

**Please remember in your prayers those who are ill:** Audrey Milbourne, Father Stan, Phyllis Kelley, Madelyn Radich, Dan Weisenbach, Tom Moore, Mary Buk, Nichola Storey, John Gerlach, Marion Morrison, Don & Rita Schooley, Shannon Patke, Jane Hodge, Sonja Brown, Karen Roberts, Rachel Gorman Stout, Teresa Dimel, Mary Jo Patke, Michelle Stover, Lew & Bobbi Lindner, John Davis, Rosemary Crego, Gene Jaquay, Pat Snyder, Helen Moore, Amy Puccetti Manning, William Foley, Marjorie Wynne, Margaret Cosgrove, Herman Leidinger, Kathy Maxwell, Mary Kulp, Betty Amore, Thomas Knight, Sue Keeler, Diana Wright, Elizabeth Guy, Eleanor Lelonek, Michael Berger, Lucille Becker, Bill Ervin, Alan Wiseman, Jill Huizer, Vickie Maurer, Buzz Ball, Gene & Amanda Davis, Frances McNulty, Rob Beck, Mel Schell, Ken Miller, Kathleen Foley, Jack Zerrien, Joann Colopy, Tony Wolfe, Roma Kay Higgins, Pam Moine, Dottie Kelly, Marge Foley, Mary Jo O'Rourke, Kevin Campbell, Dean Rhodes, Nick Hayes, Marge Casey, Danny Campbell, Gene Catlett, Austin James, Michelle Martin, Marlene Parsley & Albert Scarpitti. **Please call the rectory to remove name as health improves.**

**Please remember in your prayers those who have died especially:** Mary Gerardi (mother of our parishioner, Joe Gerardi and grandmother of Jim and Joe Gerardi). May God grant peace and comfort to her family!

### ***From the pastor...***

I would like to thank you for your get-well cards, birthday cards, and most especially for your prayers.

My recovery from surgery is going very well. I am coming back to work part-time for the next month. I will be celebrating Masses on Friday, Saturday, Sunday, and Monday, including the Monday evening novena Mass. The school children will be attending Mass on Monday and Friday, the middle school on Monday and the primary school on Friday. The special Saturday Masses in the oratory will begin again in November, as will Sunday morning Bible study.

I will be doing office work that can't be put off and trying to limit appointments to emergency situations only. Though I am allowed to drive again, I am limiting driving to doctor appointments, out-patient therapy, and groceries.

Much of my days are filled with therapy, three times a week at a facility and at least twice a day at home. It is painful, but beneficial in the long run.

It is so good to not only be back at home, but also to be able to engage with you, if on a bit limited basis. Thank you for your patience.

**Our Knights of Columbus will be praying the Rosary 20 minutes before each Mass in October.**

### **Next Sunday's Readings**

Wisdom 7:7-11

Hebrew 4:12-13

Mark 10:17-30 or 10:17-27

## **LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS**

**Saturday, October 3 – Vigil:**

**Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**

4:00 p.m. Charlie Kulp – Richard & Teresa Briggs

**Sunday, October 4 –**

**Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**

9:00 a.m. For the Living & Deceased Members of St. Mary Magdalene Parish

11:00 a.m. Rita Wagoner – Family

**Monday, October 5 – Weekday**

8:15 a.m. John & Madge Martindale – Pat Martindale

7:00 p.m. One year Anniversary of death (October 8, 2014) James McFadden

**Tuesday, October 6 – Weekday**

No 8:15 a.m.

**Thursday, October 8**

No 8:15 a.m.

**Friday, October 9 – Weekday**

8:15 a.m. Pat Rex – McGrail Family

**Saturday, October 10 –**

**Sunday Twenty-eighth in Ordinary Time**

4:00 p.m. Maria Carmela Ceravolo – Rosa Tavella

**Sunday, October 11 –**

**Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

9:00 a.m. For the Living & Deceased Members of St. Mary Magdalene Parish

11:00 a.m. Jeffrey R. Schmidt – Joe & Betty Regan

## **Liturgical Ministers Schedules**

**Servers for Weekday, October 5-9**

Wesley Rowe, Emmanuel Ruiz

**Saturday, October 10 – 4:00 p.m.**

Servers: Jeremiah & Jonas Happ, Evan Gruber

Readers: Daniel Hamilton, Roberta Lindner

Eucharistic Ministers: \* John, Shelley & Ryan Hamilton, Evan & Paula Gruber

**Sunday, October 11 – 9:00 a.m.**

Servers: Scott & Audrey Klosterman, Josh Taylor

Readers: Paula Tokar, Bob Howells

Eucharistic Ministers: \* Joff & Pam Moine, Pat Cahill, Mary Ann Down, Rocco Fumi, Jeff & Scott Klosterman, Mary Karabinos, Carole Marsh

**Sunday, October 11 – 11:00 a.m.**

Servers: Charlie Conley, Kyle Ferko, Rocky Cabot

Readers: Melanie & Alan Kaiser

Eucharistic Ministers: \* Steve & Debbie Llanaez, Jeanette Bach, Ian Binns, Keri Whitmer, Alice Carrier, Rose Dulin, Rick Ferko, Paul Puccetti

**Servers for Weekday, October 12-16**

Brett Smith, Josh Taylor

Counters: Regans and Schirtzingers

**THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH**

**Sunday, October 4**

Food Pantry Sunday  
 Coffee & Donuts  
 Baptism Instructions  
 Clothing Drive for St. Francis Center  
 3-5 Youth Gathering at St. Agnes  
 NO Bible study  
 7:00 p.m. RCIA

**Monday, October 5**

No 7:00 p.m. Mass

**Tuesday, October 6**

No Mass

**Wednesday, October 7**

7:30 p.m. Adult Choir

**Thursday, October 8**

No Mass  
 6:30 p.m. PREP

**Saturday, October 10**

No Senior Citizen Prayer Breakfast

Parish and School Expense (net of tuition and cost reimbursement)	<b>September 26 &amp; 27</b> \$ 8,734.00
Regular Sunday Collection	
Number of Envelopes – <u>114</u>	\$ 4,048 .00
Online Giving	\$ 1,905 .00
Children Sunday Collection	
Number of Envelopes – <u>24</u>	\$ 13.00
Other Parish Income	\$ 58.00
Net	-\$ 2,710.00
Net Month-to-date	-\$ 7,170.00
Net Fiscal Year 2015-2016 to-date	-\$ 27,782.00

**Bishop Ready High School Events...** annual Spirit Breakfast will be on Thursday, October 8, at 7:30 a.m. in the school's gym. The annual event is part of Spirit Week and kicks off homecoming activities. Donation is \$15.00 for a hot, complete buffet breakfast. Guest speaker is Ready alum Cory Culbertson ('10) who recently was showcased for his prowess on the football field and for his devotion to the Catholic faith in the September 6 issue of *The Catholic Times*. Cory has played football for three Catholic educational institutions: St. Cecilia School, Bishop Ready, and now Ohio Dominican. To make a reservation, please call Michelle Kelly at 276-7827.

Need a new mattress? Bishop Ready is holding a one-day mattress sale in the school's gym on Saturday, October 10, from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Serta® and Simmons Beautyrest™ mattresses will be on sale for 20% to 40% below retail prices. Stop by and test a new mattress! Delivery is included. Proceeds from both events benefit the students at Bishop Ready.

**Thank you to those who attended greeter training:** We are off to a great start! The Hospitality ministry still needs more people willing to serve as greeters. Greeters are needed for all Masses but we especially need more greeters for the 9:00 a.m. Mass. We would really like to see the smiling faces of some of our younger members at the doors. Call Bobbi Lindner at 614-266-5712 or email at [bwilindner@yahoo.com](mailto:bwilindner@yahoo.com) for more information or to sign up.

**Small Change. Big Impact.** Please help raise awareness and increase prayer efforts this Respect Life month by grabbing a baby bottle after Mass the weekend of October 17 and 18. Filling it with your loose change, cash or check will directly support the free, life-saving programs offered at the seven area Pregnancy Decision Health Centers. The bottles will be collected the weekend of October 31 and November 1. The Bottle Program is a great way to get the entire family involved. Thank you for your participation.

**Only about 12 spots** remaining on the bus for NOTRE DAME AT PITTSBURGH GAME, Saturday, November 7th. Sponsored by SMM Athletic Association \$175.00 per person includes bus, game ticket, snacks, and soft drinks.

**Our Diocesan Family Rosary Day** will be celebrated this year at 3:00 p.m., Sunday, October 11, at St. Joseph Cathedral. This liturgy, which is presided over by Bishop Frederick F. Campbell, is a wonderful opportunity to enjoy community, worship God, and ask our Blessed Mother's intercessions for the needs of God's people. All are welcome.

The 2015 CHRISTMAS BAZAAR is on Saturday, November 14, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. **GIFT BASKETS are one of our biggest sale items and we need your help! We need containers and baskets!** Please put containers/baskets that can be used to make gift baskets on the table in the greeting space at the back of the church. **Select a container or basket off of the back table and fill with goodies or create a gift basket from scratch.** Please donate gift baskets of various values, from \$15.00-\$75.00+. Our best sellers seem to be in the \$25.00 price range. Return the filled baskets to the church office during regular office hours (9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m., Monday-Friday) or drop off in the church basement no later than Friday, November 13, from 6:00-8:00 p.m. Please do not include alcohol or home baked items in the baskets. Remember to include a short description of the basket's content and recommend a price.

**QUILT RAFFLE.** We are selling raffle tickets for a gorgeous Christmas quilt made by Karen Burns after each of the Masses. Please buy chances to win! Tickets are \$1.00/per ticket or \$5.00 for 5. We also need help selling chances! If you are available for a few minutes after Mass, please let us know.

**CRAFTING SESSIONS.** We still need many hands to finish the many crafts! Please join us on the following Thursdays in the church basement, beginning at 3:30 p.m.: October 8, 22 and November 5.

**VENDOR TABLES.** There are still a few tables available for rent. Please contact Mary Garrison at [marynyogi@gmail.com](mailto:marynyogi@gmail.com) or 617-584-7013 for pricing and a vendor contract.

**THIS WEEKEND**

Food Pantry Sunday  
 Coffee & Donuts  
 Baptism Instructions  
 Clothing Drive for St. Francis Center  
 NO Bible study  
 7:00 p.m. RCIA

8th graders will be selling discounted college footballmania tickets after Mass and at coffee/donuts – Only \$5.00. Tickets are still good for final 8 weeks of contest.