

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

JUNE 18, 2017

Monday	June 19	8:30 a.m.	
Tuesday	June 20	8:30 a.m.	
Wednesday	June 21	8:30 a.m.	
		9:30 a.m.	Mass ~O'Brien Nursing Home
Thursday	June 22	8:30 a.m.	
Friday	June 23	8:30 a.m.	Rosary ~ Prayer Service ~ Communion
Saturday	June 24	4:30 p.m.	Ann Bosheff ~ Patti Bartolo
Sunday	June 25	10:00 a.m.	George Valent ~ Family



Today we celebrate the Solemn Feast of Corpus Christi. This Eucharistic day, observed around the world, began in a quiet Belgian convent in the 13th century. A holy nun, now known as St. Juliana, observed the moon full and bright. It was glorious except that one part of the moon was in a shadow. The meaning of what she was observing was revealed to her: the moon represented the liturgical year; the shadow represented a missing feast in honor of the Blessed Sacrament. Within thirty-five years, Pope Urban IV had established the Feast of Corpus Christi, the Body of Christ, in the Church's universal calendar. Hundreds of years later in 1849, Pope Pius IX added the Feast of the Precious Blood celebrated on July 1. Following the Second Vatican Council, the two feasts were merged into one and placed just past the post-Resurrection season of Easter. This is one of the most Catholic of days, as our expression of our faith in the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist is celebrated. We come together in all our diversity as we celebrate our unity.

Thanks to all those who cooked, worked and supported our first-ever Hungarian Paprikash Dinner last Saturday. Not offering this dinner in the past, it is always hard to predict what kind of response we will get. Now we have a better idea... we sold out at 187 dinners! A special thanks to all those who spent two days in the kitchen preparing the food. We cleared \$1,575.00. The proceeds from every Second Saturday Supper go to help pay on the debt of the new church.

Thanks to our Women's Guild for cooking the Men's Appreciation Brunch last Sunday. We had 76 men come over for some great food. Today, being *Father's Day*, a special remembrance to all Dads, Grandfathers, Godfathers, Great Grandfathers, both living and deceased. Thanks for all your sacrifices made for your family!

Welcome visitors! We would love to have you join our parish family! Since we are coming up on our 1st Anniversary in the new church, 47 new families have joined us! **Our welcome/information table** is set up in the gathering space. There are new parishioner packets available, and a booklet of all our organizations and groups in the parish and how to contact them is also available. Stop by on your way out of church and sign our guest book!

A start-up committee for a Senior's Group met on May 12 and would like to know how many men and women would be interested in joining. If so, please fill out the form found in today's bulletin and return it. We are open to hear your ideas on naming our senior's group. The next meeting will be held on Wednesday evening, June 21 at 7:00 p.m. in the hall.

Our Parish Hall is now available to rent. A copy of the Hall Rental Agreement Form is available on the information table located in the gathering space. All rentals will need to schedule around events in the parish. Also, all renters will need to sign a 'Hold Harmless' agreement. Debbie Walker and Bob Rose are handling the scheduling of events.

Just to let you know... Beginning July 1, we will need to raise our fee from \$3 to \$4 for candles that are lit at the shrines and in the St. Bernadette Chapel. At one point, the company would offer us credit for the return of the glass holders. They also would credit us for any beeswax that was not used from burned candles at the altar. They no longer do either. In the past, we received free shipping on orders of 30 boxes or more. We no longer get free shipping. It has been approximately 15 years since we raised the price from \$2 to \$3. I hope you can understand why we need to raise the price.

The Society of St. Vincent DePaul will sponsor a "Fourth of July Meat Raffle." Grand Prize is a meat package valued at \$379.00 Package includes beef, pork, and chicken. To purchase your \$2 ticket (3 for \$5), call 330-774-2398. All proceeds will go to the Trumbull County St. Vincent DePaul dining hall.

JFK School News... Enrollment is now open for grades Pk-12. Call today to learn more about so many opportunities available for your children. 330-369-1804. warrenjfk.com

The popular game show "Catholic Challenge" begins at 12:00 p.m. on the Living Bread Radio Network. It will feature teenagers from all across Northeast Ohio who will test their knowledge of the Catholic faith, and win money for their favorite organization. Listen live on the radio at 1060 AM, 89.5 FM, or 94.5 FM.

TGIF Registration for 2017-2018 - Registration forms were given out at TGIF. If you were unable to attend you may pick up Registration forms in the back of church. **Registration forms are due by July 7th.** T.G.I.F. (Together Growing in Faith) will return in September. Any Questions about the program please call Religious Education office 330 - 394 - 2361 or 330-394-2461.

CLOW (Children's Liturgy of the Word) - Thank you to all the adults who helped make this program possible. Also, anyone who helped in any way to make this a wonderful faith filled year; God bless! If anyone is available to do C.L.O.W. during Mass Saturday at 4:30 pm or Sunday at 10:00 am, please contact the Rectory 330 394 -2361 or 330 - 394 - 2461.


Confirmation and First Communion pictures are available for pick up in the Rectory Monday - Thursday from 9:00 a.m. until 3:00 pm. If you have any questions please call 330 - 394-2461.




Lap Robes and Shawls are crocheted and/or knitted by the Ladies of the Prayer Shawl Ministry. Please take one for yourself or for a person who may need a little comfort. They are on a table in the gathering space of the church.

A limited number of Relay for Life Cookbooks are still available at \$10 each. If you are interested in buying a cookbook, call Florence Gordon at 330-772-0373 or contact any team member. The cookbooks will not be reordered. As they say at Ollie's, "when they are gone, they are gone".

Knights of Columbus News - The third degree K of C will meet on July 3, 2017 at the regular time. **There will be no meeting on July 4, 2017.** Congratulations to Joe Hayes, who won \$750.00 in the Knights Reverse Raffle! This is the first time in many years that we have had a local winner!



Please remember in prayer,
Mary Ann DePascale.
May she rest in peace.



JUNE 11, 2017

Sunday	\$4578.50	177 Envelopes
Church at Home	40.00	5 Envelopes
Father's Day Flowers	258.50	15 Envelopes

Electronic giving for June - \$1615.60

Sign up for electronic giving at
theapostlethomas.com

The start-up committee for the Senior's Group would like to know how many men and women of our parish are interested in joining. If so, please fill out the form below and return it in the weekend collection basket.

Senior's Group

Name _____

Phone Number _____



Our next bus trip will on July 17, 2017!
We will be going to the Rivers Casino.
Phone number and more information
will be in next week's bulletin.