



January 14, 2018 SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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Saturday, January 13, Vigil
4:00 p.m. – Joe, Angie & Mary Zielinski
(Cheryl & Donald Zielinski)

Sunday, January 14, 2018
9:30 a.m. – Beverly & Ronald Sapatka Sr.
(Carole & Dan Doyle)

Monday, January 15, 2018 through
Friday, January 19, 2018
NO MASS

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday, January 20, Vigil
4:00 p.m. – Robert & Doris Yedlicka
(Andy & Julie Yedlick)

Sunday, January 21, 2018
9:30 a.m. – Victor & Jennie Yenc
(Victor Jr. & Edward Yenc)



Weekdays,
morning Mass at St. Mary in
Chardon is at 7:30 AM.

JANUARY

- 15 1 Sm 15:16-23/Mk 2:18-22
- 16 1 Sm 16:1-13/Mk 2:23-28
- 17 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/
Mk 3:1-6
- 18 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7/Mk 3:7-12
- 19 1 Sm 24:3-21/Mk 3:13-19
- 20 2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27/
Mk 3:20-21



Dear Parish Family,

In today's Gospel for the Second Sunday in Ordinary Time (John 1:35-42), two of the disciples of John the Baptist hear him recognize Jesus as "the Lamb of God." They immediately follow our Lord. After staying with Jesus, one of them, Andrew, shares the good news with his brother, Simon. He tells his brother, "We have found the Messiah" and brings him to Jesus. The rest, as they say, is salvation history.

One of the things that we see very clearly is that, for the true disciple of Christ, it's all about Jesus. John the Baptist lost two disciples that day but he knew that Jesus was the Lamb of God. Christ must increase and John must decrease. Likewise, Andrew could have felt that Jesus was elevating his brother Simon when he was named "Cephas" (which is translated, "Peter") by our Lord. Andrew does not indicate any feelings in this regard.

For the disciple of Christ, there is great joy in encountering Christ and in bringing others to our Lord. Perhaps we might make that one of our New Year's resolutions. Like Andrew, let's allow ourselves to more readily encounter Christ through prayer, the sacraments of Eucharist and Penance, sacrifices and works of charity. Let's be courageous in inviting others to come to experience Christ through His Church. If each of us could bring one person to join us in worship, imagine what our faith community would look like.

I pray that all of us will come to know, love and serve our Lord Jesus Christ more deeply in 2018.

God bless you.

Fr. Dan Redmond

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Following Sunday Morning Mass



On weekends when Fr. Dan Redmond is here for Sunday morning Mass, if his schedule allows, he will be available for Confession immediately following Mass. Please listen to the closing announcements, when he will confirm his availability.

To schedule a Mass Intention or Bulletin Announcement

Please call St. Patrick Parish Office at 440-298-1327, or place a Mass Intention envelope in the collection basket.

We are scheduling Mass Intentions for 2018 and 2019. For bulletin announcements, please contact Pattie Batchman at batchman.pattie@gmail.com by Monday evening. Thank You!



LITURGICAL MINISTERS for January 20 & 21:

	January 20	January 21
LECTOR	Linda Ropchock	Rob Schwartz
EMHC	Trudi Clark, Marilyn Schwartz	Pattie & Scott Batchman
PLA	Beth Heinz	Trudi Clark
SERVERS	Evan Heller, Jason Ryan	Anthony & Nicky Rosatti
COUNTING CREW	D Team	

Parish School of Religion News

A belated 'thank you' to Mrs. Mary Husek and Mrs. Amanda Schwartz who volunteered their time to organize and to practice with our students for our Christmas Vigil Nativity. Your help was much appreciated!



The annual PSR Fun Night is scheduled for Tuesday, January 16th. We have scheduled an alternate Family Fun Night on Tuesday, January 23rd just in case of inclement weather on the 16th. **Please NOTE: the Family Fun Night will be starting at the earlier time of 6:00 P.M. with a pizza dinner.** Mark your calendars and bring the whole family for a very fun evening!

A notice to PSR parents: The Diocesan Training Program for the young people of our parish, "Called to Protect", will be implemented into our PSR program on these dates: February 6th, 20th, and 27th. The training will be for students in Grades 1-6, and will be incorporated into the regular class time on these dates. It will not be necessary for Grade 7 to participate since they have already had this training in the past. If there are any questions about this program, please contact the PSR office at 440-298-1845. **Those parents who are new to the PSR program will be notified about an orientation parent session which explains the "Called to Protect" program and how we are implementing it into our PSR program. This meeting will be held on Tuesday, January 30th from 6:15 to 7:30 P.M.**

PRO-LIFE:



The U.S. bishops' annual novena 9 Days for Life takes place Thursday, January 18 – Friday, January 26. Pray for the respect and protection of all human life with new intentions, brief reflections, and more each day.

Download the novena online, or participate through Facebook, email, text message, or an app. Join at www.9daysforlife.com!

"Calling all" High School Students!

Have you ever found yourself searching? Come HOME this year to Immaculate Conception Church's youth renewal #43! You'll meet amazing friends, have tons of fun and be filled with Jesus' love.



This overnight retreat is unlike anything you've ever experienced. Begins at 8:00 AM sat. Feb. 17 and ends with a closing Mass with renewalists and their families at 3:00 PM on Sunday Feb. 18.

For questions and to register, email ICCYouthRenewal@gmail.com or pick up a registration form in the entry area of church. You won't regret it! See you there!"

**Offering for:
January 7, 2018**

January 7:	\$ 3,231.00
Votive Candles:	\$ 19.00
Capital Improv.:	\$ 1,123.00
Diocesan Assess:	\$ 10.00
Good Samaritans:	\$ 50.15
Charity Fund:	\$ 1,000.00
Christmas :	\$ 150.00
Solemnity of Mary:	\$ 102.00

89 envelopes and loose checks

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

St. Patrick, pray for us!



In a special way, we pray for: Chris Barber, Barbara Bock, Nanette Bryant, Joan Catalano, Frank Foote, Fr. Joseph Goebel, Jim Hale, Kim Hamilton, Fr. Ed Janoch, Rick Kawalec, Jeanine Kozelka, Bishop Richard Lennon, Jacqueline Loveland, Delores Lynch, Mella McCain, Anthony Mihalic, Virginia Perlik, Carol Pietch, Hildegard Redmond, Melissa Rhodes, Roseanne Ricci, Connor Sayers, Katy Sirna, Lance Sneath, Billy Terlop, Kathy Vernon, Joel Walton and Ann Zgonc.

WE PRAY FOR ALL THOSE WHO HAVE DIED:

Betty Kraynik, mother of Deacon Phil Kraynik, and Don Holt.



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