

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 30-31, 2011

MONDAY, AUGUST 1, 2011

12:05PM- Communion Service

12:30-3:00PM- Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

**3:00PM- Divine Mercy Chaplet,
Our Lady of Mount Carmel Devotion and Benediction**

TUESDAY, AUGUST 2, 2011

12:05PM- Communion Service

2:30PM- Shepherd of the Valley-

Brian Scott Hibbard by William Schenkel

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 3, 2011

12:05PM – Infant of Prague by Devotees

THURSDAY, AUGUST 4, 2011

12:05PM- Dominic, Mary Nespeca and Joanne

by Dom and Flo Nespeca

FRIDAY, AUGUST 5, 2011

12:05PM- Bill and Mary Vennitti by family

SATURDAY, AUGUST 6, 2011

5:00PM- John and Mary Salvador

by Mr. and Mrs. Amedeo Salvador

SUNDAY, AUGUST 7, 2011

9:30AM- Mickey Tripodi by family

11:30AM- For our Deceased Parishioners especially:
William H. Miller, Karen B. Violette, Nick Patrone,
Donald M. Toy, Sarah A. DeLuca, Louise R. Maffei,
Carole M. Ladd, James J. Miranda, Jr., Peter P. Mollica,
Sr., Stella M. Green, Emil R. Kristoff and Elvira C.
Macali by St. Vincent de Paul Society

SANCTUARY LIGHTS THIS WEEK

IN MEMORY OF:

Susan Hernan

Domenica Butto and St. Anne

NEW MEMBERS

Miss Rebecca Zevkovich and family

Niles Community Service is collecting crackers and cookies during the month of August. Baskets are located in the back of the church.

Community Suppers for the month of August will be held at Masons, 21 Fairview Ave., Niles on Thursdays. Serving hours are 4:45-6:00PM.

July 23-24 collection.....	\$ 6,676.70
Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel.....	\$1,343.00

We really appreciate it when you give us your contribution for the weekends you missed in addition to the contributions given when you are here.

Take Advantage of the Parish Lending Library! Over 400 items are available in Parish Lending Library, found in cabinets in Marian Hall. Stop by and sign-out a book, CD or video. For more information, contact Dave Schmidt at (330) 652-5825 or dschmidtkofc@neo.rr.com

Evangelization Committee Meeting, Monday, August 8, 6:30PM in the rectory dining room. For more information, contact Dave Schmidt at dschmidtkofc@neo.rr.com or (330) 652-5825.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Kathy Zuppo's email address:

kathyzuppo@yahoo.com

Kindergarten Registration: Families who have a child attending public school Grade Kindergarten are invited to register for the Religious Education Kindergarten class. Parents must complete a registration form for each Kindergarten child prior to the opening session. Registration forms may be picked up at the Parish Office or mailed to your home upon request.

Religious Education Registrations Grades K-8:

Formal Religious Education classes are provided in our parish for those students who attend public schools (Grades K-8). Classes for the 2011-2012 Catechetical Year will be held on Sunday mornings 10:30AM-12:00 (noon), grades K-8 from September-April. **NEW** registrations are now being accepted. Forms may be obtained in the parish office weekdays and the Church Annex Sunday mornings. Parents/Guardians must complete a registration form for each new child entering the program prior to the opening session in September. Please register early!! If you have any questions please contact Kathy Zuppo.

<p><u>Weekend Mass Attendance Report</u> Based on attendance from 1-03-09 through 7-24-11 The church seating capacity is listed as 374. A crowd of 188 or more exceeds 50% of capacity.</p> <p><u>Saturday evening Mass: Here on July 23, 2011: 232</u> This July 23rd crowd was 62.0% of capacity. Total: 27,142 people divided by 133 Masses. Average = 204.1 people, 54.6% of capacity. 87 of 133 crowds are greater than 50% of capacity.</p> <p><u>9:30 Mass: Here on July 24, 2011: 177</u> This July 24th crowd was 47.3% of capacity. Total: 32,205 divided by 134 Masses. Average: 240.3 people, 64.3% of capacity. 118 of 134 crowds are greater than 50% of capacity.</p> <p><u>11:30 Mass: Here on July 24, 2011: 216</u> This July 24th crowd was 57.8% of capacity. Total: 25,425 people divided by 134 Masses. Average: 189.7 people, 50.7% of capacity. 47 of 134 crowds are greater than 50% of capacity.</p> <p><u>Weekend of July 23-24, 2011</u> 625 total people, 208.3 average, 55.7% of capacity. It was the weekend of the Parish Picnic.</p> <p><u>Grand totals from 1-03-09 through 7-24-11:</u> 84,772 people divided by 401 Masses. Average = 211.4 people, 56.5% of capacity. 252 of 401 crowds are greater than 50% of capacity.</p>
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Men's Fellowship Group meets Sunday, August 7, at 8:00AM in Marian Hall and concluding in time for 9:30AM Mass. Open to all men! For more information, contact Dave Schmidt at (330) 652-5825 or dschmidtkofc@neo.rr.com.

Ad Hoc Committee for Implementing the Revised Roman Missal meets on Tuesday, August 2, at 7:00PM in Marian Hall. For more information, contact Dave Schmidt at (330) 652-5825 or dschmidtkofc@neo.rr.com

St. Vincent de Paul Society will meet on Tuesday, August 9 from 4:00-5:30PM in Marian Hall.

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Society will have its Annual Picnic on Wednesday, August 10 at 5:30PM in Marian Hall. Please note the change from Waddell Park to our Marian Hall.

We gladly publish in our church bulletin the names of family members and friends who are currently serving our country in the military. We pray for their safety and for an end to conflicts in the Middle East and elsewhere. Please call the parish office with the individual's name and branch of service.

Ryan Estes- Army; **Joshua Lewis-** Military Intelligence; **Nicholas Perrone-** Navy; **David Mickey-** Army; **Josh Nutt;** **Patrick Betteridge-** Army; **Robert Infante-** Navy; **Frank Pezzano-** Marines; **Tim Zysk-** Navy; **Guy Martin Capito-** Marines; **Keith Sponseller-** Air Force; **Jonthan Augusta-** Army; **Ronald Ranalli-** Army; **Vito J. Abruzzino-** Army; **Danny Bennett-** Marines; **Curtis Coole-** Army; **Brad DeRubba-** Army; **Rob Whited-** Army; **Gary Lashley-** Navy; **Michael Loychik-** Air Force; **Paul Brown-** Air Force; **Brad Gordon-** Army; **Nicholas Marchese-** Marines; **Philip Ledbetter-** Army; **Mark A. Selak-** Marines; **Timothy Edwards-** Marines.

NEEDED: Young People to Help Feed the Poor

On Monday, August 1, Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Youth Ministry is responsible for feeding the needy at the St. Vincent de Paul Dining Hall at 2355 Niles Rd. (St. Rte. 169), Warren. Helpers are needed in two shifts:

~ 9:00 to 11:30AM for set-up and preparation; or,
~ 11:30AM to 2:00PM for serving and clean-up.

We are the only group that will be providing the meal that day. Come and help out for a couple of hours! What a meaningful way to start summer break! Parents are encouraged to help also.

To sign-up contact Dave Schmidt at dschmidtkofc@neo.rr.com or (330) 652-5825, (330) 309-8860. NOTE: Participants under age 18 need a Parental Permission / Emergency Medical Authorization form.

Teenagers: Help Plan a Meal for the Needy

On Sunday, July 31, at 10:15AM (after the 9:30AM Mass) in Marian Hall, teenagers are invited to a brief meeting to plan the meal that we will be serving to the needy at the St. Vincent de Paul Dining Hall on August 1 (see above). If you have never been to the St. Vincent de Paul Dining Hall, this is a good opportunity to hear what it is like and learn what is involved. For more information Dave Schmidt at dschmidtkofc@neo.rr.com or (330) 652-5825.

The FEST

"The FEST" is a free, one day Catholic family festival. It features live contemporary Christian music, games, and activities, and much more! The day ends with an incredible Mass and an awesome fireworks display.

The FEST takes place on August 7, 2011 from Noon to 9:00PM, at the Center for Pastoral Leadership in Wickliffe (28700 Euclid Ave.).

We will have a contingent leaving from Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parish at 10:30AM that day. Join us to hear such nationally known Christian recording artists as: *Mercy Me*, *Jackie Francois*, *Blessed Union*, *Praise paella*, *Remedy Drive*.

The real high point of the day is the Mass, celebrated on the Main Stage with a choir of over 600 people glorifying God. 35,000 people are expected to be there. Check out the website at www.thefest.us

For more information, contact Dave Schmidt at (330) 652-5825 or dschmidtkofc@neo.rr.com

From the Pastor:

We have published our policy concerning requesting Masses for the upcoming year. During this weekend of July 30-31, 2011, a special insert has been placed in the bulletin about this. You must fill out and sign the form to request Masses for 2012. No Mass requests are being taken "at the counter" in the rectory. After you fill out the form properly and return it to the rectory, we will select forms RANDOMLY as it is very clearly explained on the form and we will contact you.

This procedure should no longer be considered something new; we began doing this way back in 2006 to consider Mass requests for 2007. Thanks to everyone who has cooperated with this so well the past five years. (Doesn't time pass quickly?) Thanks in advance for your cooperation as we prepare to consider Mass requests for the year 2012.

~Father Larry Frient

The Roofs

Recently a thorough inspection of the rectory and church roofs was conducted. You may have seen the JLG Lift (High Lift) equipment.

The rectory roof may need to be replaced in a few years. Your Pastoral Council and Finance Committee will look into this in more detail in upcoming months.

The church roof was inspected. Some immediate repairs were made. This included some electrical work (heat tape) that we hope will prevent future damage from heavy excessive ice.

We'll continue to discuss this as time goes on.

The convent roof was replaced due to recent wind storm damage. After much discussion, we were able to recover a good portion of the cost via our diocesan self insurance program.

~Fr. Larry Frient

Infant of Prague Guild will meet on Wednesday, August 3 at 1:00PM in Marian Hall.

A huge THANK YOU to all who donated freshly baked goods for our Bakery Booth. The response was overwhelming and we thank you for your generosity. Please mark your calendars for the 79th Annual Mount Carmel Festival July 18-22, 2012. Keep us in mind for your donations!

Queen of the Holy Rosary Church, 291 Scoville Dr., Vienna is having its 10th Annual Rummage Sale on Friday, August 5 from 8:00AM-6:00PM, Saturday, August 6 from 9:00AM-3:00PM. Thursday, August 4 from 3:00-6:00PM is the preview sale with Admission \$3.00. Food is available. There will also be a Bake Sale.

The Avenue & Main and the Class of 1971 will be sponsoring a real, honest to goodness SOCK HOP in the gym at Niles McKinley! The high school is scheduled to be torn down within the next couple of years, so here's a chance for Dragon alumni to get together and share memories. Please mark your calendars and pass the word. Use Facebook, emails, letters, phone calls, whatever it takes. Let's work together to bring back the pride!

The dance will be held on Saturday, August 6, 2011 from 7-11 PM. There will be a 1 hour tour of Niles McKinley High School from 7:00-8:00PM. Cost is \$10.00. Music by Gartunes and FM Productions. This event is for all Niles McKinley Alumni and guest. Questions concerning this event should be directed to Linda at 330-652-0405.

Villa Maria Education and Spirituality Center will conduct a 22 Hour Women's Retreat beginning August 26-27. The 22 Hour Retreat is an exciting new opportunity for ongoing spiritual development of adults, especially those who find it challenging to set aside large chunks of time for spiritual input, reflection and prayer. The retreats will be implemented and led by our adult programming staff. Cost is between \$99.00 and \$109.60 depending on room accommodations. Cost includes overnight accommodations, meals and programming costs. A shared-room rate of \$89.00 is also available. Registration is required. For additional information, directions or to register on-line: (724) 964-8886 or www.villaprograms.org

25th, 40th, 50th and Over Wedding Anniversaries

The Diocese of Youngstown will sponsor a Wedding Anniversary Celebration to honor couples observing their 25th, 40th, 50th and over, Wedding Anniversary in 2011. The Wedding Anniversary Celebration will be held on Sunday, October 2 at 2:00PM at St. John the Baptist Church, Canton and includes Mass with Bishop Murry, renewal of marriage vows, a personalized certificate for each couple, and a reception for the couples and their families. Registration forms are available in the parish office. Deadline to register is Friday, August 26th.

St. Stephen School is currently planning a Rummage Sale for August 5 and 6. If you have any items that you would like to donate to the school for the sale, or if you are willing to volunteer to help with the set up, sale, or tear down processes, please contact Lisa at (330) 550-5145 for more information about the dates for preparations or when and where to bring your donations.

Do You Have Junk in Your Trunk? The Niles Catholic Women's Club of St. Stephen Church is hosting a Trunk Sale at 129 W. Park Ave., Niles on Saturday, August 20 from 8:00AM-12:30PM. The cost for a space is \$10.00 or two for \$15.00. Deadline for reservations are Wednesday, August 17. A bake sale, basket sale and food will be available. For more information or to RSVP call Patty at (330) 505-1628. **If you are not selling, plan to shop.**

The Best Babysitter is a Safe Sitter two day class for girls and boys ages 11 to 13 will be held on August 15 and 16 from 9:00AM-4:00PM at North Mar Church, 3855 E. Market St., Warren. Participants will learn First Aid, Rescue Breathing, What to do if a Child Chokes, Accident Prevention, Childcare Tips, how/when to call for help. Cost is \$25 (scholarships for those unable to pay). Class size is limited. To register or for more information, call (330) 480-3151.

An Eastern European Grape Festival will be held on Saturday, September 24 at 5:30PM with a Full Eastern European dinner to enjoy. Bring your favorite wine to share. Tickets are \$10.00 per person, \$5.00 for children 10 and under. Tickets must be purchased in advance. This event is being sponsored by St. Luke Catholic Church with catering by Loretta's. Carry-out will be available until food runs out. Please, bring your own containers. Following the dinner, the 50th Anniversary Committee and St. Luke Youth Ministry will be hosting a Bonfire with Storytelling. Call the parish office for more information at (330) 782-9783.

After all Masses the weekend of August 27 & 28 there will be a display of hand carved items such as nativity scenes, crucifixes, rosaries, the last supper and many other beautiful religious articles. Thank you for supporting this project!

The Benedictine Monks of Saint Andrew Abbey in Cleveland welcome men between the ages of 18-45 who wish to discern a monastic vocation to attend "Living with Benedict" weekend retreat August 12-14, 2011. Contact Fr. Gerard, OSB at Gerard@cbhs.net

2011-2012 Formation for Lay Ministers

The Foundations in Ministry Program is intended to provide opportunities for lay men and women who want to better serve God and others in their everyday lives. This program is for those who would like to develop greater confidence and competence for the volunteer work they do in ministries such as Parish Council, RCIA, Liturgy Committee, Lector, Minister of the Eucharist, etc. and all who would like to become better informed Catholics. Interested? Please contact the Office of Lay Ministry Formation, Diocese of Youngstown at (330) 744-8451, ext. 272 (John) or ext. 271 (Elaine). See diocesan website www.doy.org for more details.

The John F. Kennedy Community will be sponsoring a major cash raffle this summer- \$25,000.00 to be exact! This is how it works: Tickets are \$50.00 each and only 1,000 tickets will be sold. For that price you have the chance of winning 21 significant cash prizes! The Grand Prize is \$12,500.00 and there will be five \$1,000 prizes and fifteen \$500.00 prizes. Raffle tickets can be purchased from the John F. Kennedy school office throughout the summer; call (330) 369-1804 for more information or purchased online at www.warrenjfk.com. The winner will be announced at half time of the Kennedy vs. Cleveland Central Catholic football game on Saturday, September 3. Twenty-one tickets will be drawn; the twenty-first ticket will be the Grand Prize winner. Please make checks payable to John F. Kennedy High School; all money raised will be used to support JFK.

The Catholic Tour, a 30 year old Catholic Pilgrimage Apostolate is pleased to announce its new "Special" pilgrimage to Lourdes, France. The pilgrimage is being done below cost to introduce all to "The Beauty of Our Catholic Shrines" at just \$999.00 including all land arrangements, superior tourist hotel next to the Shrine, most meals, deluxe motor coach, tour guide, and Airfare from JFK airport in New York. The price does not include taxes, airline surcharges, lunches, some dinners, or table drinks besides tap water. Call 1-877-627-4268 toll free for further information, reservation forms, etc. First-come-First serve with only 25 seats available. Also available: Paris, France; Rome, Italy; and Fatima, Portugal at below cost pricings. Please call or email today to jimadair@thecatholictour.com

Health at Home, Caring for your health at home program is a book of step-by-step instructions for over 200 health problems. It is your complete guide to symptoms, solutions and self-care. All participants attending the program will receive a FREE Health at Home book, plus instruction and practice on how to use the book. The next program will be held on Tuesday, August 30 at St. Elizabeth Boardman Ivy Room, 8401 Market St., Boardman from 11:00AM-12:00PM or 5:30-6:30PM. To register call Humility of Mary Healthline at (330) 480-3151 or 1-877-700-4647. If you are unable to attend there will be a program once a month through the rest of the year.

27th Annual Warren Italian American Heritage Festival will be held August 11-14 in Courthouse Square, Downtown Warren. Main Stage entertainment, beer tent entertainment, rides, games, fireworks, etc. For more information, call (330) 550-7877.

