



St. Mary Catholic Church

(A Member of the St. John Neumann Deanery)

October 17 & 18, 2020

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Thursday, Oct. 22 – 9:00 am
Mary Baptista / Sheryl Woolsey

Friday, Oct. 23 – 9:00 am
Pat Grady / Mary Fortino

Saturday, Oct. 24 – 4:00 pm
Pat Grady / Barb Boyer
Barbara Prosowski / John Krol

Sacristan: Diana Griffin
Lector: Paul Hartenstein
Ushers: Penny & John McClafin
Euch. Min.: Fr. Ron

Sunday, Oct. 25 – 11:00 AM
Pat Grady / Dick & Janet Todd

Sacristan: Terri Petz
Lector: Jeff Whitacre
Ushers: Kelly & Dan Sayler
Euch. Min.: Fr. Ron

Money Counters for Oct. 25:
Val Sabo & Nora Bartlett

Church Cleaners for Nov 2:
Val Sabo & Nora Bartlett

Ministers Needed: for Nov 4, 7 pm

Memorial for All Souls

Call the office if you can help

Bulletin Deadline: Please have any announcements for the parish bulletin to Sr. Joyce by **Tuesday noon.**

Saturday, Oct. 17
3:30 pm Confessions
4:00 pm Mass

Sunday, Oct. 18
9:30-10:45 PSR &
Sun. Morning
Discussions
11:00 am Mass

Monday, Oct. 19

Tuesday, Oct. 20

Wednesday, Oct. 21
7:00 pm Evening
Prayer (Church)

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9:00 am Mass

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10/19 Monday Eph. 2:1-10; Lk. 12:13-21
Sts. John de Brebeuf & Isaac Jogues

10/20 Tuesday Eph. 2:12-22; Lk. 12:35-38

10/21 Wednesday Eph. 3:2-12; Lk. 12:39-48

10/22 Thursday Eph. 3:14-21; Lk. 12:49-53
St. John Paul II

10/23 Friday Eph. 4:1-6; Lk. 12:54-59

10/24 Saturday Eph. 4:7-16; Lk. 13:1-9

10/25 Sunday—30th Sun. in Ordinary Time
Ex. 22:20-26; 1 Thes. 1:5c-10; Mt. 22:34-40

Our Parish Mission Statement:

Gathered as a family of faith in Christ Jesus, strengthened by His Word and Sacraments, we will set a living example of our faith by:

“Seeking Christ in all we meet

“Giving of our time, talent and treasure

“Supporting and strengthening our community and Sharing our Faith

Dear Parish Family,

This weekend our Holy Father invites us to support our brothers and sisters in mission dioceses around the world located in underdeveloped countries. How well this theme fits with the new Encyclical Letter by Pope Francis called Fratelli tutti: we belong to a human fraternity, based on the Gospel of Love.

I personally can find it hard to get in touch with my brothers and sisters in countries such as Africa. And yet I am very much aware of how the Catholic Church is flourishing there. In fact my Sisters of Notre Dame Community has many novices and professed sisters who are nationals of Kenya, Uganda and Tanzania. Pope Francis defines "Mission" as "a free and conscious response to God's call." He continues: "We discern this call only when we have a personal relationship of love with Jesus present in his Church. Let us ask ourselves: are we prepared to welcome the presence of the Holy Spirit in our lives, to listen to the call to mission, ... in all the everyday events of life? Are we willing to be sent forth at any time or place to witness to our faith in God the merciful Father...to share the divine life of the Holy Spirit by building up the Church?...The celebration of World Mission Day is also an occasion for reaffirming how prayer, reflection and the material help of your offerings are so many opportunities to participate actively in the mission of Jesus in his Church."

Your charitable donation helps to meet the spiritual and material needs of our brothers and sisters throughout the world. Recognizing that many of you are suffering financially due to the Covid crisis, I simply encourage you to ask the Lord for guidance and give as you are able.

Your sister in Christ - Sr. Joyce

This month, we are FASTING for **holy Families** as part of the Diocese of Toledo faith initiative.

A virtue is a habitual and firm disposition to do the good. Mary and Joseph would have taught the Christ Child how to pray and act. In the home, he learned generosity and kindness. The home of Nazareth reminds us that families have the responsibility of teaching their children the Faith and to model the virtues. How can you model the virtues in a deeper way in your home?



Special thanks to Rita Daniel for sharing her flowers for church this summer and fall.

World Mission

Sunday — Oct. 17/18

This weekend, we celebrate World Mission Sunday. Pope Francis invites the entire Church to support mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Europe and the Americas, where priests, religious and lay leaders serve the world's most vulnerable communities. Please keep the Pope's missions in your prayers, and be generous in next week's collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith.

	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>
Last week	\$2,011.00	\$1,584.00
Electronic		\$560.00
MTD Oct	\$4,022.00	\$5,121.00
FYTD	\$30,165.00	\$29,711.26

SAVE THE DATE: Weds., Oct. 28

Information Session from Diocesan Representative on **PASTORAL COUNCIL**

6:30 pm in Parish Hall



HAPPY BIRTHDAY
this week
to:

Constance Karney,
Clay Robson,
Lauren Markus,
Dominic Nolan,
and Austin Zuk

Sunday Morning Discussions

9:30-10:45 am



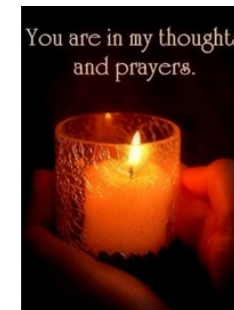
Beginning Oct. 18, the group will begin viewing "The Wild Goose" from FORMED.

Segment 1 - "God's Love Poured Out"
Segment 2 - "Breath of God"

Each segment invites participants to discover a deeper relationship with the **Holy Spirit**. No worries about missing the weekly topic, it is available at your convenience from the FORMED.org website.

All are welcome to join the discussion held at same time as PSR classes. Meet in the meeting room (southeast corner of the hall).

Marty Tansey will facilitate the group.



Please remember the repose of the soul of Donna Cunningham Zedaker who died on Oct. 4

Please pray for the SICK of our parish and for those who mourn the loss of a love one.

To place a person on our parish **Prayer-Line**, please call or email Sandie Pecora at: 440-839-2623 or sandiep5@frontier.com