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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 the Kingdom of God.



14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

When the sabbath came he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were astonished. They said, "Where did this man get all this? What kind of wisdom has been given him? What mighty deeds are wrought by his hands!" - Mk 6:2

July 4, 2021

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.

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 Holy Family Room

PSR - PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

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

BAPTISMS

Call or email the office.

MARRIAGE

Arrangements must be made 6 months
in advance

NEW PARISHIONERS

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

From the Desk of Father George

Greetings Parishioners and friends of St. Julie's,

I cannot believe it is already the month of July! As many of us gather to celebrate the 4th of July, it is most likely that we know our guests and appreciate their presence. However, the scriptures offer a different experience. The prophet Ezekiel is being sent to a people who are obstinate of heart. The Lord prepares him by saying: "whether they heed or resist - they shall know that a prophet has been among them." Similarly, Jesus encounters a lack of faith in his native place... and he could not perform any mighty deed there. They refused to recognize Him.

Recognizing the love of God and Christ among us is not a difficult task. It simply takes faith... the same faith that healed last week's hemorrhagic women and that raised the synagogue official's daughter from the dead. Is the love of Christ in your heart? Do you make decisions out of love or out of fear of punishment? Pray this week to be filled with grace.

Fr. George

Happy 4th of July!

As we prepare to celebrate July 4th, we should find much in which to rejoice. Although our nation - and world, continue to experience civil unrest, tragic events, a potentially volatile economy, and rising gas prices, we celebrate our independence won and maintained through the cost of many lives. Throughout our history, men and women have sacrificed themselves because they believed in freedom... not only for these United States, but for others around the globe. Continue to pray for the safety of all who serve in our armed forces, safety services and first responders... as well as their families.

Our freedom to assemble and worship should never be taken for granted. In many parts of the world our brothers and sisters suffer persecution for their desire to gather in praise. The freedom of religion is a gift for which we need to offer thanks. Take time to begin your holiday gathering or meal with prayer. Teach your children the value of freedom and sacrifice and build not only a stronger relationship with God, but also an appreciation for Independence.

Parish News and Updates:

- **Mark your calendars:**
 - ◊ **The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick** will be celebrated after all the Masses on the weekend of July 10-11. This is an opportunity to celebrate the strength of the healing prayers of the church.
 - ◆ Who should be anointed? The elderly, the sick, the compromised, those who suffer in any way.
 - ◊ **St. Julie's Anniversary** will be celebrated the weekend of August 14/15 at all the Masses. A special treat will be available following the 5:00, 9:00 and 11:00 Masses. There will be no outdoor mass. (continued)

- **Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion Training:** Those interested in becoming an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion at Mass or to the homebound should receive sufficient spiritual, theological, and practical preparation to fulfill their role with knowledge and reverence. **Formation Sessions for 2021 continue online.** All attendees must register through the Parish Office.
- **Communion to the Homebound** will be starting up again soon. If you would like to minister in this capacity or know someone in need of a visit from the priest or a minister, then please call the office and we will begin to assemble a plan based on need and volunteers.
- **Pastoral Council is still in need of a recording Secretary.** Please call the office if you would like to volunteer to take minutes at the monthly meeting and to then post the minutes to the members of the council.

Calling all Ministers

Prior to the pandemic restrictions....

- ◊ Were you a Lector, Eucharistic Minister, Hospitality (usher) Minister, Choir Member, Altar Server (youth or adult)?
- ◊ Did you serve in the Donut, Crockpot, or Resurrection Ministries?
- ◊ Are there other ministries you were part of and want to re-activate?

Would you like to return to 'active duty' or sign-up to join one or more of these valuable and essential ministries of St. Julie's?

Then call the parish office or Fr. George at (440) 327-1978, and we will help make the connections!

(continued)



July 4, 2021

Religious Education

PSR - Parish School of Religion, Pre K - 8th grades

Mass Intentions for the Week

July 3	- Saturday	5:00 p.m. Jim Davis (Jean Witt)
July 4	- Sunday	9:00 a.m. St. Julie Billiant Parishioners
		11:00 a.m. John & Mary O'Connor (Dennis Jufko)
July 5	- Monday	8:30 a.m. Ed Yandura (Ed & Toni Yandura)
July 6	- Tuesday	8:30 a.m. Poor Souls
July 7	- Wednesday	8:30 a.m. Deceased Priests & Deacons of the Cleveland Diocese
July 8	- Thursday	No Mass
July 9	- Friday	8:30 a.m. Angela Francway (Bob & Nancy Francway)
July 10	- Saturday	5:00 p.m. Frank, Jr. & Jim Valenta (Agnes Valenta)
July 11	- Sunday	9:00 a.m. St. Julie Billiant Parishioners
		11:00 a.m. Christina, Thomas, & Rose Pikul (Rhoda Pikul)

The Church Housekeeping Job is available.

Responsibilities include but are not limited to the following: vacuuming, dusting, entry doors, restrooms, watering plants and maintaining Holy Water fonts. Hours are flexible and vary with building usage. This part time position is 3-9 hours weekly. Call Fr. George for more information and/or to apply.

The Heart of the Shepherd campaign has reached **174%** of our **\$156,024.00** target with pledges totaling **\$271,690.00**. **THANK YOU SO VERY, VERY MUCH!**

The Week Ahead

July 4

Sun.

Independence Day



Wed.

Rosary, 1:00 p.m., Church

Sat./Sun.

Anointing after all Masses

Coming Events

July 13

L.E.A.F.

July 18

New Parishioners Breakfast

July 25

All Gifts Due for Birthright



the health of, and caregivers of: Ken DeLuca, Terry Flanagan, Marilyn DelPrincipe, Don Jirousek, Carol Polak, Melissa Snyder, Barb Vrtachnik, Vickie Lynn Marlowe, niece of Agnes Dlubac, Pat Liccardi, Jean Rasmussen, Larry Kolarik, John Kidd, Jill Videtic, Ben Kautzman, Daniel Hearn Jr., Kathleen Sobczak, Mary Begany, Dolores Rivera, Marian Juskiewicz, JoAnne Bellomo, June Seman, Irene Kollin, Regula Family, Sondra Jirousek, Carol Straub; for the repose of the soul of Martha Leone wife of George; for our men & women in uniform; for our police, firefighters, doctors & nurses; and for vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and religious life.

Christmas in July for Birthright of Lorain County

Our annual Christmas in July for Birthright is back. The tree with gift suggestion ornaments is in the vestibule. Birthright uses these new items to help assemble Layettes for babies whose mom has come to Birthright for encouragement in her pregnancy. Our continued support of Birthright is very important, they are depending on St. Julie's to help restock the shelves after the events of the past year. Birthright will provide over 200 Layettes during the year

Please return your gifts by the weekend of July 25.

The Respect Life & the Rosary Groups,
Thank You!



WANTED! Business Owners of St. Julie Billiant Parish.

We are looking for approximately 12 business owners to become **DONUT SUNDAY** sponsors one Sunday a year. The benefit would be that your business will be identified in the bulletin and with an 8" X 11" sign as the sponsor on that specific Sunday. The suggested donation on your Sunday will be \$75. For More information call our donut co-ordinator Nick Modock at 440-465-1578.

Parish Stewardship

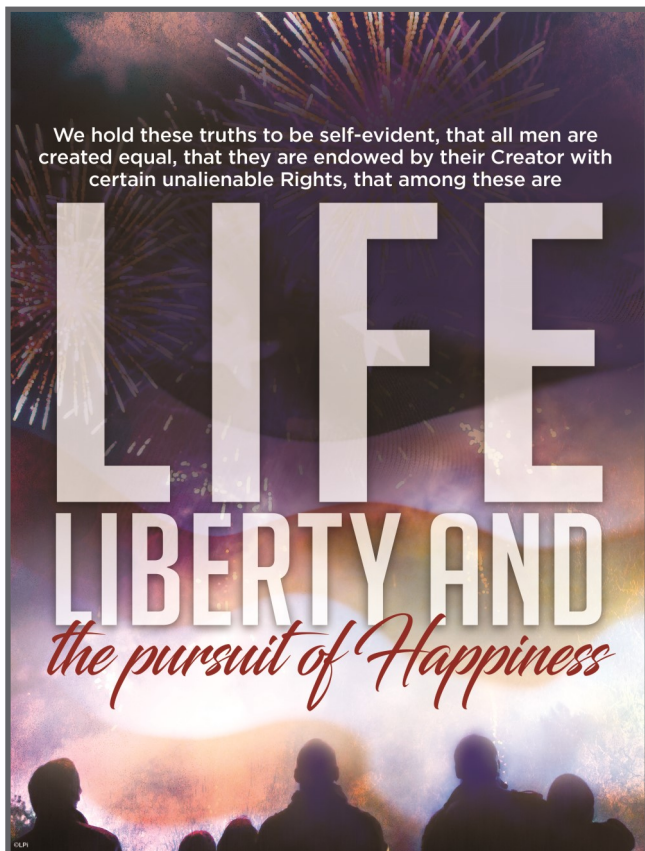
June 27:	\$4158
Online Giving:	\$250
School Subsidy:	\$12
Capital Improvement:	\$220
Net Offertory:	\$4640
Online Mass:	30
In Person Mass Attendance:	331

Thank you for sharing your blessings.

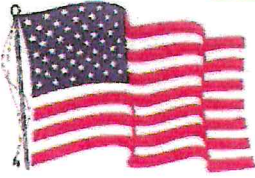
Minister Schedule

Date	Time	Sacristan	Lector	Eucharistic Minister
July 3	5:00 p.m.	Chris Vacca	Jessica Angelo	Deacon John
July 4	9:00 a.m.	John Burghard	Linda Vasiloff	Laura Knoblauch
	11:00 a.m.	Beth Paoloni	Mark LaLonde	Larry Rozman
July 10	5:00 p.m.	Suzanne Snyder	Terry Flanagan	Deacon John
July 11	9:00 a.m.	Suzanne Snyder	Amy Shealy	Nick Modock
	11:00 a.m.	Suzanne Snyder	Barb Arguello	David Davis

Couples can request certificates to mark 50th wedding anniversary. Traditionally, the Diocese of Cleveland hosts an annual Mass in the Cathedral of St. John for couples celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary. Couples celebrating other significant anniversaries—55 years or more—who missed previous celebrations also are welcome to register for the Mass. Couples who were married in 1971 or earlier can register to receive a certificate by going to dioceseofcleveland.org then scroll down to upcoming events and click on 50th Wedding Anniversary. The deadline to apply is July 5 (tomorrow) in order to arrange for printing. You can also call Katie Galicic at the diocese, 216-696-6525 ext. 2323.



Prayer to Guardian Angel of The United States



O glorious Guardian Angel of the United States, to whom God has entrusted the care of our beloved country, we honor you and thank you for the care and protection you have given to this great nation from the first moment of its inception.

O powerful Angel Guardian, whose watchful glance encompasses this vast land from shore to shore, we know that our sins have grieved our Lord and God, and marred the beauty of our heritage. Lead us to a deep conversion, so that we may return to the embrace of His merciful love!

O Holy Angel, obtain for us through the intercession of the Queen of Heaven before the throne of God the graces we need to overcome the forces of evil so rampant in our beloved land. Help us, our God-given protector and friend, to respond wholeheartedly to the urgent pleas of the Mother of God at Fatima. Assist us to offer the prayers and sacrifices necessary to bring peace and goodness to our nation. We want to make you known and loved throughout our land, so that docile to your inspirations we may know, love and serve our Lord more faithfully and so become once more "one Nation under God"! Amen.



Please take this home and pray with your family.

L.E.A.F.



Listening, Encouraging, and Assisting Families
of the incarcerated.



We are a support for families and loved ones of the incarcerated. We can arrange Spanish/Bilingual assistance if needed. Our meetings are the second Tuesdays of every month at 7:00 p.m. at St. Julie's Church in the Guadalupe Room. Light snacks, decaf coffee, and water are provided. If you have a loved one or family member who is or was recently incarcerated and are looking for a small welcoming community, please join us. Look us up at www.LEAFMinistry.org Pre-registration is not necessary. Ted Lapponi, 440-315-6527 or tedlapponi@gmail.com

Our next meeting will be Tuesday, July 13.



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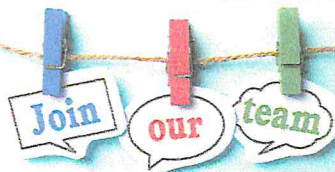
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PUZZLE

Unscramble words from today's Gospel reading:

Jesus
taught
wisdom

power
miracle
town

prophet
heal
faith

Jseus	<u>J</u>	<u>e</u>	<u>s</u>	<u>u</u>	<u>s</u>	
pwero	—	—	—	—	—	
phetrop	—	—	—	—	—	—
fathi	—	—	—	—	—	
tnow	—	—	—	—		
wisomd	—	—	—	—	—	
taghtu	—	—	—	—	—	
mirclea	—	—	—	—	—	—
hale	—	—	—	—		

MISSION

Read today's Gospel with your family. Talk about ways that people sometimes turn Jesus away. Pray together, asking God to keep you close to Jesus.

GROWING WITH THE *Gospel* CYCLE B

COLOR

Read the Gospel of the week and color the image.





GOSPEL

Have you ever felt left out? Jesus did. In today's Gospel, Jesus visited his relatives and old friends. These were the people he grew up with, the people who knew him the best. All of a sudden Jesus was not acting like he used to. They heard that Jesus was healing people, raising people from the dead, and telling evil spirits to leave. Jesus was even teaching about God's kingdom, like he really knew what he was talking about! Well, Jesus' old friends and neighbors did not like it one bit. How sad for them. God's own Son wanted to help them, but they didn't want it.

PRAYER

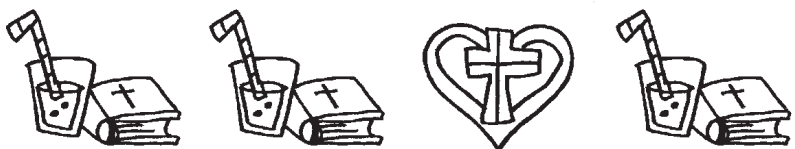
Dear God, help me to listen to you and to accept the help that you want to give me. Amen.

DRAW

Draw a picture of Jesus visiting his old friends.

PUZZLE

Circle the picture that is different. Then color in all the pictures.



MISSION

If someone is left out of a game, say, "I will play with you."

GROWING WITH THE *Gospel* CYCLE B

COLOR

Read the Gospel of the week and color the image.





GOSPEL

People in his hometown did not believe that Jesus could be smart enough to teach in their temples. They did not believe he could heal. So he went to other towns to teach and heal. If someone says that you are not smart enough or skilled enough, Jesus understands. He will help you. Tell them, "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me."

PRAYER

Lord, help me say to myself and others, "You can do it. God will help."

DRAW

Draw Jesus welcomed by smiling faces as he teaches and heals in your town.