

CHURCH
OF THE
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OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN
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*Sep 13, 2009
24th
Sunday in
Ordinary
Time*

Liturgy

Weekdays,	8:00 a.m.
Adoration	Fri. 9 a.m. - 9 a.m. Sat.
Weekends: Saturday,	9:00 a.m., 4:30 p.m.
Sunday,	9:00 , 11:00 a.m.
Adoration	Sun. 12 pm – 8 am Mon.

Sacraments

Confessions: Saturday, 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.
Baptisms: Arrange at Rectory
Matrimony: Arrange at least 1 year
in advance.
Anointing of the Sick: Call the rectory

***Welcome:** We extend our hands and hearts to you here, celebrating with us, whether longtime resident or newly arrived in the parish. We thank God that you are with us.*

MISSION STATEMENT

Our parish is a diverse and dynamic Catholic family community, committed to Jesus Christ, guided by the Holy Spirit and relying on the Patronage of His Mother, Mary.

We will serve not only the needs of our Parish Church, school, and individual members, but also the broader needs of our society, in union with the other Parishes of the Ashtabula County Deanery and the Diocese of Youngstown, through worship, stewardship, education, Christian service, evangelization and other programs.

**MEET NEW YOUTH MINISTER
KENT KUHOLSKI**
Today, after 11:00 Mass, in the hall.



A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE

By Bud Ozar

If we want to be happy at home we must commit (“lose ourselves”) to our family. If we try to be independent from others (“save ourselves”) we end up lonely and alone. Happiness is found in commitments. The gospel is true: We save our life by losing it!

ST. VINCENT de PAUL Society will accept your donations after Masses today at the doors. The need grows. Your help is appreciated.

LITURGY of the WORD for CHILDREN

The Liturgy of the Word for children begins next week at the 11:00 Mass. All children grades K-3 are dismissed for their own lesson and rejoin the congregation at presentation of gifts.

PRE-SCHOOL RELIGION

Sunday, Sept 27 begins our new Pre-school program during the 11:00 Mass. This is for 4 & 5 year olds not yet in school. They will have a full hour class while parents are attending Mass. Registration is \$30. See Sr. Joyce.

ADULT CONFIRMATION

Nov 22 at the cathedral the bishop will confer this sacrament on adults. Interested persons 18 and older who have not yet received this sacrament can contact Sr. Joyce. A preparation class will be held here at the parish. (To be a Godparent/sponsor, you must be confirmed.)

CCD for grades K-8, begins this Wednesday, Sept 16, 4:15-5:45. Please be sure you are registered.

Please remember to pray for the sick and recovering in the parish. Especially Kay Reidel, Tony Sanzotta, Steve Mallick, and Ray Conley.

Please pray for the repose of the souls of **ALBERT STEWART**, step-son-in-law of Charlotte (Slim) Brafford, and former parishioner **RITA YOUNGBERG**, who died recently.

CATECHETICAL SUNDAY

All religion instructors and sacrament prep instructors will be commissioned next Sunday in preparation for this year’s classes. We sincerely thank all of you for your dedication, investment of time and sharing of self for the advancement of others’ faith.

Faith development is formation as well as information. What is “caught” is much more than what is taught. This is where the entire community enters in. Attitude in what we are doing is important. Take a moment to renew yourself to sharing the Good News in your life.

FAMILY PORTRAITS

Assumption School will have a photographer the weekend of October 17 for *family portraits*. Purchase a \$10 coupon and receive a 10x13 portrait! All proceeds go to Assumption School. For more information contact the school, 466-2104, or call Tonya Costello, 275-1524 and leave a message.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Wednesday, Sept 16 at 7 pm this sacrament will be available. Please use this opportunity.

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS, Grades 9-12

You are invited to meet the new Youth Director, Kent Kuholski on Sunday (today, Sept 13) after the 11:00 Mass. He will be in the hall for a planning meeting.

“WINDOWS INTO THE FUTURE”

Goal \$40,000

Donations (Week # 15) \$ 15,235

Unpaid Pledges: \$ 1,083

Thank you!

Additional forms are available at the school, rectory and side entrance of the church.

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Baptism Preparation



BAPTISM CLASS

This class, for parents wishing to have their children baptized soon, will be held *this Thursday, Sept 17*, at 7 pm in the rectory. Godparents are invited to join you, as well as Grandparents. Call. Let us know you are coming.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS FOR THE WEEK OF SEPT 13:

SUN.	Youth Planning Meeting in the hallafter 11:00 Mass	
	St. Vincent de Paul Collectionafter all Masses	
	Neo Catechumenal Way, Team 1 Prep6:30	
MON.	Altar & Rosary Society6:30	
	K of C7:30	
TUE.	Happy Birthday, Fr. Mel	
	BINGO, 9/15/09. Team # 46:30	
	Admissions D. Pasqualone	
	Early Birds R. Laurello	
	Early Instants T. Ivankovic	
	Cashier B. Peters	
	Kitchen T. Baxter, T. Foss, K. Bukys	
	I Caller J. Watson	
	Floor Need Worker	
	Instants N. Perijoc	
	II Caller Need Worker	
	Floor J. Watson	
	Instants N. Perijoc, T. Ivankovic	
WED.	Clinic1-3	
	CCD, First Class, K-84:15-5:45	
	Stewardship Meeting7:30	
THU.	Clinic, by appt5-7	
	Friendship Room Rental7:00	
FRI.	Wedding Rehearsal	
SAT.	Children Choir Practice10:00	
SUN.	CATECHETICAL SUNDAY	
	Liturgy of Word for Children, First class11:00	

TABERNACLE CANDLES

1. For the Health of ANGELA ARTESE

By Rod & Char Hunt

WEDDING BANNES

Chelsea Weber and Adam McHugh will be married at Assumption on Saturday, September 19, 2009. Congratulations!

Lakeland Community College invites you to the Fall International events. On Fridays, 3:30 & 7:30, Rm H101, **French films:** Oct 2: "Entre les Murs" (The Class); Oct 9: "Il ya longtemps que je t'aime" (I have loved you so long); Oct 16: "Roman de Gare" (Crossed Tracks). On Thurs, Oct 29, "Comme un Juif en France" (Being Jewish in France) follows 12:30-1:30 speaker Anne Lukas, JD, on "France & the Holocaust." These events are free and open to the public.

CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

From now through Nov. 22nd the Altar & Rosary Society are selling raffle tickets for a new Wii game. Tickets are \$5 or 3 for \$10. The raffle will be held Nov. 22, 2009.

OUR GIFTS TO THE LORD

Sept 6, 2009 Offertory	\$ 5,001
Renovation Fund Balance	\$ 2,310
Bills to be paid	\$ 17,594
Assessments: to be paid	\$3,300/mo
Thanks to all our generous parishioners.	

EVANGELIZATION & CATECHESIS

Lifelong learning leads to mature discipleship in Jesus Christ. Every moment and every activity is an opportunity to encounter a closer relationship with Jesus. The National Directory for Catechesis from the Catholic Bishops of the U.S. emphasizes this point: "Catechesis leads people to enter the mystery of Christ, to encounter Him, and to discover themselves and the meaning of their lives in Him."

(19.B (Washington DC:USCCB, 2005))

LUTHERAN CATHOLIC COVENANT CELEBRATION—NEO Synod/Diocese.

"Seek Justice: Roman Catholic & Lutheran Understanding of Social Justice" will be held Sunday, Sept 20 at St. Paul Lutheran Church, 2860 E. Market St, Warren, OH from 2:30-6:30. Registrations are \$10 prepaid and are available from/by calling Tom Sauline, 330-744-8451, ext 282, or tsauline@youngstowndiocese.org.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

On Sept 23, *40 Days For Life* will be launched for the first time in Paineville, OH. This is a peaceful prayer and fasting campaign to end abortion.

We will also be conducting a vigil in front of Family Planning Assoc at 54 S. State Rd, 8 am to hopefully 8 pm from Sept 23 - Nov 1. This is part of a national campaign in over 200 cities. If you would like to participate, there is a form for you to sign. It is on the Life Bulletin Board. Or, go to www.40daysforlifewe.com. Either way the Code of Conduct must be signed and observed.

"**I HAVE CALLED YOU by NAME,**" a private healing retreat for women after abortion will be held at the Jesuit Retreat House in Parma Oct. 23-25, 2009. Come experience the mercies of the Lord through the sacraments, prayer and scripture. For more information, contact The Community of Jesus, the Living Mercy at 440-801-1072 or email at BethesdaHouse@aol.com.

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT

In the second reading today, St. James has harsh words for those who do not put their faith into action. May we be such good stewards of God's gifts too us that we can never be accused of having "faith without demonstrated good works."

SUNDAY BREAKFAST

VFW POST 6846 Ladies auxiliary will hold a Breakfast today, Sunday, Sept 13, 9 am-noon. Scrambled eggs, toast, Sausage or bacon, Pancakes or Homefries is \$3.50. Coffee, OJ or Milk \$0.50. Extra meat or pancakes \$1.25.


Mass Intentions for the week

SAT.	4:30 PM	RYAN SCHWARTFIGURE Staff
SUN.	9:00 AM	GETRUDE GERMACK Assumption Choir
	11:00 AM	BILL BOOMHOWER Rubie Boomhower

MON.	8:00 AM	PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
TUE.		No Service
WED.	8:00 AM	JEANNETTE MEZMARICH Dave & Betty Cook
	7:00 PM	Reconciliation Service
THU	8:00 AM	BERT HUDSON Fred & Sheila Clause
FRI.	8:00 AM	SPECIAL INTENTION Ken & Lois
SAT.	9:00 AM	DR. ALBIN URANKAR, 10th Anniversary
	2:30 PM	Wedding: Weber-McHugh
	4:30 PM	JOE KRISTANC SR. Ray & Fran Gruber
SUN.	9:00 AM	JOHN DUBSKY Mom, Jeanne Dubsky
	11:00 AM	MOLLY MASSUCCI Jerry & Eileen Seames

MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR SEPT 19-20 :

LECTOR

SAT.	4:30 PM	L. Lotze
SUN.	9:00 AM	D. Gerber
	11:00 AM	F. Krasneski

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SAT.	4:30 PM	M. Debevec, C. Fenner, L. Lippart
SUN.	9:00 AM	J/L Zalewski
	11:00 AM	B. Johnson, Dr. E. Mallick

ACOLYTES

SAT.	4:30 PM	K. Baxter, M. McBee
SUN.	9:00 AM	J. Loftus, D. Gustafson, J. Kearney
	11:00 AM	K. Lewis, C. Vaughn, N. Watson

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF SEPT 13:

Sun.	Is 50:4-9; Ps 116; Jam 2:14-18; Mk 8:27-35
Mon.	(Exaltation of the Holy Cross) Num 21:44-9; Ps 78; Phil 2:6-11; Jn 3:13-17
Tue.	(Lady of Sorrows) 1 Tim 3:1-13; Ps 101; Jn 19:25-27
Wed.	1 Tim 3:14-16; Ps 111; Lk 7:31-35
Thu.	1 Tim 4:12-16; Ps 111; Lk 7:36-50
Fri.	1 Tim 6:2-12; Ps 49:6-10,17-20; Lk 8:1-3
Sat.	1 Tim 6:13-16; Ps 100:1-5; Lk 8:4-15
Sun.	Wis 2:12,17-20; Ps 54:3-8; Jam 3:16-4:3; Mk 9:30-37

PIE WEEK

Thank you for your donations of sugar and flour. You can still bring in your donations through next weekend.

Growers, thanks in advance for your grapes. They can be brought in Sunday-Tuesday You are wonderful!!

This year Emy & Steve Mallick are stepping down as chairpersons of the Grape Pie Making, and Becky Baker-Hall and her husband Rob are stepping up to the task.

Likewise, Don & Joanne Holahan are turning over the chairmanship of Assumption Grape Pie Booth and Sales to Phil Cordova and his mother, Greta. Pie making week is Sept 21-25 with the Jamboree on Sept 26-27. Please consider volunteering to help out with this most worthy endeavor!
Don & Joanne

The Grape Jamboree is approaching fast! Sept 21-25 is Grape Pie Week at Assumption. Come join the fun and learn this amazing process of making the famous pies and being a part of Assumption's largest fund-raiser! There is plenty of work to involve everyone!

Donations of (grapes), flour and sugar can be brought to the hall all week and at the Masses 9/19 and 9/20, and preparing for pies begins Monday at 1pm; baking begins on Wednesday at 1pm and will continue until 1,000 pies have been completed.

- To help in the kitchen, call Becky Baker-Hall, 466-6095.
- To get in the schedule to sell pies in the booth next weekend, call Greta Cordova, 415-3589.
- To transport pies or set-up/take down booth, call Phil Cordova, 440-862-1663.
- To sell grape products at the School Booth, call Annette Antalik, 466-8347.

School Parents: Pie Baking, Pie Selling and Grape Products Sales are all part of the Sweat Equity program in our school. Make sure you sign in.

Becky

Assumption Hall will not be available for other activities Wednesday-Sunday.

