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PARISH MISSION

We are a faith community of Roman Catholic Christians dedicated to lovingly extending the mission and ministry of Our Lord, Jesus Christ, through Word, Sacrament, and Christian service to the people of Niles and the surrounding areas, all to the Glory of God!

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY, JUNE 20, 2022

Weekday

8:00am – Connie Cicero by Carla

TUESDAY, JUNE 21, 2022

Saint Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious

8:00am – Michael Melillo by family

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22, 2022

Weekday

8:00am – JoAnne Varga by Steve and Tammy Varga

8:30-9:30am – Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

THURSDAY, JUNE 23, 2022

The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist

8:00am – Connie Lyell by Clark and Eleanor Bouch

FRIDAY, JUNE 24, 2022

The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

8:00am – Michael J. Raub by Carolyn M. Raub

SATURDAY, JUNE 25, 2022

Vigil, Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

3:00-3:30pm – Confessions

4:00pm – George and Mary Bufwack by family

SUNDAY, JUNE 26, 2022

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am – Dominic and Aline Pappada
by Dave and Susan Pappada

11:00am – Joseph “Roy” Stanfar
by Loraine and Michael Stanfar

FROM THE PASTOR:

We don't learn courage from heroes on the evening news. We learn true courage from watching ordinary people like our dads rise above hopeless situations, overcoming obstacles they never knew they could. Beyond the sentimentality and especially the commercialism of Father's Day there lies a deeper reality found this day in the words of Jesus. "Love one another as I have loved you." We celebrate Dad who nourished and taught us the real meaning of love. Not the feeling aspect of love, but genuine love shown forth in taking care of us.

We learn a lot from our Dad's, the first being that our Dad's do not have to respond to our every want. There are many things that we want, our Dad's teach us that there are only a few things that we need. SO THANK YOU DAD. Second, our Dad's teach us to live with a sense of purpose. A sad thing is that so many of us live today with no real purpose in our lives. Dads understand that God has given them particular skills and resources that they use for the good. Father's Day challenges us to take some time to examine the skills and resources that God has given us. Ask yourself how you can use these skills to meet the needs of others in our lives. SO THANK YOU DAD. And finally, Dad's translate love into forgiveness. Each of us has been given on the average some 25,000 days to live. Each Father's Day we remember to wipe out all of the yesterdays and offer a new shining 365 tomorrows in which we can be more focused and more forgiving. SO THANK YOU DAD. So on this Father's Day we pray: God our Father, in your wisdom and love you made all things. Bless our Fathers. Let the example of their faith and love shine forth. Grant that we, their sons and daughters, may honor them always with a spirit of profound respect.

Msgr. Zuraw

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Father of goodness and love, hear our prayers for the sick of our parish community and for all who are in need especially: **Debbie Bindas** and **Steve McDonnell**.

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT: "They all ate and were satisfied. And when the leftover fragments were picked up, they filled twelve wicker baskets." (Luke 9:17)

The story of the Loaves and Fishes shows us that when you share what you have, even if it doesn't seem like that much, miracles can happen! Do not think that your gift is too small or insignificant! Each of us has a role in God's plan; you just need to place your trust in the Lord. Nothing is impossible with God. You may be the answer to someone else's prayer.

VOCATION THOUGHT: "They all ate and were satisfied." Are you called to feed his flock as a priest? Call Father Scott Kopp at 330-744-8451 or email: skopp@youngstowndiocese.org.

YOUNG AT HEART GROUP

Our Young at Heart meeting will be on **Wednesday, June 29th**. We will begin with the recitation of the Rosary at 11:15am for peace in Ukraine. The presentation will be "Trivia Fun." A light lunch donation of \$6.00. Bring a guest. If you are planning to attend, please contact the parish office at 330-652-5825 or Sandy at 330-652-8329 on or before Thursday, June 23rd.

BULLETIN ADVERTISING

If you would like to advertise on the back of our bulletins, there will be a few spaces available. Please call Joseph Rossi at 330-652-3511 for more information.

PARISH OFFICE will be closed on Monday, June 20th for the observance of Juneteenth Day. The office will reopen on Tuesday, June 21 from 8:30am-4:00pm. The answering service will forward sacramental emergencies.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR THE FESTIVAL:

Festival set-up will begin soon on the festival grounds. If you are available please contact the parish office at 330-652-5825 or even stop down to help even if it is for a few hours. There is a lot of work that goes into our festival: setting up before the festival, cleaning refrigerators and freezers, making cheese-puffs, cutting peppers, working the booths, and tearing down and clean up. Please consider helping out when you are available.



STEWARDSHIP

Managing God's Gifts To Us

(June 11-12, 2022)

Sunday collection:	\$ 13,488.25
Church at Home:	\$ 1,189.00

Thank you for your generosity!

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

First Reading: (1 Kgs 19:16, 19-21). Elisha is called to succeed the prophet Elijah.

Second Reading: (Gal 5:1, 13-18). Despite the Galatians' union with Christ and the gift of the Spirit, they still must struggle against the flesh.

Gospel: (Lk 9:51-62). Jesus rejects retaliation and expects wholehearted commitment from his disciples.

Mass Count for June 11-12, 2022

4:00pm – 133

8:00am – 125

11:00am – 124

Total 382 people out of 795 registered parishioners

FESTIVAL YOUTH VOLUNTEERS:

Parents / Guardians who have child / children under the age of 18 years, who are planning to volunteer time at the parish festival must complete an Emergency Medical Authorization and a Permission Form. **NO EXCEPTIONS WILL BE MADE.** Forms are available in the Parish Office Monday – Thursday, 8:30am-4:00pm. Completed forms are to be returned to the Parish Office on or before *July 12th*.

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SUMMER FESTIVAL

Thursday, July 14th – Sunday, July 17th

Hours:

Thursday, July 14th Lunch 11am-2pm; 5-10pm

Friday, July 15th Lunch 11am-2pm; 5-11pm

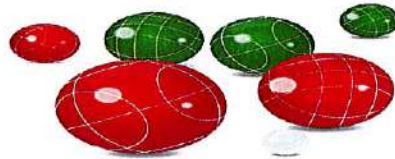
Saturday, July 16th 4-11pm

Sunday, July 17th 11am-11pm

Enjoy all your favorite festival foods for which our parish festival is famous, including: red, potato, and spinach pizzas; sausage, meatball, chicken parm, hoagie and fried bologna sandwiches, smelts, chicken wings, calamari, french fries, hot dogs, pop, beer, lemon shakes, bakery booth, cavatelli & meatballs, and of course –our famous Cheese-puffs & Twists!



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LIVE MUSIC

Thursday, July 14th Cin City and the Saints 6-10pm

Friday, July 15th Houseband 7-11pm

Saturday, July 16th Northern Whiskey 7-11pm

Sunday, July 17th Dominic Tocco & Brotherhood 6-10pm

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