



SACRED HEART of JESUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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August 29, 2021 22nd Sunday Ordinary Time

5742 State Route 61 S.
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Sister Parish with St. Joseph, Crestline

Mass Intentions

Tuesday

6:30 pm - Mass at Sacred Heart

Mass Intention: *Kenneth Day*

Wednesday

8:30 am - Mass at Sacred Heart

Mass Intention: *For Those Suffering as
a Result of Natural Disasters*

Thursday

5:30 pm Confession at St. Joseph

6:30 pm - Mass at St. Joseph

Mass Intention: *Denny Flaherty*

Friday

8:30 am - Mass at St. Joseph

Mass Intention: *For the New School*

Year: *Staff, Students & Parents*

Saturday

3:30 pm - Confession at SHJ

4:30 pm - Mass at Sacred Heart

Mass Intention: *Harold "Yogi" Moore,
Mary Alice Biglin & Mark Wolford*

6:30 pm - Mass at St. Joseph

Mass Intention: *Deceased of the Milli-
gan & Yates Families*

Sunday

7:00 am - Mass at St. Joseph

Mass Intention: *Deacon Joseph and
Sandy Burkhart*

8:30 am - Mass at Sacred Heart

Mass Intention: *Lucy Rietschlin & Grover
Reynolds*

10:30 am - Mass at St. Joseph

Mass Intention: *Brenda (Kay) Ermi*

Dear Parishioners,

"What gives you life?" As I got to spend the weekend with Msgr. Oxley the vicar of clergy (aka overseer of clergy) he asked me a number of questions. Some of which were publicly asked at Mass during the rite of installation. But over the weekend he asked me many questions in private as he stayed with me in the Crestline rectory.

The question that I had trouble answering him was a good one. One that somewhat stumped me. "What gives you life?" he asked. Obviously the Eucharist I told him ... the sacraments! He liked that answer but as I thought more about the question I elaborated that something else gives me life as well. I told him the two schools I have been entrusted with give me life! At this point it is a great honor for me to be the only priest in the entire diocese of Toledo to have 2 schools. I sometimes see older priests with no schools and I sometimes become jealous and envious of how easy they appear to have it. But after reflection I proclaimed to Msgr. Oxley that although the schools take up most of my energy ... they too give me the most life!

Personally, there is nothing more draining for me than suffering through a finance meeting discussing the strategies of keeping our schools strong. These meetings are good and I'm so grateful for those who suffer with me in our dedicated finance councils! But I would be lying if I would tell you that these meetings are enjoyable and not mentally exhausting. But next to the sacraments, there is nothing more refreshing and life giving than seeing the kids thriving at these schools which our great finance councils labor intensely over. I receive so much life and joy witnessing the magnificent good our schools bring. The joy of the kids playing at recess, safely arriving to school in the morning and learning about God in class is a sight to behold.

I can't put my finger on it but there is a great joy at both of our schools that the children possess. A joy that I never experienced as a K-12 public school kid. This joy I notice is experienced second hand by me and it is something I can only view and will never fully comprehend as a public school K-12 graduate. And this joy I witness daily in our children GIVES ME LIFE!

"What gives you life?"

**In Christ,
Fr. Jeff**

COLLECTION:

Aug 22, 2021

\$ 4,487.00

Offertory
\$ 4,062.00

Assumption
\$ 325.00

Gen Maintenance
\$ 100.00

(Online \$ 360.00)



LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Wednesday, September 1st. School Mass @ 8:30am

Saturday, September 4th.

Sunday, September 5th.

MUSIC MINISTER

TBD

SERVERS

Nick Gosser & Michael Vogt

OFFERTORY

Steve Gosser Family

EXTRAORDINARY

MINISTERS

Doug & Tammy Lucius

Karen Keiser

USHERS

Anthony Schroeder

Steve Gosser

LECTOR

Karen Keiser

GREETERS

None Needed

MUSIC MINISTER

TBD

SERVERS

Jacob & Lauren Vogt

OFFERTORY

Chuck & Barbara Weaver

EXTRAORDINARY

MINISTERS

Sr. Suzanna Weaver, Chuck Weaver

John Bonen

USHERS

Gary Biglin & Jeff Vogt

LECTOR

Dennis Gwartz

GREETERS

None Needed

COUNTERS

Linda Schroeder & Karen Bonen

Bible Readings for the Week of August 29th. 2021

Monday 1Thes 4:13-18, Ps 96:1, 3-5, 11-13, Lk 4:16-30
Tuesday 1Thes 5:1-6, 9-11, Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14, Lk 4:31-37
Wednesday Col 1:1-8, Ps 52:10-11, Lk 4:38-44
Thursday Col 1:9-14, Ps 98:2-6, Lk 5:1-11
Friday Col 1:15-20, Ps 100:1b-5, Lk 5:33-39
Saturday Col 1:21-23, Ps 54:3-4, 6, 8, Lk 6:1-5
Sunday Is 35:4-7a, Ps 146:7-10, Jas 2:1-5, Mk 7:31-37



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Adoration Power Hour

Just a little reminder that we will be holding our monthly **"Adoration Power Hour"**.

What is an "Adoration Power Hour"? It begins with 30 minutes of adoration of the Blessed Sacrament while traditional Latin music is played throughout the Church. During the first half hour Fr. Jeff will also offer confessions. The second half hour consists of silent adoration and a special benediction blessing from Fr. Jeff.

Come find out for yourself what an "Adoration Power Hour" consists of this up **Wednesday Sept. 1st from 6:30pm until 7:30pm at Sacred Heart.**

Council Meetings Begin for 2021-2022

Parish Council	September 7th
School Advisory	September 14th
Finance Council	September 21st

Festival Committee Wrap-Up Meeting:

August 31st at 5:30 pm in the Parish Hall. All outgoing and incoming chair people are encouraged to attend. If you are interested in being involved next year, please attend or contact a current festival committee member.

Congratulations Gosser Families!

Congratulations to Jacob and Leanna Gosser on the baptism of their twins, Paul Lee and Samantha Jeanne.

Congratulations to Cody and Taylor Gosser on the baptism of their daughter, Penelope June. Deacon Steve Vogt baptized all 3 on Saturday the 21st. after Mass.

God Bless Paul, Samantha and Penelope !

Haitian Humanitarian Relief Collection

Our prayers go out for the thousands who perished, their families, and untold numbers of people who are suffering from the devastation wrought by the recent earthquake in Haiti and Tropical Storm Grace. While hundreds remain missing, more than 12,000 persons are injured and now homeless, in Haiti's southern peninsula, an area without medical resources in normal times.

Catholic Relief Services (CRS) is reaching out to help the destitute, distributing emergency supplies, clearing rubble, and preparing medical and mental health teams for dispatch. Growing numbers of families need food, safe shelter, hygiene, water and cooking fuel to live. You may donate to this humanitarian relief effort through our secure website: www.catholiccharitiesnwo.org noting Haitian Relief or mail checks to Catholic Charities Diocese of Toledo, 1933 Speilbusch Ave., Toledo, OH 43604.

Thank you for your generosity.

Dear Parishioners:



The **(Cycle for Life)** bike ride will return on **September 18th, 2021 @** Alum Creek State Park. This annual bike ride is for CF awareness and financial support for research towards a cure for this devastating genetic disease. (See the latest research update inserted in bulletin) Kaileigh & Lilly Traver are presently taking the newly released medication (Trikafta) for their CF. The Traver / Keller and Fraizer / Gosser Families are requesting your support for this fund raiser. Please make checks to the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation and send to Matt and Kyle (Keller) Traver 78 Inwood Road Wilmington, Oh 45177, Jacob and Dawn Fraizer 2002 Kahn Road Crestline. Oh 44827 and / or to Russ and Marti Keller 3934 Nazor Rd. Crestline, Oh 44827. Thank you kindly for your financial support to this endeavor. For every donation received, your name will go into a drawing to win a \$500 gift card from YNOT Bike in Lexington, Ohio. (Thank you Dick & Marilyn Vogt for your \$300 YNOT Bike donation!) Please continue to pray for Lilly and Kaileigh Traver and Ashlyn and Emmalyn Fraizer and all those struggling with CF.



Do you have a friend, co-worker or spouse who is not Catholic but attends Mass with you regularly and might be interested in learning more if they were only invited? Then RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) is how you can invite family or friends who have expressed an interest and do not know where to start. Sessions will begin in September. For additional information or to express interest for yourself or someone you know, please call or text Katie Di Lullo at [419-961-3494](tel:419-961-3494)(Sacred Heart) or call the parish office. Thank you!

2021 RESEARCH UPDATE



Prepared for: Ms. Martha Keller
Information as of July 2021

Every person with cystic fibrosis should have the chance to live a long, healthy life. Recognized globally, the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation continues to lead the way in the fight against cystic fibrosis, fueling extraordinary medical and scientific progress. Working alongside the CF community, the CF Foundation has fostered the development of more than a dozen CF treatments — an unprecedented number in a short span of time — and helped add decades of life for people with CF. Despite this progress, many people with CF do not benefit from existing therapies for the underlying cause of the disease. Many children and adults with CF still face the sobering prospect of a shortened lifespan. Our vision is a cure for every person with cystic fibrosis and a life free from the burden of this disease.

Today, we invite you to learn about some of the research and scientific efforts underway, which donor support helps make possible.

PROGRESSING OUR PATH TO A CURE

The CF Foundation launched its groundbreaking *Path to a Cure* initiative in October 2019 to accelerate treatments and drug development for the underlying cause of the disease for all people with CF and ultimately deliver a cure. This initiative centers around three core strategies to address the underlying cause of CF: repairing broken cystic fibrosis transmembrane conductance regulator (CFTR) protein, restoring CFTR protein when none exists, and fixing or replacing the underlying genetic mutation to address the root cause of CF. Each approach requires a different set of scientific tools and knowledge, leading the Foundation to bring together researchers and industry leaders from a range of disciplines to advance multiple areas of research in parallel.

We are making significant progress on the Path.

Advancing Research in Genetic-based Therapies

The CF Foundation funded more than 20 industry programs to advance genetic-based therapies in 2020 — our best hope for curing cystic fibrosis. This includes programs in CFTR restoration, gene-editing programs, and gene delivery programs. The delivery of genetic-based therapies to the lungs is a key hurdle to developing effective treatments for all people with CF. This research is more complex than anything we have ever done and requires a substantial investment.

Maximizing the Impact of CFTR Modulators

CFTR modulators continue to transform daily life for many people with CF. To help those eligible for modulators live even healthier lives, we are supporting continued research into additional therapeutic options and broader access to currently approved therapies. To help ensure people with CF and their care providers have a better understanding about the triple-combination therapy

Trikafta®, we are currently supporting several large clinical studies that will assess the longer-term impact of this important new therapy.

- **PROMISE:** Explore effects on lung function, GI symptoms, pancreatic function, diabetes, and other manifestations of CF
- **SIMPLIFY:** Determine if it is possible to safely reduce the daily treatment burden of CF
- **BEGIN:** Evaluate the ongoing impact of modulators on children and young infants

Continuing to Innovate through Venture Philanthropy

The CF Foundation's pioneering venture philanthropy model spurred the discovery of multiple breakthrough therapies that target the underlying cause of CF. We anticipate that many of these modulators will add decades of life to those with CF. The Foundation is taking important steps to adapt and evolve our approach to bring new science and technologies into CF.

Together with the Longwood Fund, a biotech-focused venture capital firm, we are establishing a CF-focused incubator to build companies from the ground up that prioritize the needs of people with CF. This approach will enable the Foundation to play a more active role in shepherding promising early technologies from academia to industry and attracting new companies into CF.

ADDRESSING THE MANIFESTATIONS OF CF

As people with CF continue to live longer, their needs are becoming more complex. The Foundation continues to expand its research to address the manifestations — or serious health conditions — that arise as a result of CF's damaging effects to the body, such as GI, liver disease, diabetes, infections, and advanced lung disease.

Areas of Focus

- ***Infection Research Initiative:*** Chronic, hard-to-treat infections remain a daily challenge for most people with CF. Since launching the Infection Research Initiative in 2018, the Foundation has awarded more than \$80 million for infection-related research, including more than 160 awards in 2020 that address many facets of CF infections. Research topic areas include pathogen-specific studies, research that could potentially benefit people who culture for multiple types of organisms, and new approaches to addressing infection.
- ***Lung Transplant Initiative:*** Lung transplantation remains a vital option for people with CF who have advanced lung disease. The Foundation continues to improve the lung transplant journey through our Lung Transplant Initiative. In 2020, we designated Cleveland Clinic as a Biorepository Coordinating Center and have built a Patient Registry of lung transplant recipients to store clinical data. This data will be used to combat Chronic Lung Allograft Dysfunction, the most common, life-limiting post-transplant complication. Additionally, more than 40 CF care centers have been working with lung transplant centers to drive better outcomes.

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*Thank you Dave & Kathy Paynter family
for donating the beautiful sunflowers used
to decorate our church!*



SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS:

Shirley Niese	Sept. 2
Sharon McGowan	Sept 7
Karen Rieman	Sept 9
Nicholas Rietschlin	Sept 19
Mary Studer	Sept 24
Thomas Rietschlin	Sept 29



Little Lambs, a playgroup for families with small children of Sacred Heart and St. Joseph parishes, will be reuniting this fall! We will meet the first Saturday of each month at 10am, starting **September 4th.** at the Sacred Heart playground. We are blessed with so many children in our churches! Let's get to know each other better and play!

All are Welcome!



Plus **Ewe Time**, a monthly gathering for just moms is in the works! Email Sarah Metzger at sarahmetzgermd@gmail.com with questions or ideas!

CATHOLIC WOMENS CLUB:

The Catholic Women's Club of the Saint Juan Diego Deanery will be resuming their meetings for 2021-2022. The first meeting will be Wednesday, **September 8th.** at Resurrection Parish. We will have Mass in the church at 11:00 am and the luncheon will follow in the Parish Center at 12:30 pm. The meeting and program will follow lunch. The cost of the lunch is \$16.00. All Catholic women in the Saint Juan Diego Deanery are invited! Please call Anita Holloway, President at 419-524-2219 or 419-544-0184. Reservations must be made by **September 3, 2021**, before 12 noon. We are looking forward to seeing current members and meeting new members!

Sacred Heart Free Family Festival

September 19th 1:00-4:00pm

J & J Farms

5482 St. Rt. 61 South

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Free Activities:

Food, Drink, Corn maze

Corn pit & Fellowship

Seating limited/Bring a blanket or chairs

