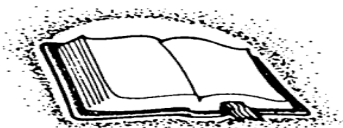


Scripture Readings

**Seventeenth Sunday In Ordinary Time
Of Personal Concern . . .**



Mon: Jerem 13:1-11
7/26 Daniel 32:18-21
 Matthew 13:31-35

Tue: Jerem 14:17-22
7/27 Psalms 79:8-9,11,13
 Matthew 13:36-43

Wed: Jerem. 15:10,16-21
7/28 Psalms 59:2-4,10-11,17-18
 Matthew 13:44-46

Thu: Jerem. 18:1-6
7/29 Psalms 146:1b-6b
 John 11:19-27

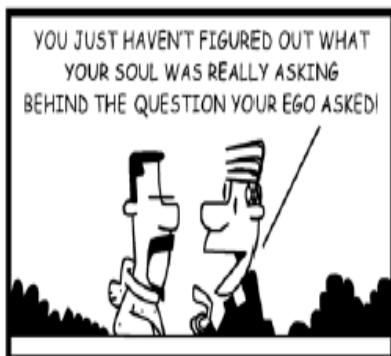
Fri: Jerem. 26:1-9
7/30 Psalms 69:5,8-10,14
 Matthew 13:54-58

Sat: Jerem. 26:11-16,24
7/31 Psalms 69:15-16,30-34
 Matthew 14:1-12

Sun: Eccles 1:2;2:21-23
8/1 Psalms 90:3-6,12-14,17
 Coloss. 3:1-5,9-11
 Luke 12:13-21

Insight from Fr. Flood

17TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Family Perspective - Loving parents don't give children everything they request. We strive to provide what they need. This is the lesson of today's gospel. As our children trust us, so we must trust Our Father. Just as trust gives security to our children, so our trust in God, Our Father, will give security to us as well.

In Sympathy - Our loving prayers and deepest sympathy are extended to the families of **Donald Erney, Bernice Cecil, and Gladys Shippel** who were called to their eternal rest this past week. Please pray for them and all our departed friends and relatives.

Welcome to **Bentley James Carroll, Dalton Anthony Catri** and **Logan Christopher Catri** who were baptized here at St. Mary's last weekend.

Banns I - Alaina Schirg and Jeremy Blakely
Banns III- Kelly Lynn Jordan and Robert Michael Majer

Religious Education News:

- **Kids for Christ Vacation Bible School** is beginning tomorrow July 26th-30th, 6-8:00PM at St. Mary's Commons and Church grounds. Our theme this year is "Circus of Stars—Spotlight on the Father". Thank you for the many registrations and donations. Volunteers to help with activities and snacks are still welcome. Please pray for all the children and adults involved in this wonderful program.
- **Confirmation Service—8th Graders:** We can use your help with the Kids for Christ VBS. Have fun and gain hours of confirmation service at the same time. Contact Deb Geason at the parish office 419.625.7465 ext 24 or dgeason@stmarysandusky.org.
- **Religious Education Program is in need of a 4th Grade catechist.** If you are able to help please call Deb at 419.625.7465 ext. 24.
- If you have a child entering the 2nd or 8th grade and did not receive a sacramental preparation letter from the parish please call Deb at 419.625.7465 ext. 24.

Daughters of Isabella Open House Weds. Aug. 4th. 6:00PM at Holy Angels gathering space. We are a charitable organization of Catholic women who come together as a sisterhood to uphold the teachings of the Catholic Church. By our faith we are called to serve and uphold the high ideals of life and morals. We invite all women who would be interested in joining our group to attend our annual salad supper. Members, please bring a salad dish to share. For more information contact Pat Baum 419.625.2124.

Natural Family Planning - What do you really know about Natural Family Planning? Modern NFP helps couples in "speaking" the language of love that God planned for our human bodies. Modern NFP is more than 99% effective in postponing pregnancies, with none of the chemicals or cost of contraceptives. Engaged and married couples can find out more about Natural Family Planning and register for classes at locations across the county at www.ccli.org, the website of the Couple to Couple League. Or call local NFP Teaching Couples Roger and Pat Frey 419.433.6352 or Paul and Monica Depinet 419.660.0534.

RCIA is seeking candidates and sponsors for this fall's Faith Formation program which begins Thursday, August 19th in the former Sts. Peter & Paul School. . If you or someone you know is discerning this process, please contact Marty Klupp at 419.626.9351

Shut - In Ministry: If you live near a shut-in who is unable to attend Holy Mass, please consider joining our Parish Eucharistic Ministry to weekly bring to them the Holy Eucharist. God will richly bless you for your service. Please call Paul and Cathy Wiesler 419.625.1008, or Dick Zigmund 419.625.4520 or the Parish Office at 419.625.7465

From Father Dave's desk.....

Jesus had the habit of praying early in the morning in out-of-the-way places. The disciples often would find the Lord Jesus thoroughly absorbed in conversation with His heavenly Father. It fascinated them and frightened them. In today's Gospel, one of the disciples says what all of them were wondering after they again had observed Him praying: "Lord, teach us to pray" (Luke 11:1)



We all will do well to make the same request. *Jesus, teach me how to deal with you, tell me what I should ask of you.* Like the disciples, we often find ourselves in front of God without knowing what to say to Him or how to speak to Him. At every Mass God truly is present in the Eucharist - Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity. Ask Him how to pray. *Humility* is a prerequisite for meaningful conversation with God. Long before we can appreciate how much we depend on our God, we first need to acknowledge and admit our limitations.

The Lord answered his disciple's request with the perfect prayer, the *Our Father*. He spoke every word carefully and intentionally. He taught them how to put all their trust in prayer to their Father God. Our familiarity with the *Our Father* makes the words feel like an old pair of shoes that fit so comfortably we forget we are wearing them. It is a Christian favorite. Pray it often and pray it well.

Whenever we talk to God we are most likely are asking for something. This really should not come as a surprise. After all, we are children of God and children always are in need. For His part, God wants only to spend Himself on us.

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On **Wednesday, July 28, at 4:30 p.m.** our parish parking lot expansion proposal will be decided by the City of Sandusky Planning Commission. This meeting is open to the public.

We need to make our presence known.

The meeting will take place at **City Hall - 222 Meigs Street**. This is the same building where the police station is located, just south of the tennis courts near Battery Park. *An impressive turn out will help the commissioners better understand the importance of our project and strong support it truly has.* One citizen in particular has expressed strong disagreement about what we are doing to develop our property and is lobbying for our proposal to be rejected. I am hoping to fill the 100 seat room. Please plan on joining me at City Hall to make the positive statement about our church and city that we want the commissioners to hear.

Thank you for the kindness you showed to the Little Sisters of the Poor who thoroughly enjoyed their time with us last weekend. I simply delight in visitors joining us for weekend Masses because I know how warmly they will be welcomed by you!

My youngest brother and his wife and two boys right now are in the process of moving from Milwaukee to Cleveland. You may not have known since they chose not to have a television special to announce their decision.

Speaking of my family, I will be on vacation with them all July 30 – August 6. There will be 19 of us under one roof for a week on the shore of Lake Michigan. Candidly, I am unsure for whom you should pray!

FYI: there should *not* be a similar 19 staying in the rectory in my absence. I will leave it to you to keep an eye on you-know-who. Make it a great week.

Fa. Dave

Mass Intentions

Sun., July 25

- 7:30am - Sinwald, Starkloff, Koch Families
Clarence, Louise, Richard &
Thomas Samstag
Elaine Fischer
- 9:30 am - For the Parish
- 11:30am- Mary G. Cheetham
Eschenauer Family
- 5:00 pm - Carl Judy

Mon., July 26

- 8:15 a.m - Richard & John Stanley
- 1:00 pm - Special Memorial Mass for
Thomas William Pierce

Tues., July 27

- 8:15 a.m - Bob & Mary Guendelsberger

Wed., July 28

- 8:15am - Mary Ann Sloan

Thurs., July 29

- 8:15 a.m. - Charles & Margarite Sterner

Fri., July 30

- 8:15 a.m.- Otto & Anna Sterner

Sat., July 31

- 8:15 a.m - Harold Nath
Maribel Brown
- 4:00 pm - Living & Deceased members of
SMCC & SHS Class of 1965
Norman Koelsch
Anne Stimmel

Sun., August 1

- 7:30am - Paul Ohlemacher
Murita & Joe Ott
- 9:30 am - Mr. & Mrs. Harry Jed
Mr. & Mrs. Charles J. Everett
Eric Zimmerman
- 11:30am - Anna Rheinhardt & Ronald
Hermes
Rose & Bill Beverick
Teresa & Andrew McMonigal
- 5:00pm - For the Parish

Confessions 1/2 hour before every Mass.

Stewardship Way of Life

Week of 7/18/2010

Envelopes	458
Weekly -	\$ 16,637.20
Monthly -	\$ 7,263.00
Total Collection	\$ 23,900.20

Team #4 to count on Monday 7/26

Please do not tape or staple your envelopes



Sandusky Life Teen

It is better to be the child of God than king of the whole world. -- St. Aloysius Gonzaga

Tuesday, July 27th: Join in for prayer and faith sharing from 7:00-9:00pm at Holy Angels Church.
Wednesday, July 28th: We will be meeting at Osborn Park from 7-9pm for some summer fun in the sun!

ADULTS: Are you being called to work with our teenagers? Sandusky Life Teen is looking for adults who are over 21 years of age and active Catholics to open their lives up to teenagers. If you are interested in getting involved as a CORE Team member, or hospitality team member please let Brittany know.

Want to receive our Sandusky Life Teen Weekly e-Newsletters or our Mass Blast Text Messages reminding you about Life Teen events? Call Brittany at 419-625-7465.

www.sanduskycentralcatholic.org

SCCS is pleased to welcome two new members to our staff. **Mr. Dave McDowell** is the new elementary school principal and **Mr. Mike Claar** is our new Business Manager.

Dave is a member of Sts. Peter and Paul Parish. He taught English at SCCS during the 2009-2010 school year. He holds a bachelor's degree in Education and a master's degree in Administration. He is licensed as both an elementary principal and supervisor. Dave and his wife, Debbie, live in Erie County and are the proud parents of two children. Christy Beatty, his oldest child, teaches at SCCS in the multiage program.

Dave knows and believes in our students, parents, and the mission of SCCS. He understands the community, its constituents, and has experience working in several area school districts. His teaching experience expands from grades 3 to 8 with a specialization in gifted education. Last year he spearheaded the Power of the Pen Program and the middle school Academic Challenge. Dave will officially begin August 1st and his office will be located in the Jefferson Street building.

Mike is a graduate of SCCS and a member of Holy Angels Parish. He holds a bachelor's degree in Engineering and a master's degree in Business Administration. Mike and his wife, Karen (Kessler) live in Sandusky, and are the proud parents of two successful children who are also SCCS graduates.

Mike knows the school, the community, and has a great deal of experience with several different companies. He plans to utilize that knowledge to create an efficient and productive school environment. The areas of focus for Mike will be Development, Finance, Facilities, and Admissions. Mike officially began on Monday, July 13th and his office is located in the former Guidance Office next to the Finance Office.

Please join us in welcoming Dave and Mike to our school.
Dr. Judy Monaghan, SCCS Superintendent.

Jr. High Athletics - 7th & 8th Girls Volleyball conditioning will start Monday, Aug. 2nd; 9-10:30AM in Multipurpose gym. 7th & 8th Boys Football will begin practice on Monday, Aug. 2nd; 5-6:30PM at Zierolf Field. Boys football practice is mandatory.



**Thanks to our BULLETIN SPONSOR of the week:
VacationLand Federal Credit Union 800-691-9299**

Matt Maher, an internationally known Catholic artist, will be the featured performer at **EXCLAIM!** ... a first-ever major Christian music festival in Toledo. Maher will appear on **Sunday, August 15, 2010** along with other nationally known Christian artists beginning at **1:00 p.m.** The event is sponsored by churches across the Diocese and will be held at the Monsignor Schmit CYO Athletic Complex on S. Holland-Sylvania Road. Inflatables, children's activities, sports tournaments, plus information on Catholic ministries and area businesses will be offered. Food and non-alcoholic beverages will be sold. The day will culminate with an outdoor Mass at 7:00pm featuring priests and music from across the Diocese. Volunteers are also needed.

Visit www.exclaimtoledo.org for more information.



WEEKLY PARISH CALENDAR

www.stmarysandusky.org

SUN July 25	17th Sunday of Ordinary Time		
	9:30 am	Children's Liturgy of the Word (Grades K-2)	Parish Commons
	11:30 am	Children's Liturgy of the Word	Parish Commons
	3:00 pm	Good Shepherd Training	Parish Commons
MON. July 26	9:00 am	Church Cleaning Team #2	Church
	8:00 am	Good Shepherd Training	Commons
	6:00 pm	Kids for Christ VBS	Commons
TUE. July 27	8:00 am	Good Shepherd Training	Commons
	6:00pm	Holy Hour for Life	Church
	6:00 pm	Kids for Christ VBS	Commons
WED July 28	8:00 am	Good Shepherd Training	Commons
	4:00 pm	Community Supper Team - Summer Team	Holy Angels
	6:00 pm	Kids for Christ VBS	Commons
THU July 29	8:00 am	Good Shepherd Training	Commons
	6:00 pm	Kids for Christ VBS	Commons
FRI July 30	No Church Cleaning Team Scheduled		
	6:00 pm	Kids for Christ VBS	Commons
SAT July 31	7:00 am	Men's Bible Study	Lower Room
	1:30pm	Wedding of Kelly Jordan & Bobby Majer	Church

MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEKEND July 31 & Aug. 1

	July 31 4:00 PM	August 1 7:30 AM	August 1, 9:30 AM	August 1 11:30 AM	August 1 5:00 PM
Servers	David Ritzenthaler	Zeb Kromer	Trevor Fitzthum	Armelle DeRiso	Bryanna Bauman
	Matt Ritzenthaler	Abe Kromer	Michael Dorski	Colette DeRiso	Mallory Bauman
	Ayden Opfer		Anthony Lopez	Noelle DeRiso	

Extra Ordinary Ministers of The Eucharist	Linda Smith *	Deacon Bill Burch	Maria Dorski*	Kevin Killingsworth*	Connie Napper
	NOT FILLED	Tom Sloma*	Ron Dorski*	Thomas Biehl*	Kenneth Schmiesing*
	Evelyn Lynn	Teresa Sloma*	John Stookey	Connie Frisch	Kathy Schmiesing*
	Dale Kennedy	Christopher McGuire	Carla Stookey	Annette Sennish	Linda Rudolph
	Ruth Villalon	Rose Stanley	Don Henry	Ed Sennish	John Mavros
	John MacDonald	Paul Stanley	Christopher Henry	Annette Tamburrino	
	Del MacDonald	Patricia Killingsworth	Mark Fitzthum	Jodee Gennari	

Lector	Kathleen Salkind	Helen Sturbaum	Richard Jeffrey	Mary Ann Chimera	Monica Deubel
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Mission Statement

**Inspiring believers to imitate
 Jesus Christ,
 receive the Holy Sacraments,
 and live in the heart of the
 Catholic Faith.**

Other Items of Interest

Annual Summer Festival, Marywood, St. Gaspar's Church, Sunday, **July 25, 11am - 3pm**. Serving home cooked chicken or ribs and ham dinners. Raffles, baked goods, crafts, instant bingo and 50/50.

St. Paul Parish Festival, Norwalk, **July 31**, - 5:30 - 11:00pm ; and **August 1**, 12:00pm - 10:00pm. Food for Everyone and Games for All Ages. \$10,000 Grand Prize - drawing at 9:00pm on Sunday Aug. 1st.

Toledo Catholic Charismatic Conference, October 22-23, 28th Annual Conference will be held at All Saints Catholic Church in Rossford, Ohio. Bishop Blair will give the opening address. Inspirational speakers are Maria Vadia and Bob Valiante. Cost is \$25.00 per person. 419-691-6686 for more info.

Bereavement Action Committee - The Many Faces of Loss workshop will be **August 10, 6:30 PM** Bellevue, Immaculate Conception or **August 14, 6:30 PM**, St. Bernard, New Washington. No fee but registration required. All are welcome. Call Germaine - 800.926.8277 for more info.

The Basilica & National Shrine of Our Lady of Consolation, Carey, Ohio invites you to come and pray during the Novena of Our Lady, **August 6-14** at 8pm (Sunday 2:30pm). Fr. Jude Winkler will be the Novena preacher. Join us on this journey of faith, hope and healing. For more info. Call 419-396-7107 or www.olcshrine.com