MASSES/SERVICES FOR THIS WEEK
(EVENING SERVICES CELEBRATED PRIVATELY BY FR MIKE AT THE TIMES LISTED, IN PC ROOM 101 & LIVE-STREAMED FOR NOW)

Live stream Facebook at: https://www.facebook.com/ourladyofvictorychurchtallmadge/
Uploaded to VIMEO at: https://www.vimeo.com
or YouTube at: https://www.YouTube.com

Monday, Sept 21
(8:30 am-C) Mary Rickert
(7:00 pm-PC/PL) Adoration
St Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist
Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19:2-5; Mt 9:9-13

Tuesday, Sept 22
(8:30 am-C) Homer Byrd
(7:00 pm-PC/PL) Night Prayer
Prv 21:1-6, 10-13; Ps 119:1, 27, 30, 34-35, 44;
Lk 8:19-21

Wednesday, Sept 23
(8:30 am-C) Agape Prayer Group’s Intentions
(7:00 pm-PC/PL) Adoration
St Pius of Pietrelcina, Priest
Prv 30:5-9; Ps 119:29, 72, 89, 101, 104, 163;
Lk 9:1-6

Thursday, Sept 24
(8:30 am-C) Edwin Sekowski
(7:00 pm-PC/PL) Night Prayer
Eccl 1:2-11; Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17bc; Lk 9:7-9

Friday, Sept 25
(No Mass)
(7:00 pm-PC/PL) Night Prayer
Eccl 3:1-11; Ps 144:1b, 2abc, 3-4; Lk 9:18-22

Saturday, Sept 26
(9:00 am) Confessions
(11:00 am) 1st Eucharist
(5:00 pm-C) Lisa Von Gunten
Sts Cosmas and Damian, Martyrs
Eccl 11:9—12:8; Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17; Lk 9:43b-45

Sunday, Sept 27
(8:30 am-C) For the Parishioners
(9:00 am) Children’s Liturgy of the Word
(Recorded for viewing later)
(11:00 am-C) George J Keller
(Outside weather permitting)
26th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Ec 18:25-28; Ps 25:4-9; Phil 2:1-11; Mt 21:28-32

In Our Parish – What/Where/When

MONDAY, SEP 21, 2020
Standing in the Gap/Back Pkg Lot inside Car/9:15 am & 5:00 pm

TUESDAY, SEP 22, 2020
Task Force Mtg/Zoom/7:30 pm
See Services above

WEDNESDAY, SEPT 23, 2020
Standing in the Gap/Back Pkg Lot inside Car /11:00 am

THURSDAY, SEPT 24, 2020
Standing in the Gap/Back Pkg Lot inside Car /1:00 pm
Bible Study/Zoom/2:00 pm

FRIDAY, SEPT 25, 2020
Standing in the Gap/Back Pkg Lot inside Car/9:30 am & 3:00 pm

SATURDAY, SEPT 26, 2020
Confessions/Church/9:00 am

SUNDAY, SEPT 27, 2020
See Services above

OFFERTORY COLLECTION SUNDAY, SEPT 13, 2020:
Regular Collection .................................................... $ 8,481.00
# of Children’s Envs Rcvd ............................................. 3
Faith Direct (9/4/20) .................................................. $ 9,315.00
*Shortfall Collection .................................................. $ 1,100.00

ALL ARE INVITED to use Faith Direct, even if just during this particular time. Enroll online by going to https://membership.faithdirect.net/OH669, or text “Enroll” to 330-969-6310. You may also use “Text-to-Give” for a one-time gift by texting dollar amount to 330-969-6310, then follow the link to complete a one-time registration. If you’re not online, stop by the Parish Office during office hours and pick up a pamphlet to fill out and mail in. THANK YOU! to all who continue to provide faithful Stewardship financial support.

WITH GRATITUDE TO THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS, State Organization, supported through the faithful work and efforts of our own Our Lady of Victory Council and other councils in the State of Ohio. As you may be aware, how we carry out religious education and formation with our children, teens and youth this year (as well as adults) will be different. Since we are unable to use the Tallmadge High School as we have in the past, and without sufficient space to meet with all classes here, in person, as well as other safety concerns, we needed to find ways to carry out this important ministry virtually. We also needed the equipment to support this ministry (and others) virtually. The State of Ohio Knights of Columbus offered a “special” Media Grant for situations such as ours, to which we applied and received $3,000.00, which has helped tremendously to substantially cover the costs of securing the equipment needed for virtual ministry. We also thank our own Council who help support so many things, not only locally, but through their support of the State Council.

CONTINUED THANKS to those who have responded so generously to the Offertory shortfall of $14,800 experienced from March - June (and into July). To-date we have received $6,160. It remains our hope that we will be able to cover this by the end of September of the current Fiscal Year. Thank you again for all you are able to do.

CALAMITIES COLLECTION to aid Hurricane and California wildfire victims and recovery will take place THIS weekend, Sept 19/20. Please make checks payable to Our Lady of Victory and note in the memo line and the outside of the envelope: CALAMITIES 2020. Please place your envelope in the Collection Box near the entrances of the Church, drop off or mail to the Parish Office, or make a one-time contribution online through Faith Direct, making certain you note it for CALAMITIES 2020. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

WE’RE STILL LOOKING FOR SOMEONE ABLE TO DO SIGN LANGUAGE - Please contact Fr Mike at the Parish Office as soon as possible. Thank you!
ANNUAL RESPECT LIFE CHAIN – SUNDAY, OCT 4th, 12:00 to 1:00 pm – To kick off October Respect Life Month, more than 1,450 cities across America will conduct Respect Life Chains to remind their communities of the need to protect the sanctity of human life from conception through natural death. Our Respect Life Team will sponsor this annual event at Our Lady of Victory in front of our church immediately after our 11:00 AM Mass. Parishioners will stand quietly in prayer with Respect Life signs to witness to the importance of living the GOSPEL OF LIFE, the theme chosen by the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops this year, and in celebration of the 25th Anniversary of Pope Saint John Paul II’s pro-life encyclical of the same name. Not only is this witness about bringing an end to the horrors of abortion, but in support of expectant parents, the sick and suffering, the aging, the homeless, and all human persons from the moment of conception until the time of natural death. You, your family, and friends are all welcome to join the Annual Respect Life Chain. Please be aware: there is no need to sign up ahead of time, simply show up. COVID-19 PROTOCOLS are to be respected: Sanitization of hands; masks worn; physical distancing of at least 6 feet between individuals/different household units. Watch for details in next week’s bulletin.

KNIGHTS NEWS - The Our Lady Victory Council 5613 of the Knights of Columbus welcomes two new members: Keith Kinzel and Alex Krukemeyer. Our local council has been able to maintain a steady membership of around 100 men, but we continue to pray that there are others who wish to join our fraternal brotherhood of faithful Catholic men serving our parish and beyond. If interested, please contact Mike Svasta (330-686-0795), Greg Tomei (330-633-6751), or any other Knight.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES UPDATE - Thank you! Your support of the Annual Appeal has made a difference, especially as the needs of our communities continue to grow during COVID-19. As of Aug 31st, 277 parishioners at Our Lady of Victory, have pledged $71,988 toward our parish goal of $74,429. That is 96.72% of our overall goal! Thank you on behalf of those served by Catholic Charities. If you have not yet made your gift, contact Karen Joyce at 800-869-6525 x1910 to give by phone, or make a secure online gift at www.CatholicCommunity.org/donate.

News & Notes in our Neighborhood

YOU ARE MINE Private Directed Retreat – Women suffering after abortion are invited to begin their healing journey by scheduling an individual retreat at Bethesda House of Mercy during October and November. Confession will be available. Covid-19 Virus protocols will be followed. Contact the Community of Jesus, the Living Mercy at 800-482-4100 or email BethesdaHouse@aol.com. More information can be found at www.BethesdaHouseofMercy.org.

HELP NEEDED AT THE OZANAM CENTER - The Ozanam Center needs some help serving our clients. We are social distancing, giving out gloves to clients and they all wear masks so it’s about as safe as can be. If you prefer not dealing with clients right now, we need lots of help in the basement sorting and bringing up clothing, especially since we will be switching to winter clothing soon. If you are available and willing to do some work on a Saturday from 9:30 am - 12:00 pm, please call Cathie or Jim at 330-467-5762 for more information or to sign up. Thank you in advance!

JOBS AVAILABLE - DIOCESE OF CLEVELAND – Foodservice positions available in Akron area. High School diploma or equivalent preferred, previous foodservice experience a plus, must pass BCI and FBI background check, Virtus-trained. Contact Nutrition Services Dept at 800-869-6525 x 3340 or email Carol Szabo at cszabo@dioceseofcleveland.org for more information and an application.

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