



Priesthood Sunday today, Sunday, October 29th is a special day set aside to honor the priesthood in the United States. It is a day to reflect upon and affirm the role of the priesthood in the life of the Church. Let's honor Fr. Tony, Fr. Rick & Fr. Harry on this very special day for all priests!



**Come join us for the 8th Annual
ST. BONIFEST
ST. JOHN'S ~ GLANDORF, OHIO
SATURDAY, OCT. 28, 2017
St. John's Parish Center
3:00 p.m. to Midnight**

4:00 p.m. Mass at St. John's Church

5 – 7 p.m. Wedding Style Beef & Pork Dinners

Beef, Pork, Mashed Potatoes, Noodles, Corn, Roll, Dessert and Drink.

Meal tickets Adults \$8.00 Children \$4.00 (10 and under)

3 – 9 p.m. Silent Auction - Cafeteria

3:30 p.m. Ohio State vs. Penn State - on the BIG screen

5 – 8:30 p.m. Adult Faith Room, # 9

- Come check out some of the upcoming events for adults in our parish
- Knights of Columbus/Browse The Mustard Seed Catholic gift shop

Check out St. John's History Scrapbooks in Room #14

6:00 – 8:00 p.m. Kids Games

Gambling including:

- Reverse Drawing
- 50-50, Columbus Grove Dairy dip ice cream, Delphos Creamery dip ice cream & Schwann's Meat Raffles (tickets were sent to you in the St. Bonifest mailing)
- Games of Chance
- No Buckeye betting boards this year since 3:30 game
- **BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND** –“Horse Races” -7:00, 8:00 , 9:00 and 10:00 pm

Stick around after the game: Prizes Awarded

Halloween Costume Judging Contest

Giant Pumpkin Contest

Enjoy Beer, Pop, Brats, Hot Dogs, Chips, Pretzels and **WINE** (back from last year)

Everyone Welcome! Call 419-538-6928 for meal tickets

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2017 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

✠ MASS INTENTIONS/SCHEDULE ✠

MONDAY, OCTOBER 30

8:00 AM For the Poor Souls

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31

8:00 AM For the Poor Souls

4:30 PM Ken Ellerbrock

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1 ALL SAINTS' DAY – Holy Day

8:00 AM For the Parish (All School Mass)

7:00 PM L/D Victor Verhoff Family; L/D Edwin Schroeder Family, Angie Schulte

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2 All Souls' Day

8:00 AM Rosary and students practice the readings

8:40 AM Fr. Tony's Special Intentions

2:00 PM Poor Souls-Meadows of Ottawa (Fr. Tony)

6:30 PM Holy Father

FIRST FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3 St. Martin de Porres

6:00 AM Religious Freedom

8:00 AM Poor Souls

6:30 PM Wedding Rehearsal-Sharon Meyer

FIRST SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4 St. Charles Borromeo

8:00 AM World Peace **Confessions at 8:30am**

1:00 PM Nuptial-Schroeder-Utendorf

4:30 PM L/D Rita Hermiller Family, Arnold Borgelt & Elaine Ellerbrock, Carl Stechschulte, Dean Shalter (AN), Ruth Ann Stechschulte, Madonna Kamphaus

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5 31th Sunday in Ordinary Time - National Vocation Awareness Week Begins - Daylight Savings Time ends

8:00 AM L/D Mary Ann Recker Family, Alberta Ruhe, L/D Don(An) Unterbrink Family

10:30 AM Mass in Thanksgiving Joe & Jane Uphaus 50th Wedding An., L/D Bill & Odelia Schroeder Family,

L/D Virgil & Betty Ellerbrock Family, Ron Meyer

6:30 PM For the Parish

How do you en flesh the great commandment of love? Be aware of how others show this vital commandment. Encourage those who you respect to dedicate their lives to ministry in the Church. (Matthew 22:34-40)

For catechists and parents, may they instill the commandment of love as they help our youth grow in Christian faith, we pray:

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY Nov 5 - Mal 1:14b-2:2b, 8-10; 1 Thes 2:7b-9-13; Mt 23:1-12(151)

Jesus tells the Jewish elders and us today to love God with our whole heart, with our whole soul and with our whole mind. Then we are to love our neighbor as we love ourselves. If we can remember to do this our whole lives then we will be in right relationship with God. But the difficult part about loving God and our neighbor is that we forget. I think this world sends you and me into a tail spin the moment we wake up in the morning.

That is why it is so good to start the day with reading scripture. God's word sets the tone for us the rest of the day. If we jump out of bed right away and just hurry along with work, then we will be missing God's plans for you and me. Don't let the world send you into a tail spin right away in the morning. You do have control of your decisions. Sometimes we have to get up a little earlier than we are used to in order to get our prayer time in. Make the sacrifice.

This world is a tricky place. In today's gospel the Jewish elders were trying to get Jesus into a trap. You and I need Jesus if we are going to be a step ahead of Satan. Satan hates the rosary because he knows that you are meditating on the life of Christ when you meditate on the mysteries of the rosary. Satan wants to keep you busy and occupied about many things. Take time for Christ and his word. Remember to be good to yourself because God wants you to love him, others, and yourself. God bless you all. Fr. Tony

WEEKDAY SERVERS: Mon. 8:00 AM: Gary Recker, Pat Inkrott; Tues. 8:40 AM: Students; Tues. 4:30PM: if you can serve text Elton;

Wed. 8:00 AM: Students; Wed. 6:00PM: No Mass: Wed. 7:00PM: if you can serve text Elton; Thurs. 8:40 AM: Students; Fri. 6AM: Jeff Schram, Joe Schroeder; Fri. 8:00AM Ken & Paula Elchinger; Sat. 8AM: Lauren Trombley, Brandon Warnecke, Colin White, Katelyn Kaufman

No WEDNESDAY 6:00PM Mass, please attend the 7:00pm

ALL SAINTS' DAY – Holy Day of Obligation

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

4:30 Julie Grismore
Jane Moening

7:00 Sue Bellman
Edna Nienberg

LECTORS

Mary Ellen Klear
Dan Klear

Don Giesige
Tony Schroeder

GIFT BEARERS: Tue. 4:30pm Dale & Ruth Gerding; Wed. 7:00pm: Ray Diemer Family.

Ushers: Tue. 4:30pm Don & Ginnie Riepenhoff; Wed. 8:00am: students, Wed. 7:00pm: Chris & Tim Hoehn

SUNDAY SERVERS – NOV 5: Sat. 4:30 PM Austin Foppe, Lexi Koch, Zachary Schmitz, Adam Schmitz; Sun. 8:00 AM Dylan Leopold, Marissa Maag, Tayla Meyer, Evan Morman; 10:30 AM Mitchell Kaufman, Dylan Birkemeier, Austin Birkemeier, Chance Fry; 6:30 PM: Jack Dalrymple, Averie Kaufman, Kirsten Siefker

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

4:00 Marciel Schroeder
Rachel Recker

8:00 Mark Schroeder
Tammy Schroeder

10:30 Jason Kleman
Marlene Kleman

6:30 Geri Recker, Lauren Nussbaum
Kathleen Roof, Mick Brickner

LECTORS

Kim Rieman
Kathy Schmitz

Nicole Ruhe
Greg Ruhe

Diane Nienberg
Edna Nienberg, Julie Uphaus

Diane Nienberg
Jill Siefker

COMMUNION TO THE MEADOWS: Darlene Miller, Linda Schroeder

GIFT BEARERS: Sat. 4:30 PM Fred Bockrath Family; Sun. 8:00AM Rodney Warnecke Family; Sun. 10:30AM Joe & Jane Uphaus Family

NOVEMBER SUNDAY USHERS: Sat. 4:30 PM Dale Evers, Matt Bockrath; Sun. 8:00 AM: Jane Kaufman, Henry Kaufman; 10:30AM: Jerry Recker, Al Hueve; 6:30 PM: Mary Ellen Halker

COUNTERS: #2

VIDEOGRAPHER: Sat. 4:30 PM: Emily Hamel

ROSARY NEXT SUNDAY: Tim & Mer Lehman

NOVEMBER FUNERAL ROSARY LEADERS: Deb & Mike Ebbeskotte, Betty & Don Nienberg, Carol Kaufman, Ann Fortman, Diane Utrup, Alice Palte, Steve & Deb Leopold

Glandorf St. John's Capital Campaign Update: (10/2/2017)

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

Pledged: \$847,899 Paid: \$806,747: 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

Adult Faith Information

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

Calling All Adults
Symbolon DVD Series – The Catholic Faith Explained
October 30 6-7:30pm Parish Center
Mary & the Saints

Come journey alongside the RCIA Candidates.

Fr. Rick will also be offering a RCIA class on Tuesdays, Room 15 in our parish center from 10:00 – 11:30am for those who may work 2nd shift and can't make the evening sessions.

COMING SOON to ST. JOHN'S!!

“THE TRIUMPH” A PRE-ADVENT PARISH MISSION on MARY
Sunday, Nov. 12 – Wed. Nov. 15, 2017 in the church

Come hear Fr. David Gunter, MIC,
give his testimony of his experience of the powerful
intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Learn why the Church venerates her, and understand the
“Triumph” of the Immaculate Heart.

Sunday, Nov. 12 - 7:45 PM Testimony and Introduction

Monday, Nov. 13 - 7:00PM Catechesis Background

Tuesday, Nov. 14 - 7:00PM What Has Heaven Been Saying to Us?

Wednesday, Nov. 15 - 7:00PM Final remarks concerning “The Triumph”.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction.

Please note the time on Sunday is 7:45PM due to the 6:30pm Mass.

All other evenings the Mission starts at 7:00PM.

A FREE WILL offering will be taken up.

Fr. David will be preaching at all weekend Masses

MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR ALL 4 NIGHTS!!

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 Saturday/Sunday, November 4/5. Sign-up sheet is available on the register back in church this week. If you can't make it to church to sign in please call Ann Fortman 419-235-6734.

At the end of October, our parish traveling statue of Our Lady of Fatima will be leaving our church. This statue was purchased many years ago by our Altar Rosary Society with the intention that our parishioners would invite Mary into their homes. Please call Marie Strauer if you would like to have Mary come and visit your home and family for a week. She will bring many blessings to your household.

CEMETERY NOTICE: Fall clean-up at the cemetery is underway. Please remove all spring & summer flowers, etc. After November 1, 2017 all will be discarded. Please no winter blankets are to be placed on the ground. Also, if you are missing an ornament that was on your grave site please contact Jeff Gerding, Cemetery Caretaker and Manager. Thank you!

C. L. OF C. MEETING, ELECTION OF OFFICERS, & ROAD KILL BINGO Wed., Nov. 1st, 7:00PM. \$5 per card.

FIRST FRIDAY, NOV. 3, 6:00 AM & 8:00 AM Mass, Novena, & Divine Mercy. **1:00 – 4:00 p.m. Public Adoration of the Eucharist closing with Benediction at 4:00pm.** Come and pray for the needs of our Church!

Ottawa K of C Fall Chicken & Fish Fry: November 3, 10, 17; Serving 4:30pm to 7:00pm.

TMIY week 9 next Saturday, November 4th in cafeteria, 6:00am

Week 9 - Love is Expansive

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The Two Become One

The Mutual Indwelling of Spouses

The Self-Expansion Model

Self Expansion for the Child

The Use of Technology

Technology and Isolation

Glandorf Leaf pick-up till Wednesday, Nov. 22.

FIRST SATURDAY, NOV. 4, 8:00 AM Mass with confession following. 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 bulletin board in the center vestibule.

Saints Peter and Paul Parish in Ottawa annual FALL FESTIVAL on Sunday, November 5, in the school cafeteria on Locust Street. Chicken and Roast Beef dinners will be served FAMILY STYLE from 11:30 until 4:00.

Remember Those Who Have Gone Before Us - Oct 29-Nov 4

Carolyn M Parys 10/29/13	Philip W Gerding 11/3/04
Raymond A Spangler 10/29/02	Dorothy Kuhlman 11/3/03
William H Palte 10/29/92	Margaret Brinkman 11/3/96
Wayne Lee Walters 10/30/13	Leonard C Karhoff 11/3/92
Hazel R Leap 10/31/13	Paul A German 11/4/15
Gabriel Recker 10/31/96	Leona Kleman 11/4/03
Gertrude Drerup 11/1/05	Dean R Shalter 11/4/02
Josephine Leatherman 11/2/91	Mary Gerding 11/4/96
Norbert F Sager 11/2/88	Joseph Nienberg 11/4/86

First Saturdays in Honor of the Immaculate Heart of Mary - St. Mary Parish, Leipsic, is proud to respond to the turbulence of our times and the urgent need to pray for peace. Please come join us for the next five First Saturdays beginning November 4, 2017. Adoration/Rosary will begin at 8:00 a.m. with Holy Mass to follow around 8:30 a.m. Let us all pray that there will be a good response to this specific plea of the Blessed Virgin Mary in her apparitions to the three Shepherd children of Fatima and let this be our effort to respond to Our Lady's call. Thank you!

The Mustard Seed hours: Tues, Thurs and Fri open 9:00 to 5:00; Wed 12 to 8pm; Saturday 8:00am to 1:00pm. **Store 419-538-7220**

Brenda Maag 419-235-3106 Julie Barlage 419-303-5366

Knights of Columbus Seminar: Attention Catholic Families! Have you ever wondered? Whether you or a family member is 20 weeks old in the womb, 2 days old, 20 years old or 92 years old, the Knights of Columbus is here to help you in the Life Planning process. Did you know that the Knights of Columbus handles more than just life insurance? Come find out more at our free educational seminars held in the parishes throughout the county during the month of November. You need not be a current member of the Knights of Columbus to attend. Your parish's seminar is: Nov. 6, 9:30-10:30am, 7-8pm at Glandorf St. John Parish Center Room 15. Light Refreshments will be provided. See: danturnwald.org for other Seminar times/locations.

SPIRIT & SONG group practice will be Tuesday, Nov. 7, 6:30-8:00pm for the Nov. 11, 4:30 Mass

On Sunday, November 5, 2017 at 2:30 p.m. there will be **Eucharistic Adoration** and Benediction at the Sorrowful Mother Shrine Chapel (4106 State Route 269, Bellevue, OH 44811). We will be praying for all the Faithful Departed especially those who died in the last year.

Columbus Grove St. Anthony School Bingo for Bags - It's a ladies night out event! On Friday, November 10th, BINGO FOR BAGS in the church basement in Columbus Grove. All purses are designer bags. The doors open at 6:00 p.m. with bingo beginning at 7:00 p.m. Tickets are \$30 each which includes 20 bingo games and light hors d'oeuvres. There will be drinks available, 50/50, and raffle items. Contact Kate Morman at 419-659-6085 or mormanfarms@metalink.net

STEWARDSHIP

Adults \$7,513.00 Auto Electronic Giving \$778.00 Loose \$893.25 Children \$114.40 Total: \$9,298.65

Oct. 15th - \$1,677.49

Heartbeat supplies needed: wipes and diapers. Heartbeat box is located in south vestibule of church.

The OTTAWA FOOD PANTRY is currently in need of jelly(not grape), saltines, Town House, & Ritz crackers. Plastic grocery bags needed. Monetary donations are always welcome, as well.

Thanks 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

Missionaries of the Precious Blood

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FR. RICK FRIEBEL, C.PP.S.

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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 January 14, in church basement, 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 4-5, 2017

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.)