

November 17, 2019

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

SS. ROBERT & WILLIAM

CATHOLIC PARISH
DIOCESE OF CLEVELAND



Guardian Angels Early Learning Center Fall Open House



Please join us for our next open house on **Saturday, Nov. 23, from 5-6 pm** and **Sunday Nov. 24, from 10 am-12:30 pm**. Visit the Early Learning Center classrooms, tour the facility, and meet the teachers.

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FINANCIAL PEACE University

Financial Peace Live will be held in the All Saints room Wednesday, 11/20 from 6:30 -9:30 pm. Registration is required but the cost is **Free!**

*This isn't your typical "money class." Financial Peace University is practical, entertaining, and fun.

*More than 1.5 million families and individuals have taken FPU.

*The average family completing the course pays off \$5,300 and saves \$2,700 in 90 days. That's an \$8,000 change in position!

*Whether you're struggling to make ends meet or you're a millionaire, FPU has something for you.

*FPU is based on more than 800 verses of Scripture and is a proven plan that will work for you.

Check out the following links for more information and to register for the course...<https://www.fpu.com/1103974>

For more information please check the parish website or contact Bryan Scheider at [216.212.9445](tel:216.212.9445) or bryan.scheider@gmail.com.



PERPETUAL ADORATION

November 20 will be the 25th anniversary of Perpetual Adoration at this location!

Approximately forty current members have been in this ministry since it began. New members are always welcome.

NEW GUIDE BOOK AND DIRECTORY

In order to help us all know more about our parish and to have an annually updated Church directory, we have contracted with Guide Book Publishing to produce a "Guide Book and Directory." The book will be direct-mailed to every household in our parish and is being provided at no cost. This Guide Book and Directory is, and shall remain, the property of this congregation only. Use of this book by anyone for business purpose or for the telephone or mail solicitation is strictly forbidden. If you **do not** want your phone number and/or your address listed in this publication, please contact the Church Office at 216.731.1515.

Ss. Robert & William Parish 367 E. 260th Street

Sat: 4 pm | Sun: 9 am, 11 am, & 6 pm

Mon., Wed., & Fri., 12 Noon (Church)
Tuesday 8 am (Church)
Thursday, 8 am (Chapel)
Saturday, 8:30 am (Chapel)

Saturday, 2:30 – 3:30 pm

24 hours/day, 7 days/week in
Perpetual Adoration Chapel

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Weekend Masses

Weekday Masses

Confessions

Eucharistic
Adoration

Information

St. John of the Cross Parish 140 Richmond Road

Sat: 4 pm | Sun: 9 am & 11 am

Mon., Wed., & Fri., 8 am (Chapel)
Tues. & Thurs., 6:30 pm (Chapel)

Saturday, 3:00 – 3:30 pm

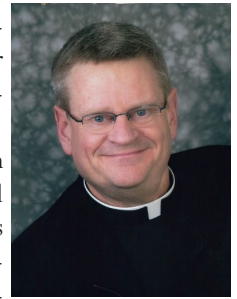
First Friday of each month, 8:30 am – 4:00 pm

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The **OUTREACH PROGRAM** of Ss. Robert and William Parish provides services and food staples to parishioners and Euclid residents living within our parish boundaries. Through the generosity of parishioners, we offer help to those experiencing hardships in their life. Further, we seek to connect those in need with additional services offered in the community.



Our **Community Meal** is held on the last Tuesday of each month. With food purchased from the Cleveland Food Bank, we serve a complete meal (salad, bread, an entrée, 2 vegetables, and a homemade dessert). The meal is open to all – parishioners and neighbors. The gathering provides the opportunity to meet people and socialize with others. Paid for through the donations of parishioners, the meal is prepared by a core group of 10 volunteers. Students from our parish school assist with the serving. In October we served 97 people. We recently expanded our menu and now also provide a **take home bag** of produce and other staples for all who attend. The added take home bag program needs new volunteers to pack and distribute bags.

“The Pantry” is our parish food bank. People requesting food assistance receive a bag of groceries and a bag of toiletries. Each family request is screened and appropriately responded to. Items offered depend upon the food that is collected by the church doors on the first Sunday of the Month and through other parishioner donations. During the month of October, 19 families received assistance. Two parishioners volunteer to take requests and pack bags. Referrals to other programs of assistance are offered.

With the up-coming Christmas season, preparations are being made for our **Advent Giving Tree**. Some twenty families requesting assistance will be served. Their wish lists include food staples, clothing, toys, and gift cards. Our Advent tree will be placed in the church vestibule decorated with gift tags listing suggested gift items. Please be sure to pick up a gift tag and purchase a new gift so that we can make some special Christmas memories.

Ss. Robert and William Parish can provide an “Outreach” to others because of your gracious generosity and parishioner volunteers. I am grateful for what you offer and am honored to be able to serve, in your name, those who come to our door. I pray that you will continue to support our Outreach programs through your contributions and donations so that we can serve those who ask for help. Know that every effort is made to be a good and trustworthy steward of your donations.

Fr. Thom

Anointing of the Sick will be offered at all the weekend Masses, next weekend. We do these two weekends a year. It is an opportunity for the parish to pray with our brothers and sisters who are suffering physically, emotionally and/or spiritually. This Sacrament is offered to the elderly, terminally ill, those suffering with a serious disease such as cancer, chronic illnesses, major depression/mental illness, spiritual darkness and so forth. It is not just for the dying. It is one of the three Sacraments that are offered for “Last Rites” or someone on their deathbed (the other two being Penance and Eucharist). However, the church envisions that all the sick has an opportunity to receive this Grace filled Sacrament.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, November 18

12:00 PM (TK) + Jane Easler

Tuesday, November 19

8:00 AM (TK) + Alfred Lorek

Wednesday, November 20

12:00 PM (JB) For the People

Thursday, November 21

8:00 AM (TK) + Silvia Beaupain

Friday, November 22

12:00 PM (JB) + Sigmund and Loretta Wojtowicz

Saturday, November 23

8:30 AM (JB/JR) + Betty Bednarski

4:00 PM (JB/JR/TK) + Cyndi Balazs

Sunday, November 24

9:00 AM (JB/JR/TK) + Jack Luskin

11:00 AM (TK/JB) + Deceased Members of Sambula Family

6:00 PM (TK/JB) + James Schlecht, Sr.

COMING UP AT THE PARISH

Monday, November 18

- School Choir
- Legion of Mary
- Edge

Tuesday, November 19

- Mom’s Group
- Holy Hour at 6:30 pm

Wednesday, November 20

- Seniors’ Meeting
- Financial Peace Live
- Finance Council

Thursday, November 21

- Prayer Shawl
- Choir Rehearsal
- Walking With Purpose

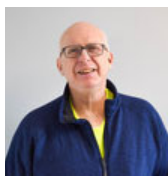
Friday, November 22

Saturday, November 23

- Men’s Group
- Resurrection Choir Rehearsal
- Confessions
- GAELC Open House after 4:00 pm Mass
- AA meeting

Sunday, November 24

- RCIA
- Blessing Bag



MR. TERRY RETIRES!

Terry Evert retired, Terry has worked very hard in his life and has had a major impact on this parish. Terry has worked at Ss. Robert & William since its founding. He has been the regular "Guy Friday" who does anything and everything for our parish and school. We are sure he will continue to worship and volunteer around the parish and school. Retirement will allow him to focus on himself and enjoy a well-deserved rest. We will celebrate Terry at a school Mass on Tuesday, November 26 at 8:00 am followed by donuts in the Parish Center. All are welcome. Please RSVP to alinsky@srweuchid.cc. Congratulations and Thank You, Terry, for all you did for SRW.



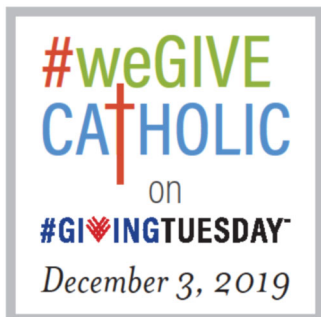
BABY CORNER

Next weekend we will be collecting new or gently used fall and winter clothing for infants up to 18 months. Medium size diapers are needed as well as crib-size bedding. The bassinet will be in the church vestibule for donations.



Please consider joining our next SoulCore sessions, to be held on **Saturday, November 30, at 9:30 AM in Room 10 of the**

Saint John of the Cross Community Center. Karen Hostoffer will lead us through an hour of SoulCore, a prayer experience that combines the prayers of the rosary with core strengthening, stretching and functional movement. This exercise movement is NOT yoga and has no roots in Eastern spirituality. SoulCore was developed to be fully Catholic in spirituality. No fitness level or experience required. All are welcome! Traditional movements, as well as abbreviated ones, including chair options, will be presented. Visit www.soulcore.com for more information. There is no cost, but a suggested donation is \$10, for those who are able. Dress in comfortable clothing or sportswear and bring a fitness mat if you have one. Contact Anney Roach at aroach@sjceuchid.com with any questions.



A little goes a long way when the Catholic community gives as one. Join us December 3rd for #weGiveCatholic on #GivingTuesday!

Join us in celebrating the great community of Catholics in Northeast Ohio and the Catholic organizations that are near and dear to our hearts. Visit

www.wegivecatholic.org/organizations/ss-robert-william-parish-and-school and give back during the 24-hour giving day on

Tuesday, December 3rd. Just think of all the good that we can accomplish together! Let's come together to share our gifts, and return them with increase to the Lord.



CRS ETHICAL TRADE SALE!

Help change lives!! Hundreds of beautiful items crafted by artisans from many Third World countries, as well as fair trade coffee and chocolate, will be available for sale in the gathering space of the church on *Saturday, November*

16, after the 4 PM Mass, and Sunday, November 17, after all the Masses or as long as items are available! Beautify your home or yourself and get a head start on Christmas! You can also help the SRW Water Project by taking a tag off our CRS Giving Tree. This sale is sponsored by the CRS Parish Ambassadors Corps of SRW. Please call Linda at 216-261-9201 with any questions.



SAVE THE DATE

Ss. Robert & William School

November 23 Shop all Day and Activities from 1-4 PM

Barnes & Noble Mentor
7900 Mentor Ave.

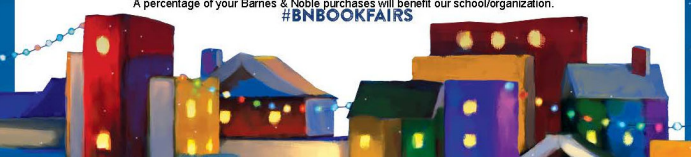
- Join us for Story-time with SRW and GAELC Teachers
- Start your Christmas shopping with books for the whole family
- Complimentary gift wrap courtesy of the Parent Association
- Stop by the Cafe for a Warrior Frappuccino
- Check out the SRW coloring contest entries around the store
- Visit Mr. Jingleing from 1:30pm - 2pm
- Enter to win an SRW Spirit Wear basket!

Can't attend our bookfair at Barnes & Noble?

Visit BN.COM/bookfairs to support us online from 11/23/19 to 11/28/19 by entering Bookfair ID 12558243 at checkout.

A percentage of your Barnes & Noble purchases will benefit our school/organization.

#BNBOOKFAIRS



Welcome to the Church!

During the month of October the following children were baptized in our parish:

Santino Carlo Palladino
son of Dominic & Michelle Palladino
Ambrose John Marusic
son of Andrew & Marta Marusic
Avery John Hodge
son of Jonathan & Melissa Hodge



Have you thought of leaving a legacy, especially for our parish or 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.



TAP United Annual Honoring Lost Angels Bag Drive

Join us for fellowship and food Sunday, November 24th from 1-4 pm. Angel Blessing Bags contain many items that can help aid those that are homeless, in sober living, non-profit rehabs, or going into rehab. These bags provide essentials along with non-perishable food items and water. Items we need for bags are: hats, gloves, socks, deodorant, hand warmers, combs, water, feminine products, shampoo, body wash, bar soap, razors, wet wipes, toothbrushes/toothpaste, first aid kits, food items, and more. Please make sure all items are alcohol free. Please RSVP to Andrea 216.346.1395 or www.tapunited.org.

FROM TRAUMA TO RECOVERY AND WHOLENESS

Recovering from Clergy Abuse and Child Sexual Abuse

Wednesday, November 20, 2019 7-9 pm

St. Hilary Church, 2750 W. Market St., Fairlawn, Oh



Join psychologist, Dr. Ted Raddell, for an opportunity to understand and promote healing from past traumas. Dr. Raddell will explain why some traumas get stuck and continue to disturb us years later while others don't. He will clarify the impact this can have on our physical, emotional, and spiritual health. More importantly, he will map out the pathway to healing and

recovery incorporating the latest in neuroscience advances. If you want to learn more about how to get past your past, please join us for an interactive and enlightening evening.

LUKE BROWN'S REFLECTION

In the coming weeks, we will be discussing the issue of pornography. In this first installment of three, we will be exploring the effect of pornography on an individual's mental health. Pornography can be a struggle for both men and women and it's everywhere now due to widespread access via the internet. While pornography is a controversial topic, we as Catholics believe that it is morally wrong, disordered, and harmful behavior. There are studies linking pornography use to mental health issues such as anger, anxiety, and even depression. If you look at brain scans of people addicted to substances such as drugs or alcohol, you'll see differences between their brains and healthy brains- the same is true of pornography use. When it comes to pornography use, shame is almost always involved. Guilt over use is good, but shame is bad. Guilt means, "I *did* something wrong." Shame tells us, "You *are* something wrong." Ongoing pornography use only deepens these feelings of shame. Pornography affects our mental health, relationships, marriages, and spiritual lives. If you want to read more about pornography, addiction, mental health, and recovery, I highly recommend the book "The Porn Myth" by Matt Fradd. If you find yourself struggling with pornography, consider counseling! Counseling can put you in touch with valuable resources or support groups to help individuals overcome pornography use. Next week, we will be exploring the harmful effects that pornography has on



SRW SCHOOL & GAELC

Recently, the 6th grade students entered the Cell Zone! The students have been studying a unit on cell structure and function. Mrs. Kozar welcomed two special guests, Ms. Barbara (6th grade parent) and Ms. Jess, from the Cleveland Clinic to share their expertise about a variety of cells with the students. The classroom was arranged with four binocular microscopes each mounted with a cell phone viewing platform so larger groups of students could observe the cell specimens at one time. The students were very excited to see and learn about a variety of specimens which included:

- Normal peripheral blood smear
- Sickle cell anemia
- Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia
- Malaria
- Entamoeba coli
- Gram stain of bacteria
- Gram stain of yeast
- Fungal smear



Thank you to both of our guests and Ms. Karrie (6th grade parent) for all your help in this unique experience!

SENIORS CHRISTMAS AT VITTORIO'S

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 18TH - 2:00 to 4:00 pm

\$25.00 per person includes

Heavy hors d'oeuvres buffet, one
glass of wine, and dessert.

(Cash bar available for addition
alcoholic beverages)



Bring a new pair of warm men's socks
for the Malachi Center
and receive a free raffle ticket!

RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED.
CHECKS PAYABLE TO SS. ROBERT & WILLIAM.
PLEASE INCLUDE YOUR NAME AND PHONE NUMBER WITH YOUR RESERVATION
AND MARK ENVELOPE ATTN: RENEE BARBER.

EXTENSION OF RETURN OF "WOMANKIND" BABY BOTTLES

We are extending the deadline for returning Baby Bottles for Womankind. Please remember to return your filled Baby Bottles to support the "Womankind" campaign during the weekend of November 30th/December 1st. Baskets will be placed in the vestibule of the Church to collect the baby bottles. Your support is deeply appreciated because it allows "Womankind" to continue to offer free prenatal care and a full range of support services to women all over Northeast Ohio. This ensures that no woman has to face a pregnancy without hope or help! Thank you!

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Parish Office Hours:

Mon., & Tues., 9:00 am – 6:00 pm, Wed., Thu., Fri., 9:00 am – 4:00 pm,
Closed Saturday & Sunday

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The Collection: for November 3rd was \$8,845.50

Loan Balance: \$1,227,503.00

Monthly Loan Payment: \$8,362.00



Capital Campaign

Total of pledges	\$2,086,272.16
Total received/posted	\$1,286,665.47
Total donors	559

Please consider a donation to help lower our long-term debt.
Please call Fr. John at the Parish Office at 216.731.1515 or email
him at fjb@srweuclid.cc. Thank you very much for your
continued generosity. ~Fr. John

We recently updated the sick list to the best of our ability. If we
have removed anyone that should have stayed on, please email
Nate at nraddell@srweuclid.cc and we will be happy to add him/
her back on. As always, remember our prayer book in the back of
church near Fr. John's confessional.

PRAYERS NEEDED

Please pray for... Carla Anderson, Tom Brickman, Faye Bukovec, Janet
Cika, Eileen Driscoll, Pauline Dutcher, John Ellul, Jean Feiten, Mary
Ellen Fellenstein, Ray Golick, Ann Grossman, Jeanette Hovevar, Tony
Hovevar, Geraldine Hoffert, Wilma Jagodnik, Patricia Johnston, Pauline
Krall, Karen Long, Dolly Luskin, Ann Monreal, Darlene Novotney,
Glenn Terrell, Rosemarie Terrell, Stansa Zitnik, and all those who are ill
in body, mind, or spirit.

We thank, pray, and ask for God's blessings for those in the military and
safety forces serving our country and community.

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

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