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July 23, 2017 Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, July 24

12:00 PM (JB) † Robert Sidak, Anniversary by Wife, Marge

Tuesday, July 25

8:00 AM (JB) For the People of the Parish

Wednesday, July 26

12:00 PM (JB) † Jim Cosgriff by Cosgriff Family

Thursday, July 27

8:00 AM (JB) † John Link, Sr. by Fr. John

Friday, July 28

12:00 PM (JB) † Noah Selby, Omanski-Jablonski and Videgar Families by Barbara Russell

Saturday, July 29

8:30 AM (JB) † Alfred J. and Margaret Eileen Carmont by The Family

4:00 PM (JB) † Felix Martincic by Alice Martincic and Family

Sunday, July 30

9:00 AM (JB) † Emily Castelletti by The Castelletti Family

11:00 AM (JB) † Greg Cosgriff by The Cosgriff Family

6:00 PM (JB) † Sr. Theresa G. Sullivan by Theresa M. Sullivan

This Week At The Parish

Monday, July 24

- 6:00 pm 4—7 Group Outing to Captains Game
- 6:30 pm Legion of Mary
- 7:00 pm SCC Facilitator Meeting

Tuesday, July 25

- 4:00 pm until 9:00 pm BeachClub Bistro Charity Night
- 5:15 pm Community Meal
- 7:00 pm Parents of Addicts Meeting

Wednesday, July 26

- 10:00 am SRW MOMS
- 7:00 pm Gospel of John Bible Study

Thursday, July 27

- 7:00 pm Areopagus

Friday, July 28

- 7:00 pm Colloquy

Saturday, July 29

- 9:00 am Men's Group
- 2:30 pm Confessions
- 7:00 pm AA

Sunday, July 30

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

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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!

FJB's BLOG

Dear Parishioners,

This is the first blog I have written since our new Bishop was announced. I am so excited about Bishop Perez being our 11th Bishop of the Diocese of Cleveland. From everything I have read and seen he seems like he will be great! He has a very optimistic outlook on life and God. He started his press conference by saying, "God is Great," and we respond "All the Time." Just so awesome! Please keep him in your prayers as he prepares to lead our Diocese. He will be installed September 5. I am sure Fr. Scott and I will attend the Mass. We will also send him a note of welcome in September.



Lots of great things are in this bulletin about the Festival! Please check it out and make sure you get your raffle tickets in so I can call you on August 13 to tell you that you won a 3-year lease on a 2017 Honda Accord or \$12,500!

I do miss Fr. Scott but I am sure he is having a wonderful retreat. He will be back August 2.

Make it t a great week. See you in Church.

Peace,

Fr. John

Musing from Mike, By Seminarian Mike Feldtz, Summer Intern

The short review of the four forms of prayer is now complete. We recall them here as *adoration, thanksgiving, repentance, and petition*. Our daily life gives us enough opportunities to "change it up" when we pray. We can include "a little of this, and a little of that..." in our daily prayer life. Remember, we are called by God to pray often and live in prayer. Imagine being in a relationship with a special friend or our spouse, where you are totally consumed with the other person. Now imagine your relationship with God, is it like that ~ all-consuming? Imagine being at the point when your earthly body shuts down, your spiritual soul wants to go to only one place, *God's right side in heaven*. Prayer helps us get there, to God's side with all the saints and our loved ones, there waiting for us. Yes, as they cheer us on.

Part Four of the *Catechism of the Catholic Church* is all about prayer and is worth reading. The wording is very friendly, understandable, and helpful, especially after looking at prayer. Part Four begins with the question, "What is prayer?" Then St. Thérèse of Lisieux gives the answer with her beautiful quote, "For me, prayer is a surge of the heart; it is a simple look turned toward heaven, it is a cry of recognition and of love, embracing both trial and joy." *Adoration, thanksgiving, repentance, and petition* are the four forms of prayer to help us grow closer to God.

Dear Parishioners,

Thank you for the celebration of my 60-Year Jubilee on Saturday, July 8th. Mass was a most prayerful experience because of the beautiful Liturgy presided by Father John and assisted by Deacon Carey, OSB, the Choir led by Mr. Lorek, and the core of Altar Servers led by MC, Bob Perusek. All added to the reverence of our Eucharistic Celebration. Thank you to the Parish Staff for helping organize the event, and to Renée Barber for creating the "I Card." What a nice surprise! Thanks to the host of volunteers who set up and cleaned up the Reception! Beautiful!!

As for you, dear Parishioners, my gratitude runs ever so deep. Your devotion is remarkable; I have always been inspired by you. You model Catholic Christian living to our neighbors and to the world. I do not hesitate to exclaim that you have always edified me. Your support of our parish priests, their staffs and one another all through the years is awesome. I personally felt your encouragement each day of my fifteen years on the staff. God bless you and from the bottom of my heart, thank you and I continue to pray for you.

Sincerely,

Sister Irene Charette

Ss. Robert & William Catholic School

www.srwschool.cc

Now Enrolling, Pre School—Grade 6. Call Angela at 216.731.3060 for more information! We have waiting lists in three grades, so do not delay!

Spiritual

Sisterhood: the close relationship among women based on shared experiences, or concerns. That's US!! *Women's Fellowship*, 2nd Saturday of each month in the *Upper Hall at 9:00 am*. See that logo? Common roots: Jesus Christ, our Savior. See those branches? Growing together in faith. New program every month! We would be so happy to welcome you! Call Renee Barber, 216.731.1515 ext. 262 for further info.



RCIA: Invite Someone to “Come and See.”

When Jesus saw two of John the Baptist's disciples following him, he asked them, “What are you looking for?” When they asked him where he was staying he gave them an invitation: “Come, and you will see.” With those words he was inviting them into a relationship with him.

You may know someone who is looking for a simple invitation that could be the beginning of their relationship with Jesus Christ. Invite them to come and see what the **Rite of Christian Initiation (RCIA)** is all about. **Our first session is Sunday, September 17, 2017 at 10:00 am in the rectory.**

For more information call Renée Barber at 216-731-1515 Ext. 262

Present this flyer to your Beach Club Bistro server

On Tuesday July 25

from 4:00 pm to 9:00 pm

and 20% of your dine-in food purchases will be donated by BCBistro to:



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The 2017 Ss. Robert & William Festival will continue to serve all the same great foods that we have come to expect each year.

July is a busy month for our Parish food team. This group of volunteers has been meeting on Saturday mornings to make pierogi and stuffed cabbage rolls, two of our classic items. Hopefully they will make enough as these favorites sell quickly.

Our Parish Food tents will again feature a variety of sausages supplied by Raddell's Sausage Shop. The guys at the Italian tent will be happy to serve these up any way you want – on a bun, on a stick, with pasta, or wrapped with a slice of pizza.

Our menu will include: ribs, roasted BBQ chicken, steamed clams and mussels, meatball sandwiches, cabbage & noodles, cavatelli, pulled pork sandwiches (NEW), tacos, hot dogs, burgers, and fries.

The SRW Ice Cream Shoppe will be serving up a variety of hand-dipped hard ice cream flavors, along with soft-serve sundaes and many other treats.

Be sure to visit our Parish Lemonade stand and cool-down with a refreshing, fresh-squeezed lemonade!

The Oktoberfest area (gym) will be serving a specialized menu that corresponds with the entertainment:

Thursday evening: Irish; Friday evening: Eastern European; Saturday evening: German; and Sunday: Italian. Join us in this air-conditioned space for lively entertainment and great food!

We need lots of volunteers! For On-Line sign Up:

<http://www.rotundasoftware.com/volunteer/SSRWEUCLID?enroll=1>.

FOR INFORMATION OR HELP IN SIGNING UP, CALL LOU @ 216-261-9201.

New This Year - Spirit Wear Tent!

We love SRW! Spread your school and parish spirit: stop by our new spirit wear tent and take a photo at our SRW Spirit Frame, get an SRW tattoo, or browse our new SRW merchandise! We will have everything from sweatshirts, t-shirts, backpacks, and pajama pants to headbands, pencils, water bottles and more! Lots of choices to show your Warrior Pride!

Any teen bands that would like to perform in our teen tent contact Phil at (216) 952 8122. All equipment for the teen tent will be provided. We would love to have you!



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SRW Volunteer Appreciation Night
Wednesday August 9, 2017
5:00 to 7:00 pm



All adult volunteers who have donated a significant amount of time to their ministry are cordially invited to an evening of appreciation. Please complete the tear slip below and return to Ellen Ivory at the Parish Office by Wednesday, August 2nd.

I will gladly attend SRW Volunteer Appreciation Night.

Name: _____

Phone: _____

List Ministry (ies): _____

Ss. Robert & William

2017

International **Family** Festival Entertainment

Ss. Robert & William Catholic Parish International Festival runs from August 10-13, 2017.

**THURSDAY,
AUGUST 10, 2017**

Festival: 5:00—10:00 pm

MAIN TENT

6:30—9:30 pm
The Pop Tarts

OKTOBERFEST AREA

(Open 6:00-9:30 pm)
Irish Night
(Corned Beef Sandwiches & Irish Soda Bread)

7:00—9:15pm
New Barley Corn

**FRIDAY,
AUGUST 11, 2017**

Festival: 5:00—11:00 pm
Black Jack: 7:00—11:00 pm

7:00—11:00 pm
Festivus

(Open 5:00—10:00 pm)
Eastern European Night
(Slovenian sausage, stuffed cabbage, cabbage & noodles)

5:30—9:30 pm
Patty C & the Boys

**SATURDAY,
AUGUST 12, 2017**

Festival: 5:00—11:00 pm
Black Jack: 7:00—11:00 pm

7:00—11:00 pm
The Spazmatics

(Open 5:00—10:00 pm)
German Night
(Bratwurst, potato pancakes, pretzels)

5:30—9:30 pm
Eric and Nancy Noltkamper

**SUNDAY,
AUGUST 13, 2017**

Festival: Noon-8:00 pm

11:00 am Polka Mass
w/The Joey Tomsick Orchestra

12:30—3:00 pm
Joey Tomsick Orchestra

3:00pm—4:00 pm
Fr. McNeil Country Hour

4:00—5:00
Roxbury Sing-a-long

5:30—8:00 pm
Phil'n the Blanks

(Open 10:00 am—6:00 pm)
Italian Day
Noon: (Italian sausage subs, cavatellis, meatballs)

10:00—1:00pm
Ralph Szubski—Accordionist
Coffee/Donuts

2:00—5:00 pm
Don Disantis

It's Almost Chinese Auction Time

The Chinese Auction at Ss. Robert and William International Family Festival will be here soon, and we need your help!

We are asking for donations, and there are several ways you can support us:

Unleash your inner Martha Stewart and create your own basket.

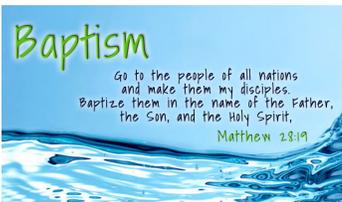
Donate basket items, and we'll put the basket together.

Donate a gift card, and we'll do the rest.

If you have "like new" or "gently used" items, donate them for a White Elephant basket.

All donations can be left at the Rectory. If you have any questions, please call Connie, 216.403.9359 or Judy, 440.667.1414.

Tet lestai 40th Anniversary Summer Performances: *Tet lestai* – the stirring musical production about the last week of Jesus' life – is celebrating 40 years of passionate performances! The dramatic stage production and timeless music tell the story of Jesus' trial, execution and resurrection in a visual way that has left a lasting impression on over 100,000 audience members over the past four decades. *Tet lestai* is normally presented in the winter months during the 8 weeks of Lent that lead to the celebration of Holy Week and Easter. This year, to celebrate its 40th anniversary, *Tet lestai* has invited alumni cast and crew members from the past 40 years to join in two special summer performances. These performances will be held at Ss. Robert & William Church in Euclid, Ohio on Friday, July 28 and Saturday, July 29 at 8:00 pm. Currently, over 200 alumni are registered to participate in this unique event. The production is free of charge with seating on a first-come, first-serve basis. Free-will donations are accepted at the conclusion of the production. For more information about *Tet lestai* and the 40th Anniversary Summer Performances, visit LiveThePassion.org or call Cleveland Performing Arts Ministries at [440-944-0635](tel:440-944-0635). *Tet lestai* is a registered service mark of Tet lestai, Inc. Cleveland Performing Arts Ministries produces *Tet lestai* in northeast Ohio and is a registered 501(c)(3) organization.



Congratulations!

During the month of June the following children were baptized in our parish:

Vincent James Audia son of Daniel & Janelle Audia

Fiona Marie Cavelli daughter of Alex & Margaret Cavelli

Justin Xavier Varga son of David & Rebecca Varga

Blake Anthony Ott son of Eric Ott & Ashleigh Alexander

Nicholas Peter Ficznar son of Michael & Sarah Ficznar

Kyrie & Lauryn Jones children of Dominique & Tiara Jones

Reilly James DeWilde son of James DeWilde & Miranda Meisel

Brooklyn Renee Lee Robinson daughter of Allen Robinson & Phyllis Ferguson

Welcome to the Church!

From the
Fr. Solanus Casey
Hospitality Ministry...
Thank you to all who
helped to make the re-
ceptions for Sr. Irene and
Fr. Baugh so special!
Much appreciated.

We'd like to connect with you! Get important updates from our church in a timely and convenient way. **Flocknote**, the 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.**

PRAYERS NEEDED

Please pray for...Alda Kovalsky, Jean Feiten, Ronald Kessler, Marianne Ellul, Geraldine Hoffert, Janet and Jim Cika, Pauline Dutcher, Elaine Jackson, Sharon Kazusky, Grayson Kazusky, Violet DeStefanis, Ann Grossman, Donald Pavlovich, Chuck Hill, Mary Ann Hudak, Faye Bukovec, Samuel Raguz, James Augustine, Ted Sabat, Christopher Henderson, Alexis Farrar, Rose Leo, Patricia Johnston, Kathryn Novotney, Thomas Jirousek, Pauline Krall, Stanley Mincek, John Ellul, Frank Furnari, Ray Golick, Jeanette Hocevar 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 who have lost a loved one especially, **Kathleen M Rodgers**. May they know the peace and comfort of God's love and find strength in the support of our parish community.



The collection for July 16 was **\$8,032** and Faith Direct July First Half, **\$10,143**.

Loan Balance: \$1,354,329 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

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.

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