




June
Month of
The Sacred
Heart of Jesus

June 30, 2024

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

HH - Hitch Hall MH - Maher Hall
SB - School Basement
R - Rectory CH - Church
WH - Waldeisen Hall

Date	Observance	Mass Intention	Readings	Event
Mon July 1	Junipero Serra, Priest	No Mass	Am 2:6-10, 13-16; Mt 8:18-22	
Tues July 2			Am 3:1-8; 4:11-12; Mt 8:23-27	Free Store 4-7 pm SB
Wed July 3	Thomas, Apostle		Eph 2:19-22; Jn 20:24-29	No Bingo
Thurs July 4		No Mass	Am 7:10-17; Mt 9:1-8	Rectory Closed No Food Pantry
Fri July 5	Anthony Zaccaria, Priest; Elizabeth of Portugal	No Mass	Am 8:4-6, 9-12; Mt 9:9-13	Rectory Closed
Sat July 6	Maria Goretti, Virgin & Martyr	5:00 pm Don Seeker By Karen & John Sboray	Am 9:11-15; Mt 9:14-17	No Confessions Free Store Closed
Sun July 7	Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	10:00 am Bob Doerr by Kathy Doerr	Ez 2:2-5; 2 Cor 12:7-10; Mk 6:1-6a	

Sanctuary Lamp - Special Intention

Holy Family Candle - Special Intention

COLLECTION REPORT

Week Ending	June 16	June 23
Sunday Offering -	\$ 2,424.00	\$ 2,052.00
Daily Offering -	\$ 325.00	
Total	\$ 2,749.00	\$ 2,052.00
Weekly offertory budget	\$ 3,200.00	\$ 3,200.00
(Shortfall) Overage	\$ (451.00)	\$(1,148.00)
YTD Over (short) -	\$ 29,767.32	\$28,619.32
St. Vincent de Paul	\$ 45.00	\$ 30.00
Cap. Improvement -	\$ 30.00	\$ 5.00
Debt Reduction -	\$ 530.00	\$ 240.00
Envelopes used of 240 sent	44	36

Available Mass Dates

Saturdays: 5:00 pm: Sep 14, 28, Oct 5, 19, Nov 2, 9, 23, 30
Sundays: 10:00 am: Sep 29, Feb 9, 23, March 23, 30, Apr 13

Daily Mass & Confessions: Daily Masses & Confessions are suspended indefinitely. Please use this handy guide:
St. Augustine: Confessions on Saturdays from 3-3:30 pm & Mondays at 6:00 pm. Daily Mass: M, W, Th, F, 12:05 pm & Tuesdays at 5:15 pm. *St. Francis:* Confessions on Saturdays from 9-9:45 am & Thursdays from 5:30-6:15 pm. Daily Mass: M-F at 8:15 am; T & Th at 6:30 pm. We are working very hard to ensure we have priests for our weekend Masses.

Do you know anyone who's been away from the Church or is shut-in and can't get to Mass? Please let us know so we can reach out to connect with them.

Mass Consolidation: NEXT weekend, the first weekend of July, our new Mass schedule will go into effect. The **Saturday Vigil Mass** will be celebrated at **5:00 pm** and will be Traditional in worship style. **Sunday morning Mass** will be at **10:00 am** and will be Contemporary in worship style.
Mass Intentions: All Saturday 5:30 pm Vigil Mass intentions will be moved to 5:00 pm as of July 6th. *If you've scheduled an intention at an 8:30 or 11:00 am weekend Mass, after June, please call the rectory to reschedule.*

Fourth of July Holiday Schedule: There will be no bingo on Wednesday, July 3rd. The food pantry will be closed on Thursday, July 4th. The rectory will be closed on both Thursday, July 4th and Friday, July 5th. The Kenmore Free Store will be closed Saturday, July 6th.

Repair bids: As was discussed at the town hall meeting, we have several capital issues with the church and rectory roofs as well as some stonework issues. The diocese has lists of pre-qualified vendors with whom they have worked. We are currently meeting with roofing and masonry vendors.

Parish Activities: It's time to get your family and friends together for our upcoming Akron Rubber Ducks outing on July 20th. Turn in your RSVP with payment by July 10th so you don't miss out on the fun. **Next up:** a fundraiser Euchre Tournament on August 10th. Watch the bulletin and website for more information.

Journey with the Pope

“Yesterday, like today, the Kingdom of God grows in the world in a mysterious way, in a surprising way, revealing the hidden power of the little seed, its victorious vitality. Within the folds of personal and social events which at times seem to signal the failure of hope, it is important to remain confident in God’s subdued but powerful way of acting. For this reason, in moments of darkness and of difficulty we must not lose heart, but remain anchored in faithfulness to God, to his ever-saving presence. Remember this: God always saves. He is the Savior.”
Pope Francis

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHTS

Again this week, Jesus speaks to us of the power and importance of having faith. We often say that we have faith in another person and we may think very highly of them, but she or he is a human being just like us with human limitations and frailties. We might more correctly tell someone we have confidence in them or that we trust them. Even though faith and even belief are sometimes used as synonyms for confidence, as Christians we might want to try to limit our use of these words to those times we are referring to the Almighty God - Father, Son and Holy Spirit. God has no limitations, no frailties. Our God has promised to be with us always; to never leave us nor abandon us and God is true to God’s promises. Our friends cannot make that claim even though they may have the best of intentions – we’ve all been let down by friends. We may think that God has let us down if we don’t get what we prayed for, but we cannot know the mind of God. We can know that God loves us and wants only the best for us, so let’s put our faith and belief in God.

STEWARDSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

A parish family is like a personal family. There are jobs & chores that need doing & if they don’t get done, things don’t run smoothly. Here are “chores/jobs” that need doing.

Church Housekeeping: We’re looking for people who want to help keep God’s house looking clean by vacuuming and dusting. Can you give a couple hours once a month? Please call the rectory to share your stewardship.

Funeral Dinner Ministry can use help. Be a part of the team who puts on the meal and ministers to the family or sign up to be called when food is needed. Call the rectory.

Bingo HELP NEEDED!! We have a dedicated group of weekly Bingo workers; a few have permanently retired, some have stepped down due to health reasons resulting in a smaller group of helpers who need a break. More helping hands will allow us to rotate workers. Bingo income is critical to our parish finances. Will you please share a few hours of your time once or twice a month to help pass out computers, collect money at the door, call back winners, sell instant tickets, work in the kitchen? We also have a pressing need for a new Bingo Caller. If you’re available to help, please call parishioner and Bingo manager, Lorie Papp at 330-322-7414. Any help would be greatly appreciated. Thank you!

In His Name: Trial size toiletry items (things that will easily fit in a backpack) for the Peter Maurin Center may be placed in the basket at the main doors of the church.

St. Vincent de Paul is in need of more volunteers for our food pantry. We have a small group of great people who work every week, & could use a break. The pantry is open Thursdays from noon – 2:00 pm distributing food & hygiene items to those in need. Men, women or students looking for a meaningful way to spend a few hours a week or a month during the summer are welcome. If interested and available, please call Lorie Papp at 330-322-7414. Thank you!

Free Store Sack Lunch needs: Your donations are amazing, please keep them up as the need is great.

Needed: Individually wrapped snack & cookie packages, cases of water bottles, small individual bags of chips, peanut butter & jelly, snack-size plastic bags and lunch-size brown paper bags (size 5 or larger). You may also donate cash which the team will use to buy cheese sticks and other supplies. You may put **cash donations** in an envelope, mark it “Free Store Lunches,” & drop it in the collection basket or write a **check to The Kenmore Free Store**. Please place donated items in the basket behind the last pew. On behalf of those in need, thank you.

Free Store Help: Looking for a fulfilling opportunity? Have a heart for those in need & like to work with friendly, faith-filled people? Stop by Tuesdays, 4-7 pm or Saturdays, 9 am -12 pm, to check it out & join the team!

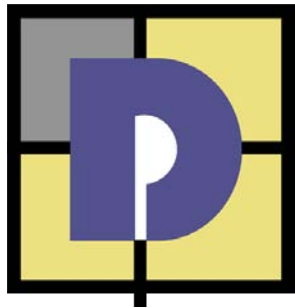
Offsite Events

International Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Fatima Parish

Visitation: The famous statue was sculpted in 1947 with the instruction of Sister Lucia, one of the three children who saw Our Lady in Fatima from May through October of 1917. The statue will be at Queen of Heaven in Green on Tuesday, July 9th and St. Sebastian on Sunday, July 14th. **Queen of Heaven:** 8 am – 8pm includes two Masses, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, prayers, Reconciliation, procession of the statue, and the Brown Scapular & The Miraculous Medal Enrollments. For schedule, go to www.queenofheavenparish.org.

St. Sebastian: 8:30 am – 4:30 pm includes two Masses, procession with rosary, talk, Exposition, Angelus & Litany of Loreto, rosary, Confessions, & Benediction. Go to <https://www.stsebastian.org/news/statue-fatima-parish-visitation>

The Silver Rose is a program that demonstrates the unity between Knights of Columbus in Canada, the U.S. & Mexico through a series of prayer services promoting the dignity of all human life and honoring Our Lady. The Silver Rose is traveling through Akron and all are invited to St. Paul Parish on Sunday, July 7th for rosary at 7:30 am, Mass at 8:00 am and the Silver Rose prayer service immediately following Mass. For questions, please call Grand Knight, Steve Dort at 330-212-7315.



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