ST. STEPHEN CHURCH NILES, OHIO

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY, MAY 30th

4:30 p.m. AMY SPISAK (Fred & Dorothy Bianco) SUNDAY, MAY 31st ~ THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

9:30 a.m. **CHUCK HOGAN** (Family)

MONDAY, JUNE 1st

NO MASS

TUESDAY, JUNE 2nd

DOROTHY MAURO (Frank Burke) 8:30 a.m.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3rd

NO MASS

THURSDAY, JUNE 4th

8:30 a.m. **JANE CERA** (Family)

FRIDAY, JUNE 5th

NO MASS

SATURDAY, JUNE 6th

4:30 p.m. BILL BRADLEY (Wife)

SUNDAY, JUNE 7th

9:30 a.m. ROSE COREA PITT (Billie Marie and Anthony Cocca)

NOTE: If you would like to bring up the offertory gifts during a Mass that is scheduled for a family member or friend, please see the ushers before

WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP:

ATTENDANCE:

Saturday, May 23, 2015 4:30 p.m. Mass...139 9:30 a.m. Mass...152 Sunday, May 24, 2015

STEWARDSHIP: ~ WEEKLY BUDGETED NEED \$ 5,788.00 \$ 4,643.50 SUNDAY OFFERING

(\$ 1,144.50)

Surplus/(Deficit) 170 Envelopes

Thank you for your continued support of your parish.

THEME: BLESSED ARE WE TO SHARE IN THE DIVINE LIFE OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY.

On this solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity, we affirm our faith that God exists as a Trinity-Father, Son and Holy Spiritunited together in love. Through Baptism and faith in Jesus. we have been given a share in the divine life of the Trinity. This being the case, let us seek to live in ever greater unity with God and with one another.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

In the first reading, Moses tells the Israelites how special it was that God chose them to be His people. In the second reading, Paul teaches that those who are led by the Spirit are children of God and heirs to eternal life with Christ, if they are willing to suffer with Him. In the Gospel, Jesus commissions the disciples to go forth and make disciples of all nations.

FAMILY PERSPECTIVE

In today's Gospel, Jesus commands, "Teach them to carry out everything I have commanded you." This command is meant for every Christian. In light of this command, parenting is not only the most difficult task a person can take on, it is also one of the most apostolic and missionary tasks. Jesus commands all parents to teach their children "all that I have commanded vou."

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT

The gift of a Triune God, Father, Son and Spirit, is that even our God is one of relationship. Never contradicting the other persons of the trinity, they work in unison to bring about peace and love. Through the Trinity, we are called to become one as well. We are called to work together, united in the cause of promoting God's love throughout the world. May the power of the Trinity challenge us in this work.

PARISH NEWS

"MORE THAN JUST THE CHURCH BULLETIN"

Please be sure to visit our website: www.ststephenchurchniles.com.

ETERNAL FLAME INTENTIONS - Week of MAY 31st IN MEMORY OF WILMA KASIEWICZ

By Husband, Henry

IN MEMORY OF DANNY TANEYHILL

By Mom, Mary Ann and Joe Ring

SANCTUARY LAMP INTENTION FOR VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD

We have openings for the Eternal Flame and the Sanctuary Lamp intentions. The offering is \$5.00 and they will burn all week of the date you request. Please call the rectory to schedule.

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

Our prayers and sympathy are extended to the families and friends of these recently departed parishioners ~

Mary Tripodi, Julia Chuirazzi, Vera Babosh, and Ellen Slick.



I Maura Miller - Michael Dutton

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Serving Mass June 6th & 7th

Eucharistic Minister Bread

D. Donnelly June 6th June 7th N. Hlad

Eucharistic Ministers Cup

June 6th J. Abraham/J. Yuhasz June 7th L. Burgess/M. Nicholas

Lectors

June 6th M. McMahon June 7th C. Sylvester

Altar Servers

F. Hrosar/A. Vigorito June 6th June 7th S. Garcar/P. Wilson

Sacristans

J. Whetstone June 6th June 7th L. Yuhasz

PLEASE NOTE: If you need to have communion brought to you at your seat, please notify the ushers before Mass.

MINISTRIES TO THE SICK/HOMEBOUND

Do you know someone who would welcome the opportunity to receive the Eucharist at home? Please call Connie at 330-652-5511 and they will be added to our visitation list.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL TRUMBULL CO. DEANERY is in need of gently used items for the thrift store. Among the items we will accept are furniture, appliances (large and small) and clothing. For free pick-up or questions, please call 330-369-4198. Please help us to help others.

HONORING OUR HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

All 2015 graduates from St. Stephen Parish are invited to the 9:30 a.m. Mass on Sunday, June 14, for special recognition from your parish community. The Niles Catholic Women's Club will serve cake and punch on the church lawn following the Mass, weather permitting.

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY MAY 31, 2015



OUR ST. STEPHEN TUITION ANGEL FUND

Continues to be available to our parish families who have children attending any Catholic School in the area. Donations continue to be accepted!



SAVE THE DATE..... AUGUST 29, 2015, PARISH PICNIC Our Parish Picnic will be held on our Parish grounds on Saturday, August 29th after 4:30 p.m. Mass. An organizational meeting will be scheduled soon!

THIS WEEK AT ST. STEPHEN

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3:30-4:00 p.m. Reconciliation

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NCWC NEWS

Lottery Raffle – See any NCWC member for tickets for their Lottery Raffle based on the PA Lottery Pick 3 daytime drawing (straight only) for the month of June. The \$10.00 tickets will be sold through May. Weekday prize is \$25.00, Weekend Prize is \$50.00, Father's Day Grand Prize is \$500.00. For more info or tickets, you may also call Patty Fuda at 330-505-1628.

Harry Stevens Day...NCWC will once again sponsor a booth at Harry Stevens Day on Sunday, June 28. They are asking for donations of canned pop and bottled water to be dropped off at the Parish Center the week of June 20-27. They are also asking for donations of homemade baked goods that can be delivered to the Parish Center on Saturday, June 27. Please call Jacquie Whetstone at 330-397-1427 to make arrangements for delivery or for more information.

USHERS NEEDED

Volunteers are needed for ushers. Please consider helping us out with this ministry. You are already here! We are not asking for a commitment every Sunday. Please say YES!



SAVE THE DATE! VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL, AUGUST 3-6 HERE AT ST. STEPHEN PARISH CENTER! CHURCH AT HOME COLLECTION: Next weekend, parishes in our diocese will participate in the combined collection for three major CHURCH AT HOME ministries. The Catholic Campaign for Human Development provides local diocesan and national support for groups of low-income persons to change their lives. Twenty-five percent of the CCHD collection stays in the Diocese to support local efforts. The Catholic Communication Campaign supports the efforts of the Catholic Television Network of Youngstown (CTNY) and other national telecommunications services to help spread the Word of God. Fifty percent of the CCC collection stays in the Diocese. The Catholic University of America and Newman Campus Ministries continue the education programs at the national university of our Catholic Church. Your generous support of the collection next weekend is greatly appreciated.

IN THE COMMUNITY

COMMUNITY SUPPERS...NO DINNERS JUNE AND JULY

NILES COMMUNITY SERVICES...JUNE FOOD COLLECTION... TUNA AND TUNA HELPER

HARRIET'S CUPBOARD – JUNE: SHAMPOO, CONDITIONER, SOAP, BODY WASH...There is a large basket in the vestibule of the church for those who wish to help with this mission of Catholic Charities.

2015 VILLA MARIA-THON...Great run...Great fun... For everyone! Saturday, June 6th (rain or shine) 9:00 a.m. on the scenic grounds of Villa Maria Community Center! Come and enjoy activities for everyone, from the serious runner to children of all ages! Cost of the 5K Run is \$20.00, 2 Mile Walk..\$15.00, Children's 50 Yard Dash..Free. To register, call 724-964-8886 or register on the website at www.humilityofmary.org.

FAMILY PILGRIMAGE TO PAPAL VISIT IN PHILADELPHIA: September 25-27... Cost: \$250.00 per adult/\$160.00 per child. Includes motor coach transportation, public transportation, lodging, dinner Friday, continental breakfast and snacks Saturday and Sunday. Campsites are available. For more information, contact David Schmidt, Office of Pro-Life, Marriage and Family Life, Diocese of Youngstown at dschmidt@youngstowndiocese.org or call 330-744-8451, ext. 272.

SUMMER TRUNK SALE..ST. WILLIAM PARISH, CHAMPION: Saturday, June 13, 2015, 8:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m. A one-day garage sale from the trunk of your car. \$15.00 per space (limit 2 spaces per vendor). Food, Special Raffles, 50/50 Drawing. If interested in reserving a spot, please contact the parish office at 330-847-8677.

PARISH FESTIVALS 2015

June 4-7 St. Clement Church/Holy Family Parish, Navarre, OH

June 27-28
July 10-12
July 10-12
July 10-12
July 15-19
July 17-19
July 12-19
August 9

St. Ambrose Church, Garrettsville, OH
Our Lady of Peace, Ashtabula, OH
St. Joseph Parish, Mogadore, OH
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, Niles, OH
St. Joseph Parish, Mantua, OH
St. Louis Parish, Louisville, OH
Our Lady of Sorrows, Youngstown, OH

PARKINSON'S FUND RAISER: A pasta dinner will be held on Sunday, June 7, to benefit Parkinson's research. The dinner will be held at Station Square Restaurant in Liberty Township from 1:00-4:30 p.m. Menu includes five pastas and sauces, meatballs, salad, bread and dessert. Prices are \$15.00 for adults; \$8.00 for children 6-12 and children under five free. A Chinese Raffle and 50/50 Raffle are included. Sponsored by the Moon and Stars Unity Walk Team, 100% of the donations will go to Parkinson's Unity Walk for research to find a cure for Parkinson's disease. Call Peggy Poole at 330-759-3459 for more info.

AGE 60+ Welcome to attend the Nutrition Site at the United Steelworker's Hall, Main St. in Niles, Monday through Friday, 11:30 a.m. Suggested meal donation is \$2.00. Call 330-675-2486. Call 2 working days in advance to make a reservation for a good meal, socialization and volunteer opportunities. More info...Trumbull County Office of Elderly Affairs.

CASINO BUS TRIP: Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Society, Niles, is hosting a Casino Bus Trip to the Meadows on Tuesday, June 9. Cost is \$28.00, get \$30.00 free slot play. Bus will leave Rogers Lumber parking lot next to the church at 9:00 a.m. and leave the casino at 5:30 p.m. Call Mary at 330-544-6085.