

LITURGIES

Sundays 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 am.

Weekdays 8:00 a.m., Saturday 8:30 a.m.

DAILY ROSARY DEVOTIONS

I pray the Holy Rosary daily at 7:30 a.m.

Please join me when you can.

CONFESSION

Every Saturday - 2:00 - 4:00 pm or by app't.

Sunday - before Mass and ending 10 minutes before Mass begins.

READINGS

Eph 2 : 1 - 10

Joh 21 : 15 - 19

READERS

Sunday, May 18 - 8:30 am Danny Abou-Elias

Sunday, May 18 - 11:00 am George Zogbi

Sunday, May 25 - 8:30 am Chuck Abraham

Sunday, May 25 - 11:00 am Nathan Stewart

Counting Our Blessings

Sunday, May 11, 2014 \$2,258 .00

EVENTS TO COME

LADIES GUILD MEETING

Sunday, May 18, 2014

MEN'S CLUB MEETING

Sunday, May 18, 2014

CAREGIVERS MEETING

Sunday, June 1, 2014

FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION

Friday, June 6, 2014 9:00am – 3:00pm

IMPORTANT MEETINGS

-Thursday, May 22, 7:00 pm –
PLANNING FOR BISHOP'S VISIT

Next FOOD FAIR MEETING: Monday June 2, 6:30pm
This is a super important meeting. We need to settle on details about entertainment, tents, sponsors for Food Fair, and some of the new attractions for the sake of our flyers and publicity. The Food Fair is only 2 months away. Your ideas and your interest are very important at this time. Come for our meeting. Come for a shish kabob tasting.

**ASCENSION THURSDAY
HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION**

THURSDAY, MAY 29

-Vigil Mass – Wednesday, May 28, 6:00 PM.

-Feast Day Liturgy – Thursday, May 29 – 8:00 PM.

Please be reminded that a Holy Day of Obligation is the same duty as all the Sunday Masses. Please fulfill your obligations.

**AN EVENING TO HONOR OUR HOLY
MOTHER AT THE OUTDOOR SHRINE**

6:30 PM - Rosary Devotion, Hymns & Litany

7:00 PM – Cover dish supper. Chicken will be provided by our Parish.

If you are able to bring a cover dish to share please let us know your plans. Please use the sign up sheet on the door at the entrance to the Sun Room. Will you bring a salad, main dish, vegetables, dessert.

(Ice cream can be a main dish or a dessert. HINT. HINT.)

SHRINE CLEAN UP DAY

Calling all hands to help spruce up the outdoor Shrine to Our Blessed Mother on Tuesday, May 20. Work begins at 10:00 am.

A PRECIOUS RELIC WILL VISIT OUR PARISH

On Sunday, June 1 we will be blessed to welcome a simple but precious chalice that was used by St. Padre Pio in the 1960s in his Convent at San Giovanni in Italy. Come and learn something beautiful about this wonderful Saint of our time.

Thank You Once Again...

I thank the Ladies Guild for the donation for the very attractive Altar Linens now in use. The blue trim allows the sanctuary to be a little special for the months in honor of our Holy Mother. I thank Heather Smith, our Parish Secretary, for her great help with all the sewing and for preparing these linens for our Sanctuary.

**Beloved Parish Family In Jesus Our Risen Lord,
Get ready for Pentecost.**

The Holy Feast Day of Pentecost is on Sunday, June 8. On this feast day we can do two good things.

FIRST- We will remember what happened to the Apostles and the Blessed Mother when they were gathered in the Upper Room. It was there that the Holy Spirit came upon them and at that moment the Catholic Church was born. We remember that they came into this Upper Room after the Ascension of Our Lord into Heaven and they began to prepare themselves for the next 9 days for the coming of the Holy Spirit just as Jesus told them.

Second – We also can celebrate the coming of the Holy Spirit on us at the time of our Confirmation. We could actually pray in a special way for God's Holy Spirit to come and anoint us again and again so we can be good and faith filled disciples of Jesus in our time just as the Holy Apostles were in their time.

We learn so well how the Apostles were anointed By God's Holy Spirit and they were totally changed and became as new persons with a new life. They were really so different in a good way, even the citizens around them could see it so clearly. Boy oh boy do we need this experience right now. And I do mean immediately.

So let us try to follow the good example of the Apostles. Let's do a spiritual preparation beginning on Ascension Thursday which is on Thursday, May 29 and pray each day until Pentecost Sunday. Let's ask God to grant us His Anointing and let us become true disciples for our Lord for our own good and for the good of our time.

The Holy Spirit, and only the Holy Spirit can do for us what we need such as make us become detached from all the things of the earth. The great results that comes from the Second Person of the Blessed Trinity is the consolation of freedom. When the heart is free of affections for the earthly things, heavenly love triumphantly enters.

In these next few weeks leading up to the Feast of Pentecost, which is the 50th day after the Resurrection of Jesus, I would like to consider with you a lesson about the Holy Spirit called the Fruits of the Holy Spirit.

Let's do our best to get ready for the Holy Feast Day of Pentecost which is on Sunday, June 8.

**BIG DAYS FOR US IN AUGUST
2014**

1. *Annual Food Fair* –

Friday August 1 & Saturday, August 2. All Parishioners of all ages – please attend the planning meetings and share all your good ideas. Please volunteer as much as you can.

2. *First Pastoral visit of Bishop Elias Zaidan*, Friday, August 8, Saturday, August 9, Sunday, August 10. Keep a watch out for a planning committee and please get involved. Our goal is to make the first visit of our new Bishop a very memorable one and so your good help is needed.

Cedars Savings Cards Now only \$5!

The deals on the cards are good until July 31st
See Leo Michael to get your card today and start saving!

Next Second Collection

June 29, 2014

Peter's Pence

WHO HAS TALENT...

**WHO WOULD LIKE TO SHARE YOUR
TALENT WITH BISHOP ELIAS?**

Thanks be to God for this Parish which is richly blessed with so much talent. For our Bishop's first visit let's put together a simple performance by members of the Parish. This will be a part of our program at the banquet in his honor on Saturday evening, August 9, 2014. All ages are invited to participate. All those interested in sharing your talents are asked to present your entertainment suggestion on Sunday, May 18, at 10:00 am to our Advisory Board Members. A great opportunity to share your beautiful gift and to say to God thank you for such a blessing. *****

Divine Liturgy Schedule

May 18th through May 25th

Sunday	18	8:30 Lena Maroon by Emily Siebert 8:30 Harry Hamad by Jane Hamad 8:30 Carlos Khoury by Doris Khoury 8:30 George & Blanche Nemer by Bob & Marion Nemer	St. John I, Pope, Martyr
Monday	19	8:00 Dan Peters by Chris & Sandy Hamad	St. Celestine V, Pope / St. Yves, Patron of Lawyers
Tuesday	20	8:00 Joseph Thomas Godsen by Theresa Calko	St. Bernardine of Siena, Priest
Wednesday	21	8:00 Special Intentions of Fr. Bill	St. Constantine and His Mother St. Helen, Confessors / St. Christopher Magallanes, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs
Thursday	22	8:00 Rick Leonti by Charles Maroon	St. Rita of Cascia, the Miraculous, Confessor
Friday	23	8:00 Walter Kizys & Nancy Scott by Paul Boulos	Tobias the Prophet, Confessor / St. John Baptist dei Rossi
Saturday	24	8:30 Laurie Strawn Repaski by Peter J. Bonczewski 8:30 Gary L. Owen by Cheryl Owen & Family	Mary, Help of Christians
Sunday	25	8:30 Lena Maroon by George & Donna Ezzie 8:30 Lillian Solomon by Chuck & MaryBeth Abraham 11:00 Mona Silfani by the Family	St. Bede the Venerable / St. Mary Magdalen de Pazzi / St. Gregory VII, Pope

Special Events!!

There will be an All Day Rosary Novena at Rhoda Wise's home (2337 25th St. NE, Canton, Ohio 44705) on Saturday, June 28, 2014, the Feast of the Immaculate Heart of Mary and the 75th anniversary of Rhoda's miraculous cure.. The rosary will be prayed every half hour from 9:00am -9:00pm. The last rosary will be at 8:30pm. Come and join us when you can!

The weekend of June 1, Father Bill will use a chalice that St. Padre Pio shared with his brother Capuchins. St. Pio used the chalice in 1960. After his death it became the property of a museum in Milan. It is now owned by Cindy Russo of the Padre Pio Prayer group at St. Barnabas parish in Northfield, Ohio. It is on loan to Karen Sigler of the Rhoda Wise home for the month of May.

St. Pio's birthday is May 25. St. Padre Pio, pray for us!

May 18th, 2014

5th Sunday of the Resurrection

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