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Monday, 8:30 am – 6:45 pm,

Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday, 8:30 am – 6:00 pm,

Friday, 8:30 am – 4:30 pm, Closed Saturday & Sunday

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Wednesday: 11:45 am to 12:45 pm
Saturday: after 4:00 pm Mass
Sunday: 9:45 am to 12:15 pm

October 16, 2016

Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, October 17

12:00 PM (SG) † Marie Ellen Radigan and Marilyn Langer by Hoag Family

Tuesday, October 18

8:00 AM (SG) † Robert Kelley by Students and Staff of SRW

Wednesday, October 19

12:00 PM (JB) † Peter Compo by Wife

Thursday, October 20

8:00 AM (SG) † James F. Monreal by Wife and Family

Friday, October 21

12:00 PM (JB) † Mary Ann Dular by John Dular

1:30 PM (SG) † John Turpack by Family

Saturday, October 22

8:30 AM (JB) † Nancy Higgins by Joyce Family

4:00 PM (SG) † Cindy Belazs by Parents

Sunday, October 23

9:00 AM (JB) † Terry Balanda by Donna Federico

11:00 AM (SG) † Veronica Dougherty by Stanton Family

6:00 PM (JB) † Albert Primosch by His Wife

This Week At The Parish

Monday, October 17

- 6:00 pm Financial Peace University
- 6:30 pm Legion of Mary
- 6:30 pm Parent Meeting on Social Media
- 7:00 pm EDGE at SJC

Tuesday, October 18

- 8:00 am School Mass
- 8:45 am MOM's Group
- 6:30 pm Bell Choir
- 7:00 pm Addicts' Parents United

Wednesday, October 19

- 6:30 pm Adult Ed

Thursday, October 20

- 5:00 pm Prayer Shawl Ministry
- 7:00 pm Areopagus
- 7:30 pm Walking with Purpose

Friday, October 21

- 1:30 pm Mass at Hilltop Village
- 7:00 pm Listening Session with FJB & FSG

Saturday, October 22

- 9:00 am Men's Group
- 12:00 pm Trunk or Treat
- 1:00 pm Bereavement Group
- K of C Pasta Dinner
- 7:00 pm AA

Sunday, October 23

- 9:00 am PSR
- 10:00 am RCIA
- 11:00 am Sunday Preschool
- 6:00 pm LIFETEEN Mass, followed by LIFENITE.

Rosary (Ursuline Chapel):

Sunday at 8:30 am
Monday, Wednesday, & Friday at 11:30 am
Tuesday, Thursday at 8:30 am
Saturday at 9:00 am

Welcome to our parish...we are a community founded in a spirit of unity to serve our God through loving HIM and one another, always!

Dear Parishioners,

We had a great listening session on September 28 with many of our Seniors. At that session we heard about the struggles so many people have when their children, grandchildren, spouses, other family members, and friends either leave the church or are just not active in their faith. We heard suggestions of having blessing and celebrations for families and the recently baptized. We heard about the importance of each and every person, from priest to person in the pew, being welcoming and approachable at Mass and parish events so that new comers and guests feel welcome and a part of our community. Overall, it was just great to hear what was on the mind of our community. This group of people 60 and over certainly love their parish and the Catholic Faith. It gives Fr. Scott, the staff, Councils, and me much to think about and find ways to continue to address these vital issues to our vibrancy. We look forward to the session on October 21 with parishioners 18—35 years old.



Congratulations to parishioners Laurie Waganek and Diane Radachy who lead a Girl Scout troop in our parish. They are being awarded the St. Elizabeth Ann Seton award today at the annual Girl Scouts Mass at St. John Cathedral. This recognition is for dedicated service and outstanding leadership in Girls' Religious programs. I am very proud of them and their work with the girls of our parish and school.

This weekend we are celebrating the Anointing of the Sick. This Sacrament is reserved for the members in our community who are physically, emotionally, or spiritually suffering. It is a good opportunity for me to remind you that if you are not able to come to church on a regular basis or not at all because of health or age related concerns, please contact the parish office. We have a wonderful group of parishioners who are more than willing to bring Holy Communion to you and visit for a while. They really enjoy this and it is an opportunity for you to receive Communion and still be a part of our community. We are happy to do it!



Lately, I have noticed a number moms who are able to join us for school Masses. Either they work an afternoon or evening shift, do not work fulltime, or are stay-at-home moms and are able to spend a lot of time with their young children. I think this is a good group of people to support and nurture. We have a new group starting for Moms on Tuesdays after 8:00 am Mass. It is called "Moms After Mass." More information is available elsewhere in the bulletin about this.

Make it a great week. See you in Church!

Peace,
Fr. John



Mark Your Calendar

Listening Sessions with Fr. John & Fr. Scott

October 21 from 7:00—8:30 pm for parishioners aged 18—35 in the Upper Hall

November 18 from 7:00—8:30 pm for parishioners aged 36 & up in the Upper Hall

Fr. John and Fr. Scott invite you to join us for a light meal and conversation about parish life. We are very interested in listening to your thoughts, ideas, concerns, questions, and comments about our parish and as the *Shepherds*, how we can help to maintain and grow our vibrant parish community. We are both very anxious to listen to you and your views on the parish.

Spiritual

Marriage Encounter

Worldwide Marriage Encounter personal testimony- "Mary and I have been married for 25 years and we thought we communicated like pros - or at least better than our friends. Thanks to our Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend we have improved our communication enormously - and it has helped us relate better with our children, too". It's a positive, private experience between husband and wife that revitalizes marriage. Make a weekend! Upcoming Dates: Nov. 11-13, 2016 or Feb. 17-19, 2017. Apply: 330-305-9963 OR www.GreatMarriagesOhio.org



Our first meeting (Tuesday, October 18 after 8:00 am Mass—around 8:45 am) will be more relaxed/social, but we will gather in the Life Teen Lounge (in the parish office building) for coffee and muffins to talk about what moms are looking for spiritually (Scripture based reflections, book study based group, etc.) to gauge how we should proceed in the future and what these moms might be looking for. Children, not in school yet, are welcome and encouraged to attend. For more information contact Kate Fraser at 216.731.1515 or kfraser@srweuclid.cc.

Faith Formation



Ss. Robert & William Catholic School

Website: www.srwshool.cc

This school year we are offering a series in which each staff member of the school reflects on his/her mission and purpose of Catholic Education: This week Mrs. Liz Backowski reflects on her role in our school as the Visual Art teacher for K—8.

The purpose of art education is to not only teach students about art but also to enhance their critical thinking skills and create personal meaning.

The art curriculum includes a comprehensive art education in which all aspects of art are incorporated: studio, art history, aesthetics, and art criticism, as well as visual culture, technology, and creative self-expression. Furthermore, I encourage and challenge students to develop their art further.

Art is more than just a pretty picture. Art is a process as well as a product. Thinking about how to create something and brainstorming ideas are just as important as the artwork itself. In Bloom's Taxonomy, creating is the highest form of thinking. I teach methods, techniques, and how to properly use the materials, but the students are the ones who combine all these skills as well as adding their own personality and interests to create an artwork that is all their own. Students are assembling all the techniques, guidelines, materials to design and produce a new, original work of art that expresses themselves. This is what a pretty picture really is.

All students benefit from art because they learn how to express themselves visually and develop critical thinking skills by making decisions in their art-making and learning how to analyze their own and others' artworks. Students experience the fears of taking risks and making mistakes to then experience the joys of when their artwork becomes successful because of the risks that they took. I believe all students are able to create art, regardless of age or ability. All students can express themselves visually, and I will guide them to be successful.

Thank you for your support of our school. Feel free to join us every Tuesday at 8:00 am for our all school Mass.

Tots Preschool Program

Who: 2-3 year old children (2 years old by 4/1/16) accompanied by an adult for the entire session.

What: An opportunity for children to enjoy a school experience with a familiar adult. The sessions will include arts & crafts, stories, music, small and large motor activities, and a snack.

Where: Ss. Robert and William Catholic Preschool in Mrs. Ralph's classroom.

When: 5 Fridays (10/21, 10/28, 11/4, 11/11, and 11/18) **Come to one or all five!**

Time: 8:30-10:00 am

Cost: \$50 (just \$10 per session) Checks made payable to *Ss. Robert and William Catholic School*

****Call the school office at (216) 731-3060 to reserve your spot today!**

Space is limited to the first 10 registered students.**

Caring & Participating



NOW IN PROGRESS You're invited to join other Christians for 40 Days for Life – 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. You're also invited to stand and peacefully pray during a 40-day vigil in the public right-of-way outside Preterm at 12000 Shaker Boulevard, Cleveland, 44120, Planned Parenthood at 25350 Rockside Road, Bedford Heights, 44146, or Family Planning at 54 South State Street, Painesville, 44077. Please help spread the word about this important community outreach. If you'd like more information, and especially if you'd like to volunteer to help, please contact: John Noall @ 216-245-9744 or email at: clevelandpraysforlife@gmail.com. WEBSITE: www.40daysforlife.com/cleveland

All Souls Mass of Remembrance November 6 at 11:00 am

November is the month when Catholics remember, in a special way, their loved ones who have died. These autumn months celebrate "the harvest" and become an opportunity for us to reflect on "the great harvest" when God will gather His faithful people into His loving arms. Each of us remembers loved ones who were called home this past year. We give thanks to God that He has blessed us with such wonderful people in our lives.

Our Parish celebrates a special Mass in November in which we remember the members of our parish who died in the past year and had their funeral Masses or parlor services celebrated by one of our parish priests. Our parish has lost some wonderful people in the last year but we pray that our loss is heaven's gain.

The Mass for the Faithful Departed will be celebrated on Sunday, November 6 at 11:00 am Mass. Please attend this Mass if you are able to do so. We will also have the Book of Remembrance out and ready for you to inscribe the names of your loved ones who have passed away.



Save The Date: Our Annual Holly Berry Bazaar will be held on Saturday, November 5th from 9:00 am – 3:30 pm. A great assortment of items will be available for purchase. If you are interested in becoming a vendor at the event, please call Ellen at 216.731.1515 x 230 or email at eivory@srweuclid.cc.

Knights of Columbus Annual Pasta Dinner

"The Knights of Columbus Euclid Council 3164 will host their annual Pasta Dinner and Poor Man's Raffle on Saturday, October 22, 2016 in the Upper Hall of Ss. Robert & William Catholic Parish. Tickets are \$25.00/couple. Price of the ticket includes 2 pasta dinners, salad, dessert, 1 main board ticket, and free refreshments. It's a wonderful evening at an awesome price! All proceeds go to assist the Knights in their work in the community. Doors open at 6:00 pm and Dinner is served at 7:00 pm. There will be side boards available as well! For tickets or questions, please contact Richard Smith at (330) 221-4382 or by email at trzent@gmail.com. Tickets will also be available in the Parish Office. Tickets go fast, get yours today!"

Donate your used printer Cartridges!

The National Junior Honor Society of Ss. Robert & William Catholic School is conducting a recycling fundraiser. We are simply asking you to protect the environment by donating your **used ink cartridges**. One hundred percent of the proceeds will be used to fund service activities sponsored by Honor Society students. Please tell all your families, friends, and company employees to save these items for us. Send them to the school with a student or drop them off at the parish or school office. Thank you for your continued support. Also, don't forget to help fill the paper recycling bins located at the north end of the parking lot next to the Merici Center.

We'd like to connect with you! Get important updates from our church in a timely and convenient way. This new tool we're using lets you choose what information you'd like to receive - via email or text message - from the various ministries and groups in our church. You can unsubscribe any time. **Visit our church at:** www.flocknote.com/SRW
OR Text SRWEUCLID to 84576 from your phone to subscribe to updates.

Have you thought of leaving a legacy, especially for our faith, church, and school? Remember Ss. Robert & William in your will or trust to continue our traditions and education. Contact Fr. John at the Parish Office for more information.

PRAYERS NEEDED

Please pray for...Alda Kovalsky, Jean Feiten, Helen Sattler, Ronald Kessler, Marianne Ellul, Geraldine Hoffert, Dennis Whitticar, Rich Weybrecht, Janet and Jim Cika, Pauline Dutcher, Elaine Jackson, Sharon Kazusky, Jim Vlach, Grayson Kazusky, Violet DeStefanis, Ann Grossman, Donald Pavlovich, Mary Nykiel, Pat Sargent, Chuck Hill, Alice Maroney, Elaine Yanko, Mary Ann Hudak, Faye Bukovec, Samuel Raguz, Ray Michalski, James Augustine, Bob Daunch, Richard Bukovec, John Malise, Bernard C. Novotney, Sr. Ted Sabat and all those who are ill in body, mind, or spirit in our community.

We thank and pray for those who serve in the **military** and **safety forces**. May God bless them for their service to our country and community.

We offer our deepest sympathy to the families of those who have died, especially **Justine Jeric, Walter Jablonski, Gisel Armenti, Julia Kueller, Rosella Fedakowski, and Frances Milner**. May they know the peace and comfort of God's love and find strength in the support of our parish community.



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Stewardship

The collection for October 9 was **\$10,096**.

Loan Balance: \$1,405,140

Monthly Loan Payment: \$10,580

Please consider a donation to help lower our long term debt. Please call Fr. John or Ellen at the Parish Office at 216.731.1515 or email them at fjb@srweuclid.cc or eivory@srweuclid.cc.

Thank you very much for your continued generosity.

— Fr. John



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