

TWELFTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

JUNE 20, 2010

Jesus asked the disciples, "Who do you say I am?" Peter said in reply, "The Christ of God." Then Jesus said to all, "If anyone wishes to come after me, he must deny himself and take up his cross daily and follow me." Luke 9: 18-24

Discipleship means to live one's life with faith. In today's Gospel, Jesus calls us to let go of those things we hang on to that separate us from the things of God and to free ourselves from those ambitions and pursuits that count for little in the long view of life's journey; then, freed from life's clutter and focused on God, we are able to take up the cross of humble servanthood to "deny" our own needs and wants for the sake of others. Only in centering our lives in the compassion, justice and mercy of God will we realize the promise of life in the Risen One.

Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, June 21 - St. Aloysius Gonzaga

5:15 PM Michael Prusak

Tuesday, June 22 - Weekday

8:00 AM Living & Deceased of the
Buddie & Geib Families

Wednesday, June 23 - Weekday

5:15 PM Patricia Gill

Thurs. June 24 - The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

8:00 AM Helen Stack

Friday, June 25 - Weekday

5:15 PM John & Helen Mazanec

Saturday, June 26 - Weekday

8:00 AM Deceased Parishioners of St. Clement

4:00 PM Living & Deceased
of the Herb Trayte Family

Sun., June 27 - Thirteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

9:00 AM Betty Hoban

11:00 AM For the People of the Parish

Youth Group News

The Youth Group will have a car wash on Sunday, June 27th from 1-3 pm in the church parking lot. With the proceeds from the car wash the students would like to restore the flag pole located at the turn around and purchase a Papal flag and United States flag. Thank you for supporting the youth group's efforts! If you have questions, please call Colleen at the rectory at 226-5116.



Scripture Readings for the Week

Monday: 2 Kgs 17: 5-8, 13-15, 18; Mt 7: 1-5

Tuesday: 2 Kgs 19: 9-11, 14-21, 31-35, 36

Mt 7: 6, 12-14

Wednesday: 2 Kgs 22: 8-13; 23: 1-3; Mt 7: 15-20

Thursday: Is 49: 1-6; Acts 13:22-26; Lk 1: 57-66,80

Friday: 2 Kgs 25: 1-12; Mt 8: 1-4

Saturday: Lam 2: 2, 10-14, 18-19; Mt 8: 5-17

Sunday: 1 Kgs 19: 16, 19-21; Gal 5: 1, 13-18;
Lk 9: 51-62

St. Clement Children's Choir

Beginning in September, St. Clement parish will be starting a children's choir. The choir will be for boys and girls, ages 8 through 12, and will meet once a week for rehearsals during the school year. The choir will be singing for one Mass per month rotating between the Saturday 4 pm, Sunday 9 am, or the Sunday 11 am liturgies. If interested, please contact Director of Music, James Flood, at 216-224-8578.

Coffee & Donuts

Join us for coffee, donuts and conversation after the 9AM and 11AM Sunday Masses.

Peter's Pence Collection

Next week, as a parish, we will participate in the Peter's Pence Collection for the works of the Holy Father. This collection enables the Holy Father to respond to requests for emergency funds from the most needy throughout the world. The Gospel continually challenges us to lend a helping hand to those in need, to help build a better world with justice for all. This special collection is an opportunity to demonstrate justice as well as kindness to our brothers and sisters in need. Please pray for the Holy Father's works and contribute generously to the appeal.

It's Pot of Gold Time Again!

Pot of Gold tickets will be available after all Masses this weekend - Saturday night and Sunday morning in the gathering area. The first drawing of the new year will be held on July 1st. A one time donation of \$10 per ticket will give you 324 chances to win. Sell 10 tickets and you are in the 10% club. Support our parish with this great fundraiser!

Pot of Gold Winners

(\$25) Mary Ann Mescan, Maria Gatica, Susan Cancasci, Mark Stremlow, Dolly Cerny, Craig Novotny



Look for a "New Look"

Beginning July 11th, Dee Printing out of Columbus will publish our Sunday bulletin. We hope you will enjoy, especially, the new cover design. Since we must submit our bulletin copy to the company by noon on Tuesday, all bulletin articles and inserts must be submitted no later than Monday noon of the week prior to the publication.

Volunteers Needed!

The Children's Liturgy of the Word will be suspended during the months of July and August. If you would like to be part of this important ministry of the church, please contact Fr. Workman.

Save the Date!

Our parish family picnic will be held on Sunday, September 19th from 1 - 5 pm at Lakewood Park Women's Pavilion. Please put this on your calendar. We will be having a picnic planning meeting on Monday, June 21st at 7 pm in the hall. Please come with ideas for games, food and fun so we can make this a great time for all. If you can't attend this meeting but would like to help with one of the jobs at the picnic, call Jackie Ronan at 226-4062.

Christian fathers and grandfathers are given authority to care for their families in the spirit of Jesus the Good Shepherd. On this Father's Day we ask the Good Shepherd to bless and strengthen all fathers in their roles as providers, teachers, mentors, fixers of broken toys and broken hearts.

Unity Catholic Federal Credit Union...

invites you to attend our College Financing Seminar. This seminar covers: government student loans, grants and private student loans. The seminar will be held on June 24th from 7-9 pm at St. Anthony of Padua's Hospitality Room located at 6750 State Road in Parma. Bring a parent or a friend to attend this informative session to learn how to get the financing you need to pursue your dreams. Whether you plan to attend a 4 year, 2 year or trade school, this session can help you. Please RSVP to Kelly Reddy at 440-886-2558 x244 by June 22nd, or go to kcreddy@unitycatholiccu.org.

Centering Space

14812 Lake Avenue, Lakewood

Reflective Prayer

Every Tuesday & Wednesday

7 - 8 pm

also

Wednesday Afternoon

1:30 - 2:30 pm

In silence we listen for God's word
and respond from our hearts.

All are welcome - registration is not required

Attend Mass on Vacation...

If you have a computer, you can go to masstimes.org to find the Mass times almost anywhere in the world.

Finance Corner:

Collection for weekend of June 13 - \$ 6,558.22

Envelopes used - 200

Thank you for your continued support and generosity for the parish.