### FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Schedule of Masses, Services and Devotions April 28 to May 6, 2018

Weekend Masses:		
<b>Saturday</b>	Apr 28	VIGIL: FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
STM	4:30pm	Weekend Mass Intentions
<b>Sunday</b>	Apr 29	FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
SFC	11am	Weekend Mass Intentions
Weekday Masses:		
Monday	Apr 30	Easter Weekday
	_	St. Pius V, Pope
STM	8am	Dorothy Hlifka by husband, George
<b>Tuesday</b>	May 1	Easter Weekday
		St. Joseph the Worker
STM	8am	Mary Seipel by Family
Wednesday	May 2	St. Athanasius, Bishop & Doctor of the Church
SFC	8am	People of the Parish
<b>Thursday</b>	May 3	Sts. Philip & James, Apostles
SFC	8am	People of the Parish
<b>Friday</b>	May 4	Easter Weekday
No Mass he	ere	8am Mass at Our Lady of Mount Carmel
Weekend Masses:		
<b>Saturday</b>	May 5	VIGIL: SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
STM	4:30pm	Weekend Mass Intentions
<b>Sunday</b>	May 6	SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
SFC	11am	Weekend Mass Intentions

Mass Intentions for April 28/29: Jim Dennison by Fran Holden; Mary C. Spink by Larry & Faith Spink; Jennie Zappitelli by Mary, Jim & Perry; Connie Nelson by Marie & Ron Richards; Chester Arcaro by daughter, Debbie & Paul, Matt & Lauren; Health & Welfare of Norm Black, by Tony & Marie Incorvia.

Mass Intentions for May 5/6: Jerry Specht by Wife; Autumn E. Carducci by husband, Michael A. Carducci, Sr., Son & Daughter; Grandma Rita Pignotti by granddaughter, Stacy & great-grandson, Nic; Living & Deceased former Knights of Columbus Members of Council 627; Michael Bartone Sr. 'Memorial Anniversary' by Bartone Family; Jake Chicatelli 'Memorial Anniversary' by Family; Jim Dennison by Rita Mackey; Mary C. Spink by Larry & Faith Spink; Jennie Zappitelli by Bill & Linda Kehoe; Marguerite Zappitello 'Birthday Memorial' by Marie & Ron Richards; Carmen & Adeline Foglio by Tony & Jerian Landolfi.

**Vocations:** "Let us love, not in word or speech, but in truth and action." Are you being called to love the Lord and His people as a priest, deacon, sister or brother? Love demands truth and action. Call Father Christopher Luoni at 330/744-8451, or email him at: <a href="mailto:cluoni@youngstowndiocese.org">cluoni@youngstowndiocese.org</a>.

## Liturgical Ministers: April 28/29 & May 5/6

STM 4:30pm: Readers: L Jury, N Iarocci(5<sup>th</sup> only) Distributors: C CebasekB, P GuglielmoC, J LauerC Altar Servers: JD Lazorik

**SFC 11am: Readers**: T Taylor, J Taylor **Distributors**: M Boron**B**, S Guest**B**, J Boron**C**, D Rose**C Altar Servers**: John & Joe Burton(April) Rylee Schor and Xavier Edelman (May)



# \*\*\*THIS WEEK\*\*\*

#### Sunday, April 29

9:15-10:45am Faith FormationFamily Day/Last Class9:30am Youth Ministry Faith Discussion

#### Tuesday, May 1

**6:30pm** Worship Committee, Parish Office

#### Wednesday, May 2

**6-7:20pm** Adult Faith Sharing **7-8pm** SFC Church Open, *Rosary at 7:30pm* 

#### Thursday, May 3

6:30pm Choir Practice, SFC

#### Sunday, May 6

1st Communion at 11am Mass



#### Scripture Readings April 28/29, 2018

Acts 9:26-31 1 John 3:18-24 John 15:1-8

All winter decorations and wreathes that have not been removed from **St. Joseph Cemetery** will be disposed of. Planting of flowers is permitted only after May 15, 2018.

Catholic Charities is looking for volunteers to make calls on behalf of the Bishop's Appeal. These are not solicitation calls; just follow-up calls and a script with specific information. Brief training and light refreshments provided. Call Nikole at 330/744-8451 if you are willing to volunteer from 3-6pm on May 1, 3, 7 or 10.

GOOGLE-a-Song: In order that you may participate more fully in the weekend liturgy you may want to familiarize yourself with the songs we will be singing May 5/6: Great Is Thy Faithfulness (Chisolm/Runyan)

Stewardship Update Last Weekend Sunday \$4,359.50 Mary's Kitchen \$ 348.55

122 Envelopes

## Thank you for your continued generosity!

Stewardship "Children, let us love not in word or speech but in deed and truth." 1 JOHN 3:18 Regarding our Catholic faith, do you "walk the talk?" Do your actions reflect what it means to be a good disciple? Are you an active participant at Sunday Mass? Are you joyful when participating in parish ministry? Do you give gratefully and generously with your financial support to your parish and other Church needs? If not, it's not too late to start!

The 2018 Bishop's Appeal for Catholic Charities and Church Catholic Charities serves people in need, with special concern for those who are the poorest and most vulnerable in society. Last year, Catholic Charities of Ashtabula provided help and created hope for 12,040 people. Please pray for those in our community who live in poverty and face the daily challenges of providing for themselves and their families. This year's goal for our Parish is \$32,615. To date, 126 families (only 16% of our 760 registered families) have responded with \$19,661 (60%) in pledges. The Appeal is the primary funding source for Catholic Charities in our six-county diocese. To make your gift to the 2018 Appeal, use the pledge envelope in your pew or online, visit www.doy.org.

**Time for Prayer:** St. Frances Cabrini Church is open from 7-8pm on Wednesday evenings for anyone wishing to spend time in prayer. There is time for private prayer 7-7:30pm followed by the *Rosary 7:30-8pm*. Hope to see you there!

25th, 40th, 50th, and over, Wedding Anniversary Celebration The Diocese of Youngstown will sponsor a Wedding Anniversary Celebration on Sun, June 3, 2pm at St. Columba Cathedral in Youngstown, honoring couples observing their 25th, 40th, 50th, and over, wedding anniversaries in 2018. The Celebration will include Mass with Bishop George V. Murry, S.J., renewal of marriage vows and a personalized certificate for each couple. Following Mass, there will be a reception for the couples and their families. You must make advance reservations by contacting the parish office before *April 30*.

Parishioners are welcome to attend any *Corpus Christi council or committee meetings*. Meeting times and dates are listed in the bulletin and on the monthly calendar. Your presence is welcomed and your participation is encouraged.

**FORMED** which offers 24/7 access to the best Catholic content on any device. Go to <a href="www.FORMED.org">www.FORMED.org</a>. You will see the registration box for parishioners. Type in the parish code – **MX7XNH**. FMI, call the Parish Office. This service is *Free* for all Parishioners.

Our 'Featured Advertiser' this week is:

#### JIM'S LAWNCARE AND MORE

Thank you for your support of our weekly bulletin!

The **St. Vincent de Paul Society's** collection for April was \$692 which enabled us to assist seven households with emergency food and utility payments. Thank you for your continued generosity to those less fortunate in the Conneaut area. Next weekend, members of the Society will be at the doors of the church to accept your tax-deductible donations to provide continued outreach to our community.

News from St. John School <sup>1</sup> Kindergarten assessment for students interested in enrolling for the 2018-2019 school year are Fri, May 11. FMI contact Keith Corlew, at 997-5531. Tuition assistance and busing is available. <sup>2</sup> Annual Bocce Tournament on Fri/ Sat May 25/26 at the Sons of Italy Lodge. Teams of 4, Amateur (\$120) and Masters (\$150) divisions. FMI contact Alex Izzi at 855-7751. <sup>3</sup> Saint John will host summer camps for elementary, jr high and sr. high students in June& July. FMI call the school 997-5531. Online registration opens in May at www.sjheralds.org under *Athletics tab* -Summer Camps.

80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebration of The National Shrine of St. Dymphna will be held on her feast day, May 15, 2018 in the Shrine at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Massillon. Fr. A. Edward Gretchko will celebrate the solemn festal Mass at 2pm. Veneration of the relic and novena will be held before Mass starting at 1pm. Fellowship and light refreshments will follow Mass in St. Mary's School. Saint Dymphna is the patroness of those with mental and

Saint Dymphna is the patroness of those with mental and emotional disorders. We are all in need of her intercession. Come join us in prayers of thanksgiving and petition to our great Saint Dymphna. FMI, please email the Shrine office at <a href="mailto:father\_gretchko@natlshrinestdymphna.org">father\_gretchko@natlshrinestdymphna.org</a> or call at 330/833-8478.

On May 13, the 101<sup>st</sup> anniversary of the Fatima apparitions, the World Apostolate of Fatima Warren/Youngstown Byzantine division is blessing and commissioning the traveling **Pilgrim Virgin Icon of Our Lady Fatima**. The world famous International Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Our Lady Fatima will also be present that day. The blessing of this icon will be at: Holy Trinity Byzantine Catholic Church, 526 West Rayen Ave, Youngstown from 10am-3pm. FMI call Katie at 330-647-3833 or ihm51@neo.rr.com

Catholic Charities of Ashtabula County is in the process of conducting assessments for two new "Getting Ahead" groups. Getting Ahead is a 16 week workshop based on the work of Phil DeVol's book, Getting Ahead in a Just-Getting'-By World. The classes meet weekly for approximately 3 hours and the purpose is to support, nuture and assist those who wish to rise out of poverty. The daytime session begins May 25 at the Ashtabula YMCA; the evening session begins May 15 at Corpus Christi in Conneaut. FMI contact Lois Miller-Martone at Catholic Charities at <a href="mailto:loismm@doyccac.org">loismm@doyccac.org</a>. or call 992-2121.