



**TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**

SATURDAY October 8, 2016 Vigil
5:30 p.m. - John Lencse
(*Mary Lencse*)

SUNDAY, October 9, 2016
9:30 a.m. - Ronald Sapatka Jr.
(*Carole & Dan Doyle*)

Monday, October 10, 2016
8:45 a.m. - Richard Rakovan
(*Frank & Jacque Foote*)

Tuesday October 11, 2016
8:45 a.m. - Rita Prudic
(*Jim Rarick*)

Wednesday, October 12, 2016
8:45 a.m. - Ralph "Pete"
Burnett
(*David & Barbara Bailey*)

Thursday, October 13, 2016
8:45 a.m. - Bob Corrigan
(*Jim & Carol Sirl*)

Friday, October 14, 2016
NO MASS

**TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**
SATURDAY October 15, 2016 Vigil
5:30 p.m. - Pete Burnett
(*Muriel Martin*)

SUNDAY, October 16, 2016
9:30 a.m. - Thomas Heller
(*The Herman Family*)

Daily Scripture Readings

OCTOBER

10 Gal 4:22-24, 26-27, 31—5:1/
Lk 11:29-32

11 Gal 5:1-6/Lk 11:37-41

12 Gal 5:18-25/Lk 11:42-46

13 Eph 1:1-10/Lk 11:47-54

14 Eph 1:11-14/Lk 12:1-7

15 Eph 1:15-23/Lk 12:8-12

16 Ex 17:8-13/2 Tm 3:14—4:2/
Lk 18:1-8



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Dear Parish Family,

This past week, Fr. Kawalec and I attended the Convocation of Priests for the Diocese of Cleveland at Sawmill Creek Resort in Huron. Every other year, usually in October, all the Priests of the Diocese of Cleveland gather for this multi-day event to reflect on our Priestly ministry. The program always includes speakers from across the nation and from our own diocese offering their insights. It is also an opportunity for brother priests to get together to share fraternal fellowship in a less formal atmosphere. There is time for us to gather for daily, communal prayer and for daily Mass. The convocation this year began on Tuesday afternoon, October 4th and ended on Friday, October 7th.

One of the themes of the convocation was the need to plan for the future so as to effectively address the pastoral needs of the people of the Diocese of Cleveland. It is not a secret that the number of priestly ordinations has not kept up with deaths and retirements for quite some time now. The number of active priests in the diocese has been dropping for decades. More priests are being asked to take on more than one assignment. It will soon not be uncommon to see what we have experienced at St. Mary's in Chardon and at St. Patrick's in Thompson since the end of 2011.

As we look to the future, we must always do so through the eyes of faith, while also embracing a spirit of hopefulness and with a genuine love for God and the Church as a whole. There will be challenging decisions to be made in the years to come. At the same time, we can give thanks for the men who have answered God's call to the Priesthood. We are blessed to have two men from St. Mary Parish who are studying for the priesthood for the Diocese of Cleveland at St. Mary Seminary in Wickliffe. They are Dan Morgan and Dave Verbsky. We also blessed to have a young man from St. Mary Parish by the name of Rick Hederstrom who is studying for Religious Life. It is my sincere hope that more men from both St. Patrick Parish and St. Mary Parish will hear the voice of God calling them to what is truly a high adventure of discipleship.

May God give us the wisdom and the courage to look to the future not with fear, but with an abiding faith in Jesus Christ, our Lord. His grace and His power can do more than we can ask or imagine. May our minds and hearts be open to the grace of God and the promptings of the Holy Spirit. Let us be witnesses to the restoration of all things in Christ.

God bless you.

Fr. Dan Redmond

Are you in need of Physical, Spiritual or Emotional healing?

Come to a Healing service with Frank Kelly:

October 17—St. Joseph's Church, Cuyahoga Falls after 6:30 pm Mass

October 18—Immaculate Conception Church, Madison after 7 pm Mass

October 19—Church of St. Mary Assumption, Cleveland after 7 pm Mass

October 21—Immaculate Conception Church, Willoughby after 7 pm Mass

Frank's teaching ministry consists of healing services which are marked with periods of individual prayers. Powerfully accentuated by his spiritual gifts, discernment and word of knowledge, his prayers are often accompanied by instructions to pray specific novenas for the intercession of saints. Frank is an amazing man who God uses to as a Conduit of Healing. Frank's Ministry is supported and sanctioned by Cardinal Sean O'Malley.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS for OCTOBER 15 & 16, 2016

	October 15 at 5:30 pm	October 16 at 9:30 am
LECTOR	Joddi Savage	Jonathan Dudd
EMHC	Trudi Clark, Marilyn Schwartz	Brenda Brcak
PLA	Mark & Kathy Oravec	Dan & Carole Doyle
SERVERS	Trent & Luke Shuttly Alyssa Motherbaugh	Anthony & Nicky Rosati
COUNTING CREW		B Team

Today is Blanket Sunday—Thank You!!

Thank you for your donation to our Blanket Sunday collection. The Diocesan St. Vincent de Paul Society will make your money go further with bulk purchases of blankets and other items for the homeless and poor for use in our area. You may also donate online at www.svdpcle.org.

Religious Education: Parish School of Religion

Since our PSR classes met on Tuesday, October 4, the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi, one of our 4th and 5th grade teachers, Mr. Mark Oravec, talked with our children about the life of St. Francis. The son of a rich cloth merchant, Francis still



yearned for something more than all of his riches. He converted to a life of prayer, rebuilt the church in San Damiano, helped the poor, and drew five thousand men to the order of Franciscans. As a community, we prayed the Prayer of St. Francis of Assisi asking our Lord to make us an instrument of His peace. Along with the St. Francis prayer, we each thought of a special intention for which we could pray and Danny Cadorette, along with the assistance of Deacon Bob, lit a candle uplifting our prayers to God.

It is time to start thinking of your favorite saint and to start doing a little research about that special person. **Saints' Dress-Up Day is Tuesday, November 1 before the 7:00 p.m. Mass. All are welcome to come see and hear about saints' lives as the children share their stories!**

Pro-Life:



When we pray at a 40 Days for Life vigil, we're praying for the babies who are scheduled to be aborted, the moms ... and even the abortion facility workers. They see the peaceful vigil every day -- on the way into the office, on the way home at night ... and every time they look out the window. And yesterday ... some of those workers

saw a big 40 Days for Life bus outside and heard a Silent No More testimony. Eventually, some abortion center employees finally hear the voice of their consciences -- and the voice of God. There have been 133 abortion workers who've had changes of heart and quit their jobs during 40 Days for Life vigils!

Let us keep praying that more unborn may be saved during these 40 days.

Jubilee Year of Mercy

"Believing in the crucified Son means 'seeing the Father,' means believing that love is present in the world and that this love is more powerful than any kind of evil in which individuals, humanity, or the world are involved. Believing in this love means *believing in mercy*. For mercy is an indispensable dimension of love; it is as it were love's second name." St. John Paul II, *Dives in Misericordia*, 1980.



**Offering for:
October 2, 2016**

October 2:	\$ 5,831.00
Votive Candles:	\$ 36.44
Capital Improv.:	\$ 264.00
Diocesan Assess:	\$ 20.00
Lawn Service:	\$ 25.00
Catholic Comm.:	\$ 25.00
Louisiana Flood:	\$ 10.00
Good Sams Donuts & Bake Sale:	\$ 72.25 + \$196.93

162 envelopes and loose checks

Thank you for your generous support of our parish ministries and operations.

St. Patrick, pray for us!



WE PRAY FOR ALL THOSE WHO ARE ILL. MAY GOD BLESS THEM WITH HOPE AND HEALING

In a special way, we pray for Ed Baitt, Carol & John Bobrowski, Joan & Jerry Catalano, Frank Foote, Laura Gyorki, Kim Hamilton, Mark Humphreys, Monica Karl, Jeanne Koritansky, Rick Kawalec, Carol Maline, Mella McCain, Anthony Mihalic, Joseph & Hildegard Redmond, Connor Sayers, Fr. Paul Sciarrotta, Katy Sirna and Ann (Betty) Zgonc.

WE PRAY FOR ALL THOSE WHO HAVE DIED.

May the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen.

