

**Maker Fun Factory Vacation Bible School July 11-13**



**Lively music and hand motions energized the group!!**



**Sharing a meal helped friendships to grow!!**



**Marilyn Schwartz started each day with a "teachable moment".**



**Participants created beautiful birdhouses to care for God's creatures!!**



**Short video clips reinforced daily themes and engaged the interests of the children.**

**Imagination Station activities provided "hands on experiences to learn more about God!!**



**Outdoor fun with games had the children hopping and skipping!!**



**Bible stories "came to life" through word and actions!!**



**Catholic Charities Thanks You ... St. Patrick Parishioners!!**

**Thank you!** Catholic Charities is able to provide hope through the support of the faithful throughout our diocese. As of June 30, 46,811 donors have pledged \$11,642,711 toward our \$12M goal and 117 parishes have exceeded their own goals!

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**You Did it for Me.** 67 parishioners of St. Patrick Church have pledged \$41,811 toward our parish goal of \$13,596. That is 307% of our overall goal! From Matthew's gospel, Jesus tells us "Amen, I say to you, whatever you did for the least among us, you did it for me." Your support of the 2017 Catholic Charities Annual Appeal provides help to the least among us, in the name of Jesus. If you have not yet donated, please consider a generous gift to the Catholic Charities Annual Appeal. Contact Holly Hebebrand at 800-869-6525 ext. 1049 to make a gift by phone or make a secure gift at <http://www.catholiccommunity.org/donate>.

We invite you to view the stories of inspiration and see the faces that you have impacted through your generosity. Please visit: <http://www.catholiccommunity.org/2017appeal>.

**Prayers for Those Actively Serving in the Military**

We would like to honor and pray for those members of our parish, and their immediate family members, who are actively serving in any of the five branches of our military forces (Air Force, Army, Coast Guard, Marines, Navy). Please send ([phillipkraynik@sbcglobal.net](mailto:phillipkraynik@sbcglobal.net)), or give, your loved ones' name and branch of service to Deacon Phil. He will coordinate with our Pastoral Associate: Mrs. Batchman, to have the names placed in our Parish Bulletin so that our entire Parish Family can remember your loved ones in prayer as they continue to serve and protect our nation. We also ask that as your loved one completes their time in the service that you please let us know so that we can keep our list as accurate as possible.



**We welcome everyone to St. Patrick Church!!**

As we gather to praise and worship God at Mass, we become the Body of Christ, united to serve God and others. To better serve our parish families we ask that you register with the parish.

Please call the Parish Office 440-298-1327 or complete a Registration Form. These are available in the entry area of the church.

**Thank you for joining us!!**

**Many Thanks to ALL our Volunteers Who Generously Gave of their Time and Talents to Care For the 28 Children Who Participated in Vacation Bible Shool this Summer!!**



**... Our teens:** Abigail Bartholomew, Maggie Clark, Alyssa & Julie Duncan, Alyssa Mothersbaugh, Anne & Grace Costello, Emily Seamon, Nathan & tori Soria, Nello Ianiro, Abby & Nicolette Rosati and Sarah Wendl.

**... our Adults:** Cindy Bartholomew, Gina Basich, Larry & Trudi Clark, Bobbie Duncan, Jonathan Dudt, Amy Hochschild, Domenic & Jessica Ianiro, Diane Long, Michelle May, Mark

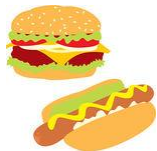
& Kathy Oravec, Carol & Jim Sirl, Brooke Perlik, Amanda Schwartz, Mandy Townsend, Elizabeth Wendl and Julie Yedlick.

**... and we think that the adults had just as much fun ... as the children!!**



**Annual Parish Picnic: Saturday August 12**

Great fun and  
delicious food!!



You, your family and friends are invited  
to the St. Patrick's Annual Parish Picnic on

**SATURDAY August 12, 5:00 pm**  
(Rain or shine the picnic will be held!)

**Salads, side dishes & deserts and volunteers are needed.**  
**There are sign up sheets in the church entry area.**

If you have questions, please contact Bill (440) 487-1464  
or Lisa (440) 251-0297 Mothersbaugh, or by e-mail at  
[steelerbill29@att.net](mailto:steelerbill29@att.net) or [lisa.mothersbaugh@att.net](mailto:lisa.mothersbaugh@att.net)

**All are welcome!!**

**Wheel Chair & Wireless Microphone System in Church Hall**

Thanks to Jane & Chuck Myden for their generosity, as we now have a wheelchair available for use in the lower hall. Along with greater access within the church building, we can now offer use of the wheelchair to assist those in need. It can be found in the middle room area of the women's rest room. It is a smaller wheelchair and can fit through the restroom doorways. Please use it as needed or help inform visitors to assist them and then return it to its storage place. We appreciate the generosity of the Mydens!

Thanks to the Himmelman family for their donation of new wireless microphones for the sound system in the lower hall. We appreciate the time and effort from Dan Himmelman to install and repair our sound system. The microphones were essential this past week with Vacation Bible School and will be needed for our upcoming Chinese Auction. Many thanks to the Himmelmans!

**Men on a Journey! – Bible Study Edition**

Men (adults and teens) – join us for our next Bible Study on Tuesday evening August 1<sup>st</sup>. We gather at 7:00 pm at St. Mary, Chardon in the Hospitality Room. Great learning, great fellowship, great support along our journey! Questions? Contact Gary Burling: [gt2784@roadrunner.com](mailto:gt2784@roadrunner.com). Hope you can join us!

**Catholic Family Day with Mass and a Cleveland Indians Game**

Join the Cleveland Indians for Mass and a ball game for catholic Family Day at Progressive Field on October 1, 2017. Pre-Game Mass at 10:15 am in the Ball Park. Tickets starting at \$14. Purchase on-line with this link: <http://m.mlb.com/indians/tickets/group/catholicfamilyday> and enter the special passcode "baseball". Any additional questions please call 216-420-4162 or e-mail [jplys@indians.com](mailto:jplys@indians.com).

**CATHOLIC  
FAMILY  
DAY!!**

**Pilgrimage to Fatima, Lourdes, and Barcelona**

Our "Fatima 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary" 10 Day Pilgrimage to the Shrines of Fatima, Lourdes and Barcelona's Sagrada Familia will be offered November 5-14, 2017. **Spiritual Directors are Fr. Dan Redmond and Fr. Tom Sweany.** We will be departing Cleveland Hopkins International Airport with Bus transportation to the airport round trip from both St. Mary's Chardon and St. Anselm Chesterland at the all land and air inclusive costs of \$3249.00. We will be visiting Lisbon, Fatima Portugal, Burgos Spain, Lourdes and Carcassone France, Barcelona Spain and more. Brochures and reservation forms available at St. Mary's Office, or from Catholic Tour at 1-877-627-4268 or e-mail [jimadair@thecatholictour.com](mailto:jimadair@thecatholictour.com).

July/August St. Patrick calendar