

Nativity of John the Baptist

Schedule of Masses, Services and Devotions

June 23 – July 1, 2007

Weekend Masses:

SFC

Saturday June 23 Vigil: Eve of John the Baptist
5:00pm *Mr. & Mrs. Anthony Morano* by Family

Sunday June 24 Nativity of John the Baptist

STM 8:00am *Auntie Helen Perkoski* by Bill & Joanie Norton

SFC 11:00am *Hank Castrilla* by Family
Pro-populo (For the People)

Weekday Mass/Communion Service with Morning Prayer

STM

Monday June 25 Weekday
7:30am *Dorothy Peterson* by Daughter, Cathy & Tom Cebasek

Tuesday June 26 Weekday
7:30am *Pauline Palagi* by Family

SFC

Wed. June 27 St. Cyril of Alexandria, bishop, doctor
7:00pm *Remigio DiTommaso* by Fr. Raymond Thomas

Thursday June 28 St. Irenaeus, bishop, martyr
7:30am *Charles Mondy* by Eleanor Pignotti

Friday June 29 Sts. Peter & Paul, apostles
7:30am *Communion Service*

Weekend Masses:

SFC

Saturday June 30 Vigil: Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:00pm *John Thomas* by Fr. Raymond Thomas

Sunday July 1 Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

STM 8:00am *Jeanette Mondy* by Newcomb & Mondy Families
Pro-populo (For the People)

SFC 11:00am *Joseph Paul & Rosemary Cecelia O'Lenic* by Family

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!

II Wedding Banns: Toni Rosati & Jim Soliday

The new sacred vessels for Communion at St. Frances Cabrini have been purchased by an anonymous donor in honor of Sr. Jean Marie's 65th birthday on Friday, June 29. Happy Birthday, Sr. Jean!

Scripture Readings, July 1

1 Kings 19: 16b, 19-21

Galatians 5: 1, 13-18

Luke 9: 51-62 (99)

Sanctuary Candle Intentions

St. Frances Cabrini
For the Eternal Rest of:

Tresa Colangelo

by Family

Mary Pizzi

by Jennie Zappitelli

Jane Maukonen

This Week

Monday, June 25

4:30pm

“Time with Thomas”

Guest: Father Bonnot from
Mother of Sorrows, Ashtabula
WWOW Radio 1360AM

Tuesday, June 26

7:00pm

L.E.A.F., 1st United Methodist

Saturday, June 30

9:00am-Noon

Safety Town Graduation, SFC Hall



Fried Dough will return to the *4th of July Festival* this year at Lakeview Park on Sat., June 30, Sun. July 1 and Tues. July 3 from 6-10pm. We need donations of powdered, granulated and brown sugar, paper plates (not Styrofoam) or paper napkins. You may drop your donations off at the Parish Offices. Please try to attend the festival this year and support our Fried Dough Booth.

Stewardship Update

Last Week

Budgeted \$6,000 Actual \$5313.82 239 Env.

Fiscal YTD

Budgeted \$306,000 Actual \$297,961.97 (\$8038.03)

Thank you for your generosity.

If you would like to know if you are current on your Stewardship pledge for the **Sunday Collection**, call the Parish Offices. Our fiscal year ends June 30, 2007 and we are now at a deficit of over \$8,000.

Memory Gardens: Anyone who maintains a memory garden on the church grounds please be sure to turn the water off and open the nozzle.

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

Festa alla Piazza: Theme baskets are needed for the Chinese Auction for this year's *festival*. If you would like to donate a theme basket please contact Cathy Cebasek at the Parish Offices.

Stewardship: Today the Church celebrates the birth of John the Baptist. John serves as an excellent example of a Christian Steward. He used all of his gifts heralding a baptism of repentance in preparation for the coming of the Savior, Jesus. We, too, are challenged as stewards-disciples to use our gifts proclaiming the good news of Jesus Christ.

"Time with Thomas" –WWOW Radio program every Monday at 4:30pm. Tune in to 1360 AM. Father's guest this week is Father Bonnot from Mother of Sorrows in Ashtabula.

L.E.A.F. (Loving Equally All Families) week is a month away! There will be a **'Safety and Skills'** workshop from 9am –Noon on Saturday, June 30 at St. Mary Hall. All volunteers are encouraged to attend. Please call the Parish Offices by Tuesday, June 26 to register. Volunteers are still needed for the L.E.A.F. work week July 14, 16-21. If you are interested and have not signed up, please contact the Parish Offices.

Sts. John & Paul Catholic School is currently registering students K-12 for the 2007-2008 school year. FMI call the elementary school at 997-5821 or the high school at 997-5531.

Family Perspective: The question in today's Gospel, "What will this child be?" concerns all parents. We spend years trying to influence and shape the answer, hoping our children will be "strong in spirit", like the Baptist, and also "blessing God" like Zachariah.

Being Human: The television station of the Catholic Diocese of Youngstown, CTNY, will air "beingHuman," a documentary focusing on everyday, ordinary people who help save lives and give a voice to the unborn through prayer and activism. The show interviews 3 volunteers: a businessman, a mother and a college student and includes expert commentary. Tune in to CTNY or EWTN on Monday June 25th at 6:30pm.

Marriage Encounter Weekends are scheduled in Akron for the weekends of July 27-29 and October 19-21. Marriage Encounters have been endorsed by the Catholic Church for over 40 years. Contact Terry & Sue Smith at 330-896-4987 or WorldwideME@aol.com.

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.

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.

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.

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

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.

Hope on Wheels 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.

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

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.