

MASSES AT ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

Sun., 11/24	9:30 a.m.	Mario Capoccia by Cesidio & Maria Capoccia
Mon., 11/25	5:30 p.m.	At Holy Name
Tues., 11/26	1:00 p.m.	Special Intention for Mark Ciminelo by Frank & Rita Blateri
Wed., 11/27	7:00 p.m.	Aquino Cirolì by Paul & Maria Anna Cirolì
Thurs., 11/28	5:30 p.m.	At Holy Name
Fri., 11/29	5:30 p.m.	At Holy Name
Sat., 11/30	8:30 a.m. 4:00 p.m.	At Holy Name At Sacred Heart
Sun., 12/1	9:30 a.m.	Monica & Carlo Ventresca by Carol Ventresca

Sanctuary and Marian Light Intentions

Marian: Lucy Gatto by Delores DiSabato

We are in need of Sanctuary and Marian Light Offerings. Offering is \$10.00/candle. Envelopes are located on the left side of the vestibule door as you leave the church.

Please Remember in your prayers, those who are sick or suffering, especially those who are in Hospitals, Nursing Facilities or Homebound.

WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP AT ST. JOHN

November 17, 2013

In Envelopes: \$2,195.00 Loose Money: \$378.00

Regular Collection:	\$2,573.00
Less Diocesan 5% Assessment:	\$ 128.65
NET COLLECTION:	\$2,444.35
Votive Lights	\$ 22.00
Retirement Fund for Religious	\$ 10.00
50/50 Drawing	\$ 20.00
Solemnity of Mary	\$ 20.00
Christmas	\$ 20.00
Immaculate Conception	\$ 20.00
Saint Anthony Bread	\$ 30.00
Capital Improvements	\$ 39.00
Christmas Flowers	\$ 40.00
Diocesan Charities	\$ 10.00
	\$ 231.00

? ? ? ? HOW IS ST. JOHN'S DOING? ? ? ? ?

Budgeted Offertory for Fiscal Year (7/1/13-06/30/14)

	Budgeted	Actual	Difference (\$)	(%)
This Week:	\$ 3,821.15	\$ 2,573.00	(-\$ 1,248.15)	(-33%)
FYTD:	\$76,423.00	\$55,129.72	(-\$ 21,293.28)	(-28%)

SJB Collection Counters
for Monday, November 25, 2013

Maruja Paule & Donna Veri

EVENTS THIS WEEK

Sun., 11/24	LeDonne Meeting 11:00 a.m. (Marrapese Hall)
Mon., 11/25	Italian Village Men's Fellowship 6:00 p.m. (Sala Hall)
Tues., 11/26	Padre Pio 1:00 p.m. Mass in Main Church
Wed., 11/27	Vigil Mass for Thanksgiving – 7:00 p.m. Followed by Dessert in Marrapese Hall



The Parish Office will be closed on Thursday and Friday, November 28th and 29th, for the Thanksgiving Holiday.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

	Lector	Eucharistic Minister
November 24th: 9:30 a.m.	Bill Nightingale, Tania Wade	Charlie Agriesti, Pat Rossetti, Claudio Pasion, Judy Pishitelli, Ed Pagnanelli, Margaret Panico-Harn
November 27th: 7:00 p.m.	Bob Contino	Marge Contino, LeeAnn Codispoti, Leslie & Claudio Pasion, Judy Pishitelli
December 1st	Not available at printing.	

2013 Liturgical Calendar & Mass Readings

November 24 – Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe
2 Sm 5:1-3/Col 1:12-20/Lk 22:35-43

* Fr. Stephen Virginia

November 25 – St. Catherine of Alexandria, Virgin and Martyr
Dn 1:1-6, 8-20/Lk 21:1-4

* Fr. Lawrence Nolan, OCSO

November 26 – Weekday

Dn 2:31-45/Lk 21:5-11

* Fr. Thomas Carey, Dec.

November 27 – Weekday

Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28/Lk 21:12-19

* Msgr. Carl Clagett

November 28 – Thanksgiving Day

Dn 6:12-28/Lk 21:20-28

* Fr. Joseph Hinders, C.P.P.S.

November 29 – Weekday

Dn 7:2-14/Lk 21:29-33

* Msgr. Robert R. Schmidt, Dec.

November 30 – St. Andrew, Apostle

Rom 10:9-18/Mt 4:18-22

* Fr. Vincent Andriuska, Dec.

December 1 – First Sunday of Advent

Is 2:1-5/Rom 13:11-14/Mt 24:37-44

* Fr. Dwayne McNew

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD): The Collection provides funding for groups that make lasting change and uplift the poor in the United States. In the last five years, over 36% of CCHD's grants have gone to improving education, supporting economic development, and improving housing in low-income neighborhoods. Help us continue to defend human dignity and take poverty off the map. **Give generously to the CCHD Collection.**

San Giovanni Dancer Poinsettia Sale: This year, San Giovanni Dancer poinsettias will be available by **ADVANCE ORDER ONLY**. You can place your order by calling **Claudio Pasion** at (614) 481-3155, or by talking with him after Sunday Mass. Orders must be placed no later than **Sunday, November 24**. Pick-up will be at **St. John one Sunday only: December 8**.

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 26th**. 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 a chance to win a special **OSU Prize**. The **OSU Alumni Brass Band** and other **Special Guests** will be there. The proceeds benefit **The St. Francis Center in McArthur, OH**, and the **Scoprimento Lodge**. For tickets and more information, contact **Sos Codispoti** at **614-582-7366** or **soscod@cs.com**.

Amici D'Oro: Amici D'Oro's Annual Turkey Dinner will be held **Thursday, December 5th**, with a brief meeting at **7:00 p.m.**, in **Marrapese Hall**.



Thursday, November 28th, is Thanksgiving Day!
Please plan to give thanks to the Lord on our national holiday by attending Mass on **Wednesday, November 27th**, 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.*

Philippines and Vietnam Devastated by Typhoon Haiyan: The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops has asked that all dioceses in the United States hold a special collection to raise desperately needed funds to assist the recovery following the devastation caused by Typhoon Haiyan. Bishop Campbell has designated **Sunday, December 1, 2013** for this collection. This storm destroyed entire villages and wrecked cities across the **Philippines and Vietnam.** As many as **10,000 people** are feared dead and more than **nine million people** have been affected. The full extent of structural damage is still unknown. On this weekend that follows our national celebration of **Thanksgiving**, let us show our gratitude for the good things we enjoy by supporting those who are suffering in the **Philippines and Southeast Asia.** For the **second collection on Sunday, December 1st**, please use a pew envelope and mark **"Philippines Disaster,"** with your name on the outside.

Campaign for the Future

To date, we have received:		139 Pledges	
		\$552,371.25 Pledged	
		\$443,983.25 Paid	
Founders' Circle		\$15,000.00	= 6
Steps	Available		
Side Entrance (17)	11	\$ 6,000.00	= 6
Pavers			
40X40 Paver (8)	6	\$15,000.00	= 2
20X20 Paver (41)	9	\$ 4,000.00	= 32
12X20 Paver (152)	102	\$ 2,500.00	= 50
Non-Specific Donations		\$14,904.25	= 25

Byron Saunders Foundation: Brian Wollenberg is ill and cannot work as he has done in previous years. His group purchases and puts together baskets of Thanksgiving dinners, consisting of Turkey, vegetables, rolls, pie, etc. All the trimmings. This year, he is falling short on Mashed Potatoes. If you could purchase boxed instant mashed potatoes or even another item and bring it to St. John's, **Landa Brunetto** will get the items to the basket-making committee. We want to continue the work **Brian Wollenberg** has carried on for years, in creating memorable dinners for all. This year they are receiving caramel, dressing and croutons from the **2013 Italian Festival.**

WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP AT SACRED HEART

November 25, 2013

In Envelopes: \$645.00 Loose Money: \$794.00

Regular Collection:	\$1,439.00
Less Diocesan 5% Assessment	\$ 71.95
	\$1,367.05
Votive Lights	\$ 18.00
	\$ 18.00

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

Budgeted Offertory for Fiscal Year (7/1/13-6/30/14)

	Budgeted	Actual	Difference (\$)	(%)
This Week:	\$ 1,800.00	\$ 1,439.00	(-\$ 361.00)	(-20%)
FYTD:	\$36,000.00	\$23,017.97	(-\$ 12,982.03)	(-36%)

SH Collection Counters

for Monday, November 25, 2013

Denny & Sally Randall

MASSES AT SACRED HEART

Sun., 11/24	11:00 a.m.	Fr. William A. Metzger by Dacia DeVilles
Mon., 11/25	5:30 p.m.	At Holy Name
Tue., 11/26	1:00 p.m.	At SJB
Wed., 11/27	7:00 p.m.	At SJB
Thurs., 11/28	5:30 p.m.	At Holy Name
Fri., 11/29	5:30 p.m.	At Holy Name
Sat., 11/30	8:30 a.m. 4:00 p.m.	At Holy Name Don Yates by Mason & Terry Moore
Sun., 12/1	11:00 a.m.	Don Yates by J. Brian Gilmore

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Sunday, November 24th – 11:00 a.m.	
Lectors:	Susan Rorris, Michele Vincent
Eucharistic Ministers:	Diane Barnes, Tricia Wessels, Virginia Russell
Servers:	Bob Lorain, Jim Merckling, Will Rorris
Ushers/ Greeters:	Barbara Neiswander,* Glory Merckling, Dave & Gilda Cottrill
Saturday, November 30th – 4:00 p.m.	
Lectors:	Carolyn Thomas
Eucharistic Ministers:	Paul Clutter, Andy Mirolo
Servers:	Gabriel Bishop, Jim Merckling
Ushers/Greeters:	Barbara Corley
Sunday, December 1st – 11:00 a.m.	
Lectors:	Mary Rykowski, Andrea Goehring
Eucharistic Ministers:	Diane Barnes, John Tier, Sonny Tier
Servers:	Bob Lorain, Will Rorris
Ushers/ Greeters:	Gilda Cottrill, Dave Cottrill, Curt Smith, Glory Merckling

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AROUND US

St. Joseph Montessori School's Winter Festival: The Festival is a schoolwide community and fundraising event, with the proceeds benefiting the **Family Association and Erdkinder Class Trip.** This year's event is: **SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8, 2013, from NOON TO 4:00 P.M.** Games, crafts, shopping, food, pictures with Santa, raffles, and other more fun surprises are among the features.

LifeCare Alliance needs your help: It takes thousands of Meals-on-Wheels volunteers to deliver more than a million meals every year to medically challenged and older adults in central Ohio. Share your time and talents with those in need and return with a wonderful sense of pride and accomplishment. The powerful importance of volunteer work is accomplished in one hour. Why not deliver meals and help members of our community maintain their independence? To sign up, call **614-444-MEAL (6325)**, or visit the LifeCare Alliance website at www.lifecarealliance.org.

Prayer for the Philippines

*God, who quiets great winds and stills rough seas,
We ask Your protection for the people of the Philippines.
Comfort them in their fear. Stay close to them in their danger.
And, we ask the intercession of Your Blessed Mother
That together with her and with all Your holy saints,
we may stand in solidarity with our Filipino brothers and sisters
through their darkest hour, through their longest night.
Give us the courage to be remain steadfast,
To reach out to them in their need,
To comfort them in their sorrow,
To hold them as closely as You hold them,
To see them through to morning. Amen.*