

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY APRIL 24 - St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen

6:45 AM Deceased Members of the Karbowski Family
- Family

TUESDAY APRIL 25 - St. Mark

8:15 AM Jack Rudo - Steve & Louise (Brother)

WEDNESDAY APRIL 26

6:45 AM Rosemary Kaman - Helen Fedor

THURSDAY APRIL 27

5:45 PM Rita Hastings - Husband

FRIDAY APRIL 28**- St. Peter Chanel; St. Louis Montfort**

8:15 AM John Somrak - Paul & Jeanie Roth

SATURDAY APRIL 29 - Vigil: 3rd Sunday of Easter

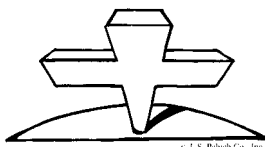
4:30PM Angela Sierra Ford - Sarah Sekerak

SUNDAY APRIL 30 - Third Sunday of Easter

7:00 AM St. Mel Parishioners

9:30 AM Lawrence Dee - Mary Esch

11:30 AM Special Intention of the Tohati-Sinclair Family
- Family



*Who indeed is the victor over the world but the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God?
1 John 5:5*

PLEASE PRAY for our parishioners who are in the hospital: Blair Kane, Regina Dosztal, Helen Lecky.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER Mary E. Smith (of Birchwood Ave.), who died on April 15, 2006. *May God grant peace and comfort to her family and friends.*

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 4:23-31; Jn 3:1-8

Tuesday: 1 Pt 5:5b-14; Mk 16:15-20

Wednesday: Acts 5:17-26; Jn 3:16-21

Thursday: Acts 5:27-33; Jn 3:31-36

Friday: Acts 5:34-42; Jn 6:1-15

Saturday: Acts 6:1-7; Jn 6:16-21

Sunday: Acts 3:13-15, 17-19; Ps 4; 1 Jn 2:1-5a;
Lk 24:35-48

JR. CHOIR SINGS at the 9:30 AM Mass on Sunday, April 30th. Jr. Choir members are to be in the choir loft by 9:15 AM.

2007 MASS BOOK

Mass intentions are now being accepted for the year 2007. Visit the rectory office during business hours.

LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION

2006: Regular	\$4605
Monthly	\$601
Capital Improvement	\$145
2005: Regular	\$4519
Monthly	\$340
Capital Improvement	\$205

FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING**MONDAY, APRIL 24 - 7:00 PM IN THE RECTORY**

If you cannot be present please call Paul Filippi at 216-941-1486.

**50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION
CATHEDRAL OF ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST
SUNDAY, JULY 30, 2006 AT 2:30 PM**

Once again this year our Diocese is having a Mass for all couples who are celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary in 2006 (married in 1956). The Mass will be at the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist on Sunday, July 30th at 2:30 PM. Reservations are now being accepted. If you would like to attend call St. Mel rectory during office hours. Deadline is June 16, 2006.

SERVERS THIS WEEK

6:45 AM Monday April 24

Thomas Holian, Margie Kulina

8:15 AM Tuesday April 25

Paul Kuzma, Amanda Thurman

6:45 AM Wednesday April 26

Jake Pavlac, Martin Lewis

5:45 PM Thursday April 27

Daniel McGinty, Mykael Telles-McGinty

8:15 AM Friday April 28

Bret Bruening, Rachele Adamczyk

4:30 PM Saturday April 29

Julie & Megan Seman, Matt Szucs

7:00 AM Sunday April 30

Rebecca Gooding, Bruce Shomon

9:30 AM Sunday April 30

Michael Mausser, Christina Luccio, Anthony Blankenship

11:30 AM Sunday April 30


Robert Stroffolino, Jacob Macejko, Nicholas Barber

**THANK YOU**

The complimentary comments about the appearance of the church for Easter are very much appreciated. The floral decorations are the result of the efforts of Larissa Korth, a high school student from the parish.


ADVERTISER OF THE WEEK
POMPEII'S PLUMBING & HEATING

PARISH CALENDAR


MON. 24 SCHOOL RESUMES
MARKET DAY PICK-UP: 3:30-4:30 PM
JR. CHOIR PRACTICE: 6:00-7:15 PM
 FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING: In the rectory at 7:00 PM. *See page 2.*
ADULT CHOIR PRACTICE: 7:30 PM


TUES. 25 ROSARY: 11:00 AM in the church.
PSR CLASSES: 6:30-7:30 PM in the school.

THURS. 27 CONFESSIONS: 5:00-5:30 PM. 

FRI. 28 SCHOOL MASS: At 8:15 AM for grades 1-8. All are invited.
 PIZZA LUNCH: For the school children.

SAT. 29 CONFESSIONS: 3:00-4:00 PM.

SUN. 30 JR. CHOIRS SINGS: At the 9:30 AM Mass. Singers are to be in the choir loft by 9:15 AM.
 COFFEE & DONUT SHOP: Open between the 9:30 and 11:30 AM Mass.
RCIA CLASS: Noon -2:00 PM.

 **SENIOR GOLFERS - LADIES & MEN**
Golf just for Fun and Exercise.
 Pay for golfing only.

No extra fees - No Prizes - Good companionship.
 Season starts Friday, April 21, 2006 at Mastic Woods.
 8:30 AM Tee Off Time. Senior rate is \$6.00.
 Carts available, weather permitting, at extra cost.
 Call Marty at 216-671-6755 or John at 216-251-7348.

HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

CONGRATULATIONS to the following students who have earned academic honors for the third quarter of the 2005-2006 school year:

Holy Name High School

Honors: Nicholas Feyerchak, Lindsay Hartwig, Samantha Rinaldi, Aaron Sulzer, Jacklyn Sykes, Daniel Szucs, Seamus Szucs

ST. MEL LADIES GUILD RAISES DUES TO \$5.00

Members of the Ladies Guild voted at their last meeting to raise the dues from \$3.00 to \$5.00. Please keep this in mind when turning in your dues. The dues envelope is included in the May envelope packet of church envelopes.

St. Mel Ladies Guild extends an invitation to all women of St. Mel Parish to their



**ANNUAL
 POTLUCK DINNER
 &
 MAY CROWNING**



On Tuesday May 9th at 6:30 pm

Bring your favorite dish to share with others.

Contact Linda Anderson at 216-251-0594 for reservations by May 2nd

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Dear St. Mel Parents,

In years past there was an organization call Mel Teens. It provided St. Mel young adults an opportunity to get together for fun activities and community service after they graduated from St. Mel School. The Mel Teens also provided an opportunity for the students to make new friends, enrich current friendships, and grow spiritually.

Mr. McFadden and I have been discussing how we could start this program again. In our discussion we agreed that we would broaden the participation to include the 7th and 8th grade students as well as former students.

For this to move forward and be successful, we need volunteers who are willing to donate their time and effort to create and support this faith-filled program.

If you are interested in helping or at least finding out more about the prospect of Mel Teens, you can contact me at 216-252-5724 or email me at Tstampman24@ameritech.net. I look forward to speaking with you regarding the formation of this spiritual teen youth group.

Sincerely,
 Tom Stamper

**CELEBRATE IN SONG!
 WITH THE OHIO BOYCHOIR**

Sunday, April 30 at 3:00 PM
 St. Christopher Church
 20141 Detroit Avenue, Rocky River
 For more information call 216-556-2222 or visit www.ohioboychoir.org

Come and enjoy the rich tradition of glorious music sung by the angelic voices of boys. The Ohio Boychoir has been delighting audiences throughout northeastern Ohio, the nation, and in Europe, with a reputation for musical excellence. From Mozart, Handel and Bruckner to the popular John Rutter and the eclectic Daniel Pinkham, there is lofty, inspiring, joyous and delightful music for everyone. A free will offering will be received.

HEAVENLY FATHER,

I call on You right now in a special way. It is through Your Power that I was created. Every breath I take, every morning I wake, and every moment of every hour, I live under Your Power

Father, I ask You now to touch me with that same power. For if You created me from nothing, You can certainly re-create me. Fill me with the healing power of Your Spirit. Cast out anything that should not be in me. Mend what is broken. Root out any unproductive cells. Open any blocked arteries or veins and rebuild any damaged areas. Remove all inflammation and cleanse any infection.

Let the warmth of Your healing love pass through my body to make new any unhealthy areas so that my body will function the way You created it to function.

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And Father, restore me to full health in mind and body so that I may serve You the rest of my life.

I ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

MAKE FRIENDS . . . HELP OTHERS . . . GET FIT! VOLUNTEER!

If you're looking to meet new people, experience the reward of helping others and get lots of healthy exercise, join the Volunteer Transport Team at Lakewood Hospital. Hundreds of patients and visitors require wheelchair assistance throughout the hospital every day - that's a lot of pushing! So, if you like to be active and have a desire to give something back, call the Volunteer Services Office at 216-529-7171 and ask how you can become a Volunteer Transporter.

"SONG OF MARK"

Saint Columbkille Parish is continuing its 50th Anniversary celebration with the Parish Music Ministry's production of the *Song of Mark* by Marty Haugen under the direction of Cheryl Lynn Haney. This engaging two-act musical tells the story of Jesus' ministry from His Baptism through His Resurrection, based on the Gospel of Mark, and is a wonderful way to celebrate the Easter Season. Performances are Friday and Saturday, April 28 and 29 at 8:00 PM and Sunday, April 30 at 6:00 PM. Performances will be held in the church at 6740 Broadview Road, Parma. Tickets are \$10. For ticket information, call the 216-524-1987.

RECYCLE YOUR COMPUTER - APRIL 1-30, 2006

In April, residents can recycle unwanted computers. Personal computers including CPUs, monitors, and printers can be dropped off at participating city service departments throughout Cuyahoga County. For local collection information, contact the Cuyahoga County Solid Waste District at 216-443-3749 or www.cuyahogaswd.org.