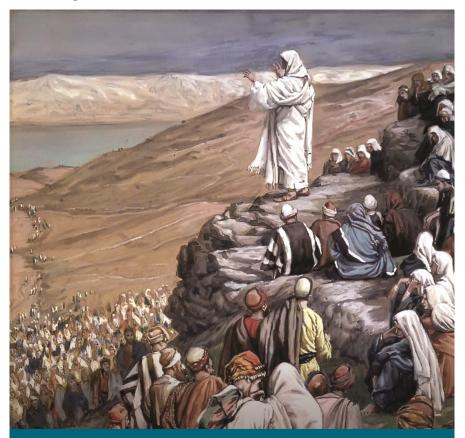


PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

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



24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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He summoned the crowd with his disciples and said to them, "Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me. For whoever wishes to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for my sake and that of the gospel will save it." - Mk 8:34-35

September 12, 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

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

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,

So often in today's news sources, we hear about the negative side of life... the things that sell papers. And yet, if we search closely enough - in the smaller headlines - there are reports of the positive... events, and people that tell the story of human compassion, love and forgiveness. Into which category of 'news' do each of us fall? Do we relay the negative or the positive? Do we aim to hurt or to help?

Jesus' command to the crowd and to His disciples is bold and direct: "Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me." This statement comes on the heels of Peter's remarks that Jesus should not have to suffer and die as He had indicated to them. Peter didn't want to hear the negative... but Peter also did not understand what resurrection would be. Sorting out the news and messages needs to be filtered through eyes and ears of faith.

Give it a thought: The last time that you corrected someone, was it done with charity or in malice? Even with parents to children or children toward parents, how could you have communicated the same message with greater patience, understanding or love? Shouting or demanding with a raised voice may not be the best approach. Incorporating our faith into daily events can strengthen and encourage one and other. This week, try to find ways to highlight the positive and weave God's hope, mercy and forgiveness into the fabric of your life.

Fr. George

On this solemn weekend we remember the events of 9/11 twenty years ago. It was a day that forever changed our lives. The horrors of that day are now part of history books for an entire generation who were too young or not yet born. We Pray for those who died in the attacks and for every family that lost loved ones. We pray for every member of the military who has died in the war on terror and for their families as well. In addition, keeping the words of Sacred Scripture close to our hearts, we are reminded to not only pray for those who have offended us but also for those we have offended. The Lord's Prayer is the perfect prayer for today... to forgive as God forgives. Pray it and pray it often as today... We Remember! By your efforts - no matter how large or small - let us make a difference for a better world.

Are you thinking of becoming Catholic?

Each year at Easter, the Church welcomes new members into the community through the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist. Those who receive these sacraments have been on a faith journey. For many, this faith journey began years earlier, perhaps growing up going to Church with parents, grandparents or friends; for others it is only recently that they felt the need for something more in their life and began their search for God. At some point on the journey, their path crossed with the Catholic faith and they began to ask questions about what it means to be a Catholic. Perhaps one of these examples describes you. If you or someone you know is not Catholic but would like to know more about the Catholic Church and the possibility of becoming Catholic, this is an invitation to be part of the R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) process. For more information you may call Father George at the parish office, 440-327-1978.

Life in the Spirit Seminar

Our Lady of Angels Prayer Group invites you to a LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR. Are you free? Our lives are filled with many choices to make every day - difficult choices. Come and see how God's Spirit guides us. We tap into the power and freedom that is offered to us. There is so much more for your life! Eight CONSECUTIVE Tuesday evenings, September 14 through November 2, 2021 from 7:30-9:00pm. We meet in the Primary School Building, 3644 Rocky River Dr., Cleveland, OH 44111, (signs will be up!). For information and reservations, call Verna 216-251-3560 or Tom 216-252-5724. There is NO CHARGE for this seminar.

Parish & Community Events

September 12, 2021

Religious Education

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

Mass Intentions for the Week

Sept. 11 - Saturday 5:00 p.m. Olga Sivec (Teresa Sivec)

Sept. 12 - Sunday 9:00 a.m. Anthony & Margaret Laco (Their 5 children)

11:00 a.m. St. Julie Billiart Parishioners

Monday

thru No Masses

Friday

Sept. 18 - Saturday 5:00 p.m. Irene Weaver (Chuck Smick)
Sept. 19 - Sunday 9:00 a.m. St. Julie Billiart Parishioners

11:00 a.m. Mary Lou Jufko (Dennis Jufko)

The Week Ahead September 12

Tues.

Choir Rehearsal, Church L.E.A.F., 7:00 Church

Wed.

Rosary, 1:00 p.m., Church

Sat.

Men's Fellowship Breakfast, St. Peter's, 8:30 a.m. Prayer Service for Victims of Abortion, 1:00 pm, Julie Ln.

Coming Events

September 26

1st PSR Class & Open House after 11:00 Mass

October 3

PSR Mass, 9:00 a.m.

October 10

PSR Classes, 9:30 New Parishioner Breakfast

October 16

Men's Fellowship Breakfast

Knights of Columbus Council 7970

There are plenty of ways to put your FAITH IN ACTION with our programs centered on Faith, Family, Community and Life. Get involved in serving others through the Knight of Columbus. Join other men of the parish. Simply contact Bill Daw at (440) 376-5260 or wdaw924@msn.com

We would love to have you join us!

CCA Grief Support September 19th

Catholic Cemeteries Association provides free monthly grief support groups in two formats: In-Office (3pm) at six Cemetery offices and Virtually (5pm) via Zoom. We meet the 3rd Sunday of every month; 4th Sunday if the third Sunday falls on a holiday. Meetings are open discussion, surrounding a monthly topic or whatever is on your heart. The September 19th topics are "Different Types of Grief" and "Grieving After a Suicide Death". We offer a comfortable, private, and safe environment where you are free to explore your grief. Come and be in the presence of those who understand. Please visit https:// www.clecem.org/ for information.

PRAY FOR ...

the health of, and caregivers of: Syl Steffen, Kevin Ramsey (son-inlaw of Tony Frameli), Lisa Ramsey (daughter of Tony Frameli), Zoey Engle (granddaughter of Tony Frameli), Anita Kidd, daughter of Nick Modock, Ed & Marian Matuszak, Ken DeLuca, Terry Flanagan, Carol Polak, Melissa Snyder, Barb Vrtachnik, Pat Liccardi, Jean Rasmussen, Daniel Hearns Jr., Kathleen Sobczak, Dolores Rivera, Marian Juszkiewicz, JoAnne Bellomo, Irene Kollin, Regula Family, Sondra Jirousek, Carol Straub; for the repose of the soul of Gerry Mayer; for our men & women in uniform; for our police, firefighters, doctors & nurses; and for vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and religious life.

L.E.A.F.

Listening, Encouraging, and
Assisting Families and loved ones of
the incarcerated. All are welcome,
irrespective of faith affiliation.
Spanish/bilingual assistance
available, if pre-arranged. Meetings
are held at St. Julie's Church on the
second Tuesdays of every month at
7:00 p.m. Next one: Tuesday,
September 14. For information go
to: www.leafministry.org.

Thoughts from Saint Julie Billiart,

A simple soul lives in harmony with everyone.



Men's Fellowship Breakfast

Please join us for the St. Julie & St. Peter Men's Fellowship Breakfast on Saturday, September 18 at 8:30 a.m. Breakfast will be served at St. Peter's in the school Gym. Enjoy a hearty hot breakfast and meet some new people and an old friend, Jesus. It is a free will offering at the breakfast and will end promptly at 9:45 am. So we have an idea of how much food to prepare please RSVP by sending an email to Mike Jessup at sispbreakfast@amail.com by September 12.

Please wear a mask!

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Thank you for sharing your blessings.

| Minister Schedule | | | | | | |
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| Date | Time | Sacris- tan | Lector | Eucharistic Ministers | | |
| Sept. 11 | 5:00 | Suzanne | Mark | Deacon | Greg | |
| | p.m. | Snyder | LaLonde | John | Dubecky | |
| Sept. 12 | 9:00 | John | Linda | John | Tom | |
| | a.m. | Burghard | Vasiloff | Burghard | Lamoda | |
| | 11:00 | Suzanne | Gloria | Jim | Chris | |
| | a.m. | Snyder | Hearns | Nolan | Snyder | |
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| Sept. 18 | 5:00 | Chris | Terry | Deacon | Laura | |
| | p.m. | Vacca | Flanagan | John | Eland | |
| Sept. 19 | 9:00 | Leslie | Jessica | Larry | Leslie | |
| | a.m. | Rozman | Angelo | Rozman | Rozman | |
| | 11:00 a.m. | Donnie Schiffbau- er | Barb Arguello | Joanne Carter | Jim Carter | |

Food Drive to Benefit Community Care

Bring your non-perishable food items weekly to St. Julie's vestibule before September 25. Most needed items: peanut butter, jelly, tuna, pasta, spaghetti sauce, and macaroni & cheese, as well as toiletries or essentials. Also needed are things like toilet paper, feminine hygiene products, soap and cleaning supplies. Bring in a different item each week and help those in need.

National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children Saturday, September 18

You are invited to join us for an important pro-life prayer service at the St. Julie Billiart's Memorial to the Unborn on Julie Lane. On that day, pro-life Americans across our country will honor the memory of the more than 60 million unborn victims of abortion. To learn more about this nationwide event—including background stories and photographs of the burial places of aborted babies—please visit: http://AbortionMemorials.com

The 40 Days for Life Fall 2021 Campaign is coming!

From September 22 to October 31, we will join with people around the world in prayer and fasting, peaceful vigil, and community outreach to end abortion at the local level. 40 Days for Life is the largest internationally coordinated Pro-Life mobilization in history. By the grace of God, 40 Days for Life works miracles. Please watch the bulletin in the coming weeks and visit www.40daysforlife.com for details. If you'd like email updates during the 40 Days for Life, send an email to jaydee40days@gmail.com. Trusting that "with God all things are possible," people of faith around the world are praying that this effort will help bring an end to the tragedy of abortion!

To Honor the Gravesites of our Unborn Brothers and Sisters

National Day Saturday Remembrance Sept. 18 Para Aborted Children 2021

On Saturday, September 18, pro-life Americans will honor the memory of the more than 60 million unborn victims of abortion during the National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children.

Solemn prayer services will be held simultaneously at gravesites around the country where abortion victims have been buried, as well as at many other memorial sites dedicated in their honor.

Join us for the National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children and ensure that our unborn brothers and sisters will not be forgotten.

Memorial Service for Victims of Abortion

Date & Time
Saturday, September 18, 1pm-2pm

Location

Saint Julie Billiart Church 5500 Lear Nagle Road North Ridgeville, OH 44039

Special Details

Service will be held at our Memorial site for the Unborn on Julie Lane. Parking is in St Julie Billiart main parking lot.

Bring a chair should you need, or want.

Local Contact

Mark and Linda Lalonde, 440-327-0218

markilalonde@gmail.com

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L.E.A.F

Listening, Encouraging, and Assisting Families Of the Incarcerated

Support for Families and Loved Ones of the Incarcerated All are welcome.

Spanish/Bilingual assistance can be arranged.

Where: St. Julie Billiart Catholic Church

5500 Lear Nagle Rd, North Ridgeville, OH 44039

Contact: (440) 327-1978

Dates and Times:

2nd Tuesdays of every month 7:00 PM

Meeting Location:

Guadalupe Rm. south of the church

Follow the L.E.A.F. signs.



Light snacks, decaf coffee, and water are provided. Please park in the large lot north of the church.

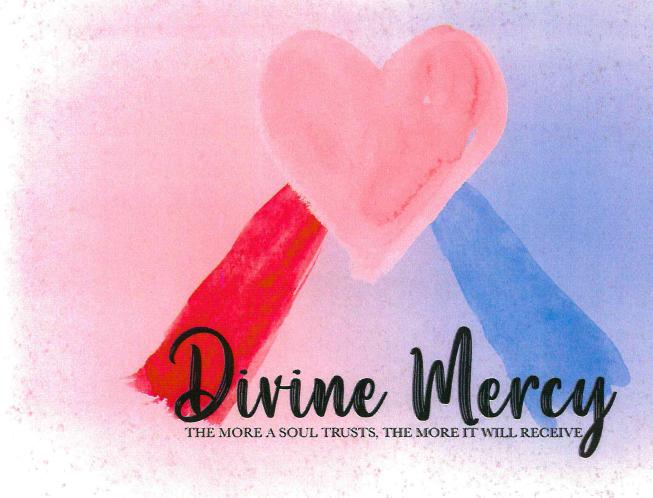
If you have a loved one or family member who is or was recently incarcerated and are looking for a small welcoming community; please plan to join us.

www.LEAFMinistry.org

Pre-registration is NOT necessary.

Mathew 25: 35-36

Have questions, contact Ted Lapponi (440) 315-6527









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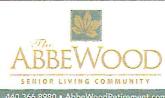


Saturday, October 9th, 2021 9:00 am - 4:00 pm Hilton Garden Inn, Mayfield Village









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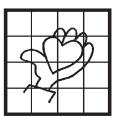
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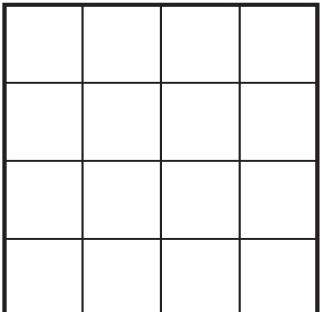
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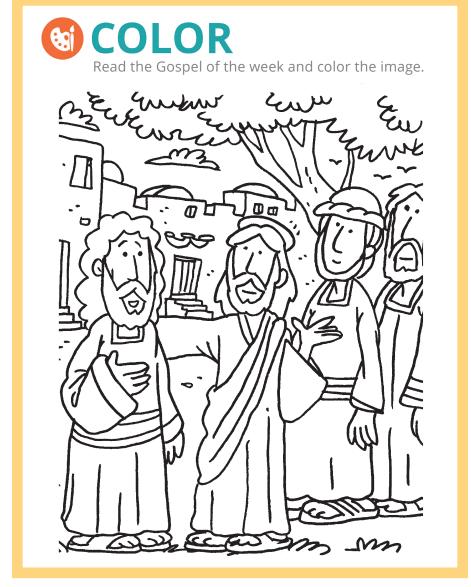






With your family, talk about what you would enjoy if you were a king or queen. Tell how Jesus was different from other kings.









GOSPEL

Jesus was the king, the Messiah that God's people had been waiting for. In today's Gospel reading, the disciples were confused. If Jesus was the king, why was he saying he would die soon? Jesus' friends did not understand yet that by dying on the cross, Jesus would save them from their sins.



Dear God, thank you for coming to save me from my sins.



Draw a picture of Jesus carrying his cross.



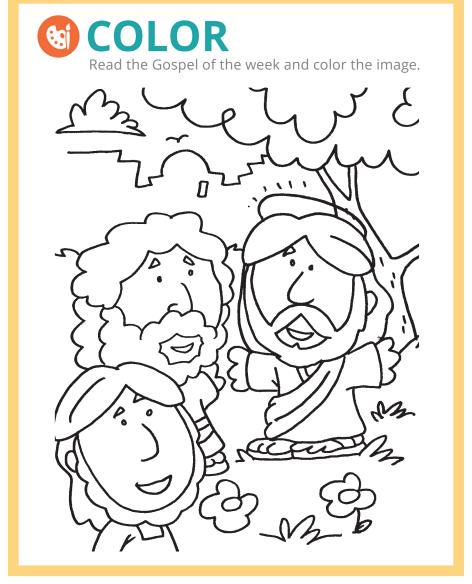




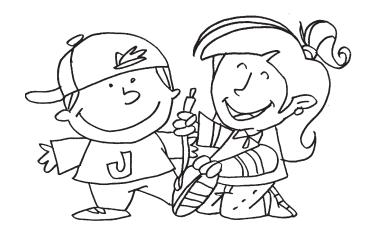


When my parents ask me to help, I will jump to it right away.









GOSPEL

If you have a little brother who asks you to tie his shoes six times, it is easy to get angry and say, "NO. Tie it yourself." However, God wants you to help others with a smile. He wants you to tie shoes for others. He wants you to open doors for others. He wants you to sweep the floor for others. God wants you to treat others with kindness as a favor to him.



Show me how to treat others with kindness for you, Lord.



Draw a picture of yourself helping a friend look for his lost dog.

