



Come join us for
Mass at the Shrine
celebrating the Feast of
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel
on Thursday Evening,
July 16th at 7:00pm

It is on this day in about 1386 that **Our Lady** appeared to St. Simon Stock. She gave him a Brown Scapular saying, "Take, beloved son this scapular of thy order as a badge of **my** confraternity and for thee and all Carmelites a special sign of grace; whoever dies in this garment, will not suffer everlasting fire."

Following Mass: We will bring Our Lady of Fatima's Traveling Statue forward and then

Fr. Tony will lead us in the Rosary.

If you would like to bring **a flower or flowers** to lay before Our Lady of Fatima's Statue this night, feel free to bring them with you and place them by her statue inside the gate to the Shrine.

There were two other major messages and lessons Our Lady gave us on October 13, 1917. These have to do with how she identified herself as Our Lady of the Rosary and how she appeared during the miracle as Our Lady of Mount Carmel with a scapular. The message was clear. "Yes, the Rosary and the scapular are inseparable," Sister Lucia confirmed during an interview with two Carmelite priests. (Taken from Soul Magazine, Summer 2017)



Natural Family Planning Awareness Week

July 19-25 2020

is Natural Family Planning Awareness Week!

This year's theme is "Live the Truth and Beauty of God's Plan for Married Love."

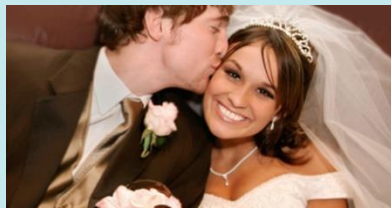
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As dating sites become more popular, learn about some of the best ones helping Catholics today.

[Dating and Engaged »](#)



Be ready to support any effort your spouse makes towards change, no matter how tentative or incomplete that effort is.

[Married Life »](#)



As some churches are beginning to re-open for Sunday Masses, it can be difficult for small children to focus again.

[Family & Parenting»](#)

Safe Haven Sunday



A response to the growing crisis of pornography in the household, Safe Haven Sunday is an initiative to directly address the harms of this industry on families.

[More on Safe Haven Sunday »](#)

Scripture tells us to "humbly regard others as more important than yourselves" (Phil 2:3). What act of humility can you practice in your marriage?

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SUNDAY, JULY 12 2020 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

‡ **MASS INTENTIONS/SCHEDULE** ‡

MONDAY, JULY 13 St. Henry

8:00 AM Adrian Utrup, L/D Edwin Duling Family, For those suffering of any illness and protection against COVID-19

9:00 – 11:00 AM Funeral Visitation in church

11:00 AM Funeral – Larry Kirkendall

TUESDAY, JULY 14 St. Kateri

8:00 AM Fred Schroeder, Mass in Thanksgiving Fr. Tony's 19th Anniversary in the Priesthood,

For those suffering of any illness and protection against COVID-19

WEDNESDAY, JULY 15 St. Bonaventure

8:00 AM Monica (AN) & Chuck Uphaus, In Thanksgiving Sarah Kreinbrink, In Thanksgiving Brooks Ruhe, Fr. Rick's 70th Birthday,

For those suffering of any illness and protection against COVID-19

6:00 PM – 7:00 PM Adoration

THURSDAY, JULY 16 Our Lady of Mount Carmel

8:00 AM L/D Jostpille/Schroeder Families, Leonard & Rosemary Kuhlman,

For those suffering of any illness and protection against COVID-19

7:00 PM For the Parish, Protection from Covid-19, For Peace in our nation

FRIDAY, JULY 17

8:00 AM Beverly Siefker, Religious Freedom,

For those suffering of any illness and protection against COVID-19

SATURDAY, JULY 18 St. Camillus de Lellis

8:00 AM Poor Souls,

For those suffering of any illness and protection against COVID-19

8:45 AM Confessions

4:00 PM Confessions (in church -Behind screen only – no face-to-face)

4:30 PM L/D Urban & Frances Meyer, Hannelore Verhoff, L/D George & Mary Kuhbander Family, Jacob M Schroeder &

Vicki Verhoff, L/D Edna & Gene Ellerbrock Family, Cletus Schroeder, Ed & Martha Mary & Don Smith

SUNDAY, JULY 19 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM Leonard Verhoff (AN)

10:30 AM Dennis Schroeder, Jeff Kleman, Ronald Myers Family, Amy Nienberg, L/D Sylvester & Veronica Meyerhoffer Family

6:30 PM Dick Coressel Family

God is sowing seeds of vocation to ordained ministry and consecrated life. Are you cultivating good soil in you and your family? May the seed take root in your heart. (Matthew 13:1-23)

For parents and teachers, may they cultivate a positive attitude about a vocation to ordained ministry and consecrated life, we pray:

**From the
Desk of
Fr. Tony**

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY, July 19 Wis 12:13, 16-19 Rom 8:26-27 Mt 13:24-43

**SUNDAY, JULY 12 2020
15th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Jesus says, "Hear then the parable of the sower. The seed sown on the path is the one who hears the word of the kingdom without understanding it, and the evil one comes and steals away what was sown in his heart. The seed sown on rocky ground is the one who hears the word and receives it at once with joy. But he has no root and lasts only for a time. When some tribulation or persecution comes because of the word,

he immediately falls away. The seed sown among thorns is the one who hears the word, but then worldly anxiety and the lure of riches choke the word and it bears no fruit. But the seed sown on rich soil is the one who hears the word and understands it, who indeed bears fruit and yields a hundred or sixty or thirtyfold."

It is not difficult to hear God's word but to keep that word in our hearts is another story. The devil is always trying to get our attention and always trying to divert us away from Christ. Satan sends anxieties of daily life our way. He is always trying to get us away from Christ's word. Satan does not want you to pray. He does not want you to spend one second in God's word. "The seed sown among thorns is the one who hears the word, but then worldly anxiety and the lure of riches choke the word and it bears no fruit." But when we spend time with God and his word and in front of the tabernacle, we come to know Christ. "But the seed sown on rich soil is the one who hears the word and understands it, who indeed bears fruit and yields a hundred or sixty or thirtyfold." He understands God's word because he spends time with his word. He wastes time with Jesus. He establishes the self-discipline of prayer each day. Talking to God and God talking to him.

If we do not enter into prayer each day, we will not represent Christ when the going gets tough. Why? Because we have not invested any time with Christ. Would you defend what you have not spent time with? You have no vested interest. Create roots for Christ in your heart. Time with Christ allows your roots to go deep into the mystery of God's soil. You then will be able to laugh at the tribulations the world sends to you. God bless you all. Fr. Tony



JULY GRANDorf Drawing (*two chances each month to win \$500*) will be today, Sun., July 12, no coffee & donuts will be served. Next drawing Sun., August 9.

WEEKDAY SERVERS: **Mon. 8:00AM:** Eddie Duling; **Tue., 8:00AM:** Diane Utrup; **Wed. 8:00AM:** Jerry Hanneman; **Thurs. 8:00AM:** Bob & Jackie Luttfiring; **Fri. 8:00AM:** Ken & Paula Elchinger; **Sat. 8:00AM:** Roger Schroeder.

Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel Outdoor Mass at the Marian Shrine across the street. Thursday, 7:00PM: LECTORS: Diana Meyer, Jeanne Schram; SERVER: Eric Kaufman; DISTRIBUTORS: Marie Strauer, Linda Moening, Jeff Schram, Louie & Mary Ellen Halker,

SUNDAY SERVERS: **Sat. 4:30PM:** Bob & Jackie Luttfiring; **Sun. 8:00AM:** Cliff Schroeder; **10:30AM:** Gene Warnecke; **6:30PM** Elton Schroeder

NEXT SUNDAY – July 19

| <u>EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS</u> | <u>LECTORS</u> |
|---|-------------------------------|
| 4:30 Doug Deitering Diane Deitering | Sharon Meyer Cari Homan |
| 8:00 Deb Leopold Steve Leopold | Andy Gray Deb Schroeder |
| 10:30 Julie Grismore Jane Moening | Mary Ellen Klear Dan Klear |
| 6:30 Lee Recker, Diane Recker, Ruth Gerding, Heather Haselman | Nicole Ruhe Greg Ruhe |

NEW 6:30 SUNDAY SCHEDULE WAS E-MAILED OUT

We will need 5 distributors along with Fr. Tony to distribute the Body of Christ at the 4:30pm, 8:00, & 10:30am. Let's also have distributor Number 2 distribute the Body since you have to help cleanse and set up after Mass. Thank you!

JULY SUNDAY USHERS: **Sat. 4:30 pm:** Roger Koch, Dave Schmitz; **Sun. 8:00 am:** Mark Maag, Alan Wrasman; **Sun. 10:30 am:** Jerry Recker, Al Hueve; **Sun. 6:30 pm:** Joe Riepenhoff

COUNTERS FOR SUNDAY: 7

ROSARY NEXT SUNDAY: Cliff & Janet Schroeder

JULY FUNERAL ROSARY LEADERS: Janet & Cliff Schroeder, Marilyn & Richard Siefker, Tom & Laura Hageman, Fran Roof, Bob & Rita Maag

We are now live on St. John the Baptist Catholic Church – Glandorf Facebook, NEW LINK click on https://youtu.be/euU_rgZLHeE and on our website click on the “View Live” button and on Glandorf Cable Channel 3 to see all the Masses, services and prayers. Thank you!
Just so you are aware: There is a live camera videoing at every moment of the day in the church. Thanks much!

FERVORINO –*The stress and anxieties of family life are like “thorns which choke off” any opportunity to reflect on God’s presence in our lives. Grasp five minutes each day to appreciate God walking with you.*

Note from Fr. Tony,
Missalettes will be available for you to use at Mass. If you take one please don't let it in the pew. Please bring it home and bring back with you each week. If you already picked up a missalette please bring to church and take home with you afterwards until restrictions are over then please disinfect and bring back to church. These missalettes are good until August 8.
We will have hand sanitizers at the doors of church.

Please do not enter the sanctuary area. You may go to Blessed Virgin & St. Joseph’s Shrines to light votive lights if you wish.
Please remember the rules to stay at least 6 feet from each other, if you have any symptoms of sickness (flu, cold or any other sickness) please do not (do not) go to church. Please stay home and pray. Stay safe and keep others safe. The church will be disinfected. Jesus, Mary & Joseph please keep us all safe. Fr. Tony Fortman, C.P.P.S.

“May Jesus be our delight, our peace our all.” St. Gaspar del Bufalo

Join Sts. Peter and Paul Parish in thanking Fr. Rick Friebe for his ministry as a Priest and wishing him a happy Retirement. A drive through reception will be held on Sunday, August 2nd from 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. in the Sts. Peter and Paul parking lot. Please stop by to wish Fr. Rick good luck in this new chapter in his life.



The Month of July is dedicated to the Precious Blood of Jesus

Adult Faith Information

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

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 5. You're in! No more passwords
- Have questions? Call 419-890-3724**

HEADS UP TO ALL – today, Sunday, July 11/12 we will not be able to have any overflow to the cafeteria for the 4:30pm, 8:00 & 10:30am Masses since our cafeteria is rented out for parties on Saturday/ Sunday of that weekend. Thank you!



Congratulations to,
Fr. Tony,
on your 19th Anniversary in the Priesthood of the Missionaries of the Precious Blood
Tuesday, July 14!
Happy belated 68th birthday to
Deacon Don
Last Wednesday, July 8!
And
Fr. Rick,
on your 70th birthday on Wednesday, July 15th!



BANNES: **I Kristin Wynn**, of St. Anthony's, Columbus Grove, daughter of Steven & Susan Wynn & **Jeremy Kaufman**, of this parish, son of Glenn & Jill Kaufman
II Rebecca Kaufman, of this parish, daughter of Carl & Lori Kaufman and **Derek Schimmoeller** of Immaculate Conception, Ottoville, son of Darren & Julie Schimmoeller.

GOD BLESS THE NEWLY WEDDED:

Mr. & Mrs. Douglas (Holly Hemrick) Langhals; Mr. & Mrs. Dustin (Emily Austin) Siefker



HOME TO GOD: Please remember in your Masses and prayers the souls of **Larry Kirkendall, Urban Selhorst, Judy Stechsulte & Dorothy Riepenhoff**. Our sincere sympathy is extended to **Ginny Kirkendall & Tricia Horstman** on the death of their loved one, Larry; to **Sonia Siefker & Sally Siefker** on the death of their loved one, Urban; and also to **Joe Fortman** on the death of his loving sister, Judy; and to **Gilbert & Joe Riepenhoff & Paul Kleman** on the death of their loved one, Dorothy.

DID YOU KNOW?

Francis Tobe will celebrate his 81st birthday on July 17
Melvin Nomina will celebrate his 80th birthday on July 18
Esther Recker will celebrate her 93rd birthday on July 20
Edward Schnipke will celebrate his 80th birthday on July 20
HAPPY BIRTHDAY FRANCIS, MELVIN, ESTHER & EDWARD



CONGRATULATIONS
ON YOUR
WEDDING ANNIVERSARY!

KENNETH & ROSE ANN
KAUFMAN

Sharon Stechschulte

Daniel

Annette Fuka

Angela Schumaker

Jacelyn Schroeder

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

CONFIRMATION CHANGE TO NOTE: Due to social distancing requirements, the Confirmation Mass scheduled for Sunday, October 11th will **NOW BE AT 2:00 pm** INSTEAD of 10:30am. Please note the change and let the sponsors know.

Summer Service Work Day for incoming 7th grade students will be Wednesday, Aug. 5 and Aug. 12, beginning with 8:00 Mass and ending at noon. You should have received a letter in the mail this past week. We need some parent supervision. Can you help? RSVP to Mindy Recker by Monday, July 20th. Can't wait to see you!!

High School CCD Information

Message from Ruth Gerding Coordinator of High School CCD:

e-mail me at stjohnshsccd@gmail.com

Thanks for signing your student up for HS CCD. If you have any questions, please contact me. I will be sending more information out in early August.

My contact number is 567-204-1275
Ruth Gerding, Coordinator of HS CCD

Wednesday Adoration from 6:00 – 7:00pm

Colleen Halker Youth Director colleen_halker@yahoo.com

RCIA INTEREST - RCIA classes are scheduled to begin in September in our parish. These sessions are open to all interested persons – those wishing to become a Catholic and Catholics who wish to up-date themselves. We welcome you. If you are interested please call the rectory 419-538-6928 to sign up.

Glandorf Fireman Chicken BBQ today, Sun., July 12, 11:00 -1:00pm, drive-thru at the Fire Station. Purchase your tickets from a fireman or at Brooky's.

Glandorf St. John's Catholic Preschool, has just a few openings for next school year. Please e-mail Lori at stjohnspreschool@bright.net for information. Thank you

Parish Festival St. Barbara/Cloverdale (160 Main St.). Due to COVID-19, a Drive-thru Carry-out will take the place of our usual festival activities. Today, *Sunday, July 12th*, the parish will sponsor a BBQ Chicken Meal--includes 1/2 Chicken, Green Beans, Noodles, Applesauce & Roll. Serving from 11:00 a.m. till gone. \$9.00 per meal. (Meals can be picked up on the South side of the Parish Center).

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion and Lector: If you would like to become an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion or a lector at Holy Mass please call the rectory 419-538-6928 if you haven't already done so for high school and adults.

Putnam County Right to Life annual Garage & Bake Sale will be held Wed., August 12 (9:00am to 7:00pm) & Thurs., August 13 (9:00am to 3:00pm). Baked goods and gently used items can be dropped off at the Ottawa Knights of Columbus Hall (Ottawa) on Tuesday, August 11th, from 9:00am to 6:00pm.

Glandorf St. John's St. Bonifester is scheduled for Saturday, October 31, from 3:00pm - midnight. **Awesome, we would like to thank another anonymous farmer for donating 1 steer for this Year. Fantastic! Thank you very much!** We are asking for pork donations. If you are interested in donating for the festival please call the rectory 419-538-6928. Thank you very much!

St. Bonifester pumpkin seeds: With everything that has been going on lately let's get on a positive note. How about picking up some pumpkin seeds from the rectory or from Wade Warnecke and try your luck at growing the biggest pumpkin by October 31.

Fall 2020 CYO Volleyball Informational Packets are in the back of the church for anyone interested in playing 5th & 6th grade CYO girls' volleyball for the upcoming 2020 Fall season. If you have any questions or are interested in coaching the 5th grade team please call Nikka McKee at 419-615-4515.

MARRIAGE NEWS - The next non-residential Marriage Encounter weekend will be held at St Anthony's church, Columbus Grove, August 29-30 (God willing). This parish gets priority until 2 weeks prior. Tune up your marriage after this pandemic. Fr. Harry will be the presenting priest. Just call Brian & Chris at 419-538-7210.

2020 PICTORIAL DIRECTORY – We received word from Life Touch that they are temporarily closed because of the Covid-19. They will be back in office around June. Our books will be delayed until possibly the end of summer. Just so you are aware!

St. Mary's School is seeking to fill the music teaching position for the 2020-2021 year and beyond. Ideal candidates must hold valid Ohio licensure (preferred), be able to pass FBI/BCI Background checks, as well as complete the Ohio Department of Education and Diocese of Toledo Requirements. Interested applicants should submit a resume, cover letter, and three letters of recommendation to Michelle Knippen mknippen@sms.ls.noacsc.org

Lunch in The Park, July 16, 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM, Ottawa Senior Citizens Center, 1035 East Third Street, Ottawa, Ohio 45875. Lunch Choices: Grilled Hamburger Platter, Grilled Bologna Platter, Brats Platter, Pies and Drinks. Dine outside in the Park or carry out. Carryout available by calling 419-523-5593

Message from Bishop Thomas: The guidelines issued in the May 8, 2020 memorandum remain in effect, until the now extended date of September 1, 2020, unless you are notified beforehand of any amendment, revocation, or continuance. **Kindly remind the faithful that they continue to be dispensed from their obligation to attend Sunday Mass until further notice. Those who are elderly, sick, or in a high-risk category are strongly encouraged to refrain from attending Mass.**

Remember Those Who Have Gone Before Us-July 12-19

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| John Schmenk 7/12/96 | Blanche M Hovest 7/15/10 |
| Frances A Schroeder 7/12/06 | Monica R Uphaus 7/15/19 |
| Rita A Verhoff 7/12/07 | Sylvester Bockrath 7/17/88 |
| Bertha C Meyer 7/13/83 | August Bockrath 7/18/95 |
| Edwin F Sager 7/13/88 | Cletus A Gerdeman 7/18/13 |
| Lauretta T Uphaus 7/13/89 | Teresa C Warnecke 7/18/14 |
| Verena Mullett 7/13/14 | Leo Brinkman 7/19/85 |
| Donald S Recker 7/13/17 | Esther Rose Kleman 7/19/96 |
| Ronald H Schmenk 7/14/09 | Barbara Maag 7/19/98 |
| Mary Ann Wurth 7/14/10 | Dorothy Knapke 7/19/12 |

Mustard Seed Gift Shop is open and will resume normal business hours. Tues, Thurs, & Fri 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.; Wed 12:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.; Sat 8:00 a.m. - 1:00pm

**- No more than 5 customers in store; - Say 6' apart
- Wear a mask (highly encouraged)**

Please follow all CVID – 19 safety guidelines

Store 419-538-7220

Brenda Maag 419-235-3106

Julie Barlage 419-303-5366

STEWARDSHIP

June 28th Collection

Adults \$7,363.00 Auto Electronic Giving \$1,750.00 Loose \$878.00 Children \$30.50 Total: \$10,021.50

June 21st – Adults/Children \$1,325.00 Loose \$344.00

July 5th Collection

Adults \$6,169.00 Auto Electronic Giving \$1,750.00 Loose \$566.00 Children \$32.50 Total: \$8,517.55

June 28th – Adults/Children \$1,072.00 Loose \$147.00

Monthly Auto W/drawl Online: \$ 4050

2020 DIOCESAN ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL: Thank you, thank you, thank you! You did it! Glandorf St. John's went over our goal of \$39,000 – Paid: **\$39,725.08**. My parishioners are awesome! Thank you! God bless you all, Fr. Tony



Ottawa Food Pantry: Cereal, breakfast bars, hamburger helper type meals, boxed potatoes, tomato sauce, deodorant, jelly/jam, snacks (crackers, chips, etc.) Note: Monetary donations are likewise welcome during this pandemic. Send to Trinity United Methodist Church, in care of Sandi Racer. **Thank you for your willingness to help the less fortunate!**

Thank you to all of you who have been continuing to make your weekly/monthly contributions to your St. John's parish family and for sharing your treasure, time, & talent with your St. John's parish family! We are most grateful!

**St. John the Baptist Catholic Church
GLANDORF, OHIO
St. George Deanery
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REV. TONY FORTMAN, C.P.P.S.**

Pastor

DEACON DONALD INKROTT

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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 class will be **Sunday, Sept. 20th, 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 First 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 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 7 & 8, 2020.

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’s address: Br. Jerry Schulte, C.PP.S., St. Charles Center, 2860 US Route 127 Rm 107, Celina, OH 45822

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 & Brenda Recker – Council Pres.)