

Saint Michael Catholic Church, Kalida, Ohio - June 10, 2018

From the Desk of Fr. Mark

Hi, everyone. I hope you are all having a great Summer. My Summer is going fast, as there is a lot of planning that happens during the school vacation season. Vacation Bible School is around the corner. We are still working on the stained glass project at St. John's. And I try to take a little time to do a few things I like to do, which involves being outside. My gardens look good this year, as I've had a little extra help from young and old, alike. My knee is good enough now that I can take a bike ride. I ride a girl's bike so that my knees don't have to stretch too far as I get off the bike. Thanks to a parishioner for letting me borrow her bike.

It reminds me of the first bike I learned to ride. It was an old blue girl's bike that the whole family used. For all of us kids, we had two bikes to share. The old blue bike was the safest, but still lost the chain when its rider stood up and really pumped to get up the "hills" of Mercer County. It is no wonder that I have bad knees as more than once the chain came off in a race against a brother or sister and I had to ditch the bike and fly in the ditch (I think those are good memories).

Over the last several years, Summer has meant a mission trip to Kentucky/West Virginia. We usually get twenty some people who have helping hearts. We install windows, doors, bathrooms and whatever needs fixed. We play and pray and get to know friends we never knew were there. This year I have some family members who want to attend. A good time will be had and much work will be done. Keep us in your prayers between July 8-13. If anyone is still interested and you have not contacted me, please do so. We can still get you in for this great Summer activity.

I'd like to give you an update on Fr. Elmer. He had pneumonia (twice) and spent some time in the hospital. He is now in the Meadows and is recovering and doing therapy. The pneumonia really hit him hard and weakened him greatly. He lost a lot of weight, but is now gaining in weight and strength. I knew he was sick when he gave me a compliment one day. It was time to get him to the hospital. He enjoys visitors, but tries to have a couple of hours, usually between two and four, to get a nap. He is feeling stronger as he concelebrated Mass with me yesterday. He is also back to picking on me, so I know he is on the mend. No holding back for me, either. Thanks to all who have taken the time to visit and especially pray for Fr. Elmer.

Have a blessed Summer, everyone. Take time to work, play and pray. God has blessed us. *Fr. Mark*

Students & Parents

Sign up for "REMIND" to keep you informed of St. Michael Youth Activities. text @jillzeller to 81010.



Our Condolences

The Funeral Mass for **Helen Knueven** was held on Monday, June 4. Please include Helen and her family in your prayers.

Mass Intentions for the Week

MONDAY, JUNE 11 <i>St. Barnabas, apostle</i>	
8:00 AM	Leonard & Dolores Verhoff
TUESDAY, JUNE 12	
8:00 AM	Jiggs & Helen Unverferth
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13 <i>St. Anthony of Padua</i>	
8:00 AM	Bob & Martha Wurth
THURSDAY, JUNE 14	
7:30 PM	Cleora Winkle (CLC)
FRIDAY, JUNE 15	
8:00 AM	Helen Knueven (CLC)
SATURDAY, JUNE 16	
1:00 PM	NM Unverferth & Utendorf
4:30 PM	Herk Selhorst (A), Tom Wannemacher (A) Dan Siefker, Hubert & Irma Pohlman Matilda Hohenbrink, John Phillips Joseph & Marjorie Verhoff Family Bob Brinkman, Luke Stechschulte Ron Averesch, Dorothea Averesch Norman von der Embse, Carl Webken Alfred & Marcella Ellerbrock 50th W.A. Paul & Candace Caskey
SUNDAY, JUNE 17 <i>Father's Day</i>	
7:30 AM	Jim Hamilton, Joan Kuhlman
10:30 AM	William & Florence Zeller, Vince Erhart Gene Stechschulte, Hubert Warnecke Jeannie Buchholz, Don Selhorst

Last Sunday's Collection: \$ 9,808.00

Choir Assignments—June 16 & 17

4:30: PW **7:30:** HN **10:30:** YAHS

A Sincere Appreciation...

to Fr. Rick for the beautiful Mass of Celebration and for giving us the Nuptial Blessing. Also, to Fr. Mark and the many parishioners who came to congratulate us on our 65th Wedding Anniversary.
Urban & Juanita Selhorst

Thank You

The family of Paul Borgelt would like to extend a sincere thank you to St. Michael's Parish, Fr. Dan, Fr. Mark, all the priests who concelebrated the Mass, K of C for saying the rosary, the choir, Helping Hands, all who brought us food, and everyone who supported us with prayers and cards. You are all part of God's awesome and thoughtful family!

Summer Fun Night...

for incoming Freshmen thru outgoing Seniors, is Friday, June 15, at 6:30 p.m., at the Parish Center. Food, drinks, volleyball, water games, corn hole, campfire, and more. Join us!!!



Upcoming Wedding

Casey Unverferth & Paul Utendorf will be married on Saturday, June 16, 2018. Please include them in your prayers.

MONDAY, JUNE 11

ROSARY FOR PEACE: 1:30 p.m., in church

THURSDAY, JUNE 14

ROSARY FOR OUR COUNTRY: 7:00 p.m. in church

FRIDAY, JUNE 15

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

Great Adventures Story Book Storytime...

is less than one hour a week. Five groups, of all different ages, started this past week. We can't wait to hear how it went! Six more groups are still forming and have yet to start, so you can still join us on the adventure! Be creative in forming your group. If you have questions, contact Diana Roehrig (5bronxbombers@gmail.com / 419-615-8205 / 419-532-2858).

Mission Trip Attendees Planning Meeting

Tuesday, June 19, at 6:30 p.m., at the park. Please bring a side dish to share.

Toledo Diocese Cedar Point Family/Youth Day

Tuesday, June 19. Cost is only \$42. If anyone is interested in carpooling, call Jill Zeller (419-532-3494, ext. 103).

High School Help Needed at VBS June 16-19

We are in charge of outside games, so there will be a chance to get soaked on the hot July evenings! Please let Jill know if you would like to help at one, two, three or all the evenings.

Supplies Needed for VBS

Plastic cups (both 12 oz. and 7 oz.), napkins, plastic spoons, hand wipes, Swedish red fish and large appliance-size boxes. Please put at the entrances of church (other than the boxes, which can be dropped off at the Parish Center). Thanks!

Holy Name Ticket Deadline Approaching

Please return all tickets a.s.a.p. Contact Nick Schulte (532-2131) or Mike Schimmoeller (532-3521) with questions.

Lion's Club Chicken BBQ - Sunday June 24

Sunday, June 24: Drive-thru carryout at High School, from 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Thank you from Kalida Lions for supporting our community projects.

Band in the Park - Sunday, June 24

Adult gathering from 4:00 - 7:30 p.m., with music by Deuces Wild Band. BBQ Pork dinners available with \$1,000 Early Bird Drawing of Pioneer Harley ticket. Tickets available from Firemen & Lions.

Lions & Firemen Early Bird Harley Drawing...

is June 24. Tickets are available now from any Lion or Fireman (and also at Hoyt's) for the annual Pioneer Days Harley Drawing. You'll want to buy your tickets now to be eligible for up to \$1,000 of cash in the June 24th Early Bird drawing.

Marcus Landin Memorial Benefit is June 16...

at Four Seasons Park. All money raised benefits research for Hypertrophic Cardiomyopathy. 5K Walk/Run, Gun Raffle, BBQ Chicken Dinners (\$8 presale), Silent Auction and t-shirts (pre-order). Call Chris Landin (419-234-8672).

Kalida Youth Fall Soccer Deadline is June 11

If you would like to sign someone up, please email Tara Verhoff (tara.verhoff@gmail.com) by Monday, June 11.

OFFERTORY - June 16 & 17

4:30 PM

Beth & Barry von der Embse Family

7:30 AM

Paul & Rose Recker Family

10:30 AM

Mary Ann Hoersten Family

USHERS - June 16 & 17

4:30 PM

Team 1

7:30 AM

Team 2

10:30 AM

Team 3

LECTORS - June 16 & 17

4:30 PM:

Erin Kerner, Stacy Knueve

7:30 AM:

Mary Plescher, Donna Schnipke

10:30 AM

Tara Gerding, Alexis Meyer

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS - June 16 & 17

4:30: Stacy Knueve, Lisa Rampe, Teresa Rampe, Deb Remlinger, Mark Remlinger, Tom Roof, Ethan Schmenk, Deb Schroeder, Karen Schroeder, Kierstan Siebeneck

7:30: Dianna Kehres, Mary Siefker, Kara Siefker, Duane & Barb Steffan, Norma Unverferth, Norma Vorst, Don Wehri, Diane Vorst, Kay Unverferth

Min. to Homebound: Dianna Kehres, Herm & Rita Borgelt

10:30: Tara Gerding, Alexis Meyer, Dick & Jane Schulte, Megan Schulte, Stacy Schulte, Lisa Unverferth, Scott Unverferth, Sandy Westrick, Alice Adams

SERVERS

Mon, 6/11	8:00 AM	Jaden Smith Allison Stechschulte
Tues, 6/12	8:00 AM	Evan Stechschulte Gabe von der Embse
Wed, 6/13	8:00 AM	Andrea Burgei Raegan Gerdeman
Thurs, 6/14	7:30 PM	Maria Gerding Meredyth Horstman
Fri, 6/15	8:00 AM	Audra Hovest Erica Kahle
Sat, 6/16	4:30 PM	Grant Knapke Jillian Knueve Connor Krouse
Sun, 6/17	7:30 AM	Trevor Lambert Kevin Lammers Marcy Landwehr
	10:30 AM	Logan Langhals Madison & Mitch Langhals

A One Day Bus Pilgrimage...

to Blessed Solanus Casey Center and Sainte Anne de Detroit Church (Detroit, MI) on July 18. We will leave the Kalida K of C parking lot at 7:00 a.m. and return at 8:30 p.m. Cost is \$70. Included is a tour of the Center, Confession, Mass, lunch and a Healing Service, followed by a tour of Sainte Anne de Detroit. Deadline is July 1. Please contact Rita Borgelt (419-532-3637 or hborgelt@bright.net) to register.

Catholic Seminar on Protection of Your Assets

Knights of Columbus Seminar: Ethical Protection of your assets from a Catholic Perspective, including how the Knights can help you save on taxes and support your Catholic Faith at the same time. **June 22, at 8:45 a.m., at Kalida St. Michael's Parish Center.** Coffee, juice and pastries served. Please RSVP by calling 419-538-6438. Visit danturnwald.org for more seminar times and locations.

VBS Registration Can Be Found at...

stmichaelskalida.org, under "Recent Bulletins."