

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY & SUNDAY, July 25th/26th

4:00 Martin J. Fink – Ann.

9:00 Ana & John Jurkovic

10:30 Kathleen Zitnik – 32nd Ann.

For our Parishioners

MONDAY, July 27: Weekday

5:00 Alois & Ivana Kodrich

& Joseph & Eva Bruening Foundation – Chapel

TUESDAY, July 28: Weekday

5:00 Bobby (Robert) Galaska – Chapel

WEDNESDAY, July 29: St. Martha

5:00 Bernie Sajovec – Chapel

THURSDAY, July 30: Weekday

5:00 Mici Košir – Chapel

FRIDAY, July 31: St. Ignatius of Loyola

5:00 Eleanor Stanish – 30 Day – Chapel

SATURDAY, August 1: St. Alphonsus Liguori

4:00 Nežka Vidmar

SUNDAY, August 2: 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 Mallik, Primozic & Gaidelis Families

For our Parishioners

10:30 Tony Mocilnikar Family – 10th Ann.

PSALM RESPONSE * ODPEV PRI PSALMU

Lord, I love your commands.

Gospod, kako ljubim tvojo postavu.

REMINDERS TO THOSE COMING TO MASSES

If you are not feeling well or have a temperature of 100.4 degrees or higher, please stay home. Hand sanitizers and masks are available by the main and west entrance (by the handicap ramp) of the church. **As of July 22nd, masks are mandated in the State of Ohio until further notice.** All are encouraged to wear masks at Mass, keeping 6 feet apart in church and when receiving Holy Communion. The green tape on the pews serves as a guide where to sit. Families may sit together. There are no commonly used missals in church. We still have a number of missals with tags (place your name on it) which you may keep as your own. Bring it with you each week. There are still no entrance or offertory processions, or social gatherings after Mass. Eucharistic Ministers, Readers, Commentators, and Altar Servers are not serving at this time. We will inform you if this changes. All door handles and pew surfaces are being cleaned and sanitized between Masses. Daily public Mass at St. Vitus Village Chapel has resumed. Those attending, please wear masks. The dispensation from obligation to attend Sunday Mass remains in effect until further notice for those who are not able to come to church. The three weekend Masses continue to be live streamed at:

<https://www.facebook.comStVitusChurchCleveland/live/>

***Please stay safe and healthy and
continue to pray for one another!***

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“Do Something Beautiful for God”

“The Essential Teachings of Mother Teresa”

“I feel that we too often focus on the negative aspects of life, on what is bad. If we were more willing to see the good and beautiful things that surround us we would be able to transform society. It begins in the family. From there, we can help transform our next-door neighbors with loving service, then others who live in our neighborhood and city. We can bring peace and love to the world. The whole world is hungry for these things, and we can each play a small role in feeding this great hunger.”

ST. VITUS ALTAR SOCIETY – monthly group Mass and Holy Communion will be next Sunday, August 2nd, at the 10:30 a.m. Mass. **NO** meeting in August.

ST. VITUS YOUTH GROUP – is inviting parishioners to an hour of prayer and adoration of the Blessed Sacrament next Monday, August 3rd, at 7:00 p.m. in the church. Please use side entrance for access.

ST. VITUS ALUMNI – The St. Vitus Alumni *Congratulation* Board is happy to share some positive news during these troubling and uncertain times. The scholarship recipients for the 2020/2021 academic school year are: ***Sarah Celestina, Majdi Rudmann, and Ella Slemc.*** All three are excellent students, well-rounded individuals, solid leaders, and all have a profound love of their faith and deep appreciation for Catholic education. Congratulations to all our 2020 recipients! The St. Vitus Alumni Board and St. Vitus Parish wishes them much success in their academic pursuits! May God bless you!

Unfortunately due to current circumstances, the Annual St. Vitus Alumni Homecoming Mass and Luncheon has been cancelled for this year. The hope is to see all their alumni and friends next year! If you are able and willing, please consider a donation to their Bursar Fund. All the money made will be used for scholarships for students of the alumna. Donations may be sent c/o Mrs. Andrea Plassard, Treas., at 6625 Great Oaks Pkwy., Independence, Ohio 44131. Thank you for your consideration!

THANK YOU FROM CATHOLIC CHARITIES

"Dear Fr. Boznar and Parishioners at St. Vitus,

With wholehearted joy and gratitude, I thank and congratulate you and the parishioners of St. Vitus on reaching your 2020 Catholic Charities Annual Appeal goal of \$37,383. Your compassionate leadership and the generosity of those who have supported the Appeal are already at work transforming lives and communities throughout Northeast Ohio. Since the pandemic began, there have been countless testimonies from clients whose lives have been transformed in one way or another through services offered by Catholic Charities. Witnessing the impact of your parish's generosity has truly been a blessing!"

Sincerely Your in Christ,
Rev. Donald P. Oleksiak
Diocesan Administrator

THE FEST@Home 2020 20 Years of Faith, Family and Fun

This year, the one-day, annual Catholic family festival held every August on the seminary grounds in Wickliffe, Ohio, will be brought to your home virtually on Sun., August 9th, from 3:00 – 10:00 p.m. Like always, it will include inspiring Christian artists, messages, and reflections of faith and hope, and ways to help each person and family reflect on the presence, action, and blessing of God in their lives. Since you will be able to visit The FEST virtually, you will still be able to experience prayer and adoration, stop by the Kid's area for faith based crafts, and even zoom in to talk to a priest or deacon for a prayer and blessing. The FEST@Home will conclude with Mass and, a spectacular fireworks display ... all from the comfort and safety of your home. For additional information and/or questions, call 440-943-7662 or visit FEST@TheFEST.us

PILGRIMAGE TO OUR SORROWFUL MOTHER SHRINE IN BELLEVUE, OH – which takes place on the last Sunday in August, has been cancelled this year because of the pandemic.



PARISH OFFERING – Last Sunday amounted to \$2,945.00
St. Vitus Endowment Trust: \$250. – Various individuals.
St. Vitus Food Bank/Poor Box: \$50. –Lodge #9 AMLA & \$50.–AMLA Home Office Matching Gift

Online Donations – 7/1 to 7/15/2020: **\$2,850.** including \$2,500. – Mr. Peter Domanko for St. Vitus Bldg. Fund

ST. VITUS ENDOWMENT TRUST-FOR NEW PARISH HALL:

- \$ 5,000. – (\$ 5,000. Pledge)–St. Vitus Catholic War Veterans Post 1655 in mem. of Dec. Officers & Members of C.W.V. Post 1655
- \$ 2,500. – (\$2,500. Pledge)–M/M Matt & Antonia Urbas in memory of Zakelj & Urbas Families
- \$ 1,000. – (\$ 1,000. Pledge)–Anonymous
- \$ 1,000. – (\$ 1,000. Pledge)–Mrs. Maruska Pogacnik in memory of Branko Pogacnik
- \$ 500. – (\$1,000. Pledge) – M/M Dan & Louise Dejak
- \$ 500. – Miss Rosemary Duh in memory of Stefan Duh Family
- \$ 500. – M/M Peter & Karen Hauptman
- \$ 500. – (\$2,000. Family Pledge) –Mr. Francisek Kuhar in memory of parents, Luka & Jožefa & brother, John Kuhar
- \$ 500. – (\$6,750. Pledge – 2nd pymt.) – Dr./Mrs. Matt & Annie Muller
- \$ 300. – (\$1,000. Pledge) – Mrs. Paulina Likozar Rudmann in memory of Jože & Zalka Likozar
- \$ 190. –Various Individuals in mem. of Ms. Jean Perpar
- \$ 150. – Miss Elizabeth Dolinar
- \$ 100. – M/M Timothy & Barbara Antos in memory of Eleanor Stanish
- \$ 100. – M/M Janez & Annna Bratkovic in memory of parents, Ana & John Jurkovic
- \$ 100. – Ms. Ana Cisco

Sincerest thanks and blessings on everyone!



BOŽJA BESEDA ZA DANAŠNJO NEDELJO

– Naše življenje tu na zemlji bi bilo veliko bolj enostavno, če bi mogli videti in razumeti vse tako kot Bog vidi. To kar se nam včasih zdi tako težavno, boleče in tragično moramo vedno razumeti kot del božjega načrta. V takih trenutkih se človeška modrost ne ujema z božjo modrostjo. Za Jezusa je božja modrost podobna dragocenemu biseru, ki je zakopan na njivi in ga tisti, ki je popolnoma predan iskanju tega zaklada, najde. Namen ostane samo to, da odgovorimo kaj in koliko smo pripravljeni delati, da vstopimo v božje kraljestvo. Kaj nam preperečuje, da bi popolnoma sprejeli in živeli po naukih Jezusa Kristusa? Ob neki priliki je Jezus dejal: **"Kjer je vaš zaklad, tam je vaše srce!"**

OLTARNO DRUŠTVO SV. VIDA – ima mesečno mašo in sv. prihodnjo nedeljo, 2. avgusta, ob 10:30 dopoldne. Po maši **NE** bo sestanka.

NAROČILO SV. MAŠ IN DOGODKOV ZA LETO 2021 – se je začelo, ter samo po telefonu. Dar za maše lahko pošljite po pošti ali pa vrzite v nabiralno košarico pri vikendskih sv. mašah v kuverti ("**za maše 2021**"). Najlepša hvala!

PRISTAVA ODPRTA – Kuhinja in točilnica bosta odprti od 3. do 6. ure z omejeno izbiro hrane in pijače. Plavalni bazen bo odprt od 12. do 6. ure zvečer vsak dan razen ponedeljek. Za več informacij pogledajte www.slovenskapristava.org. in Facebook.

ROMANJE K ŽALOSTNI MATERI BOŽJI V BELLEVUE, OH – Vsakoletno romanje v avgustu k Žalostni Materi Božji letos **NE** bo.

FARNA NABIRKA – od pretekle nedelje je znesla \$2,945.00 Za vse druge podrobnosti in imena darovalcev si oglejte angleški del oznanila. **Vsem prav prisrčna hvala**

SCHEDULING OF MASSES AND EVENTS FOR 2021 – is now in progress by phone only. Stipends may be mailed or placed in the collection basket at the weekend Masses in an envelope marked "**Masses 2021.**"

VISIT TO THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND – We are advised to bring Holy Communion to the sick and the homebound only in absolute necessity. Eucharistic Ministers of the Holy Communion are not permitted to take Communion to the sick for their own good and the good of the infirm.



"POOR BOX" – Thank you for remembering the people in need. You can place your contributions in the "**POOR BOX,**" located just inside the church's main entrance. May the Good God bless you for remembering His needy sons and daughters.

PRISTAVA EVENTS CANCELLED

July 25th - Slovenska Pristava Campers Steak Roast
Aug. 2nd - Pristava Pensioners Picnic
Aug. 16th - St. Mary Parish Picnic
Aug. 22nd - KRES Picnic
All other picnics are pending and will be updated via radio, email, Facebook & www.SlovenskaPristava.org