

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, Sept. 21- St. Mary
Mass 4:30 p.m.

Fred & Carolyn Awalt by Steve Awalt

Sunday, Sept. 22 - St. Ann
Mass 9:00 a.m.

Bing Holdsworth

by Nancy Holdsworth & Family

Monday, Sept. 23- St. Mary
Mass 7:30 a.m.

For World Peace

Tuesday, Sept. 24 - Genesis Chapel
Mass 7:15 a.m.

For the Sick

CHURCH OFFICE HRS

Tues. 8:30 a.m. —12:30 p.m.

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PRAYER FOR OUR MILITARY

Let us pray for our brothers and sisters as they go forth with courage and determination to face the forces of violence, weapons of destruction and hearts filled with hate. We pray, Lord, that you preserve the members of our Army, Navy, Marines, Coast Guard and Air Force from all harm. *Amen.*

Mass Intentions Just mark an envelope "Mass Intentions" and drop it in the collection basket with the name of whom the Mass is to be offered and include your name.

St. Ann/St. Mary Women's Association

Quilt Raffle- Black & White Prism Design, Queen/King Size

Drawing to be held Sunday, Nov. 3, 2019

Following Turkey Dinner
(Need not be present to win)

We are asking each family to sell \$20.00 worth of tickets. \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00.

Please return tickets and money using the envelope provided to Joy Balfour or Jenny Wilcox.

Mass Readings for Next Sunday, September 29, 2019

Amos 6:1,4-7

1 Timothy 6:11-16

Luke 16:19-31

Divine Mercy Reflections from St. Faustina's Diary

Jesus said:

Act like a beggar who does not back away when he gets more alms [than he asked for], but offers thanks the more fervently. You too, should not back away and say that you are not worthy of receiving greater graces when I give them to you. I know you are unworthy, but rejoice all the more and take as many treasures from My Heart as you can carry, for then you will please Me more (*Diary*, 294).

During Holy Hour today, I asked the Lord if He would deign to teach me about the spiritual life, Jesus said, **My daughter, faithfully live up to the words which I speak to you. Do not value any external thing too highly, even if it were to seem very precious to you. Let go of yourself, and abide with Me continually (*Diary*, 1685).**

Praise Report

Praise God that we've a vital, energetic parish with members who volunteer their time, talents and treasury.

We have active men's and women's prayer groups and study groups as well as Knights of Columbus and Women's Club. We say the Rosary before both weekend Masses. We have an annual retreat. Divine Mercy devotion takes place very month. Our Outreach Ministry includes broadcasting our Saturday Mass, supporting two food pantries, volunteering at Christ's Table four times a year, adopting a family or two at Christmas and providing homemade laundry soap to two food pantries plus Heartbeats. Our RCIA and PSR programs are fantastic. In addition we have a webpage and two Facebook pages!
Praise God!

PLEASE REMEMBER THE FOLLOWING IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Vivian Grady, Pat Powers, Peggy Franks, Christine Wagner, Tracy Beale, Margarie Reeves, Sue McClanahan-Pepper, Jodi Morrison, Rose Fohrman, Edyn Dickson, Wesson James, Teresa Daughtery, Clarice Durtschi, Nick Durtschi, Tom Lockhard, Marty Watson, Karen Miller, Ellen Alheim, Rylee Warner, Gretchen Boerner, Ron Miller, Amara Larrison, Teagan Welen, Sara Hopper, Clark Watson, Lynn Seward, Steve Woytko, Craig Harple, Kevin Kenily, Dakota Miller, Sarah Ludinich, Michelle Merry, Cheryl Trego, Don Nichols, Greg Steinmetz, Sue Lawler, Charles Jones, Ava Winner, Gary Wilson, Tom Clawson, Ron Miller, Jeffrey M. Schiele, Connie Kihm, Tim Scholl, Christine Mitchell, Miriam Santacruz, Bill McBride, Jim & Mary Ann Miller, Jeff Shawger, Jenny Ripple Kimble, Jack Stokes, Elijah and Lora Tilton, and Lucas Totton

Refresh them Lord, with your healing grace. Please submit names of those who need our prayers. As health improves, let us know to remove the name.

Stewardship Report

Year July 1, 2018 - June 30, 2019

September 7 & 8, 2019

TOTAL COLLECTION \$ 2,304.00

Candles \$ 39.00

WEEKLY GOAL	\$ 2,400.00
ACTUAL COLLECTION	\$ 2,304.00
Variance	- \$ 96.00
Year to Date Goal	\$ 24,000.00
Actual Year to Date	\$ 27,649.00
Year to Date Variance	+ \$ 3,649.00
God bless you for supporting YOUR Parish.	



LIFE IS CHANGED

NOT ENDED

PLEASE PRAY FOR the repose of the soul of **Ted Paulus, son of Mary Paulus Wilson** and for the consolation of his family. Ted was a vital member of the St. Ann Choir where he was a cantor. In addition, he sang the Litany of the Saints and the Exsultet at the Easter Vigil Mass every year.

New Parish Directory

The Parish is preparing to have a new Directory. The last Directory was 14 years ago and people have asked that we update it.

In order for it to be accurate, we ask everyone to be sure their address, phone numbers, emails and family membership is up to date.

If you have changed addresses, phone numbers, etc. since registering, please put a note in the collection basket with updated information.

If you are not a registered member but would like to be included in the Directory please submit the above information.

Thank you to the following Knights of Columbus members who helped accomplish several projects during the work day at St. Ann:

Dave Bonifant and special helper Ava Bonifant, Luis Gatti, Joe Haren, Brian Kaufman, Mike Kirsch, Larry Smeltzer, John Stubbs, Neil Williams and Gary Woytko.

They cleaned up the church basement, repaired the rectory carport roof and power washed the gutters of the Parish Hall.

Women of the Church Study Group for the Ladies of the Parish

October 1 at St. Mary at 6 pm.

We will continue the study of Mary and Martha. There is material about Mary and Martha in the back of both churches as well as on the parish website, stannstmary.org.

Materials available include factual historical information, reflections, prayers and practical application activities.

This study is open to all women of the parish at any time! If you need to miss a meeting please don't let that prevent you from attending the following month.

Our Parish School of Religion begins this Sunday, September 22, at 10:15 AM.

Classes are held Sundays in Kempf Hall from 10:15 a.m.—11:30 am.

Any questions about our program please contact the office at 740-754-2221 Tuesday from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Our retreat last weekend was powerful, inspiring and thought-provoking.

Thank you to the Planning Committee who spent hours planning this retreat that so enriched our lives:

Father Franks, Trudie Haren, Elaine Mitchell, Phyllis Vensil, Jenny Wilcox, Linda Woytko and the combined choirs of St. Ann/St. Mary.

Special thanks to the speakers: Reda Affinito, Bill and Laura Bateson, Coleen Besser and Betty Stanton.

Thank you to everyone who brought a covered dish. It was all delicious!

Bill Mitchell did a spectacular job on the pulled pork as well as the beans.

Bill, let us know if you open a restaurant; we'll be there!

We're blessed that Bill and Elaine hosted the retreat in their beautiful, peaceful log home.

Father's Pilgrimage to the Holy Land in October 2020

Yes, you read it correctly, Father Don is leading a pilgrimage to the Holy Land in 2020.

Once details of the pilgrimage are finalized we'll put it in the bulletin.

Men Of The East Traveling Holy Hour of Eucharistic Adoration with Reflection at St. Mary on Thursday, October 10, at 7:00 pm

St. Mary's Catholic Church will host the Men Of The East for a traveling Holy Hour of Eucharistic Adoration with Reflection on Thursday, October 10th, at 7:00 pm in the Chapel.

All men of the twelve parish consortium are invited and encouraged to participate in these once a month Holy Hours.

Men Of The East is a Catholic Men's Laity Ministry comprised of all practicing Catholic men who attend one of the 12 parishes in Knox, Licking or Muskingum Counties. Men Of The East exists to support, strengthen and help maximize the spiritual growth of men of the Catholic Church. Men Of The East is a part of the larger Catholic Men's Laity Ministry for the Columbus Ohio Diocese.

For more information about Men Of The East and to sign up for our Quarterly Newsletter visit www.MenOfTheEast.com

Everyone is invited to join the RCIA group in the Rectory Parlor each week until Thanksgiving to listen to Bishop Robert Barron's "Word on Fire Series".

Handicap Accessible Apartment Needed

Pat Powers, one of our members, is in need of a handicap accessible apartment in the next month. Please contact Pat at 740-562-7152 if you can help her.

If you don't say a Daily Rosary

It's suggested that if we're not in the habit of saying a daily Rosary, that we take a few minutes every day to say one decade of the Rosary.

If we say one decade daily for a year, that we'll be all set, all ready to say an entire Rosary every day.

This is called a "mini habit". Why not start a mini habit today?