

# SAINT JULIE BILLIART

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

*St. Julie Billiart is a welcoming Roman Catholic community that deepens our personal relationship with Jesus Christ by worshipping together, reaching out to others and building up*

February 20, 2022

**PASTOR:** Rev. George A. Vrabel

**Deacons:** Rev. Mr. John Rivera  
Rev. Dr. Ken DeLuca, retired

**PSR Principal:** Kelly Reed

**Music Director:** Danny O'Brien

## LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday.....5:00 p.m.

(This Mass is Live Streamed & Recorded)

Sunday..... 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.

*Weekday Masses at the Church*

Monday-Friday.....8:30 a.m.

(Excluding Thursdays)

Holydays.....Consult the Bulletin

*For updates check St. Julie's Website*

## CONFESSIONS

Saturdays.....4:00 - 4:30 p.m.

*In the Church*

## PSR - PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

Grades K - 8: 9:30 - 10:45 a.m.

**RCIA & RCIC** (*Rite of Christian Initiation  
of Adults and Children*)

## BAPTISMS

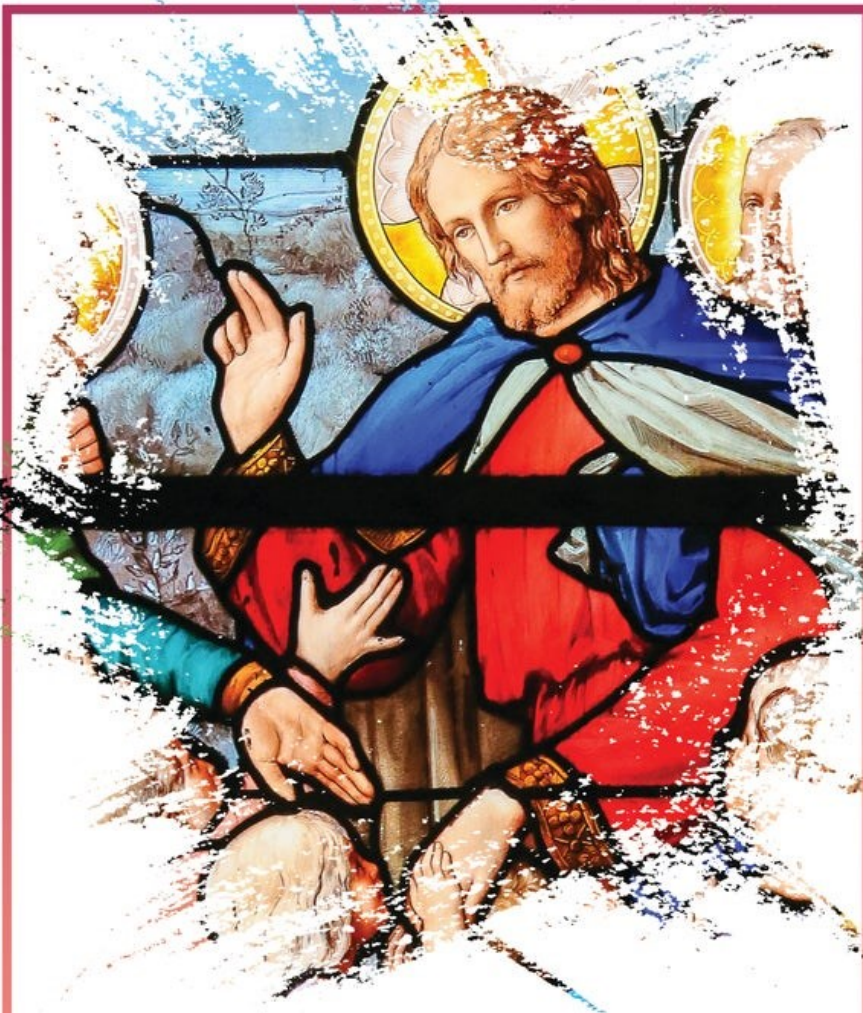
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## MARRIAGE

Arrangements must be made 6 months  
in advance

## NEW PARISHIONERS

You are welcome to call the office  
or register on line.



"FOR THE MEASURE WITH WHICH YOU MEASURE WILL  
IN RETURN BE MEASURED OUT TO YOU." - LK 6:38

7<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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*From the desk of Fr. George...*

Greetings to all!

Due to the calendar date of Easter (April 17, 2022) this is a long stretch of Ordinary Time between The Christmas Season and Lent. I am looking forward to a change and the beginning of Lent on Wednesday, March 2<sup>nd</sup>. Meanwhile, the Church continues with this Seventh Sunday of Ordinary time.

Today's first reading goes back 1,000 years before Christ and recounts the relationship between Saul and David. Saul is hunting down David to kill him. Since people of that day lived by "an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth," David would have been entitled to retaliate and get Saul first. But David sensed a higher law of respect for God's anointed and chose not to harm the king.

We are called to that higher law through Jesus' teaching of the law of love and forgiveness. And so, it is fair to ask: "How do you treat others - and not just those you like, but also those you don't like?" Living with respect for others is a love like God's own love: unconditional and generous. Get started now to be in readiness for Lent and the sacred season of conversion. Who knows, it might be your last effort to live and love as God has made us to be.

Fr. George

**Parish News and Updates:**

The Book Study Club meets on Friday afternoon at 2:00pm in the St. Anne Room (enter off the South Parking lot at the church) **For Friday, February 25<sup>th</sup>: Prepare chapters 4-6.**

**Now is the time...** to begin collecting old palms before Ash Wednesday. The old palms become the ashes used to begin Lent. Place your old palms into the basket located in the vestibule of the church, and we will 'weave' our way toward Lent!

**This week, The Letters of St. Paul will meet on Monday evening at 7:00pm.**

**The Synod on Synodality parish meetings are coming up and will be held in the church: Sunday, February 20<sup>th</sup> after the 11:00 Mass Tuesday, February 22<sup>nd</sup> at 7:00pm**

You are invited to participate in one of these listening sessions to help form not only the Universal Church but also help direct St. Julie's local response of the Church in today's world. **Call the office to register so that we can prepare the appropriate number of materials.**

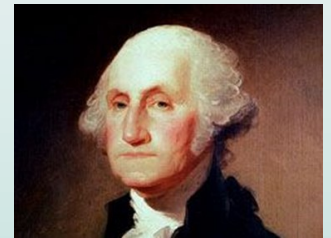
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**Pastoral Council** meets Monday, February 28<sup>th</sup>.

**Stations of the Cross** will be prayed on Mondays after the 8:30am Mass and on Fridays at 7:00pm. In addition to the familiar sets we have been using, a couple of new sets will be added to diversify our prayers.

**President's Day**

The birthday of U.S. President George Washington (February 22) was first celebrated as a federal holiday in the



United States in the 1880s. In 1968 the holiday was adapted to also honour the birth of U.S. President Abraham Lincoln (February 12) and moved to the third Monday in February. Presidents' Day is sometimes considered to be a celebration of all U.S. presidents.

**Ladies Breakfast  
Cancelled**

Due to scheduling conflicts, unfortunately, the Ladies Breakfast will NOT resume on March 12. Please watch the bulletin for details

**Men's Breakfast**

Please join us for the St Julie & St Peter Men's Fellowship breakfast on Saturday March 19<sup>th</sup> @ 8:20 am. Breakfast will be served at St. Peter's in the Gym. Enjoy a hearty breakfast and meet some new people and an old friend, Jesus. We will end promptly at 9:45 am. So that we have an idea of how much food to prepare please RSVP by sending an email to Mike Jessup at [sjspbreakfast@gmail.com](mailto:sjspbreakfast@gmail.com) by March 13<sup>th</sup>.

## Religious Education

PSR-Parish School of Religion, Pre K - 8<sup>th</sup> grades, 9:30-10:45 a.m.



the health of, and caregivers of: Dennis Jufko, Lola Cook, Mary Polchek, Joe Bujnak, Maggie Kearney, great granddaughter of June Kearney, Ed & Marian Matuszak, Agnes Valenta, Bill Cusick, Ken DeLuca, Terry Flanagan, Carol Polak, Melissa Snyder, Barb Vrtachnik, Jean Rasmussen, Kathleen Sobczak, Dolores Rivera, Marian Juskiewicz, JoAnne Bellomo, Irene Kollin, Regula Family, Sondra Jirousek, Carol Straub; for our men & women in uniform; our police, firefighters, doctors & nurses; and for vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and religious life.

## Mass Intentions for the Week

Feb. 19	Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Charles Smick, Sr. & Nancy Erwin (Chuck Smick)
Feb. 20	Sunday	9:00 a.m.	St. Julie Billiart Parishioners
		11:00 a.m.	Eleanor Gravette (Kotarsky, Turk, Schaefer, Koniczka Families)
Feb. 21	Monday	8:30 a.m.	Kevin Zientek (Mary Zablotney)
Feb. 22	Tuesday	8:30 a.m.	Nick Arguello (Barb Arguello)
Feb. 23	Wednesday	8:30 a.m.	Health of Marion Matuszak
Feb. 24	Thursday		No Mass
Feb. 25	Friday	8:30 p.m.	Lois & Anthony Goldyn (Jim & Helen Goldyn)
Feb. 26	Saturday	5:00 a.m.	Carmen Casement (McBride Family)
Feb. 27	Sunday	9:00 a.m.	St. Julie Billiart Parishioners
		11:00 a.m.	Elmer & Kathryn Uhl (Kathleen Sobczak)

## The Week Ahead

- Sat./Sun. Catholic Charities Wknd
- Sun. PSR
- Synod Parish Mtg., after 11:00 Mass
- Mon. Letters of St. Paul, 7:00 p.m.
- Tues. PrimeTimers, 2:15
- Synod Parish Mtg. 7:00 p.m.
- Wed. Rosary, 1:00 p.m., Church
- Thurs. Crockpot Carry Out
- Fri. Matthew Kelly Class, 2:00
- Sun. PSR
- Mon. Parish Council Mtg.

## Coming Events

- March 2**
- Ash Wednesday
- March 16**
- Diocesan Wide Evening of Confession
- March 20**
- Communal Penance Service, St. Peter

**North Ridgeville Community Care**  
Invites You to

## Soup for the Spirit

(Virtual) 2022

Virtual Silent Auction, Exclusive Raffles, 50/50 and More! Online Auction Begins

Tuesday, February 22.—until 10:00 p.m. Saturday, February 26.

Tickets and Sponsorship Opportunities Available.

To register, visit our website: [nrcommcare.org](http://nrcommcare.org)

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"Give and gifts will be given to you; a good measure, packed together,

shaken down, and overflowing, will be poured into your lap. For the measure with which you measure will in return be measured out to you." - Lk 6:38

## 2021 Contribution Statements

To request a statement, email the office at: [stjbc@stjuliebilliart.org](mailto:stjbc@stjuliebilliart.org) or call 440-327-1978.

Statements can either be emailed to you or sent in the mail.

## First Friday Forum, March 4

Fr. Damian Ference, Professor of Philosophy - Borromeo Seminary

**"The Reason Your Children and Grandchildren Don't Go to Church."**

Luncheon Buffet 11:30 am, Speaker 12:00-1:00 pm. Please mail your \$25 check to: First Friday Forum of Lorain County, 320 Middle Ave, Elyria, OH 44035, call reservation line at 440-213-2132 or e-mail [ffflorain@gmail.com](mailto:ffflorain@gmail.com)

## Parish Stewardship

Feb. 13:	\$6233
Online Giving:	\$ 235
School Subsidy:	\$ 125
Capital Improvement:	\$ 163
<b>Net Offertory:</b>	<b>\$6756</b>
Online Mass including 14 livestream:	77
In Person Mass Attendance:	302

Thank you for sharing your blessings.

## Minister Schedule

Date	Time	Sacristan	Lector	Eucharistic Minister	
Feb. 19 <i>rec</i>	5:00 p.m.	Suzanne Snyder	Terry Flanagan	Deacon John	Eileen <sup>TM</sup> McBriarty
Feb. 20	9:00 a.m.	Suzanne Snyder	Ken Allen	Gene Morrison	Suzanne Snyder <sup>TM</sup>
	11:00 a.m.	Mike Yarosh	Cindy Naprestek	Mike Yarosh	<sup>TM</sup>
Feb. 26 <i>rec</i>	5:00 p.m.	Chris Vacca	Sharon Debevec	Deacon John	Agnes <sup>TM</sup> Klimkowicz
Feb. 27	9:00 a.m.	John Burghard	Kristine Krejsa	Laura Knoblach	Ed <sup>TM</sup> Knoblach
	11:00 a.m.	Susanne Snyder	Amy Shealy	Leslie Lozman	Larry <sup>TM</sup> Rozman

### PRIME TIMERS

#### *Science & Spirituality of Happiness*

Wednesday, February 23, 2:15-4:00

St. Julie's Holy Family Room

Join us as we learn how to achieve authentic well-being while ageing: How the brain is related to happiness, why ageing and grief are not opposites of happiness, insights into forgiveness and more. Presented by Louise Prochaska, Ph.D., professor emerita of Theology & Women's Studies at Notre Dame. RSVP Sue Dybowski at 419-350-1164 or sadybowski2@gmail.com **Guests are welcome.**

### JIM BRICKMAN CONCERT

Saturday, March 26, 7:00 p.m.

Lorain County Community College

We are trying to determine a level of interest.

Tickets are **free**, but must be obtained in advance. Contact Sue if you would like to attend.  
PrimeTimers only.

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