

# THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY



**August 14 ~ 22, 2010**

**Saturday, August 14, St. Maximilian Mary Kolbe,**

priest & martyr

4:30 PM Vi Ardner; James Siebenaller;  
Audrey Haefling; Catherine Steyer

6:30 PM Frank Frisch

**Sunday, August 15, The Assumption of the  
Blessed Virgin Mary**

8:00 AM St. Mary Parish Family

10:00 AM Liv. & Dec'd Gene & Mary Elchert Fam.;  
Harold & Isabell Bumb; Italian Families;  
Shawn Weber

11:30 AM Lupe Vera

**4:30 PM Stational Vespers with Bishop Blair**

**Monday, August 16, Weekday**

8:30 AM Teresa Stover

**12:00 AM Eucharistic Adoration Begins**

**Tuesday, August 17, Weekday**

6:30 AM Communion Service

8:30 AM Pete Boes

**12:00 AM Eucharistic Adoration Ends**

**Wednesday, August 18, Weekday**

8:30 AM Irene Walters

**Thursday, August 19, Weekday**

6:30 AM Communion Service

8:30 AM Russell & Gertrude Klaiss

**Friday, August 20, St. Bernard, abbot & doctor of the  
Church**

8:30 AM Mick Gaietto

**Saturday, August 21, St. Pius X, pope**

1:30 PM Gregory Podges & Megan Martin Wed.

4:30 PM Lois & Nancy Traunero Kiser; James Terry;  
Bill Booth; Liz Ruggiero Porter

6:30 PM Forrest Hill

**Sunday, August 22, Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:00 AM Paul Lang

10:00 AM Mildred Comer; Gary Potteiger;  
Dan, Bambino, & Zachery Iannantuono

11:30 AM St. Mary Parish Family



**FAMILY PERSPECTIVE:** "Blessed is the fruit of your womb" can be said to all mothers, because every child is "blessed" and a child of God upon whom God "looks with favor." We cannot earn this blessing. God's love is a free gift to each of us. This is our deepest identity and destiny.

**OUR SINCEREST SYMPATHY** and prayers for the family and friends of **Jacquelyn L. Panuto (46)**. We pray that the Lord will help them find solace and peace.

## ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Hiking in the mountains has always been both a peaceful and a surprising experience for me. The peacefulness comes from the fact that even if I am hiking with someone else, there is still a feeling of solitude and quiet that creeps over us as we hike along. We may start out quite chatty as we begin our trek, but eventually a hush descends, almost as if speaking might disturb the magic of the hike. The surprises of mountain hiking come around a bend or at the crest of a hill where something new always presents itself—an alpine meadow, a hidden lake, a refreshing spring.

Mary's visit to Elizabeth—described in today's Gospel—was certainly a surprise. Pregnant with Jesus, she goes to visit her older kinswoman, Elizabeth, who is also pregnant and awaiting the birth of John, and she rejoices at Mary's arrival. Mary's response to Elizabeth's greeting, the Magnificat, is believed by most biblical scholars to be a canticle of early Jewish Christian composition that Luke inserted into his Gospel because the hymn was so revered in his community. Mary's plight—alone, scared, running for safety—was echoed in Luke's own community after the fall of Jerusalem. The hymn, placed on Mary's lips, is a reminder of how God turns things around for those who remain faithful. God lifts up the lowly and comes to the help of His servants.

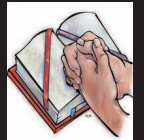
Hiking in the mountains can be a powerful icon of what human life is like. There are times when the uphill struggle can seem overwhelming, and then other times when something incredibly wonderful presents itself. The Magnificat, which Luke places on Mary's lips, has been a part of Christian evening prayer for centuries, reminding believers that at the end of the day all that has taken place, the blessings and the challenges, are caught up in God, who remembers His promise of mercy in every generation.



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## **BISHOP LEONARD BLAIR WILL BE HERE SUNDAY, August**

**15 at 4:30 p.m. (NOTE TIME CORRECTION)** for Stational Vespers. Please join us for this special evening prayer service to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the Diocese of Toledo. Please join us. All are welcome!



**SCAT DRIVERS** for August 22 are Mike and Jack Magers.

**NEW CD TITLES AND PAMPHLETS** are available in the Lighthouse Catholic Media stand in the vestibule. Take this opportunity to grow in your faith and pass the faith onto others. Donations are appreciated and can be placed in the slot in the stand.

**EVERYONE IS WELCOME** for coffee, rolls and socializing after the 8:30 Mass on Tuesdays in Room 22 of St. Mary School.



## **August 7 & 8, 2010**

	<b>\$ Total</b>	<b>Env</b>
<b>Sunday Offering</b>	<b>\$ 10,073.39</b>	<b>376</b>
Assumption	\$ 83.00	7
Initial Offering	\$ 30.00	6
Repair & Maintenance	\$ 186.00	12
Youth Offering	\$ 15.90	18
<b>Total Sunday, 2010</b>	<b>\$ 10,388.29</b>	
<b>Total Sunday, 2009</b>	<b>\$ 12,452.61</b>	

**ThankYOU**

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK: The simplest toy is one which even the youngest child can operate....it is called "grandparent."



**eXclaim** - August 15 - leaving parish at 1:00 p.m. - return at 9:00 p.m.  
**Youth Mass** - August 22 - 6:00 p.m.  
**(MUSIC GUEST JUSTIN COMBS, FAMILIES WELCOME!) BBQ** following Mass.  
**Summer "Office" Olympics** - August 29 - 7:00-8:30 p.m.  
**"The Quest Begins"** LifeTeen Kick-Off September 12 at 6:00 p.m.

**CENSUS FORM UPDATE:** Many thanks to those that took the time to complete your forms and return them. Approximately 50% have returned their census forms. If you did not receive one in the mail, please pick up a blank form at the main entrance of church to update your address and information and mail it in or drop it in the collection basket next Sunday. Again, dates of baptisms and other sacraments are not necessary if you don't know them, just check the box if you have received the sacrament. As part of the evangelization process through the diocese, in the future, those that have not returned their form may be called to get their updated information. Thank you for your help.



**FOR SOME IT IS TIME FOR COLLEGE,** and we at St. Mary Parish send our best wishes, thoughts, and prayers to all of our students beginning college or returning. It is our prayer that you will have a successful year and we look forward to seeing you at Mass when you return. Blessings.

**IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO SEND A CARD** to Sr. Rosann in celebration of her 50th anniversary of being a member of the Tiffin Franciscans, please send it to the rectory office at 85 S. Sandusky St.

**CCD 2010 - 2011 CCD CLASSES** - will begin on Wednesday, September 8. Classes for Grades for Grades 1 - 3 will be held at St. Mary Parish School beginning at 6:45 p.m. and Grades 4 - 8 will meet at Calvert Elementary (formerly St. Joseph School) beginning at 6:30 p.m. Registration forms have been mailed to all families who have been previously registered in the program. We would like all registrations to be completed by August 13. If you are new to our program, please stop by either of the parish offices to pick up a registration form, or you may pick up a form at the main entrance of church. For more information, contact Rose Gaietto at 447-2087, ext. 33.

**THE NEWEST EDITION** of the Catholic Chronicle is available at the church exits. Be sure to read about St. Mary on the back page! Check online for more articles.

**THANK YOU TO EVERYONE THAT** participated in the pictorial directory. Over 350 families were photographed. If you have a photo that you would like to submit and it has the permission of the photographer, you may do so by August 16. The fee is \$12.00, but you will get a free directory. If you have any questions, please call Tiffany at 447-2087.



**52 CLUB** "52" CLUB WINNERS AUGUST 10, 2010  
**1st** Beth Reamer **2nd** Leo & Betty Smith  
**3rd** Merv Wilhelm  
**4th** Jimmie Young **5th** Pat Gaver

**DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY** Celebration for those married 25, 50, & 60 or more years in 2010 will be held on Sunday, October 24, at 3:00 p.m. at Rosary Cathedral. For reservations, call the parish office at 447-2087. **Deadline for reservations is September 15.**



**ARE YOU 60 OR OLDER AND NEED MINOR HOME** repairs? Ohio District 5 Area Agency on Aging has a "Home Repair" program. Call 1-800-860-5799 and ask for Consumer Assistance Unit to see if you qualify for this assistance or to get more information.

**FIRST CHARISMATIC MASS** at Our Sorrowful Mother Shrine, Bellevue, on Sunday, August 29. You are invited to join us at the Charismatic Mass followed by the Anointing of the Sick Service. Mass begins at 12:30 in Our Outdoor Pieta Chapel followed by the Healing Service. At 2:30 p.m. The Rosary Procession begins with Benediction. Lunches are available starting at 11:00 am in Our Melting Pot Café.

**RURAL LIFE & CENTURY FARM AWARDS DAY** will be September 19 at 4:00 p.m. at St. Wendelin, Fostoria. RSVP for the dinner following the Mass by calling 419-334-5061.

**NAMI** is offering Family-to-Family classes for parents, friends, and caregivers of persons with mental disorders. The course will be held 12 consecutive Wednesdays from 6:30-9:00 p.m. starting September 8 in Fremont. Register by calling 419-334-8021.

**SUMMER FESTIVALS ~Please be sure to visit our neighbors!**  
**ST. BERNARD, NEW WASHINGTON,** August 21 beginning at 5:00 p.m.: Beer garden, homemade ice cream and food stand. August 22 beginning at noon, BBQ chicken or ham dinners with homemade dressing, bingo, raffles, crafts, and games.  
**ST. PATRICK, BASCOM,** August 29 from 11:00-1:00 p.m.

<b>☘☘☘ August 21 &amp; 22, 2010 ☘☘☘</b>	
<i>Thank You To Our Sponsor → Of The Week</i>	<b>COLATRUGLIO CONSTRUC- TION</b>  1199 S Bon Air
<b>Eucharistic Ministers:</b>	<b>Lectors:</b>
4:30 p.m. Mike Durso, Joyce Hart, Ann Jones, Ed Loesser, Paul Panuto	4:30 p.m. Barb Bush
6:30 p.m. Matthew Gaietto, Kelsey Sikora, Al Ubri, Kelly & Ron Witte	6:30 p.m. Sheila Jeffery
8:00 a.m. Jack Houck, Cindy Kin, Harold Shultz, Amy Traxler, Becky & Merv Wilhelm	8:00 a.m. Becky Wilhelm
10:00 a.m. Chris Hafley, Bernard & Martha Hohman, Paul Lapczenski, Chris Rubeck, Nancy & Ron Ruffing, Bernie Steinmetz	10:00 a.m. M. Zimmerman
11:30 a.m. Michael Canton, George & Kayleen Fretz, Juli & Nick Huston	11:30 a.m. Wanda Mills
<b>Servers:</b>	<b>Student Lectors:</b>
4:30 p.m. Alisa Fry, Carmella Fabrizio, Alex Falter	4:30 p.m. Student Needed
6:30 p.m. Jon Dodson, Kelsey Sikora, Nick Saxton	6:30 p.m. Student Needed
8:00 a.m. Jennifer Lucius, Becca Kimmet	8:00 a.m. Becca Kimmet
10:00 a.m. Cody Behm, Luke Hafley, Ryan Steinmetz	10:00 a.m. McK Zimmerman
11:30 a.m. Mitchell Depinet, Zachary Dutro, Will Wagner	11:30 a.m. Jacob Reyes
	<b>Mass Coordinators:</b>
	4:30 p.m. M. Bernard
	6:30 p.m. Sheila Jeffery
	8:00 a.m. Ruth Bowman
	10:00 a.m. Mark Zimmerman
	11:30 a.m. Wanda Mills