John Kinch,	Cindy Kinch, Nancy Scholl, Jean Bobst,	
	11100	Marie Kujawski, Carl Scholl	Dorothy Carter, Bill Reeves	
CANTOR SCHEDULE Saturday 5:00 p.m. Debra Smith Susan Howell				
Saturday	5:00 p.m. 8:30 a.m.	Debra Smith Susan Howell		
Sunday	8:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m.		Kathy Frank Debra Smith	
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From Father John . . .

Wonderful Worship Opportunities

Some new opportunities and others that have been in place enhance Catholic life and worship at St. Mary.

- **Thanksgiving Mass** 9:00 a.m. Food gathering at the Offertory.
- **First Friday Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction** after the morning Mass until Noon. Time period sign-up sheets are posted in the vestibule for your convenience ... or just come when you can. Next First Friday is December 2.
- Advent Penance Service Sunday, December 4 at 3:00 p.m. Come as a family.
- Monthly **Healing Mass** at Noon continues on the second Wednesday in lieu of 8:30 morning Mass. Receive the Sacrament of Anointing if needed and the Holy Eucharist. Next Healing Mass is December 14.
- Our 2016 Advent projects: Adopt-a-Family and the Mitten Tree (scarves & hats, too) begin Thanksgiving week.
- Immaculate Conception Solemnity Masses: 8:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m., December 8. (Holy Day of Obligation)
- **Christmas Mass** preparations are underway. Our PSR children are practicing their choral offering for the 5:00 p.m. (12/24) Christmas Mass. This will not be a "children's Mass" as such, but will feature our young people with music and decorating the Crèche. The later Christmas Mass (12/24) will begin with a music program at 9:00 p.m. and the liturgy at 9:30 p.m. The Christmas Day Mass will be 9:00 a.m.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, November 20 – 2 Sm 5:1-3 / Col 1:12-20 / Lk 23:35-43

Monday, November 21 – Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5 / Lk 21:1-4

Tuesday, November 22 – Rv 14:14-19 / Lk 21:5-11

Wednesday, November 23 – Rv 15:1-4 / Lk 21:12-19

Thursday, November 24 – Sir 50:22-24 / 1 Cor 1:3-9 / Lk 17:11-19

Friday, November 25 – Rv 20:1-4, 11-21:2 / Lk 21:29-33

Saturday, November 26 – Rv 22:1-7 / Lk 21:34-36

Sunday, November 27 – Is 2:1-5 / Rom 13:11-14 / Mt 24:37-44

OUR GIFTS TO GOD AND CHURCH

November 13 – Sunday Offering – \$4,107.00 Food Pantry - \$249.00

God bless you for your continued support of St. Mary Church!

This weekend's second collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD) provides funding for groups that make lasting change and uplift the poor in the United States. CCHD's grants improve education, support economic development, and create affordable housing in low-income neighborhoods. Help us to continue to defend human dignity and build communities of solidarity. Please give generously to the CCHD collection!

Birthright extends its sincere appreciation for the generosity of St. Mary parishioners! Donated items included 37 blankets, 26 Onesies, 15 Bibs, 10 Burb Clothes, 3 Fitted Crib Sheets, 32 Hats, 7 Socks, 389 Diapers, 272 wipes, 1 Binky, and 33 ounces Dry Formula Mix. Thank you! PLEASE_USE_CUT_MUSIC_CHOIR_02_BW

Christmas Choir practices are held every Wednesday beginning at 6:30 p.m. What a wonderful way to prepare for the celebration of the birth of our Savior. Everyone who wishes to be a part of this group is welcome!

We will have Mass on Thanksgiving Day at 9:00 a.m. If you would like to help with a ministry at this Mass, please call the Parish Office at 614-497-1324 or send an email to stmarygroveport@hotmail.com.

Parish Organist Needed. St. John XXIII Parish music ministry is in need of a part-time organist to accompany the choir at the 9:00 a.m. Mass on Sunday. This positon would also include occasional substituting for other weekend Masses and substituting for occasional wedding and/or funerals may also be required. This is a paid position and the individual must meet all requirements of the Diocese of Columbus for employment. Please forward your letter/resume to 5170 Winchester Southern Rd NW, Canal Winchester, OH 43110-7917 or email popejohn@sixxiiiparish.org.

Great Advent Devotional Material – Available in the Vestibule

The Lord is Coming! Praying through Advent with Pope Francis – Daily prayers: First Sunday of Advent through Christmas Week. **Prepare His Way!** – Daily Meditations by Pope Francis, Saint Mother Teresa and Fr. Henri Nouwen.

Parish School of Religion Classes will NOT be held on Sunday, November 27 due to Thanksgiving Holiday! Classes will resume on Sunday, December 4.

HAPPY THANKSGIVING!!



Parish Thanksgiving Dinner today, Sunday, November 20, after the 11:00 a.m. Mass. Turkey, ham, mashed potatoes and gravy, dinner rolls & drinks will be provided. Please bring a side dish or dessert to share!

St. Vincent de Paul

The St. Vincent de Paul will hold a Silent Auction during our Parish Thanksgiving Dinner. All proceeds go to SVDP to help the needy.

The St. Vincent de Paul has a food basket in the vestibule for the Groveport Food Pantry. For the month of **November**, they are requesting Boxed Potatoes & Gravv.

St. Mary SVDP Youth Group would like to thank Christine & Gary Boucher for their years of service and dedication to our youth. Succeeding Christine & Gary are two new moderators: Jeneane Miles and Sarah Lewis, who have good ideas for the coming year. They would like to have a meeting with the youth group on Sunday, November 27 after the 11:00 Mass in the Parish Hall. The Youth Group is a wonderful way to get involved with our community while serving others. Service hours will be earned for their time helping others. *Come share your thoughts and ideas with them!*

The SVDP will have their monthly collection next Sunday after all Masses!

The Catholicism Series continues on Tuesday, November 22, at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. This lesson is entitled "The Mystical Union of Christ & the Church." Clearly answering the question, "What is the Church?" Bishop Barron presents the reality of the Church as "one, holy, catholic and apostolic."

Parish Advent Penance Service will be held Sunday, December 4 at 3:00 p.m. with multiple priests present. Examine your conscience and *Know God's Mercy*!! Come as a family.

The Craft Club will be having a Christmas Bazaar after all Masses on December 3 & 4.

The Flowers in front of the Altar this weekend are given by Barb Doyle in memory of Fred Doyle.



We welcome into our parish Tamim and Mishaal Igartua who were baptized in our parish church, November 13, 2016. May God's blessings be upon them and their family.

Hugs and Prayers – Please remember in Prayer those of our Parish family and friends who at this time are hospitalized, ill, or recovering: Rosa Alonzo, Mary Ann & Richard Armstrong, Ann Arnett, Virginia Bauman, Margaret Bonner, Mary Jo Borghese, The Brothers Family, Tom Bryan, Chris Burkhart, Catherine Courey, Kathy Daw, Al Elizondo, Dominic Elizondo, Giuseppe Fazio, Mayellen Fowler, Shirley Jo Fraley, Ben Garrison, Mary Getreu, Cody Hetterscheidt, Tara Hetterscheidt, Bill & Agnes Hillis, Austin Hosfeld, Susan & Steve Howell, Jake Jajczyk, Mary Jones, Mary Kampf, Henry Kampf, Barb Kellenbarger, Evelyn Kelley, Tim Leddy, Lisa Leonard, Julie Litsinberger, Rita Martini, Dick Matz, Maria Mayes, Trisha Mentzer, Msgr. Bob Metzger, Wanda Mennetti, Mary Jo McKinney, Maxine & Tom McLoughlin, Connie Neuherz, Renee Parlin, Joseph C. Ramsey, Fr. Reichert, Gene Schrader, Lucy Snyder, Mike Sommer, Virginia Theado, Howard Watters, Ken Watters, David Wilson, Caroline Weiland, Jeanne West, Virginia Whittemore, and Jim, Cathy Williams & Family.