



## LITURGICAL SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 11, 2021

### FIFTEENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

<b>SATURDAY,</b>	<b>JULY</b>	<b>10<sup>th</sup></b>		
	4:00 p.m. at St. James		NIKOLAS & CECILIA TORKAR	George & Josie Spahich
<b>SUNDAY,</b>	<b>JULY</b>	<b>11<sup>th</sup></b>		
	9:00 a.m. at St. Catherine		ANN & ANDREW SEMKO	David & Lyn Sonnenlitter
	11:00 a.m. at St. Joseph, Newton Falls			
<b>MONDAY,</b>	<b>JULY</b>	<b>12<sup>th</sup></b>		
	9:00 a.m. at St. Joseph, Newton Falls			
<b>TUESDAY,</b>	<b>JULY</b>	<b>13<sup>th</sup></b>		
	9:00 a.m. at St. James		FOR THE PARISH FAMILIES	
	10:00 a.m. at St. James		SCRIPTURE STUDY (ALL ARE WELCOME)	
<b>WEDNESDAY,</b>	<b>JULY</b>	<b>14<sup>th</sup></b>		
	6:30 p.m. at St. Catherine		HELEN & KARL STUBLE	M/M James Chmielewski
<b>THURSDAY,</b>	<b>JULY</b>	<b>15<sup>th</sup></b>		
	9:00 a.m. at St. Joseph, Newton Falls			
<b>FRIDAY,</b>	<b>JULY</b>	<b>16<sup>th</sup></b>		
			NO MASS	

### SIXTEENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

<b>SATURDAY,</b>	<b>JULY</b>	<b>17<sup>th</sup></b>		
	4:00 p.m. at St. James		JOSEPH A. AMBROSE & CAROLINE ESPOSITO	Joe & Elia Ambrose
<b>SUNDAY,</b>	<b>JULY</b>	<b>18<sup>th</sup></b>		
	9:00 a.m. at St. Catherine		MARGARET & GERALD SONNENLITTER	David & Lyn Sonnenlitter
	11:00 a.m. at St. Joseph, Newton Falls			

<b>READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY:</b>	<b>FIRST READING:</b>	<b>JEREMIAH 23:1-6</b>
	<b>RESPONSE:</b>	<b>PSALM 23:1-3, 3-4, 5-6</b>
	<b>SECOND READING:</b>	<b>EPHESIANS 2:13-18</b>
	<b>GOSPEL:</b>	<b>MARK 6:30-34</b>

**Stewardship Thought:** "He instructed them to take nothing for the journey but a walking stick – no food, no money in their belts." **MARK 6-31**

Imagine taking nothing but a stick when you go on a trip. The Apostles must have really trusted in God's providential care. Think of all the material things "we can't live without" in today's world. We make our life's journey more difficult because of all the material baggage that we drag along. Putting God first in everything and putting our money and possessions second gives us freedom because we don't become "slaves" to wanting to acquire more things.

**Help Appreciated:** If anyone would like to participate in the Mass by being a Lector or Server, you are encouraged to call Karen Klodt at 716-345-3867 or [mkklokt@gmail.com](mailto:mkklokt@gmail.com) or Vickie Takacs at 330-322-7908 or [victak@hotmail.com](mailto:victak@hotmail.com). Excellent, personalized training and mentoring will be provided as long as necessary. Please consider serving.

## OUR LADY OF THE LAKES

**VOCATIONS:** "BEFORE THE FOUNDATION OF THE WORLD GOD CHOSE US IN CHRIST." ARE YOU DISCERNING THE VOCATION THAT GOD HAS CHOSEN FOR YOU IN CHRIST? MIGHT IT BE TO SERVE THE CHURCH IN THE CONSECRATED LIFE OR PRIESTHOOD? CONTACT FATHER SCOTT KOPP AT 330-744-8451 OR EMAIL: [SKOPP@YOUNGSTOWNDIOCESE.ORG](mailto:SKOPP@YOUNGSTOWNDIOCESE.ORG).

### Liturgical Ministers: Sixteenth Sunday of the Year

	<u>July 17, 2021</u>	<u>July 18, 2021</u>
	<u>4:00 p.m. at St. James</u>	<u>9:00 a.m. at St. Catherine</u>
<b>LECTORS:</b>	Vickie Takacs	Ben Melnykovich
	Ted Balzer	Patty Melnykovich
<b>E. MINISTERS:</b>	Michael Klodt	Nancy Cowan
<b>SERVERS:</b>	Lynn Oblinger	Michael Klodt

### Church Support Record for the weekend of July 3/4:

Offertory: \$3,110.00 Exponent: \$95.00 St. Catherine Bldg. & Mtn. Fund; \$280.00

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY:** Wishing Millie Kubinsky a very Happy 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday!!!

**Men's Club 50/50 Drawing:** The winner of June's 50/50 drawing was Vickie Takacs. Vickie won \$40.00 Congratulations Vickie! Thanks to all who played!

**Save a Life, Contact Congress:** Congress is trying to force Americans to pay for abortion. The Hyde Amendment and similar laws have protected taxpayers from funding elective abortion for 45 years. Now, powerful members of Congress want to take away these laws that both Democrats and Republicans have supported for nearly half a century. Without these protections, billions of taxpayers' dollars could be used to pay for abortion. Sign the petition to Congress at [www.notaxpayerabortion.com](http://www.notaxpayerabortion.com).

**Community Cupboard:** Catholic Charities will launch its **Community Cupboard** campaign on July 18, 2021. This campaign responds to the economic hardships impacting many local families who struggle to keep food on their tables and to pay their utility bills. These same families might receive SNAP (food stamps) benefits to purchase food, but these benefits cannot be used to purchase personal care items or household products. The personal hygiene, paper, and cleaning products collected during the **Community Cupboard** campaign are distributed by our Catholic Charities agency sites to help restore clients' dignity and self-esteem. Please visit [www.ccdoy.org](http://www.ccdoy.org) to learn more or make a donation at a Catholic Charities agency site near you.

**St. Joseph in Mantua to Host Ox Roast Fair July 16<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup>, & 18<sup>th</sup>:** The 57<sup>th</sup> Ox Roast Fair has plenty of fun to keep the whole family entertained including: a wide variety of Fair food favorites; live entertainment in three locations; Friday night fireworks; Saturday morning 5K run/walk & 1M fun Walk; Sunday Blessing of the Bikes; an assortment of rides, games, contests & giveaways; over \$20,000.00 in main raffle prizes & hourly progressive drawings each day plus several specialty raffles, souvenir T-shirts & mugs; tractor, truck & semi pulls; trade booths; casino games with instant bingo; security; handicap accessibility; clean grounds and much much more! The parish community of St. Joseph's at 11045 St. Joseph Blvd. is located in Mantua Twp. Off Pioneer Trail approximately ¼ mi. west of St. Rt. 44, south of St. Rt. 82, just north of Mantua Village (accessible from U.S. Rt. 422 just 7 miles north or Ohio Turnpike Exit 193 just 2 miles south). You won't want to miss St. Joseph's Ox Roast Fair ~ Not Your Typical Church Festival! For more information please check out St. Joseph's website [www.stjosephmantua.com/ox-roast-fair](http://www.stjosephmantua.com/ox-roast-fair), find them on Facebook (St. Joseph's Ox Roast Fair), or contact the parish office at 330-274-2253 or [parishoffice@stjosephmantua.com](mailto:parishoffice@stjosephmantua.com).

**YSU Summer Festival of the Arts:** The YSU Summer Festival of the Arts is Saturday, July 17, 10:00 am – 6:00 pm and Sunday, July 18 11:00 am-5:00 pm at our new location, Wean Park, near the Covelli Centre in downtown Youngstown at 229 E. Front St., Youngstown, OH 44503. We cordially invite you to visit our over 70 artists; watch dozens of performances; and check out the numerous arts and culture groups on-site. The event and parking are free. In addition, many arts and culture groups in downtown and along Wick Avenue will also be open and our friends at St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Church on Walnut Street will host their annual Summerfest. Art, music, theatre and culture will be on full display. Please join us. More info at [www.ysu.edu/sfa](http://www.ysu.edu/sfa) or 330-941-2307.



LET US  
SEE YOUR  
KINDNESS

psalm 85



*Jesus summoned  
the Twelve and  
began to send  
them out two by  
two and gave them  
authority over  
unclean spirits.  
He said to them,  
“Wherever you  
enter a house, stay  
there until you  
leave. Whatever  
place does not  
welcome you or  
listen to you, leave  
there and shake the  
dust off your feet  
in testimony  
against them.”  
- Mk 6:7, 10-11*

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass  
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## OUR LADY OF THE LAKES PARISH FAMILY

A Roman Catholic Community in the Diocese of Youngstown  
The Most Reverend David J. Bonnar, Bishop

Reverend David W. Merzweiler, Pastor

At 1254 Grandview Road  
Lake Milton, OH 44429

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Parish Family Center  
Pastor's Residence: 330-654-4001

At 50 Rosemont Road  
North Jackson, OH 44451

St. James Church  
Social Hall  
Parish Offices

Parish Offices Combined at St. James, 330-538-2602

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Mrs. Ronda Pirko  
Secretary/Bookkeeper  
Mon. Wed. & Thurs. & Fri. 8:30 am - 1:00 pm