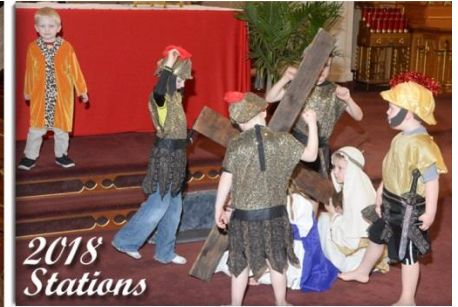


Congratulations to all of "God's Little Heroes" and leaders! We would like to thank you for the fantastic job you did with the Living Stations! You helped us all start our Holy Week with the Passion and Death of Jesus. Today He has truly risen! Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

**HOLY WEEK/
EASTER CHURCH
DECORATORS:** A special thank you to the "servants of the Lord" for decorating God's House. Super job as usual! Thank you---one and all!



Chrism Mass in Toledo



Mobile, Alabama Parish Mission Trip
Working on the Monastery



Putnam County
Habitat House Dedication
Becky Giblin Family Home



SUNDAY APRIL 1, 2018 Easter Sunday

† MASS INTENTIONS/SCHEDULE †

MONDAY, APRIL 2

8:00 AM Poor Souls

TUESDAY, APRIL 3

8:40 AM Paul Stechschulte

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4

8:00 AM Vic & Cecilia Schroeder

No Mass at 6:00 PM

6:30 – 7:30 PM Adoration

THURSDAY, APRIL 5

8:40 AM Daryl Hunt

FIRST FRIDAY, APRIL 6

No Mass at 6:00 AM

8:00 AM Tim Bockrath

FIRST SATURDAY, APRIL 7

8:00 AM Communion Service – Darlene Miller

No Confessions at 8:30 AM but will have confessions at 4:00pm

4:30 PM L/D Ruth Ann Stechschulte Family, L/D Alberta & Leander Moening Family, For World Peace,
L/D Tom Hoyt Family

SUNDAY, APRIL 8 DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

8:00 AM Gordy Verhoff (AN), Anna Marie & Cy Kahle, L/D August & Caroline Fischer

9:45 AM Divine Mercy Chaplet

10:30 AM Nathan Siefker Family, L/D Ken Ellerbrock family, L/D Harry & Alberta Selhorst Family,
Mass in Thanksgiving Greg & Sharon Nussbaum 40th Anniversary,
L/D Paul & Gertrude Minaugh Family, Marilyn Middleton, Mary Ann Hanneman

2:00PM-3:00PM Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

3:00 PM Divine Mercy Chaplet

3:20 PM Veneration of the Image, followed by rosary

6:30 PM L/D Joe Karl Jr. Family

If you know of anyone who cannot attend Mass on Sundays and would like communion brought to them please call the rectory.

*The stone is rolled back, the tomb is empty! We are to go and tell the Good News. Rejoice in the power of the Resurrection! Alleluia!
(Mark 16:1-8)*

For all who were welcomed into the church that they may continue to go and tell the Good News, we pray.

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY April 8th Acts 4:32-35 1Jn 5:1-6 Jn 20:19-31

**From the
desk of
Fr. Tony**

Easter Sunday

APRIL 1, 2018

He is risen!!! Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia! Lent is finally over. Praise Jesus. Happy Easter! This was a difficult lent for me. I was very aware of my sinfulness and the need for Christ's mercy. We are all in need of Jesus' mercy because we are all sinners. Lent allows us to see our weaknesses and sinfulness. Christ has opened the gates of heaven for you and me. We now have a chance to enter eternal life and praise God for ever.

Christ endured much pain, agony, stress, and betrayal. Jesus has every reason to be upset with our disloyalty towards him but he accepts all of humanity in their sinfulness. We have all turned our backs on Jesus but he is willing to welcome us home to heaven.

Jesus has conquered death. Death no longer is the end for you and me. Jesus promises us another life after this one if we but submit to him and take up our crosses. Even though lent is over there will still be many crosses to endure. But this past lent has made us stronger with God's grace to endure any temptation Satan throws at us. God bless you all. Fr. Tony

2018 DIOCESAN ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL: Our parish goal this year is \$36,000. The Theme is *"Giving with Faith, Hope & Love."* **Pledged: \$31,848.75 - Paid: \$29,876.88** Thank you to all who have contributed so far. If you didn't receive an envelope in the mail, there are extra envelopes in the racks back in church. Thanks! To learn more about the appeal visit: www.Toledodiocese.org/ACA **Rebate check for 2017 amounted to \$4,948.15.** Thank you so much & God bless you all, Fr. Tony

WEEKDAY SERVERS: **Mon. 8:00 AM:** Chase Faber, Dylan Giesswein, Austin Hadding, Kayleigh Halker; **Tue. 8:40AM:** Students; **Wed. 8:00AM:** Mike Siefker, Jerry Hanneman; **Wed. 6:00PM:** **No Mass;** **Thurs. 8:40AM:** Students; **Fri. 6:00AM:** **No Mass;** **Fri. 8:00AM:** Ken Elchinger, Paula Elchinger; **Sat. 8:00AM:** No servers needed.

WEDNESDAY 6:00PM LECTOR – No Mass

NEXT SUNDAY – April 8th

SUNDAY SERVERS: **Sat. 4:30 PM:** Cory Warnecke, Abby Warnecke, Austin Foppe, Kerri Ellerbrock; **Sun. 8:00 AM:** Addy Schmiedebusch, Emma Schmiedebusch, Connor Haselman, Nathan Maag; **Sun. 10:30 AM:** Zachary Diemer, Tyler Recker, Sam Schroeder; **Sun. 6:30 PM:** Mitchell Kaufman, Erin Kaufman, Jack Dalrymple, Averie Kaufman

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

4:30 Marciel Schroeder
Rachel Recker

8:00 Dennis Moening
Linda Moening

10:30 Sue Bellman
Edna Nienberg Choir –Tony Schroeder

6:30 **Geri Ricker, Lauren Nussbaum**
Kathleen Roof, Mick Brickner

LECTORS

Kim Rieman
Kathy Schmitz

Diane Nienberg
Jill Siefker

Janet Schroeder
Kelly Schroeder

Nicole Ruhe
Greg Ruhe

SUNDAY GIFT BEARERS: **Sat. 4:30pm:** Mike & Jill Siefker Family; **Sun. 8:00am:** Bob & Vicki Brickner Family; **Sun. 10:30am:** Pat & Delene Everman Family

APRIL SUNDAY USHERS: **Sat. 4:30 PM:** Nick Lehman, Bruce Schroeder; **Sun. 8:00 AM:** Mark Maag, Alan Wrasman **Sun. 10:30 AM:** Barry Maag, Ken Horstman; **Sun. 6:30 PM:** Jane Kaufman

COUNTERS FOR SUNDAY: 4

VIDEOGRAPHER –Sat. 4:30 PM – Austin Horstman

ROSARY NEXT SUNDAY: Edna & Diane Nienberg

APRIL FUNERAL ROSARY LEADERS: Paul & Marlene Kleman, Dorothy Karl, Deb Burwell, Tim & Chris Hoehn, Al & Lisa Hueve, Teresa Duling, Beth Recker

MARK YOUR CALENDARS: 5th GRADE SERVERS' TRAINING – Sun., April 22, 2:00 – 4:00pm or Tue., April 24, 3:10 – 4:45pm in church.

MEETING OF 8, 9, 10, & 11 GRADE SERVERS on Wed., Apr. 25, 7:30 – 8:30pm in church.

Fr. Harry Brown, 4106 S.R. 269, Apt. 8, Bellevue, OH 44811.

Attention to all: St. John's is **selling our 8ft tables** that are used in the Parish Center gym. \$15/table. Call the rectory if you are interested.

Mustard Seed Gift Shop business hours are Tues, Thurs, & Fri 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.; Wed 12:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.; Sat 8:00am - 1:00pm.
Store 419-538-7220 Brenda Maag 419-235-3106 Julie Barlage 419-303-5366

Glandorf St. John's Capital Campaign Update: (3/5/2018)

"Sharing Our Faith, Preserving Our Heritage, Securing Our Future" Thank you for Sharing your Time, Talents, & Treasure!

Pledged: \$879,054 Paid: \$876,444: Expense- Conrad Schmitt Studios Contract paid in full: \$685,000. Additional money collected will be used for Capital Campaign projects needed. Fantastic!! Those of you who are making pledge payments please continue to do so. Thank you to all who have supported our Capital Campaign. We appreciate it greatly! Fr. Tony

"Let us joyfully carry the Cross, let us live by the cross, let us die with the cross." St. Gaspar del Bufalo

Adult Faith Information

Jeanette Schroeder - Coordinator
Diana Meyer, Jeanne Schram, Marlene Kleman,
Deacon Don and Elaine Inkrott

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION ON THE FIRST SATURDAY of the month, **after 4:30 Mass on Saturday evening until 8:00 on Sunday mornings.** Mark your calendars for next Saturday/Sunday, April 7/8. Sign-up sheet is available on the radiator back in church this week. We would like at least two people signed up for each hour. If you can't make it to the lobby to sign in please call Jane Williams 419-615-7960.

This is the Day
The Lord has made;
Let us rejoice and be glad!
Happy Joyous Easter to all!



Congratulations to our Candidates: Dakota & Abbey Sudlow (along with their sponsors Mer Lehman & Gabe Roberts) who came into full communion of the Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil. Congratulations to all!



Thank you to all of the ministers & volunteers during this Holy Week! We couldn't do all of these services/events without all of you good and faithful servants of Jesus and St. John's Parish Family. If you get a change please watch "Footsteps of God" on Formed.org God bless you all! Fr. Tony

BANNES: **I Ryan Leopold** of this parish, son of Jim & Sue Leopold & **Renee Karhoff** of this parish, daughter of Donna and the late Vern Karhoff
I Jacob Karl of this parish, son of Joseph & Dorothy Karl & **Carolyn Hiner**, of West Lebanon, OH, daughter of Robert & Nancy Hiner
II Melanie Rieman of this parish, daughter of Dennis & Barbara Rieman & **Jeremy Steffan** of this parish, son of David & Jeri Steffan

DID YOU KNOW? **Rose Ann Morman** will celebrate her 80th birthday today, April 1; **Dorothy Ellerbrock** will celebrate her 80th birthday on April 2; **Eugene Ellerbrock** will celebrate his 83rd birthday on April 3; **Maxine Karl** will celebrate her 81st birthday on April 10; **Betty Recker** will celebrate her 83rd birthday on April 11th. **HAPPY BIRTHDAY ROSE ANN, DOROTHY, EUGENE, MAXINE & BETTY!**

MARK YOUR CALENDARS To all Mothers, Daughters, Woman young and old, **Glandorf St. John's Parish Altar Rosary Society** invites you to their **Annual Banquet**, next Sunday April 8, 2018. After 10:30 Mass in the St. John's Parish Center. Enjoy a delicious lunch, Entertainment provided, and 50/50 Drawing. See the March 11th bulletin online to RSVP.

FERVORINO – *Jesus "had to rise from the dead." The dying we experience with unmet expectations in marriage and parenting is normal to family life. Families must rise above disappointments and be Easter people all year long.*

C. L. OF C. WINE & CHEESE TASTING MEETING Wed., Apr. 4, in the cafeteria. Bring perspective new members.

BENNING SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS are available in the south vestibule in church in the Youth rack - for all Glandorf St. John's high school seniors. The deadline is **Fri., Apr. 13th, by 4:30 p.m.** (Not mailed by this date but in our hands by the 13th). Make sure you have 2 references & school transcript attached to application to be eligible.

Grade School CCD Information

COORDINATOR OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION- Diane Utrup
Contact me in the Religious Ed Office 419-538-6335 on school days 7:30am – noon.

Jr. High & High School CCD Information

Message from DeVon Dunlap Coordinator of High School CCD: *If you have any questions or need to get a hold of me, please call the HS CCD office at 419-538-6897 or e-mail. stjohnshsccd@bright.net Thanks!*

Catholic Youth Damascus Day - April 29, 2018 at Catholic Youth Summer Camp community, 7550 Ramey Rd, Centerburg, OH 43011, from Noon - 8:15 pm. This will be a FREE event for families to explore Damascus, participate in high adventure activities, and hear internationally recognized keynote speaker, John O'Leary. Everyone is invited to join - open to our CYSC campers and beyond; benefactors, families, friends, parishioners, neighbors, grandparents, parish leaders, priests, alumni, and all. Day includes welcoming, Mass, free activity time (high ropes, rock wall, zip line, archery tag, and more), dinner with live music, skits, entertainment, keynote, and adoration. (**This event is open for families to go on their own. St. John's will not be taking a bus down or providing chaperones.)

High School CCD is over. Now What?! Join us on the first Wednesday of the month as we continue to seek more ways to grow closer to God, together! April 4, May 2: Meet in the Youth Room in the basement of the Parish Center 7:00pm. We hope to see you there!

Wednesday Adoration - 6:30 – 7:30pm only one hour until fall.

Message from Colleen Halker Youth Director
Happy Easter to all!

KADIE HEMPFLING – Youth President **ALLISON SIEFKER** – President-Elect

NEW Job Posting- Preschool Teacher- Accepting applications for part-time morning preschool teacher at Glandorf St. John's Catholic Preschool for 2018-19. Minimum requirement of High School Diploma/ GED equivalent; experience working with children and knowledge of child development is preferred. Full detailed job posting is online at: <http://stjohnlandorf.org/>
For more information call Carole Schroeder at 419 538 6264. Submit cover letter, resume, and list of 4 references by April 10 to: St. John's Preschool, 103 N Main PO Box 48, Glandorf Ohio 45848

CATHOLIC PRESCHOOL REGISTRATION 2018-19- Glandorf St. John's Catholic Preschool registration will be April 3 (parishioners) and 5 (non-parishioners) at 7 PM at St. John's Parish Center. Registration forms are available at <http://stjohnlandorf.org> or by contacting the preschool at 419 538 6264.

Quarter Auction- Fundraiser for Glandorf St. John's Preschool features items from Signature Homestyles. Fri. April 13 at 7:00 PM at Glandorf St. John's Fellowship Hall. Tickets are \$10 each or RESERVED table of 8 for \$90! For more info or tickets call the Preschool 419 538 6264 or Jeannie Verhoff 419 538 6255.




HAPPY EASTER
From
Fr. Tony, Fr. Rick, Br. Jerry and
St. John's Staff!

God bless you all!

FIRST FRIDAY, APRIL 6, No 6:00 Mass. There will be an 8:00AM Mass, Novena, & Divine Mercy. **1:00 – 4:00 Public Adoration of the Eucharist. No Benediction at 4:00pm.** Let's pray for the many sick parishioners, for Religious Vocations, to end abortion, and your own special intentions.

FIRST SATURDAY, APRIL 7th, 8:00 AM Communion Service. Remember the all-day rosary. If you are in need of a sub for praying the rosary, there is a list of subs back on the south rack.

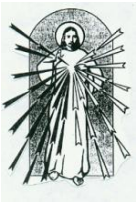
 **APRIL GRANDorf Drawing (*two chances each month to win \$500*)** along with coffee & donuts will be next Sun., Apr. 8, after the 8:00 & 10:30 Masses in Room 15 in the parish center. Next drawing Sun., May 13.

Summer is coming- do you fear of wearing shorts or a swimsuit? Checkout Catholic Weight-loss with Light Weigh One King! It has helped thousands get over the dread of wearing summer clothing! St. John's Parish has a friendly, no weigh-in group. We will be meeting for 12 consecutive Tuesdays (May 1- July 17) from 7-8:30 pm at St. John's Parish Center. If you are interested in joining, watch the Orientation at www.lightweigh.com, and call Sue Leopold at (419) 538-6914 by Friday April 20 to order your materials. We would love to have you join us!

TMIY week 24 next Saturday, April 7th in cafeteria, 6:00am

Week 24 - Step 7: Practice Superabundant Mercy

- The Story of Felix and Elisabeth Leseur
- The Leseur Marriage and Lourdes
- The Conversion of Felix Leseur
- Superabundant Mercy for the Bride
- The Journey to Lourdes
- A Foretaste of Paradise in the Home
- An Encounter with Our Lady



DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY, April 7/8 –

3:45pm Divine Mercy Chaplet before 4:30pm Mass on
Sat., April 7

On Sunday, April 8

2:00pm Adoration

3:00pm Divine Mercy Chaplet

3:20pm Veneration of the Image followed by rosary

Plenary Indulgence for Divine Mercy Sunday is granted under the usual conditions (sacramental confession anytime during Lent, Eucharistic communion and prayer for the intentions of Supreme Pontiff) to the faithful who, on the Second Sunday of Easter or Divine Mercy Sunday, in any church or chapel, in a spirit that is completely detached from the affection for a sin, even a venial sin, take part in the prayers and devotions held in honor of Divine Mercy, or who, in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament exposed or reserved in the tabernacle, recite the *Our Father* and the *Creed*, adding a devout prayer to the merciful Lord Jesus. ***Merciful Jesus, I trust in you!***

Putnam County Right to Life Garage & Bake Sale will be held at the Ottawa K of C hall located on Road H. Wed., April 4, from 9 am-7 pm; Thurs., April 5, from 9 am-3 pm. Bring gently used items and baked goods on Tue., April 3, from 9 am-6 pm. Our April meeting will be held on April 3 at 7:30 pm at the Ottawa K of C hall. All are welcome.

Ottawa-Glandorf High School will hold its annual Dinner Theater next weekend April 6,7, & 8. Tickets are available in the high school office during school hours. Come enjoy dinner and a great show, A Year in Song provided by OGHS students.

The O-G Band Boosters and the Glandorf Lions Club are sponsoring a BBQ Chicken Dinner / Boneless Pork Chop Dinner fundraiser on Sunday, April 8 at the Glandorf Elementary School, serving 11 am - 1 pm, carry-out only. Dinners are \$8. Some dinners will be available at the door, but pre-sale tickets are encouraged -through Brooky's, John Schumaker (532-7312) and Tim Hoehn (538-7148). Proceeds go to: O-G high school band instruments and auditorium's spotlights, and for Glandorf Park improvements.

K of C. Newsletters are in the racks back in church. Happy Easter to all!

6th Annual Heartbeat Auction- April 22nd 12-3:00PM-

Lima K of C Hall, 810 S. Cable Rd, Lima, OH – Silent Auction will start at noon, 50 baskets to bid on, winners will be announced at 3PM. Chicken Dinners will be available for \$8, all chicken tickets are presale only, ½ BBQ Chicken, Southwestern corn, Fresh Fruit cup, Dinner roll/butter, Cookie. Dine-in and carry-out dinners will be available. Orders for the dinners must be placed by April 16th.

Ottawa Senior Citizens Spring Bazaar & Bake Sale-

April 4th & 5th 10AM-2PM, 1035 East Third Street, Ottawa. We will offer homemade pies, cakes, cookies, candles and snacks for sale and gift items made by our volunteers. Lunch both days from 11AM-1PM. Wednesday menu: Homemade Beef & Noodle Soup, Beef Sandwich Platter, Brats Platter, Hot Dog Plater and Assorted Desserts. Thursday menu: Potato Soup, Chicken Salad Croissant Platter, Brats Platter, Hot Dog Plater and Assorted Desserts.

Remember Those Who Have Gone Before Us –April 1-7

Robert Diller 4/2/12	Beatrice L Inkrott 4/5/17
Catherine Palte 4/2/88	Steven T Ellerbrock 4/5/85
Sandra McFarland 4/3/15	Earle M Swetland 4/6/15
Martha Unterbrink 4/4/82	

FOOD PANTRY VOLUNTEERS April, our month to help on distribution days, is quickly approaching. Please mark April 10 and April 24 on your calendars. May you be blessed for your willingness to serve the less fortunate. If you know of anyone who is interested in joining our group, bring them along. New volunteers are always welcome!

The Glandorf Park announces that there are “In Memory of, In Honor of, anniversary picture or special occasion” Plaques available at the New Shelter House in the Glandorf Park. The donation cost is \$150.00 for an 8 inch by 8 inch plaque on the shelter house. Contact Dr. Ron Black 419-538-6488 for information.

Found: pair of eye glasses @ Glandorf Park last Sunday after Easter Egg Hunt. Please claim them at the O-G high school.

STEWARDSHIP

Adults \$8,408.00 Auto Electronic Giving \$778.00 Loose \$1,055.05 Children \$153.18 Total: \$10,394.23
Mar. 18th – \$3,290.00

HEARTBEAT SUPPLIES NEEDED wipes and size 4 & 5 diapers. Heartbeat box is located in south vestibule of church.

The OTTAWA FOOD PANTRY items needed: jam & jelly, Mixed vegetables, kidney beans, creamed corn, boxed and bagged pasta (but not spaghetti), fruit cocktail, mandarin oranges, pineapple (all varieties), and cereal (all varieties) box is in the north vestibule of church.

Thanks for sharing your treasure, time, & talent with your St. John's parish family! We are most grateful



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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 – Classes are from 9:00 – 10:30 AM, The 2018 dates are May 13 & September 9, in room 15, in the parish center - presented by Deacon Don Inkrott. Pre-register by calling rectory.

ROSARY & BENEDICTION 5:00pm every third Sunday 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 The Diocese of Toledo has a marriage preparation class, entitled "A Joy-Filled Marriage." This is a mandatory, two-day class. St John's class will be November 3-4, 2018

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.

For high school CCD perfect attendance - in order to receive the \$50 award for *perfect attendance* at the end of your senior year you must attend every CCD class on time and the entire class with no excuses except attending a parish sponsored event.

DIOCESAN POLICY FOR CYO SPORTS – 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 CYO HIGH SCHOOL & PUTNAM COUNTY GRADE SCHOOL BOY'S & GIRL'S SPORTING TEAMS

ANNOUNCEMENT: 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 (which is not an excused absence) you will be sitting out one game.—**To play CYO sports, the following are the only excused absences from CCD: sickness, death in family, college visitation day, parish sponsored event, sport tournament games only with O-G athletes/fans involved, and work (up to 3 missed CCD classes due to work). After the third absence due to work, the player is not permitted to play in a game until he/she returns to CCD class.** All other reasons are unexcused. Parents, if your child is sick, please call his/her teacher/leader before class. If necessary, the Parish Council will review attendance or unexcused absence issues on an individual basis. We kindly ask the cooperation of all concerned as we implement this church policy for the good of our parish.

(Fr. Tony– pastor & Jeff Ellerbrock – Council Pres.)