



Parish Schedule & Mass Intentions

August 3	Saturday 17th Week Ordinary Time
5:00pm	Mass (<i>Stanley and Ann Sikorski</i>)
August 4	<i>Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>
8:30am	Mass (<i>Living and Deceased of MOS</i>)
11:00am	Mass (<i>The Reverend George W. Balaun</i>)
August 5	Monday 18th Week Ordinary Time
	The Dedication of the Basilica of St. Mary Major
8:30am	Mass (<i>Dorothy Rooney</i>)
August 6	Tuesday The Transfiguration of the Lord
8:30am	Mass (<i>Sylvia</i>)
August 7	Wednesday 18th Week Ordinary Time
	St. Sixtus II, Pope, & Companions, Martyrs; St. Cajetan, Priest
8:00pm	AA Meeting (Church Hall)
August 8	Thursday St. Dominic, Priest
8:30am	Mass (<i>Lily Hague</i>)
August 9	Friday 18th Week Ordinary Time
	St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, Virgin & Martyr
8:30am	Mass (<i>Gail F. Smolk</i>)
August 10	Saturday St. Lawrence, Deacon & Martyr
4:00pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation
5:00pm	Mass (<i>M. Sundelle Gurgle</i>)
August 11	<i>Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>
8:30am	Mass (<i>The Reverend Robert W. Donohoe</i>)
11:00am	Mass (<i>Living and Deceased Of MOS</i>)



SVDP School Supplies Appeal

You can give to the SVDP School Supplies Appeal by purchasing any or all of the following items: *1 single subject spiral bound wide ruled notebook, 1 pack of wide ruled notebook paper, 1 12" ruler, 1 package of #2 pencils, 1 soft pencil case, 1 glue stick, 1 box of 16 or 24 crayons, 1 box of 8 washable markers, 3 folders with bottom pockets, and 1 eraser* or by donating \$15. Bring your donations to Mass the weekends of August 3-4 and 10-11. Thank you in advance for your generosity!

Scriptures for Week of August 4, 2013

Sunday	Ecd 1:2;2:21-23 Col 3:1-5,9-11 Lk 12:13-21
Monday	Nm 11:4b-15 Mt 14:13-21
	<i>The Transfiguration of the Lord</i>
Tuesday	Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 2Pt 1:16-19 Lk 9:28b-36
Wednesday	Nm 13:1-2, 25-14:1, 26-29a, 34-35 Mt 15:21-28
Thursday	Nm 20:1-13 Mt 16:13-23
Friday	Dt 4:32-40 Mt 16:24-28
Saturday	2Cor 9:6-10 Jn 12:24-26
Sunday	Wis 18:6-9 Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 Lk 12:32-48



**Read and pray
Scriptures daily!**



From the Pastor's Desk

On this Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time we are invited to reflect on the meaning life. The following questions are offered for consideration:

What matters most to me?

What matters most in life?

Are you seeking and achieving what matters most to God?

Perhaps you might use the answers and thoughts to the preceding questions for meditation. Make the meditation a time of prayer, let the Gospel for this Sunday (Luke 12:13-21) guide your listening and speaking with God.

Let us pray...

*Draw near to Your servants, O Lord,
and answer their prayers with
unceasing kindness,
that, for those who glory in You as their
Creator and guide,
You may restore what You have created
and keep safe what You have restored.
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.

*Collect, 18th Sunday Ordinary Time
The Roman Missal, 3rd Edition*

In Your Charity

Please remember in your prayers, Dorothy Rooney, mother of The Reverend William Rooney, OFM. May Dorothy and all our beloved dead live forever in the joy of the Resurrection. Let us also pray that their families and friends be granted consolation. Amen.

In your prayers...

Emma Aguilar, Fred Assing, Richard Bennett, Celia Bican, Heidi Burmeister, Beverly Chambers, 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, Rita Lucy, Dorothy Rogus, Bruno Ruppel, Andrew and Rosanne Sanford, Theresa "Tess" Slenn, David Shepherd, Bruce Styles, Marla Sliwinski, Gloria Timko, Phyllis Todd, Laura Tories, Marianne, Stephen, Sylvia Trecaso, Margaret Wills...



**O Holy Mary,
Pray for us!**



August 4, 2013
18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Thus will it be for all who store up treasure for themselves but are not rich in what matters to God."

Luke 12:21



YEAR OF FAITH 2012-2013

Luke 12:13-21

If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts. (Ps. 90)

1. Every time we turn on the TV or open a magazine we see ads for things that promise to make us happy. How does this conflict with Jesus' words, "One's life does not consist of possessions"?
2. If you knew your life would be demanded of you tonight, what would you do this day?
3. Jesus tells us to be "rich in what matters to God." What does matter to God? Do you have to make any changes in your priorities?

What is Sin?

A sin is a word, deed, or intention by which a man or woman deliberately and voluntarily offends against the true order of things as God's loving providence has arranged them. It is more than violating some rules; sin turns freely and deliberately against God's love and ignores him. St. Augustine wrote, "Sin is ultimately love of oneself even to contempt of God." It does become possible to recognize sin and its seriousness by drawing near to God. (From the Youth Catechism of the Catholic Church) (Youcat #315)

Visit www.dioceseofcleveland.org/yearoffaith

Girls Evening Retreat

Girls in grades 7-12, draw nearer to the Heart of Christ and learn to live out love! Held **Sunday, August 11**, from **6:00pm to 9:00pm** at **St. Stephen Church (44 Britton St, West Salem, OH, 44287)**. Hosted by Leah McKee, student of Franciscan University. Guest Speaker will be **Drew Sacksteder**. RSVP at **330-262-1096** or wtm@embarqmail.com. This will be a night of faith, friends and fun! **It's free, and friends are welcome.**

PREP®

PREP® (Prevention & Relationship Enhancement Program) Skills Workshop for Engaged and Married Couples to be held **Sunday, August 18, 8:30am to 4:20pm** at **Holy Spirit Parish, 410 Lear road, Avon Lake, OH, 44012**. PREP fulfills the Pre-Cana requirement. \$95 per couple. For more information or to register, call **216-334-2978** or visit www.clevelandcatholiccharities.org/mfm/PREP.htm.



Mother of Sorrows Parish Picnic will be held on **Sunday, August 25, 2013** at **Mathews Thomas Park on Olde Eight Rd. in Boston Heights** from **11:00am to 5:00pm** with Mass at **1:30pm** in the Pavilion. Thank you in advance, **John Weniger**, for organizing the polka-playing musicians for the Mass and more. What can you do for the picnic? Please see enclosed flyer for more information or call **330-657-2631**.

This Weekend!

The **FEST**, is held **Sunday, August 4** at the **Center for Pastoral Leadership (28700 Euclid Ave., Wickliffe)!** For more information...**440-943-7662**, theFEST.us, twitter.com/the_fest or facebook.com/thefest.us.



"The Little Rule and the Little Way

Saint Benedict and Saint Therese"



A weekend retreat for single men ages 18-45 who seek Divine guidance for their life and vocation which will be held with the Benedictine monks of Saint Andrew Abbey in Cleveland. The weekend begins with vespers at 5:00 PM on **Friday, August 9** and ends after lunch on **Sunday, August 11**. Contact **Fr. Finbar, OSB** at **216-721-5300, ext. 273** or at finbar@cbhs.net.

Final Expense Workshop

Held **Saturday, August 13** from **7:00-8:00pm** at **Holy Cross Cemetery office (100 E. Waterloo Rd. Akron, OH)** Workshop is free (registration is appreciated) and light snacks and refreshments will be provided. Visit www.clevelandcatholiccemeteries.org for all dates and locations. To register, **330-724-1297, 216-570-5839** or mvujas@clevelandcatholiccemeteries.org.

July 28, 2013

Sunday Offering	2,484.00
Church Maintenance	100.00
SVDP	244.25
Peter's Pence (additional)	100.00

Thank you for your generosity!