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Parish Center Religion Classes		Sunday, 9:00 a.m.
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Parents should enroll in Protecting God's Children at virtus.org		

Knights of Columbus, Council 12939:	Mike Brewster	614-705-9182
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SUNDAY OBLIGATION MASSES:

Saturday: 4:00 p.m.; Sunday: 8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday at 9:00 a.m.

HOLY DAYS:

9:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: Thursdays, 9:30 a.m.-12:00 noon.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (Confessions): Thursday: 9:30 a.m.; Saturday: 3:00-3:30 p.m.; or by appointment if you call the Parish Office.

BAPTISMS: Following the 10:30 a.m. Sunday Mass.

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION CLASS: Third Monday of the month: January, March, May, July, September and November, 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Office. If attending, you must call 614-279-1690 to register.

MARRIAGES: Arrangements must be made at least 6 months prior to the wedding.

New Parishioners and Parishioners Moving Out:

Please call the Parish Office to register or to change status.

Web Address: www.stmargaretcolumbus.org

E-mail Address: stmargaretcol@yahoo.com

Parish Office: Phone: 614-279-1690; Fax: 614-279-2386
Monday-Thursday: 8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.; Friday-Sunday: Closed
Deadline for bulletin updates: Tuesdays at 12:00 p.m.

MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY, JULY 15 – ST. BONAVENTURE, BISHOP/DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH

9:00 a.m. Yola Lancia (Anniversary) by Bill & Mary Shaffer

TUESDAY, JULY 16 – OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL

9:00 a.m. Jerry Freewalt by James & Diane Vincent

WEDNESDAY, JULY 17 - WEEKDAY

9:00 a.m. NO MASS

THURSDAY, JULY 18 – ST. CAMILLUS De LELLIS, PRIEST

9:00 a.m. Sandy Menduni by Bill & Mary Shaffer

FRIDAY, JULY 19 - WEEKDAY

9:00 a.m. Glenn Goodberlet by Paul Goodberlet

SATURDAY, JULY 20 – ST. APOLLINARIS, BISHOP/MARTYR

4:00 p.m. Tom Brannock by the Family

SUNDAY, JULY 21 – SIXTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

8:30 a.m. Angelo & Anne Dallas by the Family

10:30 a.m. People of the Parish

St. Zita Ministry: July 15: Jim & Julie Bertolino, Karen & Terry Burns

PARISH NEWS

Pictures of Father Jeff's Riverboat Cruise on the Danube in Eastern Europe will be shown on **Thursday, August 1st at 7:00 p.m.** in Borelli Center. All are welcome!

PRAY FOR THE ETERNAL REST OF Glenn Goodberlet, younger brother of parishioner **Paul Goodberlet**. Glenn passed away unexpectedly last week. Our prayers and sympathy are with Paul and his family at this time of sorrow.

SVDP Society will be making sandwiches THIS Sunday July 14th after the 8:30 Mass. It only takes about an hour.

PIZZA VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR THE FESTIVAL!! Many hands are needed to keep the tradition of festival pizza going. Our long-standing volunteers are no longer able to help, and we need fresh faces to make it happen. This is also a good opportunity for service hours for high school students. Assembly help is needed starting at 3pm each day of the festival. We are also looking for two or three people interested in making the pizza dough (some lifting involved) which starts around 11am each day of the festival. Please contact **Nikki Modlich** at nkmodlich@gmail.com. Thanks!

"THIRD THURSDAY HOLY HOUR" – The July "Third Thursday" Holy Hour will be Thursday, July 18th, 7:00 p.m. in the church. This month's Holy Hour will be led by **Father Jeff**.

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION AND CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD (PSR/CGS): Registration for the **2024-2025** fall school classes is **OPEN UNTIL AUGUST 15, 2024!** PSR classes will start on **September 8**, CSG will begin **September 15**. **Go to the web page for the registration and payment links. Remember next year is a confirmation year (dates to be decided).** To register: <https://stmargaretpsr.wufoo.com/forms/psr-cgs-registration/>.

FESTIVAL NEWS – 2 WEEKS AND COUNTING!!!

RAFFLE TICKETS: We would like to remind everyone that Festival is approaching rapidly. Festival preparations are well underway, but there is still much work to be done. The raffle tickets are a **vital part of our parish festival** and the parish revenue. We **encourage everyone** to **PLEASE** sell his/her raffle tickets. If you are unable to sell all of your tickets, it would be **helpful if unsold tickets were returned to the Parish Office** so that we can account for the total number of tickets sold.

FESTIVAL MEMORIAL FLOWER FUND: If you wish to contribute in memory of a deceased relative or friend, you may do so by using the special envelope which is in your envelope packet, or use any envelope with your name written on it. We will acknowledge in the bulletin all donations received.

PIZZELLE: If you have a pizzella iron, please make a batch of pizzellas for the Festival. Make them when the weather is cool and keep them in the freezer until the festival.

DO YOU LIKE FUNNEL CAKES, COTTON CANDY, OR SNOW CONES? There's still time to be a **Festival sponsor** for any one of these booths. Visit our parish website to learn how you/your family and friends can support our church by becoming a festival sponsor. This also makes a great gift for the person who has everything! Question? Contact: **Julie Naporano**, julienaporano1@gmail.com

PARISH FESTIVAL PROCESSION

Please join us following the 10:30 a.m. Mass on Sunday, July 28, for the Annual Festival Procession of Faith and Thanksgiving as we carry the statues of our patron saints through the neighborhood.

This long-standing tradition of prayer and singing was brought here by the original founders of our parish. It was considered an honor to carry the statues. The various families took the responsibility of carrying their patron saint. Today, many of those families have passed on but we have been blessed to have a parish that has grown beyond the borders of Trabue Road, McKinley Avenue and Hague Avenue. It takes many strong shoulders to make this journey. We ask that the men of our parish, 18 and over, who are physically able to please step up and fill the shoes of our ancestors and continue this most special tradition to carry our patron saints in celebration of the blessings provided to each of us and to our parish. We also ask the women and children to walk along, pray, and sing as well.

Our route this year will be simplified. We will walk to Cortona Woods, through the neighborhood, and back to Kulp Hall where the procession will end and our Knights of Columbus will again graciously provide ice cream for all in air-conditioned comfort.

Please plan to attend and participate in this public display of our faith and thanksgiving to God for His multitude of blessings.

REFLECTING AHEAD

Next Weekend's Readings: (1st) Jer 23:1-6; (2nd) Eph 2:13-18; (Gos) Mk 6:30-34

Q: Who is the "righteous shoot to David" that Jeremiah foretells?

Q: What could be the significance of retreating to a deserted place like Jesus and the Apostles did?

July 20 & 21	ALTAR SERVERS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER	GREETER/USHER	LECTORS
Saturday, July 20 4:00 p.m.	Lexi Tierney	Peter Hersha Carrie Vamos		Matthew Thomas
Sunday, July 21 8:30 a.m.	Siena Boyd	Daniel Bosieh Madeline Eberle	Mark Nolan	Sandy Siers
Sunday, July 21 10:30 a.m.	Josie Forster Sylvia Michael	Donald Kelly Ermagene Kelly		Christine Santiago

SAVE THE DATE – THURSDAY, JULY 25, 6:00 p.m. is the **Parish Appreciation Dinner**. Choir, Ushers, Lay Ministers, Servers, all Committee members, Parish Council members, PSR teachers and aides, Sacristan, Festival, Fish Fry and Bingo workers and all volunteers of the parish are invited to an evening of appreciation for their service. **Please plan to attend.**

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS: July 15-21

MONDAY	9:00 a.m.	Mass
	9:30 a.m.	Rosary, Church
	7:00 p.m.	Baptism Preparation Class, Parish Office
	7:30 p.m.	Finance Committee Meeting, Parish Office
TUESDAY,	9:00 a.m.	Mass
	7:00 p.m.	Men's Club, Kulp Hall
WEDNESDAY	7:30 a.m.	Women's Group Walk & Talk
	9:00 a.m.	NO MASS
THURSDAY	9:00 a.m.	Mass
	9:30 a.m.	Confessions
	9:30 a.m.-12:00 noon	Exposition of Eucharist
	12:00-8:00 p.m.	Adoration with the Eucharist in the Tabernacle
	7:00 p.m.	Holy Hour, Church, Led by Father Jeff
FRIDAY	9:00 a.m.	Mass
SATURDAY	7:30 a.m.	Women's Group Walk & Talk
	3:00 p.m.	Confessions
	4:00 p.m.	Mass
SUNDAY	8:30 a.m.	Mass
	10:30 a.m.	Mass

YOUR TITHE TO GOD: July 7, 2024

Total Offertory Collection	\$ 8,559.00
WEEKLY AMOUNT NEEDED	\$ 9,000.00
DIFFERENCE FOR THIS WEEK	- \$441.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

SCHOOL NEWS

BISHOP READY FEEDER SCHOOLS/PARISHES CHEER CAMP! Cheer Camp! All students grades K-8th are invited to join the Western Irish Cheerleaders for Cheer Camp, July 22-26th from 6:30pm-8pm at the Our Lady of Perpetual Help picnic shelter. The cost is \$20 per student and includes a T-shirt and the ability to perform at the 2024 OLPH Festival! We will learn new cheers, dances, and have a lot of fun! Contact Coach Angie for details at angie_acox@yahoo.com.

AROUND US

OPEN POSITION – DIRECTOR OF CAMPUS FACILITIES AND GROUNDS: Immaculate Conception Parish in Columbus is seeking a highly skilled and experienced individual to oversee the maintenance and operations of our facilities. The ideal candidate will have a strong background in facilities management and have excellent leadership and organizational skills. As Director of Campus Facilities and Grounds, the ideal applicant will be responsible for ensuring the safety, functionality, and efficiency of our facilities. For a detailed description of this position, go to bit.ly/IC-job-postings. Please send your resume, a cover letter, and 3 references to: jbernard@iccols.org

ST. MARGARET PRAYER CHAIN

If you have a prayer request, email it to cwelycz@breezelineohio.net, or call 614-562-8570. All prayer requests are confidential.

JOIN BISHOPS Thomas, Fernandes, Malesic and Woost on August 14, for a Statewide Eucharistic Pilgrimage in Carey, Ohio: To mark this year of going out on mission during the National Eucharistic Revival, the Catholic Bishops of Ohio invite all the faithful to **make a pilgrimage to the Basilica & National Shrine of Our Lady of Consolation** in Carey on **Wednesday, August 14**, to celebrate the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Visit www.ohiocathconf.org/pilgrimage for details.

ST. PEREGRINE CANCER PRAYER SERVICE: The Shrine is pleased to be able to offer the St. Peregrine Relic for prayer and veneration. Three times per year a prayer service is held for those who are on a journey with cancer, whether it be as a patient or as a caregiver. The next service will be held on **Sunday, July 21st at 2pm in the Shrine's Adoration Chapel**. This event is free and open to the public. All who have been affected by cancer are encouraged to attend. For those battling cancer, you can submit your name or a loved one's name for prayer. Please **contact Caleb Gaier, c.gaier@mariasteinshrine.org or call 419-925-4532.**

SPEAK LORD, YOUR SERVANT IS LISTENING: If you have ever wondered whether God is calling you to become a Sister, we encourage you to join us for a free Come and See Retreat, **September 13-15, 2024** at our Dominican Sisters of Peace Motherhouse in St. Catharine, Kentucky. We invite you to give yourself the gift of some time to PRAY with our Sisters, to share with other women of FAITH who are discerning God's call, to discover God's PURPOSE for your life, to enjoy a behind-the-scenes experience of COMMUNITY LIFE, and to explore RELIGIOUS LIFE lived out as a Dominican Sister of Peace. To learn more about this free opportunity, visit our website at opeace.org/become-a-sister. Still have questions about the event and how you might fit? Send **Sr. Annette Lucero, OP** an email at annette.lucero@opeace.org or call/text her at **505-859-8628** and she'd be happy to chat with you and answer any concerns.

PARISH FESTIVAL, FRIDAY, JULY 26TH & SATURDAY, JULY 27. OUR FESTIVAL PROCESSION WILL BE ON SUNDAY, JULY 28.

MUSICAL PRODUCTION OF "RUTH"

BUS TRIP: The Walking with Purpose Bible Study Group and the Spiritual Life Committee are co-hosting a Bus Trip to The Ohio Star Theatre in Sugarcreek, Ohio to see the Musical "Ruth" on **Friday September 6, 2024**. The cost of the trip is \$95.00 per person and includes Transportation, Theatre Admission, Buffet Lunch, Snacks and all Gratuities. The bus will leave St. Margaret at **8:30 a.m. sharp** and return approximately at 6:00 p.m.

The drive is approximately two hours from Columbus. We will have some time for shopping in Dutch Valley before our lunch buffet at 11:30 a.m. If interested in joining us, please complete the form below and return it with your payment either in the collection basket or to the Parish Office. Please make checks payable to St. Margaret with "Sugarcreek" on the memo line. Space is limited. The deadline for reservations is **Thursday, August 1, 2024**. We look forward to spending this day with you enjoying a wonderful production of "Ruth." Any questions, you can contact Sandy Wilcox at (614) 204-2069 or email sawie@msn.com. You may also contact Elaine Prochak at 614-378-5504 or email eaprochak@gmail.com

SUGARCREEK BUS TRIP

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