

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Corpus Christi: Today, we celebrate the great solemnity of Corpus Christi; we celebrate the gift of Jesus of His Body and Blood. This is very special feast for us at Blessed Sacrament. St. John Paul II wrote beautifully about the Holy Eucharist on many occasions. Here is

one quote from his letter *Ecclesia de Eucharistia (The Church from the Eucharist)*, which he wrote in 2003: "When the Church celebrates the Eucharist, the memorial of her Lord's death and resurrection, this central event of salvation becomes really present and "the work of our redemption is carried out." This sacrifice is so decisive for the salvation of the human race that Jesus Christ offered it and returned to the Father only after He had left us a means of sharing in it as if we had been present there. Each member of the faithful can thus take part in it and inexhaustibly gain its fruits. (*Ecclesia de Eucharistia* 11)

Father's Day: I want to wish all of fathers in Blessed Sacrament Parish a very happy and blessed Father's Day! There is much confusion in our culture today about what it means to be a true man and what it means to be a father. I commend to all of the men in our parish the model of St. Joseph. I am very pleased that we have our "Holy Family Shrine" with a statue of St. Joseph, which combines two aspects that we have traditionally focused on: St. Joseph the Worker with his carpenter's tools and St. Joseph the Chaste Spouse of Mary, with the flowering staff of white flowers representing his chastity. I commend the letter of St. John Paul II on St. Joseph written in 1989: **REDEMPTORIS CUSTOS: ON THE PERSON AND MISSION OF SAINT JOSEPH IN THE LIFE OF CHRIST AND OF THE CHURCH.** In "Five Lessons From St. Joseph," author Randy Hain points out attributes of St. Joseph that help establish him as a model for all fathers: 1) St. Joseph was obedient. 2) St. Joseph was selfless. 3) St. Joseph led by example. 4) St. Joseph was a worker. 5) St. Joseph was a leader.

We have a number of opportunities in the parish to help men become more who God calls us to be. I encourage the men in our parish to participate in our monthly "Into the Breach" Saturday morning meeting and our monthly "Band of Brothers" meeting on a Tuesday evening for faith formation opportunities. Our Knights of Columbus Council #721 and our Holy Name Society offer the men of our parish the opportunity to put our faith into action.

BAA Update: I want to thank the 154 households who have pledged to the annual Bishops Annual Appeal for a total of \$41,783.34. This represents 27.2% of our parish helping us to reach 70.2% of our goal of \$59,487.32. We have \$17,703.98 to reach our goal. I am especially grateful for those who have responded to BAA as many of us continue to make our monthly payments on our pledge for the restoration of our church. For those who have not pledged, please consider a gift of any size to this year's Bishop's Annual Appeal. Envelopes for the BAA are located at the entrances to the church. You may also make a pledge directly online at <http://www.colodioc.org/Offices/DevelopmentandPlanning/BishopsAnnualAppeal/MakeAGiftNow.aspx>.

Safety and Security: As part of our ongoing effort to make prudent steps to promote a greater sense of safety and security, we have made several decisions. In order to increase a sense

of security for our adorers, we are now locking the doors of the church during the Adoration hours on Monday and Wednesday. During our Tuesday "Holy Hour," from 5:00-6:00 p.m., the doors of the church will remain unlocked as we have confessions and evening Mass. Our east side door is equipped with a key card access. All parishioners are welcome to get a key card by contacting the parish office regardless of whether or not you have a regular hour for Adoration. Parishioners and those wishing to spend time in Adoration may knock at the door on the east side of the church during Adoration hours. Also, we have established a Parking Lot Hospitality Ministry to welcome and greet parishioners as they enter church for our Sunday and Saturday evening Masses. This ministry will also help promote the overall safety of our parishioners in a variety of ways.

Fortnight for Freedom: Each year, dioceses around the country arrange special events to highlight the importance of defending religious freedom. The Fortnight for Freedom is from June 21 – the Vigil of the Feasts of St. John Fisher and St. Thomas More – to July 4, Independence Day. Through bulletin inserts and special prayers of the faithful at the Sunday Masses during the Fortnight, we hope to keep alive the need to pray for Religious Liberty in our nation and throughout the world.

Msgr. Susi's Ciborium: I want to thank the family of Msgr. Susi, who donated to Blessed Sacrament Church his ciborium. A ciborium is a sacred vessel that is used to distribute the Body of Christ. As many of you know, Msgr. Susi was a son of our parish who served for many years as a priest in Louisiana. We have had his ciborium refinished and it has been in regular use during our Sunday Masses. This beautiful ciborium helps to add dignity to our celebration of the Holy Mass, is a reminder of the faithful service of a son of our parish, and hopefully will be an inspiration for more young men to come forward from our parish to dedicate their lives to the service of God and the People of God.

In Christ,
Fr. Wilson



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 18TH

- Tuesday: Weekday** 6:15 P.M.
Pat Molnar by Knox Licking Vocations Club
- Wednesday: Saint Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious** 8:15 A.M.
Mary Kreim (Wedding Anniversary) by Kreim Family
- Thursday: Saint Paulinus of Nola, Bishop; Saints John Fisher, Bishop, and Thomas More, Martyrs** 8:15 A.M.
Alberta Rauch by Family
- Friday: The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus** 8:30 A.M.
Erin Kennedy by Bob, Delly, Kristina, and Katy Marshall
- Sunday Vigil: The Nativity of St. John the Baptist** 5:00 P.M.
Mary Miller by Peg and Bob Forsythe
- Sunday: Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time** 8:00 A.M.
Irma DeVault by Donald DeVault (Husband)

10:30 A.M.
For the People of the Parish



LITURGICAL MINISTERS
SCHEDULE WEEK OF JUNE 18TH

Daily Mass Schedule
6:15 p.m., Tuesday, June 20th –Yvonne King (L),
 Braydon Vanvelzor, Mark Jewett, Paul Jewett (Servers)
8:15 a.m., Wednesday, June 21st – Don Montell (L),
 Ed Jewett, Paul Jewett, Mark Jewett (Servers)
8:15 a.m., Thursday, June 22nd – Mike Back (L),
 Ed Jewett, Paul Jewett, Mark Jewett (Servers)
8:30 a.m., Friday, June 23rd –Judy Healy (L),
 Ed Jewett, Paul Jewett, Mark Jewett (Servers)
Sunday Vigil Mass, June 24th 5:00 P.M.
 Elisa Halsey Mya Stokes Peyton Riley
Sunday, June 25th 8:00 A.M.
 Zachary Hampton Amelia O’Neil Ilana O’Neil
 10:30 A.M.
 Violet Caton Drew Caton Caden Canning
 Joseph Stanley

SUNDAY LECTOR &
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS SCHEDULE

Sunday Vigil Mass, June 24th 5:00 P.M.
 Andrew Wisniewski, Netti Nau (L), Bev Donaldson,
 Tina Frischen, Bill Revercomb,
 Rita Revercomb, Pam Rauch (EM)
Sunday, June 25th 8:00 A.M.
 Judy Healy, Josh Caton (L), Deacon Patrick,
 Nancy Ogilbee, Tricia Robinson,
 Barb Harris, Glenna Bowman (EM)
 10:30 A.M.
 Sarah Ewing, Monica Stanley (L), Deacon Patrick,
 Sharon Van Horn, Kelli Morrow,
 Sue West, Phil West (EM)

Remember in your prayers all parishioners who are ill or injured,
 especially for *Nick Duffy, Brian Hayes, Charles Bruah, Barb Rue,*
Ed Moats, Jan Rengert, Renee McCann, Lucy Lopez, Donald
Bexstead, Mark Spinazzola, David Boldon, John Deering, Nancy
Young, Michelle Darkes, Eileen Gray, Debbie Ridenour, Mingo
O'Rourke, Karen Addy, and for those who are homebound or in
 healthcare facilities.

Our love, prayers, and sympathy for the family and friends of
 Patricia Rowley. May she rest in the arms of Our Risen Savior.



Next Week's Scripture
June 25, 2017

12th Sunday of Ordinary Time

1st Reading: Jeremiah 20:10-13

"Lord, in your great love, answer me."

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 69:8-10, 14, 17, 33-35

2nd Reading: Romans 5:12-15

Gospel: Matthew 10:26-33

This week, we pray Liturgy of the Hours

Seasonal Proper III

Our Stewardship Collection
June 11, 2017

Budgeted per Week	\$ 11,618.46
Offertory (186 envelopes)	\$ 8,579.75
Average Auto Withdrawal (114 households)	\$ 3,700.20
Loose Cash	\$ 364.29
Total	\$ 12,644.24
Year to Date Offertory Budget	\$ 580,923.00
Year to Date Actual Offerings	\$ 591,435.93
YTD Centennial Building Fund Collection	\$ 44,702.74
Centennial Building Loan Balance	\$ 1,768,110.16
TD Church Restoration Funds Collected	\$ 880,198.68

The Scriptures today remind us that "we, many though we are,
 are one body for we all partake of the one loaf." How are we using
 our gifts of time and talent to build up the Body of Christ? See 1
 Corinthians 10:16-17

Let us pray for those in the military on active duty and overseas:

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| Douglas Chacey, Air Force | Nathan Hall, Navy |
| Lucas Chacey, Air Force | Chase Meldau, Marines |
| Edward Wilson, Navy | Brandon Medley, Army |
| Joshua P. Brown, Air Force, Italy | |
| Rudy Snider, Air Force Academy | |
| Christopher Severino, Air Force | |
| Connor Severino, Air Force Academy | |
| David L. L'Esperance, Army, Korea | |

If you wish to submit names for this list, please call the parish
 office at 740-345-4290.

Our Parish & School Events

Parish Prayerline

The entire parish is requested to pray:

The Vatican Intentions for the month of June

- **Universal:** *That national leaders may firmly commit themselves to ending the arms trade, which victimizes so many innocent people.*
- **Father Wilson's Intention:** *That more parishioners would share in the call to stewardship through the generous giving of time, talent, and treasure.*

Annual Festival Raffle Tickets

Thanks to everyone who has purchased or is selling Festival
 raffle tickets! You have a chance to be in another Early Bird
 drawing **this Tuesday, June 20th!** Tickets are \$5.00/each or a
 book of 6 for \$25.00. Place ticket stubs and money in the small
 return envelope and drop it in the weekend collection basket or
 at the parish/school office for our next **Early Bird Drawing!** The
 winner will receive \$150.00 and the seller of the winning ticket
 will receive \$50.00. Tickets drawn are reentered for a chance in
 other early bird drawings on June 20th, July 18th and the final
 drawing on Saturday, August 26th. If you would like to purchase/
 sell tickets, or for more information, call the parish office at 740-
 345-4290.

The Catholic Foundation Grants

We have been blessed to receive a grant in the 2017
 Responsive Grants Cycle distributed by The Catholic Foundation
 this year. Our project, Chandelier Portion – Church Restoration
 Project, was awarded \$18,750.00. We are proud that the value of
 our parish is being acknowledged and supported.

We are grateful to the donors who contribute to The Catholic Foundation that make these grants possible. Everyone can contribute at any time to the funds for our parish or those used for granting. The Catholic Foundation is a nonprofit autonomous organization that receives and manages assets to provide funding for the parishes, schools and ministries within our Catholic community.

If you would like more information on contributing to existing funds that support our ministries, or would like to work on a planned gift of your own, please contact James Anzelmo (janzelmo@catholic-foundation.org) at The Catholic Foundation, 614-443-8893.



Just as in Rome...
As you come to church, especially during the summer months, please remember to dress modestly.



This Week
Happy Father's Day
Feast of Corpus Christi

Sunday, June 18

- 8:00 a.m. Mass
- 9:15 a.m. "The Wild Goose" Faith Formation – Shepherd Hall
- 9:15 a.m. Rosalyn Ann Broderick Baptism
- 10:30 a.m. Mass

Monday, June 19

- 12:00 p.m. Adoration until 8:00 p.m.

Tuesday, June 20

- 4:00 p.m. Festival Ticket Drawing
- 5:00 p.m. Adoration until 6:00 p.m.
- 5:30 p.m. Reconciliation until 6:00 p.m.
- 6:15 p.m. Mass
- 7:00 p.m. Holy Name Meeting – Library

Wednesday, June 21 – Summer Begins!

- 8:15 a.m. Mass
- 9:00 a.m. Adoration until 12:00 midnight

Thursday, June 22

- 8:15 a.m. Mass
- 6:00 p.m. D'Abreau Wedding Rehearsal

Friday, June 23

- 8:30 a.m. Mass
- 4:30 p.m. D'Abreau Wedding

Saturday, June 24

- 6:30 a.m. Men's Faith Sharing Group – Cafe
- 4:00 p.m. Reconciliation
- 5:00 p.m. Mass

St. Vincent de Paul Collection

Sunday, June 25

- 8:00 a.m. Mass
- 9:15 a.m. "The Wild Goose" Faith Formation – Shepherd Hall
- 9:15 a.m. Server Training
- 10:30 a.m. Mass



St. Vincent de Paul Conference

As many of you are aware, our St. Vincent de Paul Society remains very busy, performing corporal works of mercy by helping feed the poor, provide housing and transportation assistance, and helping with the financial needs of many people in our community.

We are grateful for the support our parish has shown by means of our second collections and volunteering to meet those in our community. Our Blessed Sacrament St. Vincent de Paul Conference is in need of new members to help volunteer time in this outreach ministry. If you are interested in volunteering for this service for our parish, please prayerfully consider joining us. Our Conference meets the third Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. in the School Library. For more information, call the Parish office at 740-345-4290.

Praying and Caring for our Homebound or Hospitalized Parishioners

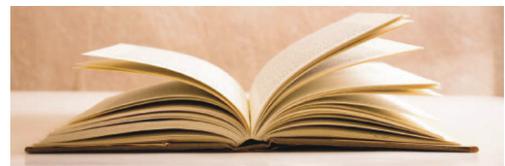
If you or a member of your family is either homebound or hospitalized, or will be in the hospital or homebound, please contact the parish office and let us know. The prayers of our parish family will be there to help them, and this will help us insure that our Clergy or Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion will be able to visit and bring the Lord in Holy Communion as an extension of the Holy Mass.

The Wild Goose Series: Discovering A Deeper Relationship with The Holy Spirit



Come, join us for this incredible video series by Fr. Dave Pivonka, as we meet on Sunday mornings, between the Masses, from 9:15-10:15 a.m. in Shepherd Hall. Come

and enjoy donuts, coffee and fellowship as we watch one of the Wild Goose Videos together. This is a perfect way to continue our renewal as a parish family and deepen our understanding and relationship with the Holy Spirit. Series will continue to be offered until August 20th. Make this summer truly life changing! Hope to see you there.



Guide Book & Directory Advertising Opportunity

We are in the process of updating our annual Guide Book and Directory for our parish. This book will contain everything pertinent to our church: the various ministries, organizations, committees, activities, functions and events plus a complete directory of all members. This book is being provided and direct-mailed to each family at no cost to our church, and is again being subsidized by local businesses that advertise. If you own or manage a business and would like to find out about advertising in our book, please call our parish office.

Recent survey results by Guide Book Publishing show that 92.1% of families would rather patronize a Guide Book and Directory advertiser over a non-advertiser. It "will pay" to advertise in our new Guide Book and Directory.

Update Parish Registration Information

Does our parish database have your current family registration information correct?

Here is your chance to update your family information for our annual Guide Book and Directory (if you haven't already done so).

It is time for us to update our database with any changes, additions, or deletions that may have occurred in your family over this past year.

Have you changed your phone number? Have you moved? Are you preparing to move soon? Are all of your children still at home and are they all included in your membership record? Do you want your record published?

If you have not already informed our parish office about changes to family information, please let us know now so that the information in the Guide Book and Directory is correct. Call the parish office at 740-345-4290.



Widow's Club

The widows of Blessed Sacrament will meet at the Longaberger Golf Club, 1 Long Drive, Nashport, for lunch on July 5th at 1:00 p.m. We welcome all widows who need fellowship in Christ. For more information, call Darlene Wolfinger at 740-323-0555 We are being sharers of suffering and comforters through Christ. Living: 2 Corinthians 1:3-7



Mark Your Calendars for Blessed Sacrament VBS!

Bring plenty of water as we prepare to go "Into The Desert" this year at Vacation Bible School! Join us on this journey Monday, July 10th-Thursday, July 13th, from 6:00-8:30 p.m., in Shepherd Hall. Registration forms will be available soon and will be open to children age 5 through 5th grade. Volunteers and donations needed and welcomed! Contact Monica Stanley at 740-818-5203 or stanley1816@roadrunner.com.

Local Events of Interest



Join us at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church Buckeye Lake VBS "Barnyard Round-Up Jesus Gathers Us Together" on Monday, June 26th through Friday, June 30th, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. Everyone from 4 years through 6th grade, are welcome to join us. Learn more about your faith in exciting sites including Barn Raising Bible Stories and more. Those in 7th grade on up are invited to be Farm Hands - VBS assistants. Call 740-928-3266 for more information. Admission is free.



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Around the Diocese

From the Chair with Bishop Campbell

Join Bishop Campbell on Tuesday, July 4th, from 5:00-6:00 p.m. on St. Gabriel Catholic Radio AM 820 for the re-broadcasting of the High School Student Forum.



Take A Fresh Look At Your Marriage



Treat yourselves to a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend and enrich your lives together. Marriage Encounter is 44 hours where married couples can get away from jobs, kids, chores, and phones - and focus only on each other. The next weekend is September 15-17 in Central Ohio. For more information or to apply, contact Paul and Marilou Clouse at 614-834-6880 or visit our website at www.wmecolumbus.org.

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Jubilee of Anniversaries 2017 is Sunday,

June 25th at St. Matthew Parish in Gahanna. Bishop Campbell will celebrate Mass at 2:30 p.m. and an informal reception will follow. Consider attending, especially if you are celebrating significant wedding anniversaries (25th, 30th, 35th, 40th, 45th, 50th, 55th, 60th, and every year thereafter). For more information, call the Diocesan Marriage & Life Office at 614-241-2560.



Bethesda Healing Ministry

Healing After Abortion: Is God calling you to take this journey with Him? Regular support group meetings are held on the 2nd and 4th Monday of each month. Call Bethesda Healing Ministry for support and assistance from those who know and have been there.



For confidential info/directions call Bethesda Healing Ministry Confidential phone line are 614-309-0157 or visit our website at bethesdahealing.org.



Fortnight for Freedom

As a part of the national Fortnight for Freedom, a Mass and Holy Hour for Religious Freedom will be celebrated on Wednesday, June 28th at 5:15 p.m. at St. Joseph Cathedral, 212 East Broad St. Columbus. Mass will conclude with a Holy Hour beginning with the Rosary for Religious Freedom and Liberty, followed by silent Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament concluding with Benediction. All are invited!



"Life," Let's talk about that...

Join St. Edward the Confessor Council #10876 Knights of Columbus, in conjunction with Licking County Right to Life, as they host an informative presentation and discussion by Devin Scribner, Executive Director of Ohio Right to Life. All adult parishioners and adult guests are encouraged to attend this presentation, which will address pro-life apologetics and highlight upcoming pro-life legislation initiatives from 7:00-8:00 p.m. on Thursday, June 22, in St. Edward Parish Hall, 785 Newark Granville Road, Granville. Light refreshments will be served with discussion following the presentation.

