



**SACRED HEART
OF JESUS**

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S.T.L.
Pastor**

**Fr. Thomas J. Winkel,
M.Div.
Parochial Vicar**

**Deacon
David N. Chordas, M.A.**



MASS SCHEDULE

**Saturday
6:45 a.m., (Vigil) 4:00 p.m.**

**Sunday
8:00 10:00 11:30 a.m., 5:00
p.m.**

**Monday–Friday
6:45 a.m., 12:10 p.m.**

**Holy Days ~ Consult Parish
Bulletin**

CONFESSIONS

**Saturday
2:30 to 3:30 p.m.
or by appointment**

**New to the Area? Moving?
Recently Married?
Changed Address Or Phone
Number?**

**PLEASE notify the Parish
Office (216.382.7601)
of any changes
or of your desire to register.**

**"Behold the Lamb of God,
who takes away the sin
of the world."**

FROM THE PASTOR:

My Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

It was with great joy that we learned that Fr. Neil Buckon, a priest of our diocese, will become an Auxiliary Bishop of the Military Services on February 22nd. Fr. Buckon attended St. Margaret Mary and Gesu Grade Schools and then Cathedral Latin High School. He also graduated from John Carroll and St. Mary's Seminary.

Bishop-elect Buckon served faithfully as a Regular Army Officer and after serving on active duty of seven years, he resigned his commission, traveled the world and then entered the priesthood. While in the seminary, he served in the United States Army Reserve as a Chaplain Candidate and was subsequently accessioned into the United States Army Chaplain Corps in 1996.

Bishop-elect Buckon returned to his roots and served his first two years of the priesthood at our own St. Margaret Mary. It is interesting to note that the Archbishop for the Military Services, Archbishop Broglio, spent his first two years of the priesthood at St. Margaret Mary as well. All of our parishioners originally from St. Margaret Mary as well as all of the parishioners of Sacred Heart of Jesus wish the new bishop many blessings in his new ministry. May the Sacred Heart of Jesus guide and protect him.

Deacon John Sfery (from Sacred Heart of Jesus), Deacon Bruce Battista (from our cluster parish of Holy Rosary and Deacon John Wenzel (the brother of Tom Wenzel of our parish) will be assisting at his Episcopal Ordination.

May God's blessings be upon Archbishop Broglio, Bishop-elect Buckon, all of the chaplains, and the men and women serving in our armed forces.

May God's blessings be yours this week.

Father Ireland

Next weekend, Father Peter Hereley, O.P., a Dominican priest from the Chicago area, will be here at Sacred Heart of Jesus to talk to us about the Christian Foundation for Children and Aging (CFCA) Sponsorship Program.

Please welcome Father and Give Serious Thought to the Sponsorship Program He will Explain.

Parish Office Hours

Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Saturday & Sunday, 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Bulletin Deadline: Sunday, 2:00 p.m., for publishing the following Sunday.

New Parishioners

Registration after each Sunday Mass in the Parish Office, or by appointment.

Baptisms:

First and third Sundays of each month at 1:00 p.m.. Pre-registration required. Parents expecting their first child should arrange to attend the required Pre-Baptism class. These are offered at the parish on the 4th Sunday of January, April, July and October at 1:00 p.m. in Mary's Room. Pre-registration is required. Call the Parish Office.

Marriages:

Engaged couples should make their arrangements with the priest at least 6 to 12 months in advance of their wedding.

Holy Communion for the Homebound:

Please call the Parish Office whenever a family member is seriously ill or hospitalized. Arrangements can be made to bring Holy Communion to the homebound weekly or monthly.

Music Director: Mrs. Gail Shirley 216.905.2788

Funerals:

Call the Parish Office to arrange date and time.

Sponsor Requirements:

All requests for sponsor certificates must be directed to a priest. Individuals must be registered and practicing members of this parish, at least 16 years of age, and have received the Sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation, and if married, the marriage must have been accepted by the Catholic Church.

Sacred Heart of Jesus Academy

4478 Rushton Road, South Euclid, OH 44121
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E-mail: office@sacredheartofjesusacademy.org
Website: sacredheartofjesusacademy.org
Principal: Mr. William DiBacco

PSR Religious Education Classes

Sundays 10:00 a.m. to 11:15 a.m.
Principal: Mr. Thomas Kelly, S.F.O. 216.382.3614

Sts. Margaret and Gregory Credit Union

1499 Dean Drive, South Euclid, OH 44121
216.691.0242, FAX 216.691.0435
Hours: Tuesday-Thursday, 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Friday, 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.; Saturday, 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

SCRIPTURE REFLECTION ...

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

There's a sheep farm just down the road from where I live. The herd is out grazing in the pasture almost every day, and when I go to the grocery store I pass by the field and see them wandering around. Cheese is an important agricultural product in my part of the world, and right now there is a great shortage of sheep's milk for quality artisanal cheeses. Part of the problem is that even though there is increased lamb production in the United States, they're not making it to maturity because the price for slaughtered lambs is so high. Australia and New Zealand are exporting less to the US, and so domestic production is going to slaughter rather than being raised for the milk.

Yes, the lamb is led to slaughter. And even though our celebration of Easter is months away, already the Gospel sounds the theme of the direction in which we are heading. We hear John the Baptist describe Jesus as the Lamb of God in today's Gospel. We use that same imagery when we plead with the Lamb of God in the litany that we sing at Mass during the breaking of the bread. But do we really consider what it means when we call upon Jesus by that title?

In the Book of Exodus, it is the Lamb of God whose blood marks the way for the angel of death to pass over the places where the blood is seen. As Lamb of God, Jesus shed his blood, marking all who are baptized in his name with the Holy Spirit, which John the Baptist describes in today's Gospel. Sin and death have no power over us because we are saved by the blood of the Lamb. When we plead, "Lamb of God, have mercy on us," we acknowledge that Jesus gave his life for us. And when we eat his flesh and drink his blood, we join ourselves to him.

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK...

Sunday: Is 49:3, 5-6/1 Cor 1:1-3/Jn 1:29-34
 Monday: Heb 5:1-10/Mk 2:18-22
 Tuesday: Heb 6:10-20/Mk 2:23-28
 Wednesday: Heb 7:1-3, 15-17/Mk 3:1-6
 Thursday: Heb 7:25--8:6/Mk 3:7-12
 Friday: Heb 8:6-13/Mk 3:13-19
 Saturday: Heb 9:2-3, 11-14/Mk 3:20-21
 Next Sunday: Is 8:23--9:3/1 Cor 1:10-13, 17/Mt 4:12-23

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FAMILY PERSPECTIVES ...

Even though they were cousins and grew up together, in today's Gospel, John the Baptist admits, "I don't know him." ~ until the Spirit opened his eyes.

Pray that the Spirit will open your eyes so that you can see and appreciate each other beyond the surface of daily routines.

Tithing IS God's Plan for Giving

Collection for **January 9, 2011**: \$14,026.40

Collection for **January 10, 2010**: \$13,405.05

Thank you for your continued generosity in supporting the work of the Church. Through your goodness we are able to spread the Good News of Jesus Christ.

Father Ireland

...from the voices of the children

The children have shared these "Good Deeds for God", and they are exactly as the children presented them. Regrettably, space does not permit us to share all of the "deeds" submitted.

- ◆ I let my cousin sleep on my bed for 5 days.
- ◆ I held the door for my siblings.
- ◆ Putting up with my cousins.
- ◆ Let my neighbors borrow a game that I love to play.
- ◆ Comforting my sister.

Thank you children, for sharing these.
Father Ireland

(PLEASE CUT OUT & RETURN TO SACRED HEART OF JESUS PARISH OFFICE)

2010 Church Contributions Statement

If you need a statement of your 2010 church contributions, please complete this form and either drop it off at the Parish Office or place it in the collection basket at Mass. We will call you when your statement is ready to be **picked up**.

ONLY in the case of **ABSOLUTE NECESSITY** will statements be mailed. To receive your statement by mail., a **STAMPED, SELF-ADDRESSED ENVELOPE MUST ACCOMPANY YOUR REQUEST.**

Name: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Envelope # _____

Phone # _____

MASS INTENTIONS ...

Monday, January 17, 2011 St. Anthony, abbot

6:45 a.m. Mildred Martinich
12:10 p.m. Mira Berlec

Tuesday, January 18, 2011 Weekday

6:45 a.m. Deceased Members of the Bledsoe & Rini Families
12:10 p.m. Sadie Scaminace

Wednesday, January 19, 2011 Weekday

6:45 a.m. Leontine Caito
12:10 p.m. Deceased Members of the Berlec Family

Thursday, January 20, 2011 Weekday

Optional: St. Fabian, pope/martyr; St. Sebastian, martyr

6:45 a.m. Deceased Friends of the Dula Family
12:10 p.m. Dr. Claire Cotton

Friday, January 21, 2011 St. Agnes, virgin/martyr

6:45 a.m. Marian Uyheli
8:45 a.m. Special Intention
12:10 p.m. Fred Vairetta (Anniversary)

Saturday, January 22, 2011 Weekday

Optional: St. Vincent, deacon/martyr

6:45 a.m. Joseph Patterson
4:00 p.m. Vincent DePalm

Sunday, January 23, 2011**Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:00 a.m. Marie Pajek
10:00 a.m. Parishioners of Sacred Heart of Jesus
11:30 a.m. Nick Paradise
5:00 p.m. August & Marie Cole

MASS FOR LIFE ...

Friday, January 21, 2011
Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist

The Pro Life Office of the Diocese of Cleveland in collaboration with Bethesda the House of Mercy and the Community of Jesus, the Living Mercy, announce the annual solemn Mass for Life on Friday, January 21, at 7 p.m. in the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist, East 9th Street and Superior Avenue, Cleveland.

This Mass for Remembrance and Repentance is on the vigil of the 38th anniversary of Roe v. Wade. We will pray for healing and for human dignity from conception through natural death.

The Most Reverend Richard G. Lennon, Bishop of Cleveland will be the celebrant and homilist.

For further information, please call the Pro Life Office, Diocese of Cleveland at (216) 334-296.



**Please continue to pray for
An end to abortion and a return to a spirit of
respect for the dignity of human life.**

LITURGICAL ROLES FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 21 & 22, 2011

MASS TIMESEXTRAORDINARY MINISTERSLECTORSALTAR SERVERS

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| Saturday Vigil 4 p.m. | S. Orteca | N. Bosiljevic | B. Pugel | L. Hart | J. Berlin | N. Berlin |
| | | | | | S. Matz | J. Matz |
| Sunday 8 a.m. | J. Rieck | J. & M. Trausch | | J. Weiss | M. Wolf | DJ Lasher |
| 10 a.m. | M. Chordas | D. Miklic | P. DeVito | J. Kolar | ~ Adult Servers ~ | |
| 11:30 a.m. | M. Capichioni | B. & L. Poelking | | P. Ridley | M. McCarron | A. DiPaolo |
| | | | | | K. Cappotto | A. Bedinghaus |
| 5 p.m. | T. Miller | V. Ausperk | R. Martin | H. Gutter | Z. Morales | L. Danch |
| | | | | | M. Shaughnessy | |

SANCTUARY GROUP #2 ~ RITA KREBS

A NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTION ... SPEND TIME WITH THE LORD



*The New Year brings new hopes
and new dreams.
We create resolutions
to better ourselves.*

When Jesus called His apostles from their work to follow Him,
He knew they heard Him, not only with their ears,
but within their hearts. They heard Him.
They listened to Him. They followed Him. They loved Him.
Jesus calls us today and everyday, 'Come to Me!
He wants us to draw closer to Him.
Hear Him within your heart.
He has so much He wants to share with you.

For a New Year's resolution, consider becoming an Adorer of the Blessed Sacrament in Perpetual Adoration. Are you able to find one hour a week when you can share in His abiding love? If so, contact Kay Sutula at sacredheartadoration@yahoo.com or by phone at 216-849-1871.



Why is it so important that we register in a parish? Isn't it good enough that we go to Mass?

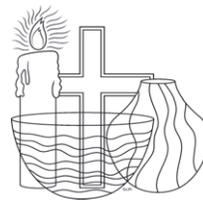
Registration is the official way we join a parish community. Many people think that because they attend a particular parish they automatically belong. At times young adults who have moved away for years think they are still signed up under their parents. But membership requires signing up, formally enrolling yourself in a parish.

Registration is a commitment to a community, a way to be included in the religious, social and ministerial activities of your parish. Your registration affects the parish in many ways. Census numbers can determine how many priests are assigned to a church, what benefits and obligations the community has to the diocese, and how Masses, confessions and devotions are planned and scheduled.

Registration shows you belong. It is also necessary for certain benefits, like scheduling sacraments, obtaining sponsor certificates, and getting donation statements for taxes. Most importantly, it lets the parish count on you, to call on you to assist in its mission.

Registering in your parish is a statement of faith and confidence in the life and work of your parish.

PRE-BAPTISM CLASS ...



If you are expecting the birth of your first child, or have already welcomed a first child into your family, we invite you to attend our next Pre-Baptism Class Sunday, January 23, 2011 at 1 p.m. in Mary's Room.

This class is required by the Diocese of Cleveland of all parents who are requesting baptism of a first child or of those parents who did not attend a class before a previous child's baptism.

Please pre-register by calling the Parish Office (216.382.7601) **no later than January 20**. Thank you.

PRE-CANA DAY

THE PRE-CANA TEAM AT SACRED HEART OF JESUS PARISH

will offer a one-day program for engaged couples on **Saturday, March 19**, here at the parish, beginning at 9 a.m. The day will conclude with participation at the 4 p.m. Saturday Vigil Mass, followed by a short gathering in Mary's Room. Pre-registration is required; cost is \$65/couple.

If you are planning to marry this year and need to fulfill this Diocesan requirement of all who seek to marry in the Catholic Church, please be sure to call the Parish Office (216.382.7601) to sign up.

If you know of couples who are trying to locate a parish offering this one-day program, please let them know of our date. You may obtain more detailed information or pre-register by calling Carole Wenzel at 216.381.5639 (evenings).

ST. RITA PARISH

will be holding a Pre-Cana Day on Saturday, March 12, 2011. This is a one-day marriage preparation program. Attendance at this program satisfies the Diocesan requirements. Pre-registration is required; Cost is \$65.00 per couple.

For information and registration, please email Bill or Sheila Rady smrady@windstream.net or call 330-425-1829.

We extend a warm Sacred Heart of Jesus Welcome to these newly registered parishioners:

Welcome

Joao(John) & Kimberly Cavalcante
and their sons Michael & Nathan

Mrs. Shirley Cranley

and to

Hailey Ann Carrigan,

daughter of Thomas & Kellie,
who was received into the Catholic Church recently through the Sacrament of Baptism.



I am the gate.
Whoever enters through me
will be safe.

SCHOOL NEWS ...

“Principal’s Corner”

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK.

Every year we celebrate Catholic education here at Sacred Heart of Jesus Academy. The theme for this year’s celebration is:

Catholic Schools: A+ For America.

The theme celebrates the fact that Catholic schools are an added value for our nation. Catholic schools give a high level of service to our nation (A+ level) by serving students from all economic backgrounds and giving them a strong academic and moral foundation which allows them to succeed in life, serving in the government, industry, business, non-profit and educational fields.

Because of their traditionally high academic standards, supported by strong moral values, Catholic schools make a positive, definite contribution to American society. We feel here at Sacred Heart that we do provide everything a Catholic school student needs to be successful in our world.

Catholic Schools Week begins on Sunday, January 30th. The day begins with celebration of Mass at 11:30 a.m. There will be an Open House in the school from 12:30-2:00pm. All parishioners are welcome to attend!!! Coffee/donuts, an art gallery walk, and raffles are part of the Open House events.

Please tell interested families about our Open House and the availability of space for enrollment for next year. Registration information will be available in the school.

**This is our schedule of events and activities
for Catholic Schools Week:**

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| Monday, January 31 | Students dress down day SHJA medals given to students from PTC |
| Tuesday, February 1 | Cards for the clergy; Band concert at 1:15 & 7:00 p.m. |
| Wednesday, February 2 | Pastry breakfast 7:45-8:30 p.m. |
| Thursday, February 3 | Pastry breakfast 7:45-8:30 p.m. |
| Friday, February 4 | Talent Show; Teacher |

SCHOOL DATES OF NOTE

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| Monday, January 17 | NO SCHOOL Martin Luther King Day |
| Friday, January 21 | 2 nd Quarter ends |
| Sunday, January 30 | Open House 12:30-2:00 p.m. Catholic Schools Week begins today |

Yours In Catholic Education,
William DiBacco, Principal

URGENT NEED FOR CLOTHING...

Can you help? The need is urgent ...

The clothing reserves at the Ozanam Center are in very short supply. Even though Communion of Saints Parish recently responded very generously to a clothing drive, the need for clothing will exceed our current reserves. On any Saturday, at least 500 articles of clothing are distributed among our clients. A few weeks ago, that number reached 750.



Please help if you are able.

Items can be left in the vestibule at Saint Philomena Church, or brought to the distribution center at St. Philomena Rectory on Saturdays 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING CLASSES

Friday, January 28, will be the kick-off meeting for married or engaged couples interested in Natural Family Planning. These classes will be held at Holy Rosary Parish and will include material from “Theology of the Body” along with fertility awareness and NFP techniques. The 2nd and 3rd sessions will be on February 25 and March 25 respectively,

Fred or Margaret Karboski will be able to supply you with more detailed information and take your registration. Please contact them online at karbo7@yahoo.com or by phone at 216.321.4596.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ...



The general meeting for the Sacred Heart of Jesus Council of the Knights of Columbus will be held this Tuesday, January 18, at 7 p.m. in the Church Hall. All men of the parish are encouraged to attend.

WE’RE LOOKING FOR YOU ...

...if you are a graduate or former student of either St. Paul School (Euclid) or St. Felicitas School. Whether your memories are fresh or distant, we hope your grade school years hold a special place in your heart. Now that our parishes have come together as Saint John of the Cross, we’d love to hear from you.

Visit us at www.saintjohnofthecross.org or send us an e-mail at alumni@saintjohnofthecross.org to let us know your most current contact information and what’s new in your life!

Join us on Facebook at St. Felicitas/St. Paul/St. John of the Cross Alumni, and save **Saturday, April 30, 2011**, for our Welcome Back Mass and Open House. Be sure to tell other alumni about our website, Facebook page and Welcome Back Mass!