

ST. MARY CHURCH – GROVEPORT, OHIO - SUNDAY, JUNE 20, 2010

Saturday	5:00 p.m.	For the Parish Family
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	Nick Frank by Evelyn Frank
	11:00 a.m.	Roger Crites by Sandy Crites
Monday	8:30 a.m.	Novena & Rosary
Tuesday	8:30 a.m.	Jim Schockling by Shirley Schockling
Wednesday	8:30 a.m.	Jo-Ann Arrigo by the Altar Rosary Society
Thursday	8:30 a.m.	Dick Krauss by Jack Murphy
Friday	8:30 a.m.	David Hetterscheidt by Family
Saturday	5:00p.m.	Lee Nowak by Mike Nowak
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	For the Parish Family
	11:00 a.m.	Rodman Blazvick by Audrey Hall

THIS WEEKEND

SERVER SCHEDULE

Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Brian Ropchock
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	Allison Dorion, Luke Dorion, Jessie Slone
	11:00 a.m.	Connie Brown, Seth Brown, Jacqueline Brown

NEXT WEEKEND

Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Brian Ropchock
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	Nathan Gawarecki, Colleene Weiser, Rex Weiser
	11:00 a.m.	Miranda Cromer, Erick Starkey, Alex Seidlertz

LECTOR SCHEDULE

Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Becky DeVillers, Shirley Schockling	Debra Thorn, Carol Groom
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	Ken Koebel, Rosemarie Watters	Colleene Weiser, JoEllen Stebelton
	11:00 a.m.	Cindy Kinch, John Rose	Mayellen Fowler, John Jones

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER SCHEDULE

Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Sandy Crites, Marty Severino, Shawna Gentile, Marilyn O'Linn, Mary Miles	Phil Feldmeier, Mark Widman, Jeneane Miles, Jerry Miles, Sandy Crites
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	Pat Jenkins, JoEllen Stebelton, Ken Koebel, Nancy Grilli, Irene Fagan	Mark Dorion, Christine Boucher, Howard Watters, Carolyn Veit, Mary Slone
	11:00 a.m.	Jean Bobst, Dorothy Carter, Jan Gale, Mayellen Fowler, Nancy Scholl	Cindy Kinch, Jan Gale, Jean Bobst, Nancy Scholl, Dorothy Carter

From The Pastor's Desk

Readings: Jesus is teaching the Apostles and us who He is. We know that many of the Apostles had been disciples of John the Baptist. They may have had the hope that he had returned from the dead and was embodied in Jesus. There was also a tradition that Elijah was taken up into heaven and that he would return. The responses show that Jesus was someone special. One who had even returned from the dead. With this expectation in the minds of the Apostles, Jesus announces to them that He "must first endure many sufferings, be rejected by the elders, the high priest and the scribes, and even be put to death, and then be raised on the third day." This was not what they wanted to hear. And if that were not enough, even to be a follower was going to be difficult. It is part of the Christian message. This message is supported by Zechariah in the First Reading. The Response tells us to keep our eyes on the prize and not be discouraged. Paul assures us that all of us "inherit all that was promised." Sometimes we wish to hear a different message, but this is the one we have.

Bishop's Annual Appeal – Thank you to all who have already made a pledge. However, there are still many parishioners who have not yet returned a pledge envelope. **If you have not made your pledge, please do so as soon as possible. Pledge envelopes are available in the vestibule. No amount is too small!**

The flowers in front of the Altar this weekend are in memory of husband and father Louis Balsimo by his family.

We congratulate and ask God's blessing upon Scott Spangler and Emily Hilgert, who were married at St. Mary Church, June 12, 2010. We pray this couple will share a very long and happy life together.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, June 20– Zec 12:10-11; 13:1 / Gal 3:26-29 / Lk 9:18-24

Monday, June 21 – 2 Kgs 17:5-8, 13-15a, 18 / Mt 7:1-5

Tuesday, June 22– 2 Kgs 19:9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36 / Mt 7:6, 12-14

Wednesday, June 23– 2 Kgs 22:8-13; 23:1-3 / Mt 7:15-20

Thursday, June 24– Is 49:1-6 / Acts 13:22-26 / Lk 1:57-66, 80

Friday, June 25 – 2 Kgs 25:1-12 / Mt 8:1-4

Saturday, June 26– Lam 2:2, 10-14, 18-19 / Mt 8:5-17

Sunday, June 27 – 1 Kgs 19:16b, 19-21 / Gal 5:1, 13-18 / Lk 9:51-62

OUR GIFTS TO GOD AND CHURCH

June 12/13: Sunday Offering - \$4145.50 Haiti - \$3.00

Catholic Home Missions - \$145.00

God bless you for your continued support of St. Mary Church!

Next weekend, our parish will participate in the **Peter's Pence 2010 Collection for the works of the Holy Father**. Please use the envelope provided in your packet, pick up an envelope in the vestibule, or mark your check Peter's Pence.

Interested in learning conversational Spanish? Join the Spanish Classes for adults forming at Christ the King Church in Bexley, or St. Michael's Church in Worthington. Classes are held from once a week 6:00p.m.-7:00p.m. (Beginners) and 7:15p.m.-8:15p.m. (Intermediate). This course will run from June 29th through September 1st. A fall course will be offered for those who wish to continue. For more information and to register before June 28th, please email ColumbusSpanishClass@gmail.com . ¡Cuídate y nos vemos pronto!

The next Groveport Summer Concert to benefit Center for Groveport Madison Human Needs will be held next **Sunday, June 27**, featuring **The Michael Rose Show**, solid gold oldies, classic Country. The concert will be held in the beautiful outdoors at Heritage Park in Groveport. The concert begins at 7:00p.m. and concessions will be available from other area non-profits. Tell your friends, family and neighbors. Bring a blanket and enjoy the concert!

FREE summer lunches return to Groveport for the 3rd year! All kids 18 and under are eligible to receive a FREE lunch. No fee, no registration! Activities are planned at each location too including crafts, library visits and more!

Volunteers are needed at two sites: GM Middle School North on Sedalia Dr and GM Jr. High on Main St in downtown Groveport. Dates are **6/14-8/6**. Times **11:00a.m.-1:00p.m.** (for volunteers only; serving times for kids are strictly 11:30-12:30). To volunteer, contact Donna Drury at 920-0398.

Groveport Farmer's Market, every Thursday through August, 4:30p.m. – 6:30 p.m. rain or shine. **NEW LOCATION:** Brooke Alley, beside Huntington Bank and Graphic Technologies. Not only will you find home grown vegetables & fruits, baked goods and other delicious products, crafters will be on hand. Street parking is available, as the alley will be blocked off for safety.

St. Mary Youth Leadership

S.M.Y.L. is now a Kurtz Cares Partner, which offers a unique fundraising opportunity for our organization. It's easy to participate, simply mention our group name or account number, **#107**, when you make a purchase at any one of eight Kurtz Bros locations. **When you do, Kurtz will donate 20% of the purchase total back to our organization for this quarter, June-August. SMYL is also eligible to receive a bonus of \$250 for being the organization with highest quarterly sales.** Let Kurtz Bros. be your "go to" source of perennials, trees, shrubs, mulch, and topsoil this year, and support our efforts at the same time. Thanks in advance for your support!

SMYL wishes to thank all the support from our parishioners with the Kroger Rewards program. We received \$457 for the period 02/01/10-04/30/10. If you want to be a part of the support, please pick up the info sheet in the vestibule to register your Kroger card or call Christine Boucher at 614/563-9540.

Craft Club will meet this Tuesday, June 22, at 10:00 a.m. in the Parish Hall. Everyone is welcome to share in the fun and potluck! Any questions, please call Rosemarie Watters, 491-6978.

The St. Vincent de Paul will be preparing 500 sandwiches for the homeless on Monday, July 5, at 11:00 a.m. in the Parish Hall. Many hands make light work! It takes about 45 minutes with 8-10 people helping. All are welcome to come and help!

The St. Vincent de Paul has a food basket in the vestibule for the Groveport Food Pantry. For the month of June, they are requesting **canned meats**. Thank you for your continued support!

This weekend members of the SVDP will be accepting donations after all Masses.

Thank you to all who participated in the Red Cross Blood Drive!

We are in need of a Chairperson or Co-Chairs to organize our annual Smorgasbord in October. If you are interested and would like more information regarding this wonderful event, please call the parish office at 497-1324. This could be a great experience for a husband & wife team or a best friend's team!

Hugs and Prayers – Please remember in Prayer those of our parish family and friends who at this time are hospitalized, ill, or recovering: Rosa Alonzo, Bob Boden, Tyler Bodnar, Christine Boucher, Kelly Brothers, Margaret Devlin, Albert Elizondo, David Elizondo, Jessica Elkins, Giuseppe Fazio, Bryan Fowler, Ben Garrison, John Gentile, Dale Henry, Tara Hetterscheidt, Theresa Hill, Bill & Agnes Hillis, Barb Kellenbarger, Maria Mayes, Vince Mennetti, Bill Schmidt, Mary Smith, Bernie Sokolowski, Olive Stirrop, Dave Verbance, and Virginia Whittemore.

Happy Father's Day!