



Pastor's Column

Feast of Divine Mercy

Happy Feast of Divine Mercy! We will be celebrating this weekend with Adoration after the 11:30 a.m. Mass until 3:00 p.m., at which time, we will have a Eucharistic Procession in the Church. All children present will be given carnations and invited to follow in the procession through the church, then once the Blessed Sacrament is placed on the altar, they will place their flowers before the image of the Divine Mercy. We'll also sing the chaplet of Divine Mercy and have Benediction. This is a great opportunity to celebrate the Feast of Divine Mercy.

Mission of St. Peter Church

At our most recent Parish Council, we had a vote to change our mission statement as a parish. The former one reflected well who we are but was too long for anyone to remember anything about it. The new one is very simple and is taken from a description by Jean Vanier, the founder of L'Arche communities – a Catholic community for the developmentally disabled and their helpers. Vanier foresees a Catholic renaissance made up of a lot of parishes and communities that will fit this description in the coming years. When I first read the description in a post by Mark Mallet, I said “this describes our parish precisely!” Thus, our new mission statement is that we are “A community founded on Adoration and presence to the poor.” Simple, but descriptive. “Adoration” has become a Catholic word, and so there is no need to state our Catholicism or Christianity because that is all contained in the word of Adoration – which is the worship of the Father through the Son in the Holy Spirit. It also denotes a sense of being swept up into something much bigger than ourselves in worship and awe before the Lord. Secondly, the “*presence to the poor*” makes it clear that we are not a parish who simply sends money to “those people.” We are a community that gets involved with and are a community of all classes of people. We don't believe in just serving others but in seeing every person's incredible dignity and realizing that we are all equals and can always learn from one another. “Adoration” captures the solemn and beautiful way of our worship and the new Adoration Chapel places an exclamation mark on this. At the same time, “presence to the poor” captures our outreach through things like the St. Vincent de Paul Society and Food Pantry, while the annual mission trips immersing us in various cultures places an exclamation mark on this. I intend also to speak more to this during the homilies this weekend.

Census Update

We are in the process of updating our census information. With the new system the diocese is implementing, we will have much more local control over our information now which should certainly translate into more accurate records. However, we need you to review your information as we have it, and inform us of any changes. All registered parishioners are invited to pick up their census information from the back of the church, review, and return. We appreciate your help in this important updating.

In Christ,
Fr. Hahn

It's Divine Mercy Sunday. Use the Formed website to learn more about this powerful feast! In the audio section, listen to The Saving Power of Divine Mercy and/or The Second Greatest Story Ever Told. Watch the movie *Oceans of Mercy*. Or delve deeper into the Divine Mercy by doing the program, Divine Mercy in the Second Greatest Story Ever Told. To utilize these resources and more, go to www.formed.org and set up your individual account using the access code of VZ4F2W.

Knights of Columbus Council 15793 invites all to attend April's Social Meeting, this Monday, April 24, at 6:45 p.m., in the Parish Hall. The Council has invited Julie Oates of the Ross County Child Protection Agency to speak. Her presentation will be about Human Trafficking. Mark your calendars and plan to attend this session regarding this disturbing subject.

Bethesda Healing Ministry 2017 Benefit Dinner is April 27, from 5:00-8:30 p.m., at St. Agatha's Catholic Church in Columbus. This year's key note speaker is our very own Fr. William Hahn. If you are interested in attending, please contact Judy Harness for additional information and reservations. Judy can be contacted at 740-649-6256.

Easter Gift for the Parish...On behalf of the parish, please pick up a copy of the CD entitled Beyond Belief, by Fr. Michael Schmitz. Fr. Mike Schmitz tackles some of the most difficult topics in the Church today with humor, clarity, and theological truth. In this talk, he challenges us to not settle for mediocrity and to allow Christ to change our lives. Fr. Mike goes on to explain that once we are changed by the love of Jesus, then together we can change the world. Copies of the CD will be in the back of the church.

Bishop Flaget is currently accepting applications for Preschool, Pre-K, and Kindergarten for the upcoming school year. Applications are available by calling 740-774-2970 or emailing Mrs. Corcoran at lcrcora@cducation.org. Applications are also available at www.bishopflaget.org. The application period for EdChoice Expansion Scholarships (for families with household incomes below 200% of the poverty level) and John Peterson Scholarships (for students who have IEPs) is currently open. These scholarships can cover the entire cost of tuition for students to attend Bishop Flaget. Please contact Mrs. Corcoran at 740-253-0433 for more information.

Mass Intentions

Saturday, April 22

Acts 4:13-21; Ps 118:1, 14-15, 16-21; Mk 16:9-15

5:00 p.m. Warren Rogers – Dan & Mary Jane Rogers

Sunday, April 23

*Acts 2:42-47; Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24; 1 Pt 1:3-9;
Jn 20:19-31*

8:00 a.m. Bill & Ruth Neal – John & Cathy Seifert

11:30 a.m. (incense) – Arianna Elise Busa – John Busa

Monday, April 24

Acts 4:23-31; Jn 3:1-8

5:30 p.m. In Thanksgiving for Favors Received –
Mark & Maggie Preston

Tuesday, April 25

1 Pt 5:5b-14; Mk 16:15-20

8:30 a.m. Joann McNicoll – Chris Manegold

Wednesday, April 26

Acts 5:17-26; Jn 3:16-21

8:30 a.m. Marjorie McDuff –
Cynthia Carrico & Tony Skowronek

Thursday, April 27

Acts 5:27-33; Jn 3:31-36

5:30 p.m. Monti Perry – Dave Purpero

Friday, April 28

Acts 5:34-42; Jn 6:1-15

9:30 a.m. (Class Mass) – Donna Miller –
Rick & Carole Rooney

Saturday, April 29

Acts 6:1-7; Jn 6:16-21

5:00 p.m. John Sulzer – Colleen Sulzer

Sunday, April 30

Acts 2:14, 22-33; 1 Pt 1:17-21; Lk 24:13-35

8:00 a.m. For the People

11:30 a.m. Phyllis Casey – K of C Council 15793

Liturgical Minister Schedules for the summer will be prepared soon. If you receive your schedules by email, please go into your account and mark any dates you will be unavailable this summer. If you receive your schedule by mail or have trouble getting the online schedule, please contact Jenny French at the Parish Office at 740-774-1407. Your service to the parish as Liturgical Ministers is greatly appreciated!

Are you a High School Senior? Plans for the annual Baccalaureate Mass are under way. The Mass is scheduled for 11:30 a.m. on Sunday, May 21, 2017. If you wish to participate, please contact Debbie Nunziato at 740-773-3334.



SAVE THE DATE!

Theology of Dance
Special Guest:

EWTN's own Elizabeth and Mark Ficocelli
This will be a date night for parents and
their teen and young adult children!
Food, Dancing and Fun guaranteed!
When: June 17th, 6:00-10:00 p.m.
Mark your calendars now!!
Details to come.

Calendar for the Week

Saturday, April 22

9:00 a.m. MOMS Bible Study –
Blessed Virgin Mary Room

3:00 p.m. Divine Mercy Chaplet – Church

3:30-4:30 p.m. Confessions – Church

Sunday, April 23

9:15 a.m. PSR – Parish Center

9:15 a.m. Bible Study – Holy Family Library

12:30-3:00 p.m. Adoration – Church

3:00 p.m. Divine Mercy Procession & Chaplet –
Church

Monday, April 24

5:00 p.m. Confessions – Church

6:15 p.m. Rosary for Addiction – Church

6:45 p.m. Human Trafficking Presentation –
Holy Family Library

Tuesday, April 25

6:00 a.m.-Midnight – Adoration – Adoration Chapel

9:30-10:30 a.m. Food Pantry –

St. Vincent de Paul Room

7:00 p.m. RCIA – “Catholic Devotions” –
Holy Family Library

Wednesday, April 26

Midnight-Midnight – Adoration – Adoration Chapel

7:00 p.m. Sisterhood of the Frogged Stitches –
Blessed Virgin Mary Room

7:00 p.m. Divorce Support – St. Francis Room

7:00 p.m. Choir Practice – Church

Thursday, April 27

Midnight-5:00 p.m. – Adoration – Adoration Chapel

5:00 p.m. Confessions – Church

6:00-9:00 p.m. Adoration with Simple Reposition
at 9:00 p.m. – Church

6:30 p.m. Secular Franciscans –
John Paul II Room

7:00 p.m. Young Adult Group –
Holy Family Library

7:00 p.m. High School Youth Group –
St. John Bosco Room

Friday, April 28

8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. – Flea Market – Parish Hall

9:30 a.m. Class Mass – Bishop Flaget Chapel

1:30-2:30 p.m. Food Pantry –

St. Vincent de Paul Room

2:00 p.m. Divine Mercy Cenacle –

Mezzanine Conference Room

Saturday, April 29 – St. Vincent de Paul Collection

8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. – Flea Market – Parish Hall

9:00 a.m. MOMS Bible Study –

Blessed Virgin Mary Room

4:00-4:30 p.m. Confessions – Church

Sunday, April 30 – St. Vincent de Paul Collection

9:15 a.m. PSR – Parish Center

5th Sunday Collection: Members of St. Vincent de Paul Society will be at the church doors after Masses Saturday and Sunday, April 29 and April 30, 2017. Your generous contributions will continue to support their ongoing works of charity for the poor and disadvantaged.

St. Peter C.C.W. Flea Market, April 28-29, is focusing on the St. Peregrine Cancer Aide and Research Fund sponsored by the Diocese, as Fr. Hahn has asked this year. We will be selling **50/50 raffle** tickets throughout this month. Tickets are available in the office Monday-Friday. See Donna Weisenberger or catch her or Annette Roth after the Masses. **Tickets are \$1.00 each, six for \$5.00, a baker's dozen (13) for \$10.00, or for a \$20.00 donation, you get 25 tickets.** The drawing will be Saturday, April 29, at 2:00 p.m., at the Flea Market. We are also accepting donations for the market of small household items, clothing, etc., to be dropped off on the stage in the Parish Hall.

MAY BIRTHDAYS!

St. Peter Parish Family extends congratulations and many blessings to the following on their "special" Birthdays:

May 1, Colleen Sulzer, 525 Seminole Road

May 15, Anna Shelhart,
3627 Owl Creek Road, Frankfort, OH 45628

May 31, Petronila Palisbo, 1017 Clinton Road



We would like to hear from you! Have you had an experience you would like to share about your time spent in Eucharistic Adoration? Would you like to share what spending time in the presence of the Lord has meant to you? If you do, then please drop us a note! We are wanting to share these with our parish family to help encourage others to come before our Lord in prayer. We will be sharing these stories via the newsletter and bulletin. Please share your thoughts and experiences so that others can come to realize the gift we have of the adoration chapel in our parish.

Adorers needed for Perpetual Adoration: We are in need of Adorers for the following days and times:

8:00-9:00 a.m. on Wednesday –

We need one Adorer.

9:00-10:00 p.m. on Tuesdays –

We need two Adorers

If you are interested in becoming an Adorer, please contact Fr. Dooley at (740) 774-1407, ext. 5 or by email at sdooley@columbuscatholic.org.

**Adoration Chapel
Intention for the Week
of April 23 2017:**

**Donated
In Memory of Ralph & Rita Althouse
by Michael & Cecilia Althouse.**



**WAYS TO HELP THOSE IN NEED
THAT ARE SERVICED BY THE ST.
VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY**

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS

Cereal, Soup,
Dish Liquid,
Personal care items:
i.e., shampoo, feminine
hygiene products



Do you donate clothes to Goodwill? At St. Vincent de Paul we sometimes have clients who need new clothes, and we are able to give them vouchers to buy them at Goodwill. If you or anyone you know donates a large bag of clothing to Goodwill, and fills out the donation form with our name on it (St. Peter's St. Vincent de Paul), we will get a credit toward the vouchers that we give out. Your donation to Goodwill helps that organization, and in this way it will also help our own St. Vincent de Paul. Thank you for considering this.



**Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Our Lady of Fatima Schedule
(More dates have been added to the book.
Please sign up!)**

April 16-April 29 – Jim & Laura Lewis

April 30-May 6 – Linda Hunt

May 7-13 – Lloyd & Jane Turner

(Please remember to use the provided basket for transporting the statue.)

Prayer List

(Please check this prayer list for people who are no longer in need of prayer. We strive to keep this list current for those in their hour of need. If someone needs to be removed, please call the office. If someone is in need of prayer, please let us know that, too!)

Susan Schneider, Lucille Maimone, John Slagle, Dinese Carman, Richard Stadtfeld, Darlene Lilley, Judi Bechie Hunter, Tami Preston, John Cuzzolini, Huspen Family, Marsha Trutschel, Annette Click, Kinsey Mitchell, Shawna Davis, Tom Thompson, Cynthia Towne, Jonathan Cox, Jeffrey Matthews, Dave Fine, Richard Tuttle, Darlene DiPatri, Ray Thomas, Debbie Winneger, Helen Stanton, Kaye Keefer, Jan Hannan, Howard Myers, Shawna Smith, Melody Ault, Ralph Sorrell, Heidi Lovensheimer, Charlie McDonald, David Riley, Aileen Diaz, Don Davis, Pat Manion, Joe Schumann, Veronica Geimer, Albert Geimer, Kathy Dye, Rosemary Cox, Olivia Jones, Brenda Estep, David Conley, Brookie Heightsman, John Lisle, Keith Lovensheimer, Evelyn Silva, Michael Dixon, Peggy Lisle, Donna Stevens, Jo Burchett, Nancy Leasure, Tracy Jalbuena, Rosemary McHarg, Kelly Chandler, Kathryn Hunt, Angie Currier, Herman Swisher, Deb Zimpher, Evelyn Weinman, Tim Ott, Dave Neal, Joshua Hicks, Rosalina Prog, Roger Wilburn, Mary Wachter, Paula Romans, Douglas Griffith, Lyn Smith, Eva & Melvin States, Julie Carey, Norma Whitley, Lib Fisher, Joseph Lynch, Jody Morrison, Dan & Jane Harness.



**Thank you for the generous donations to beautify our church for the Easter Season.
Flowers have been donated in Memory of those listed below.
May God bless them and allow them to share in the
Easter Resurrection of our Lord, Jesus Christ.**

Anonymous Donations
All Souls in Purgatory
Persecuted Christians Everywhere
Herman & Regina Albright
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Mary E. Hess
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Marieta Fernandez Hundley
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Marve Husemeyer
Floyd & Justina Irwin
Ed & Rusty Jones
Margaret & Paul Jones
John & Carrie Kern



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Krall & Black Families
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Bill & Ruth Neal
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Francis Weisenberger
Susan Weisenberger
Kenneth & Christina White
Whitten Family
John Williams
Rick Williams
Martha Wuennemann
Betty & Louis Zupi

Jesus meets the need of each disciple.
To the fearful in the upper room,
He speaks words of peace.
To doubting Thomas, He provides
the tangible proof of His resurrection.
What do I need to become His disciple?
What do I have to share that might
meet someone else's need?

Thank you to those who helped decorate the church and adoration chapel for Holy Week and Easter. The help of Bob & Jenny French, Nicholas French, Carol Seachrist, Jeff Hammond, Lisa Diehl, Donna Weisenberger, Lynn Anderson, Deacon Hauser, and the FIH Sisters is greatly appreciated.

Budgeted Expenses – April 2-16, 2017	\$26,037.27	\$364,611.42
Actual Offertory – April 2-16, 2017	\$21,912.18	\$363,968.82
Offertory Collection	\$ 5,683.00	
Online Giving		
Difference	\$ 1,557.91	(\$ 642.60)
Improvement Fund	\$ 317.00	\$ 4,139.50

Online Giving...
*The best way to give our Lord our First Fruits.
Visit the parish website for sign-up
or contact Donna at the Parish Office
for more information.*

Online Giving...
*If you wish to commit to the
2016-2019 Sister Guardian Fund,
be sure to find this name (2016-2019)
in the list of giving.*



Have you enthroned your home or business to the Sacred Heart of Jesus? Since October of 2014, 41 homes have been enthroned by the FIH Sisters and Sacred Heart Team, with six homes scheduled for the near future. Below are the promises of Jesus to those who enthrone their home or business to His Sacred Heart. Contact the FIH Sisters at 740-500-0697, Bob Dye at 740-703-0555, or the Parish Office at 740-774-1407 to schedule your date.

12 Promises of The Sacred Heart of Jesus

1. I will give them all Graces necessary in their state of Life.
2. I will give Peace in their families that are divided.
3. I will console them in their troubles.
4. I will be their Refuge during life and above all in death.
5. I will bestow the Blessings of Heaven on all their enterprises.
6. Sinners shall find My Heart the Source and infinite ocean of Mercy.
7. Tepid souls shall become fervent.
8. Fervent souls shall rise quickly to great perfection.
9. I will bless those places wherein the image of My Heart shall be exposed and honored and will imprint My Love on the hearts of those who would wear this image on their person. I will also destroy in them all disordered movements.
10. I will give to Priests who are animated by a tender devotion to my Divine Heart the gift of touching the most hardened hearts.
11. Those who promote the Devotion shall have their names written in My Heart never to be effaced.
12. I promise you in the excessive Mercy of My Heart that My all Powerful Love will grant to those who communicate on the First Friday in nine consecutive months, the Grace of final penitence: they will not die in my disgrace, nor without receiving their Sacraments. My Divine Heart shall be their safe refuge in this last moment.

LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS

	April 29, 5:00 p.m. Third Sunday of Easter	April 30, 8:00 a.m. Third Sunday of Easter	April 30, 11:30 a.m. Third Sunday of Easter
Eucharist	Mary Brown – B, Sr. Leonard Mary – C1, Linda Hunt – C2	Ellen Clark – B, Roger Cenci – C1, Bill Clark – C2	Sylvia Ramsey – B, Tess Hatmacher – C1, Donna Weisenberger – C2
Lector	Richard Rooney – 1, Sr. Amelia Mary – 2	Mark Preston – 1, Aaron Brown – 2	Steve Neal – 1, Joe Herlihy – 2
Server	Gabe Roy, Nate Roy	Christian Brown, Simon Brown, Macy Corcoran	Joseph O. Herlihy, Danny Bentley, Isaac Herlihy
Greeter	Trish Eddy, Christine Renison	Preston Family, Maggie Preston, Mark Preston	Carolyn Phillips, Sylvia Ramsey
Offertory	Zupi Family	Angie Brown	Julie Rusnak, Ben Rusnak
Usher	Mary Anne Brown, Lisa Diehl, Sandra Haas, Thomas Zuber	James Burgess, Doug Corcoran, Maralee Scheeler, Tim Scheeler	John Crowe, Ken Miller, Frank Nunziato, Bret Reisinger

Church Cleaning	Team #7: Bob Kight	Linens for the Month of April: Laura Lewis
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