Masses for the Week

SATURDAY, October 10

4:30 p.m. Mark, Helen & Joanne Callahan

SUNDAY, October 11—Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reading I: Wis 7: 7-11; Reading II: Heb 4: 12-13

Gospel: Mk 10: 17-30

8:30 a.m. For the People of the Parish 10:30 a.m. John & Pat Kipfstuhl—60th Wedding Anniversary

Scout Mass

Holy Name Society Mass

MONDAY, October 12

Reading I: Rom 1: 1-7; Gospel: Lk 11: 29-32 6:30 p.m. Frank & Jean Jansky

TUESDAY, October 13

Reading I: Rom 1: 16-25; Gospel: Lk 11: 37-41 7:00 a.m. Rudy N. Guzman

WEDNESDAY, October 14—St. Callistus Reading I: Rom 2: 1-11; Gospel: Lk 11: 42-46

THURSDAY, October 15—St. Teresa of Jesus

Reading 1: Rom 3: 21-30; Gospel: Lk 11: 47-54

8:30 a.m. Victor Biltz

FRIDAY, October 16—St. Hedwig, St. Margaret Mary Alacoque

Reading I: Rom 4: 1-8; Gospel: Lk 12: 1-7 8:30 a.m. Biegacki, Kandra & Lavelle Families

SATURDAY, October 17—St. Ignatius of Antioch

Reading I: Rom 4: 13, 16-18; Gospel: Lk 12: 8-12

Vigil Mass

4:30 p.m. Daniel Toth Anointing Mass

SUNDAY, October 18—Twenty-ninth Sunday In Ordinary Time

Reading I: Is 53: 10-11; Reading II: Heb 4: 14-16

Gospel: Mk 10: 35-45

8:30 a.m. For the People of the Parish

10:30 a.m. Richard Balla

Collection-October 3/4

Collection: \$7,166.03* Envelopes Used: 275

PSR: \$15 St. Vincent de Paul: \$171

*figure includes the following:

Restoration: \$173 Parish Use Only: \$1,218

School: \$10 Children: \$28.03

Eucharistic Devotions: \$95

Fuel: \$5

Thank You!

Pray for the Sick of our Parish:

Joshua Stebal, Elizabeth O'Donnell, Don Tews, Laverne Griffiths, Jess B. Palker, Michelle Cozens, Shirley Zwilling, Robert Thomas, Rita Pawloski, Raymond Pavlik, Naomi Conter, Michael Kobie, Keith Thomas, Jeannie Wolfendale, Dori Herout, Evelyn Maruna, Linda Voracek, Dolores DiBaggio, Richard Schultz, Larry Pentek, Robyn Buckley, Joseph Sciko, Sophie Tessmer, John Thomas, Sr. Felicia Mann, John Zenda, Jeff Bucell, Celine Chepeus, Michelle Triska, Laura Anzelec, Diane (Kipfstuhl) Wieland, Chris Lackney

Door to Door Ministry

Volunteers from our Door to Door Ministry will be visiting the following streets this weekend: East 111th Street, East 114th Street, East 115th Street, and East 117th Street.

Charismatic Mass—October 23!

Please check Fr. Dan's column in this bulletin for all the details about the Catholic Renewal Ministries' visit to St. Therese Parish on Friday, October 23.

Congratulations

to

John & Pat Kipfstuhl

who are celebrating their 60th Wedding Anniversary at the 10:30 Mass this weekend!

Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Do you know? The name of the only other person in the liturgical year, other than Jesus and his mother, whose birth and death are both honored?

Answer below.

Peace & Justice Gem

If the only prayer you said in your whole life was, "Thank you," that would suffice.

Meister Eckhart, 14th-century Dominican mystic

Pumpkin Carving Workshop Hosted by YOUTH412

Learn tips and tricks for carving beautiful jack-o-lanterns, from a Master Carver, while enjoying light refreshments on Sunday, October 25, from 3-6 p.m. in St. Therese church hall. Your creation will go home with you. Opt to bring your own pumpkin or purchase one from youth group for a small fee. All other supplies will be provided. This workshop is open to youth, teens, adults and Registration with payment is required by Wednesday, October 21. Forms are available on our website saintmonicachurch.net (click on YOUTH412). The cost is \$5 per person if you bring a pumpkin or \$10 per person if you purchase a pumpkin from us. The required pumpkin size and other details are included on the registration form. Questions? Call the youth ministry office at 216-662-8685.

Holy Hour for Vocations

The Holy Spirit Guild is sponsoring a holy hour for vocations on Sunday, October 11, at 2 p.m. at the Holy Spirit Chapel at Jennings Center for Older Adults, 10204 Granger Road.

Anointing Mass

Please join us for the anointing of the sick at the 4:30 Mass on October 17. This sacrament is intended to impart spiritual strength to people who are suffering from serious illness and has been known to even bring physical healing, if God so wills. God is ever close to us, including in the midst of our suffering. Anointing is an important way that God expresses his love and constant care.

Blessing of Medical Professionals

At the masses on October 17/18 there will be a blessing of the parish's medical professionals, October 18 being the feast of St. Luke, the patron of the medical profession. We hope our nurses, EMT's, technicians and others will attend.

Answer: John the Baptist

Council Corners

The Parish Council met on Monday, September 28. The guest speaker was Terrie Baldwin from the Office of Evangelization at the diocese. She reviewed two programs available to parishes for consideration. Committee reports were given, and Fr. Dan reported on John Paul II Academy regarding enrollment and future plans. Council appreciates reports on the status of the school which is an important part of our parish. The Liturgy Commission will resume their talks at masses. Stewardship reported on the upcoming Ministry Fair. Council continues to review the need for outreach to our community in some type of service projects. Stewardship committee is looking for areas where we can serve. As always, check the bulletin and the parish web site to keep abreast of what is happening. Very shortly, we will have our first newsletter out. project took off thanks to several parishioners who responded to the notice in the bulletin. There are many prayerful opportunities in the month of October for us to spend time with the Lord. Remember to share your "view from the pew" with council members. Another great way to do this is by attending the upcoming "Look to the Future" program on October 24.

Weekend Drawing

The weekend drawings have begun. The first winner will be printed in next weekend's bulletin. Tickets are still available for purchase at the rectory.

Seniors

The Seniors Club will have their anniversary lunch on Monday, October 19, at 1:30 p.m. in the church hall. The cost is \$15. Reservations are a must. Call Mary Lou Kieta at 216-662-3592.

To be involved in the plans for the future of our parish, don't forget to attend the "Looking to the Future" meeting on Saturday, October 24, after the 4:30 Mass in the hall. A light dinner is included:

Rectory: 581-2852 Religious Ed. Office: 581-3840 | IPII: 581-3080 | ALL SAINTS Credit Union: 587-0631

Needed—Professional Floor Installer

The parish recently received a donation of linoleum for the rectory kitchen. We are looking for an experienced floor installer who would be willing to donate his time and labor to lay this floor. If you are interested, please call the rectory office at 216-581-2852. Thank you!

Quiche for Kindness II



The St. Therese Social Concerns Commission extends a heartfelt thank you to St. Therese parishioners for your continuous generosity in supporting our neighbors in their time of need. Please join

us after the 10:30 Mass on Sunday, October 18, for our **Quiche for Kindness II** fundraiser. We will have quiche (breakfast pie) or strata (breakfast casserole), with fresh fruit, roll, and juice, coffee or tea. This event will take place in the parish hall. Tickets will be sold in the gathering room after all masses this weekend. You can also call 216-663-1427 for tickets, and they will be sold at the door. The price is \$7 for adults and \$3 for children ages 5 to 11. There is no charge for children 4 and under. *All funds raised will go to supporting the St. Therese Community*.

Religious Article Exchange

On Saturday and Sunday, October 17 & 18, we will have a religious article exchange. If you have any religious items that have come to you but you don't really have a need, if someone you know is downsizing or has passed, or if you have things that are too much for you and too good to throw away, bring your usable "stuff" to the church hall when you come to Mass next weekend. Come down after Mass and maybe you'll see something you or someone you know can use.



Cub Scout Yard Charge

St. Therese Cub Scout Pack 361 will be holding its annual yard charge on Saturday, November 7. Any senior in our parish willing to have their leaves raked, please call Brenda at 216-215-7047. This service is provided free of charge by our cub scouts and their families.

Women Growing in Faith

Women Growing in Faith will gather again on Sunday, October 11. The theme for that day will be "The Rosary". If weather permits, we will travel to the Jesuit Retreat House (5629 State Road in Parma) to walk their grounds and discuss/pray the rosary. Please meet in the St. Therese parking lot at 1 p.m. where we will car pool to the Retreat House. If you prefer to meet us at the Retreat House, please plan on arriving there by 1:30 p.m. If the weather does not cooperate, we will meet in St. Therese church hall. If you have any questions, please call Susan at 440-838-5638.

Blanket Sunday

This weekend is "Blanket Sunday" sponsored by the Diocesan St. Vincent de Paul Society. Here is how you can help: Simply make a cash donation using the envelope from last week's bulletin or one of your own. Your donation will help many families, children, elderly, homeless and other needy individuals within our area. Thank you in advance for your kind and gracious generosity!

Youth Ministry

All middle school teens (grades 6-8) are invited to an evening of prayer and pumpkin carving on Wednesday, October 21, from 7-9 p.m. Doors open 15 minutes early. A snack will be served. Interested teens should just show up! Our youth room is located in SS Peter & Paul's school building.

Nancy Heineke, Youth Minister YOUTH412 is a cluster program of St. Martin of Tours, St. Monica, Saints Peter and Paul & St. Therese. 13623 Rockside Road, Garfield Hts., OH 44125 (216) 662-8685 xt 123

World Mission Sunday

World Mission Sunday will be celebrated on October 18 this year. This celebration affords our parish family the opportunity to "connect" with our world on mission, with those making the difference for the poor and marginalized half a world away. Your prayers and generous support offered to the Society for the Propagation of the Faith on World Mission Sunday directly benefit the mission—and help deepen your relationship with Jesus by helping so many missionaries around the world.

Welcome to the St. Therese Cub Scouts, who are attending the 10:30 Mass this weekend. All are welcome to join them for coffee & donuts after Mass in the hall.

The Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Knights of Columbus Wednesday Night Dinners

The next dinner at Club 4130 is on October 28 from 4-7 p.m. Dinner consists of 1/2 herb-roasted chicken, rice pilaf, vegetable, rolls & butter. The cost is \$9 for adults and \$7 for children under 12. Dinners are by Maple Hts. Catering. Reservations are required by Monday, October 26 at 5 p.m. Call 216-662-2277 mailbox #2.

Priesthood Sunday

Catholics across the country will be celebrating Priesthood Sunday on October 25. It is a day set aside to celebrate the importance of the gift of priesthood in the life of the Church. Consider sharing a personal note or card of thanks.

The more we get to know about a person, the better we are able to understand them. This weekend we will be collecting a bit of that information. Each adult in the congregation is being asked to fill out a card with their name and nationality. We are hoping to use that information in our planning. Please fill out the card at the end of the pew and place the card in the collection basket. If you are not able to be at the church this weekend, please call the at 216-581-2852 and rectory give information to the kind person who answers the phone. Please do this so that we can get an accurate picture of our parish.

The Week Ahead

Sunday, October 11

Coffee & Donuts with the Cub Scouts after 10:30 Mass, H

Cub Scout Candy Sale outside after Masses

Confirmation Workshop 11:45 a.m., S

Door to Door Ministry 12-2 p.m.

Women Growing in Faith 1:30 p.m., Jesuit Retreat. House or Hall

Monday, October 12

Boy Scout Parent Meeting 7 p.m., R

Holy Name Society Meeting 7 p.m., H

Tuesday, October 13

PSR 6:30 p.m., S

AA 8 p.m., H

Wednesday, October 14

Choir Practice 6:45 p.m., C

Boy Scout Troop Meeting 7 p.m., H

Thursday, October 15

Bingo 6:45 p.m., H

Finance Council 7 p.m., R

Saturday, October 17

Altar Server Training 1 p.m., C

Religious Article Exchange after 4:30 Mass, H

KEY: H: parish hall R: rectory C: church S: school

From Fr. Dan:

It is our good fortune that Catholic Renewal Ministries will be coming to our parish on Friday, October 23, to help us appreciate the power of the Holy Spirit at work in our lives. In our diocese this is the umbrella organization for the officially recognized Catholic charismatic prayer groups in the parishes. The charismatic movement in the Church embraces a spirituality that invites the Holy Spirit to work through God's people as we strive to bring Jesus Christ to others. Through an outpouring of grace, charismatics are moved to use their charisms or spiritual gifts, be they contemplative prayer, praying in tongues, spiritual leadership, the discernment of spirits, healing prayer, prophecy, or other gifts of the Holy Spirit. Every Christian has been blessed with charisms, though sometimes we aren't aware of what they are, perhaps because we haven't asked God to help us understand. Recall how the Holy Spirit filled the disciples on that first Pentecost, inspiring them to proclaim in tongues the praises of God. In the aftermath of Pentecost, these men and women began proclaiming the risen Christ. God gives us charisms so we can do the same.

Catholic Renewal Ministries goes from parish to parish, holding healing services and celebrating charismatic masses. At 7 p.m. on October 23 we will begin with a period of praise and worship, in which CRM will lead us in song. Fr. Bob Franco, who is the coordinator of CRM, will preside at the charismatic Mass, which starts at 7:30. At the end of the Mass healing teams will spread out in church, to pray over all who seek healing for suffering of any sort. I strongly encourage you to join us for this experience of the Spirit, to "get into the Spirit," so to speak! Some folks at Mass might raise their hands and praise God out loud, while one person or another might be moved to speak in tongues. Though you might not be familiar with such prayer, it has always been a part of the Christian way and is beautiful. Please join us! You have nothing to lose and so much to gain!

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