

# Parish Schedule & Mass Intentions

July 20	Saturday 15th Week Ordinary Time
	St. Apollinaris, Bishop and Martyr
5:00pm	Mass (People of the Parish)
July 21	Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:30am	Mass (Frank W. Canda, OSF)
11:00am	Mass (Laura Berquist)
July 22	Monday St. Mary Magdalene
8:30am	Mass (John Sandman)
July 23	Tuesday 16th Week Ordinary Time
	St. Bridget, Religious
8:30am	Mass (Special Intention)
July 24	Wednesday 16th Week Ordinary Time
	St. Sharbel Makhluf, Priest
8:00pm	AA Meeting (Church Hall)
July 25	Thursday St. James, Apostle
8:30am	Mass (Rita Crookston)
July 26	Friday Sts. Joachim and Anne,
	Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary
8:30am	Mass (Peggy Womack)
July 27	Saturday 16th Week Ordinary Time
4:00pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation
5:00pm	Mass (Charles "Chic" Tesmer)
July 28	Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:30am	Mass (The Reverend Robert W. Donohoe)
11:00am	Mass (People of the Parish)



SVDP School Supplies Collection We will again be collecting supplies for Back to School. The collection dates are the weekend of August 3-4 and August 10-11. Please check the

list of needed supplies in the flier included in the bulletin. This year we will be sharing our collection with Woodridge Schools since we are aware there is a need there and we are in their district. Thank you in advance for all you do to help with this collection and the other needs of St. Vincent DePaul.

# Scriptures for Week of July 21, 2013

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Sunday	Gn 18:1-10a Col 1:24-28 Lk 10:38-42
Monday	Ex 14:5-18 Jn 20:1-2, 11-18
Tuesday	Ex 14:21-15:1 Mt 12:46-50
Wednesday	Ex 16:1-5, 9-15 Mt 13:1-9
Thursday	2 Cor 4:7-15 Mt 20:20-28
Friday	Ex 20:1-17 Mt 13:18-23
Saturday	Ex 24:3-8 Mt 13:24-30
Sunday	Gn 18:20-32 Col 2:12-14 Lk 11:1-13



Read and pray Scriptures daily!



# From the Pastor's Desk

On this Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time we continue to reflect on "what to do?" Last weekend's Gospel account of the parable of the "Good Samaritan" posed the question "what to do" in light of the question "who is my neighbor?" We should know that everyone we encounter on the path of life is our *neighbor*. Having reflected, and hopefully lived with greater concern as "to what to do?" for our neighbor (especially for those who are in need), we now are invited to consider "to what to do" in choosing Jesus even over our own felt needs. Abraham and Mary in this Sunday's Scripture readings got it right. What do we need to do to get it right in welcoming and attending to the presence of Jesus in our lives on a daily basis? What are daily practices of prayer and quiet time with the Lord? The opening prayer for our weekend Mass could become a daily prayer. Let us pray...

Show favor, O Lord, to Your servants
and mercifully increase the gifts of
Your Grace,
that, made fervent in hope, faith and
charity,
they may be ever watchful in keeping
Your commands.
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, 16th Sunday Ordinary Time
The Roman Missal, 3rd Edition



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



O Mother Mary, pray for us!



# July 21, 2013 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Martha, Martha, you are anxious and worried about many things. There is need of only one thing."

Luke 10:41-42



### Luke 10:38-42

"He who does justice will live in the presence of the Lord." (Psalm 15)

- How often do you take on a job and then resent it? What can you do about that?
- How are you compassionate in responding to those with whom you do not agree, as Jesus was to Martha?
- How does Jesus' support of Mary's hunger for knowledge speak to you?

## What is Conscience?

Conscience is the inner voice in a man that moves him to do good under any circumstances and to avoid evil by all means. It also is the ability to distinguish the one from the other. In the conscience God speaks to man. God is the one who becomes apparent in the conscience. St. Thomas Aquinas wrote, "Anything that is done against conscience is a sin," however, Blessed John Paul II noted that "Christians have a great help for the formation of conscience in the Church and her Magisterium." (From the Youth Catechism of the Catholic Faith) (Youcat #295)

Visit www.dioceseofcleveland.org/yearoffaith

#### **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.

# **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 <a href="https://www.wtm.august.edu.nip.new.ni

#### **DSWC**

A "Caring and Sharing" session for those struggling with divorce, separation or widowhood will be held Monday, July 22 from 7:30-9:00pm at Immaculate Heart of Mary's Convent Building, 1945 Portage Trail, Cuyahoga Falls. Marlene Maruna will facilitate this session. Open at no charge to people of all faiths. More info...Denny (330-285-9824) or Sharon (330-612-3635).

# **National Catholic Collegiate Conference**

The 2013 National Catholic Collegiate Conference (NCCC) will be held in Indianapolis, November 21-23 for young adults ages 18 to 25. Today's college-aged and post-graduate young adults live in a secular world that battles their sacred beliefs. NCCC affirms your place in the world, presents a unique faith experience, and empowers you for the road ahead. NCCC is 3 days of inspiring keynotes, engaging workshops, dynamic prayer and worship, exceptional music and entertainment, networking, and gaining a deeper awareness of what it means to be a Catholic young adult today. Registration is Open! For more info, visit www.ntlccc.org.

# The FEST 2013

The annual family event, The FEST, will be held Sunday, August 4 on the grounds of the Center for Pastoral Leadership (28700 Euclid Ave., Wickliffe)! Christian artists, Casting Crowns, Jamie Grace, For King and Country, and Matt Maher will perform! There will be activities for kids, displays and presentations, a mom's relaxation station, a Youth Rally for high school and college students, and more. The day will close with 8:00pm Mass and fireworks! More info at 440-943-7662, www.theFEST.us (download the FEST app), facebook.com/thefest.us or twitter.com/the fest. Come experience "Strength in Numbers"!

You can help defend Life, Liberty, and Marriage by praying and taking action at www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/index.cfm!



# **Making Our Parish Goal**

You can still help Catholic Charities support more than 150 programs and services throughout Northeast Ohio! Our parish is just \$7,479 shy of our \$21,000 goal—if you have not yet done so, please consider a generous gift to the 2013 Catholic Charities Annual Appeal. Pledge-donation envelopes may be found in the pews. Thank you in advance for your kind prayers and support!

July 14, 2013

Sunday Offering

2,881.00

Thank you for your generosity!