



Parish Schedule & Mass Intentions



From the Pastor's Desk

October 15	Saturday	St. Teresa of Jesus, Virgin & Doctor of the Church
5:00pm		Mass (<i>For Vocations</i>)
October 16	<i>Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	
8:30am		Mass (<i>Robert "Bob" James</i>)
9:45am		Parish School of Religion
11:00am		Mass (<i>People of the Parish</i>)
October 17	Mon.	St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop & Martyr
8:30am		Mass (<i>Catherine Johnson</i>)
7:30pm		Bible Study/Book of Job (Church Hall)
October 18	Tuesday	St. Luke, Evangelist
8:30am		Mass (<i>Dr. Neil Krupp</i>)
October 19	Wednesday	Ss. John de Brébeuf & Isaac Jogues, Priests, & Companions, Martyrs
8:00pm		AA Meeting (Church Hall)
October 20	Thursday	Wkdy; St. Paul of the Cross, Priest
8:30am		Mass (<i>Sam and Betty Sabino</i>)
October 21	Friday	Wkdy;
8:30am		Mass (<i>James Hague</i>)
October 22	Saturday	Wkdy; St. John Paul II, Pope; BVM
4:00pm		Sacrament of Reconciliation
5:00pm		Mass (<i>Rogers, El Moudda, Newhouse Families</i>)
October 23	<i>Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	
8:30am		Mass (<i>Susan Allanson</i>)
9:45am		Parish School of Religion
11:00am		Mass (<i>People of the Parish</i>)

On this Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time let us ask ourselves if we are as persistent in our prayer as the widow in the Gospel reading for this Sunday. Do we really trust that God is always listening and cares very much for each of us, especially for those most in need? Let us pray...

*Almighty ever-living God,
grant that we may always conform our will to Yours
and serve Your majesty in sincerity of heart.
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.*

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October Month of the Rosary



Please join in praying the rosary before all the Masses during the month of October. Rosary pamphlets can be found in the vestibule of the church.

In Your Charity

Please remember in your prayers Susan Allanson, daughter-in-law of parishioners Bill and Joanne Allanson. Also remember Dr. Neil Krupp, brother of The Reverend Albert A. Krupp and Catherine Johnson, mother-in-law of Deacon Ted Bizon, Jr. May Susan, Neil and Catherine live forever in the joy of the Resurrection and may their families and friends be consoled. Amen.

Please Pray For...



Ann, Arthur, Monica Baird, Garth Bender, Violet Benich, Richard Bennett, Celia Bican, Bishop Prasad, Dennis Babb, Logan Boone, James Brigotti, Heidi Burmeister, Johannah Conner, Frank, Millie Fritz, Tom Gardner, Chris Gibbs, James Ging, Marilyn Griffith, Tayha Hostetler, Kathy James, Ellen Jansen, Jill, Kathleen Jones, Maureen Joyce, Marca Kaplar, Helen Kracker, Carol Leach, Paul Marcene, John McDermott, Megan, Annalisa Menke, Audrey Menke, Menke Family, Bill Misencik, Marjorie Morgan, Molly, Ashley Munoz, Natalie, Nate, Carroll O'Donnell, Richard Edward and Richard William Parker, Anika Patrick, Bridget Perez, Michael Phillips, Jacqueline Polcen, Rita, Bruno Ruppel, Rosanne Sanford, Bonita, Steve Sheets, Theresa "Tess" Slenn, Shirley Southard, Paul Stephen, Bruce Styles, Marla Sliwinski, Clara Szydlowski, Patty Tesmer, Laura Tories, Marianne, Stephen, Paul Trecaso, Sylvia Trecaso, Minnie Wagner, Patricia Wiatrowski, all in need of prayer and those who have who been forgotten...



Wedding Banns

1 Lisa Renee Skorepa
and
Shaun Paul Deliberato

The Book of Job

Why do things go wrong? Studying the Book of Job may help us find wisdom and answers. Do come to Bible Study on Monday evenings in the MOS Parish Hall from 7:30-9pm and learn about Job and how he handled his trials. Questions? Call Chris Czernski at 330-666-0408 or email him at metro.cjc@gmail.com.

Scriptures for Week of October 16, 2016

Sunday	Ex 17:8-13/2 Tm 3:14-4:2/Lk 18:1-8
Monday	Eph 2:1-10/Lk 12:13-21
Tuesday	2 Tm 4:10-17b/Lk 10:1-9
Wednesday	Eph 3:2-12/Lk 12:39-48
Thursday	Eph 3:14-21/Lk 12:49-53
Friday	Eph 4:1-6/Lk 12:54-59
Saturday	Eph 4:7-16/Lk 13:1-9
Sunday	Sir 35:12-14, 16-18/ 2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18/Lk 18:9-14



Do read and pray the Scriptures.



October 16, 2016
29th Sunday in Ordinary Time
There was a judge in a certain town who neither feared God nor respected any human being. And a widow in that town used to come to him and say, 'Render a just decision for me against my adversary.'
 Luke 18:2-3

Family Perspectives

The widow in today's gospel was successful because she was persistent. Children tend to be naturally persistent; they will repeat the same request over and over until an exhausted parent gives in, and then later will feel guilty for not being stronger. The gospel encourages us "not to lose heart." Our challenge is to be a good, not perfect, parent.

General Intercessions

*That non-custodial parents might persevere in their role and responsibility as parents and always be ready to respond to the needs of their children.
 Let us pray to the Lord.*

Men Making a Difference

First & Ten men's ministry (a service of Community Pregnancy Center, Barberton) is searching for a few good men to join our ranks. Be on the front line of mentoring young fathers into strong dads! If you are interested in finding out more about this growing ministry, email firstandten@communitypregnancycenter.org or call 330-825-1900 and ask for First & Ten!

Moms Group

Moms of St. Sebastian is a Catholic group open to moms of all ages and all faiths. In various ways we work to support each other in our vocation as mothers and strive to deepen our faith. Spiritual, service, educational and social activities are planned for moms, children, and the whole family. For more information, please email Jennifer Sullivan (momsofsaintsebastian@gmail.com) or visit www.sites.google.com/site/momsoftsebastian.

2016 First Step Program

During this Year of Mercy, we are called to renew our relationship with God and the Church. The First Step Program helps individuals navigate the path of healing and closure and helps anyone learn more about Catholic teaching regarding marriage, divorce, and remarriage. Meeting held Tuesday, October 18 at St. Ambrose Parish, Brunswick. All at 7pm. Representatives from the Ministry to the Divorced Office of the Department for Marriage and Family Ministry will be present to explain the resources they offer to the divorced. **The Diocese of Cleveland no longer requires any fees for this process.** Questions? Call 216-696-6525, 800-869-6525 x4000 or visit www.dioceseofcleveland.org/tribunal.



Catholics Care. Catholics Vote.

The Catholic bishops of the United States are pleased to offer once again *Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship*, our teaching document on the political responsibility of Catholics. This statement represents our guidance for Catholics in the exercise of their rights and duties as participants in our democracy. Please read the document at www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/faithful-citizenship/index.cfm.

"We need to participate for the common good. Sometimes we hear: a good Catholic is not interested in politics. This is not true: good Catholics immerse themselves in politics by offering the best of themselves so that the leader can govern."

~ Pope Francis, 9/16/13

MAGIC Mentors Program Needs You!

Are you looking to add something rewarding to your life? We are looking for individuals to volunteer 4-6 hours a month to become Mentors to at-risk kids in the Barberton area. Please contact Ginger Malcolm at 330-762-2961 x248 for more information.

World Mission Sunday

Next week, we will celebrate World Mission Sunday and it's theme this year is "Mercy Changes the World." Pope Francis invites the entire Church to support the young mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe, where priests, religious and lay leaders serve some of the poorest of the poor. Please keep the Missions in your prayers as we support next week's collection for the Society of the Propagation of the Faith.

Blanket Sunday Thank Sunday

Thank you for your donation to the Blanket Sunday Collection, sponsored by the Diocesan St. Vincent dePaul Society. Your donations will go far through bulk purchases of blankets and other items for the homeless and poor individuals in our own metropolitan area. You may also donate at www.svdpcle.org. Thank you again for your support!

<i>Weekend of October 9, 2016</i>	
<i>Sunday Offering</i>	<i>2,491.00</i>
<i>St. Vincent DePaul Blanket Sunday</i>	<i>495.00</i>
<i>PSR (additional)</i>	<i>100.00</i>
<i>Thank you for your generosity!</i>	