

SACRED HEART of JESUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Mass Intentions

Tuesday

6:30 pm - Mass at Sacred Heart Mass Intention: For all priests

Wednesday

8:30 am - Mass at Sacred Heart Mass Intention: For all those who mourn the loss of a parent or child

Thursday

5:30 pm - Confessions at St. Joseph

6:30 pm - Mass at St. Joseph Mass Intention: For the deceased members of the Cook and Kuhn Families; Bill Klopfenstein

Friday

8:30 am - Mass at St. Joseph Mass Intention: Earl "Bunny" Smith

Saturday

4:30 pm - Mass at Sacred Heart Mass Intention: Ron Finnegan; Paul & Kate Gosser

13th Sunday In Ordinary Time

7:00 am - Mass at St. Joseph

Mass Intention: For the deceased members of the Garrett & Washer Families

8:30 am - Mass at Sacred Heart Mass Intention: Tyler Niese; Family of Peter & Kathryn Weaver

10:30 am - Mass at St. Joseph Mass Intention: Josephine "Josie" Dunn; Donald Harley

June 25, 2017 12th Sunday Ordinary Time

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A Sister Parish with St. Joseph, Crestline Member of St. Juan Diego Deanery

<u>Christ's Light Shines even through the Darkness of</u> <u>our World</u>

Like me, I'm sure many of you experience "death fatigue" from hearing about all the events around the world in which large numbers of people are killed through terrorist acts. Many young people were killed at an Ariana Grande concert in Manchester and a large number of Republicans were shot at by someone who did not agree with their viewpoint. People are letting their anger escalate to the point they must kill people they don't even know! ISIS considers any Christian evil and deserving of death. The man who shot at the Republicans tried to kill them just because they were Republicans!

People are killing strangers just because of what they believe. I am prolife, but I'm not going to go out and kill people who are "pro-choice" just because I don't agree with them! How can I be pro-life if I murder (not self-defense) someone?! These kinds of killings used to happen occasionally, but now can happen several times a week! Some people may want to give the age-old comment: "How can a loving God let all this happen?" If you read the Psalms from the Bible, you can read many comments venting this kind of frustration.

For example, Psalm 74 has the following statement: "How long, O God, is the enemy to scoff? Is the foe to insult your name forever? Why, O Lord, do you hold back your hand? Why do you keep your right hand hidden? Yet God is our king from time past, the giver of help through all the land."

It is not God who is bad, but mankind. God created us good and gave us free will so that we could choose to love Him. But we can also choose not to love Him, which is when sin comes about. We commit venial (less serious) sins all the time, but to murder someone is to plunge deep into mortal sin (separated from God). To murder someone just because of what they believe is beyond the pale as well.

We need to remember though, that just because the media tends to show violence more than good comforting stories. That doesn't mean there isn't more good in the world. There are kind acts all over the world that we never get to see on TV or see on the internet. Christ's light is still shining, but we need to know where to look for it. You can see it at Mass, in the birth of a new child, in the sacraments, in a family, and in the beauty of creation just to name a few.

Although we will have to endure terrorist acts for many years to come, we can take comfort that it will not last forever. For if we are blessed to make it to heaven, then all this evil and pain will be forgotten and we will bask in Christ's light forever! Praise be to God!!!

God Bless!!!

Fr. Chris

COLLECTION:	LITURGICAL MINISTERS	
June 18, 2017	Tuesday, June 27, Euch Ministers: Cheryl Rietschlin & John Bonen Wed. June 28, Euch. Ministers: Dick & Marilyn Vogt; Server Hannah Paynter	
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	<u>USHERS</u> Kim Gosser & Shannon Finnegan	<u>USHERS</u> Roger Niese & Charlie Schroeder
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Bible Readings for the Week of June 25th, 2017

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A natural family planning series will be taught by the Couple to Couple League in a series of three classes beginning at 6pm on **Sunday, June 25th** at the parish building at Sacred Heart. The method taught, the Sympto-Thermal Method, is safe and highly effective. For further information, please call Sean & Laura Beeson at 419-569-5354 or visit <u>www.ccli.org</u> to register.

Prayer Vigil For Life

Never underestimate the power of prayer! People of all faiths across northwest and west central Ohio are invited to gather to pray for the victims of crime, those facing execution, and the abolishment of Ohio's death penalty. A Prayer Vigil for Life will be held on **Monday, June 26th**, after the 5:30 pm Mass at St. Peter Church, 60 S. Mulberry Street, Mansfield, Ohio.

> Vacation Bible School Ages 5-12 Sunday July 9 – Thursday July 13 6:00pm-8:30 pm Trinity Lutheran Church 410 N.Thoman St. Crestline, OH 419-683-3972



Holy Trinity Bucyrus



Annual strawberry shortcake luncheon and social to be held on **Sunday, June 25th.** Serving will begin at noon and go until 3:00 pm at the activity center cafeteria. Come and enjoy a Carle's Bratwurst or New York Style hotdog sandwich, drink, choice of 3 sides; summer slaw, broccoli salad, baked beans, macaroni & cheese, chips, topped off with strawberry shortcake and Velvet ice cream! Meal \$8.00 Adults, \$5.00 Children (12 & under) or A'La Carte menu.

AREA FESTIVALS



July 16th: St. Joseph Catholic Church; 117 Sandusky St., Plymouth . 11:00 am—2:00 pm Serving BBQ Chicken or Pulled Pork, Roll, Desert & Beverage \$10.Adult, Children (ages 6-12) \$5. Under 5 Free. Carry out available by calling 419-468-4611.

July 23rd: Sacred Heart of Jesus; 5742 SR 61 S. Shelby. 10:30 am— 10:00 pm Serving your choice of a big or small BBQ Chicken or Baked Ham meal with all the trimmings. Served in our air conditioned dining hall. Carry out will be available.

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