SAINT JULIE BILLIART

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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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.

"I tell you, if he does not get up to give the visitor the loaves because of their friendship, he will get up to give him whatever he needs because of his persistence." - Lk 11:8

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

July 28, 2019

PASTOR.....**Rev. George A. Vrabel**
Permanent Deacon.....Rev. Mr. John Rivera
Permanent Deacon.....Rev. Dr. Ken DeLuca
PSR Principal.....Kelly Reed
Music Director.....Danny O'Brien

LITURGY SCHEDULE

Masses at Church

Saturday.....5:00 p.m.
Sunday.....9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m.

Weekday Masses at the Chapel

Monday-Friday.....8:30 a.m.
(Excluding Thursdays)
Holydays.....Consult the Bulletin

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays.....4:00 - 4:30 p.m.
in the Church Library

PSR - PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

Grades K - 8: 9 - 10:15 a.m. Sundays
Children's Liturgy of the Word:
During 10:30 a.m. Sunday Mass
(except first Sunday of Month)

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY

Grades 9 - 12: 11:45 a.m. Sundays

RCIA & RCIC *(Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults and Children)*

BAPTISMS

1st & 3rd Sunday by appointment

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,

One of the main responsibilities of being a disciple of Jesus is to pray. Clearly, as today's gospel passage tells us, Jesus' disciples ask Him to teach them how to pray… and thus The Lord's Prayer – according to Luke *(today's Gospel translation is slightly different than the most familiar one found in Mt 6: 9-15)*, entered their lives and ours. It is a prayer that can last us a lifetime. I remember it as the last prayer my mother was able to speak hours before she died. The words should cause us to reflect not only upon the hallowed presence of God in our lives, but also the role we have to welcome and forgive our brothers and sisters in Christ. It is the prayer that unites denominations in public prayer and celebrations. It is a prayer of absolute commitment to living and dying in Christ. Therefore, it is right to ask: "How well do we hear the words we speak?"

When Jesus gave his disciples this prayer, he gave them a way of living. Jesus taught his disciples to love and forgive, to accept and to give thanks. If we choose His prayer – His gift, then we too must live in faithfulness of His teaching. Praying The Lord's Prayer invites us to join as one with Jesus and to belong to God. Yes, it is a struggle to forgive. Yes, it is difficult to surrender to the Father's will. And yet, without the love of God, where would we be? Without the call to forgive and live in peace, how would we live?

Listening to the most familiar of sounds can tell us a great deal. While living in Berea, I could hear the trains rolling through town in the middle of the night. It was not just the train, but the types of rail cars and the heavy loads which sounded so different. Seeking God throughout our lives means many things at many different times. Jesus tells us to seek and to ask… when our lives are burdened as well as when our lives are easy. How we pray tells us many things about ourselves and our needs… and God knows exactly what that might be. Trust in His love for you. "Seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you."

I invite you to enter into this prayer throughout the course of the week. Say it over and over again. Slow it down. Write it out. Repeat it out loud. And then listen to what God tells you to do for the least *(as well as the most)* of your brothers and sisters. I think it will be profound.

Fr. George

Mass Intentions for the Week

July 27 - Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Janetti Family (Louise Alexander)
July 28 - Sunday	9:00 a.m.	Otello Sacco (Sacco Family)
	10:30 a.m.	St. Julie Billiart Parishioners
July 29 - Monday	8:30 a.m.	Nancy Hach (Pischel Family)
July 30 - Tuesday	8:30 a.m.	Edward Lee (Mary Lee)
July 31 - Wednesday	8:30 a.m.	Helen Petrosky (Tom & Ida)
Aug. 1 - Thursday	No Mass	
Aug. 2 - Friday	8:30 a.m.	Intentions of the DeLuca Family
Aug. 3 - Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Charles Smick Sr. & Nancy Erwin (Smick Family)
Aug. 4 - Sunday	9:00 a.m.	St. Julie Billiart Parishioners
	10:30 a.m.	Mary Lou Jufko (Dennis Jufko)

The Week Ahead

July 28

Tues.
Women's Breakfast Planning Mtg., 7:00 p.m.

Wed.
Rosary, 7:30 p.m., St. Anne's Room

Coming Events

August 11
Anniversary Mass, 10:30 a.m.
(No 9:00 Mass)

August 14
PrimeTimers Mtg.

August 14/15
Feast of the Assumption of the Virgin Mary

August 17
Men's Fellowship Breakfast

August 29
Crockpot Dinner

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

This is the time to think about inviting your family and friends to consider full membership in the Catholic Faith. The RCIA will once again convene in late summer or early fall. This is an opportunity for those who have never been: baptized, those baptized outside the Catholic Church, or those baptized Catholic who have never received the sacrament of Holy Eucharist; to be baptized, profess their belief in the Catholic faith or to complete the sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation. If you are an adult who has never been Confirmed, there is a separate process to complete your initiation. Either way, call Fr. George at the parish office: 327-1978.

Religious Education

PSR - Parish School of Religion, Pre K - 8th grades (Sundays, 9:00 a.m.)

FLY - Faithfully Leading Youth - St. Julie's High School Youth Ministry Grades 9 - 12 (Sundays, 11:45 a.m.)

The FEST

Join us next Sunday, August 4, for The FEST - our 19th Annual Catholic Family FESTival from Noon until 10:00 p.m. at the CPL (28700 Euclid Ave. in Wickliffe). Join thousands, from across the region, for a day of faith, family, and great fun! Listen to the energizing music of *Jordan Feliz, Tenth Avenue North, Matt Haher, and Casting Crowns.* There's plenty of FREE close parking. There's great affordable food thanks to Executive Caterers and Marc's. There's something for everyone at The FEST! The day concludes with a beautiful outdoor Mass at 8:00 p.m. with Bishop Perez, followed by an incredible American Fireworks display. Check out details online at www.theFEST.us.

"And I tell you, ask and you will receive; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you. For everyone who asks, receives; and the one who seeks, finds; and to the one who knocks, the door will be opened." - Lk 11:9-10

Question: When is the letter "A" like a flower?

Family Perspective

"Jesus was praying." What a powerful example for us! He knew this was the way to stay connected to God the Father and handle all the demands being placed on Him. Jesus assures us if we put God first we will receive and find whatever we need from His infinite goodness and wisdom. But, we must make the time to stop, listen and seek God first in prayer. Pope Francis reminds us *"moments of family prayer and acts of devotion can be more powerful for evangelization than any catechism class or sermon."* Make prayer a daily part of your family routine.

September Morning Prayer for Women

Monday, September 16 from 9:30 - 11:00 a.m. at the Jesuit Retreat House, 5629 State Road, Parma. Women from all walks of life are invited to pray together and learn more about the beauty of prayer. Led by Sr. Mary Ann Flannery, S.C., this prayer group will refresh your spirit and help you find strength in regular prayer habits. Just bring your Bible and come as you are! Price includes coffee and pastry. Registrations are encouraged, but walk-ins welcome! Cost is $8. To register by cash or check, please call Barbara Leggott at (440) 884-9300.

PRAY FOR . . .

the health of, and caregivers of: Ruth Geierman (mother of Lisa TePas), Marsha Stellato, Ginny Umpirowicz, Elaine Klepek, Mary Anne Schwarzwalder, Jeff White, Bill Cusick, Jean Rasmussen, Terry Flanagan, Bill Livingston, Alma Hamilton, JoAnne Bellomo, John Murphy, Patrick Tinics, June Seman, Dolores Rivera, Jerry Moran, Carol Polak, Irene Kollin, Regula Family, Sondra Jirousek, Carol Straub; for the repose of the soul of John Dubecky, father of Greg, for our men & women in uniform, our police, firefighters, doctors and nurses; and for vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and religious life.

Free Furnace and Installation

Stack Heating - Cooling - Electric is partnering with Lennox's *Feel the Love Campaign* to donate a free furnace and installation for a needy family or Veteran. Nominees are selected to receive donated HVAC equipment based on a range of criteria, including (but not limited to) involvement in their community, military service, or financial hardship. Essentially, if you think someone needs and/or deserves it, send us your nomination and tell us their story. Visit FEELtheLOVE.com. The deadline for nominations is August 31. Installations take place Oct. 5-6.

This week my prayers were for: Cinnamon, Chance, Sparky, Sadie; mom, dad, Ashley, my whole family; Ashley, mom, dad, grandma, papa; Cinnamon, Chance, Sadie, Jovie, JJ, my family.

This is how I used my time and talent for others: I played outside with my dog; I helped cleaned up for my friend coming over; I helped clean up the house; I made lunch for my brother, and I.

Parish Stewardship

July 21: Envelopes used: 201 (out of 687 mailed) ... $4866

Average per Envelope	$24
Children's	$17
School Subsidy	$150
Capital Improvement	$3230
Net Offertory	**$8263**
Mass Attendance	506

Thank you for sharing your blessings.

News & Events

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Sat,July 27, 5:00	Sun,July 28, 9:00	10:30
L-Sharon DeBevec	Linda Vasiloff	Mark LaLonde
L-Cindy Naprestek	Jim Livingston	Gloria Hearns
EM-( )	( )	( )
Renee Gallagher	Jim Carter	Barb Arguello
Marian Juszkiewicz	Joanne Carter	Meg Hogue
Elaine McBriarty	Debijo Lamb*	Joe Kotarsky
Beth Paoloni*	Nick Modock	Gene Morrison
	Mary Kay Polomsky	Suzanne Snyder*
Altar Servers		
Annie Dubecky	Tessa Johnston	Ashley McDowell

Sat, Aug. 3, 5:00	Sun, Aug. 4, 9:00	10:30
L- Ed Hurst	( )	Lisa Palazzo
L- Renee Gallagher	Ken Allen	Gloria Hearns
EM-Greg Dubecky	Theresa Bak	Laura Knoblauch
Ted Lapponi	Dottie Heller	Joe Kotarsky
Jim Livingston	Kristine Krejsa	Tom Lamoda
Gene Morrison	Chris Piontkowski	John Palazzo
Marcia Smith	Larry Rozman	Suzanne Snyder*
Chris Vacca*	Leslie Rozman	
	Linda Forthofer*	
Altar Servers		
Annie Dubecky	Ashley McDowell	Tessa Johnston

Answer: When a bee (B) comes after it.

50th Wedding Anniversary Celebration

Registration is open for a special Mass for couples celebrating golden wedding anniversaries. The Golden Wedding Anniversary Mass will take place at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, October 12th at the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist on East 9th Street and Superior Avenue in downtown Cleveland. Bishop Nelson J. Perez will be the celebrant and homilist. Rigistration is open and must be completed theough the online process. Go to www.dioceseofcleveland.org and click on events. The Mass is for couples living in the diocese who were married in 1969. Couples celebrating other significant anniversaries (55 years or more), or those who missed previous celebrations also are invited to attend. This Mass is coordinated by the Marriage and Family Office and the Office for Worship. Contact Jason Lewis via jrlewis@ccdocle.org or call (216-334-2974 with questions or concerns. Registration will be accepted through September 16.

Community Care

Special Items Needed This Week:

Peanut Butter ~ Jelly ~ Canned Soup ~ Mac & Cheese

Pasta ~ Pasta Sauce ~ Tuna ~ Oatmeal ~ Cereal