



Welcome to all who celebrate the Mass with us today. May God's grace and peace fill us all so that we can serve one another in unity and love.

## THE MOST HOLY TRINITY SUNDAY



God is One. We also pray and strive for "unity and peace." If we are to know unity and peace when we find it, we must first learn to seek it in our lives. As human beings we are physical, psychological and spiritual. We have treasures from the physical world. We have talents, which bolster our own and others' emotional lives.

We have time enough for love because God is love and God lives forever. When we focus our lives, we realize that the unity and peace that we seek is not physical sleep or escape from emotional exhaustion, but the resting of our spirit with the Lord. God creates and gives us life. God redeems and ransoms us from death. God sanctifies and sustains us. Praise to the Holy Trinity.

**This Sunday the readings are:** (1) Exodus 34: 4-6, 8-9 (2) 2 Corinthians 13: 11-13 (3) John 3: 16-18.

(New Gather # 1086 Year A)

**Next Sunday the readings will be:** (1) Deuteronomy 8: 2-3, 14-16 (2) 1 Corinthians 10: 16-17 (3) John 6: 51-58. **New Gather # 1089 Year A)**



### Masses For The Week

**SAT: 4:00PM** Marvin Meade, off: Dorothea Meade & Family  
**SUN: 11:15AM** For the Parish  
**MON: 9:00AM** Robert Holly, off: Ann Holly  
**TUE: 8:30AM** Rose & Hank Snow, off: The Snow Family  
**SAT: 4:00PM** Virginia L. Ross, off: St. Vincent de Paul Friends  
**SUN: 11:15AM** For the Parish

### STEWARDSHIP

#### Collections for June 04, 2017

Regular Collection & loose cash (185 envelopes)	\$10,746.70
Children's (2 envelopes)	\$10.00
Capital Improvement Donations (13 envelopes)	\$291.00
Total collections for June 04, 2017	\$11,047.70

### THANKS FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

#### Mass Change For Tuesday, June 20th

Fr. Tom will be attending the Archdiocesan Convocation Monday Afternoon thru Friday the week of June 19-23. Deacon Max will conduct a Prayer Service on Tuesday, June 20, at 8:30AM.

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS all our parishioners, relatives, and friends who have died, especially, Carlos Donohoe, husband of Margaret (Peggy) Donohoe.**

**Newly Baptized:** In May, our parish celebrated the following baptisms: Alexander Bradley Darnell, son of Gregory & Kelly (Carson) Darnell; and Taiden King Mazza, son of Michael Mazza & Tiara Douce, We extend our congratulations and best wishes to these families on this blessed and joyful occasion.

### Welcome to New Members!

We would like to welcome our new parishioners who joined us in May: From Fairborn- Andrew & Carlene Bowles; From Dayton- Joseph & Monique Domsitz. Welcome to Mary, Help of Christians!

### Nursing Home Minister Needed

A Eucharistic Minister is needed to take communion to The Summit Nursing Home four Wednesdays a month every other month. This is a rewarding Ministry. If you would be willing to do this please contact Julie Sewell @ 878-8353 for more information..

### Celebrating a Golden or Silver Wedding Anniversary?



Those couples that are celebrating their Silver 25<sup>th</sup>, Golden 50<sup>th</sup>, 60<sup>th</sup>, 70<sup>th</sup> or 75<sup>th</sup> wedding Anniversaries during 2017 should contact the parish office @ 878-8353 no later than June 18, 2017. For "golden" couples, there will be a Golden Wedding Anniversary Mass on Saturday, August 12 at Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception in Dayton at 4:30PM. *Archbishop Dennis M. Schnurr*, will be the Celebrant. Certificates are sent to those who contact the parish office with their information.

### Vacation Bible School This Summer June 25-29.



VBS/MHC 2017

Have you ever lived in another county? Have you visited one? Are your traditions derived from another culture? If so we need you. This summer, our VBS theme will once again be *Catholic around the World, but our feature countries and activities will be all new.* We are planning to showcase the following cultures and countries: Italy, Vatican City, Argentina, Peru, Mexico, Inuit, Native American, France, Switzerland, Sweden, Ireland, Australia, Saudi Arabia, Turkey, Thailand, Korea, Japan, China, Tibet, Russia, England, Hawaii, Philippines, Jamaica, Kenya, Netherland, Scotland and India. If you have first hand knowledge of any of our countries or cultures, we would love to have your help. We looking for people who can offer the children a 10 minute talk on some of these countries or cultures. We are particularly interested in teaching the children about Catholicism in the various countries and cultures. If your knowledge is on a country or culture not listed, ask us about it. We can be flexible with some of our booths. If you can help, please call Molly or Courtney @ 878-7325.

Visit the parish web site at: [www.mhcparish.com](http://www.mhcparish.com)

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## VBS Open House

Please join us for an Open House before VBS. The theme is *Catholic Around the World*. All Parishioners are invited to come see our booths and preview this awesome event.

**Sunday, June 25, 2017 after the 11:15AM Mass.**

## Peter's Pence Collection



On June 24 & 25 our diocese will take up the Peter's Pence Collection, (Holy Father Collection) which provides the Holy Father with the funds he needs to carry out his most important charitable works. The proceeds benefit the most disadvantaged: victims of war, oppression, and disasters. Your gift makes you a pilgrim of charity around the globe. The collection is an opportunity to join with Pope Francis and be a witness of charity to our suffering brothers and sisters. We will take up a special second collection at all the Masses the weekend of June 24-25. *Your contribution is greatly appreciated.*

## Are you grieving the death of a loved one?

Mary, Help of Christians has a grief support group to care for people on their bereavement journey in a Christ centered environment. This is an opportunity for individuals to share their personal experience of grief with other bereaved persons who understand their pain. If you are interested, our monthly meeting is the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of each month, 10:00AM – Noon in St. Francis Hall. Call Molly Hynes Collinsworth @ 878-7325 or email @ [mollymhc@gmail.com](mailto:mollymhc@gmail.com) for more information. **Our next meeting will be on Tuesday, June 20, 2017.**

*There will be no Grief Group Meetings in July and August.*

"Be still and know that I am God..." Psalm 46

**CENTERING PRAYER GROUP** is open to all parishioners. Centering Prayer is silent prayer that emphasizes prayer as a personal relationship with God and as a movement beyond conversation to communion with God. The focus of Centering Prayer is the deepening of our relationship with the living Christ. We often gather after morning Mass on Mondays and Tuesdays for a 20 minute period of centering prayer. We meet on the 4th Tuesday of every month in St. Francis Hall from 7:00-8:30PM for prayer and continuing education. Please call Pat Scanlon at 878-0461 for more information. Next meeting will be on **Tuesday, June 27, 2017**



## MUSIC MINISTRY: Music Ministry News:

We welcome new members! Come and share your talents and help us to create a vibrant music ministry at our parish. Seasoned instrumentalists are welcome. Don't be shy, contact our music director Julian Calvin, for an informal audition [julian.calvin1@gmail.com](mailto:julian.calvin1@gmail.com) or call 878-8092. We rehearse on most Tuesdays from 6:30PM-8:30PM. It is very important that choir members attend rehearsals and warm ups. Your commitment is greatly appreciated.

### WHY WE SING AT MASS

"God has bestowed upon His people the gift of song. God dwells within each human person, in the place where music takes its source. Indeed, God, the Giver of song, is present whenever His people sing His praises." **"SING TO THE LORD: MUSIC IN DIVINE WORSHIP"**

## BINGO

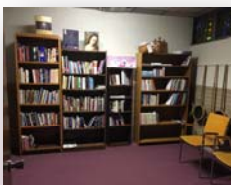


**The Fairborn Knights of Columbus has BINGO every Wednesday night in the Parish Center.** Doors open at

4:30PM and Instants start selling at 5:00PM. Early Bird

Games start at 6:15PM and regular games start at 7:00PM. Packages start at \$12.00 (12 faces). Last series of the night is a \$1000 cover all in 50 numbers or less, 51 numbers for \$750 and then played out for \$500. (Price reduced if under 80 players) A portion of the profit is donated back to our parish. For more information or if you would like to volunteer to work one night a month call Eric Rogalinski @ 657-6958.

## Parish Satellite Library Easier To Access



A large number of books from the Parish Library have been relocated to the Usher's Room/ Satellite Library in the church. This move will make it more convenient for parishioners to select reading material. Access to this collection can be made online at [www.mhccparish.com](http://www.mhccparish.com) and click on religious library. Come and check it out! We will be open

during PSR and after Mass.

For more information call Carol Maiorano @ 340-6084.

To see all the wonderful books available go to <http://mhc.libib.com/i/mary-help-of-christians-library>



## Think Scrip When Planning Spring Chores!

Are you getting ready to start those spring fix up and gardening projects? We usually have on hand gift cards in \$25 denominations for Ace (think Handyman!), Home Depot, and Lowe's. We can also special order cards in larger denominations. Just see the volunteers in the Bride's Room before or after any weekend Mass. Questions? Judy McCoy @ 879-3570 or Myra Limbach @ 902-0299.

## MHC Parish Satellite Library Open House Today!!!



Join us today, June 10 and 11, after Mass for our satellite library open house. Come browse and have refreshments. Access to this collection can be made online at [www.mhccparish.com](http://www.mhccparish.com) and click on religious library. For more information call Carol Maiorano @ 340-6084.

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## SAVE THE DATE FOR THE 44th MHC FESTIVAL July 21-23, 2017.

### This Year The Festival Is The Third Full Weekend In July.

Mark your calendars.

We will have Great Food, Rides, Cash Prizes, and Lots of Fun!! Look for our Festival table in the gathering space. There are many different jobs to do. If you could just give us an hour we could use your help.

NO time is too small.

*"Many hands make light work."*

Please call Christian Benedict @ 284-7247, Eric Rogalinski @ 657-6958 or Julie Sewell @ 878-8353 if you have any questions regarding Festival or wish to volunteer for anything.

**Hours are Friday, 6:00-11:00PM; Saturday, 2:00-11:00PM; Sunday, 1:00-6:00PM.**

#### Is There Anyone Sick Among You?

If you are going to the hospital; if someone in your family is in the hospital; or if you know of a parishioner in the hospital, please call the parish office and let us know! Due to privacy rules the hospitals no longer call us unless specifically requested by the patient. Also, if you know of a parishioner that is sick or homebound for an extended period, please call the Rectory Office @ 878-8353.

#### Add JOY to your life!

All adult parishioners and friends are invited to attend **JOY Club** which will be meeting on Monday, June 12, 2017 at 1:00PM in St. Francis Hall. **JOY Club** meets on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Mondays from September through June from 1:00PM-3:00PM. Come to **enJOY** an afternoon of cards, games or bingo along with fellowship and refreshments with your fellow parishioners and friends. Come feel the **JOY!** Special trips and parties are planned throughout the year.



**Enjoy God's Creation!** All are invited to spend some quiet time in St. Francis Meditation Garden! The garden is open from Dawn to Dusk. The entrance is near the St. Francis Hall garage door. We care for the garden on Tuesday around

9:00am. If you would like more information or to help care for the garden, please call Beverly @ 878-6060.

#### Sponsor of the Week

We'd like to call your attention to this week's "Sponsor of the Week" **Copey's Butcher Shop, 10988 Gerlaugh Rd., Medway.** We would like to take this opportunity to thank them for their continued support of our weekly bulletin.

**THANK YOU:** This bulletin is furnished to the Parish without charge. The advertisements that appear, completely defray all publishing costs with which the church would otherwise be burdened. **Please patronize these sponsors as a thank you for their kind generosity.**

**Have You Lost Any Belongings at Church?** If you lose an item inside the church, please check our Lost and Found Box in the Bride's Room, located on the left side of the gathering area as you enter the church. Unclaimed items are periodically donated to charity.



#### Catholic Ministries Appeal 2017 CMA:

Each year, the Catholic Ministries Appeal offers us the opportunity to live as disciples of Christ by supporting ministries serving people throughout our archdiocese. Please join with your fellow parishioners of **Mary, Help of Christians** and all the other parishes in the archdiocese as we all work together to support the CMA. To date, our parish has pledged **\$20,620.00** towards our goal of **\$21,482.00**. If you have not yet made your pledge, please consider doing so this week. You will find extra pledge envelopes in the pews for your convenience. **To make your pledge securely online for the Catholic Ministries Appeal, please visit the Web at [www.catholicappeal.net](http://www.catholicappeal.net) or make your checks payable to Catholic Ministries Appeal and mail your pledge card to 100 East Eighth Street Cincinnati, Ohio 45202 in the envelope provided in your information packet. Or, Text to Donate: Text the phrase "2016CMA" to 555-888 (standard data and message rates may apply). You make a difference when you live generously. Please prayerfully consider supporting this year's CMA. For more information, please visit [www.catholicappeal.info](http://www.catholicappeal.info)**

#### MHC EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

##### 4TH MONDAY EACH MONTH, EVENINGS

All are invited to come and spend some quiet moments with our Lord on the 4th Monday evening each month from 7:00-8:00PM in the church. What a wonderful opportunity to pray. For more information call Pat Scanlon @ 878-0461 or Carolyn Marth @ 308-4639. **Monday, June 26, 2017.**

St. Vincent de Paul collects monetary donations at the doors after Mass on the 3<sup>rd</sup> weekend of every month.



DISABLED AND WHEELCHAIR SEATING...Available in the left front section of the church.

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**44th MHC Festival, July 21-23, 2017**

**Festival Hours will be Fri, July 21 6:00PM-11:00PM; Sat, July 22 2:00PM-11:00PM; Sun, July 23 1:00PM-6:00PM. We will have Great Food, Rides, Cash Prizes, and Lots of Fun!!**

**ATTENTION:** *We will have an ATM Machine at the Festival again this year for your convenience.*

*We will NOT take any checks during the Festival.*

**BOOTH CHAIRPERSON:**

We need a Chairperson for the **RAFFLE booth**. Other than manning the booth during Festival hours, nothing additional is required of your time. We are also looking for Chairpersons for **Bars and Bells Booth and Showdown**. **Please consider volunteering in these booths; they are some of our bigger money makers.**

**FESTIVAL WORKERS:** **We cannot do it without you!** Please schedule your valuable time with your favorite booth(s). Worker signup sheets are available on the Festival table. If interested in working or donating items for the festival, fill out a form and drop it in the raffle return box.

**RAFFLE TICKETS:** Will be located on the Festival table in the church gathering space this weekend. Tickets will also be available at all doors this year. No searching required—just “grab & take”. Each envelope will contain 8 books of tickets and a letter explaining the raffle process and the early bird tickets deadlines are -

**June 18. Only the Seller will win Early Bird drawings.**

There are open-stock tickets available for those of you who love to sell more than we provide in the envelope. If you only wish to take a few of the open-stock tickets to sell or buy, there are also separate raffle letters on the table that you may take.

**EARLY BIRD DRAWINGS:** We had a **LUCKY WINNER** in our **FIRST Early Bird drawing!**

**CONGRATULATIONS !! John Lethert** was the seller of the winning ticket, so he has won a total of \$100.00!! **Our NEXT EARLY BIRD** ticket deadline will be **June 18**. The **seller only** of the lucky ticket drawn will win **\$75**. Please see the raffle letter in your envelope for additional information, especially on how to fill out your tickets. **GOOD LUCK!!!**

**GOOD LUCK!!!** *Please fill out tickets and drop in the “Raffle Return” box in the Church Gathering Space! You can stop by the Parish Office to Drop off too. Please support the raffle and the festival—you make the festival a huge success every year!*

**BINGO:** There will be “split the pot” Bingo on **FRIDAY, 6:00PM-10:00PM, SATURDAY, 5:00PM-9:00PM,** and **SUNDAY, 3:00PM-6:00PM** in the air-conditioned, non-smoking Parish Center Hall.

**TREASURE TROVE:** Drop off hours @ the Parish Center APR will be Monday–Friday from 9:30AM-3:00PM **starting Monday, June 5**. Please stop in the Rectory Office first for access. Saturday & Sunday hours are by appointment. Workers are required prior to festival to help sort and price items.

**USED BOOKS DROP OFF:** Used books may be dropped off at the Parish Center APR same hours as Treasure Trove. There will be a table marked “Books”.

**QUESTIONS:** Please call Christian Benedict @ 284-7247, Eric Rogalinski @ 657-6958 or Julie Sewell @ 878-8353 if you have any questions regarding Festival or wish to volunteer for anything. You can also e-mail Christian Benedict @ [skibmr98@woh.rr.com](mailto:skibmr98@woh.rr.com). New to the parish? Please contact us if interested in joining our team. We thank all of you in advance for your support! There are many different jobs to do. If you could just give us an hour we could use your help. NO time is too small. **“Many hands make light work.”** Watch the bulletin for more information. **Look for volunteer forms on festival table in the Gathering Space.**



## 4th Annual Mary Help 5K Walk & Run

Just a cordial reminder the 4th Annual Mary Help 5K Walk & Run is 42 days away. Please take the time to consider and prepare yourself to participate in this event. Calling all runners & walkers to join in on the fun. Our goal for this year is to get 50 participants. The Saturday morning event begins at 9:00AM on Saturday, July 22, 2017. Race details and registration forms can be found at [www.mhccparish.com](http://www.mhccparish.com) under the 2017 Race info or on Festival Table. Questions can be directed to Tammy Hrosch @ 206-4034 or Christian Benedict @ 244-1650.



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The Loving Memory section on the back of our weekly bulletin will allow you to honor a deceased loved one by including them in the "In loving Memory"

section. If interested please clip and fill in this slip. You can put the slip in the collection or mail it to the parish. You will be billed by Diocesan Publications, the bulletin publisher. If interested, please call the parish office, or you may contact **Mark Mazza** directly for pricing at [513-392-6768](tel:513-392-6768) or [mmazza@diocesan.com](mailto:mmazza@diocesan.com).

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## GROWING CLOSER TO GOD THROUGH SPIRITUAL DIRECTION

*Spiritual Direction is really not about being "directed," it is about being encouraged to draw closer to God. In spiritual direction you reflect deeply on the experiences of your daily life. You may come to realize how God's spirit is truly with you every day and everywhere. You discover that God has been waiting for you to seek this closer relationship. A person may come to spiritual direction for many reasons, including to: find encouragement and affirmation; share struggles, losses or disappointments; integrate spirituality into your daily life; grow in relationship with God, self, others and creation. After completing a two year training in spiritual direction I am offering to journey with you as you deepen your relationship with God. This involves confidential, one-on-one sessions, usually once a month for an hour. For more information or to make an appointment call Pat Scanlon @ 878-0461 or 572-2530.*

## Build A Bike!

FYI is working on a project to assemble and/or refurbish 100 bikes for children going into foster care. Adults and teens who have this gift are asked to help in this community wide project which will give bikes to kids in Clark and Miami Counties and also Fairborn. "Bike Builds" will happen throughout June and July, the bikes are needed by August 8 for FYI's Safety Day. Anyone with a bike to donate is asked to bring it to the FYI headquarters, 468 N. Dayton Lakeview Rd., New Carlisle. For questions, check our website at [www.fyiohio.org](http://www.fyiohio.org) or call 845-0403. PLEASE become a bike whisperer for the kids of our communities!!



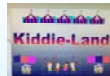
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**New on Formed**  
**Our Lady of Fatima, which celebrates its 100th Anniversary of the Apparitions 1917-2017.**

Documentary: "The 13th Day"  
Movie: Finding Fatima  
Children's Video: "The Day the Sun Danced"  
Children's Video: "The True Story of Fatima"  
Audio: Our Lady of Fatima



## The Children's Game Tent:

Marianne Bishop will be calling families to volunteer to help run the children's games. Parents, children, siblings and grandparents can help by volunteering for a few hours or more during the weekend. This is a way the children can participate and take ownership in supporting their parish! Not only does it support our parish but there are many benefits to volunteering! *The children are learning lessons in responsibility, accountability and leadership.* Thank you for your consideration! No amount of time you can spare is too small. I will accommodate your schedule. Please call Marianne Bishop @ 879-5679