

## TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

### Schedule of Liturgies

#### September 6 - September 14

**Saturday**, September 6, Twenty-Third Ordinary Sunday

4:30 PM Frances & Anthony Latona;  
Charles, June, & Kenneth Gerber &  
Berdell & Twila Falter; Mark Bell;  
Robert Winkler

6:30 PM Danny Autullo; Marilyn Grieselding

**Sunday**, September 7, Twenty-Third Sunday of Ordinary  
Time

8:00 AM Special Intention  
10:00 AM Frances Di Cesare; Emery Whitman;  
Rachel Repp;  
Thomas & Eulalia Company

11:30 AM St. Mary Parish Family

**Monday**, September 8, Nativity of the Blessed Virgin  
Mary

8:30 AM Jake & Juanita Stein;  
Hubert & Dorothy Elchert

**Tuesday**, September 9, Peter Claver, priest

6:30 AM Communion Service  
8:30 AM Liv. & Dec'd Members of the Huth/Fretz  
Fam. and Keary Campbell

**Wednesday**, September 10, Weekday

#### *All School Mass*

8:30 AM Richard O. Gase

**Thursday**, September 11, Weekday

6:30 AM Communion Service  
8:30 AM Liv. & Dec'd Members of the Francis &  
Thelma Brickner Fam.; Tom Fate

**Friday**, September 12, Weekday

8:30 AM Raymond & Matilda Krupp

**Saturday**, September 13, Vigil: Exaltation of the Holy  
Cross

4:30 PM Bob, Joseph & Cecelia Schleter;  
Liv. & Dec'd Members of the Louis &  
Irene Elchert Family; Ed Smith;  
Alfred & Cora Hartenstein


6:30 PM Thomas Ferris Jr.; Albert Williams

**Sunday**, September 14, Exaltation of the Holy Cross

8:00 AM St. Mary Parish Family  
10:00 AM Rose Shook; Mildred Comer;  
Lewis & Grace Kirian;  
11:30 AM Lois Traunero; Eileen Seitz

**IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO ADD** someone to the prayer list for Adoration and the prayer group that meets weekly, please call the parish office at 447-2087.

**SCAT DRIVERS** for September 14 are Ken and Ann Jones.

**"COFFEE AND CONVERSATION"** is after the 8:30 a.m. Tuesday Mass in *air conditioned* room 22 in the school. Everyone is welcome for coffee, rolls and socializing.  after Mass.

### KEEP COOL!

Remember a few weeks ago I said the air conditioning would be done in about 3 weeks...it's not happening!

Apparently there have been several unexpected delays according to the workers. So I'm not predicting a finish date, but it sure will feel good next summer!

Sweating with you,  
*Fr. Gary*



### WELCOME FRIENDS, NEW AND OLD!

May God put joy in our hearts and wisdom in our minds. If you would like to join our St. Mary Parish Family, please call the parish office at 447-2087 to register. If you have recently gotten married outside of St. Mary, please contact us with your new name and address. If you would like to receive envelopes every other month, also contact the parish office. Tithing is an important part of being Catholic, and envelopes are the best way to record your proper credit. Call us! We love having you here!

**RCIA: IT'S NOT TOO LATE!** We warmly welcome anyone interested in learning more about our Catholic Faith. We try to provide an appropriate Spiritual formation according to each person's needs. Classes start September 8 from 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. Call the parish office to register.



**ADULT LECTOR WORKSHOPS** will also be held on September 13 at 11:00 a.m. or September 16 at 8:00 p.m. Please plan on attending one.

**EUCHARISTIC MINISTER WORKSHOPS** will take place on Saturday, September 13 at 10:00 a.m. and on Tuesday, September 16 at 7:00 pm. At the time of distribution of the Holy Eucharist, we will no longer use 6 stations, only 4. A total of 7 Eucharistic Ministers will be needed at each mass as reflected in the new schedule. If there is a deacon at mass, only 6 will be needed. During especially crowded masses, an additional Eucharistic Minister will be needed for the balcony. Please plan on attending one of these sessions if you are currently a Eucharistic Minister.

**EUCHARISTIC ADORATION:** St. Mary, midnight Monday through midnight Tuesday; St. Joseph, midnight Tuesday through midnight Wednesday.

Offering  
Total

**August 30 & 31, 2008**

	Total \$	Env
<b>Amount Needed Each Sunday</b>	<b>\$ 13,000.00</b>	
<b>Sunday Offering</b>	<b>\$ 9,529.50</b>	391
Difference	-	\$ 3,470.50
Repair and Maintenance	\$ 41.00	5
Initial Offering	\$ 22.00	5
Assumption	\$ 40.00	4
CCS Students' Offering	\$ 15.50	21
CCD Offering	\$ 21.00	12
High School Offering	\$ 16.50	6
<b>Total Sunday, 2008</b>	<b>\$ 9,685.50</b>	
<b>Total Sunday, 2007</b>	<b>\$ 10,680.07</b>	



**FAMILY PERSPECTIVE:** The key word in today's gospel is "listen." We cannot change another person; not alone, not with others and not with a whole Church. All we can do is state our position and "if he listens to you" then he /she can take the steps necessary to change themselves. Change comes from within.

**GOSPEL SUMMARY:** Around the world, we are bound together in Christ Jesus. We are not perfect, but we ought to urge each other to better follow the Lord. In Christ, we can reconcile and be reconciled. Love is the one thing that cannot hurt your neighbor; it is the answer to all the commandments. When we gather in his name, the Lord is with us. If the Lord is with us, who can be against us?

**ALTAR ROSARY SOCIETY WILL MEET** September 8 at Carol Dull's cottage on S. St. Rt. 53 at 6:00 p.m. Please bring a covered dish and your own table service. Meat will be provided.

**40 DAYS FOR LIFE** is a new Pro-life campaign that is generating a track record of proven lifesaving results. You can be involved by signing up next weekend after the Masses to attend the Center for Choice in Toledo to pray to end abortion. Other ways to help are praying and fasting for the 40 days beginning September 24- November 2, attend daily Mass, Adoration, and praying at home. More information can be obtained at [www.40daysforlife.com](http://www.40daysforlife.com) or call Dena at 447-9161.

**GRANDMA'S BACKYARD BBQ** is September 14 from noon - 3:00 p.m. at St. Francis Spirituality Center, 200 St. Francis Avenue.

**ANY BOY IN 1ST GRADE** and older that is interested in camping, racing their own hand-made boats and derby cars and learning about the great outdoors should attend the meeting with a parent on September 9 at 7:00 p.m. in the St. Mary Cafeteria. Come and find out what rewards Scouting has to offer.

**ALUMINUM CAN COLLECTION** will be next weekend before all Masses. Thanks to your contributions, Scouts can purchase needed camping equipment and help pay for their camping expeditions. Thank you!

**OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY AND PRAYERS** to the family and friends of *Elaine G. Hoepf (45)*. We pray the bereaved may find comfort at this difficult time.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO THE NEWLY** baptized: *Aiden Michael McLynn* ~ parents are John and Kathleen McLynn; *Blake Alan Miller* ~ parents are Cory & Jolena Miller. We welcome them into our parish family and the Catholic faith community.

**SCRIP WILL BE SOLD** next weekend at the 4:30 and 10:00 Masses

**SUNDAY NIGHT BINGO**

Doors open at 5:00 p.m.; Early birds at 6:05 p.m.

**BINGO WORKERS** for today, September 7; **Coordinator:** Jan Betz; **Gate:** Jan Betz; **Instants:** Dan Traxler, Chris Granata; **Floor:** Lori Weininger, Regina Runion; **Concessions:** .



52 CLUB

**"52" CLUB WINNERS**

- 1st** Kathleen Fiegelist
- 2nd** Connie Funkhouser
- 3rd** Sheri Reinhart
- 4th** Lisa Gaietto
- 5th** Nate Kirian

**VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED** on Fridays from 10:30 - 12:30 to help in the cafeteria of St. Mary Campus. Please contact Robbin at Calvert at 447-3844 ext. 15, or home at 447-3408.

**VISION 2010 ENDOWMENT CAMPAIGN TOWN HALL**  
Meeting: On Wednesday, September 10, 2009 at 7:00PM, Calvert Catholic Schools will launch their VISION 2010 Endowment Campaign. The kickoff, located in the Calvert High School Campus Gym, is open to all of our teachers, staff, alumni, parents, family, friends and supporters. This is an informational meeting as well as providing all attendees with an opportunity to sign up to work the Campaign. Light refreshments and fellowship to follow in the school Cafeteria.

**OX ROAST** sponsored by Bloomville Lions Club will be September 7 at 11:00 a.m. at the Bloomville Fire House.

**A NOTE FROM BISHOP BLAIR:** When there was terrible flooding in our own diocese in 2007, the Houma-Thibodaux Diocese was the first to respond. Not only did they support us with prayer and advice on clean-up—they also sent a check for \$5,000 to assist in our efforts to aid the communities affected. Despite their own unmet needs, this diocese of just over a hundred thousand Catholics reached out to us and helped us to assist in the recovery and rebuilding of our communities. Now, I am sorry to report that one of the hardest hit areas of the latest hurricane, Gustav, was once again the Diocese of Houma-Thibodaux. In addition to asking for your prayers for those who are suffering, I also ask for your renewed generosity. Please make a donation to our Catholic Charities for recovery support of the people in our partner diocese in Louisiana. Send in your support to Catholic Charities, PO Box 985, Toledo OH, 43697.



THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:

September 13 & 14

**Mass Coordinators:**

- 4:30 p.m. Barb Borer
- 6:30 p.m. Sheila Jeffrey
- 8:00 a.m. Cindy Kin
- 10:00 a.m. Mark Zimmerman
- 11:30 a.m. Jeanne Tackett

**Servers:**

- 4:30 p.m. Team A
- 6:30 p.m. Team F
- 8:00 a.m. Team J
- 10:00 a.m. Team M
- 11:30 a.m. Team U

**Student Lectors:**

- 4:30 p.m. Ashley Burns
- 6:30 p.m. Claire Huffman
- 8:00 a.m. Anthony Traxler
- 10:00 a.m. Jessica Wilkinson
- 11:30 a.m. Jacob Reyes

**Lectors:**

- 4:30 p.m. Bernie Steinmetz
- 6:30 p.m. Sr. Janet Hay
- 8:00 a.m. Merv Wilhelm
- 10:00 a.m. C. Zimmerman
- 11:30 a.m. Michael Canton

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**Eucharistic Ministers:**

- 4:30 p.m. Ann & Don Hutzler, Ed Loesser, Paul Panuto, Angela Patuto, Lynna Stanton.
- 6:30 p.m. Rose Gaietto, Emily Hammer, Len Illig, Sr. Edna Michel, Steve & Jan Panuto, Chris Rubeck.
- 8:00 a.m. Joanne Brickner, Brian & Matt Coleman, Pat Depinet, Pat Schilling, Bernie & John Willman.
- 10:00 a.m. Karen & Ned Behm, Barbara & Peter Bronson, Mary Burkart, Denny Foos, Marilyn Gangluff, Nancy Warnement.
- 11:30 a.m. Angie Boes, Julie Brickner, Connie Saxton, Peg Shock, Barb Sprau.