



Parish Schedule and Mass Intentions



From the Pastor's Desk

SATURDAY	April 24	Easter Weekday <i>St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen, priest and martyr</i> Eleanor Stuhldreher
Mass	5:00pm	
SUNDAY	April 25	Forth Sunday of Easter People of the Parish
Mass	8:30am	
PSR	9:40pm	Parish School of Religion at Woodridge School
Mass	11:00am	Rose Marie Bacik
MONDAY	April 26	Easter Weekday John Mc Clausland
Mass	8:30am	
Mtg	5:00pm	Scripture/Prayer Group
TUESDAY	April 27	Easter Weekday Rosemary McCausland
Mass	8:30am	
WEDNESDAY	April 28	Easter Weekday <i>St. Peter Chanel, priest and martyr: St. Louis Mary de Montfort, priest</i> AA Meeting
Mtg	7:30pm	
THURSDAY	April 29	Easter Weekday <i>St. Catherine of Siena, virgin and doctor of the Church</i> Anna Harvat
Mass	8:30am	
Mtg	7:30pm	Rosemary McCausland
FRIDAY	April 30	Easter Weekday <i>St. Pius V, pope</i> Maria Bilotta
Mass	8:30am	
SATURDAY	May 01	Easter Weekday <i>St. Joseph the Worker</i> Reconciliation
Penance	5:00pm	
Mass	5:00pm	Parish Family
SUNDAY	May 02	Fifth Sunday of Easter Margaret Kassinger
Mass	8:30am	
PSR	9:40am	No Classes
Mass	11:00am	First Communion Mass People of the Parish



Wedding Banns

II Jeffrey Robert Becker and Allison Ann Lavicka

II Adam Edward Wagner and Mary Anne Niemiec

Scriptures For the Week of April 18th

Sunday	Acts 13:14, 43-52 Rv 7:9, 14b-17, Jn 10:27-30
Monday	Acts 11:1-18 Jn 10:1-10
Tuesday	Acts 11:19-26 Jn 10:22-30
Wednesday	Acts 12:24-13:5a Jn 12:44-50
Thursday	Acts 13:13-25 Jn 13: 16-20
Friday	Acts 13:26-33 Jn 14:1-6
Saturday	Acts 13:44-52 Jn 14:7-14
Next Sunday	Acts 14:21-27 Rv 21:1-5a Jn 13:31-33a, 34-35

Today, **Good Shepherd Sunday**, the world-wide Catholic Church honors all Christian vocations. Take a moment today and **pray for those preparing for marriage, those who will be ordained as priests or deacons, those making vows to the consecrated life, and those who are single** and have dedicated their **lives of service to the Lord**. As a faith community, we ask our Risen Lord to guide and protect us on our life journey.

On this **Fourth Sunday of Easter** we have two images to reflect on: *Christ the Good Shepherd* and the image of being *washed in the blood of the Lamb* (Revelations 14b -17). We have been saved by the blood of the Lamb, Jesus our savior, and cleansed of our sins. Christ is the Good Shepherd who laid down his life for the sheep and is now risen! We who follow Him have hope of life eternal. Even now we live this new life. If we listen to whom, there is no reason to be afraid. The apostles understood this and so they were joyful in midst of the challenges of spreading the Gospel (cf. Acts 13). What about ourselves, how confident are we in living and sharing the Good News of Easter and the new life we have been given by Christ!

Congratulations to Samuel Smartnick our parishioner and student at Archbishop Hoban High School on receiving a National Achievement in Latin, *Summa Cum Laude*. Well done Sam!

General Intercessions

May the life-giving ways of the Good Shepherd be followed by all families – we pray to the Lord.

Family Perspective

In the conflicting and confusing messages of modern society, the voice of the Good Shepherd is heard clearly in families that establish rules based on the God's commandments and rituals that communicate belonging, love and guiding discipline. Follow the voice of the Lord in your family.



Emma Aguilar and Family, Richard Bennett, Celia Bican, George and Dee Blower, Dolores Bryan, Johannah Conner, Robert Haas, Maureen Hurrle, Kathy James, Louis Lazar, Margaret, Melissa, Jolene Maurer, Dice Moledor, Marilyn M., Ashley Munoz, George Novak, Walter Przybojewski, Joy Rogers, Joseph Rogus, Andrew Sanford, John Stewart, Bruce Styles, Chick Tesmer, Sylvia Trecaso, Marilyn Wotowiec.



April 25, 2010
4th Sunday of Easter

“My sheep hear my voice. I know them and they follow me.”

John 10:27

April 24th Raising the Tide. REGISTER NOW!

The Coalition with Young Adults (C-YA) will host a one day symposium, Raising the Tide, to discover how the Church within the diocese of Cleveland can best harness the strength of collaboration to meet emerging needs of Catholics in their 20's and 30's (married, single, with/without children) in our diocese. The symposium is geared for all Catholics aged 18-40 across the diocese who are willing to share their ideas, knowledge, experiences, and excitement about their faith with various Catholic leaders. Register online by clicking [HERE!](#) Or for more check out RAISING THE TIDE at clevelandcyo.org.

CATHOLIC RADIO IS HERE

Radio station WILB AM 1060 – Living Bread Radio, is now available to be heard in most parts of the Diocese.

Broadcasting each day from sunrise to sunset, AM 1060 broadcasts the best in Catholic teaching and preaching along with the Mass and many devotions. Tune into AM 1060, WILB, Catholic Radio.

WEEKEND HEALING RETREAT

Women who are suffering after an abortion are invited to a private healing retreat at Loyola of the Lakes in Akron, May 14-16, 2010. Come experience the mercies of the Lord through the sacraments, prayer and scripture. For more information, contact The Community of Jesus, the Living Mercy at 440.471.4356 or email to BethesdaHouse@aol.com.

REAL MUSIC AND THE ROCK HALL... ALL FOR FREE!

Sunday, April 25th THE FEST hosts the 6th annual Real Music: Battle of the Bands competition at the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame in Cleveland. The concert, starting at 6:30pm, features five local Christian artists. The Real Music winning band will play in front of a 30,000+ crowd on Sunday, August 8, 2010. Invite your friends and come enjoy an evening of music, fun, and friendship. Get your FREE tickets via e-mail at tickets@thefest.us or call 444.943.7662.

MYSTERIUM FIDEI

On Saturday, May 22nd at St. Paul Parish, 1580 Brown Street, Akron. Attend a Eucharistic Seminar: Logic at the Service of the Faith, with EWTN host Raymond de Souza, international lay apologist, www.raymondde Souza.com,
Registration is free! Call Amedeo: 330.773-6641 or church office 330.724.1263 Mon/Tues/Wed 5:30 – 8:30.

OZAMEN CENTER NEWS

It is **Mother of Sorrows** turn again at the Ozamen Center at Visitation of Mary Parish (formerly Annunciation) on **Saturday May 1, 2010**. The hours are 9:30 to 22pm.

These are also the hours that we accept donations of clothing or furniture. If you need service hours, here is your opportunity to help others less fortunate than yourself and gain those hours. Please call Cathie or Jim Perusek for more information or to volunteer a 330.467.5762.

DIVORCED, SEPARATED OR WIDOWED CATHOLICS OF AKRON

A “Caring and Sharing” session for those who are divorced, separated or widowed will be held on Monday, April 26th from 7:30-9:00pm at Immaculate Heart of Mary's Convent Building, 1945 Portage Trail in Cuyahoga Falls. B. G. Labbe from Akron Child Guidance will facilitate the session. He specializes in individual, couple and family therapy. This event is open at no charge to people of all faiths. For information, call Frank 330.801.0527 or Sharon 330.612.3635.

THE CATHOLIC HOME MISSIONS

Right here in the United States, some dioceses are unable to provide fundamental pastoral care for their faithful. These “home mission” dioceses cannot support an adequate number of priests. They cannot afford funding for youth ministry programs or religious education. This week we take up a collection for the Catholic Home Missions Appeal. Help **strengthen the Church at home** with a generous donation.

April 18, 2010

Sunday Offering	\$2,109.00
Maintenance	15.00
Betty Sabino Memorial	175.00

Thank you very much for your generosity!