

ST. JOHN FISHER CHURCH • JUNE 25, 2017

TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

PARISH EVENTS OF THE WEEK

Tuesday, June 27

Tuesdays @10

Wednesday, June 28

8:30 am – 11:30 am – Eucharistic Adoration

Saturday, July 1

7:45 am – Catholic Men's Fellowship



Readings for 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: 2 Kings 4:8-11, 14-16a

Second Reading: Romans 6:3-4, 8-11

Gospel: Matthew 10:37-42

SUMMER RELIGIOUS ED REGISTRATION LATE FEE NOW IN EFFECT!

Our annual Summer Religious Education (SRE) program will be held from July 24th – August 4th, 2017. The classes are Monday through Friday from 8:30 am – 12:30 pm and are for children entering grades 1-8 in the fall of 2017. The main focus of this program is to teach the fundamentals of our faith. Our classes feature experienced, professional teachers, development of liturgical music skills, and follow up family programs during the church year. During the summer program, parents and other parishioners volunteer to serve as teacher's aides and snack helpers, and provide daily breakfast for the teaching staff. Registration materials are available in the Gathering Space. For further information contact Jim Crosby at 561-9431 ext. 113.

FR. STEVE'S RETIREMENT PARTY

Fr. Steve Walter is officially retiring on June 30th, but he will continue to celebrate mass with us through July until Fr. Del Staigers returns from his sabbatical. In honor of Fr. Steve's service to our parish, we have planned a retirement party immediately following the 11:00 am Mass on Sunday, August 6th. The party, which will include sandwiches, a variety of side dishes and your favorite items from our fabulous hospitality team, will be held in Pater Hall. Please mark your calendars and plan to attend on August 6th to show your appreciation to Fr. Steve for his dedicated ministry to the St. John Fisher Community.

35TH NEWTOWN 5K RUN/WALK

The 2017 Newtown 5K will be on Saturday, August 12, 2017, starting at 8:30 am as usual. This year, St. John Fisher Parish is partnering with Turpin High Cross Country as well as the Newtown Civic League to put on the 35th Run/Walk of this successful community building event. Your help will be needed again in August, and a volunteer sign-up sheet will be in the transition area for several weeks leading up to race day. Thanks for your support and prayers!

See newtown5krun.com for additional information.

HOSPITALITY NEWS

Due to parish scheduling, there will be no hospitality the month of July. See you August 6th.

WELCOME AND THANK YOU

Next weekend please welcome Fr. David Doseck, our new Parochial Vicar for the Pastoral Region of St. John Fisher and St. Veronica.

During the month of July Fr. Pat Crone, Fr. David Doseck, and Fr. Steve Walter will be on a rotation to preside at both parishes throughout the month on weekends. Please check the bulletin for weekday Mass schedules.

I want to take this time to thank Fr. Hans for his willingness and availability over the past two months at Saint Veronica, while I have been away on sabbatical. Personally, I appreciate his presence here so that I can be away. And, as always, a continued thanks to Fr. Pat for his unfailing presence as he leads us in worship. Thank you to Fr. Steve Walter for delaying his retirement for a month so that I could participate in the retreat being offered in July.

As you read this I am beginning my 30 day silent Ignation Retreat. This sabbatical has been a real gift to me, and I appreciate everyone's kindness in giving me this time.

I will be back the first week of August refreshed and excited to be back and ready to pastor both of our parishes in our region. Please pray for me, and be assured of my prayers for you.

Fr. Del Staigers

HELP WELCOME OUR NEW PAROCHIAL VICAR!

On July 1st our new parochial vicar, Fr. David Doseck, begins his first assignment as associate pastor for the parishes of St. John Fisher and St. Veronica. Since he will reside at the parish rectory, we will need to furnish the home with all of the household essentials Fr. David will need to live there, like dishes, silverware, pots, pans, mixing bowls, towels, etc. We thought it would be a great idea to create a gift registry and invite parishioners to purchase something on his registry list to give him as a welcome gift. Please see the insert in this bulletin as to how you can welcome Fr. David in his first assignment at St. John Fisher and St. Veronica.

SAINT JOHN FISHER-SAINT VERONICA PASTORAL REGION

Plans continue as we form our pastoral region! One of the ways we will see this beginning in July is that on the weekends the three priests will begin a regular rotation in both parishes. That will mean that Father Steve, Father David and Father Pat will all be presiding at Mass in both parishes. At the end of July Father Steve will leave the rotation, and Father Del will begin to be part of it.

For the weekdays of July, Father Steve and Father David will be working out of Saint John Fisher, so please do not hesitate to contact us with any needs you may have.

All ministers may check their future schedules at:
www.ministryschedulerpro.com?user=stjfvolunteer

SERVER SCHEDULE

July 1st and 2nd

Saturday, 4:30 pm – Maria & Michael Taylor

Sunday, 9:00 am – Jordan & Erin Fanning, Lauren Sayre

Sunday, 11:00 am – Arlyn Scott, Zachary & Mariana Richard

WE NEED YOUR HELP! SRE TEACHER'S BREAKFAST

There are sign-up sheets in the gathering space for you to help bring **Breakfast for our Teachers** during Summer Religious Ed. This is much appreciated by our teaching staff. We need your help to provide this from July 24th thru August 4th. Please sign-up today! Thank you.

ST. VERONICA MAJOR AWARD TICKETS FOR SALE!

Would you like to win a pile of cash, say \$25,000? If so, purchase a major award ticket for this year's St. Veronica festival. They are \$100 each and only 400 tickets will be sold. The drawing is June 25th, 2017 at 8:30 pm. Tickets are available at St. Veronica's Festival Saturday and Sunday.

ANNUAL COLLECTION FOR PETER'S PENCE

The collection this weekend supports the Pope's charity work. Please help Our Holy Father in this endeavor.

HONOR ROLL CONGRATULATIONS

We congratulate Evan Chick, attending Archbishop Moeller High School, on receiving First Honors for the fourth quarter of the 2016 – 2017 academic school year.

HONOR ROLL CONGRATULATIONS

We congratulate the following students from St. Xavier High School who achieved honors for the second semester of the 2016-2017 academic school year.

First Honors: Carter Rammes and John Arthur Williams
Second Honors: Nicholas Bach, Nicholas Bernloehr
Kenneth Face, John Sayre, Joseph Sullivan.

WELCOME!

Whether you are here for the first time, or it has been a while since you have worshipped with us, we want you to know that we value your presence in our community! If you are not Catholic, or have been away from the church, and would like more information about St. John Fisher Parish, please call Jim Crosby in the parish office at 561-9431x113. If you are already a member and would like to explore ways in which you can become involved, please visit our newly designed website at sjfchurch.org to discover the many liturgical, social and outreach opportunities available. On the home page you may sign up for our new e-newsletter and there is a list of contacts under the "ministries" tab. We are excited to be able to share the many opportunities available to reconnect with your faith!

COMMUNITY PRAYER EVENT MONDAY, JUNE 26TH

Remember to attend the event hosted this month by Mt. Washington Baptist Church, 2021 Sutton Ave, starting at 7:00 pm. The next Community Prayer Event will be July 17th in Stanbary Park at 7:00 pm. All are welcome!

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, June 26

12:00 – Bob Kneipp (Will & Jean Schwartz)

Tuesday, June 27

8:00 am – Antonio & Celia Mello (Donna Mack)

Wednesday, June 28

8:00 am – Steven Shondel

Thursday, June 29

8:00 am – Communion Service

Friday, June 30

12:00 noon – Communion Service

Saturday, July 1

4:30pm – St. John Fisher Community

Sunday, July 2

9:00 am – Diane Schlosser (Linda Huhn)

11:00 am – Edward Kelley (Ann Kelley)

HOTEL TOILETRY COLLECTION

We are once again accepting donations of hotel toiletry items collected during your summer travels. This year we will be splitting the donations between Tender Mercies and Bethany House. Both organizations support the homeless population in the city of Cincinnati. A container marked "Hotel Toiletry Collection" will be located in the gathering space for your donations. We will collect items through Labor Day weekend. Thank you!!

NEW ON FORMED: ST. ANTHONY

This is the first major feature length drama on the life of St. Anthony of Padua, the beloved miracle worker and one of the most popular saints in Christian history. Made in Italy with top-notch acting talent, and superb cinematography, this is an outstanding film on the amazing life of St. Anthony. It presents Anthony as a dynamic and appealing person who sacrificed wealth, popularity and family for the Kingdom of God. If you have not yet signed up for FORMED, here's how easy it is: go to www.formed.org. You will see a box that says "Register for free. Sign up using your parish code." Type in the parish code B68MWG. Now set up a username and a password and you are all set to use all the great programs on formed.org anytime by simply logging in.

PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS

our parishioners who are sick and in need of your prayers: Marilyn Dillon, Jeannie Koepfer, Betty Moehringer, Esther Montag, Barbara Mueller, Lee Murrell, Fr. Giles Pater, Audrey Rapien, Mary Roberts, Bob and Dolores Rolfes, Geneva Schafer-Minnich, Anita Schafer, Katie Wellman, Jean Werning.



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