

# In Honor of Our Mothers



## Holy Family Parish

216 Wooster St. NE ~ Navarre, Ohio 44662    Brewster ~ Navarre

Pattie Condello, Parish Leader Servant ~ Rev. G. David Weikart, Canonical Pastor

Rev. Tom Bishop and Rev. Ed Beneleit ~ Sacramental Ministers

### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday thru Thursday, 8:30 am to 4:00 pm  
Fridays, 8:30 to Noon

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Pre-Need Cemetery Sales ~ Call Office For Appointment

### CONTACT INFORMATION

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Prayer Line.....330-879-5900

### BULLETIN DEADLINE

Fridays at Noon for the **following** weeks bulletin.  
Information may only be included in upcoming bulletins  
when space permits. Information may be faxed to 330-879-5138  
or emailed to [office@holyfamilyparishnavarre.org](mailto:office@holyfamilyparishnavarre.org)

### INCLEMENT WEATHER PROCEDURE

Communion Prayer Service & all times of Eucharistic Adoration  
will be cancelled when Fairless Schools are closed or delayed.  
Visit our Website or any additional event cancellations or closings.

### OUR STAFF

Stefanie Coletti.....Bookkeeper, Administrative Assistant  
Jill Rohr.....Volunteer CCD Coordinator  
Anita Bille.....Hall Rental Coordinator  
Carolyn Collins-Soehnlen.....Minister of Music  
Judi Smith.....Church & Hall Custodian, Navarre  
Glen Snyder.....Maintenance & Cemetery Grounds

Linda Regula.....Sacristan, Navarre  
Virginia Heckathorn.....Sacristan, Brewster  
Rev. Michael D. Seifert.....Pastor, Emeritus

### NEW PARISHIONERS WELCOME!

Please stop in the office to say hello

### MISSION STATEMENT

Our Holy Family Parish, a Roman Catholic Church,  
comes together as one to accept as our mission:  
To live our faith centered in the Eucharist;  
To share the Gospel by Word and example;  
To gain knowledge by serving others with mercy and justice;  
and To Love by opening our hearts to the world around us.

### MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4:00pm ~ Brewster  
Sunday: 8:30am, 11:00am ~ Navarre

### WEEKDAY COMMUNION PRAYER SERVICE

Tuesday: 8:30pm ~ Brewster  
Friday: 8:30am ~ Navarre

### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Thursday, 9:30am thru 8:30pm ~ Navarre

### SACRAMENTS OF THE CHURCH

**Sacrament of Reconciliation** (Confession)  
Celebrated **FIRST WEEKEND OF THE MONTH**  
Saturday, 3:15 to 3:45 pm, Brewster  
Sunday, 9:45 to 10:15 am, Navarre

### Sacrament of Baptism

Arrangements are made with the Parish Leader  
to schedule a date for baptism and for a sacramental  
preparation class for parents and godparents.

### Sacraments of First Communion & Confirmation

Families requesting First Communion and Confirmation  
for their children must have them enrolled in our CCD program or  
Catholic School at least 2 years prior to receiving Sacrament.

### Sacrament of Marriage

Arrangements made with the Parish Leader six months prior  
to the Wedding. Marriage preparation classes are required.

### Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick

Contact Parish Leader for arrangements.  
If you are hospitalized, homebound or in a nursing facility,  
please let us know. Because of the HIPAA laws,  
we are unable to inquire.

God took the fragrance  
of a flower...  
The majesty of a tree...  
The gentleness of  
morning dew...  
The calm of a quiet sea...  
The beauty  
of the twilight hour...  
The soul  
of a starry night...  
The laughter of a  
rippling brook...  
The grace of a bird  
in flight...  
Then God fashioned  
from these things  
A creation like no other,  
And when his  
masterpiece was through  
He called it simply -  
Mother.  
~Herbert Farnham

**MASSES, SERVICES & INTENTIONS**

- May 8**                      **Saturday** (Brewster)  
4:00 pm                      All Mothers Living & Deceased
- May 9**                      **Sunday** (Navarre)  
8:30 am                      All Mothers Living & Deceased  
11:00 am                      All Mothers Living & Deceased
- May 11**                     **Tuesday** (Brewster)  
8:30 am                      Communion Prayer Service
- May 13**                     **Thursday** (Navarre)  
9:30am                      Adoration Thru 8:30pm
- May 14**                     **Friday** (Navarre)  
8:30am                      Communion Prayer Service
- May 15**                     **Saturday** (Brewster)  
4:00 pm                      Catherine Quinn (The Elum Family)  
Ruth Frieri (Pat Frieri & Family)
- May 16**                     **Sunday** (Navarre)  
8:30 am                      Bob Manwaring (Ernie & Shirley Burger)  
Ray Burger (Ernie & Shirley Burger)  
11:00 am                      Nancy Berg (Michael & Erica Soehnlén)

**HOLY FAMILY PARISH GIVING**

Sunday Collection, April 25th.....	\$5,590.00
Church Maintenance.....	\$36.00
Easter.....	\$135.00
Ascension.....	\$51.00
<b>TOTAL PARISH INCOME FOR APRIL 25TH.....</b>	<b>\$5,812.00</b>
Cemetery.....	\$1.00
Church Overseas.....	\$30.00
First Step For Change.....	\$1.00
Stark County Elementary Schools.....	\$20.00
Fairless Food Cupboard.....	\$56.00
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<b>Weekly Parish Expenses.....</b>	<b>\$7,916.00</b>

*THANK YOU FOR YOUR FINANCIAL SUPPORT OF OUR PARISH COMMUNITY!*

 *Liturgical Ministers*

**SATURDAY, May 15 ~ 4:00pm (Brewster)**  
*Lector:* Pattie Condello  
*EM:* Virginia Heckathorn

**SUNDAY, May 16 ~ 8:30am (Navarre)**  
*Lector:* Kelly Green  
*EM:* Chuck Hawk  
*Server:* Seth Green

**SUNDAY, May 16 ~ 11:00am (Navarre)**  
*Lector:* Phil Rohr  
*EM:* DiAnna Heisler  
*Server:* Ben Haught

**Mini-Fest & Drive-Thru**  
**Volunteers Needed For Preparations**


**Wednesday, June 9, 9:00 ~ 11:00am**  
 8 to 10 people for: Mud Pies, Coleslaw Dressing

**Thursday June 10, 5:30 ~ 7:00pm**  
 5 to 10 to people to help set up.

**Friday June 11, 12:00 ~ 2:00pm**  
 3 to 4 people for Slicing Dinner Rolls  
 3 to 4 people to Prepare Coleslaw


**Saturday June 12, 12:00 ~ 2:00pm**  
 3 to 4 people to Prepare Coleslaw  
 3 to 4 people to Prepare Mud Pies


**If you are interested in signing up for a position  
 Please call or text Danny Genetin at 330-605-8207**

 **PARISH 50/50 FUNDRAISER**

The winner of the April 50/50 drawing was **Bill & Mary Mizanoski**  
 There were 155 tickets sold. They won **\$387.50** The Parish share was **\$387.50**

The next drawing will be **Tuesday, May 26th.**  
 Tickets are \$5.00 each and can be sent to the Parish Office, dropped off or put in the collection basket.

 **WE CONGRATULATE**  
**LIAM NOFSINGER**  
 On His First Holy Communion  
 Thank you to Tia Jamison who prepared him for this sacrament





**CONGRATULATIONS TO**  
**Rachel McGrath**  
 daughter of Marc & Janis McGrath,  
 On Her Wedding to Ian Klonk  
 at St. Clement on April 24th









# Litany of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of Life

*The Response is: Mary, pray for us.*

Mary, Mother of all Life,  
help us to respect human life from the  
moment of conception  
to the moment of natural death. **R.**

Mary, Mother of Compassion,  
You showed us how valuable a single life can  
be;  
Help us to guard and protect the lives of all  
people entrusted to our care. **R.**

Mary, Mother of the Child Jesus,  
with St. Joseph you formed the Holy Family.  
Guard and protect all families in this earthly  
life; **R.**

Mary, Mother Most Holy,  
You sanctified the vocation of motherhood;  
Pour out your heavenly aid on all mothers and  
help them to be holy. **R.**

Mary, Mother of Sorrows,  
Simeon's prophecy foretold that a sword of  
suffering would pierce your heart;  
Bring comfort and hope to all mothers who  
suffer over their children. **R.**

Mary, Full of Grace,  
You had a choice in responding to God's call;  
Help us always to say "Yes" to the will of God  
in our lives,  
And strive always to do whatever he tells us. **R.**

Mary, Comforter of the Afflicted,  
Pour forth your heavenly grace on all who are  
in need of God's healing,  
Especially those involved in abortion;  
Help them to experience the love and mercy of  
Christ, your Son. **R.**

Mary, Intercessor and Advocate,  
We lift up the poor, the displaced, the  
marginalized and vulnerable members of  
society;  
Help them to never abandon hope, but to place  
their trust in the God who gave them life. **R.**

Mary, Mother of the Word Incarnate, you bore  
in your womb him whom the heavens cannot  
contain;  
Help us to bear witness to Christ by the  
example of our lives  
And show the world the extravagant love of  
God. **R.**

All:  
Remember, o most gracious Virgin Mary, that  
never was it known that anyone who fled to  
your protection, implored your help, or sought  
your intercession was left unaided. Inspired  
with this confidence, we fly unto you, O  
Virgin of virgins, our Mother. To you we come,  
before you we stand, sinful and sorrowful. O  
Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not our  
petitions, but in your mercy hear and answer  
them. Amen.

# FACTS ABOUT THE COVID-19 VACCINES

## Stopping the COVID-19 pandemic will take all our tools:

- Masking
- Vaccination
- Washing hands
- Physical distancing



All the vaccines are **highly effective** at preventing severe illness

## The research pool was diverse



about **1/3** of clinical trial volunteers were from racial and ethnic minority populations

Research is ongoing and expanding to additional groups, such as children under the age of 16

## What is Emergency Use Authorization (EUA)?

The FDA can issue an EUA during a public health emergency for vaccines that have been proven safe and effective in large clinical trials and when certain criteria have been met



## Tested by 110,000+ people

The COVID-19 vaccines have been tested the same way as any other vaccines, but faster



The vaccines are given in **one or two shots**  
They are believed to be effective **1-2 weeks after receiving the final dose**

The vaccines **will not give you COVID-19**  
None of the vaccines use the virus that causes COVID-19

## Most people experience few, or only mild, side effects

After any vaccine, you may have symptoms like a fever. This is a normal sign that your immune system is learning how to recognize and fight the virus

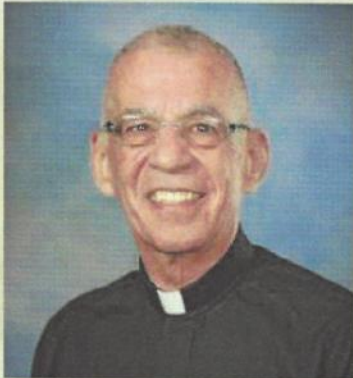




# Memorial Mass and Dedication of "Homeless Jesus"

## In honor of Fr. Nicholas Shori

1948-2016



Fr. Nick Shori was a one of kind priest. Proudly, he was from Stark County. You can read about him in the homily on the next page given by Fr. John Jerek at the Memorial Mass & Dedication last week.



### "HOMELESS JESUS"

BY SCULPTOR  
TIMOTHY P. SCHMALZ - 2021

"AMEN, I SAY TO YOU, WHATEVER  
YOU DID FOR ONE OF THESE LEAST  
BROTHERS OF MINE, YOU DID FOR ME"  
MATTHEW 25:40

IN LOVING MEMORY OF  
REVEREND NICHOLAS R. SHORI  
WHO EMBODIED THE WORDS OF  
THE PROPHET MICAH:

"YOU HAVE BEEN TOLD, O MORTAL,  
WHAT IS GOOD, AND WHAT THE  
LORD REQUIRES OF YOU;  
ONLY TO DO JUSTICE AND TO LOVE GOODNESS,  
AND TO WALK HUMBLY WITH YOUR GOD."  
MICAH 6:8

This statue by sculptor  
Timothy P. Schmalz  
is now located  
on the corner of the  
St. Columba Cathedral  
campus in Youngstown.  
It was dedicated  
and blessed  
by Bishop David Bonnar.

Today many of us are feeling the pinch of time as we recognize that it has been five years since Father Nick Shori's death. Still he remains greatly loved – our presence here today testifies to that.

When Nick comes to mind, most of us smile. I remember a friend and colleague whose laugh was contagious, and how when he would laugh, he would often start clapping his hands. A few weeks after his death, I found myself clapping my hands as I laughed. I said to myself "Oh no. Heeee's here!"

Some of you recall a priest who loved his parishioners, a dedicated son and a devoted brother. You remember the spirited announcer at the Springfield Tigers football games, an energetic police chaplain, a man who laughed easily, often broke the mold, loved the Dallas Cowboys and was a picky eater. You remember the pastor who led you in building your church. A man who made you feel at home. He was hardly a conformist. When he chose the readings for his own funeral some five years ago, none of those readings was typical....none of them found in the normal assortment of readings found in the Order of Christian funerals....imagine that! He went outside the box, as he often did. Some of us wondered if he knew that there even was "a box." He took those around him to the edge.

And he never forgot about those on the edge. The hungry, the homeless, the disadvantaged – these were always close to him. He spent many years as a hospital chaplain at St. Elizabeth and taught several courses in Mercy's School of Nursing. He understood the human need for healing in a wide variety of circumstances – from the patient in the hospital bed, to the parishioner facing terminal illness, and of course his own final journey among us. *Thus it was that he lived in the hope of a better world as he constantly learned about our fractured world, why it was fractured, and Who alone could heal it.*

How beautifully he brings to life the words of the 25<sup>th</sup> chapter of Matthew's Gospel, the scene of the final judgement. The King who says "When I was hungry you gave me to eat, when I was thirsty you gave me to drink, when I was a stranger you welcomed me, sick and you visited me, in prison and you came to me." Nick probably would not see these as the standards by which we will one day be judged, but rather as an invitation to open our eyes a bit wider. To see where God's grace can be powerfully present. To see and understand Jesus Christ more deeply.

Contrasting these powerful words from Matthew's are the gentle words of the prophet Micah:

*He has told you, O man, what is good, and what the LORD really wants from you:  
He wants you to carry out justice, to love faithfulness, and to walk humbly before your God.*

Another uncomplicated message – simple and direct – rooted in that need we all carry within us as to what is truly important in this life.

To live the words of both passages requires an ardent trust in the Holy Spirit, one of the hallmarks of Father Nicholas Shori's life. He loved the Holy Spirit. He trusted the Holy Spirit. The Spirit's mysterious, unpredictable nature seemed not to unsettle him, but to hold him together. How appropriate that we celebrate today's Mass and that we soon dedicate the sculpture he donated in the heart of spring and in the heart of the Easter season.

Even as we may still mourn our beloved brother in Christ, we rejoice in the presence of the Risen Lord among us. We give thanks for the return of warmth and growth in this part of our world. Nick loved the Easter season and he loved spring.

Like the disciples of the Lord in the Upper Room and like Father Nicholas Shori, we wait for the Holy Spirit to lead us where we need to go....to where we need to look for the Risen Lord...to where we need to find Him.

We recall the words of St. Teresa of Calcutta – "Never let anything so fill your heart with sorrow that you forget the joy of Christ Risen"

***Father Nicholas Shori never forgot the joy of Christ Risen.  
And because of him and others like him, we pray that we shall never forget that joy that shatters death  
and brings us hope to last a lifetime.***



**PRAYERS FOR OUR LOVED ONES**

Estella Bellotte  
 Lorin Bishop  
 Norm Budd  
 Sue Bricker  
 Phyllis Define  
 Mary Jane Durishin  
 Tom Gang  
 Clem Gang, Jr.  
 Harmony Joan Gillilan  
 Debra Hawk  
 Dorothy Hunt  
 Lloyd & Emily Hensel  
 Betsy (Gang) Jones  
 Fr. Robert Kaylor  
 Lauren Kost  
 Colette Kovach  
 Judy Lamberjack  
 Terry Madden  
 Mary Mercer  
 Mike Miller  
 Dave & Alice Morris  
 Ruth & Ed Moyer  
 Gloria & Mike Quirin  
 "Sam" Samblanet  
 Alice Schmidt  
 Barb Seeds  
 Barbara Shetler  
 Ronald & Dixie Slates  
 Connie Smith  
 Joe Soehnen  
 Marilyn Swank  
 Rich & Kathy Tebroski  
 John Thomas  
 Special Intentions



Bless O Lord  
 all mothers of a family those  
 with or without children  
 who mother us all.  
 May your hands of grace be  
 upon them touching their  
 hearts with love, peace  
 and encouragement.  
 Lead them Lord  
 with your light.  
 We pray they gain  
 favor in Your sight.  
 May You be their pillar  
 of strength as they  
 overcome all hurdles  
 in life's length. Amen.



*From Me to You....*

All I ever wanted was to be a Mom. That would be a

tribute to my Mom who wrote the book on being a Mother...as most of us would probably say about our Moms. My Mom was alive to see my first two daughters and I am convinced she hand picked my third while she made her entrance into heaven.

Mom (despite not being a traveler) came down to Norfolk in my last trimester of my pregnancy with Alexa. We would watch the pediatrician, Dr. T Berry Brazelton every morning together, daydreaming on what this child would be like. Mom made sure I rested, helped me set up the baby's room and made food for the freezer. When I craved ice cold water, toast and oranges at 3:30 am each morning, Mom was there having the same with me. She gave me the very best advice about being a Mom. She told me to always mother with my heart. Each day she would call and ask what my girls were up to now. She would laugh at their crazy antics and counted the days until we could come home which we did as soon as their Dad's ship would pull out of port. Mom knew every Barney song. She loved watching them sing and dance in front of the tv, me as the prop girl handing bears or books, whatever the song requested. I cherish those memories. Moms and all those who love another as if they were their own are selfless beings without giving it a thought.

Happy Mother's Day in heaven, Velia Rose. You were and always will be the very best Mom.

**BISHOP'S APPEAL INFORMATION**

OUR PARISH GOAL: **\$33,200**  
 TOTAL RECEIVED TO DATE: **\$19,577.50**  
 CONTRIBUTING HOUSEHOLDS TO DATE: **127 OF 302**



*WE ARE AT 70.2% OF OUR GOAL! THANK YOU!*

**CEMETERY INFORMATION**

If you have plastic flowers or decorations on your loved ones grave, we respectfully ask that you remove any items you may want as soon as possible to help accommodate the summer mowing season.  
 Thank You.

*Upcoming*  
**EVENTS**

Mon May 10.....K Of C Planning, 7:30pm (Cafeteria)  
 Wed-May 12.....Finance Meeting, 7:00pm (Office & Virtual)  
 Mon May 24.....K Of C Business, Rosary, 7:15pm (Cafeteria)  
 Thurs-May 27.....Food Pantry, 10:00 ~ 12:00pm (Brewster)  
 Thurs-May 27.....Parish Council, 7:00 ~ 8:00pm (MR)  
 Sat-June 5.....St. Philomena Devotions/Mass, 8:45am (Navarre)

**Word OF THE Week**

**"GRATITUDE"**

*Honor her for all that her hands have done, and let her works praise her at the city gates.*

Proverbs 31



*Is Delayed  
 Until Further Notice*



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