

From the Desk of Father Gonser

"Oh what a beautiful morning, Oh what a beautiful day," these lyrics, from the musical Oklahoma, amply describe the beauty of Easter Sunday morning. The beautiful weather, the joyful faces of the children and adults and the stirring Easter Masses all combine to make a warm, joyful celebration. We experienced love, peace, gratitude and deep hope when as Catholics we celebrate Easter. We celebrate Mass, exchange Easter greetings and embrace each other with joy and mutual good feelings, once more renewing our faith and greater appreciation of our relationship with Christ and our Church.

Once again, thank you to those who have made our services so meaningful; music ministers, lector commentators, ministers of hospitality, Eucharistic ministers, servers, the art and environment team and most of all our faithful parishioners and guests.

Keep alive the spirit of Easter in your hearts as we announce in our daily lives that Christ is alive, Christ is risen and Christ will come again.



Then Jesus said to Thomas, "Put your finger here and see my hands, and bring your hand and put it into my side, and do not be unbelieving, but believe."
Jn 20:27

Mass Intentions

- Saturday 5:00 p.m. Henry Hadam (Irene Hadam)
- Sunday 9:00 a.m. John & Ann Gazer (Bob & Pat Gazer)
- 10:30 a.m. St. Julie Billiard Parishioners
- Monday 8:30 a.m. Betty Szabo (Judy Morse)
- Tuesday No Mass
- Wednesday 8:30 a.m. Wendel Friedel
- Thursday 8:30 a.m. Francine Cassidy (Family)
- Friday 8:30 a.m. Poor Souls
- Saturday 5:00 p.m. Jim Valenta (Valenta Family)
- Sunday 9:00 a.m. St. Julie Billiard Parishioners
- 10:30 a.m. Dorothy Hallock (PrimeTimers)

Parish Council Nominations

This week you are asked to nominate parishioners for four positions in the Parish Pastoral Council. Nominees must be at least 18 years old and registered members of the parish. The person should also recognize that serving on Parish Council is a personal, spiritual ministry. They should be dedicated to the mission and the spiritual welfare of the parish. They should be able to give sufficient time for the attendance and preparation of Council meetings. They should have a willingness to listen and be open-minded towards the ideas of others. They should have a willingness to participate in Family Fun Night and the Parish Picnic and to share. The vacancies carry two year terms. The Council is a consultative body which unites laity and clergy in a community of prayer, leadership, service and pastoral planning. Members of Council serve as a voice of the people and act as an advisory body to the Pastor and Pastoral Staff.

The Week Ahead

April 11, 2010

- Sun.** Parish Council Nominations
PSR-NTV
Blood Drive, 10:00-Noon
Cursillo Group, 6:00 p.m.
- Mon.** Eucharist Talk, 7:00 p.m.
Liturgy Meeting, 7:00 p.m.
- Tues.** Fr. Elmer Marquard's Birthday
- Wed.** DivorceCare, 7:00 p.m.
Rosary, 7:30
- Thurs.** Sunday Choir, 7:00 p.m.
- Sat.** Men's Retreat, St. Peter's, 8:00-8:00 p.m.
Jesus Day, 10:00 a.m.
Prayer Vigil for Life, 11:00 a.m.
- Sun.** PSR & NTV



Coming Events

- April 22**
Parish Council Meeting
- April 24**
First Communion
- April 24/25**
Parish Council Elections
- April 29**
Crockpot Dinner
- May 23**
Family Outing, Lake Erie Crushers

Family Perspective

"As the Father has sent Me, so I send you!" As Jesus gives witness to God's love and forgiveness, each of us is called to live this same mission. Parents and spouses have the opportunity to give witness to the faithful love of God for each other. They do this in the ways they hold each other accountable to live the Gospel and in the times they mercifully forgive and reconcile.

Census 2010

It is not too late to fill out your Census 2010 form. If you have not already do so, please fill out the form including information on every person living in your residence as of April 1. This would include all family members: adults and children of all ages; as well as any unrelated persons living in the home. It is very important that these forms are accurately completed.

Religious Education

PSR - Parish School of Religion, K-8 (Sundays, Sept.-May, 9:00 a.m.)

May 2 -Last PSR Mass
 May Crowning/Awards Presented
 Report Cards sent home

Vacation Bible School will be held, July 12-16 this summer. Children going into Kindergarten through 5th grade are welcome to attend as shipmates. Junior high students are welcome to help as junior crew leaders. High school students are welcome to help as senior crew leaders and station leaders. Adults are welcome to help as crew leaders and station leaders. Call Ceil Morrison, 327-1978 to volunteer. Registration forms will be in the bulletin in May. Cost will be \$25 per child with a \$50 family maximum for 18 hours of organized spiritual development, fun and fellowship.

NTV - New Teen Vision, High School Religious Education
Spiritual Formation, Social Activities and Service Opportunities

April 11-Theology of the Body (Parents & Teens)-11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. This is our last "Theology of the Body" session. We will have pizza and discuss "Where do we go from here?" All are welcome.
 2nd Grade, Jesus Day HELP letters due
 April 18-Scrapbooking Session-Work on Books 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
 April 25-Fourth Week Meeting-7:00 p.m. (at St. Peter's)
 April 29-Crockpot Thursday-Help set up, serve, and clean up (5:30-7:30 p.m.)



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Men's Spring Training (Men's Retreat)

Join Team St. Peter & St. Julie at our MEN'S SPIRITUAL SPRING TRAINING - 2010. On Saturday, April 17, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. (Mass included)-concludes with a Fellowship "Happy" Hour. Spring Training will be held in the St. Peter Parish Center dugout. Don't stop at third base, come around and score. Let's get our team together to prepare for the big game. It's time to Play Ball! Call Fred Awad, 216-322-2197 for game rules or to get on the roster.

Secrets of the Eucharist

Fr. Denis St. Marie is giving his highly praised talk on the Holy Eucharist. We will be drawn into his growing awareness and insight into the Holy Eucharist. Pope John Paul II referred to the Holy Eucharist as "the greatest treasure of the Church," and yet many Catholics have limited knowledge of this powerful sacrament. Meet on Monday, April 12 at 7:00 pm in the Holy Family Room. Feel free to bring all your friends and family.



Happy "70" Birthday
 Fr. Elmer Marquard!!!!
 Tuesday, April 13

St. Julie's Cookbook

In the early formation of our parish, a group of women got together over coffee and decided to organize their favorite recipes, and thus the first St. Julie's Cookbook was born. It is now time to update and publish a new cook book with new and exciting recipes. The proceeds from the publishing and marketing of our book will go directly to Community Care. There will be an informal get-together on Monday, April 19, at 7:00 p.m. in the Holy Family Room for anyone interested in working on the book.



This week my prayers were for: papa, Ms. Joan, Ms. Roseann; family; papa, Ms. Roseann, Ms. Joan, friend at school; Easter Bunny.

This is how I used my time and talent for others: I helped my mom and I cleaned my room, put clothes away; helping my sister learn to read, helped mom around the house; helped dad carry stuff to the car.

Parish Stewardship

Easter: Envelopes used: 357 (out of 616 mailed)	\$13921
Easter Flower Donations	\$1670
Children's	\$174
School Subsidy	\$485
Capital Improvement	\$191
Net Offertory	\$16441
Mass Attendance	1176

Thank you for sharing your blessings

News & Events

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

<u>Sat, Apr. 10, 5:00</u>	<u>Sun, Apr. 11, 9:00</u>	<u>10:30</u>
(L) Terry Flanagan	PSR	Mark LaLonde
(C) Peg Nolan	PSR	Jen Wasil
(EM) Agnes Klimkowicz	Jim/Joanne Carter	Barb Arguello
Judy Murphy	Diane DeMelo	Missy Birt
Jim Nolan	Mary Kay Polomsky	Jim*/Kathy Boehm
Beth Paoloni*	Sheila Forman*	

<u>Sat, Apr. 17, 5:00</u>	<u>Sun, Apr. 18, 9:00</u>	<u>10:30</u>
(L) Vickie Fisher	Beth Krosse	Nick Vilagi
(C) Jack Whipkey		Ted Stearns
(EM) Don Braun	Barb Arguello	Tom Lamoda
Ed Hurst	Joanne Bellomo	Lois Maski
Jill Papesch	Laura Eland	Joanne Robejsek
Jack Whipkey	Brenda Klein	Barb Stearns
Larry Patrick*	Linda Forthofer*	Pat Liccardi*

*Sacristan

Family Baseball Outing

Sunday, May 23, at 5:05 p.m., St. Julie's parish will take over the Crusher's Baseball Stadium in Avon. We have a reserved Box Section. Tickets are \$8 for a Ticket, or \$13 for a ticket, hotdog, nachos and pop. Tickets must be prepaid by Sunday, May 16.

Interfaith Hospitality

Interfaith Hospitality has become a cornerstone of stewardship for our parish for many years. We want it to continue and thrive as an outreach program. We are in need of people who are willing to step-up to a leadership role. This role would be shared by at least six other people. Some of the jobs needed to be filled are: making chart for sign-ups at the back of the church, designing menus for the week, setting up at the beginning of the week, checking in the food that is donated, and being a member of the core team of people who are responsible for implementing the program. These jobs could certainly be shared by many people. If you are interested, please call Nancy, 327-1978.

St. Julie's Men's Golf League

Openings available for the Men's Thursday Evening Golf League. Tee off on Thursdays at 5:00 p.m. at Bob O Link Golf Course. Season Entry Fee: \$55. Early Bird discount available. Fellowship nights, outings, and prize money!! For more information contact Rich Paoloni: 440-934-0600.

A One-Hour Prayer Vigil for Life will be held this Saturday, April 17th from 11 a.m.-12 Noon at the North Ridgeville clinic of Family Planning Services of Lorain County (FPSLC). The clinic is located in the Ridgeville Center plaza at the intersection of Jaycox and Center Ridge Roads. FPSLC encourages minor children to become sexually active, and provides them with contraceptives, chemical abortions, and surgical abortion referrals, all without parents' knowledge or consent. Please take one hour this Saturday to pray at the clinic, asking God to intervene in protecting our families. Questions, call 440-327-2398.