St. Michael the Archangel Catholic Church, Kalida, Ohio - July 11, 2021

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From the Desk of Fr. Mark

Hi, everyone.

It's time to let my inner child out. It is Vacation Bible



time. I missed Continental's VBS this year due to the mission trip to Appalachia. So I am really looking forward to singing and dancing the praises of God. It should be another big year with over 200 children involved. There are also a record number of young people helping,

(that includes all volunteers, as you are young at heart when you help at VBS). I look forward to people standing up and, fully-throated, claiming God. Our young people just shout it out that they love the Lord. I don't know at what age or what stage in life that it becomes uncool to speak or sing the praises of God. But for this one week in July, it is cool to say that Jesus is cool and to let others know that God is everything in our lives. I think of the scripture verses that say to let the children come to me. This one week is a good beginning to what should be a lifetime of praising God and enjoying God-moments. And for many children, VBS goes on for more than this one week. I hear children's bible songs coming from houses the rest of the summer. I see children dancing in driveways. VBS songs play in my head for weeks after. Children request these songs to be played at Mass when school begins.

One week ago, I was in Kentucky for our mission trip. One part of the mission trip that I enjoy is that the culture of the Appalachian people is to claim God. I can't tell you how often our mission group was blessed by God and blessed by the people around Beattyville. The people we ministered to and with openly voiced their love of God and wished that love upon us for offering our helping hands. I enjoy that part of our mission trips. It is almost like an Adult VBS.

And, so, I am looking forward to this coming week, as for one week, we are all children of God. Vacation Bible School is open. Say a prayer for all those who get to share in this joy-filled week.

May God bless you all. Fr. Mark

Mass Intentions & Schedule for the Week

TUESDAY, JULY 13

8:00 AM Larry Haselman

WEDNESDAY, JULY 14 St. Kateri Tekakwitha

8:00 AM Harold Barnhart

THURSDAY, JULY 15 St. Bonaventure

7:30 PM **Matthew Brickner**

Herk Selhorst, Tom Wannemacher

FRIDAY, JULY 16

Lincoln Harold Roebke 8:00 AM

SATURDAY, JULY 17

4:30 PM Bill Cleemput, Gary Bockrath

Ray, Dorothea & Ron Averesch

L/D Horstman Family, Alvin Horstman Cv. Cecelia & Nick & Loretta Vorst

SUNDAY, JULY 18

8:00 AM **Bud** Guisinger, Martha Turnwald

Emma Jane McVev

Don & Ted Kahle 11:00 AM

L/D Kahle, Clement & Ardner Families,

Don Laudick, Ron Kahle, Jr.

Last Sunday's Collection \$7,365.50

Donation of School Supplies

Children attending this year's VBS are asked to bring school



supplies and/or monetary donations for the children in Appalachia. Our mission group, which just came back from doing work there, will deliver the supplies in early August. Anyone else who would like to help out can put

school supplies at the entrances of church and monetary donations in the collection, marked "school supplies." Thanks!

Vacation Bible School Details

Monday Registration: 5:40 p.m. on Monday, July 12, at

the Elevator Entrance of Church

Tues, Wed, Thurs: Drop off is between 5:50-5:55 p.m.

Pick-Up/Drop-Off: Drop off and pick up your child

near the elevator entrance.

The street between the church and

school will be closed.

Thursday, July 15, at 8:00 p.m.

at St. Michael's Gym

Sunday, July 18, at 11:00 a.m.





Groundbreaking Ceremony at Holy Name Ballpark This Monday!

Groundbreaking Ceremony at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, July 12, for the new turf playing surface of the Holy Name Ballpark. Anyone is welcome to attend! See you there!

High School Help Needed for VBS

Kalida St. Michael VBS is July 12-15, from 6:00-8:30 p.m. We need H.S. Youth to help with outside games. Contact Jill Zeller if you want to help (567-376-9115). Thanks!

Wildcat Soccer Camp: July 26-29, 2021

This year's camp will under the direction of DePauw University Head Women's Soccer Coach Cristin (Czubik) Allen, along with Former KHS Varsity Boys Coach Mark Czubik. Cost is \$50. A \$25 deposit is required by July 16. Make checks payable to "*Mark Czubik*." Send check and registration form to: Mark Czubik; Box 510; Kalida, OH 45853. Each camper will receive a camp t-shirt. The camp will be held at Four Seasons Park, from 9:00 a.m.—Noon for ages 6-15 (approximately). Call Mark (419-796-0771) with questions.

Trip to Smoky Mountains

Join us on another fundraising bus trip, benefiting Ottawa Legion Baseball, to the Smoky Mountains of Tennessee. Enjoy a guided tour of the Titanic Museum, including dinner in the Secret Dining Room, Dolly Parton's Stampede Dinner Theatre and the Hatfield & McCoys Dinner Feud. Relax during a guided tour of the Smoky Mountains and free time in Gatlinburg. Trip also includes admission to Dollywood Theme Park, 3 additional shows and tour and tasting at The Ole Smoky Tennessee Moonshine. Dates are August 23-27, 2021 and cost per person is \$899. For more information, or to sign up, please call Cheryl Kersh at 419.890.8565, or email at cherylkersh@gmail.com

Coordinator of Religious Education/High School Youth Minister

The St. John the Evangelist and St. Mary Catholic Churches, in Defiance, are welcoming communities of worship and service, dedicated to the faith formation of all its members. The two parishes share their Religious Education program and are seeking a **full-time Coordinator of Religious Education/High School Youth Minister**. As a member of both staffs, the applicant must desire to work in a model of collaborative leadership and provide direction for an active Religious Education Program. The applicant must have some training, education, or experience as a catechist or youth minister. The applicant must also have a love of the Catholic faith and a love of youth. Position open immediately. Ministry description and responsibilities available on request. Send resume and three references **by July 30** to: Fr. Giesige; 715 Jefferson Avenue, Defiance, OH 43512

Phone: 419-782-2776 Fax: 419-782-1958

Email: rpgiesige@gmail.com

Donations Sought for Children's Garden



If you would like to donate toward this project, please put your donation in an envelope marked, "St. Michael's Children's Garden," and place in the collection or mail to "St. Michael Church; PO Box 387; Kalida, OH 45853. If you have any questions, contact Chris Schroeder (419

-615-3355), Adriene Swyers (419-796-0355) or Fr. Mark. Thanks!

The Prayer Line is Being Updated

You can be notified of the need for prayers by email, text, or by a personal phone call. If you would like to be included, please call **Rita Borgelt at 419-532-3637** or **419-796-9168**. If no answer, please leave a message with your name, phone number, and the method with which you want to be notified – text should include your provider's name, email, or phone.



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KHS Summer Blood Drive

Wednesday, July 14, at Kalida High School, from 11:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Appointments are highly recommended. To schedule an appointment, go to redcrossblood.org, call 1-800-REDCROSS, or call Beth Grime at 419-532-2750.

Holy Name Choir is Asked to Sing...

Sunday, July 18, at the 8:00 a.m. Mass.

	SERVER SCHEDULE	
Tues, 7/13	8:00 AM	Jaxon Hoffman
Wed, 7/14	8:00 AM	Nathan Kahle
Thurs, 7/15	7:30 PM	Logan Kerner
Fri, 7/16	8:00 AM	Griffin Klausing
Sat, 7/17	4:30 PM	Emma Hellman
		Madelyn Houck
		Allie Kuhlman
Sun, 7/18	8:00 AM	Katherine Krouse
		Ethan Langhals
		Drew Meyer
	11:00 AM	Olivia Meyer
		Adyson Miller
		Grace Rall

Eucharistic Ministers & Lectors—July 17 & 18

4:30: Tom Roof, Wendy Schimmoeller, Brandi Schroeder, Karen Schroeder LECTOR: Jill Laudick
8:00: Rose Recker, Mark Remlinger, Donna Schnipke, Deb Schroeder LECTOR: Mary Plescher
Ministers to Homebound: Dick & Judy Bockrath
11:00: Mark Kahle, Rachel Kahle, Michele Niese, Lisa

<u>USHERS - July 17 & 18</u> 4:30: Team 1 8:00: Team 2 11:00: Team 3

LECTOR: Nancy Rampe