

## TWENTY ~ THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



### September 4 ~ September 11, 2010

- Saturday, September 4, Weekday**  
 4:30 PM Lawrence & Martha Fleck; Ambrose Wise; Gladys Cunningham; Jean Elchert  
 6:30 PM Robert Winkler
- Sunday, September 5, Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 8:00 AM St. Mary Parish Family  
 10:00 AM Adam & Jeanne Brickner; Kathy Kimble; Jr. Home Alumni Family; Jim & Roberta Shaver's 50th Wed. Anniv.  
 11:30 AM Ilene Kuhn
- Monday, September 6, Weekday**  
 8:30 AM For all Parish Shut-Ins  
 12:00 AM *Eucharistic Adoration Begins*
- Tuesday, September 7, Weekday**  
 6:30 AM Communion Service  
 8:30 AM Anthony Albainy  
 12:00 AM *Eucharistic Adoration Ends*
- Wednesday, September 8, The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary**  
 8:30 AM For a Fruitful Harvest
- Thursday, September 9, St. Peter Claver, priest**  
 6:30 AM Communion Service  
 8:30 AM Rose Eileen McMahon
- Friday, September 10, Weekday**  
 8:30 AM Thelma & Francis Brickner Fam.
- Saturday, September 11, Weekday**  
 4:30 PM Calvert Class of 1950; Bob, Joseph, & Cecilia Schleter; Tom Fate; Anthony & Frances Latona; Myron & Elizabeth Smith  
 6:30 PM John & Hazel Engeman, Don Birch & Nancy Birch Leaser
- Sunday, September 12, Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 8:00 AM Liv. & Dec'd Mem. of Joseph & Ester Wise Fam.  
 10:00 AM Donald Corthell; Mick Gaietto; Denny Clouse & Mark Bell;  
 11:30 AM St. Mary Parish Family

**FAMILY PERSPECTIVE:** In today's gospel a king and a builder failed to plan properly and met with ridicule and defeat. Plan to spend time with the people most important to you. Don't leave it to chance. Plan ahead. Who in your family needs your time, your forgiveness? Don't get caught wondering "Where did the time go?" Like the builder in the gospel, when we fail to plan, we plan to fail.

### 23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Labor Day weekend doesn't appear as a celebration in the cycle of the church year. But Monday's holiday does affect a lot of what many people do this weekend. For some, three days off means the opportunity for a short trip out of town. Others may schedule a vacation for the week before to take advantage of the extra day off. Grocery stores have sales, highlighting products that can be consumed at picnics or prepared on outdoor grills. A holiday honoring labor becomes the effective end of summer for most folk.

Labor shows up in some interesting ways in the Scriptures for this weekend. The only time in the three-year Lectionary cycle that we read from Paul's Letter to Philemon comes this week. Paul is sending back Philemon's slave, Onesimus, who had run away. In the interim, Onesimus has become a Christian and, from Paul's view, a brother in the Lord to Philemon. So what is Philemon to do with this worker that he had owned? How was he to act?

The Gospel includes a description of the work of building a tower. Jesus compares the calculation of the work involved to that taking up the cross and being a disciple. When Philemon became a Christian he may not have understood that his life might change radically—that he was expected to deal in a new way with one of his slaves who became a Christian. At Paul's insistence, Philemon's adherence to the faith was requiring that he act differently from the society in which he lived. We are confronted with the same situation as Philemon. In the workplace, in the market, in our leisure, and while on vacation, we are called to adhere to the faith just as we do in church on Sunday. That is the real work we have, and it is not always an easy job. We don't have to carry Jesus' cross, but we do have to carry our own.



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**THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED** on Monday, September 6 in honor of Labor Day.

**CHILDREN ARE VERY SPECIAL TO JESUS**, and He wants them to know Him as a kind and loving Friend. Children's Liturgy of the Word for ages 5 - 10 resumes at the 10:00 a.m. Mass on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Sundays of the month in the basement of church in the Liturgy Room.

**SCAT DRIVERS** for September 12 are Ken and Ann Jones.

**CONGRATULATIONS** to Jim and Roberta Shaver on celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary with us today at the 10:00 Mass. May the Lord continue to bless you and your family.

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



### August 28 & 29, 2010

	<u>\$ Total</u>	<u>Env</u>
<b>Sunday Offering</b>	<b>\$ 10,625.78</b>	<b>378</b>
Assumption	\$ 115.00	10
Repair & Maintenance	\$ 27.00	4
Youth Offering	\$ 17.50	18
<b>Total Sunday, 2010</b>	<b>\$ 10,785.28</b>	
<b>Total Sunday, 2009</b>	<b>\$ 9,382.05</b>	



THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK: You can think without speaking, but don't speak without thinking.



**"The Quest Begins"** LifeTeen Kick-Off September 12 at 6:00 p.m.  
**"Family Feud"** September 19, 7:00-8:30 p.m.  
**"Connected"** September 26, 7:00-8:30 p.m.  
 LifeNights are held in Room 22 of St. Mary School and are open to Freshmen-Seniors.  
 No registration is required, just know that you are welcome!



**CLASSES** begin September 8. Grades 1 - 3 will meet at St. Mary School from 6:45 - 7:50 P.M. Grades 4 - 8 will meet at Calvert Elementary School from 6:30 P.M. to 8:05 P.M. Registration materials were mailed to all registered families. If you are new to our program, please take a registration form from the entrance of the church. The opening CCD Mass for Grades 4 - 8 will be at St. Joseph Parish on Wednesday, September 15. Grades 1 - 3 will have their opening Mass on Wednesday, September 22 at St. Mary Parish. Please plan to join us for this Mass. For questions call Rose Gaietto at 447-2087, ext. 33.

**ALUMINUM CAN COLLECTION** is next weekend before all Masses. This collection helps fund camping equipment, outings, and other various community service projects. The Boy Scouts appreciate your help.

**OUR SINCEREST SYMPATHY** and prayers for the family and friends of **Donald G. Johnson (67) and Angeline C. Sussang (100)**. We pray that the Lord will help them find solace and peace.

**RCIA**

Are you interested in learning about the Catholic Faith? Do you know someone interested in our Faith? Classes start September 13 in Room 22 of the school at 7:00 p.m. Contact Fr. Gary or Fr. Eric for more information at 447-2087.

**GRANDMA'S BACKYARD BBQ**, on September 12 from 11:00 a. m. to 2:00 p. m. at Elizabeth Schaefer Auditorium, 200 St. Francis Avenue. 1/2 Chicken Dinner is \$10.00 or 1/4 Chicken Dinner is \$8.00. Tickets are \$1 each or 6 for \$5 for the silent auction and cash raffle of: \$600, \$400, and \$200. Proceeds benefit the St. Francis Spirituality Center.

**2<sup>ND</sup> ANNUAL GOLF OPEN SPONSORED BY** St. Andrew Church will be Sunday, September 26, at Nature Trails Golf Course. \$40.00 per person or \$160.00 per team includes 18 holes of golf, golf cart and lunch. To sign up, please contact Doug Tanner at 419-937-2823.

**40 DAYS FOR LIFE BEGINS IN 2 WEEKS!!** Toledo will join the international **40 Days for Life** pro-life campaign from September 23 through November 1. Locally, at least 2 persons will be present in prayer outside the Center for Choice, 328 22<sup>nd</sup> St., in Toledo from 8:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m. during each of those 40 days. This is a peaceful, prayerful witness and is **NOT** a protest! For more information or to get involved, please visit [www.prolifeconnection.com](http://www.prolifeconnection.com) or contact Ann at (419) 708-9497.

**"52" CLUB WINNERS AUGUST 31, 2010**

<b>1st</b> Sam Wellman	<b>2nd</b> Doris Maiberger
<b>3rd</b> Mrs. Diane Gillig	<b>4th</b> Jacob Warnement
<b>5th</b> Larry Baumgartner	

**GRANDMOTHERS IN FAITH TOGETHER (G.I.F.T.)**  
 Friday, October 8, 7:00 p.m. – October 9 at 4:30 p.m. at Our Lady of the Pines Retreat Center, Fremont. Are you a grandmother who needs a break? G.I.F.T. is an overnight retreat designed especially for grandmothers to pray, share their faith and relax in comfortable surroundings. Bring pictures of your grandchildren and a Bible. Cost is \$85. Call 419-332-6522 to register.

**ALL YOU CAN EAT FISH FRY** at Tiffin K of C Lodge on Friday, September 10 from 5:00-7:30 p.m.

**BLOOMVILLE LIONS CLUB OX ROAST** will be September 12 at 11:00 a.m. at the Bloomville Fire House. Drive-thru Carry-outs will be available

**ST. JOSEPH 12TH ANNUAL REVERSE RAFFLE** Saturday, September 25 at St. Joseph Activity Center. Cost of \$85 includes admission, one ticket for the Raffle and dinner for two. To reserve your ticket contact Paul Berman at 447-0470.



**LABOR DAY POLKA DANCE** on Monday, September 6, at the Kalida K of C Hall. Doors open at 3:00 p.m., and the dance is from 4:00-8:00 p.m. Music by the Squeezebox Band.

**A TAIZE SERVICE** at the Sorrowful Mother Shrine will be held on Wednesday, September 15 at 7:00 p.m. in the Shrine Chapel, 4106 State Route 269, Bellevue.

**28TH ANNUAL HOLY TOLEDO CHARASMATIC** Conference at All Saints Church, Rossford, will be October 22-23.

**FULL-TIME YOUTH MINISTER** position for middle school and high school students is available at St. Joseph Parish in Maumee. Email resume to [joanne.denyer@stjosephmaumee.org](mailto:joanne.denyer@stjosephmaumee.org)

**September 11 & 12, 2010**

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**Reino's**

**Pizza & Pasta**  
73 E Market St.  
447-5891

<p><b>Eucharistic Ministers:</b>  <b>4:30 p.m.</b> Barb Bush, Tammy Gaietto, Marilyn Mangano, Ann &amp; Don Hutzel, Bob &amp; Michelle Smith  <b>6:30 p.m.</b> Len Illig, Steve &amp; Jan Panuto, Chris &amp; Jenny Rubeck  <b>8:00 a.m.</b> Jack Houck, Cindy Kin, Harold Shultz, Amy Traxler, Becky &amp; Merv Wilhlem  <b>10:00 a.m.</b> Karen &amp; Ned Behm, Barbara &amp; Peter Bronson, Mary Burkart, Denny Fooks, Marilyn Gangluff, Nancy Warnement  <b>11:30 a.m.</b> Michael Canton, George &amp; Kayleen Fretz, Juli &amp; Nick Huston</p>	<p><b>Lectors:</b>  <b>4:30 p.m.</b> Patti Roland  <b>6:30 p.m.</b> G. Schellenger  <b>8:00 a.m.</b> Marge Fisher  <b>10:00 a.m.</b> Louise Ducsay  <b>11:30 a.m.</b> Joe Hartzell</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Servers:</b></p> <p><b>4:30 p.m.</b> Jaeden, Kayla, &amp; Kira Sherman  <b>6:30 p.m.</b> Jon Dodson, Kelsey Sikora, Nick Saxton  <b>8:00 a.m.</b> Amanda &amp; Anthony Traxler  <b>10:00 a.m.</b> Ian Warnement, Clay Magers, Philip Boes  <b>11:30 a.m.</b> Jordan &amp; Migel Frankforther, Drew Ritzler</p>	<p><b>Student Lectors:</b>  <b>4:30 p.m.</b> Matthew Kiser  <b>6:30 p.m.</b> Student Needed  <b>8:00 a.m.</b> Anthony Traxler  <b>10:00 a.m.</b> Shyann Allen  <b>11:30 a.m.</b> Jessica Schock</p>
	<p><b>Mass Coordinators:</b>  <b>4:30 p.m.</b> Patti Roland  <b>6:30 p.m.</b> Sheila Jeffrey  <b>8:00 a.m.</b> Cindy Kin  <b>10:00 a.m.</b> Mark Zimmerman  <b>11:30 a.m.</b> Wanda Mills</p>