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MEETINGS THIS WEEK

June 30	TOWN HALL	12:30pm CH
Jul 1	Bokwa	6:30 pm SH
	Picnic Planning Meeting	6:30 pm MA
July 2	Hot Meal	5:30 pm SH
	Youth Choir	6:00 pm CH
	Adult Choir	7:00 pm CH
July 3	NA	7:00 pm SH
July 4	Independence Day – Church Closed!	
July 5	Office Closed	
July 6		

OUR PARISH JUST GOT FORMED

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STRATEGIC PLAN UPDATE

We are ready to set into form the Parish Strategic Plan that will guide our future plans and activities. Once completed the plan will give us concrete direction for the next three years. Thanks to all who have participated and given their insight and guidance!

TOWN HALL TODAY

We will gather for a Town Hall Meeting today after the 10:30 Mass **IN CHURCH** to discuss the progress of Schubert Hall. We hope to have some preliminary designs based on the responses given last Fall. Please take the time to attend and have your questions answered. Thanks for your participation and your patience as we move forward.

PARISH COUNCIL ELECTIONS

Congratulations to Annette Mills and to Jarred Wilhite who were elected to each serve a two year term on our Parish Pastoral Council as At-Large Members. Their role will be to represent the needs of the larger parish community beyond the groups and

organizations that already sit at Council. We thank them for their willingness to serve and to all our candidates who were nominated for elections. We are indeed blessed!

+++ LITURGICAL MINISTRIES +++ Today Sunday June 30, 2019

8:30am Mass

Commentator: Sabina Conroy
Lector: Pamela Pendleton
Eucharistic Ministers: Anthonia Iwenofu Anthony Iwenofu
Usher: Karen Larry Shirley Tucker
Greeter: Veronica Safo Michelle Johnson
Server: Dante Hampton

10:30 Mass

Commentator: Lorraine McMillan
Lector: Jarred Wilhite Jeanette Austin
Eucharistic Ministers: Davena Woodson Dewayne Thomas Jr.
* Bettye Smedley Eric Smedley
Usher: Michelle Jones Elinor Williamson
Yvette Andre Sheila Griffin McCoy
Yvonne Griffin Toni Griffin France
Greeter: Mary Robinson Betty Washington
Tara Young
Server: Jordon Ivery Donzell Andrew Jr.

Next Sunday July 7, 2019

8:30 Mass

Commentator: Nahtia Stribling
Lector: Doretha Stover
Eucharistic Ministers: Dianne Phillips Sr. Renee Pastor
Usher: Thomas Stover Lonnie Smith
Greeter: Karen McWilliams Ursula Hite
Server: Sharla Durand

10:30 Mass

Commentator: Carol Grant
Lector: Betty Washington Debbie James
Eucharistic Ministers: Marcia Smith Janice Kushner
*Gardenia Witherspoon
Rosiland Taylor
Usher: Jeremiah Robinson Antoinette Smith
Billy Cardwell Donzell Andrew Jr.
Linda Weatherspoon Michelle Booker
Greeter: Karen Bradley Kaitlynn Mangum
Elyse Mikel Yvonne Griffin
Server: Ronald Onuorah Divine Onuorah

*Ministers are respectfully reminded to be present at
least 10 minutes before Mass begins!*
SEE MINISTRY SCHEDULES AT www.saolf.org

St. Agnes+Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church



MISSION STATEMENT

*Saint Agnes + Our Lady of Fatima Church
is a visionary Catholic Christian Community.*

*As a diverse parish, we embrace
Africentric worship,
Christ centered hospitality,
and missionary service.
Sustained by the wisdom of our elders
and energized by the spirit of our youth,
we come together in faith
as a church family
to give witness to the liberating message
of the Gospel*

Schubert Hall Rental

Call the parish office
For available dates and
Rates

Fatima Family Center

6600 Lexington Ave.
LaJean Ray, Director
216-391-0505

6800 Lexington Avenue
Cleveland, Ohio 44103

A Ministry of the Capuchin Franciscan Friars
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PARISH INFORMATION

Office: 216-391-1655
FAX: 216-391-7919
Friary: 216-431-8854
Website: www.saolf.org

Mass Schedule:

Sunday: 5:00 (Vigil) 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.
Weekday: As Scheduled
Holyday: 7:00 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturdays 4:00 pm or anytime by appointment.

Sacrament of Baptism for Infants:

Arrangements made in advance with Carolyn Mack. Godparents must be practicing Catholics.

Sacrament of Marriage:

Preparations begin with priest or deacon BEFORE setting a date and six months prior to intended date. Contact Brother Bob or Deacon Martin before setting a wedding date.

Sacrament of the Sick and Home Visits:

Please contact the parish office.

Parish Registration: Welcome to our parish. To register, please contact the parish office.

PARISH STAFF:

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Miss Brittany Taylor, Parish Secretary
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Mr. Danny McElroy, Director of Music Ministry

Bulletin Deadline: Tuesdays at 12 noon

JUNE 30, 2019
THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME

+ SCRIPTURE REFLECTION THIS WEEK +
 Today the Church returns to Ordinary Time, celebrating the extraordinary grace of God in our everyday lives. The Scriptures today remind us through St. Paul of our call to live in freedom as children of God. That freedom brings with it responsibility and commitment to remain faithful to the call of Jesus in our lives. Both the first reading and the Gospel make in clear that there can be no wavering from the decision to follow Jesus, and no excuse is sufficient to turn away and go back to our former ways. Once we decide to follow Jesus, we must commit to never turning back. With the help of God's grace and mercy, we can remain faithful with the cross before us, and the world behind us – no turning back!

YOUR SACRIFICE THIS WEEK

Thank you for your sacrificial gift for our church. Our goal to meet our budget is \$5,000.00. Thank you for your generosity!
 SUNDAY OFFERING 6/23/19: \$ 4,447.00
 SECOND OFFERING: Transportation \$73.00
 Designated Offering Today: Peter's Pence
 Designated Offering Next Week: Local Charity

SUMMER CHURCH ETIQUETTE

Now that summer has actually arrived, our clothing will reflect the warmth and the heat of these days. It must also reflect our awareness that when in church, we are in the House of God! Please dress appropriately and clothe oneself with modesty and respect for God, for self, and for your fellow church members. The air conditioning is working, so you may want to keep that sweater and covering handy! Thank you for your care and consideration!

FATIMA SILVER THREADS

Will be traveling to the **National Underground Railroad Freedom Center, The Creation Museum, & Noah's Ark.** September 19-21. Cost: \$289.00. Payments: \$50.00 due May 3rd, 2nd \$65.00 due June 7th, 3rd \$65.00 due July 5th, 4th \$65.00 August 2nd final \$44.00 due September 1. For more information contact Carla Travis at 216 391-0505.

MASS INTENTIONS AND
SCRIPTURES THIS WEEK

June 30 THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME
1 Kgs 19:16b, 19-21 Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-11
Gal 5:1, 13-18 Lk 9:51-62
 8:30 am For the Parish
 10:30am Peace for the World
July 1 St. Junipero Serra, Priest
 Gn 18:16-33 Ps 103:1b-4, 8-11 Mt 8:18-22
July 2 Seasonal wkdy
 Gn 19:15-29 Ps 26:2-3,9-12 Mt 8:23-27
July 3 St. Thomas, Apostle
 Eph 2:19-22 Ps 117:1b-2 Jn 20:24-29
July 4 Seasonal wkdy
 Gn 22:1b-19 Ps 115:1-6, 8-9
 Mt 9:1-8
July 5 St. Anthony Zaccaria, Priest
 Gn 23:1-4, 19, 24:1-8, 62-67 Ps106:1b-5
 Mt 9:9-13
July 6 St. Maria Goretti, Virgin, Martyr
 Gn 27:1-5, 15-29 Ps 135:1b-6
 Mt 9:14-17
July 7 FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME
Is 66:10-14c Ps 66:1-7, 16, 20 Gal 6:14-18
Lk 10:1-12, 17-20 or 10:1-9

SACRED BOND MARRIAGE RETREAT

Is being hosted by the Marriage Ministry September 27-29, 2019 at the Courtyard Marriott in Beachwood. The retreat is being led by Andrew and Terri Lyke, authors of *Marriage on A Lampstand*. Both spouses must be present for the full retreat. Cost is \$338.00 per couple with a non-refundable deposit due by June 23. Cost includes two nights stay, meals, and materials. See Angelita Olowu at the 10:30 Mass or Veronica Safo at the 8:30 Mass for more details.

SATURDAY MASS RETURNS IN SEPTEMBER

We will discontinue the Saturday 5pm Mass until the weekend after Labor Day in September. Attendance has shrunk over the last weeks that makes it difficult to sustain. Thank you for your understanding and see you in September!

PICNIC PLANNING MEETING

"All In The Family Picnic" on Sunday, August 18, 2019 at the Oak Grove Picnic Grounds (same as last year). We will begin planning this Monday, July 1 at

6:30 in the Monica/Augustine Room. Bring your energy and your ideas!

+PRAY FOR THE SICK+

Ogechi Achunine Mary Avery Georgia Atkinson Kalima Assami Joyce Baker David Baker Bessie Bolles Joyce Blanton-Smith Darryl Blanton Donna Blythewood Anna Broadhead Christine Byrd William Byrd Marcella Caffie Rosemarie Criniti Marion Campbell Kathy Clayton Terrell Cole Maddy Coughlin Robin Davis Edna Evans Margaret Ferguson Catherine Ford Richard Gayle James Nakima James Forte Della Gholson Myron Gholson Adriene Hall JoAnn Hinson Althea Hite Ursula Hite Patricia Heard Estelle Hodges Kyllan Hughes Valada Hutchinson Maxine Jackson Andrea Johnson Joseph Jones Brianna Jones Evelyn Jones Reaber Jones Craig Kelly Lynne Kelly Janie Kincaid Francesca Lehu Dolores Malby Elizabeth Malby LaVerta Marshall Bill Miller David McClain Chantel McConnell Chaquita McClinton Maddy Coughlin Sharon McDuffie Robert McDuffie Sr. Terri Mohr Verendez Moore Marjorie Murphy Theda Nichols Lounette Payne Erma Pollard Nisha Presley Sue Scott Regina Shanklin Jerry Shelton Kevin Sipp Mary St. Clair Joyce Sparks John Strozier David Smith Barbara Sudberry Janice Thompson Hubert Watson Desiree Webb Aris White Catherine Young James Keifer Kathy Heard Eboni Edwards Fredrick Ross II Monique Johnson Margie Jones Barbara Marshall Brown Fay Grady Rachael Glaster Odessa Marshall Jame Hoyle Judy Guzy Dean Hodges Sr. Latina Thomas Constance Durrah Mary Roberts Donald Leftwich James Jackson Marcia St. John Leola Wilson Sabrina Wilson Betty Moore Ophelia Swain Soloman Fidela Lozada Evelyn Morson-Eaddie Alonzo Givens Juanita Carter Regina Woodard Serah Beverly Greene Reed Jahiem Wilson Ali'Bey Warren Family William Jackson Kardier Jackson

Pray for the service women and men of our country!

VIRTUS UPDATING

It is time to update our parish commitment to maintaining a safe environment for our children and vulnerable adults. Those volunteers who have not yet updated their background check within the last 5 years and maintained their online VIRTUS training must do so as soon as possible. Please see Mrs. Mack for details in this regard.

REMAIN FAITHFUL!

All are encouraged to remain faithful to the financial commitments we have made to our church family. Summer brings vacations, time away, and maybe even a little laziness to our lives. At the same time, our bills at church remain constant as do our bills at home. No one is being asked to increase one's tithe;

but all are asked to remain faithful to the commitments we have made. God bless your goodness!

VIDEO INSTALLED IN CHURCH

In the next several weeks, permanent recording equipment will be installed in the church to record and upload Sunday Mass, homilies, choir performances, and other prayer opportunities in church. This will allow for easy access to materials on our website in a consistent way. Thank you for your patience as this project moves forward.

COLLECTION COUNTERS NEEDED

Additional counters for the Sunday collection are needed. Training will be provided. For more information see Michael Bussey.

SPIRITUAL RETREAT

The Young Adult Group is sponsoring a retreat the weekend of August 8th- 11th, 2019 to be held at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church and Retreat Center located at 101 Findley Street, New Baltimore, PA 15553. For more information contact Rosena Daniels at rosena.v.daniels@gmail.com or 216-225-3630.

PARISH DIRECTORY

It has been nearly ten years since our last directory with photos and parishioner information was completed. We will prepare for a new directory with photo days set for August 21, 22, 23, and 24. Please mark your calendar and come to be photographed! Watch for more information ahead!

RUMORS ARE NOT TRUE!

With the assignment of Br. Akolla to our parish, Br. Bob is NOT being moved! Both will work together for the pastoral care and growth of our Church, as well as caring for the pastoral needs of the Poor Clare Sisters at St. Paul Shrine and the community there. Thanks for keeping our entire staff in your prayers.

SEE BR. AKOLLA'S ORDINATION

For those who weren't able to attend or those who wish to experience again, Br. Akolla's ordination may be found on our website. Click on the article and hit the link to the video. You can also access on Youtube using the key word "Bro. Akolla."

JULY 4TH HOLIDAY

The church will be closed Thursday and Friday this week, July 4 and 5. Enjoy the holiday!