



## Parish Schedule & Mass Intentions

<b>April 6</b>	<b>Saturday within the Octave of Easter</b>
<b>5:00pm</b>	Mass ( <i>intention</i> Mary Lee Petranic)
<b>April 7</b>	<b>Second Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy Sunday)</b>
<b>8:30am</b>	Mass ( <i>People of the Parish</i> )
<b>9:40am</b>	Parish School of Religion
<b>11:00am</b>	Mass ( <i>Anthony Kumse</i> )
<b>12:00pm</b>	<b>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</b>
<b>3:00pm</b>	<b>Divine Mercy Devotion and Benediction</b> <i>Confirmandi, Chapter "Confirmed in Love"</i>
<b>Monday, April 8</b>	<b>The Annunciation of the Lord</b>
<b>8:30am</b>	Mass ( <i>Special Intention</i> )
<b>7:30pm</b>	Bible Study/Prayer Group "The Mass"
<b>Tuesday, April 9</b>	<b>Easter Weekday</b>
<b>8:30am</b>	Mass (Michael Kirchurchak)
<b>Wednesday, April 10</b>	<b>Easter Weekday</b>
<b>8:00pm</b>	AA Meeting (Church Hall)
<b>Thursday, April 11</b>	<b>St. Stanislaus, Bishop &amp; Martyr</b>
<b>8:30am</b>	Mass ( <i>All Souls</i> )
<b>Friday, April 12</b>	<b>Easter Weekday</b>
<b>8:30am</b>	Mass ( <i>Dante, Lucietta, Theodore</i> )
<b>Saturday, April 13</b>	<b>Easter Weekday;</b> <b>St. Martin, Pope &amp; Martyr</b>
<b>4:00pm</b>	<b>Sacrament of Reconciliation</b>
<b>5:00pm</b>	Mass ( <i>Justine A. Krane</i> )
<b>Sunday, April 14</b>	<b>Third Sunday of Easter</b>
<b>8:30am</b>	Mass ( <i>Monsignor Thomas J. Kelly 4/6/99</i> )
<b>9:40am</b>	Parish School of Religion
<b>9:45am</b>	Confirmandi, Chapter "Confirmed in Holiness"
<b>11:00am</b>	Mass ( <i>Living and Deceased of the Parish</i> )



## Operation Rice Bowl

**Thank you for participating in the CRS Rice Bowl collection!** Our parish helped make a difference in the lives of millions of people around the world suffering from poverty and hunger. You may count the money in your Rice Bowls, make *a check payable to Mother of Sorrows Parish*, write "CRS Rice Bowl" in the memo line of the check, and place it in the collection basket at the weekend Mass. Thank you for your generous support!

### Scriptures for Week of April 7, 2013

<b>Sunday</b>	Acts 5:12-16 Rv 1:9-11a,12-13,17-19 Jn 20:19-31
<b>Monday</b>	Is 7:10-14; 8:10 Heb 10:4-10 Lk 1:26-38
<b>Tuesday</b>	Acts 4:32-37 Jn 3:7b-15
<b>Wednesday</b>	Acts 5:17-26 Jn 3:16-21
<b>Thursday</b>	Acts 5:27-33 Jn 3:31-36
<b>Friday</b>	Acts 5:34-42 Jn 6:1-15
<b>Saturday</b>	Acts 6:1-7 Jn 6:16-21
<b>Sunday</b>	Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41 Rv 5:11-14 Jn 21:1-19



*Read and pray the Scriptures daily*



## From the Pastor's Desk



This *Second Sunday of Easter* (Divine Mercy Sunday) you are invited and encouraged to participate in the Divine Mercy devotions. At the *conclusion of the 11:00am Sunday Mass* there will be *exposition of the Blessed Sacrament* followed by the recitation of the *Divine Mercy Chaplet and Benediction at 3:00pm.*

*God of everlasting mercy,  
Who in the very recurrence of the paschal feast,  
Kindle the faith of the people You have made Your own,  
Increase, we pray, the grace You have bestowed,  
That all may grasp and rightly understand  
In what font they have been washed,  
By whose Spirit they have been reborn,  
By whose Blood they have been redeemed.  
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 of the 2nd Sunday of Easter or Sunday of Divine Mercy  
The Roman Missal, 3rd Edition*

### In Your Charity

*Remember in your prayers, parishioner Gail Smolk, wife of parishioner Gary Smolk and Henry "Hank" Symanski, father of parishioner Ken Symanski. May Gail, Henry and all our beloved dead live forever in the joy of the Resurrection and may their families and friends be granted consolation. Amen.*

### Papal Intentions for April 2013

**General Intention:** Liturgy, Source of Life.  
That the public, prayerful celebration of faith may give life to the faithful.

**Missionary Intention:** Mission Churches.  
That mission churches may be signs and instruments of hope and resurrection.

### In your prayers...

Emma Aguilar, Catherine Baker, 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, Mike LaMarre, Carol Leach, Marca Kaplar, Marcene, Margaret, John McDermott, Megan, Susan Mitchell, Mark Munnings, Ashley Munoz, George Novak, Bridget Perez, Rita Lucy, Dorothy Rogus, Bruno Ruppel, Andrew Sanford, Theresa "Tess" Slenn, David Shepherd, Bruce Styles, Marla Sliwinski, Phyllis Todd, Laura Tories, Sylvia Trecaso, Margaret Wills, and all in need...



*O Mary help of the sick, pray for us!*



**April 7, 2013  
2nd Sunday of Easter**

*"Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands and put my finger into the nailmarks and put my hand into his side, I will not believe."*

John 20:25



**Sunday, April 7, 2013  
John 20:19-31**

*"This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice in it and be glad."*  
(Ps. 118:24)

- Would you be willing to risk your life or personal reputation to join the followers of Jesus in the crowds that day? Why or why not?
- Imagine that you were John having this vision. What would your reaction be to what you have heard and seen?
- Imagine that you were Thomas. If you had been absent the first week when Jesus appeared to the apostles, would you have believed based on the word of the apostles? Think about times in your life when you found belief difficult.

**What is Eucharist?**

The Catechism teaches that the Holy Eucharist is the sacrament in which Jesus Christ gives his body and blood--himself--for us, so that we too might give ourselves to him in love and be united with him in Holy Communion. In this way we are joined with one body of Christ, the Church. The celebration of the Eucharist is "the source and summit of the Christian Life" (Second Vatican council, Lumen Gentium.) In the words of St. Thomas Aquinas, "The actual effect of the Eucharist is the transformation of man into God." (From the Youth Catechism of the Catholic Church) (Youcat #208)

**Year of Faith resources may be found at**  
[www.dioceseofcleveland.org/yearoffaith](http://www.dioceseofcleveland.org/yearoffaith)

**Growing Closer to God**

Men are you interested in learning more about your faith and growing closer to Christ? Come join us, **Saturday April 20**, for a **faith filled One Day Renewal!** Sponsored by the Men's Christ Renews His Parish Group. **Men of all ages welcome!** For more information, contact **Chris Aguilar at 440-339-0369** or [chrisaguilar@yahoo.com](mailto:chrisaguilar@yahoo.com).

*Please visit the USCCB Legislative Action Center at [www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/take-action-now/capwiz/index.cfm](http://www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/take-action-now/capwiz/index.cfm) to learn how you can protect Life, Liberty, and Marriage!*

**Academic Honors**

**Congratulations Anthony and Jennifer Guerriero!**

They received **scholastic honors** at **Hoban High School**, for the third quarter of the **2012-2013** school year.

**DSWC**

*The Divorced, Separated & Widowed Catholics of Akron is sponsoring a talk by Lynette Reiner on "Robots Among Us". A look at robots through history, including robots in literature and movies. Held Monday, April 8 at 7:30pm at Immaculate Heart of Mary, Convent Building, 1945 Portage Trail, Cuyahoga Falls. Free; open to single people of all faiths. Refreshments at 7:15pm. For more info...Denny at 330-285-9824 or Sharon at 330-612-3635.*

**Living in Love**

Register for "**Living in Love**" **married couples workshop** on **April 13-14** at **St. Paul's Church, North Canton**. Be reminded of everything you find attractive and lovable about your spouse and marriage. **\$125 per couple**, includes **breakfast, lunch, and romantic dinner**. Mail check payable to **WWME** with your **names, address, email, phone number(s)** in c/o **Mrs. Pat Milam, 1378 Stonington Rd. NW, North Canton, OH 44720**. Email questions to [donnadanne@yahoo.com](mailto:donnadanne@yahoo.com).

**First Step 2013**

The next **First Step Programs** will be held **April 9** at **7:00pm** at **St. Peter Parish, 3655 Oberlin Ave., Lorain, OH 44053, 440-282-9103** and **June 13** at **7:00pm** at **St. John Vianney Parish, 7575 Bellflower Rd. Mentor, OH 44060, 440-352-8282**. **Open to all; no pre-registration**. Offered to reach out to those whose marriage, for whatever reasons or circumstances, is not valid in the Church, and find a way to re-establish full communion in the sacramental life of the Church. **216-696-6525 x4000**, or [www.dioceseofcleveland.org/tribunal](http://www.dioceseofcleveland.org/tribunal).

**Concert at St. Stanislaus**

*The Shrine of St. Stanislaus Church will host a free concert, **Sunday, April 14** at **3:00pm**, featuring a premier performance of a cantata written by Michelle Margaret Benjamin Walker, daughter of Christine Strnad Walker and composed by John R. Petrone Ph.D. Also, under the direction of Dr. J.D. Goddard, Mozart's Requiem with soloists Joanne Uniatowski, alto, Marian Vogel, soprano, J.R. Fralick, tenor, and Brian Johnson, baritone, and the Chargin Valley Choral Union, the Akron Master Singers and Orchestra. **More information on flyer in vestibule.***

**March 31, 2013**

<b>Easter Offering</b>	<b>5,854.00</b>
<b>Church Maintenance</b>	<b>130.00</b>
<b>Collection for the Holy Land</b>	<b>393.00</b>
<b>Church in Central &amp; Eastern Europe (additional)</b>	<b>2.00</b>
<b>Palm Sunday Breakfast</b>	<b>138.00</b>

*Thank you for your generosity!*