



# Ss. Robert & William Catholic Parish

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## **Parish Office Hours:**

Monday, 8:30 am – 6:45 pm,

Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday, 8:30 am – 6:00 pm,

Friday, 8:30 am – 4:30 pm, Closed Saturday & Sunday

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**May 7, 2017**

**Fourth Sunday of Easter**

## **MASS INTENTIONS**

### **Monday, May 8**

12:00 PM (JB) † Geraldine Sexton by Her husband, John

### **Tuesday, May 9**

8:00 AM (JB) For the People of the Parish

### **Wednesday, May 10**

12:00 PM (SG) † Anton Corazza, Maria Stojnic, Slavica Milanovic by Natale Corazza

### **Thursday, May 11**

8:00 AM (SG) † Betty Rapinz, by Meg Cosgriff

### **Friday, May 12**

12:00 PM (SG) All Living & Deceased Veterans

### **Saturday, May 13**

8:30 AM (JB) † Jane Easler by Daughter, Donna

4:00 PM (SG) For All Mothers

### **Sunday, May 14**

9:00 AM (JB) For All Mothers

11:00 AM (SG) For All Mothers

6:00 PM (JB) For All Mothers

## **This Week At The Parish**

### **Monday, May 8**

- 6:30 pm Legion of Mary
- 6:30 pm Gr. 7 & 8 PSR and EDGE at SJC
- 6:30 pm Parent Association
- 7:00 pm Town Hall on Guns & Violence

### **Saturday, May 13**

- 9:00 am Men's Group
- 9:00 am Women's Fellowship
- 2:30 pm Confessions
- 7:00 pm AA

### **Sunday, May 14**

- Happy Mother's Day!

### **Tuesday, May 9**

- 8:45 am MOMS after Mass
- 2:00 pm Seniors' Meeting at Gateway Manor
- 6:30 pm Bell Choir
- 7:00 pm Addicts' Parents United

### **Wednesday, May 10**

- 6:30 pm 33 Days to Morning Glory

### **Thursday, May 11**

- 6:30 pm Choir Practice
- 7:00 pm Areopagus
- 9:00 pm Men's Basketball

### **Friday, May 12**

## **Rosary (Ursuline Chapel):**

Sunday at 8:30 am

Monday, Wednesday, & Friday at 11:30 am

Tuesday, Thursday at 8:30 am

Saturday at 9:00 am

## **LET'S CONNECT**

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**Welcome** to our parish...we are a community founded in a spirit of unity to serve our God through loving HIM and one another, always!

## FJB's BLOG

Dear Parishioners,

Congratulations to all of our parishioners receiving their First Holy Communion today. We are so proud of you and support you!

One of the scariest things happening in our country right now is gun violence! Rarely a day goes by that we do not hear about a shooting of some sort, and many times people are killed. What makes this even scarier is that it seems no city or area of the country is spared this senseless violence. The leaders of the various faith communities/churches in Euclid have been talking about this issue. How can we address this issue head on and proactively help remove guns from our streets? How can we teach about responsible gun ownership? How can we help to teach people how to peacefully resolve conflict and help our young people know that violence is never the answer? Lots of ideas are abounding in this discussion. Each Church in Euclid agreed to hold a gathering of our parishioners to discuss and pray about the issue. Our parish will do this Monday, May 8 at 7:00 pm in the Church. **I invite ALL PARISHIONERS to join me in prayer and discussion about guns and violence and what we can do about it in our community. We will have a prayer service, discussion in large and small groups, and then assemble again as a large group to identify issues, concerns, and action steps moving forward. Please mark your calendar and plan to attend!**

This summer we are going to be blessed to have four seminarians living here at the parish. One will be Michael Feldtz, who is a 5th year seminarian and will be ordained in May 2018. Alex Spenik is a 2nd year seminarian, and Ryan Arto and Jim Winings are both 1st year seminarians. I am in need of some help feeding these men. Usually, Fr. Scott and I do okay taking care of meals, but with four extra guys... I am looking for people to provide a dinner on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, May 22—August 4. The meal would be for 6 people. If you would be able to do a meal or two (or more :)), call Chris Fink in the Parish Office or email her at cfink@srweuclid.cc to schedule a day. These men studying for the priesthood would be most appreciative.

See you in Church!

Peace,  
Fr. John



## First Communion Class of 2017

Aurea Angel	Daniel Longstreet
Lilly Babyak	Autumn Maltba
Christina Biliani	Gianna Marsico
Celia Brewer	Dean Masotya
Audrey Catalano	Jordan Mellody
Braylin Christopher	Dominic Pavlica
Reese Craig	William Perez
Isabelle Dalto	Ashley Piendzik
Hunter James Danewitz	Paige Piendzik
Michael Duke	Richard Piendzik
Elyse Farrar	Samantha Piendzik
Madelyn Flick	Cecilia Pomnean
Daniel Franko	Ella Raddell
Keilha Greer	Isaac Raddell
Jake Homan	Simon Peter Sajjabi
James Jeran	Maria Varga
Amya Jeric	Nicholas Vurbic
Jack Kennedy	Keira Widemire
John Komosa	Aubrey Wolenski
Raegan Kvoriak	Anthony Zavodny
Rebecca Lone	



# Faith Formation



[Ss. Robert & William Catholic School](http://www.srwshool.cc) Website: [www.srwshool.cc](http://www.srwshool.cc)

Throughout the school year, we have shared the missions of our teaching staff. This is the final mission – Meet Ms. Cosgriff, Executive Principal.

In 1988, I entered my first classroom as a teacher. For the 23 years leading up to that moment I had relied on my parents, parish priests, religious sisters, and dedicated lay people to form me in the ways of faith. The seeds of faith had been planted, watered, and tended to, and it was now time to begin the career I had always dreamt of: teaching in a Catholic school. *It was this same year that the Congregation for Catholic Education, a department of the Vatican, wrote the following in response to Vatican II: From the first moment that a student sets foot in a Catholic school, he or she ought to have the impression of entering a new environment, one illuminated by the light of faith, and having its own unique characteristics.* (Religious Dimension of Education in a Catholic School, 1988, n.25). It is this guideline that touched my heart and became my daily mission as I embraced my vocation, my ministry.

Each day as I greet students entering the building, I pray they feel the love that permeates the building. This is not just a school – it is holy ground. It was built for the sole purpose of passing on the faith. By beginning each day making a connection with each student, calling them by name, and encouraging them to do his/her best, I hope to create that new environment.

It is impossible to list all the unique characteristics of our school. A sampling of the most important to me include: beginning the year with the Backpack Blessing, praying with students, giving blessings on birthdays, witnessing so many Sacraments, sharing faith with colleagues, attending Mass weekly, celebrating religious holidays, and being able to offer a course entitled Christian Living. It doesn't get any better than this. In closing, the following words inspire my work each day: **Be it known to all who enter here, that Christ is the reason for this school; the unseen but ever present Teacher in its classes, the model of its faculty, and the inspiration of its students.** My prayer is that now, as the dedicated lay person forming students in the ways of faith, the seeds of faith that have been planted, watered, and tended to, grow in these students so that the mission of the Catholic church ~ to make disciples of all people ~ is accomplished.

## Women's Fellowship

Many of us have been there or know someone who has felt the anguish and the helplessness for family members who have left the faith. Join **Women's Fellowship on Saturday, May 13 at 9:00 am in the Upper Hall** for a frank and compassionate talk on where we go from here. Our own **Father Scott Goodfellow** will share with us **Walking with Family Who Have Left the Faith**. You won't want to miss it and the comfort of knowing you are not alone. No reservations necessary. We'd love to see you. Call Renee Barber 216.731.1515 ext. 262 with questions.



Mothers' Day Spiritual Bouquets are available in the vestibule of the Church or at the parish office. Pick one up, fill it out, and return it to the parish office, information desk, or collection basket. Fr. John & Fr. Scott will remember the mothers (living and deceased) in their prayers this May.

## Baby Corner

The Bassinet will be in the Church Vestibule next weekend, May 13 & 14 to collect new or gently used baby items for newborns to children aged 18 months. Birthright and Westside Catholic Center are very appreciative for our donations.

## Protecting God's Children

The Diocese of Cleveland's "Protecting God's Children" program is a continuing effort to instruct and inform everyone about the protection of children from sexual abuse. To report any past or present **suspected inappropriate behavior** toward children by priests, deacons, religious, lay ecclesial ministers, or personnel associated with the Church, please contact the **Diocesan Response Service office at 216.334.2999** or at [response\\_services@dioceseofcleveland.org](mailto:response_services@dioceseofcleveland.org). You are also asked to immediately inform local authorities about inappropriate behavior.



## 100 Years Ago Our Lady Came to Fatima

In honor of the hundredth anniversary of the Apparitions of Our Lady at Fatima, the Legion of Mary and Knights of Columbus at St. John of the Cross are sponsoring an evening to commemorate the event. Please join us at St. John of the Cross, after the 4:00 pm Mass on Saturday, May 13 (the date of the first apparition), for the recitation of the Rosary, followed by a pasta dinner and movie about the apparitions in the Parish Community Center (the old school). There is no cost to attend. Please contact Marcie Williams (216.531.6391) or William Knox (216.965.8693) if you are interested in attending or for further information.

**You're Invited:** Parishioner Bob Bazzarelli is holding a Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser/Chinese raffle on Sunday, May 21 between 2:00-7:00 pm at the Stadium Grille in Mentor to benefit the Alzheimer's Association and LifeBanc. Bob's dad, Floyd, was a long time St. William parishioner who had Alzheimer's disease. The cost is \$12/adult & \$3/child. For tickets/more information: call Bob at 440.585.3649 or online at [www.FightForACauseOhio.EventBrite.com](http://www.FightForACauseOhio.EventBrite.com). Good food, good friends, good fun. Please join us!

**Here's a perfect lasting gift to Honor and/or Remember a Loved One!**  
**SRW PAVERS**

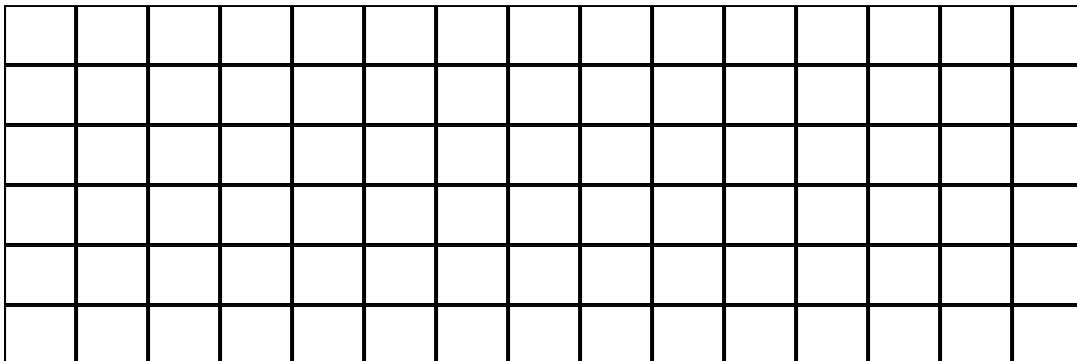
**Perfect gift for Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation, Wedding,  
Graduations, etc...**

**1. Choose the location of brick placement:**

The Church Walkway     Padre Pio Prayer Garden     Allegiance Walkway (near the School Flagpole)

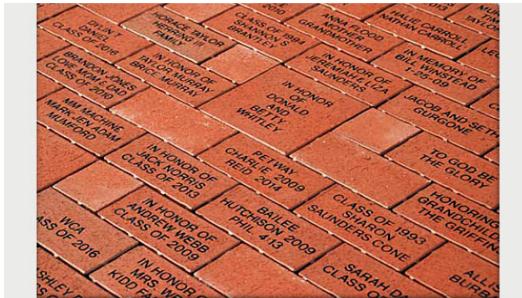
**2. Choose the brick size:**  4 x 8 Paver (\$100)     12 x 12 Paver (\$250)

**3. Place the inscription in the boxes below.** Engraved message: Maximum 3 lines, 14 characters each including spaces/lines and dashes for **4 x 8** Paver. Maximum 6 lines, 15 characters each including spaces/lines and dashes for **12 x 12** Paver.



May use top 3 rows  
and 14 of the 15  
vertical columns for  
\$100 paver.

May use all rows  
and all vertical col-  
umns for or \$250  
paver.



**4. Complete donor information below and place order form and payment in an envelope and return it to Chris Fink at the Parish Office.**

**Please note: We do our best to place bricks near those previously ordered for family/friends; however, exact loca-  
tion, e.g. row/column, cannot be guaranteed.**

**Donor Information (Please type or print clearly)**

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City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_

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Payment:  CASH  CHECK  MC/VISA/AMEX/DISC

CARD NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_ EXP DATE: \_\_\_\_\_ CCV: \_\_\_\_\_

**To order additional brick pavers, please use an additional form. A minimum number of bricks must be received before this order can be processed. Bricks will be placed in the ground as weather permits.**

## SRW International Cookbook

We are pleased to announce that we are compiling an “**SRW International Cookbook**,” and we are seeking recipes from you. Since we embrace and celebrate diversity here at SRW and focus on multiculturalism at our Taste of Nations benefit and our International Festival, we wanted take this opportunity to collect your favorite recipes and share them with all. There are two ways to submit your recipes. You may pick up a recipe collection sheet from the Information Center in the back vestibule of the church, complete it, and return it to the Parish Office to the attention of Ellen Ivory, or you may submit the recipe online at [www.typensave.com](http://www.typensave.com). Under ‘user name or group login’ you will enter **SRWCooks**, followed by the password **grape451**. We have extended the deadline for submission of recipes. By submitting your favorite recipes, you will not only guarantee the success of the book, you will also be eligible to win a gift basket with a copy of the new cookbook. Please call the Parish office if you have any questions.

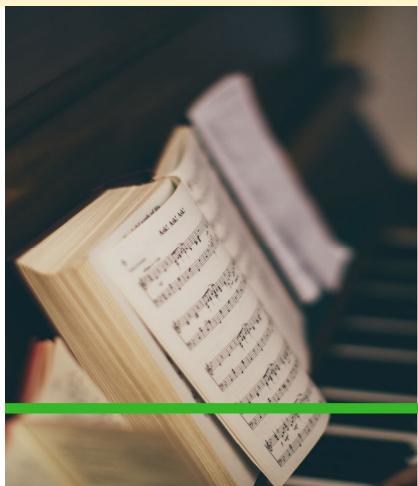
Through a bidding process, we are selling the vintage card catalog from The Mustard Seed. If you are interested in owning this treasure, please send Fr. John an email ([fjb@srweuclid.cc](mailto:fjb@srweuclid.cc)) noting in the subject line, “Card Catalog Bid.” Please include the amount of your bid, and it will go to the highest bidder. Bids will be accepted through May 17.



## Easter Flowers—CONTINUED

Thank you very much to all the people who have donated for our Easter Flowers! They are so beautiful and have added so much to our celebrations of Christ's Resurrection. Please pray for the people listed as we honor and/or remember them! We try our best to decipher handwriting. We apologize for any errors.

Kevin Dhondt	Tim Gulich	Ed Borowy
Tony & Rose Granito	James Geisweidt	Lowe/Troha/McCullough Families
Jeffrey James Granito	PeJean Families	John Pontillo Family
Linda Hayes	Geisweidt Families	Carmen Ferritto Family
Larry Hayes	Frank and Julia Opalek	The Balarian and Cash Family
Joyce G. Chicone	Jahn and Julia Franko	Tony and Inez Janz
Bob Chicone	Walter Spisak	Charles Rawlings
Dan and Violet Saturnino	Helen Fabian	Mildred Rawlings
Clifford and Dorothy Sweet	John Fabian	John Rawlings
Judy and Bob McLaughlin	Thomas Fabian	James Rawlings
Joe Falsetti	Handler and Calabrese Families	Julia Phillips
Marge and John Pomnean	Ruth Cickavage	Ann Kupetz
The Lowe Family	John Hocevar	Amelia Flanagan
The Rebol Family	John and Laverne Bogo	Eric Clark
Jim Hrovat	John Langdon	Louis Mervar
Richard Sterle	Tony Gercans	Hedwig Mervar
John and Elizabeth Pughese	Pete Cuccia	Fred Flanagan
Devin Ryan Stokel	The Deceased members Hocevar Familiy	Jim Flanagan
Vincent and Eleanor Polito	Sandra and Mark Owen	Kevin McBride
Easter	Frances and Anton Jerina	Marion A. McBride
Isabelle Hood	Charles Linder	Ron Pannetti
Margaret Hancovsky	William Srecko Buzdon	Edward L. McBride
Colleen Haas	The Mejak Family	Michael Michak
Mary Greishammer	The Buzdon Family	Edward Szmania
Tony and Inez Janz	Mr. and Mr. John Dolsak	Jean Murphy
Felix Martincic	Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cernelech	Gerald R. Thompson
Jerry Shemerl	Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dolsak	Frank J. Bals
Raymond Kastelic	Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Kummkowski	Linda Thompson
Diane Kastelic	Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parsons	Carl Reese
Connie Pierce	Ann Richards	Charles Reese
Mary R. Renovich	James and Johanna Stack	Christine McGaughy Reese
Ted and Ann Pavlish	James Stack	Charles Neumann
Alex and Eve Meszoros	John Stack	Clara Neumann
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Balogh	Bob Stack	
Tiffany Ann Balogh Ross	Eileen Stack	
Robert J. Glavac	Lori Ede	
Lynda Fitch		



### Join SRW Music Ministry!

Looking for vocalists & instrumentalists for the following groups.

- **Cantors**
- **Adult Choir**
- **Contemporary Group**
- **Bell Choir**
- **St. Cecilia Singers Children's Choir**



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## **PRAYERS NEEDED**

**Please pray for...**Alda Kovalsky, Jean Feiten, Ronald Kessler, Marianne Ellul, Geraldine Hoffert, Dennis Whitticar, Janet and Jim Cika, Pauline Dutcher, Elaine Jackson, Sharon Kazusky, Grayson Kazusky, Violet DeStefanis, Ann Grossman, Donald Pavlovich, Mary Nykiel, Chuck Hill, Alice Maroney, Elaine Yanko, Mary Ann Hudak, Faye Bukovec, Samuel Raguz, James Augustine, Ted Sabat, Christopher Henderson, Alexis Farrar, Rose Leo, Patricia Johnston, Veronica Morgan, Thomas Jirousek and all those who are ill in body, mind, or spirit in our community.

**We thank and pray** for those who serve in the **military** and **safety forces**. May God bless them for their service to our country and community.

**We offer our deepest sympathy** to the families who have lost a loved one, **Alice Maroney**. May they know the peace and comfort of God's love and find strength in the support of our parish community.

The collection for April 30 was **\$9,680**.

**Loan Balance: \$1,363,207      Monthly Loan Payment: \$10,580**

Please consider a donation to help lower our long term debt. Please call Fr. John or Ellen at the Parish Office at 216.731.1515 or email them at [fjb@srweclid.cc](mailto:fjb@srweclid.cc) or [eivory@srweclid.cc](mailto:eivory@srweclid.cc). Thank you very much for your continued generosity. — Fr. John

**Have you thought of leaving a legacy, especially for our faith, church, and school?** Remember Ss. Robert & William in your will or trust to continue our traditions and education. Contact Fr. John at the Parish Office for more information.

**We'd like to connect with you!** Get important updates from our church in a timely and convenient way. **Flocknote**, the new tool we're using, lets you choose what information you'd like to receive - via email or text message - from the various ministries and groups in our church. You can unsubscribe any time. **Visit our church at: [www.flocknote.com/SRW](http://www.flocknote.com/SRW) OR Text SRWEUCLID to 84576 from your phone to subscribe to updates.**



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