

September 28/29 2024
Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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LITURGICAL SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF THE TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday, September 28th, 2024

4:00 pm at St. James

The Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ann & Andrew Semko

Dave & Lyn Sonnenlitter

Sunday, September 29th

9:00 am at St. Catherine

Gary Burke

Mary K. Adams

11:00 am at St. Mary & St. Joseph

Mary Ann Gazda

Joe & Patt Dubos

Monday, September 30th

9:00 am at St. Mary & St. Joseph

St. Jerome, Priest and Doctor of the Church

Danny Price

Richard & Mary Price

Tuesday, October 1st

9:00 am at St. James

St. Therese of the Child Jesus

In Honor of Peppy Laakso's 100th Birthday
9-30-1924

Joe & Nancy Mayor

9:45 am at St. James

Scripture Study

Wednesday, October 2nd

6:30 pm at St. Catherine

The Holy Guardian Angels

Parish Families

Thursday, October 3rd

9:00 am at St. Mary & St. Joseph

Evelyn Ballas

Mike & Margo Nemet

Friday, October 4th

No Mass

Saturday, October 5th

4:00 pm at St. James

Linda Prachick

Husband & Sons

Sunday, October 6th

Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 am at St. Catherine

Joe Bell

Gary & Kathleen Roberts

11:00 am at St. Mary & St. Joseph

John Gams

John Hildack Family

Liturgical Ministers for October 5th & 6th The Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 pm St. James

9:00 am St. Catherine

11:00 am SSMJ

Lectors: Amy McCullough

Georgia Dungan

Michael Albrecht

Joe Thiry

Rich Patnode

Sandy Mason

EM: Lorraine Confoey

Patty Melnykovich

Frances Frantz

Server: Lily Susak

Michael Klodt

Logan Clonch

Readings for Sunday, October 6, 2024

First Reading: Genesis 2:18 -24 (140B)

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 128: 1-2, 3, 4-5, 6

Second Reading: Hebrews 2: 9-11

Gospel: Mark 10: 2-16 or 10: 2-12

Our Lady of the Lakes

Guardian Angel Intercessory Prayer (October 2nd):

Loving God, you are so good that you gave me a Guardian Angel to protect my body and my soul. Help me to know and follow my angel so that, with their guidance, I will be worthy of being in Heaven with You! My sweet Guardian Angel, you are my helper every day of my life. Support me to be holy and good like you.

Church support record for the weekend of September 21st and 22nd 2024: Offertory: \$2161.75, Assumption: \$20.00.

Women's Guild Meeting: The next Women's Guild Meeting will be on Wednesday, October 2nd, at 10:30 a.m. at St. James Social Hall. All women of the Parish are welcome!

ITEMS OF INTEREST TO BOTH PARISHES

Stewardship Reflection:

"Anyone who gives you a cup of water to drink because you belong to Christ, amen, I say to you, will surely not lose his reward." MARK 9:41

We are made in God's image and likeness. We tend to forget this. When you look at others, do you see the face of Jesus in them? When others look at you, do they see the face of Jesus in you? When we realize that all lives matter to God, then gratitude and generosity become easier. Why? Because that's the way we are made! We are one Body of Christ; when one of us is hurting, all of us feel the pain.

Diocesan Media Day: Today is Diocesan Media Day! In honor of the Feast of the Archangels (Sts. Michael, Gabriel and Raphael), who proclaim God's message to the world, we are thanking Catholics who serve in media and communications in the Diocese of Youngstown. You can support our diocesan media today by sending your spiritual questions, topic requests, and recipes to communications@youngstowndiocese.org or following our social media accounts.

Hope & Healing Mass: On Saturday, October 5th at 11:00 a.m., all are invited to attend the final Hope & Healing Mass of the year at the Basilica and National Shrine of Our Lady of Consolation (Upper Basilica) in Carey, Ohio. The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be celebrated within Mass following the homily. After Mass, all present are invited to come forward to receive an individual blessing with the Relic of the True Cross. As we enter the beautiful season of autumn, come to Our Lady of Consolation to pray for healing from Our Lord and intercession from Our Lady.

St Mary & St. Joseph

Prayer of St. Francis of Assisi (Prayer for Peace) (Oct. 4th): Lord, make me an instrument of your peace: where there is hatred, let me sow love; where there is injury, pardon; where there is doubt, faith; where there is despair, hope; where there is darkness, light; where there is sadness, joy. O divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled as to console, to be understood as to understand, to be loved as to love. For it is in giving that we receive, it is in pardoning that we are pardoned, and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life.

Church Support Record: Sunday, September 22, 2024 Weekly: \$1797.00 Candles: \$48.00 Cemetery Perpetual Fund: \$20.00

The next Ladies Guild Meeting is Wednesday, October 2. Officers meet at 6:30, Regular meeting at 7pm

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Attention: All CLI Disciple Maker Index team members of both St. Mary & St. Joseph and Our Lady of the Lakes, our next meeting is Thursday, October 3 at 6:30 pm in the Family Center at St. Catherine. Please have pages 11-13 of your workbook completed

Please pray for the Candidates attending the Cursillo Men's Weekend Thursday, October 3rd, Sunday, October 6, 2023, that they are living their weekend with open hearts & minds to receive the messages of the Holy Spirit, so they journey forward renewed & prepared to be the Hands, Heart & Feet of Jesus. Also pray for the Cursillo Team that has spent months in prayer and preparation for this weekend and especially for these men. May the Holy Spirit work through this team to touch the Hearts & Minds of the Candidates with the message of God!

Mass Intentions: We are in need of Mass Intentions for weekday Masses at both parishes. St. Mary & St. Joseph has 12 Mondays, 4 Thursdays & NO Sundays available this calendar year, Our Lady of the Lakes has all Wednesdays & several Sundays available this calendar year. Please consider having a Mass Intention said for someone you love, living or deceased.

Revive Retreat 2024: Your Call to Holiness with Special Speaker: Fr. Damian Ference, M, Div., M.A., Ph.L., Ph.D., is a priest of the Diocese of Cleveland where he serves as Vicar for Evangelization, Secretary for Parish Life and Special Ministries, and as Professor of Philosophy at Borromeo Seminary. Saturday, October 19, 1:00pm, Retreat, 5:30pm Mass, 6:30pm Dinner & Bonfire at St. Joseph, Mantua, Hughes Hall. Register online. Free Event.

