

St. Michael Catholic Church, Kalida, Ohio - August 9, 2015

From the Desk of Fr. Mark

Hi, everyone.

Only a couple of weekends before school starts. Make the most of the weekends. This past weekend was a nice one for me. On Saturday night, I celebrated Mass with Marriage Encounter families at the campgrounds in Archbold. The weather was perfect and so was the sunset. There was a wonderful atmosphere of celebration of thanksgiving to God for all His gifts, especially the gift of married and family love. I pray well outside and feel especially close to the Lord. People were at the campgrounds from all over who came to Mass. In an atmosphere of God's love, we became one family-at least for one evening. It was wonderful.

On Sunday there was another outdoor Mass at Continental. With children sitting on blankets in the grass, one could almost imagine the feeding of the 5,000. As cars drove by, there was a witness to the community that God was the reason for the gathering. We were not only fed in the spirit, but also as a living community as many stayed for food and fellowship. It was wonderful.

On Saturday, we had a wedding at Kalida where many people from the Toledo area joined in the festivities. Being new to the area, many people were amazed at the churches in the area. It was amazing to them how the communities could have such beautiful and stately churches. I explained to them that it was not the buildings that made for strong communities, but it was the spirit of God living in those people that made for strong communities. People loved the celebration of God's love as they celebrated with the couple. It was wonderful.

With only a couple of weekends to go before school starts, make the most of it. Include God. Include church. It will be wonderful.

Fr. Mark

Mass Next Saturday Morning

Next Saturday, August 15, we will celebrate the feast of the Assumption of Mary. Although it is not a Holy Day of Obligation this year, we will have a Mass at 8:00 a.m. to celebrate this inspirational feast of Mary.

200th Anniversary of Precious Blood

August 15 marks the 200th anniversary of the founding of the Missionaries of the Precious Blood in Italy by Gaspar del Bufalo. There will be a huge celebration at Carthage, Ohio. Please keep all us missionaries in your prayers.

Putnam County Food Pantry

Usually we take up food donations around Thanksgiving and Christmas, but people get hungry throughout the year, also. If you could donate any of the following items (and place them in the boxes in church) we would greatly appreciate it: canned beans (including refried), beverages (all kinds, including tomato juice), "pantry" items - i.e. cake mixes, salad dressings, sugar, flour, mustard, mayonnaise, and more; boxed and canned potatoes, pasta mixes, all tomato products, pineapple (all varieties), mandarin oranges, fruit cocktail, graham crackers, jelly and jam, creamed corn, personal care items - shampoo, toothpaste, bar soap, (these items cannot be purchased with food stamps) and size 4 & 5 diapers. Thanks!

Mass Intentions for the Week

MONDAY, AUGUST 10

8:00 AM Elmer & Dorothy Morman

TUESDAY, AUGUST 11

8:00 AM Reese Burgei, Ralph Honigfort

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12

8:00 AM Gene & Mary Ann Recker

THURSDAY, AUGUST 13

7:30 PM Adolph Beining, Leanne Goedde Pardo

FRIDAY, AUGUST 14

8:00 AM Emily Kahle

SATURDAY, AUGUST 15

8:00 AM Leonard & Dolores Verhoff
NM Verhoff & Kersh

4:30 PM Carl Webken, Ron Foppe

Ray & Alice Ellerbrock, Gary Ellerbrock

SUNDAY, AUGUST 16

7:30 AM Parish

10:30 AM Oscar & Leona Verhoff, Jim Knueven

Brother Jerome Schulte, on his

60th Anniversary of Profession of Faith

Last Week's Collection: \$ 8,648.10

Choir Assignments—August 15 & 16

4:30: YAHS 7:30: HN 10:30: Renee

Two Holy Name Choir Notes

- Please be at the Kalida K of C at 2:30 p.m., this Sunday, August 9, so we can practice before the 3:00 p.m. Mass.
- Please meet in the church basement at 10:00 a.m. on **August 16**, for the 10:30 a.m. Anniversary Mass for Brother Jerome Schulte, C.P.P.S.

CCD Teachers Meetings at Parish Center

Our elementary CCD teachers meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 11, after Mass. Our high school CCD teachers meeting will be Wednesday, August 12, at 7:00 p.m.

First Day of Elementary CCD

The 2015-16 school year begins August 25 and the first day of Elementary CCD is August 26.

60th Anniversary of Profession of Faith

Come help us celebrate this big occasion for Kalida native Brother Jerome Schulte, C.P.P.S., with a Mass of Thanksgiving on Sunday, August 16, at 10:30 a.m.

K of C Council 5669 Celebrates 50th Anniversary This Sunday, August 9...

with Mass at the hall at 3:00 p.m., followed by social hour, and a light meal, which will include even lighter speeches. Knights are welcome starting at 2:30 p.m. Public is welcome at 5:00 p.m. for the free dance with a live band.

TMIY (This Man is You) Program for Men

THIS MAN IS YOU is a new program coming and hosted at St. Michael's exclusively designed for the men of the area. In the coming weeks you will see posters, bulletin inserts, etc to help explain. Fr. Rick and Deacon Bob are leading the core team organizing TMIY which will meet on Saturday mornings starting September 19.

MONDAY, AUGUST 10

ROSARY FOR PEACE: 1:30 p.m.

TEEN 120: 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 11

ELEMENTARY CCD TEACHER MEETING: after Mass

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12

HIGH SCHOOL CCD TEACHER MEETING: 7:00 p.m.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 13

ROSARY: 7:00 p.m., in church

FRIDAY, AUGUST 14

CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY: 3:00 p.m.

Keys Found

A set of two keys was found near the elevator entrance of church. Come to the Parish Center to claim.

First Teen 120 for 2015-16 School Year

Incoming freshman through graduating seniors are invited to join us for 60 minutes of teen-led, faith-focused discussions and 60 minutes of food and fellowship on Monday, Aug. 10, from 7-9 p.m., at the Parish Center! Hope to see you!

2016 Senior Retreat—August 21-23

Registrations due back to the Parish Center by Mon., Aug. 10.

TDCCW Convention—August 28-29, 2015...

At All Saints Catholic Church (628 Lime City Road, Rossford, OH). The theme is "By God's Design: The Vocation and Mission of Women." The convention will focus on the Year of Consecrated Life, as proclaimed by Pope Francis. We will also explore how we, as women of the Church, are called to be formed by the Holy Spirit in the mold of Mary, who is the model of feminine virtue. The pre-convention will be held at All Saints, in the Steinbauer Community Room on Friday evening, beginning at 5:30 p.m. Dinner and entertainment will be provided. Rachel Reinhart, of Simply RC, will be performing spiritual songs. The speakers for the convention are Sr. Joseph Andrew Bogdanowicz and Sr. John Michalal Wynne, of Mary, Mother of the Eucharist, from the Dominican Religious Order. Also being featured is John Nahrgang, who is a convert to the faith and a seminarian. He will share his conversion journey, which was featured on EWTN: The Journey Home. Following the presentation by the Sisters, we will celebrate the Liturgy at 10:00 a.m. Lunch will also be served at 11:30 a.m. If you are interested in attending, please contact Maggie Wehri (419-532-3791). Deadline to register is August 22. Pre-convention cost is \$20 and convention cost is \$25 prior to August 22, and \$30 after.

Set a Date with Your Spouse

Sunday August 30, 2015, from 1:00 – 4:30 p.m. Enjoy wine, beer, and hors d'oeuvres, as we enter into the meaning of marriage, at Glandorf St. John Parish Center. We will be presenting the first of three Sunday "BELOVED" DVD series. RSVP by August 21 by calling 419-538-6740 or emailing jmschroeder51@gmail.com. Couple workbooks are \$20 each. Babysitting will be provided. The second session is Sunday, Sept. 20, and the third session is Sunday, October 11.

Supplemental Positions at Kalida Schools.

Asst. Musical Director, Prom Advisor, Boys Varsity Assistant Basketball Coach, Girls Varsity Assistant Basketball Coach, Girls 7th Grade Basketball Coach, Girls 8th Grade Basketball Coach, Girls Varsity Softball Coach & Asst. Coach.

OFFERTORY - August 15 & 16**4:30 PM**

Mark & Deb Kahle Family

7:30 AM

Karl & Darlene Miller Family

10:30 AM

The Schulte Family

USHERS – August 15 & 16**4:30 PM**

Austin Vorst, Alex von der Embse, Adam von der Embse, Brandon Erhart, Kaleb Selhorst, Logan Roebke, Mitchell Kerner, Trent Gerding, Trent Siebeneck, Griffin Recker, Derek Buss

7:30 AM:

Cole Miller, Austin Schulte, Derrick Schimmoeller, Michael Schroeder, Brent Hovest, Drew Hovest, Austin Klausung, Collin Wurth, Jeff Knueve

10:30 AM

Team 12

LECTORS – August 15 & 16**4:30 PM**

Stacy Knueve, Katia Roehrig

7:30 AM

Mary Plescher, Donna Schnipke

10:30 AM

Wendy Schimmoeller, Joyce Schnipke

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS - August 15 & 16

4:30: Stacy Knueve, Deb Miller, Deb Miller, Lisa Niese, Michele Niese, Morgan Niese, Deb Remlinger, Mark Remlinger, Tom Roof, Karen Schroeder

7:30: Joan Peck, Dianna Kehres, Karl & Darlene Miller, Joan Niese, Mary Plescher, Mike & Karen Sarka, Donna Schnipke, Mary Siefker

Ministers to Homebound: Joan Peck, Dianna Kehres

10:30: Ron & Ruth Schulte, Dick & Jane Schulte, Katelyn, Allison & Kylie Siebeneck, Amanda, Miranda & Cassy Schulte

SERVERS

Tues, 8/11	8:00 AM	Dayna Schimmoeller Kathryn Siebeneck
Wed, 8/12	8:00 AM	Brenna Smith Jasmine Vorst
Thurs, 8/13	7:30 PM	Tyler Unverferth Will Zeller
Fri, 8/14	8:00 AM	McKenna Bockrath Alec Edelbrock
Sat, 8/15	4:30 PM	Brian Edwards Erica Edwards Ryan Ellerbrock
Sun, 8/16	7:30 AM	Adam Fitzgerald Kristen Fortman Nicole Fortman
	10:30 AM	Megan Schulte Dakota Rosselit Alyssa Schulte

Back to School Night

Thursday, August 20, from 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m., for Grades 1-5. Meet your child's teacher, view his/her classroom, pay book fees and lunch fees in the office and bring in school supplies, clearly marked with your student's name.

Upcoming Wedding**Molly Verhoff & Jake Kersh**

will be married on Saturday, August 15, 2015.

Please include them in your prayers.