

### Family Perspective

In today's gospel parable the rich man wanted to warn his brothers so they could avoid his fate. Evidently, his whole family ignored the poor! If you were the rich man and could warn your family, what would you tell them? Better yet – invite them to practice the works of mercy to those in need.

### General Intercessions

*That the families in the parish might be moved to share their time, monies and influence to relieve the needs of other families in the community. Let us pray to the Lord.*

### Married Couples Get-Away Weekend

How would you like to learn more about your spouse and God on the same Weekend? A Marriage Encounter Weekend can do that for you! The fall Weekend is just around the corner, so make plans now to attend; October 11-13 at the Homewood Suites in Solon. Call Jack and Fran at 330-305-9963 or [GreatMarriagesOhio.org](http://GreatMarriagesOhio.org) for info or to sign up.

### Praying for Wisdom and Compassion

Our migrant brothers and sisters look to the United States as a place of safety and security. There are times when our primary concerns might be our own safety and security. May we remember that we are all children of God, responsible for each other and in genuine Christian love share our own good fortune with them.

Let us pray for them and for us.

*Amen.*

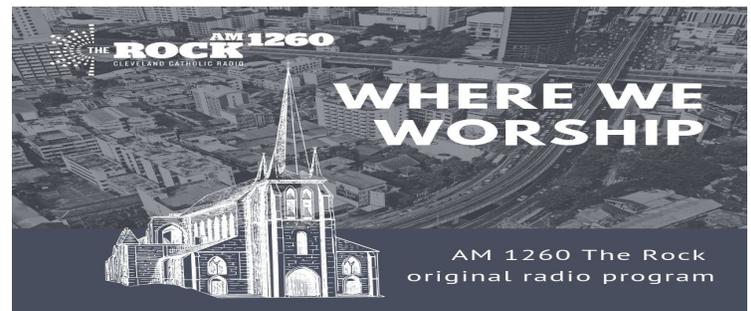
### Prayer for Vocations

*Lord of the harvest, your Word finds a home in our hearts, calls us into community and invites us to generous service of the human family. Bless with courage and spirit your priestly people, called to full participation in the one Body of Christ may many choose to respond in public service to your call offered in Jesus in name. Amen.*

Cardinal Joseph L. Bernardin (1928-1996)

### MOS Parish Finance Report and Budget

The Parish Financial Report for 2018 -2019 was in last weekend's bulletin and additional copies are available this weekend in the vestibule of the church. Special thanks to our Parish Finance Council for their attentive care to our parish resources: William Reimer (chairperson), Peter Chatigny, Amy Ligan, David Ligan, Lynda Schiciano, Santo Schiciano, Diane Fleming (Parish Council Chairperson); Roberta Conroy and Stan Hujarski (MOS staff). Thank you!



**Food, Fellowship and Faith for Adults...** Join us on Monday October 21st at 7:30 p.m as we welcome our Guest speaker **Keith Johnson- Parish Catechetical Leader, St. Sebastian** who will present a talk entitled

**“From Pentecostal Preacher to Catholic PCL: My Journey to the Catholic Faith”** at The Tangier Bistro Bar, located at 532 West Market Street, Akron. Doors open at 7:00 p.m. \$10 admission fee includes appetizers – cash bar available. Sponsored by St. Sebastian Parish, Akron.

**"A Credible Faith: Catholic Identity in the Midst of Scandal,"** a lecture by **Richard R. Gaillardetz, Ph.D.,** will be held on **Thursday, October 17** at 7:30pm in the LSC Conference Room of the DJ Lombardo Student Center at John Carroll University. Dr. Gaillardetz is the Joseph Professor in Catholic Systematic Theology and Chair of the Theology Department at Boston College. The lecture is sponsored by the Institute of Catholic Studies, the Department of Theology and Religious Studies and the Breen Chair in Catholic Theology. Free and open to the public. For more information, contact 216.397.4700.

***Protecting Human Life is the Cornerstone of  
Catholic Social Teaching***

"The abortion conflict has never simply been about repealing Roe v. Wade. And the many proliferators I know live a much deeper kind of discipleship than "single issue" politics. But they do understand that the cornerstone of Catholic social teaching is protecting human life from conception to natural death. They do understand that every other human right depends on the right to life. They did not and do not and will not give up – and they won't be lied to."

Archbishop Charles J. Chaput O.F.M

***MOS Moving Forward***

We are received bids for water proofing the foundation of the church and rectory. on the Please continue helping to defray the cost of these projects. Whatever you will do will help our parish in Moving Forward. Thank you!!!

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***Angel of God My guardian dear  
To Whom His love Commits me here  
Ever this day Be at my side To light and  
guard To rule and guide.***

***Amen.***

**First Friday Cub of Greater Akron  
Friday, October 4, 2019  
Bishop Nelson Perez**

Bishop Nelson Perez is a native of Miami, Florida. He became the 11th Bishop of the diocese of Cleveland on September 5, 2017. He was ordained a priest in 1989 for the Archdiocese of Philadelphia and was named auxiliary bishop for Rockville Centre in 2012. Before being ordained he was a Catholic elementary school teacher. He has served as pastor of two parishes and was the founding director of the Catholic Institute of Evangelization in Philadelphia, a center for adult faith formation and ministry training. Bishop Perez has taught religion and psychology courses at La Salle University, served on the board of directors for Catholic Health Services, and was vice chair of Catholic Charities. As a member of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, he currently chairs the Bishops' Subcommittee for Hispanic Affairs. Upon news of his appointment, Bishop Perez said, "I am so very happy to be here with you, to learn from you, grow with you, and serve you with pastoral devotion."

**Location: [Tangier Restaurant, 532 W. Market St. Akron 44303](#) Doors open and buffet luncheon begins at 11:00 am. The speaker begins at noon and ends at 1:00 pm** You may pay the \$20 fee at the door or mail your check to the First Friday Club offices [795 Russell Ave, Akron, OH 44308](#)  
**Reservations due Monday, September 30, 2019.**

**The Divorced, Separated and Widowed Catholics of Akron will be sponsoring a talk on Monday, October 14, at 7:30. Do you or someone you know have a hearing loss or have difficulty following conversation? Robert Milo, Clinical Audiologist with Beltone Hearing Care Center will be speaking about hearing loss, its causes, and the use of hearing aids. This event will be held at the Immaculate Heart of Mary Convent Building, 1945 Portage Trail in Cuyahoga Falls. This event is open at no cost to single people of all faiths. Refreshments will be at 7:15. Our speakers will start at 7:30. For information call Sue at 330-554-5626.**

*The Twenty-Sixth Sunday In Ordinary Time Bulletin Announcements ~ September 29, 2019*

*Please check the vestibule for more information on upcoming events, registration forms, prayer cards, and notices.*