



Parish Schedule & Mass Intentions

September 28	<i>Saturday</i> 25th Week Ordinary Time St. Wenceslaus, Martyr; St. Lawrence Ruiz & Companions, Martyrs
5:00pm	Mass (Charles "Chic" Tesmer)
September 29	<i>26th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>
8:30am	Mass (Giovani Manes)
11:00am	Mass (People of the Parish)
September 30	<i>Monday</i> Saint Jerome, Priest and Doctor of the Church
8:30am	Mass (Special Intention)
7:30pm	Scripture/Prayer Group
October 1	<i>Tuesday</i> St. Therese of the Child Jesus, Virgin and Doctor of the Church
8:30am	Mass (Tami Koeber)
October 2	<i>Wednesday</i> The Holy Guardian Angels
8:00pm	AA Meeting (Church Hall)
October 3	<i>Thursday</i> 26th Week Ordinary Time
8:30am	Mass (Catholic Education & Catholic Educators)
October 4	<i>Friday</i> Saint Francis of Assisi
8:30am	Mass (Special Intention)
October 5	<i>Saturday</i> 26th Week Ordinary Time
4:00pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation
5:00pm	Mass (John Robert Orris)
October 6	<i>27th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>
8:30am	Mass (Helen Marie Stokes)
11:00am	Mass (People of the Parish)

In Your Charity

Please remember Josephine Ann Fiorilli (Salvatore Victor), mother of parishioner Stephen (Donna) Fiorilli, Mary Lee Schneider Gilles, Mother-In-Law of Deacon Frank O'Connell, and Diana McCormick, catechetical leader for St. Martin of Tours Parish in Maple Heights, in your prayers. May Josephine, Mary Lee, and Diana live forever in the joy of the Resurrection and may their families and friends be granted consolation. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen.

Scriptures for the Week of September 29, 2013

Sunday	Am 6:1a, 4-7 1 Tm 6:11-16 Lk 16:19-31
Monday	Zec 8:1-8 Lk 9:46-50
Tuesday	Zec 8:20-23 Lk 9:51-56
Wednesday	Neh 2:1-8 Mt 18:1-5, 10
Thursday	Neh 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12 Lk 10:1-12
Friday	Bar 1:15-22 Lk 10:13-16
Saturday	Bar 4:5-12, 27-29 Lk 10:17-24
Sunday	Hb 1:2-3; 2:2-4 2 Tm 1:6-8, 13-14 Lk 17:5-10



**Read and pray
Scriptures daily!**



From the Pastor's Desk

This weekend you will again find a copy of our Parish Financial Report for July 1, 2012 to June 30, 2013 inserted in the parish bulletin. Copies of this report are also available in the church vestibule. The parish budget for 2013-2014 is also included

The Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time gives all of us the opportunity to realize as God is not blind to our circumstances neither can we be blind to the needs of others near or far away. If we expect a place at the heavenly banquet, we had better be sure we do not ignore finding place for others at the earthly table, especially those most marginalized. Let us pray...

*O God, who manifest your almighty power above all by pardoning and showing mercy, bestow, we pray, your grace abundantly upon us and make those hastening to attain your promises heirs to the treasures of heaven.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever.
Amen.*

*26th Sunday in Ordinary Time Collect
The Roman Missal, 3rd Edition*

New Arrival

Congratulations to Robin and Matthew Griffiths on the birth of their son, Bowen Patrick Griffiths



Month of the Rosary
The Rosary will be prayed before each parish Mass during the month of October.

In Your Prayers, Please Remember

Emma Aguilar, Richard Bennett, Celia Bican, Anna Bischof, Heidi Burmeister, Johannah Conner, Millie Fritz, Tom Gardner, Chris Gibbs, James Ging, Marilyn Griffith, Tayha Hostetler, Bob and Kathy James, Maureen Joyce, Marca Kaplar, Carol Leach, Delna Luce, Marcene, Margaret, John McDermott, Megan, Mark Munnings, Ashley Munoz, George Novak, Bridget Perez, Michael Phillips, Rita Lucy, Dorothy Rogus, Bruno Ruppel, Rosanne Sanford, Theresa "Tess" Slenn, David Shepherd, Bruce Styles, Marla Sliwinski, Phyllis Todd, Laura Tories, Marianne, Stephen, Sylvia Trecaso...



**O Mother Mary,
pray for us!**



September 29, 2013
26th Sunday of Ordinary Time

"Father Abraham, have pity on me. Send Lazarus to dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue, for I am suffering torment in these flames."

Luke 16:24



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Luke 16:19-31

"Praise the Lord, my soul!"
(Psalm 146)

- The rich man lived in luxury and never noticed Lazarus lying at his door. How aware and observant are you about those in need?

- Can riches be a barrier to faith? Why?
- Have you had an experience you wished you could change? How did you feel? Is Jesus asking you to make some changes in your life today?

What the world is in particular need of today is the credible witness of people enlightened in mind and heart by the word of the Lord, and capable of opening the hearts and minds of many to the desire for God and for true life, life without end. (PF15)

Is it permissible to venerate relics?

The veneration of relics (remnants of the body of a saint or objects used during his or her lifetime) is a natural human need, a way of showing respect and reverence to the persons who are venerated. Veneration of relics is a Catholic tradition which began in the early days of the Church, probably in the ancient practice of celebrating the Eucharist on the tombs of martyrs. Relics of saints are properly venerated when the faithful praise God's work in people who have devoted themselves completely to God. (From the Youth Catechism of the Catholic Church) (Youcat #275)

Visit www.dioceseofcleveland.org/yearoffaith

40 Days for Life

For 40 years abortion has robbed our country of its future, child by precious child. If we do not stand up against this holocaust who will? Join the 40 Days for Life Campaign by praying, fasting, and witnessing until November 3 to the sanctity of human life. Prayerfully consider spending at least one hour witnessing in front of an abortuary. For more information about local 40 Days for Life programs, or to sign up for vigil times, please call Judith at 330-762-2785, visit www.righttolifeofnortheastohio.com, or visit www.40DaysforLife.com/Akron.

Welcome Marriage Encounter

This weekend, we welcome Joseph and Karen Stoll who will be speaking at all the Masses about the Marriage Encounter Weekend Program for married couples. Married couples please note:

Local Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Before the holidays make your schedule more hectic, take a weekend to strengthen your relationship. Celebrate the gift of love GOD has given you in one another and learn more communication techniques of a Christ-centered marriage. The next weekend is October 18 - 20 in Green, Ohio at the Cambria Suites Hotel. For more information or to apply for a Marriage Encounter Weekend, please call 330-305-9963, email WorldwideME@sssnet.com, or visit www.WWME.org.

Help defend Life, Liberty, and Marriage
by praying and taking action at

[www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/index.cfm!](http://www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/index.cfm)

Blanket Sunday Coming Soon

The weekend of October 12-13 marks the **Twenty-Sixth Annual Blanket Sunday Collection** to aid the needy. The collection is being sponsored by the **Diocesan St. Vincent de Paul Society**. This year, due to lack of storage space, we will sponsor a **cash only collection**. We will gratefully accept your cash donation and **do the shopping for you making your money go even further with bulk purchases** of blankets and other items needed by low income families. So give someone a blanket for the winter and give yourself a warm feeling!

CCC Collection

This weekend's **second collection** is for the **Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC)**. It provides content in **podcasts** for daily readings, on **websites** to connect with other faithful, and on **social media sites**, and always with the New Evangelization in mind. Please be generous in this week's Collection and support this important work. **Please note that half of your donations stay in our diocese to support our communication needs.** CCC is one more to share the Good News! **Thank you for your prayers and support!**

Weekend of September 22, 2013

Sunday Offering	2,447.00
Church Maintenance	205.00
PSR	400.00

Thank you for your generosity!