

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY, September 25: Weekday

4:00 Luka & Jožefa Kuhar

SUNDAY, September 26: 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 Andrew & Lillian Krainz

10:30 Rihtar, Srsen, Cerar & Starič Families
For our Parishioners

MONDAY, September 27: St. Vincent de Paul

5:00 Leon Radej – Chapel

TUESDAY, September 28: Weekday

5:00 Katarina & William Dreu – Chapel

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 29: Ss. Michael, Gabriel & Raphael

5:00 Andrew Cashen – 15th Ann. – Chapel

THURSDAY, September 30: St. Jerome

5:00 Marija Kornik – Chapel

FRIDAY, October 1: St. Therese of the Child Jesus

5:00 Pevec & Szymanski Families – Chapel

SATURDAY, October 2: The Holy Guardian Angels

4:00 Frank Smole

SUNDAY, October 3: 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 Helen & Harry Snyder & Family

For our Parishioners

10:30 Janez Košir



PSALM RESPONSE * ODPEV PRI PSALMU

The precepts of the Lord give joy to the heart.
Gospodovi ukazi so pravi.

LECTORS/BRALCI --- October 2nd/3rd, 2021

Sat. 4:00 P.M. David Fink

Sun. 9:00 A.M. Paul Ferkul

Sun. 10:30 A.M. Paulina Rudmann

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS – October 2nd/3rd, 2021

Sat. 4:00 P.M. Stan Kuhar

Sun. 9:00 A.M. Larry Sterk

Sun. 10:30 A.M. Milan Rihtar/Matt Plecnik



**I Lauren Nicole Calevich (St. Vitus)
Christopher Andrew Taranowski**



SISTERS OF NOTRE DAME BBQ & BOUTIQUE –

is this **Sunday**, Noon to 5:00 p.m. at 13000 Auburn Rd., Chardon, OH. Enjoy ½ BBQ chicken, Cole slaw, Potato chips, roll with butter, and slice of apple pie for \$15. Tickets available online or at the door. No tickets will be mailed. Indoor & outdoor seating has been expanded, and all meals will be boxed for guests who want to dine in or carry out. For the safety of the Sisters, volunteers, & guests, masks are strongly encouraged. Handicapped accessible. For details – www.sndusa.org/BBQ.

ST. VITUS YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY – hour of prayer and adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be next **Mon., Oct. 4th**, at 7:00 p.m. in church. All are invited and welcome. Please use side entrance. Please join us in adoring Christ Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. For additional information, please contact youngvitusministry@gmail.com



WORD OF GOD FOR THIS SUNDAY – What is heaven worth to a follower of Jesus? What must one do to possess eternal life? In his time, Jesus asked this question many times and offered answers. To one person He would say: “Love God and love your neighbor with all your heart and soul.” To another person who told Jesus that he has been keeping the commandments of God, Jesus said: “Give your possessions to the poor and follow me and you will find treasure in heaven.” To others he would advise: Do not spare your possessions nor your God-given talents, indeed not even your health and life in your quest for heaven, for God created you to be with Him for all eternity. Heaven is our chief and the most important goal in our life on earth.

ST. VITUS ALTAR SOCIETY - monthly group Mass and Holy Communion is next Sunday, Oct. 3rd, at the 10:30 a.m. Mass. The meeting will follow in The Village Slovenian Room.

THE 3RD ANNUAL CLEVELAND CATHOLIC WOMEN’S CONFERENCE – will be held on Saturday, Oct. 9, 2021, at the Hilton Garden Inn in Mayfield (700 Beta Dr.) from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. This year’s theme comes from a quote from St. Faustina’s Diary, “The more a soul trusts, the more it will receive” (1578). The day will include Mass celebrated by Bp. Malesic, Eucharistic Adoration, confessions, and inspiring talks by three Catholic speakers. Tickets are on sale now at clecatholicwomen.org.

SLOVENSKA PRISTAVA PENSIONERS – “Koline dinner” on Sun., Oct. 10, 2021, at St. Mary of the Assumption parish hall (15519 Holmes Ave.), 11:30 a.m.–2:30 p.m. Dinner consists of a choice of rice or blood sausage with a fresh sausage, sauerkraut, home-fried potatoes, bread, dessert, and coffee. Cost is \$17. Reservations are NOT required. For questions, please call Frank Vidmar at 440-478-3254.



SPECIAL BENEFIT DINNER – On Sunday, Oct. 17, 2021, St. Vitus Parish in conjunction with St. Anne Lodge #4 and Kras #8 AMLA, and KSKJ Lodge #25, will host a special benefit dinner to assist two families as well as Our Lady of Lourdes Shrine on Chardon Rd. in Euclid, OH. The first family has three children with forms of autism, and the second is for a young mother who was in a horrific car accident on I-90E in June 2021 while seven months pregnant. **Only 500** tickets will be available. Pre-order tickets are strongly recommended. Dinner will be prepared by Joe Tavcar & volunteers. Menu: homemade soup, roasted chicken & roast beef, side dishes, salad, roll/butter, and pastry. Take-out dinners will be available. Cost is \$20. for adults and \$15. for children 12 yrs. or younger. Serving time: 10:45 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Donations encouraged! For reservations and/or questions, please call the rectory, 216-361-1444 or email skuhar@hotmail.com. All checks to be made out to **St. Vitus Endowment Corp. and mailed c/o 6019 Lausche Ave., Cleveland, OH 44103.**

SPECIAL BENEFIT DINNER BAKE SALE – We kindly ask for home-baked goods for the **Bake Sale**. Every donation is very much appreciated!

WELCOME FR. ZINGALES – We have a new priest in residence at St. Vitus. Fr. Jonathan Zingales is newly retired *pastor emeritus* of St. John the Baptist and Visitation of Mary Parishes in Akron. He is getting acclimated to the area and the parish.

Father Zingales will continue working part-time for the Tribunal Office at the Diocese of Cleveland. The tribunal primarily handles questions of matrimonial invalidity and assists with other matters related to canon (Church) law. Fr. Zingales will also be helping with Confessions and both daily and Sunday Masses.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE – Sept. 22 – Oct. 31, you are invited to 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. Also, to stand and peacefully pray anytime between 7AM to 7PM during the 40-day vigil in the public right-of-way outside **Preterm** – 12000 Shaker Blvd., Cleveland, 44120, **Planned Parenthood** – 25350 Rockside Rd., Bedford Hts., 44146, or **Family Planning** – 462 Chardon St., Painesville, 44077. For additional information, please call our parishioner, Milan Rihtar, (440) 944-5309, John Noall, 216-245-9744 or e-mail clevelandpraysforlife@gmail.com

ST. MARY ALTAR SOCIETY BENEFIT DINNER – will be held in the parish hall on Sun., Oct. 3rd, 11:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m. Cost of the roast pork & breaded chicken dinner with soup: \$17. – adults and \$8. – children. Take-outs will be available. There will also be a bake sale. Tickets may be purchased from members of St. Mary's Altar Society, in the rectory, and at the door on the day of the event. All welcome!

CHURCH IMPROVEMENTS – Donations continue to come in for the matching challenge grant for improvements in and around St. Vitus Church. This includes plaster repair, painting, tuckpoint work, a new, rectory phone system, & screen doors in the choir lofts & Sacristy. Plaster and paint repair for the three church vestibules are scheduled for 2022.

An anonymous parishioner has made a maximum \$10,000. challenge matching grant for these tasks. The timetable for the challenge is Aug. 23–Oct. 23, 2021. This week's Donors:

\$500.00 – M/M Ken & Donna Malensek
\$300.00 – M/M David & Ann Bloom
\$250.00 – Mrs. Majda Leksan in memory of husband Rudi
\$200.00 – Mr. Anthony Leksan
\$100.00 – M/M Veronika & Archer Blood
\$100.00 – Mrs. Bernadette Ovsenik - Altar Soc. Raffle Prize
\$ 80.00 – Anonymous

PARISH OFFERING – last Sunday amounted to \$4,544.00
PayPal On-line Donations (9/10/21 – 9/26/21) \$610.
St. Vitus Develop. Corp.: \$110.76 – M/M Aaron Taricska;
Food Bank – M/M David & Maura Young

ST. VITUS ENDOWMENT TRUST – FOR NEW PARISH HALL

\$250.00 – (\$6,750. Pledge) – M/M Matt & Anne Muller
\$200.00 – M/M Greg & Lisa Dolinar–new hall tables & chairs
\$200.00 – M/M Greg & Lisa Dolinar in memory of Milan & Paula Dolinar
\$100.00 – (\$2,500. Pledge) – Anonymous

Sincerest thanks to our generous parishioners, benefactors & friends, and many blessings on everyone!



BOŽJA BESEDA ZA TO NEDELJO – Kolike vrednosti so nebesa njemu, ki sledijo Jezusu? Kaj naj storimo, da dosežemo večno življenje? Jezus je v svojem času to pogosto spraševal in tudi nudil odgovor. Nekomu je rekel: “Ljubi Boga in svoje- ga bližnjega z vsem srcem.” Drugemu, ki je trdil, da se drži Božjih zapovedi, je Jezus dejal: “Daj svoje premoženje ubogim ter hodi za menoj in našel boš zaklade v nebesih.” Drugemu spet: “Ne bodi skop s svojim premoženjem in z od Boga danimi talenti in s svojim zdravjem in življenjem pri svojem iskanju nebes, saj te je Bog ustvaril, da boš z njim vso večnost.” Nebesa so naš glavni in najvažnejši cilj zemeljskega življenja.

OLTARNO DRUŠTVO SV. VIDA – ima mesečno skupno sv. mašo in obhajilo prihodnjo nedeljo, 3. okt., ob 10:30 dop. Po maši bo sestanek v Slovenski sobi v St. Vitus Village.

DOBRODELNO KOSILO – v nedeljo, 17. oktobra bo fara sv. Vida priredila dobrodelno kosilo za dve potrebni družini in za Lurdško kapelo na Chardon Rd. Servirali bodo od 10:45 dopoldne – 1:30 popoldne. Postregli bodo domačo juho, pečene piške ali govedino v omaki, solato, zelenjavo, kruh in sladico. Cena za odrasle je \$20, za otroke pod 12 let pa \$15. Strogo priporočamo, da se vstopnice najavite v predprodaji. Kličite (216) 361-1444 ali pa email skuhar@hotmail.com. Prostovoljni prispevki zelo dobrodošli. Prosimo da check napišite na **St. Vitus Endowment Corporation in ga pošljite c/o 6019 Lausche Ave., Cleveland, OH 44103.**



Za **PRODAJO PECIVA** pri kosilu vas lepo prosimo za domače pecivo! Vsak dar bo hvaležno sprejet!

KOSILO OLTARNEGA DRUŠTVA FARE MARIJE VNEBOVZETE – v Collinwoodu prihodnjo nedeljo, 3. okt. od 11:00 dop. do 1:00 popoldne v župnijski dvorani. Cena kosila (juha, pohan piščanec/svinjska pečenka), \$17 za odrasle in \$8 za otroke. Imeli bodo tudi prodajo peciva. Nakaznice lahko kupite pri članicah društva, v župnišču Marije Vnebovzete, ali pri vratih na dan kosila. Kosilo, ki ga želite vzeti domov, bo tudi na razpolago. Vsi vabljeni!

FARNA NABIRKA – pretekle nedelje je znesla \$4,544.00 Za vse druge podrobnosti in imena darovalcev si oglejte angleški del oznanila. ***Vsem prav prisrčna hvala!***

SLOVENSKA PRISTAVA'S ANNUAL OKTOBERFEST – Sat., Oct. 2nd, in the Lausche Hall, beginning at 5:30 p.m. Wiener schnitzel, bratwurst, side dishes and apple strudel will be served from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Gottscheer Blaskapelle will perform starting at 5:30 p.m. Enjoy a wide selection of traditional german beers and the musical talents of the Veseli Godci. Dinner tickets must be reserved by contacting Ursi Prosen, ursulaprosen@gmail.com or 216-233-3689. A \$5. entrance fee will be charged to all non-members.

BLANKET SUNDAY – The 35th Annual Blanket Sunday Collection to aid the needy will be on the weekend of October 9/10th. It is sponsored by the Diocesan St. Vincent de Paul Society. As in past years, we request that cash donations be made. More details in next week's bulletin.