

TODAY**Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time****Mass Intentions for the Week**

Saturday, July 22nd	4:30 p.m.	People of the Parish
Sunday, July 23rd	9:00 a.m.	Joe Frabott (John & Theresa Schleich)
	11:30 a.m.	Elena Alberico & Michael Lalli (Clara DiRienzo & Vanda Costantiello)
	6:00 p.m.	The Forgotten Souls in Purgatory (Vince Staley)
Monday, July 24th	9:00 a.m.	John & Maria Iacovetta (Guido Ciotola)
Tuesday, July 25th	9:00 a.m.	Kevin Kildow (Jerry Schwan)
Wednesday, July 26th	9:00 a.m.	Antonio Ventresca (Family)
Thursday, July 27th	9:00 a.m.	Arlie Ferguson (Father David)
Friday, July 28th	9:00 a.m.	NO MASS

For the Weekend July 28th & 29th

Saturday, July 29th	4:30 p.m.	Mary Ann Jenoff (Kevin & Melissa Olvera)
Sunday, July 30th	9:00 a.m.	Pat Jelly (Deacon Byron Phillips)
	11:30 a.m.	Eric Bohlmann (Bohlmann Family)
	6:00 p.m.	People of the Parish

Prayer Requests

Glenn Glassner, Virginia LeDonne, Sheila Pendergast, Ralph Stapleton, Rebecca Bohlmann, Maryann Hogan, Logan Kinzel, Mark McGinley, Jean Montenaro, Daniel Patrick Murphy, Elizabeth Parker, Anna Reed, Teri Ruzicka, Denise Schumaker, Andrea Stanley, Dannie & Crystal Terrel, Sophia Basil, Linda Boyd, Tim Cavanaugh, Patti DeCapua, Henry Drayer, Betty Evans, Elaine DiSalvo, Mark Evans, Christine Wilson, Mary Yingst (Please notify the parish office of any changes.)

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

There have been a few inquiries about having different priests and deacons come to St. Christopher and celebrate sacraments (weddings, baptisms, funerals, etc.). It is my policy of the parish that only myself and Deacon Byron will celebrate the sacraments. Guest priests and deacons who are family members, retired, or from other parishes are welcome to concelebrate and preach alongside Deacon Byron and myself.

On another matter, I would like to remind our young parents to please use the cry room on the front left side of the church if you need to quiet your little ones. The acoustics of our church make it difficult for our parishioners to hear Mass over unsettled children. Have a good week.

Father David

Parish Activities for the Week

Saturday, July 22nd	NO PARISH ACTIVITIES	
Sunday, July 23rd	NO PARISH ACTIVITIES	
Monday, July 24th	7:00 p.m.	Cafeteria AA Meeting
Friday, July 28th	5:00 p.m.	Church Kent & Kelley Wedding Rehearsal
Saturday, July 29th	1:30 p.m.	Church Amy Kent & Andrew Kelley Wedding
Sunday, July 30th	8:40 a.m.	Church Rosary
	10:00 a.m.	Church Baptism – Ann Margaret Sex

Wedding Banns

Please pray for the following members of our parish community who will marry soon here at St. Christopher Church:
I – Amy Kent & Andrew Kelley

PARISH SUPPORT**Weekly Offertory Breakdown – July 16, 2017**

Total Envelope Count – 96	
Total Envelope \$ Amount	\$ 3,469.00
Loose Checks – 40	
Total Loose Checks \$ Amount	\$ 2,120.00
Total Loose Cash \$ Amount	\$ 1,433.50
Total Collection \$ Amount	\$ 7,022.50
EFT/Automatic Contributions	\$ 13,241.41

Parish Activities



St. Vincent de Paul

Sunday, the 30th, is the St. Vincent de Paul regular collection. We got a call from McArthur asking for food and children's gently used clothing. We will collect these items during the month of August. Please leave items in the vestibule.

Parish School of Religion (PSR) Registrations



Welcome back! PSR begins September 10. Registration is open now! According to the Diocese of Columbus guidelines, students wishing to receive their First Communion and First Reconciliation must attend two years of sacramental preparation (PSR or Catholic school) usually beginning during their first grade year. Students wishing to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation must attend a two-year sacramental preparation (PSR or Catholic school), usually beginning in the 6th or 7th grade year. For more details, visit our website at saintchristophercc.com (select "Faith Formation," "PSR" at the top). Forms will be available online, in the vestibule, and the parish office. If you have any questions, please call Linda Wolfe at the parish office at 614-486-0457, or email lwolfestchris@gmail.com.

**From the Director of Music To:
All moms, dads and grandparents.**



School will be starting soon.

Have you thought about enrolling your child or children grades 2nd thru 6th in the St. Christopher's Youth Choir? The beginning date is: Thursday, September 21st at 5:00 p.m. in church. This will be an informational get-together to answer your questions or concerns. So mark your calendars, make plans to come, and bring your children and a friend. Refreshments will be served.



Choir Members

Past, present and future members. We will be having a general get-together on Thursday, September 21st at 6:30 p.m. in church. Bring along a friend! OR just come and see "What's in it for you!"

Baptism Class



We have scheduled the next Baptism class for Monday August 7th at 6:00 p.m. in the church. If you have a child who needs this sacrament and have not yet been contacted, please call the Parish Office.



Do you receive contribution envelopes and do not use them or no longer wish to receive them? Please call the church office and let us know, so we can cancel them at 614-486-0457. Thank you.

Sick or Homebound



Patient privacy (HIPPA) laws make it increasingly more difficult to locate our parishioners who are in need of a Communion Call or Anointing of the Sick. If you or a family member is unable to attend Mass, even temporarily, please call Amy in the Parish Office at 614-486-0457 to arrange for a hospital or home visit.

Moved or Had a Change in Family Status?



Please call the parish office (614-486-0457) if you have moved, had a child and/or had them baptized at a different church, changed your marital status, etc. This information is important to us and is needed to maintain church records.

Outside Activities

Catholic Laymens' Fall Silent Retreat



The annual Catholic Laymens' Fall Silent Retreat is at St. Therese's Retreat Center, 6:00 p.m. Friday, September 8th through noon Mass, Sunday, September 10th. In reflection sessions, Fr. Dave Pivonka, TOR, will lead men to appreciate the power of the Holy Spirit by developing his theme "To Have a Relationship with the Holy Spirit, His Mercy is Everlasting." The total cost is only \$150.00. Make your reservation now and consider bringing a friend! Contact Charles Kielkopf at 614-268-0175 or email kielkopf.1@osu.edu, or Eric Lutz at 614-949-5905, or James Allan at 614-403-7831.