

St. Teresa of Avila Parish

1878 Abbe Road Sheffield Village, Ohio 44054

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

June 18, 2017

*The bread that we break,
is it not a participation
in the body of Christ?*

*Because the loaf
of bread is one,
we, though many,
are one body,
for we all partake
of the one loaf.*

1 CORINTHIANS 10:16-17



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Not by bread alone does one live,
but by every word that comes forth
from the mouth of the LORD.

— Deuteronomy 8:3b

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Weekly Goal \$4,000.00
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*Please keep St. Teresa Parish in mind
when making out your will.*

COLLECTION FOR PETER'S PENCE

Next week, our collection will be for Peter's Pence, which provides Pope Francis with the funds he needs to carry out his charitable works around the world. The proceeds benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters. Please be generous. For more information, visit www.usccb.org/peters-pence.

KEEP THESE PARISHIONERS IN YOUR PRAYERS

Luz Villanueva, Eleanor Rieth
Pat Chozinski, Marty Lima
Gladys Mackert, Maebelle Fill
Gladys Wisnieski, Kathleen Brezinski
Donna Satorius, Judy Bruder
John Smith, Greg Brezinski
Denny Rieth

MONTHLY SPIRITUAL MAXIM

Behold, these are not the times to believe everyone; believe only those who you see are walking in conformity with Christ's life...Believe firmly what Holy Mother Church holds, and you can be sure you will be walking along a good path..

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ANOINTING OF THE SICK

For those advanced in age, sick, or undergoing surgery. Administered upon request. Contact the Rectory.

MOTHER CABRINI FOOD PANTRY - VOLUNTEERS

Adults and teens interested in helping can meet at St. Frances Cabrini Church, Lorain in the brick building at the rear of the parking lot. The food pantry is open **the 2nd, 3rd and 4th Saturdays of each month from 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.** *Many thanks to all those who support this ministry financially and with their time!*

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, June 17

4:30 p.m. +Marty Broska by Ray & Cathy

Sunday, June 18 THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

8:30 a.m. People of St. Teresa Parish

11:00 a.m. living & deceased Fathers of St. Teresa Parish

Monday, June 19 St. Romuald

NO MASS

Tuesday, June 20

NO MASS

Wednesday, June 21 St. Aloysius Gonzaga

8:30 a.m. deceased of the Peters family

Thursday, June 22 St. Paulinus of Nola, St. John Fisher & St. Thomas More

NO MASS

Friday, June 23 THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS

8:30 a.m. +Jerry Hechko by Bruce & Sue

Saturday, June 24 THE NATIVITY OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

4:30 p.m. +Ted Pienoski by family

Sunday, June 25

8:30 a.m. People of St. Teresa Parish

11:00 a.m. +John P. & +Emily Fabanich by Vickie Klosz



ALTAR & ROSARY SOCIETY NEWS

Our next Altar & Rosary Society Mass will be **Sunday, July 9, 2017 at 8:30 a.m.** The Rosary will be said at 8:00 a.m. prior to Mass.

PLEASE CONTACT AN USHER BEFORE MASS IF YOU NEED COMMUNION BROUGHT TO YOUR PEW.

ST. TERESA OUTDOOR SHRINE - ENGRAVED PAVERS AVAILABLE

There are eleven pavers still available to be engraved with your personal message. The stones are 8 X 7 inches with four lines of text, each with 14 characters. Cost is \$125.00 each. Order forms are in the church office. Call with questions to 934-4227. Need some inspiration for your stone? Visit the outdoor shrine in the yard behind the church - many beautiful messages are already in place.

HOLY SPIRIT, BRING TO US A DESIRE FOR EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta said, "When we look at the cross, we know how much Jesus loved us. **When we look at the tabernacle, we know how much Jesus loves us now**". St. Pope John Paul II says this: "The Church and the world have a great need of Eucharistic worship". Jesus *waits* for us in this sacrament of love. Let us be generous with our time in going to meet Him in adoration. Notice how the Holy Father is asking you to be generous with your time. He is not asking for your money but something much more precious – your time.

CLEVELAND RIGHT TO LIFE IN NEED OF VOLUNTEERS

Our ministry is currently seeking volunteers to help us achieve our life saving mission. If you are looking for a place to give back to God for the abundance of blessings He gives us each day, we ask that you consider signing up so we can continue to provide this service to the community. Located in the historic Old Brooklyn area in Cleveland, our **Treasures for Life Thrift Store** provides reasonably priced gently used or new clothes for all ages as well as small household items for purchase to the public. We need volunteer staff in the following areas: **Warehouse, Front Desk, Cashier, and Volunteer Manager**. Training will be provided. Please call or email Molly at 440-668-4049 or mollyannsmith1@gmail.com

Sacred Heart of Jesus - June 23

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 2 Cor 6:1-10; Ps 98:1, 2b, 3-4; Mt 5:38-42
Tuesday: 2 Cor 8:1-9; Ps 146:2, 5-9a; Mt 5:43-48
Wednesday: 2 Cor 9:6-11; Ps 112:1bc-4, 9; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
Thursday: 2 Cor 11:1-11; Ps 111:1b-4, 7-8; Mt 6:7-15
Friday: Dt 7:6-11; Ps 103:1-4, 6-8, 10; 1 Jn 4:7-16; Mt 11:25-30
Saturday: Is 49:1-6; Ps 139:1-3, 13-15; Acts 13:22-26; Lk 1:57-66, 80
Sunday: Jer 20:10-13; Ps 69:8-10, 14, 17, 33-35; Rom 5:12-15; Mt 10:26-33



Most Sacred
Heart of Jesus

A MESSAGE FROM OUR PASTOR

The feast of Corpus Christi ("Body and Blood of Christ") was established by the Church to remind us how superlative a gift we have in the Holy Eucharist. We can never honor this sacrament enough; but as the sequence for today's Mass urges us, we should try our best to: "Bring Him all the praise you know!"

One way in which we can honor the Eucharistic Christ is to prepare carefully to receive Holy Communion. The primary preparation is, of course, spiritual: we should NEVER, NEVER receive with mortal sins on our souls. That would be to dishonor, not honor, Him.

Two little stories show how we can also be prepared bodily to give Him honorable welcome.

The first story deals with Lucia Santos' first communion. Sister Lucia, one of the three visionaries of Fatima, recalled the joy of her first Holy Communion in her memoirs. Aided by her older sisters, she dressed in her long white First Communion dress, put on her wreath of flowers, and according to Portuguese custom, knelt and asked her parents' blessing. Her mother told her to resolve to become a saint. Then Lucy's bigger brother took up the first communicant in his arms and carried her all the way to church. Why? Not because she was disabled, but because they didn't want even a speck of dust to soil her when she received Jesus.

The second story deals with Pope Pius XII.

Older Catholics will recall that in bygone days when Mass could be offered no later than noon, those who intended to receive communion had to abstain from midnight from all food (including medicine) and all liquid (including even water). It was to give the body a "reverent hunger" for the Bread of Angels.

Times change, however. After World War II evening Masses were permitted. Also, many people in our pain-ridden society needed to take medicine. Consequently, in 1953, Pope Pius XII graciously reduced the Eucharistic fast to three hours, and allowed water and medicines to be taken at any time. Most Catholics welcomed the relaxation. (Pope Paul VI carried it still farther in 1964 when he set the present requirement – only one hour of fasting before receiving.)

What did Pius XII think of the changes he had made to the law? Did he not rejoice as Pope, since the Pope so often had to celebrate long morning Masses that didn't allow him to eat breakfast until 2 p.m.?

Sister Pascalina Lehnert, as the housekeeper of Pope Pius XII, knew his habits well. Three years after his death, Sister Pascalina told an American priest that the Pope had never taken advantage of his own, easier rule. Until his dying day he fasted from midnight before saying Mass. He would not even take water.

We can't repeat the reverence Lucia Santos showed for the Eucharist at her First Communion. But we can at least be sure that we approach the altar clean and modestly dressed.

We don't have to fast from midnight anymore. But we may do so, especially when we are attending a morning Mass. It is still a good way of saying "thank you" to Jesus. It is one response to today's hymn: "Bring Him all the praise you know."

The Reverend Edward J. Smith



PRO-LIFE

"Taking into account these distinctions, in harmony with the Magisterium of my Predecessors and in communion with the Bishops of the Catholic Church, I confirm that euthanasia is a grave violation of the law of God, since it is the deliberate and morally unacceptable killing of a human person. This doctrine is based upon the natural law and upon the written word of God, is transmitted by the Church's Tradition and taught by the ordinary and universal Magisterium." Pope John Paul II - *EVANGELIUM VITAE, March 1995*, To the Bishops, Priests and Deacons, Men and Women religious, Lay Faithful, and all People of Good Will on the Value and Inviolability of Human Life. **Visit www.clevelandrighttolife.org**

LIVING BREAD CATHOLIC RADIO ON AM1060

Listen 24X7 with phone apps or online at livingbreadradio.com.

PROJECT DAWN LORAIN COUNTY - OVERDOSE PREVENTION

Now available for addicts and family members - access to life saving naloxone continues to expand in Ohio! Please note expanded clinic times! **Lorain County General Health District** is now offering kits and education **daily** at their office: 9880 South Murray Ridge Road, Elyria, OH, 8:00am-4:00pm. Appointments Appreciated: (440) 322-6367. Please call for later hours. SOLACE (Surviving Our Loss And Continuing Everyday) Lorain County is a helpful resource; visit www.lorainadas.org/about-solace-lorain-county/.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Eucharistic Adoration	Wed, June 21	9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.	Church
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LET US GIVE THANKS TO THE LORD OUR GOD FOR THOSE AMONG US:

Thank You to Anna Abell for keeping our supply of Malley's candy bars full in the rear of the church. Please stop and buy one - \$1 only! Funds go to the Mother Cabrini Food Pantry in Lorain.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS SERVING OUR COUNTRY

Charles Godles, Christopher Barnhart, Jason Bender, Thomas Daley, Capt. Richard Robinson, Tom Fisher, Anthony Burns, Michael Naughton, Allen Fish, 2nd Lt. Louis Rios, Michael Krivas, Justin Callison, Capt. Shelby Stratton, Grant Bartlett, Sgt. Tyler Corwin, John McGlynn, Cpl. Andrew Edwards
To add names call 934-4227.

PARISH CLUSTER CORNER

St. Thomas the Apostle

www.saintthomaschurch.net

St. Anthony

www.stanthonylorain.org/our-parish/

COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND AND THE ILL

If a parishioner is homebound, ill, or recovering from surgery and would like to have The Holy Eucharist brought to them, please call the church office.

HOSPITAL CALLS

Every hospital has an appointed Catholic Chaplain. Please request his services for a patient. Notify the parish office so that the sick will be remembered in our prayers and Masses.

TELEVISED SUNDAY MASS

Sunday Mass is aired on Channel 8 on Sundays at 6:00 a.m.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

St. Teresa's: Wednesday from 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

St. Anthony's perpetual Adoration Chapel is behind the church.

Around the Town

SOLACE OF LORAIN COUNTY - ADVOCACY FOR FAMILIES COPING WITH SUBSTANCE ABUSE

The next meeting will be **June 28, 2017 from 6 - 8 p.m.** at Vermilion River: Carriage Barn, 51211 N. Ridge Rd., Vermilion. For information call Kathy at 440-823-6177.

THE PERFECT FAMILY FUN DAY THIS SUMMER

The FEST 2017 is less than two months away! Join us on **Sunday, August 6**, and 39,000+ from across our region for a day of faith, family, and fun - all for FREE. Come and hear the best of the best of the national Christian artists, *For King and Country, Laura Story, Matt Maher and Crowder*. The day also includes dynamic activities for all ages, opportunities for prayer and reflection AND our large outdoor Mass, followed by fireworks. We need your help to make this amazing day possible - please consider donating just two hours of your time by volunteering for The FEST. Volunteers get a FREE t-shirt and are essential to making this event possible. Visit www.theFEST.us. It's the highlight of the summer!

FATIMA CENTENNIAL CONFERENCE - JULY 28 - 29, 2017

Takes place at the Embassy Suites Cleveland Rockside, 5800 Rockside Woods Blvd., Ind., Ohio. Registration *deadline is July 15*; discount with early registration by June 1. For details visit www.neofatimaconf.com or call 440-241-5788.

CATHOLIC RENEWAL MINISTRIES' 35TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Join us **July 14th & 15th, 2017** at Magnificat High School in Rocky River. This year's theme is "Fount of Life, Fire of Love". The conference opens on Friday at 7:00 p.m. Guest speakers will be Mark Nimo, Lavinia Spirito, Fr. Bob Franco, Chris and Becky Roach, Dr. Ed Parisi, Abbot Gary Hoover, Dr. Phil Gigliotti, and Fr. Patrick Schultz. Contact Shirley or Tom Fumich at 440-610-6604 for registration information or visit www.crmweb.org. Advance registration postmarked by July 6th is \$30, and at the door \$35. Come experience the healing power and gifts of the Holy Spirit!

ADDICTION AWARENESS WORKSHOP

The Samaritan Ministry of St. Malachi Parish is offering a FREE one-day Addiction Awareness Workshop in St. Malachi Center (behind school), West 25th & Detroit, on **Saturday, June 24, 2017, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.** PB&J sandwiches and beverages will be provided. Donations welcome. Relevant topics will include: addiction/alcoholism as a brain disease; effects of drinking/using on others; treatment options; 12-Step programs of recovery; resources in the community. For information/to register: visit www.stmalachi.org/samaritan-ministry-2017 or contact Judy Stowe at 440-250-9959; judystowe@gmail.com or St. Malachi Rectory at 216-861-5343.

BOXES FROM HOME

The Altar & Rosary Society of St. Vincent de Paul Church sends "Boxes from Home" to deployed soldiers. Do you have a loved one or friend you would like to send a box to? Please call Dorothy at 984-2192 with the soldier's name, rank, branch of service, and the overseas mailing address.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY GOLF OUTING FOR HUNGER RELIEF

Whether you're an avid golfer or just enjoy the great outdoors, join us for the 2nd Annual Outdrive Hunger Golf Outing on **Friday, July 21, 2017** from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at Sleepy Hollow Golf Course, 9445 Brecksville Rd., Brecksville, Ohio. The event will raise money to feed the 13,000 people who turn to our hunger centers for nourishment each month. Tickets are \$125 (individual) and \$500 (foursome). To order tickets or to sponsor, call 216-696-6525 x 2520 or visit www.svdpcle.org.

"TAP INTO JRH" JESUIT RETREAT HOUSE FUNDRAISER

Fun, Conversation & Prizes! **July 12, 2017 from 6 - 9 p.m.** at Nuevo Modern Mexican & Tequila Bar, 1000 E. 9th Street, Cleveland, OH 44114. Tickets \$25 each, sold in advance at www.jrh-cleveland.org.

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Eucharistic Ministers

Sat, June 17
4:30 p.m.

Tom Pienoski
Ann Glime
Mike Palmer
EM Needed

Sun, June 18
8:30 a.m.

Marty Yonkof
Carol Yonkof
Sue DiVaccaro **
Aaron Davis

Sun, June 18
11:00 a.m.

Marci Matsamas
Debbie Brady
Elmer Klingshirn
Fred Courtright

Sat, June 24
4:30 p.m.

Debbie Korce
John Katricak **
Frances Geiger
Mike Palmer

Sun, June 25
8:30 a.m.

Christi Smail
Bill Bistak **
Jacqueline Summers
Rick Basista

Sun, June 25
11:00 a.m.

Trish MacDonald
Norman Novak
Don Kirchner
Carol Kirchner

Lectors

Sat, June 17
4:30 p.m.

Jean Ackerman

Sun, June 18
8:30 a.m.

Bruce DiVaccaro

Sun, June 18
11:00 a.m.

Tom Parkey

Sat, June 24
4:30 p.m.

Larry Durica

Sun, June 25
8:30 a.m.

Aaron Davis

Sun, June 25
11:00 a.m.

Gene Welsh



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Altar Servers

Sat, June 17
4:30 p.m.

Bill Brock **

Sun, June 18
8:30 a.m.

Cara Smail
Adam Smail

Sun, June 18
11:00 a.m.

Beth Parkey

Sat, June 24
4:30 p.m.

Ray Fitzwater

Sun, June 25
8:30 a.m.

Cara Smail

Sun, June 25
11:00 a.m.

Victoria Korce