

June 27, 2010
Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



St. Angela Merici

20970 Lorain Road, Fairview Park, OH 44126
www.samparish.org

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil
4:30 p.m.

Sunday
7:30, 9:00, 11:00 a.m.; 5:30 p.m.

Monday - Friday
6:30 a.m., 8:30 a.m.

Saturday
8:30 a.m.

Holy Days
Vigil 5:30 p.m.
6:30 a.m., 8:30 a.m., 12 Noon,
7:00 p.m.

**Novena to Our Mother of
Perpetual Help**
After 8:30 a.m. Mass on Saturday

Confessions
Saturday 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.
Or by request.

Welcome New Members

Please introduce yourself to one of the parish staff members: Pastor, Parochial Vicars, Deacons and/or other pastoral staff members at St. Angela's.

Registration forms are available in the Parish Center office. Please let us welcome you in person and answer any questions you may have about St. Angela Merici Parish Community. God bless you.



Soli Deo Gloria

**MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS**

Monday, June 28 - Irenaeus, bishop and martyr

6:30AM William White, III
8:30AM T. J. Dempsey

Tuesday, June 29 - Peter and Paul, Apostles

6:30AM Ann "Peg" Murphy
8:30AM Peter Sheridan

Wednesday, June 30 - First Holy Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church

6:30AM Michael O. O'Malley
8:30AM Bernice Straub

Thursday, July 1

6:30AM Ann M. Schultz
8:30AM Frank Kelly

Friday, July 2 - First Friday

6:30AM Gertrude Walters
8:30AM Maureen Abraham

Saturday, July 3 - First Saturday

8:30AM Walter Flash
11:30PM Memorial Mass for
Dorothy A. Maloney
4:30PM Baby Tanner Mack

Sunday, July 4 - Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30AM Patrick J. Fallon
9:00AM Stella Yuska
11:00AM Terry Joyce
5:30PM For the Parish

PARISH CENTER OFFICE HOURS

Please note that the Parish Center will be closed at 5:00PM on weeknights.

Monday — Friday:

9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Saturday: 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Sunday: 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Please call 440-333-2133 for an appointment if you wish to see a priest.

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PRAYER REQUEST LINE

Our Parish patron, Saint Angela Merici, founded the Ursuline Community. In Cleveland, this community has a prayer line that you may wish to use. Try www.ursulinesisters.org/request-prayers. Enjoy. Or dial 440-449-1200 ext. 103

PARISH STAFF:

The Rev. Michael J. Lanning, *Pastor*, pastor@samparish.org
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Mrs. Denise Modic Urban, *School Principal*
Mrs. Christine Kutz, *Preschool Director*
Mrs. Julie McGovern, *Extended Care Director*

New Parishioner Registration: Call the Parish Center.

Religious Education Classes: Preschool, Sunday 11:00 a.m.; Grades 1-8 and Special Needs, Monday 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.

R.C.I.A.: This formation for adults who wish to become Catholic begins in early September. Call the Parish Center.

Natural Family Planning Classes: Contact Timothy and Mary Ellen Jakubisin at 440-779-5793, or go to www.ccli.org

Baptisms: Second, third, fourth and fifth Sundays at 12:15 p.m. Arrangements must be made in advance with one of the priests. Pre-Baptism class is required.

Marriages: Couples should consult the priest of their choice at least 6 months before the wedding date. Call the Parish Center.

Ministry to the Sick / Homebound: Anointing of the Sick, Communion for Shut-Ins. Call the Parish Center.

Funerals: Arrangements must be made at the Parish Center before any publication in the newspaper.

CLUSTER PARISH SCHEDULE

St. Christopher Church, 20141 Detroit Rd., Rocky River

Sat. Vigil Mass: 5:00PM

Sunday Masses: 7:00AM, 9:00AM, 10:30AM, 12:00 Noon

Weekday Masses (Mon.-Fri.): 7:15AM & 11:00AM

Confessions: Saturdays 3:30-4:30PM

Call St. Christopher Parish, 440-331-4255, for Holy Day schedule.

IN OUR PARISH THIS WEEK

We hope you are enjoying the more relaxed days of summer. There are only a few items on our calendar this week.

Sunday, June 27

YOSA Appalachia Collection after All Weekend Masses.

Tuesday, June 29

7:00PM Boy Scout Troop #401 Trailer

Thursday, July 1

7:00PM St. Vincent de Paul Conference PC East

Friday, July 2 - First Friday

2:00PM St. Angela Avilas Holy Hour Church
7:30PM Prayer Group PC West

Sunday, July 4 - God Bless America!

WEDDING BANNES

- II Brianne Kenneally & Jeffrey Huber July 10
- I Dana Leach & Jason Crowe July 17

BAPTIZED Congratulations and welcome to our newly baptized. Morgan Cassidy Metzger was baptized on June 12; Greyson James DeSarle, Garrett Thomas Lupson and Quinn Patrick Wallenhorst were baptized at St. Angela's on June 13.

ST. ANGELA AVILAS HOLY HOUR The monthly Holy Hour for the St. Angela Avilas will take place at 2:00PM on Friday, July 2 in the church. The Avilas of the Diocese of Cleveland are under the patronage of St. Teresa of Avila, and have made prayer for religious vocations their apostolate. New members are always welcome.

FAMILY MEMBERS IN THE ARMED SERVICES

Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands.



Jason Actis, Stephen Barnie, Jason Ivan Bauman, James Bocchicchio, Amanda M. Borngen, Tim Budzar, Christopher Ceren, Aaron Cimo, Kevin Cukrowicz, Terrance Fagan, Jack Finucan, Derek Fix, Michael Flynn, Phoebe Flynn, Jessica France, Johnathon Gottschick, Christopher Hirsch, Michael Hodge, Ed Horvath, Nathan Jones, Michael Keaton, Joseph Kocel, Dane Krebs, Kenneth Kurz, Zachary Laskowski, Derek Lisowski, Jeffrey Lynch, Antonio Martinez, Elizabeth McKenna-Cloud, Dan Meleason, Michael Medgyessy, Peter A. Mooney, Andrew Munshower, Thomas S. Nemeth, Zachary Netzler, Ryan Overbaugh, Thomas Oxley, Robin Pacheco, Christopher Popovic, Jeremy Roberts, Lawrence Ruggiero, Scott Saghy, Christopher Salisbury, James Schafer, Raymond Schmotzer, Paulo Shakarian, Bernadette Sielski, Brian Skalecki, Thomas Skalecki, Michael E. Stanton, Ken Stein, Daniel Stuewe, Cory B. Szucs, Ryan Walters, Charles Werner, Patrick Whitmore, Jeffrey E. Wick, and Bryan Winters.

Please keep all of our armed forces stationed here and in foreign lands including those disabled by war in your prayers.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- SUNDAY: 1 Kgs 19:16b, 19-21/Gal 5:1, 13-18/Lk 9:51-62
- MONDAY: Am 2:6-10, 13-16/Mt 8:18-22
- TUESDAY: Acts 12:1-11/2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/Mt 16:13-19
- WEDNESDAY: Am 5:14-15, 21-24/Mt 8:28-34
- THURSDAY: Am 7:10-17/Mt 9:1-8
- FRIDAY: Am 8:4-6, 9-12/Mt 9:9-13
- SATURDAY: Eph 2:19-22/Jn 20:24-29
- NEXT Is 66:10-14c/Gal 6:14-18/
- SUNDAY: Lk 10:1-12, 17-20 or 10:1-9

REST IN PEACE Please pray for Sharon Jackman-Russell, Dorothy Emerson, and Margaret Semanik. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

FAMILY PERSPECTIVES In today's Gospel, Jesus admonishes, "No one who sets a hand to the plow and looks to what was left behind is fit for the kingdom of God." Clearly, Jesus does not want families to be mired in the mourning, resentment, worry or loyalties that cause them to lose hope and direction. The key is to seek God first and let all other care be secondary. Then, we will find direction and energy to fulfill our responsibilities and journey through life with joy no matter what difficulties face us.

OREMUS PRO INVICEM (Pray for each other) *In your prayers, please remember those in need of healing, especially: Dr. Ted Castele, Megan Crable, Tony & Irene Cuffari, Patty Joyce Deegan, Mary Pat Ellert, Dorothy Emerson, John Eyerman, Rosalie Flynn, Rita Gallagher, Marion Grungé, Shane Haddad, Helen & John Kapusta, Joseph Kerrigan, Dr. Greg Knittel, Harry Luedeke, Joseph Paulozzi, Leo David Pawlak, Jerry Range, Lucian Rego, Blanca Skurko, Adam Sparks, Tommy Stanton, and Dorothy & Gene Tickle. Unless notified, names will remain on our prayer list for one month.*

Dear Friends,

Don't look now, but I'm writing my final bulletin article for the month of June already! Wasn't it last week that we were celebrating Msgr. Elliott's jubilee and Fr. Greg's silver sacerdotal? *Mon Dieu! Dios Mio! Mein Gott!* God's gift of time passes by so quickly, doesn't it? June will be over in a few short days (*30 days hath September, April, June*, and you know the rest), so I hope that it has been a good month for everyone. A word of thanks to our great cafeteria staff who worked for Fr. Greg's reception and to all who helped in any way to make the day a good one.

Actually, June is popularly known as the month of **Sacred Heart of Jesus** – a great devotion in the Church to remind us of God's never-ending love for us. Our church building has a beautiful stained-glass window of **Saint Margaret Mary Alacoque**, the great saint who was chosen by Christ to arouse in the Church a realization of the love of God symbolized by the heart of Jesus. You can see the representation of the heart at the bottom of the window as a reminder of this longstanding religious piety in the Church. Of course, it is private revelation, but nonetheless, it has endured in the community since the time of this saint, who lived A.D. 1647 – 1690 and who began her life in the poverty of a small family in the Burgundy region of France. The Alacoque family was not famous; Margaret Mary's early life was marked by sickness among all the members of the family. Finally she became a Visitation nun. She had always kept a sincere devotion to the Blessed Sacrament, but she began to feel "invested" with the presence of God and the request of Christ that His love for humanity be made evident through this simple woman of faith. She was to make up for the "coldness and ingratitude" of the world.

Not unlike **Bernadette Soubirous**, who lived many years later in France (*Saint Bernadette of Lourdes – Sister Marie Bernarde Soubirous A.D. 1844 – 1879*), she suffered due to people's skepticism. The Soubirous family was also a poor family. **How remarkable that God would choose such poor, unassuming, unpretentious types to make such inroads in people's spiritual lives!**

One last item regarding Saint Margaret Mary Alacoque: it was she who shared with us the practice of making the Nine **First Fridays** devotion/novena (nine consecutive First Fridays) in the Church. Why do people regard these First Fridays of each month as so important? Look up the life and spirituality of this saint, and you'll find out. You might also look of the idea and practice of five **First Saturdays** of five consecutive months, but that's a different story from Fatima! **For your information,**

we, unlike many parishes, still have an 8:30 A.M. Mass on Saturdays and exposition of the Blessed Sacrament (as we are able) on the First Fridays of the month. Now you know why people come to church on those days for special devotions in their lives! Again, these are venerable and respected practices in the Church for decades and decades.

I've mentioned that the priests and deacons of the diocese have recently been attending workshops to help us prepare for the new changes in the wording of the Mass in the Roman Missal in English. These have been in the making for about ten years as part of the ongoing experience of making sure that the liturgy of the Mass and the sacraments are true to the vision of the Second Vatican Council and close to the experience of other language groups all around the planet. You will notice these very quickly; not many are planned for the general congregation – most are really for the celebrant of the Mass. But you will notice several when they are promulgated probably in Advent of A.D. 2011. So, we have time to prepare ourselves. I want you to look seriously at the Web site www.usccb.org/romanmissal to get ready. I also think that a look at some videos on that site might be of interest to you.

Some videos have been produced by the **Canon Law Seminar for Media**, explaining the Churches processes for dealing with clergy sexual abuse of minors. These are available online at a very user-friendly Web site with the title <http://www.usccb.org/canonlawseminar/>. If you've ever wondered about the meaning and use and origin of Canon Law in the Church, this is your time to hear some very excellent and clear presentations on the subject. Now you won't have to sign up for a class at the seminary! *Canon Law is part of every priest's formation and every deacon's formation.* It is different from **Civil Law**, yet it has a relationship with Civil Law when dealing with such cases as sexual abuse. There are, I believe, four seminar presentations, as well as a panel discussion. The original seminar's intent was to bring together noted experts on Church law and representatives of major Catholic and secular news outlets. **Pretty interesting stuff!**

I was pleasantly surprised to learn that the theme for this year's **Catechetical Sunday** on September 19th will be concerning marriage in the Church and all that surrounds the sacrament of Matrimony. The title, or theme, that was chosen is **"Matrimony: Sacrament of Enduring Love."** What makes this even more coincidental and grace-filled is the fact that we are hoping to start up Pre-Cana Marriage Prep sessions for our own parish in the near future! God does work in marvelous ways!

Catechetical Sunday is a wonderful opportunity to reflect upon the role that each person plays, by virtue of Baptism, in handing on the faith and being a witness to the Gospel. It is a chance for all to rededicate themselves to this mission as a community of faith in the world. Such a reflection and focus on marriage is not just for those who are married. It is for all of us no matter what experience of marriage we have had or whether or not it is our vocation in life today. Young people especially will need to center their attention on this sacrament for the good of their lives.

At Saint Angela Merici, we are seriously contemplating a return of the Pre-Cana program for our parish. I heard that we had this years ago. Now may be the perfect time to re-start this vital part of marriage preparation. I used to be involved when I lived in NYC for about 11 years in the parish in which I resided, Holy Trinity. The married couples who were on **the team enjoyed it immensely** and got so much out of it. The same was true when I was stationed at Saint Columbkille in Parma. They had a great team (still do) there, and I was very happy to be a part of it for about 5 years. Now, here in our own parish, we have some couples who have had great **experience in leading Pre-Cana days at their former parishes.** They'd like to get started, and so would I. Would you like to be a part of this? Again, this is a great opportunity for married couples to help engaged couples, for married couples to nurture their own sacramental relationship, and for married couples of any age to share their reflections with others. Did you know that the statistic for marriages in the U.S. is frightening? **It seems that half of all marriages attempted in the U.S. each year end in divorce. Half!** You can see why marriage preparation is so important, as it always has been, in the Catholic Church. Please take some time to reflect and pray on this ministry. The more couples involved, the better the program, the lighter the work. If you have any interest, please call me or email me. **In the meantime, I hope that you will look at the diocesan Web site for the Marriage and Family section. You will find it at www.clevelandcatholiccharities.org/mfm.** Enjoy. You should also be interested in reading (downloading) the bishops' newest pastoral message on marriage and matrimony: *Love and Life in the Divine Plan*. It's great. There are many resources for a happy marriage on this Web site. All you have to do is look.

Speaking of young people, have you seen the report from London recently about the importance of family time? It deals with time and television. Popular primetime television shows engage audiences daily for an hour, longer than the average

child gets to spend with his parents! **On average, parents spend 49 minutes with their children every day, the Catholic Children's Society of the Westminster Diocese reported.** Why? Drawing on the results of a survey, the society informed that 68% of the adult respondents noted that **money** was one of the reasons for this limited time. "This is an alarmingly short period of time for children to spend with the parents," said the executive director. "Children need to experience the love and warmth of family life if they are to grow up to become emotionally stable and mature adults." One of the key ways in which this is done is by spending time together with a parent or both parents. The study was undertaken as part of national Family Week. "It is sadly a symptom of modern life that parents have to work such long hours in order to afford a higher standard of living or to make ends meet. Our society needs to understand that children are often the first casualties when we get the work life balance wrong, and this cannot be good for the longer term future of a healthy society."

It was reported that 66% of the child respondents stated that they were happy to spend more family time at home, rather than going out. "There is a great temptation, on the part of parents, to either think that their children need material goods to make them happy, expensive schools to achieve academic excellence, or group activities outside the home to fend off boredom." The experience of the Catholic Children's Society, from working with children in counseling situations, reveals that they need relational stability and the self-esteem which comes from feeling valued for who they are and unconditionally loved by their parents. Such love is hard to convey in 49 minutes per day. The society has been in existence since 1859. I wonder what the survey would say to our experience in the United States of America? Thank God for the many parents we know who are able to spend much more than 49 minutes each day with their children!

Another article on the effect of being "**hooked**" on gadgets and paying a mental price was recently published in the *New York Times* – *Technology section of the Business Day* this month of June. A debate is raging on the effects of a deluge of data in the world today – computer screens alive with email, instant messages, online chats, a Web browser, and computer code writing. One guy almost missed a huge business deal because he was so swamped. He also has a hard time remembering dinner engagements and focusing on his family because he craves the stimulation he gets from his electronic gadgets. His wife says that

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"he no longer lives fully in the moment." Hmm... Scientists say that juggling email, phone calls, and other incoming information can change the way that people think and behave. Some say **our ability to focus** is being undermined by bursts of information. Immediate stimulation provokes excitement – a dopamine effect – that can be addictive. Its absence breeds boredom. Think of cell phone-wielding drivers and train engineers. The debate is raging regarding multitasking as making us more productive vs. heavy multitasking making us unfocused and more stressful. I suppose the jury is out, since the current generations who have so many gadgets are still in the growth stage. What will the results be, I wonder?

Some say that technology is rewiring our brains. How will this affect our ability to pray, I wonder? Will we be too fragmented, too fractured? Some say that digital stimulation is a lure not like drugs and alcohol but closer to food and sex – essential but counterproductive in excess.

Some say that the use of technology has great benefits, of course, toward efficient brain use, visual acuity, and the like. Cell phones and computers have shrunk distance for workers, transforming life and freeing us to move about. For better or for worse, the consumption of media has exploded. In 2008, people consumed three times as much information each day as they did in 1960. What a change in the human environment! Are we exposing our brains to an environment we were evolved to experience or not? The generations who have come of age in this atmosphere are the young. Should we "unplug" more often? How about vacations? A good question perhaps for this summer! Maybe we should simply count up the number of hours each day that we spend on the computer, spend alone quietly, and spend in some interaction with a live human being. That may tell us more than we could ever know from an article.

At any rate, children's brains are still developing researchers say. Being able to set priorities, make good choices, resisting impulses – these are all a part of the discussion. One researcher at Stanford thinks the ultimate risk of heavy technology use is that it diminishes empathy by limiting how much people engage with one another, even in the same room. "The way we become more human is by paying attention to each other," he said. "It shows how much you care." **That empathy, he said, is essential to the human condition.** "We are at an

inflection point; a significant fraction of people's experiences are now fragmented." Wow. A secular viewpoint that somehow speaks to the spiritual and religious dimension of ourselves, I believe. Something to reflect upon in our lives – if we have the time!

I received some information from the Jesuit Retreat House on State Road in Parma. If you have never made a retreat, perhaps you might like to think of one this summer or in the near future. It's a great place and a real treasure for our area. Priests and deacons are required to make retreats each year. It's a good thing. Taking time out, reflecting on one's life, letting go of the stress of the year, looking forward to the possibility of transformation in the Spirit, deepening one's relationship with Christ, learning a new way of praying and meditating, having a relationship with a trained retreat director. Most comments regarding retreats are as follows: "It helped to change my life. I learned to pray differently. The Sunday readings now have more interest in my life. It was a blessing to me." Good testimonials to think about! The retreat house can be contacted at 440.884.9300; the Web site for this Cleveland treasure is www.jrh-cleveland.org; the email is jrhcleve@att.net. So enjoy. A retreat is a nice treat. They also have a large parcel of land, kind of an oasis in the midst of a bustling city.

Good-bye, June. Hello to the new month and the new fiscal year. Thanks to all for helping one another this past year in all things. Oremus pro invicem. Soli Deo Gloria.

Father Michael J. Lanning, Pastor

DID YOU KNOW?

Andrea Bocelli, the international Italian heartthrob and singer sells millions of albums and is seen by millions each year in concerts and on TV. He tells in a recent video that none of this would have come about if his mother had heeded the advice of doctors who wanted to abort him when she was pregnant. His likely "disability" worried her, and the doctors told her it was the "best solution" to terminate the child. Abortion was illegal in Italy at the time, too! She refused. To see the video, visit www.youtube.com and type in the title **Andrea Bocelli tells a "little story" about abortion**. Very moving. There are other sites there to review, too.

**DON'T FORGET TO DROP OFF YOUR DONATIONS FOR
THE YOSA APPALACHIA SERVICE TRIP THIS WEEKEND BEFORE AND AFTER ALL MASSES!**

50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION The Department for Marriage and Family Ministry and the Office for Worship are pleased to announce the 50th Wedding Anniversary Celebration. The Mass will be held on Sunday, July 25 at 2:30PM at the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist with Most Reverend Richard Lennon as the celebrant. Please contact the St. Angela Merici Parish Secretary at 440-333-2133 for registration information.



LITURGICAL ROLES
(JUNE 28-JULY 4)

WEEKDAY SERVERS

Monday, June 28

- 6:30AM Eoin Halligan,
Patrick Corrigan
- 8:30AM Josh Szoradi,
Coleman Donohoe

Tuesday, June 29

- 6:30AM Joseph Isabella,
Sean Cooper
- 8:30AM Kacie Erickson, Casey Kunkle

Wednesday, June 30

- 6:30AM Eoin Halligan,
Patrick Corrigan
- 8:30AM Josh Szoradi,
Coleman Donohoe

Thursday, July 1

- 6:30AM Joseph Isabella,
Sean Cooper
- 8:30AM Kacie Erickson, Casey Kunkle

Friday, July 2

- 6:30AM Eoin Halligan,
Patrick Corrigan
- 8:30AM Josh Szoradi,
Coleman Donohoe

Saturday, July 3

- 8:30AM Kacie Erickson, Casey Kunkle

WEEKEND SERVERS (JULY 3-4)

- 4:30PM Elena Donofrio, Dan Jones,
Megan Coyne, Emily Joyce
- 7:30AM Elizabeth Gottschalk,
Katie Holick
- 9:00AM Taylor Ewashinka, James
Zoller, Chris Isabella,
Noelle Isabella
- 11:00AM Sean Dobrzeneicki,
Erin Gallagher,
Emily Velten,
Joe Velten
- 5:30PM Seamus Anglin, Sarah
Anglin, Taylor McCluskey

LECTORS (JULY 3-4)

Please refer to your schedule.



**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR
2-HOUR SHIFTS
ST. ANGELA MERICI TENT AT
SUMMERFEST**

Summerfest 2010 will be in full swing next month! And, **St. Angela Merici Church wants to be a part of this exciting Fairview Park Centennial event.** Fr. Greg is organizing an information tent for this fun event. Volunteers will be needed for Friday, July 16th: 6:00-11:00pm, Saturday, July 17th: 10:00am-11:00 pm and Sunday from 11:00-4:00pm. What a wonderful way to show our Church and School spirit to our neighborhood community! Families are most welcome! If you can help, please contact Fr. Greg at the Parish Center, or email frgreg@samparish.org.



BLESSED IS THE FRUIT OF THY WOMB As we follow the probable development of Jesus from His conception to His birth, He would have been living 13 weeks in His mother's womb. Jesus' skin would have been very thin, allowing a clear view of underlying blood vessels. His rapid growth would have continued, with His bones growing harder and retaining calcium. Jesus' eyelids would now have been firmly shut, staying closed until the third trimester. Mary's abdominal area would have begun to show more fullness. *Let us pray that new mothers and fathers receive family support.*



JOIN US FOR THE FEST ON AUGUST 8 at the Center for Pastoral Leadership in Wickliffe, presented by the Sisters of Charity Health System. Featuring national Christian recording artists, great food, games and activities for the whole family and an amazing fireworks display, the FEST is the region's largest **FREE** Catholic family event. Bands appearing this year's event include Newsboys, the Afters, Matt Maher, Brooke Barrettsmith and Real Music competition winner "State Fair." The real high point of the day is the Mass, celebrated on the Main Stage with a choir of over 600 people glorifying God. Check out our Web site at www.thefest.us and we'll see you on August 8th!

**SOCIAL JUSTICE
COMMISSION NEWS**

Nsumba Home Update From June 8th-25th, a group of 6 parishioners from St. Brendan Parish in North Olmsted visited their partner orphanage called CALM (Children And Life Mission) in Uganda. CALM is not too far from Nsumba Home, St. Angela's partner orphanage. The St. Brendan's group visited Nsumba Home on Saturday, June 19th. They will hopefully be bringing some pictures back with them as well as some letters from the students in response to the letters SAM parishioners sent around Christmastime. Look for an update in next week's bulletin on their trip and if the letters made it back to Cleveland!

The Social Justice Commission is seeking new members. *Mission Statement: "Rooted in Catholic Social Teaching and impelled by love, the Social Justice Commission of St. Angela Merici seeks to promote justice as the way to peace, uphold the dignity of every person, and foster solidarity and respect for the poor in our community and the world. We hope to achieve this through prayer, reflection, education, advocacy and action on various social justice issues."* If you are interested, the next meeting will be Monday, June 28th at 7pm in the Parish Center. Contact Trena Pacetti with any questions at trenamarks@aol.com or 440-686-0981.

St. Colman Church in the City Update Carpet donation needed: Many volunteers worked hundreds of hours to rehab a house that St. Colman purchased for \$1. The home has been recently abandoned by the tenant without any notice, and the house has been badly vandalized. St. Colman is trying to rehab this house again in order to sell it to a non-profit to manage the property. The house is in need of carpet for up to 5 rooms. If you have connections to the carpet industry or would like to help, please contact Eileen Kelly at efk5@hotmail.com or call St. Colman at 216-651-0550.

FLOWER FUND

We thank the following parishioners who contributed to our Flower Fund in loving memory of those listed below. These names are in addition to those previously published in a May 2010 bulletin.

<u>Parishioner(s)</u>	<u>In Loving Memory of:</u>
Mrs. Mary Agnes Ellis	Everett Ellis
Mr. & Mrs. Donald Fergus	Distefan & Fergus Families
Mrs. Mary Finlin	John D. Finlin, Sr.
Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Ginley	Mulgrew & Ginley Families
Ms. Margaret Goebels	Wm. Goebels
Mrs. Anna Giuttari	Salvatore Guittari
Mr. & Mrs. Brian Kirschnick	Edward Ginley
Mr. & Mrs. Michael Krizmanich	The Wityek Family
Mr. & Mrs. Carl Lachendro	Jim Kisvardai; Dorothy Bartko;
.....	Dorothy Kovach; Joe & Olive Kisvardai;
.....	Bruno & Betty Lachendro
Dr. & Dr. Luis Llerena	Deceased Members of
.....	Llerena & Guevara Family
Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Marano	Mary & Thomas Barton
Ms. Marta Fordos-Medgyessy	Paul Medgyessy
Mr. & Mrs. John Mulroy	Deceased Members of the
.....	Krupar & Mulroy Families
Mr. & Mrs. Kenneth Ogilvy	Guzowski & Ogilvy Families
Mrs. Constance Petersen	William Petersen
Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Reeves	Gloria Reeves
Dr. & Dr. Wilfrido Reyes	Eugenia-Emma Robancho
Ms. Rosemary Russ	Ruth & Larry Russ; Anne Downey
Ms. Genevieve Sabat	John Surdel Family
Mr. & Mrs. Kenneth Salisbury ...	Deceased Salisbury & Rudy Families
Ms. Barbara Stein	Ralph & Marion Stein
Ms. Irene Tanski	Edith Chrobak
Mr. & Mrs. Peter Tovtin	John Leombruno
Mrs. Linda Werbeach	Ken Werbeach/Marie Koenig
Mr. George Werner	The Werner Family
Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Zawodny	Maradell Schnapp
Mrs. Shirley Ziegler	Richard Ziegler

We also thank these additional parishioners who contributed to our Flower Fund:

- Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Decaro
- Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Dempsey
- Mr. Jozgef Radnai, Jr.

FAIRVIEW PARK EDUCATION FOUNDATION GOLF OUTING

For anyone who likes to play golf and wouldn't mind playing hooky from work for an afternoon to support a worthwhile cause, this is your event! 18 holes of golf with a cart on a beautiful, private golf course with catered lunch and a steak dinner with all the trimmings prepared by the chef at Rosemont Country Club included! Cost is only \$100 per person - a tremendous golf value! Bring your own foursome, or we can fit you and/or a partner into a group. The Fairview Park Education Foundation gives away over \$12,000 in scholarships annually to deserving students, as well as supporting other worthwhile causes. It will be great golf with great food, and it's all for a great cause! For more information, contact Tim Stanton at 216-375-6919, stanton52@att.net.

NEW SCHOOL WINDOWS The following plaques are being prepared for new windows being installed on the west side of the school. Thank you to those who made donation so that this project can be completed this summer.

In honor of Monsignor William E. Elliott's 50th Anniversary of Ordination by the Graves/Cotton Family, May 2010

**In Appreciation
Robert and Maggie Mooney**

**In Appreciation
Anonymous Donor**

**In Memory of
William S. Aron**

**In Appreciation
Mr. & Mrs. Timothy E. Jakubisin**

**In Appreciation
Mr. and Mrs. Theodore J. Bullard, Jr.**

**In Memory of
Joseph and Anna Kocab**

**In Appreciation
Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Infante**

**In Appreciation
Mary C. Juliano**

MEN'S FAITH SHARING All men are invited to join the Men's Faith Sharing Group which will meet on July 10 (not the usual First Saturday) due to the holiday weekend. The group meets at 7:30AM in the Parish Center West Room. For more information, call Jerry at 440-238-4497.

ST. ANGELA MERICI CLASS OF 1990 REUNION A reunion is being planned for the weekend of August 7. Please contact Sarah Lorek at jslorek@sbcglobal.net.

SUMMER TRAFFIC PATTERN & CONSTRUCTION Please be aware that there are dumpsters on the property for our construction needs. We ask that you do not drop items in the dumpster since these are here exclusively construction use and extra expenses are incurred for the disposal of non-contracted items. **Drive slowly when traveling through the parking lot.** Your safety is our utmost concern.

ST. AUGUSTINE ACADEMY CLASS OF 1970 REUNION All graduates are invited to come back to Lakewood Catholic Academy (former SAA) on Saturday, August 14. Mass in the chapel at 11AM and light lunch afterwards. Call Karen Livingston Delia at 216-403-4037 for a reservation.

**OFFERTORY/FINANCIAL
STEWARDSHIP REPORT
FISCAL YEAR**

(July 1, 2009 – June 30, 2010)

June 20, 2010

In-Pew collection	\$ 19,098
Online collection	\$ 1,191
Collection total	\$ 20,289
Amount budgeted	\$ 26,000

Budget to date	
(\$26,000 x 51 week)	\$1,326,000
Collections to date	\$1,274,321
Collection surplus/(deficit) to date	\$ (51,679)

May God bless you for your continued generosity and support of our parish.

**GUARDIAN ANGEL TUITION
ASSISTANCE FUND**

Please remember the Guardian Angel Fund in your current giving plans. The fund is used to help our own families who truly want a Catholic education for their children but who are experiencing some financial difficulty at this time.

**SPECIAL COLLECTIONS & PINK
ENVELOPES**

We are grateful for your ongoing support given through your envelope packet. Here are some totals so far for 2010.

Special Collections

Catholic University	\$443
Latin American	\$477
Eastern Europe	\$289
Black & Indian	\$457
Catholic Relief (not including Haiti collection)	\$778
Holy Land - Good Friday	\$2,739
Catholic Home Missions	\$665
Catechetical Services	\$273

Pink Envelopes (Jan. - May)

West Side Catholic Center	\$2,323
Birthingright	\$882
St. Vincent de Paul	\$4814.26
Food Sunday	\$4,304

SAM SHARES Stop by the Parish Center during normal business hours to purchase SAM Share certificates.