A Prayer to St. Joseph, Defender of Life

Dearest St. Joseph, at the word of an angel, you lovingly took Mary into your home. As God's humble servant, you guided the Holy Family on the road to Bethlehem, welcomed Jesus as your own son in the shelter of a manger, and fled far from your homeland for the safety of both Mother and Child.

We praise God that as their faithful protector, you never hesitated to sacrifice for those entrusted to you. May your example inspire us also to welcome, cherish, and safeguard God's most precious gift of life.

Help us to faithfully commit ourselves to the service and defense of human life —especially where it is vulnerable or threatened. Obtain for us the grace to do the will of God in all things. Amen.

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St. Joseph Faithful Protector of Mother and Child

The infant Christ "came into our world in a state of great vulnerability. He needed to be defended, protected, cared for and raised by Joseph" (PC 5). The humble and often hidden carpenter of Nazareth accompanied Mary in her pregnancy, assisted at the birth of the Messiah in a stable, presented Jesus in the Temple, fled with his family far from their homeland to protect them, and lovingly raised Jesus as his own son in the years to come.

While the angel of the Lord appeared to Mary to announce that she would bring forth the Savior of the world, it was revealed to Joseph in a series of dreams how God's plans would be brought to fulfillment. As Pope Francis highlights, "God trusted Joseph, as did Mary, who found in him someone who would not only save her life, but would always provide for her and her child" (PC 5).

Dear St. Joseph, help us to imitate your faithful trust and courage. Like every other human family, the Holy Family had to confront real and concrete challenges. Yet, "in every situation, Joseph declared his own 'fiat" (PC 3). His "yes" to the Lord meant that regardless of the hardship and personal sacrifice to himself, he consistently chose to put the needs of Mary and Jesus before his own. Joseph's devotion helps reveal to us our own call to show special care for the lives of those whom God has entrusted to us.

During this Year of St. Joseph, each of us can find in him "an intercessor, a support and a guide in times of trouble" (PC, Intro). Joseph shows us how to say "yes" to life, despite our own fears,

frailties, and weaknesses. For it is Joseph who was "chosen by God to guide the beginnings of the history of redemption. He was the true 'miracle' by which God saves the child and his mother" (PC 5).

May we, too, be miracles in the lives of those who are most in need, especially at the beginning and end of life. Dear St. Joseph, you who were "able to turn a problem into a possibility by trusting always in divine providence" (PC 5), help us to imitate your faithful trust and courage.

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OCTOBER 3, 2021 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time **Respect Life** MASS INTENTIONS/SCHEDULE ዯ MONDAY, OCTOBER 4 St. Francis of Assisi 8:00 AM L/D Fuerst/Niese Families, Poor Souls, End of all Abortions, For those suffering of any illness and COVID-19 **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 5** 8:40 AM Erford Oedy (AN), End of all Abortions, For those suffering of any illness and COVID-19 WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 6 St. Bruno 8:00 AM Ruth Kuhlman, End of all Abortions, For those suffering of any illness and COVID-19 8:40 AM Penance Service 7B 6:30 – 8:15 PM Adoration – Notice time change THURSDAY, OCTOBER 7 Our Lady of the Rosary 8:40 AM L/D Fred Schroeder Family, End of all Abortions, For those suffering of any illness and COVID-19 6:00-7:00 PM Adoration Holy Hour to Heal Our Land FRIDAY, OCTOBER 8 8:00 AM L/D Edna Ellerbrock Family, Religious Freedom, End of all Abortions, For those suffering of any illness and COVID-19 6:00 PM Wedding Rehearsal-Julie Pothast SATURDAY, OCTOBER 9 St. Denis 8:00 AM No Mass 8:30 AM Confessions 1:30 PM Wedding Mass Duling/Dunn 4:00 PM Confessions 4:30 PM Hazel (AN) & Roy Leap, L/D Dennis Stechschulte Family, Wanda Wolke Cutlip, Laura Recker SUNDAY, OCTOBER 10 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time 8:00 AM Ty Conn (AN), L/D William Fuerst Family, Esther (Rooney) Trombley 10:30 AM L/D Fortman/Meyer Families, Baby Kennedy Schroeder family

Children come to believe through those they love. We pray for married couples that they may be rooted in Jesus and share their love with their families. The call to married life is a special vocation.

For married couples that they may deepen their love and nurture the children in faith, we pray.

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY OCTOBER 10 Wis 7:7-11 Heb 4:12-13 Mk 10:17-30



OCTOBER 3, 2021 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Today Jesus speaks to us about marriage. God wants people to stay married. I know couples have their differences but prayer can change the attitude of husband and wife. When husbands and wives pray together, they open up a whole new world of possibilities and understandings. Marital counseling helps but long-term relationships are nurtured and sustained through prayer. Marriages are centered on Christ and if Christ is not a part of a marriage then couples are depending on themselves. Couples usually get tired of each

other's thinking. We need Christ's thinking and direction.

In the last part of the gospel today we see, "and people were bringing children to him that he might touch them, but the disciples rebuked them. When Jesus saw this, he became indignant and said to them, "Let the children come to me; do not prevent them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these. Amen, I say to you, whoever does not accept the kingdom of God like a child will not enter it."

Then he embraced them and blessed them, placing his hands on them."

Children are a blessing from God. Children have no power and they are totally dependent on adults. I can tell you that each time I visit our preschool or visit the youth at CCD, I am changed for the better. You can see God's preciousness in children. As Christians we have an opportunity and duty to teach children about Christ and his church. It is a privilege to teach the gospel to children. Children have a certain trust in Christ and his teachings. Many children accept the gospels when the gospels are read to them. Children know what is true and pure and the gospel of Christ is true and pure. Children accept the kingdom of God. They have childlike trust. When we get older sometimes we get carried away with different types of false teachings. Usually, teachings that fit our fancy or pleasures. Being a Catholic isn't easy. It demands self-restraint and self-discipline in our prayer life and interactions with others. Jesus give us childlike trust in you. God bless you all. Fr. Tony

<u>Confirmation Mass will be Sunday, October 17, 2021 at 2:00 pm with Bishop Daniel Thomas officiating</u>. Please pray for our Confirmation Candidates to be confirmed this year as they make their final preparations to receive this great Sacrament. COME HOLY SPIRIT, enkindle in them the fire of Your Love! This year's Confirmation Candidates are:

Holden Aldrich Preston Averesch Bethany Balbaugh Carter Benton (St. Mary's, Leipsic) Emma Best Sophia Bennett Hannah Brickner Derek Brown Lillian Buckland Brock Crumrine Delaney Duling Jordyn Dulle Carson Faber Sienna Fry Addison Grime Megan Gustwiller Parker Heckman Brayton Heitmeyer Lauren Kimmet Aubrie Knueven Lola Kuhlman Aubrey Leopold Grant Leopold Evelyn Meyer Morgan Miller Mitchell Moening Owen Morman Libby Nienberg Jake Quinn Savannah Recker Tyler Ruhe Maggie Schmiedebusch Alyssa Schroeder Andrea Schroeder Ben Schroeder Jack Schroeder Owen Schumaker Colin Steffen Anden Utrup Alissa Verhoff Ethan Wagner Samuel Warnecke

<u>Celebrate Respect Life Month</u>! Today is Respect Life Sunday, which kicks off Respect Life Month. Although we must cherish, protect, and defend human life year-round, the Catholic Church in the United States sets aside each October as Respect Life Month. This year's theme, **"Live the Gospel of Life"**, is particularly suited for our times. While attacks against human life seem to grow ever more numerous and callous, we know that Christ has conquered sin and death.

<u>GLANDORF, SAINT JOHN'S IS EXCITED TO OFFER A SUNDAY SCHOOL SESSION</u> that will run throughout the Advent season to help our preschool youngsters remember the true reason for the season. Forms were sent home to children who attend St. John's Preschool. Additional forms are available in the vestibules in the back of church. Thanks!

WEEKDAY SERVERS:

Mon. 8:00 AM: Gary Recker, Mary Ann Myers; Tue. 8:40 AM: Students Wed. 8:00 AM: Bob & Jackie Luttfring; Thu. 8:40 AM: Students Fri. 8:00 AM: Gene & Rose Warnecke

Sat. 8:00 AM: No Mass

Next Sunday OCTOBER 10

SUNDAY SERVERS:

Sat. 4:30 PM: Brandon Warnecke, Abby Warnecke, Landyn Schulte Sun. 8:00AM: Justin Kahle, Anthony Kahle, Owen Kidd Sun. 10:30AM: Dylan Giesswein, Dane Duling, Averie Karhoff

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS	LECTORS
4:30 Mary Ellen Halker	Chloe Schroeder
Louis Halker	Mia Schroeder
8:00 Tom Schmitz	Nicole Ruhe
Gretchen Schmitz	Lauryn Bockrath
10:30 Tara Gerding	Janet Schroeder
Edna Nienberg Choir-Matt Meyerhoffer	Jay Rump

SUNDAY GIFT BEARERS:

Sat. 4:30 PM: Gary Moening Family; Sun. 8:00 AM: Henry Kaufman Family; Sun. 10:30 AM: Jerry Hermiller Family

OCTOBER USHERS: Sat. 4:30pm: Mary Rose & Kevin Ellerbrock; Sun. 8:00 AM: Bryan Kaufman, Michael Recker; Sun. 10:30 AM: Jerry Recker, Al Hueve

COUNTERS FOR SUNDAY: 1

ROSARY NEXT SUNDAY: Edna & Diane Nienberg

OCTOBER FUNERAL ROSARY LEADERS: Ginnie Riepenhoff, Jeff & Jeanne Schram, Marie Pothast, Bertie Hermiller, Mike & Judy Niese, Lee & Diane Recker

DID YOU KNOW?

Theresa Gable will celebrate her 81st birthday on October 3Cletus Morman will celebrate his 90th birthday on October 4Elizabeth Nienberg will celebrate her 83rd birthday on October 4Ruth Korte will celebrate her 82nd birthday on October 4Ralph Pothast will celebrate her 82nd birthday on October 9Agnes Sager will celebrate her 100th birthday on October 10Anna Meyer will celebrate her 85th birthday on October 10HAPPY BIRTHDAY THERESA, CLETUS, ELIZABETH, RUTH, RALPH, AGNES & ANNA!

PRE-SCHOOL OUARTER AUCTION - Fri., Oct. 15, 7:00pm in the cafeteria. Doors open at 6:15pm. Purchase tickets at the preschool.

SUBSTITUTES NEEDED

We are looking for preschool substitute teachers/aides! Must have high school diploma and must love working with children! Please contact St. John's Preschool if you are interested in helping us out. 419-538-6264, <a href="mailto:stiphing:stiphin

St. John's Preschool would like to thank St. John's Outreach for the exceptional donation! Thank you to all who supported their whole hog breakfast in September. With these funds, we were able to purchase some much needed updated shelving for our classrooms.

Mass for Life with Bishop Daniel E. Thomas followed by Eucharistic procession to Capital Care Abortion Clinic. On Saturday, October 9, 9:00am, at St. Catherine's Parish, 4555 N Haven Ave., Toledo, OH. Please join us for life.

OCTOBER COUNT - Including servers, Fr. Tony, Fr. Steve, Deacon Don, choir & babes in arms - Starting this weekend Sat., Oct. 2/Sun., Oct. 3, the ushers will count all people present at all of the October weekend Masses. Thank you very much!

OCTOBER IS THE MONTH OF THE ROSARY! Please pray the rosary as a family daily. You would make Our Blessed Mother so happy!

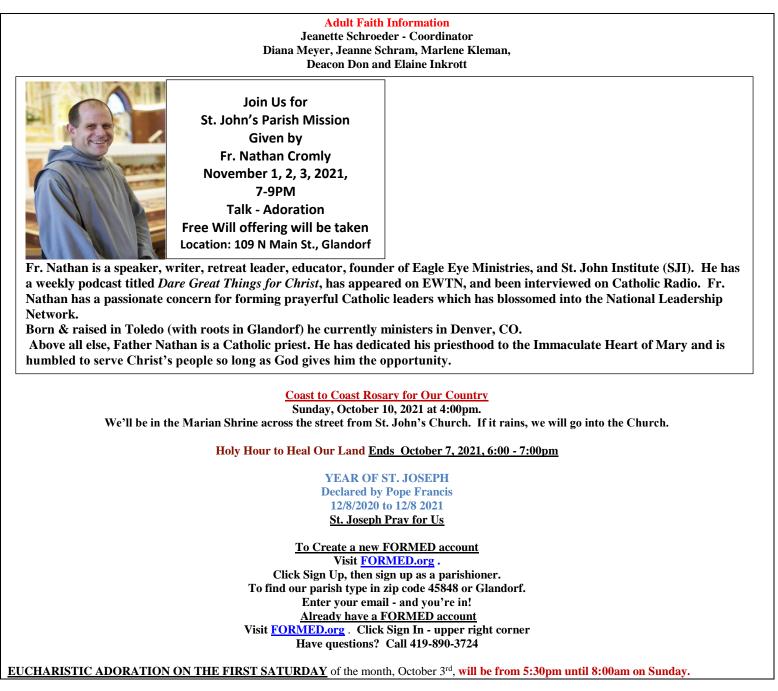
ALTAR ROSARY BINGO/BAKE SALE Sunday, October 24. Baked goods sale starts after 8:00am Mass. Bingo doors open at 12:30, game starts at 1:00. There are over 100 door prizes!!! 50/50 tickets available at all exits of church until the day of the Bingo, and tickets will also be available at the Bingo. Please join us! Thank you.

SPIRIT & SONG GROUP PRACTICE Tue., Oct. 5, 6:30 – 8:00pm for the 4:30 Mass on October 9. Alumni are welcome to join.

RCIA INTEREST - Monday, Oct 4, 6:00 - 7:30pm in the cafeteria

Topic: #3 The Bible – God's Love Letter to Humanity

These sessions are open to all interested persons – those wishing to become a Catholic and for Catholics who wish to up-date themselves. We welcome you. If you are interested, please call rectory 419-538-6928 to sign up.



Healing Mass for Ryan Maas on Thurs., Oct. 7, 6:30pm at Sts. Peter & Paul, Ottawa. All are welcome!

WELCOME TO THE NEWLY BAPTIZED IN CHRIST:

Bernadette Claire, daughter of Patrick & Amanda Dehnart Alexander Michael, son of Joel & Lauren Nussbaum CONGRATULATIONS TO PARENTS & GODPARENTS!



<u>HOME TO GOD</u>: Please remember in your Masses and prayers the souls of **Laura Recker**, **baby Kennedy Schroeder**. Our sincere sympathy is extended to **Norma Ellerbrock** on the death of her loving sister, Laura; and to **Seth & Lori Schroeder and their children Jonathan, Aubrey, & Casey** on the death of their loved one, Kennedy.

Grade School CCD Information Diane Utrup, Elementary Coordinator stjohnsreled@bright.net.

Jr. High CCD Information Message from Mindy Recker for Jr. High Coordinator email at stjohnsjrhighccd@gmail.com

High School CCD Information		
Message from Ruth Gerding Coordinator of High School CCD		
On Wednesday night, Oct. 6; HS CCD will be held in church for Juniors and Seniors attending Penance Service. Adoration will be offered from 6:30 to 8:15 that night. On Wednesday night, Oct. 13; HS CCD will be in church for a church tour from 7:00 to 8:15 PM, with no adoration on that night.		
Any questions? Please let Ruth know if your child is going to be absent at 567-204-1275		
PS. If your child will be missing, please let me know at 567-204-1275. Any questions, please contact Ruth Gerding at stjhohnshsccd@gmail.com or call. Ruth Gerding, Coordinator of HS CCD		
Wednesday Adoration 6:30 – 8:15pm		
Youth Director		
Message from Colleen Halker <u>colleen_halker@yahoo.com</u>		

BANNS: I Mikayla Lammers, of this parish, daughter of Russell & Amie Lammers & Nolan Niese,

of Sts. Peter & Paul, Ottawa, son of Douglas & Marlene Niese

II Breann Schroeder, of this parish, daughter of Norman & Kelly Schroeder & Tanner Schimmoeller,

of Sts. Peter & Paul, Ottawa, son of Todd & Shellie Schimmoeller

III Kara Duling, of this Parish, daughter of Jeffrey & Brenda Duling & **Anthony Dunn**, of St. Michaels, Kalida, son of Joseph & Susan Dunn

III Trevor Ellerbrock of this parish, son of Jeff & Rose Ellerbrock and Madeline Bowen of Our Lady of Victory, Columbus daughter of Lisa & Gordon Bowen

GOD BLESS THE NEWLY WEDDED: Mr. & Mrs. Drake (Kylie Gerdeman) Lammers

FERVORINO – Every family is visited by difficult times which can unite or divide. These hardships, which we would quickly reject, hold the potential to be the unifying "cornerstone" where we drop our pettiness and defenses and pull together, linked by a common bond and love for one another.

MISCARRIAGE AND INFANT LOSS MEMORIAL MASS Come receive spiritual consolation at the third annual St. Catherine's Embrace Memorial Mass. It will be held on Sunday, October 24 at 1:30 p.m. at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, 189 N. Church Street, Ottoville. If you have questions about the Mass or St. Catherine's Embrace, call or text Ruth Gerding at (567)204-1275.

<u>Glandorf St. John's St. Bonifest</u> is scheduled for Saturday, October 30th, from 3:00pm - midnight. We are asking for pork donations \$45 for 17lbs at the new price. If you are interested in donating pork for the festival please put in a plain envelope and mark it "**PORK**" **ST. BONIFEST**" drop in the collection basket or mail to P O Box, 48, Glandorf, OH 45848. Any questions please call the rectory 419-538-6928.

Each CCD family is asked to purchase or sell 2 meal tickets. The students brought home their meal ticket order form on Friday.

We will be selling meal tickets October 2/3 after all Masses. We will have our meal catered in with help from the students & parents to serve it. You will receive a delicious meal of Beef Brisket, pork, scalloped potatoes, coleslaw, roll & dessert for \$10.00 a meal. For children's meals ask for an extra plate to split a meal if you'd like. If anyone would be interested in helping out at the St. Bonifest Festival, we would love to have you! Call the rectory 419-538-6928. Thank you very much!

Reverse Raffle Tickets are on sale @ \$60 each. Top prize is \$6,000. If you had a ticket in the past, your seller will be giving you a call. If you haven't had a ticket in the past and wish to purchase one please call the rectory 419-538-6928. Also, if you purchased a ticket at the rectory last year and wish to purchase again please stop by the rectory. Your ticket is waiting for you! Thank you all!

It's time again for the annual **St. Bonifest Fall Festival Silent Auction**. Please consider donating a NEW auction item for this year's event. Items can include gift certificates, sports memorabilia (especially OSU), religious items, event passes, etc. If you are interested in donating items or contributing a cash contribution, please drop off or send to the rectory by **Thursday**, **October 21**st. For questions please contact: Mary Ellen Halker 419-538-6928 or Phyllis Vorst 419-615-2760

Halloween Costume Contest will be judged around 8:15pm. \$50 cash prize to the 1st place ADULT winner or \$100 to the ADULT winner if you purchased a meal ticket. Prizes to be awarded to all other group winners!



You are invited to a **Rosary Rally** on October 16, at 12:00 noon. The time is important as it is near the time that the miracle of the sun took place in Fatima in 1917! We wish to honor Our Lady and Our Lord within this time frame. It will be held in the Marian Shrine across the street from St. John's Church Glandorf. Our nation is in great need of public prayer, repentance, and the conversion of America. If you have any questions, please call **Sandi Glanz at 419.969.4260**.

BOX of JOY by Cross Catholic Outreach – Holy Family Radio sponsoring the Box of Joy program for children suffering from severe poverty. Gift boxes and additional information are available in the back of church, and filled boxes can be returned there at any time up through Nov. 14th after 10:30 Mass.

Putnam County Right to Life meeting on Tuesday, October 5, at 7:30 pm in St. Michael's church basement. All are welcome!

Attention ALL MEN!!!! Join us on <u>Wednesday</u> OR <u>Saturday</u> for That Man Is You (TMIY) Wednesday, October 6th, 7pm-8:30pm in the Cafeteria OR Saturday, October 9th, 6am-7:30am in the Room 22 For more information, contact Mike Karhoff @ <u>mbkarhoff@bright.net</u> or 419-796-0763. TMIY "THY KINGDOM COME"

The Overthrow of Satan (Sat. 10/9, Wed. 10/13) (session 4)

- Speaker: Fr. Dave Pivonka
- The Kingdom of God is at Hand
- Not Talking about a Movement, an Army, a Government
- The Three Forces at Work in the Kingdom of the World
- The Power of Satan is NOT Infinite
- Satan Cannot Prevent the Building Up of God's Reign
- Greater is He Who is in Me than he Who is in The World
- Claim the Power and Inheritance as an Heir to Christ



GRANDorf Drawing will be next Sun., October 10, coffee & donuts will be served. Next drawing - Nov. 14th.

OTTOVILLE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION FALL FESTIVAL on October 10, 2021. Beef and Chicken Dinners served from 11:00 am- 2:00 pm

<u>Kick off the Christmas Season</u> and benefit Ottawa Legion Baseball at the same time. Enjoy two nights at the Grand Hotel in Cape May, NJ. Visit historic Smithville, enjoy a Holly Trolley Lights Tour of Cape May and a tour of the 1879 Physick Estate. We'll have some enroute fun with a Hershey Sweet Lights Tour in PA, visit Kitchen Kettle Village and enjoy watching "Winter Wonderland" at the American Music Theatre. The dates are Nov. 28th to Dec 2nd and the cost per person is \$795.00, which includes everything except lunch. Contact Cheryl Kersh at <u>cherylkersh@gmail.com</u> or 419.890.8565 to sign up or for more details.

KNAP SACK, INC. FOURTH ANNUAL DESIGNER PURSE BINGO

on Saturday, October 16, 2021, at the Ottawa VFW. Doors open at 5:30 p.m.; Bingo begins at 7:00 p.m. Tickets are \$35 each and may be purchased at Always Blessed, in Ottawa, or by contacting Becky Leader (419.969.0981), Jackie Luttfring (419.615.8789), or Nancy McBride (419.235.8753). <u>KNAP Sack</u> is a weekend meal program that serves children in grades K-8 at Glandorf Elementary, Ottawa Elementary, and Sts. Peter and Paul Elementary Schools, the Ottawa and Leipsic Head Start classrooms, and the Putnam County Educational Service Center Annex.

Remember Those Who Have Gone Before Us- October 3-9

Agnes E Gerding 10/3/97	Beatrice D Nienberg 10/7/02
Daniel Stechschulte 10/3/12	Karl H Kleman 10/7/16
Gertrude A Schroeder 10/4/96	Bernard J Deters 10/8/85
Joseph A Karl Jr 10/4/14	Thomas E Hanneman 10/8/12
Leonard J Drerup 10/6/85	Gregory D Schroeder 10/9/72
Francis C (Pete) Schroeder 10/7/75	Elenora Verhoff 10/9/73
Harold F Steffes 10/7/86	John J Macke 10/9/04

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 and for sharing your treasure, time, & talent with your

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REGISTRATION-New members should register as soon as possible. Moving out? - please inform the rectory.

INTERESTED IN SERVING YOUR PARISH? If you are interested in becoming a Lector, Extraordinary Minister, Usher or in any other way please call the rectory 419-538-6928.

PARENT SESSIONS are required by the Toledo Diocese for Infant Baptism, Confirmation, First Eucharist, and First Penance.

PARENTAL BAPTISM CLASS – The new dates for 2022 will be scheduled soon. from 9:00 – 10:30 AM, in room 15, in the parish center - presented by Deacon Don Inkrott. Pre-register by calling rectory.

ROSARY FOR OUR COUNTRY at Noon on Fridays of the month.

WEDDINGS: The Toledo Diocese requests all dates be set at the rectory at least 6 months in advance. **Pre-Marriage Class required**. Parties who recently joined our parish who do not live within our parish boundaries, or who do not belong to a family already registered in the parish; need to be aware that we cannot schedule a wedding date until six months after the time of registration. The normal six-month preparation period would apply from that point. Normally only parishioners and those related to our parishioners marry here. Any other person needs prior permission of his/her pastor.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION CLASS Glandorf St. John's will be having a 1—day class here in our cafeteria on Sunday, November 7, starting with the 10:30 Mass. This is a mandatory, 1-day class. Please register by calling the rectory.

DO YOU HAVE YOUR LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT COMPLETED? DID YOU REMEMBER YOUR PARISH, ST. JOHN'S?

SACRAMENTAL RECONCILIATION: PENANCE Saturdays 8:30am & 4:00pm.

Br. Jerry Schwieterman's address: Heritage Manor, Attn: Br. Jerry Schwieterman, C.PP.S., 24 N. Hamilton St., Minister, OH 45865 Br. Jerry's address: Br. Jerry Schulte, C.PP.S., St. Charles Center, 2860 US Route 127 Rm 107, Celina, OH 45822 Fr. Rick's new address: 937 N. Defiance St., Ottawa, OH 45875

<u>DIOCESAN POLICY FOR CYO SPORTS</u> – All players must be members of the sponsoring parish and/or educational system of the parish in order to play on the parish team.

PARISH POLICY FOR HIGH SCHOOL CYO Playing any sports this year? You are expected to attend both the Fall & Winter sessions of High School Religious Education Groups or Grade School CCD Classes---plus weekend Saturday or Sunday Mass. This includes all players, coaches and their families. Attendance at these groups/classes will be monitored and reviewed. For each class missed, beyond 4 classes you will be sitting out one game. Parents, if your child is sick, please call or text Ruth Gerding at 567-204-1275 before class. This also includes the PUTNAM COUNTY GRADE SCHOOL BOY'S & GIRL'S CYO SPORTING TEAMS.

We kindly ask the cooperation of all concerned as we implement this church policy for the good of our parish.

(Fr. Tony- pastor & Jodi Schroeder - Parish Council Pres.)