

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Schedule of Masses, Services and Devotions

July 28 – August 5, 2007

Weekend Masses:

SFC

Saturday July 28 Vigil: Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:00pm **Deceased Members of Palagyi Family** by Family

Sunday July 29 Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

STM 8:00am **James V. Schiavone** by Schiavone Family
Pro-populo (For the People)

SFC 11:00am **Angelo & Domenica Pizzi and
Saverio & Vencenza Taddeo** by Mary Pizzi

Weekday Mass/Communion Service with Morning Prayer

STM

Monday July 30 St. Peter Chrysologus, bishop, doctor
7:30am **Bill Kinney** by Mary & Don Draves

Tuesday July 31 St. Ignatius Loyola, priest
7:30am **Katherine Golaszewski** by Wanda Meinke

SFC

Wed. Aug 1 St. Alphonsus Liguori, bishop, doctor
7:30am **Stephen Palagyi** by Jane Palagyi

Thursday Aug 2 Sts. Eusebius of Vercelli, bishop
7:30am **Mike & Carmella Castrilla** by Castrilla Family

Friday Aug 3 St. Peter Julian Eymard, priest
7:30am **Communion Service**

Weekend Masses:

SFC

Saturday Aug 4 Vigil: Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:00pm **Jeanette Mondy** by Mondy & Newcomb Families

Sunday Aug 5 Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

STM 8:00am **Stephen Palagyi** by Jane Palagyi

SFC 11:00am **Deceased Members of the Robert Herpy Family**
by Family

Pro-populo (For the People)

We hope to have the 11am **Mass in God's Front Yard** each Sunday – weather permitting. Remember to keep your lawn chairs in your car!

Lay Leaders of Prayer Formation Series will be offered for eight weeks, Monday evenings, Sept. 17 through Nov. 12, 7:00-9:15pm at St. Joseph Church, Alliance. Those who are interested in this are asked to please call the Parish Offices for more information.

Watch for details soon on the **Sisters of Notre Dame Annual Family Barbecue/Boutique** to be held Sundays Sept. 23 and Sept. 30.

If you would like someone to visit and bring communion to a loved one who is homebound or confined to a hospital or nursing home, please call the Parish Offices. Because of **The Patient Privacy Act**, this information is not given out to the Parish by any institutions. You must contact Father Thomas, Sister Jean Marie or the Parish Offices directly.

Sanctuary Candle

Intentions

St. Mary

For the Eternal Rest of:

Stephen Palagyi

by Jane Palagyi

Mary Sabo

by Richard Miltner

Tom Perkoski Birthday Memorial

By Annie, Sophia & Clyde

Lawrence Ryan

by Wife

For the Health & Welfare of:

Mary Pataky

by Mary Lou & John Munson

Patty Gaukel

by Family

St. Frances Cabrini

For the Eternal Rest of:

Emil DeNunzio

Birthday Memorial

by Family

Pauline Palagyi

by Family

For the Health & Welfare of:

Perry Gildone

by Bill & Marie

This Week

Monday, July 30

4:30pm

“Time with Thomas”

Guest: Father Joe Ruggieri

Mount Carmel Parish, Ashtabula

WWOW Radio 1360AM

Tuesday, July 31

6:30pm

Finance Council, Parish Offices

Wednesday, Aug 1

6pm

CDofA Family Picnic, Upper Pavilion

Saturday, Aug 4

5pm

Polka Mass, SFC Church
Procession honoring the Blessed Virgin Mary

6-9pm

Festa alla Piazza

51st Annual Festival

Sunday, Aug 5

7pm

Bill Kinney Rosary for Peace, SFC

Stewardship Update

Last Week

Budgeted \$6,328 Actual \$4905.08 231 Env.

Fiscal YTD

Budgeted \$25,312 Actual \$24,933.83 (\$378.17)

Thank you for your generosity.

“**Stock in the Youth**” certificates are on sale following each of the Masses. 3 of our young people are planning to attend the *National Youth Convention* in Columbus November 8-10, 2007 and need your help. For your donation you will receive a **Stock Certificate**. When they return from the convention, you will be invited to a dinner to thank you for your support and will hear from them about the convention.

This Monday at 4:30pm on “**Time with Thomas**,” Fr. Thomas’ guest is Father Joe Ruggieri, Pastor of Mount Carmel in Ashtabula. Tune in to AM1360, WWOW Walking on Water Radio to listen.

Festa alla Piazza is next Saturday, August 4th!!!

Advanced tickets for the dinner of ½ BBQ chicken, corn on the cob, cole slaw, roll & butter will be on sale after the Masses for \$6, tickets the day of the dinner will be \$7.

Donations of cinnamon, granulated and powdered sugar, paper plates (not styrofoam), and paper towels are needed for the **Fried Dough Booth**. Donations may be brought to the Parish Offices.

Theme baskets are needed for the Chinese Auction. If you would like to donate a theme basket please contact Cathy Cebasek at the Parish Offices.

Please remember to return your **raffle tickets**.

There will be games for the kids!!

Father Walter Thelappilly of the Carmelites of Mary Immaculate (C.M.I.) is with us this weekend, July 28/29 to preach to us about the missionary work of his order in North India, parts of Africa, Madagascar, Papua New Guinea, Europe, Canada, Philippines, South America, Australia, New Zealand and the U.S.A. They preach the Good News, run the educational institutions, engage in Social apostolate by uplifting the poor and oppressed. ***There will be a second collection this weekend*** to help assist the Carmelites of Mary Immaculate with their mission. Please welcome Father Thelappilly and be as generous as you are able to be.

The Catholic Daughters are hosting a picnic for members and their families at 6pm on Wednesday, August 1 at Township Park’s Upper Pavilion. Hamburgers, hotdogs, water, entertainment and a spectacular sunset will be provided. Please bring your own table service and a dish to share.

Front Porch Pick-up For the Food Pantry will be held Thursday, August 9, 5pm-7pm. 24 volunteers are needed to cover a few streets for our two parishes. 3-4 trucks will also be needed. A clipboard will be passed around this weekend, July 28/29 for sign-ups.

The KofC Annual Public Steak Fry is being held Tuesday, August 14, 2007 at 6pm at the KofC Hall, 366 N. Amboy Rd. Dinner includes steak, salad, potato, vegetable, hearth bread, coffee, tea & iced tea. Donation is \$12.

News from the St. Vincent de Paul Society: We will have the monthly collection after all the Masses next weekend. Because of your generous donations, we were able to provide assistance for nine families last month. If you would like to write a check, please make it payable to **St. Vincent de Paul Society**. Your contributions **are** tax deductible. Thank you for your continued support!

We have received a letter from the Conneaut Right Track director asking that our parishes again participate in the **Back to School Distribution**. Last year 413 plus students were served. They are asking for pencils, pens, pocket folders, spiral notebooks, etc. For a complete list of supplies please see the flier on the Church bulletin board. Supplies may be left in the boxes at the back of the Churches by the weekend of August 18/19.

Father Thomas’ sermons are available on our parish web site: www.stmary-stfcabrini.org Click on the prompt to ‘**Listen to Father’s Sermon**’ and several of the most recent sermons are available to listen to through Windows Media Player.

2007-2008 Foundations in Ministry Program. Lay men and women hear and respond to the call of Christ in the very web of their everyday existence. Many find occasions for ministry and Christian witness through their responsibilities in family, business, neighborhood and civic settings. The Office of Lay Ministry Formation will again offer this fall Foundations in Ministry – a course which is intended to help lay men and women become better-informed Catholics. The course will be offered in Ashtabula at Mother of Sorrows Parish from 7-9:30pm on Thursday evenings beginning Sept. 20/2007 through April 3, 2008. Contact the Office of Lay Ministry Formation at 330-744-8451 ext. 271 or the Parish Offices for more information.

A Family Perspective Today’s Gospel began with Jesus “praying in a certain place.” He prayed where He was, among His friends. Pausing to pray in our homes, a parent “gives a good gift” to their children, teaching them to turn to the Lord as a partner and friend.

Reminder: Bulletin information or public announcements for various groups/organizations needs to be sent to the Parish Offices by Wednesday each week.

A pilgrimage to Our Lady of Consolation Basilica in Carey OH for the feast of the Assumption is being sponsored by Mount Carmel Church. The bus will leave Mount Carmel Church on Tuesday, Aug 14th at 8am. This is a one day trip, cost is \$30 per person, seating is limited. Enjoy the beautiful shrines, outdoor confessions & a candlelight procession ending with an outdoor evening Mass. FMI call Sarah Matrisciano at 964-8689, Mary Ann Dunn at 992-0098.

Wheels of Love Do you know someone who has been deprived of their ability to walk due to illness or disease? If so “Hope on Wheels” can help your loved ones regain their confidence and their independence with a power wheelchair or scooter. “Hope on Wheels” helps seniors with mobility limitations to receive a power wheelchair or scooter paid by Medicare. FMI call 1-866-631-3028.

First Communion and Confirmation pictures may be picked up at the Parish Offices from 9am-3pm Mon-Fri and 9:30am-Noon on Saturday.

If you wish to **rent tables or chairs** from either Church hall, please call the office a week in advance. Rental forms must be completed and signed and the rental fee is to be paid before picking up these items.

The Conneaut Food Pantry is in need of basic food items. Donations can be left in the back of Church or taken to the Human Resources Center on Mill St.

Counseling Assistance Fund. The Church is committed to helping those who have been harmed as a result of sexual abuse by representatives of the church. According to mental health professionals, counseling is a vital component of the healing process for survivors of childhood sexual abuse. The Church recognizes, however, that there are people who are reluctant to contact the church for help. This new Counseling Assistance Fund can help these individuals. If you would like more information go to the website at www.counselingassistancefund.org

Diocesan Vocations Website – www.youngstownvocations.org. Go to this web site or click on the sidebar link for **Vocations** on the Diocesan homepage website – www.doy.org. The site is a source of information for those discerning a Church vocation to priesthood, diaconate or consecrated life and is also a resource for families, teachers, catechists & DRE's.

Is memory loss touching your life? Call the Alzheimer's Association 800-441-3322 FMI about where to begin if memory loss is touching your life.

The Sisters of Notre Dame offer a Prayer Line Ministry. Your intentions will be remembered in prayer each day by calling 440-279-1163. A sister will receive your call, Mon-Fri, 10:00am-4:00pm; at other times the answering service will be available. All requests will be remembered in prayer.

Posted in the back of each of the Churches are lists of members of the Pastoral Planning Council, Finance Council and the Worship Committee. Feel free to approach any of the members with any questions or comments regarding the committees and their activities.

Volunteers are needed to assist in various areas of the RCIA process as catechists, sponsors, greeters and hospitality, as well as for Pre-Catechumenate, Mystagogia and the Sunday dismissal rite. If you feel called to be of service this coming year, please call Father Thomas or Sister Barbara at 599-8570 FMI.

Estranged from the Church? If you or someone you know feels estranged from the Catholic Church because of divorce or marital status, consider checking into what is needed to bring you back. It may be the annulment process or simple paperwork, depending on your personal situation. If you would like to talk with someone to find out what is needed please call Father Thomas, Sister Jean Marie or Sister Barbara at the Parish Offices, 599-8570.

The Hearts of Hope Bereavement Team offers funeral luncheon meals for a small fee to parish families following funeral Masses. For information, call Sr. Jean Marie at the Parish Offices.

Parish Participation – As good stewards of all that God has entrusted to us, we all should contribute in some way toward building up the Body and Blood of Christ at St. Mary/St. Frances Cabrini. Our Faith Community offers multiple opportunities for service in liturgy, education, outreach and development. Please speak with Father Thomas or a member of the Staff to determine how your talents may best serve the Church.

Don't let the IRS tax your IRA – If you have an IRA and are at an age where you are required to take distributions, you know how taxing that experience can be. As a supporter of St. Mary and/or St. Frances Cabrini, you may be surprised to learn that a new law allows you to keep those IRA withdrawals up to \$100,000 from ever being taxed.

For a free brochure that describes the provisions of the **Pension Protection Act of 2006**, call Mr. Pat Palombo, Director of Development & Stewardship, at 330/744-8451 ext. 325 or email Mr. Palombo at patpal@cboss.com