

# St. John the Baptist CATHOLIC CHURCH

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*(National Italian Parish ~ Est. 1896)*



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**Reverend Joseph Klee (614) 372-5249**

*(Territorial Parish ~ Est. 1875)*

## *~ Partner Parishes of the Diocese of Columbus ~*

### **MASSES/MESSE:**

**Saturday:** 4:00 p.m. at Sacred Heart  
**Sunday:** 9:30 a.m. at St. John the Baptist  
11:00 a.m. at Sacred Heart

### **WEEKDAYS AND HOLY DAYS:**

(See Mass Schedule inside bulletin)

### **PARISH OFFICE/STAFF:**

**Gerald Paglione,**  
Business Manager

**Mary Jo Zimmerman,**

Volunteer Parish Secretary, St. John the Baptist

**Barbara Neiswander,**

Parish Office Volunteer, Sacred Heart

**Office Hours, St. John the Baptist:**

**Tues.-Fri., 10:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.**

Administration of both parishes is done through the office at St. John the Baptist – 168 E. Lincoln Street. Requests for copies of sacramental records, scheduling of Masses and other sacramental celebrations, hall rental and other non-emergency needs should be made during regular office hours. Please notify the Parish Office of any changes, such as address or telephone, etc.

### **BULLETIN DEADLINE:**

Announcements must be submitted in writing by Tuesday.

### **MUSIC MINISTRY:**

**Gina M. Bishop,** Director, St. John the Baptist  
(614) 272-8373

**John C. Huffman,** Organist, Sacred Heart  
(614) 361-8514

### **PARISH MEMBERSHIP:**

We welcome you into our Parish Families. Membership in the parish consists of two parts:

#### **Registration:**

This is done with the priest by either meeting with him after Sunday Mass or by appointment.

#### **Participation:**

As a member of the Church, you are accepting the responsibility of weekly worship as well as supporting God's work here through giving of yourself, your time and talents, and a worthy Sunday offering to show your love for God and your gratitude for His many favors.

### **RECONCILIATION/CONFESSIONE:**

One-half hour prior to weekend Mass or by request/appointment.

### **BAPTISM/BATTESIMO:**

Preparation is required for the reception of the sacrament. Parents are encouraged to call the Rectory and set up an appointment before the birth of their child.

### **MATRIMONY/MATRIMONIO:**

Arrangements should be made at least six or more months in advance. A marriage preparation program is required.

### **SACRAMENT OF THE SICK/INFIRMI:**

**In cases of emergencies, please call anytime. Please notify the Parish Office for Communion calls to the sick, shut-ins.** Due to privacy laws, if parishioners wish to be visited in the hospital, they should contact the Parish Office directly and give the information regarding the hospitalization.

**If you are scheduled for surgeries or other medical procedures,** please contact the Parish Office in advance so that Fr. Metzger can administer Anointing of the Sick prior to the procedure.

**MASSES AT ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST**

Sun.	11/18	9:30 a.m.	Carmine D'Alberto by Vienna D'Alberto
Mon.	11/19	No Mass	
Tues.	11/20	Noon	All Souls of SJB & SH by All Souls Envelope Donors
Wed.	11/21	7:00 p.m.	Damato Family by Carol Ventresca
Thurs.	11/22	11:00 a.m. Mohun Hall	Alquino Cirolì by Maria Cirolì Family
Fri.	11/23	No Mass	
Sat.	11/24	4:00 p.m.	At SH
Sun.	11/25	9:30 a.m.	Gloria Biscuso (3rd Anniversary) by Rudy Biscuso



The Parish Office will be closed on Thursday and Friday, November 22nd and 23rd, for the Thanksgiving Holiday.

**LITURGICAL MINISTERS**

	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers
Nov. 18th	Zach Klein, Tania Wade	Charlie Agriesti, Andrea Myers, Claudio & Leslie Pasion, Bill Nightingale, Judy Pishitelli
Nov. 25th	Donna Veri, Ed Pagnanelli	Claudio Pasion, Judy Pishitelli, Antonio D'Alberto, Charlie Agriesti, Pat & Liz Rossetti

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AT HOME: Larry Benintend, Cassie Compton, Jack Conie, Jr., Barbara Cosentino, Chester & Anita Croce, Ann DeCesare, Lucy Gatto, Wanda Kleinman, Mary Rossetti

ANGELINE McCrory: Maria Tarantelli

STERLING HOUSE OF WESTERVILLE: Dante Asmo

TRILLIUM PLACE: Yola Rossi

VILLA ANGELA: Pauline Weinsteger

WESTMINSTER THURBER: Priscilla D'Angelo

WILLOWBROOK AT DELAWARE RUN: Benny Andreoni

WORTHINGTON CHRISTIAN VILLAGE: Raffaella Carrocce

\*\*If you know of any additions or corrections, please call the Parish Office. Due to privacy laws, we depend on your input.

**2012 Liturgical Calendar & Mass Readings**

**November 18 – The Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Dn 12:1-3; Heb 10:11-14, 18; Mk 13:24-32

\* Fr. Ronald Atwood

**November 19 – Weekday**

Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5; Lk 18:35-43

\* Fr. William A. Metzger

**November 20 – Weekday**

Rv 3:1-6, 14-22; Lk 19:1-10

\* Fr. Ted Thomas, Dec.

**November 21 – The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

Rv 4:1-11; Lk 19:11-28

\* Fr. John J. Gamba, Dec.

**November 22 – St. Cecelia, Virgin & Martyr**

Sir 50:22-24; 1 Cor 1:3-9; Lk 17:11-19

\* Fr. Craig Eilerman

**November 23 – St. Clement I, Pope & Martyr;**

**St. Columban, Abbot;**

**Blessed Miguel Agustin Pro, Priest & Martyr**

Rv 10:8-11; Lk 19:45-48

\* Fr. W. Edward Gannon, SJ, Dec.

**November 24 –**

**St. Andrew Dung-Lac, Priest & Companions, Martyrs**

Rv 11:4-12; Lk 20:27-40

\* Fr. Stephen Virginia

**November 25 – Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe**

Dn 7:13-14; Rv 1:5-8; Jn 18:33b-37

\* Fr. Lawrence Nolan, OCSO

\* Pray for our Priests and Seminarians. Attend Mass and Receive Communion for the Priest of the Day!

**Attention, Collection Counters:** Collection counting will take place on Tuesdays until Monday, November 26th. The Office will be closed on Mondays. No Staff member will be available to answer the door or phone.

**WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP AT ST. JOHN'S**

November 11, 2012

Number of envelopes used: 69 out of 187 mailed

In Envelopes: \$2,786.00 Loose Money: \$301.00

Regular Collection:	\$3,087.00
Less Diocesan 5% Assessment:	\$ 154.35
<b>NET COLLECTION:</b>	<b>\$2,932.65</b>
Votive Lights	\$ 31.00
All Souls Day	\$ 20.00
Human Development	\$ 50.00
St. Anthony Bread	\$ 10.00
50/50	\$ 40.00
	\$ 151.00

**?? \$ ? HOW IS ST. JOHN'S DOING? \$ ? \$ ?**

**Budgeted Offertory for Fiscal Year (7/1/12-6/30/13)**

	Budgeted	Actual	Difference (\$)	(%)
This Week:	\$ 3,821.15	\$ 3,087.00	(\$ 734.15)	(-19%)
FYTD:	\$76,423.00	\$60,449.20	(\$15,973.80)	(-21%)

**SJB Collection Counters for**

**Tuesday, November 20, 2012**

Genevive Knouff & Mary Spellacy

**EVENTS THIS WEEK**

Sun.	18th:	St. John's Guild 16 Bake Sale after 9:30 a.m. Mass – Sala Hall San Giovanni Dance Group Practice 4:30 p.m. – Marrapese Hall
Mon.	19th:	Office Closed Italian Village Catholic Men's Fellowship 6:00 p.m. – Marrapese Hall
Wed.	21st:	Thanksgiving Mass – SJB 7:00 p.m.

**Thursday, November 22nd, is Thanksgiving Day!**

Please plan to give thanks to the Lord on our national holiday by attending Mass on Wednesday, November 21st, at 7:00 p.m., at St. John the Baptist Church, with dessert following in Marrapese Hall. This will be the Thanksgiving Mass for both SJB and SH Parishes. All are welcome. Our Christian forbears, the pilgrims of early New England, began this tradition, remembering to thank the Almighty God for their harvest and survival in this new land of freedom. May we, their Christian descendants, not forget their witness to their faith in God's goodness as we come together to pray for our country and give thanks. As Mother Teresa said, "Each person's mission is a mission of love. Begin where you are, with the people closest to you." The Marriage and Family Life Office encourages you to be mindful of the precious gift of "Family" as you gather in celebration with extended family for Thanksgiving, as well as during your everyday moments together.



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**Beat Michigan Dinner Party and Reverse Raffle:** Hosted by The Sons of Italy Scoprimento Lodge. Grand Prize is \$5,000.00! The event will be held at La Scala in Dublin on Tuesday, November 20. Bar opens at 6:00 p.m. and dinner and raffle at 7:30 p.m. Ticket cost is \$100.00 with only 150 tickets sold (great odds). Ticket price includes dinner for two and a chance to win \$5,000.00! (Need not be present to win.) Bring a grocery-size bag filled with nonperishable food items and receive 2 raffle tickets for a chance to win 2 tickets to the Ohio State-Michigan game or donate \$25.00 for 2 raffle tickets. The Buckeye Brass Band will perform. The proceeds benefit The St. Francis Center in McArthur, OH. For tickets, contact Sos Codispoti at 614-582-7366 or soscod@cs.com.



**EASTER SUNDAY**, marked the beginning of a Capital Campaign to address the many challenges of our aging facilities and our environs. The generous response on your part has enabled Phase 1 of the project to begin and is currently underway. *Please continue to give prayerful consideration to your participation in this important campaign for our parish!* Construction has begun and we are grateful those who generously responded so far! *Mille Grazie!*

To date, we have received: 101 Pledges  
 \$453,630.00 Pledged  
 \$243,917.00 Paid

Founders' Circle \$15,000.00 + = 6

Steps	Available	
Front Landing	0	\$15,000.00 + = 1
Front Entrance (15)	0	\$10,000.00 = 15
Curved Landing (6)	0	\$ 8,000.00 = 6
Side Entrance (12)	10	\$ 6,000.00 = 2
<b>Pavers</b>		
40X40 Paver (8)	6	\$15,000.00 + = 2
20X20 Paver (31)	10	\$ 4,000.00 = 21
12X20 Paver (167)	130	\$ 2,500.00 = 37
<b>Non-Specific Donations</b>		<b>\$12,630.00 = 22</b>

**November:** Remember the Saints and our deceased family members and friends throughout the month of November. There was an "All Souls" envelope in your monthly packet to list your loved ones. *These envelopes will be placed on the altar for the month of November and will be prayed for at all Masses.*

**Collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development:** Provides funding for groups that create lasting change and uplift the poor in the United States. In the last five years, over 36% of CCHD's grants have gone toward advancing education, supporting economic development, and improving housing in low-income neighborhoods. You can help participate in this tradition today. **Fight poverty in America. Defend human dignity. Give to the CCHD Collection.**

**SACRED HEART NEWS**

**WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP AT SACRED HEART**

November 11, 2012

Number of envelopes used: 25 out of 99 mailed

Loose Money: \$352.00 Money in Envelopes: \$698.00

Regular Collection:	\$1,050.00
Less Diocesan 5% Assessment	\$ 52.50
	<b>\$ 997.50</b>
Votive Lights	\$ 20.00
Capital Repair	\$ 35.00
All Souls Day	\$ 25.00
	<b>\$ 80.00</b>

**??\$? How IS SACRED HEART DOING? \$???**

**Budgeted Offertory for Fiscal Year (7/1/12-6/30/13)**

	Budgeted	Actual	Difference (\$)	(%)
This Week:	\$ 1,800.00	\$ 1,050.00	(\$ 181.70)	(-10%)
FYTD:	\$36,000.00	\$25,080.62	(\$10,919.38)	(-30%)

**SH Collection Counters for**

**Tuesday, November 20, 2012**

David & Gilda Cotrill

**Sacred Heart's Fall Potluck:** YUM! YUM! A sincere **Thanks** to all who helped make our fall potluck such a success. A great time together!

**PLEASE REMEMBER OUR KNOWN ILL AND ELDERLY IN YOUR PRAYERS\*\***

**At Home:** Beverly Isabel, Katherine Condo, Thomas Fry, Carol Houseman, Art & Anna Ippolito, Anna Laudermilt, Sally Randall, Patrick Siefel

**FIRST COMMUNITY VILLAGE: IDA JACONETTE**

**MASSES AT SACRED HEART**

Sun.	11/18	11:00 a.m.	Richard Ricketts by Clara Lee Ricketts
Mon.	11/19		No Mass
Tues.	11/20	Noon	At SJB
Wed.	11/21	7:00 p.m.	At SJB (Thanksgiving Mass)
Thurs.	11/22	No Mass	
Fri.	11/23	No Mass	
Sat.	11/24	4:00 p.m.	Elinor Chatfield by Estate
Sun.	11/25	11:00 a.m.	Deceased Members and Loved Ones of Sacred Heart Parish

**LITURGICAL MINISTERS**

	Sat., November 17th: 4:00 p.m.	Sun., November 18th: 11:00 a.m.
<b>Lector:</b>	Don Wessels	Emily & Susan Rorris
<b>Eucharistic Ministers:</b>	Bobbi Mitch, Andy Mirolo	Bob & Peggy Lorain
<b>Acolyte:</b>	Jim Merckling	Scott Fulks, Will Rorris, Jim Merckling
<b>Ushers/Greeters:</b>	Glory Merckling	Curt Smith*, Barbara Neiswander, Bob & Kathy Longstreth
	Sat., November 24th: 4:00 p.m.	Sun., November 25th: 11:00 a.m.
<b>Lectors:</b>	Aggie Howard	Bob Longstreth, Mary Rykowski
<b>Eucharistic Ministers:</b>	Paul Clutter, Tricia Wessels	Bob Lorain, Will & Emily Rorris
<b>Acolyte:</b>	Jim Merckling	Scott Fulks, Will Rorris, Jim Merckling
<b>Ushers/Greeters:</b>	Glory Merckling	Mary Ann Bontley*, Curt Smith, Dennis Jacob, Jack Kopf

\*indicates Head Usher

**Earn Kroger Community Rewards for Sacred Heart:** It costs you nothing. It will not affect your personal rewards in any way.

**Sacred Heart** is enrolled in the **Kroger Community Rewards Program**. All you need to do is link your Kroger card to Sacred Heart through the **Kroger Community Awards** program and Kroger will send quarterly checks to Sacred Heart. The amount we receive is determined by the amount the participants spend at Kroger stores in any given quarter.

You will need a Kroger card and an e-mail address. If you do not have a Kroger card, they are free at any Kroger store. You can enroll at [www.krogercommunityrewards.com](http://www.krogercommunityrewards.com). Be sure you select **Sacred Heart in Columbus, OH**. If you use our **Organization Number 91216**, there will no chance of a mistake.

If you need or want help with the enrollment process, **please provide your complete name and address with zip code, telephone number, Kroger card number and e-mail address to Sunny Tier at [jtier@wowway.com](mailto:jtier@wowway.com)**. If you have questions, call **Bob Longstreth at 614-888-6659**. The information you provide will be used only for the **Kroger Community Rewards Program**.

*WE MUST WATCH OVER OUR MIND, OUR HEART,  
AND OUR SENSES, FOR THESE ARE THE GATES  
BY WHICH THE DEVIL ENTERS IN.  
SAINT JOHN VIANNEY*

**N.B. ... ALL SJB AND SH LECTORS... PLEASE PICK UP YOUR 2013 LECTOR WORKBOOKS AFTER MASS.**