

**LITURGIES FOR THE WEEK**

**Saturday, May 22**

4:30 p.m. – St. Mary – John McFadden, Sr.;  
Helen, Bill, Tom & Jim Daugherty

**Sunday, May 23**

8:30 a.m. St. Mary – Ken Bauer (1<sup>st</sup> Anniv.)  
10:30 a.m. St. Anthony – Bob (1<sup>st</sup> Anniv.) and Ellie Schwable;  
Howard Fulton; Neill & Jo-Jo Charville

**Monday, May 24**

9:00 a.m. St. Mary – Simon & Corinne Spilker

**Tuesday, May 25**

9:15 a.m. St. Mary – Dec'd Members of the Luizzo Family

**Wednesday, May 26**

9:00 a.m. St. Anthony – Intention of the Celebrant, Fr. Eric

**Thursday, May 27**

NO MASS

**Friday, May 28**

9:00 a.m. St. Anthony – Florence Young (30 days after her death)

**Saturday, May 29**

4:30 p.m. St. Mary – Donald Genovesi

**Sunday, May 30**

8:30 a.m. St. Mary – Clinton & Mary McLaughlin  
10:30 a.m. St. Anthony – Pat (1<sup>st</sup> Anniv.) & Dr. John Mellen;  
Delphine Fox (1<sup>st</sup> Anniv.); Darlene Schaeffer

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

**Monday, Weekday**

(347) 1 Ptr. 1:3-9; Mk. 10:17-27

**Tuesday, Weekday**

(348) 1 Ptr. 1:10-16; Mk. 10:28-31

**Wednesday, St. Philip Neri (Memorial)**

(349) 1 Ptr. 1:18-25; Mk. 10:32-45

**Thursday, Weekday**

(350) 1 Ptr. 2:2-5, 9-12; Mk. 10:46-52

**Friday, Weekday**

(351) 1 Ptr. 4:7-13; Mk. 11:11-26

**Saturday, Weekday**

(352) Jude 17, 20b-25; Mk. 11:27-33

**Most Holy Trinity**

Prov. 8:22-31 (166C); Rom. 5:1-5; Jn. 16:12-15



Dear Parishioners:

Memorial Day is fast approaching. Let me remind everyone that mass on Memorial Day will be at St. Anthony's Cemetery at 9:00am weather permitting. If it is raining mass will be held at St. Anthony's church.

I would like to say a word of thanks to all of our liturgical ministers who, through their ministry, add a great deal to our weekly celebrations. I know that at times this can be a sacrifice for families to make their commitments. Yet your involvement in the liturgy is important. When we have a number of ministers missing, whether it is servers, Eucharistic ministers, ushers, lectors or commentators, we have to scurry at the last minute to find replacements. I know that there are some circumstances that cannot be avoided. Those are certainly understandable. But please realize how important you are to the celebration of the mass.

We are very fortunate that people in the congregation come up to fill in when we are short. It happened a few weeks ago that all the servers did not show up for mass. Now this does not sound like a big deal yet the servers are most important to the celebration of the mass. We had a few adults at mass who came up to serve.

If you are at mass and see that we are short in any ministry please come forward. It really doesn't matter if you are from St. Mary's or St. Anthony's just come and offer your services. One of the best things we have going for us is a very good coming together of both parishes. For this I am thankful. Even though there are differences in the way things are done in our parishes the ministries are basically the same. I want to thank all of you for your time and your service.

One of my pet peeves is individuals coming to mass late and leaving early. I know this is a problem that many parishes experience but it does need to be addressed. First of all there are valid reasons for people coming late and maybe even leaving early. For many though this is a habitual practice. I see it on a weekly basis. For the most part it is the same individuals. Remember what we do when we gather as a community of faith: we worship the Lord. We gather not for our own purposes but because we have been invited by the Lord Himself. We should accept this invitation not on our own terms but on His. His demands on us are very minimal in regards to all He does for us. He asks of us one hour a week. This hour is not to please the pastor or the rest of the gathered congregation, but to please the Lord. Please give this some serious thought. The Lord is the reason we come together. An hour is not too much to ask. Think about how blessed you are and what you can give back to the Lord. God bless.

Father Speier



**Happy 35th  
Anniversary  
Father Speier**

**CONGRATULATIONS TO FATHER SPEIER ON HIS  
35<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY (Monday, May 24<sup>th</sup>), OF HIS  
ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD! We are  
blessed to have you here with us! We pray that God  
continues to bless you and your ministry!**



**REMEMBER TO PRAY FOR ALL OUR MEN AND  
WOMEN SERVING IN THE MILITARY, AND THEIR FAMILIES.**

PENTECOST SUNDAY

# ST. ANTHONY PARISH NEWS...



**ST. ANTHONY PRAYER CHAIN CONTACTS ARE:**

Kathy Cumston @ 419-499-2106; Judy Didelot @ 419-499-2192 or Linda Salmons @ 419-588-2601. The St. Anthony and St. Mary E-mail prayer chain contact is Jeri Miller at [jmiller41@neo.rr.com](mailto:jmiller41@neo.rr.com)

**WEEKEND COLLECTIONS, ST. ANTHONY**

<b>May 16<sup>th</sup></b>	(\$151.21 loose)	\$2,781.21
Monthly Extra		20.00
Maintenance		145.00

**THANK YOU!**

**OUR PRAYERS GO OUT TO THOSE IN NEED:** Don Beckman; Lisa Long; Holly Sneider; Marie Hohler; Earl Pederson; Mary Ellen Haeuptle; Kathy Steinmetz; Zachary McKee; Gloria Vaughn; Theresa Baptista; Paul Kirk; Carolyn Watson, Greg Ogle; Doug Lillibridge, Andrew Metz, Chris & Patrick Yovanav, Renee Brown, Dee Tomaszewski, Patty Smith, Barbara Dennis, Veronica Hemchack, Pat Herb, Jon Ott, Phyllis Sanders, Mary Schultz, Dorothy Silcox. May they feel the healing presence of God's love.

**ST. ANTHONY MAY 30<sup>th</sup>**

- ~**SERVERS:** Paul Woronecki; Charlie Gies; Dalton Burns
- ~**USHERS:** Bill Muthig; Dave Kuhl
- ~**COMMENTATORS:** (C) Christine Harper (L) Karen Kuhl
- ~**EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:** Kyle Cory; Cheryl Reinbolt; Peggy Kuhl; Christine Harper; Rita Thayer; Mary Lou Johaneck
- ~ **SACRISTAN for May:** Amy & Rich Shafer
- ~ **FINANCE MINISTRY for May 30<sup>th</sup>:** Barb Lang; Margo Woronecki

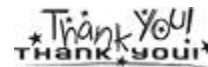
~**ST. ANTHONY 200 CLUB WINNERS for May 17<sup>th</sup>:** \$50.00: Monroeville K of C; \$25.00: Rita Fulton; \$25.00: Susan Hohzer.

**V.B.S. NEWS!!** Join us for Vacation Bible School!! June 14 – 18. Bible Stories, Crafts, skits, games and songs. Lots of fun coming your way. Confirmation students this is a great way to get a “jump start” on your service hours. Anyone interested in helping please contact Linda Salmons or Heather Gill for more information. A box will be in the breezeway for contributions for craft supplies.

**DONATIONS: St. Anthony's Eagle Scout Project** Nate Shafer, a member of Milan Troop 214 and St. Anthony's Parish, is currently working toward his Eagle Scout rank. His approved Eagle Project is a new “Audio/Video Resource Library” for St. Anthony's Parish, which the St. John Neumann Deanery can also access. He is currently asking for donations to fund his project which will be housed in the PSR office in the parish hall. The new Resource Library will contain material for sacramental preparation, R.C.I.A. program, Confirmation program, Christian Formation and Christian family based material, which will be inventoried and cataloged. These materials along with shelving, tables, electronics, and supplies will total \$1,492.00. Donations to Nate's project are being collected by Linda Salmons and being placed in a special account for Nate to access. Donations can also be placed in the collection basket and marked “Eagle Project”. On behalf of Nate Shafer, Thank You!

**R.C.I.A. INQUIRY...** If you are searching, and trying to find God, or have a friend, neighbor, spouse, who has asked questions about the Catholic faith, **invite them to join the inquiry process, it is available when you are and simply begins with you asking questions.** For more information please contact: The parish office or Linda Salmons @ 419-366-7778

**Keep Bringing your IGA Receipts!!** A box is in the vestibule for you to place them in. This is a great way to help defray some of the cost for PSR. We are very thankful to Schild's for their continued support of our PSR program.



**SPECIAL THANK YOU!!** So many tasks get taken care of thanks to so many who volunteer their time and talents. Have you noticed how nice the landscaping looks around the church, hall and rectory? Thank you Nancy Caskey, Dan Moyer, Dave Moyer and Jack Schaeffer. New bushes have been planted, mulch added and a fresh “new look”. Your hard work is sincerely appreciated.



**CHICKEN BY JERRY...Monday, May 31<sup>st</sup> @ Milan Presbyterian Church,** 17 E. Church Street. Serving from 11:00 a.m. until???. Chicken runs out. Half of chicken dinner which includes Cole slaw, baked beans rolls, butter and lots of choices of homemade desserts. Cost: \$8.00 (will be a special price for kids not sure what yet) Carry -out available. Sponsored by the American Legion, Milan.

**V.B.S. News:** Next Meeting is Tuesday, May 25, 5:30 p.m. @ St. Anthony's social hall. At this time we will make some of our decorations. Incoming CONFIRMATION STUDENTS, this is a great way to get some of your service hours in.

# ST. MARY PARISH NEWS...



**ST. MARY PRAYER CHAIN CONTACTS ARE:** Lyle & Suzanne Fisher @ 419-706-2733; Mary Ann Fritz 419-668-0820 and Bob & Patricia Seitz @ 419-668-2190. The St. Mary and St. Anthony e-mail prayer chain contact is Jeri Miller at [jmiller41@neo.rr.com](mailto:jmiller41@neo.rr.com)

## WEEKEND COLLECTIONS, ST. MARY Collection Report for week ending 05/16/2010

85 Envelopes	\$3,487.00
Loose	297.00
Children	1.00
Budgeted Amount	\$4, 875.00
Year to date budgeted (Week 46)	\$219,250.00
Year to date Actual	\$201,059.92
Over (Under) Budget for the Year	(\$18,190.08)

~**ST. MARY SERVER'S SCHEDULE for May 29<sup>th</sup> @ 4:30 p.m.:** Nick, Matt & Chris Doughty. **May 30<sup>th</sup> @ 8:30 a.m.:** Nathan Pylant; Zoe Rospert; Tyler Smith

~**ST. MARY USHER'S SCHEDULE: May 29<sup>th</sup> @ 4:30 p.m.:** John & Carla Zika. **May 30<sup>th</sup> @ 8:30 a.m.:** Paul & Eric Hinckley.

~**ST. MARY EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: May 29<sup>th</sup> @ 4:30 p.m.:** Sr. Mary Agnes; Penny & Chris Stang; Bonnie & Butch Shelley; Charles Smith; Sandy Hall. **May 30<sup>th</sup> @ 10:30 a.m.:** Deb Lucal; Ken Hillman; Ron & Jeri Miller; Cindy Smith; Sue Sturn; Sylvia Manders.

### **ATTENTION: LECTORS AND EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

The next schedule for 10:30 am Sunday Mass for July, August and September will be coming out soon. Please tell Sandy Hall by June 8th if your will be gone, or do not wish to be scheduled for certain dates (419-668-5807)

**LECTORS, EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS AND ALTAR SERVERS.....Please remember it is your responsibility to get a substitute if you are unable to fulfill your weekend Ministry.**

**GODPARENTS DAY, SUNDAY, JUNE 6<sup>TH</sup>:** Godparents Day - Godparents should make a special effort to contact their godchildren about spiritual matters. Godchildren should also contact their Godparents. On this special day, encourage your godchildren and godparents to frequent the sacraments, give them a rosary, scapular, or a good spiritual book. If they are deceased, release their soul from purgatory by extending to them a plenary indulgence, which can be obtained by going to confession, receiving communion, praying for the intentions of the Pope, and reading scripture for 1/2 hour.

**Coming Soon! SonQuest Rainforest Vacation Bible School 2010!** Registration is underway for children ages 4 through 4th grade who wish to attend the 9th Annual St. Mary/St. Paul Vacation Bible School. VBS is held Monday through Friday at the St. Mary Church Campus, 77 State St. in Norwalk, from 9 a.m. until noon during the week of June 14-18. Registration forms have been distributed. Extra forms are available near the church doors. **REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS TUESDAY, JUNE 1, 2010!** Contact Katie Barney for more info at 567-424-6053.

**THE HELPERS OF GOD'S PRECIOUS INFANTS** invite everyone to a Prayer Vigil for Life on Thursday, June 3, 2010. Mass will be celebrated at Rosary Cathedral at 6 pm followed by exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and a rosary pilgrimage from the parking lot of the Ashland Baptist Church to the Center for Choice Abortion Clinic. The group will then return to the Cathedral for Benediction and refreshments. Bring a friend and join us as we pray not only for the unborn babies but for everyone involved with abortion! For more information contact Mary at 419-878-0486.

**Please join the Little Sisters of the Poor for Theology with Toast** on Wednesday, June 9th at 10:00 am at the Sacred Heart Home, 930 S Wynn Road in Oregon. This month, Ann Barrick will present "Abortion: the American Holocaust". Registration with rolls and coffee begins at 9:30 am. Theology on Toast is offered by the Little Sisters on the second Wednesday of every month. For more information, please call Alice 419-698-0405 or Ruth 419-691-9723.



**THE FIRST CARILLON CONCERT OF 2010** is **this Sunday, May 30<sup>th</sup> at 3:00 p.m.** Please bring a chair, sit on the lawn or enjoy the music of the bells from the comfort of your car. The concert is free, open to the public and will last 30 minutes.

### **ANNUAL HOMESCHOOLING MASS WITH BISHOP BLAIR**

Bishop Blair has once again kindly offered to pray a Mass for Catholic home schooling families and friends on June 2 at 7pm at Holy Rosary Cathedral in Toledo. All Catholic home schooling families are encouraged to attend!! If you have an eighth grader or a high school senior who is graduating this spring and would like to participate in the ceremony after the Mass, please email Lisa-Ann Brickner ([oyc81@yahoo.com](mailto:oyc81@yahoo.com)) by May 26 so she can place your child's name in the program. There will be a reception after to which all are invited. Attending families are asked to bring finger-food desserts. **Let's fill the Cathedral with support for home schooling!!**

**THE FOLLOWING ARE SUMMER MASS TIMES FOR ST. JOSEPH MONROEVILLE & ST. ALPHONSUS PERU CHURCH:** Saturday – 7 p.m. at St. Alphonsus; Sunday – 8 a.m. at St. Joseph; 9:30 a.m. at St. Alphonsus. These new mass times will begin June 5 and run until Labor Day.



SCHOOL NEWS

**SHOP News:** Quiznos is now available in a \$10 denomination with a 10% profit. **Gap/Old Navy** is offering a 3% bonus through May 28<sup>th</sup>. **Best Western** is offering a 2% bonus through May 28<sup>th</sup>. **Ruth's Chris** is offering a 1% bonus through May 28<sup>th</sup>. **Fashion Bug** is offering a 2% bonus through June 4<sup>th</sup>. **JC Penney** is offering a 1% bonus through June 11<sup>th</sup>. **LL Bean** is offering a 2% bonus through June 11<sup>th</sup>. **Bed and Breakfast.com** is offering a 5% bonus through June 25<sup>th</sup>. **The week of May 24<sup>th</sup> will be the last regular SHOP week of the school year.** Make sure to buy cards for Grads and Dads! Did you know that SHOP families earned over \$2500 combined towards their accounts last week? Contact Sarah Anderson (419) 660-9854 or [Norwalkmom@hotmail.com](mailto:Norwalkmom@hotmail.com) to learn more about [shopwithscrip.com](http://shopwithscrip.com) and online ordering.

GRADUATIONS

**May 28<sup>th</sup>**—Kindergarten graduation will be held at St. Mary's Church with Mass at 9:00 am followed by the conferring of diplomas and a reception in Reynolds Hall. All are welcome to attend.  
**June 1<sup>st</sup>**—6<sup>th</sup> grade graduation for students at Norwalk Catholic Elementary. Graduation Mass is scheduled for 5 PM in St. Paul church with a pot luck dinner following in the Gathering Space.  
**May 30<sup>th</sup>**—St. Paul High Graduation

**Correction:** We are pleased to announce that Mrs. Tokarsky will be teaching second grade next school year.

**NCS Openings** Norwalk Catholic School is hiring a full time **Fourth Grade teacher** for the 2010-2011 school year. The applicants must have experience, correct licensure and provide the required BCI and FBI background check. If interested, please send resume and completed job application (available on-line) to Mr. Chris Baker, Business Office, Norwalk Catholic School, 93 East Main St., Norwalk, Ohio 44857. Applications and resumes accepted through June 1st. Check our website for additional NCS openings.

***Friends for the Future Annual Campaign...***As our school year comes to a close, we are very grateful for the support of our many friends. We accomplish our mission because of the dedication, generosity, and commitment of our many "Friends for the Future". Thank you. God Bless.

**Blood Drive in Honor of  
Joey Jordan (NCS ECC Student)  
Tuesday, May 25, 2010  
1pm-6pm  
American Legion Post 41  
1544 US Highway 20 West, Norwalk**