


**FIFTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**

Saturday, February 3, Vigil
4:00 p.m. – Frank & Sienna
McKeon
(Ken & Elaine Bruening)

Sunday, February 4, 2018
9:30 a.m. –PSR Students &
Their Families
(Pattie & Scott Batchman)

Monday, February 5, 2018
8:45 a.m.— Mr. J. A. Misoosky
& Sue Misoosky
(Carolyn Stauffer)

Tuesday, February 6, 2018
8:45 a.m.— Fr. Paul Sciarrotta
(Deacon Bob & Marilyn Schwartz)

Wednesday, February 7, 2018
8:45 a.m.— Gerelyn Clark
(The Clark Family)

Thursday, February 8, 2018
8:45 a.m.—St. Patrick
Parishioners

Friday, February 9, 2018
NO MASS

**SIXTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**

Saturday, February 10, Vigil
4:00 p.m. – Bertha Fay
(Wendy & Bob Rossoli)

Sunday, February 11, 2018
9:30 a.m. –Richard Boruta
(Annette Antalik)

Daily Scripture Readings
FEBRUARY

5 1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13/Mk 6:53-56

6 1 Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30/
Mk 7:1-13

7 1 Kgs 10:1-10/Mk 7:14-23

8 1 Kgs 11:4-13/Mk 7:24-30

9 1 Kgs 11:29-32; 12:19/
Mk 7:31-37

10 1 Kgs 12:26-32; 13:33-34/
Mk 8:1-10

11 Lv 13:1-2, 44-46/
1 Cor 10:31—11:1/
Mk 1:40-45



February 4, 2018 FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Dear Friends in Christ,

This Sunday is the 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time. The Gospel according to Mark (1:29-39) takes us to Galilee and the home of Simon Peter's mother-in-law. She is ill with fever and Jesus heals her. Soon, the whole town was gathered at the door. The very next morning, Jesus went off to a deserted place and prayed. The people, of course, were looking for him, but our Lord makes it clear that he and the disciples must move on to other towns.

It would have been very easy for Jesus to stay in that town. He was popular. Still he tells the disciples, "Let us go on to the nearby villages that I may preach there also. For this purpose have I come."

Our Blessed Lord gives us, I believe, a wonderful lesson. The true, spiritual life does not allow for us to stay in our "safe" places and comfort zones. The Lord calls us to take that next good step on the path-way of discipleship. This requires us to have a greater trust in our Lord. It can also require us enter into ways of living that might feel uncomfortable to us. Forgiveness of those who have hurt us or asking forgiveness of those we have hurt in some way can be difficult. It is, however, the way of the Christian. Giving up time on the computer or watching television so that we might spend more time in prayer may be our challenge. It is, however, how we will grow in our love for God and others.

As we approach the season of Lent, let's ask ourselves what that next good step is for each one of us. Let's also not be afraid to set sail on the sea of discipleship. Indeed, we know that we never sail alone. Christ is always with us.

God bless you.

Fr. Dan Redmond

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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 need Mass Intentions, especially for daily Masses all through 2018.** For bulletin announcements, please contact Pattie Batchman at batchman.pattie@gmail.com by Monday evening. Thank You!

LITURGICAL MINISTERS for February 10 & 11:

	February 10	February 11
LECTOR	Larry Clark	Brooke Perlik
EMHC	Mary & John Husek	Gayle & Tom Zarack
PLA	Kathy & Mark Oravec	Carole & Dan Doyle
SERVERS	Jordan & Mitch Parker	Alyssa Mothersbaugh, Eddie Nelson
COUNTING CREW	C Team	

From the Good Sams ...

February 4th is **Donut Sunday**. Come on down to the church hall for great fellowship and good donuts! There will not be a bake sale until April.



Religious Education

Check out the "Wall in the Hall" designed and created by Mrs. Martin's and Mrs. Seamon's fifth grade class. The bulletin board is titled, "Jesus in Our Hearts" and displays a beautiful cross with hearts surrounding it. On the hearts are written the names of our PSR students who all give their hearts to Jesus.



Please continue to pray for our Confirmation students and our First Communion class as they get closer to receiving the sacraments of Confirmation and First Eucharist. The Confirmation students have been preparing with St. Mary's students and will be confirmed on Monday, March 12th, 7:00 p.m. at St. Mary's, Chardon. Our First Communion students, with the help of their catechists, Miss Gina and Mrs. Gordon, have been diligently preparing for their First Holy Eucharist. First Communion students will receive their First Holy Communion on Saturday, April 28th here at St. Patrick's during the 4:00 p.m. Mass.

Pro-Life Update:



20-Week Abortion Ban Bill Fails in the Senate. The votes were 51-46. Babies feel excruciating pain and now we join the other 7 countries who allow abortions after 5 months. Our prayers can inspire miracles and so can our votes.

Please continue to pray specifically for the laws to change to protect the innocent.

Winter Warm Chili Cook-Off : Saturday, February 10 at 5:00 PM

We are inviting you to join in on a **Chili Cook-off**, February 10, at 5:00 PM in our Church Hall. Bring your family and friends for an evening of relaxing over a hot meal with fellow parishioners.

There will be sign-up sheets at the back of church for anyone who would like to bring a piping hot crockpot of your favorite chili for entry into our chili tasting. For our non-chili lovers we will also have sign-up for your favorite soup/stew. Or just bring your appetite. A dessert to share is appreciated. A side dish will be provided for young children. We will have entertainment for the kids.

Whatever your preference please come and visit with fellow parishioners. We would love to see you there!!



**Offering for:
January 28, 2018**

January 28:	\$ 2,446.00
Votive Candles:	\$ 16.00
Capital Improv.:	\$ 5.00
Cleveland Mission:	\$ 205.00
Good Samaritans Ministry:	\$ 350.00

86 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, Deacon Phil Kraynik, Bishop Richard Lennon, 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.

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

