

**JULY 17, 2022
SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**

SCRIPTURE REFLECTION THIS WEEK

Both the first reading and the Gospel today speak of hospitality. Abraham and Sarah are rewarded for their hospitality in the promise of a son that will be born, thus making the way for God's promise of descendants to be fulfilled. Martha and Mary engage both in hospitality and in attentive listening to Jesus, and the reward of Mary's encounter with Jesus is already given. We are invited to be open to how God will fulfill promises and prayers for us; It can happen through unusual or ordinary circumstances, and can happen through strangers as well as those whom we already know. May we not miss those graced opportunities receive God's blessings, especially through the opportunities we have to bless and care for one another.

YOUR SACRIFICE THIS WEEK

Thank you for your sacrificial gift for our church. Your response to our offertory commitment has been tremendous! Our goal to meet our budget is \$5,000.00. Thank you for your generosity and faithfulness!

SUNDAY OFFERING 7/10/22

In Church	\$ 4398.98
Cash App	\$ 265.00
Vanco On-Line	\$ 5,553.65

PARISH TRANSITION UPDATE

Brother Bob's last regular Sunday with our Church will be July 31. He will be around to assist the new pastor to settle into his role and provide any help that may be needed in this time of transition. Bishop Malesic has approved the assignment made by the Capuchins to send Br. James Watson, OFM Cap., as pastor, and Br. David Domanski, OFM Cap., as parochial vicar effective August 1. Br. James and Br. David will live at St. Paul Friary with the other Capuchins (as did Br. Bob), and also minister to the incarcerated. Br. James, a native of Philadelphia, Pa. has been ordained 5 years and working as a parochial vicar (assistant pastor) in Cumberland, Md. Br David is a native of Brecksville, Oh. and was ordained this past June after serving his deacon year in York Pa. Both bring gifts and energy to serve this faith family well and faithfully. Let's pray for Br. James and Br.

David as they prepare to begin their share in the Lord's ministry among us.

**MASS INTENTIONS AND
SCRIPTURES THIS WEEK**

**July 17 SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**

*Gen 18:1-10 Ps 15:2-5 Col 1:24-28
Lk 10:38-42*

5:00 pm The Parish
8:30 am For our Benefactors
10:30 am Our 2022 Graduates

July 18 Seasonal Weekday

*Mi 6:1-4, 6-8 Ps 50:5-6, 8-9, 16-17, 21, 23
Mt 12:38-42*

July 19 Seasonal Weekday

Mi 7:14-15, 18-20 Ps 85:2-8 Mt 12:46-50

July 20 Seasonal Weekday

*Jer 1:1, 4-10 Ps 71:1-4, 5-6, 15, 17
Mt 13:1-9*

July 21 Seasonal Weekday

*Jer 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13 Ps 36:6-7, 8-11
Mt 13:10-17*

July 22 St. Mary Magdalene

2 Cor 5:14-17 Ps 63:2-6, 8-9 Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

July 23 Seasonal Weekday

Jer 7:1-11 Ps 84:3-6, 8, 11 Mt 13:24-30

**July 24 SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**

*Gen 18:20-32 Ps 138:1-3, 6-8 Col 2:12-14
Lk 11:1-13*

5:00 pm The Parish
8:30 am Shonda St. Clair, dec.
10:30 am Luz Maria Ramos, dec.

*Daily Scripture texts are also available at the Catholic Bishops' website
@uscgb.org*

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL RETREAT

With the transition of a new pastor in our parish, much work lay ahead to renew and re-energize the parish council, its various commissions, as well as the many groups of our church that have all been affected by the COVID-19 Pandemic and its aftermath. To this end, please mark your calendars for a Parish Council Day of Retreat on Saturday, August 27 from 9am to 3pm. More information will follow regarding nominations to Council for representation at large, as well as the various Chairpersons of each Council Commission. Let's look ahead to planning the direction and activity of our parish for 2023!

LEGACY HALL UPDATES

We are happy to report that Legacy Hall is getting great use by both our members and the larger community. The City of Cleveland has given their approval of the signage in front of the church and the digital sign on the corner of Lexington and E. 70th. It is hoped that these can be installed by the end of July. Work on the picnic area is also progressing as concrete will be poured sometime this week. Thank you for your patience and prayers.

SUMMER CONCERT SERIES

Every other Thursday starting June 16th -September 22nd from 5:30pm- 7pm @ the Fatima Family Center. Live performances by Roots of American Music. Bring your lawn chairs & enjoy this family friendly event. Food will be provided by the Good Luck Truck. Reservations are required for food by calling the Fatima Center in advance @ 216-391-0505.

RECOGNITION SUNDAY TODAY

We recognize the success of our youth and adults in their academic careers and achievements for the 2022 year. Awards and scholarships will be presented today at the 10:30 Mass followed by groceries and fellowship in Legacy Hall. We recognize the following:

Graduate Degrees:

Tiana Banks	Masters of Education
Sharla Durand	Bachelor of Arts
Cayla Roberts	Bachelor of Arts
Jalen Thomas	Bachelor of Arts

High School Diploma:

Sean Hodges	Hawkins School
Uchechi Iwenofu	Bard High School
Mychere Davenport	Memorial High School
Kaiyah Jones	Brecksville/ BH High
Antonio Boggan	John Marshall
Truston Morris	East Tech High School
Cassidy Roberts	Solon High School
Neveah Williams	Willoughby South High
Sienna Mangum	North Olmsted High

Eighth Grade Graduates:

Eric Blythewood	Holy Name Elementary
Ugochi Iwenofu	St. Ignatius Elementary
Javayah Bridges	St. John Lutheran
Eric Smedley Jr.	Garfield Hts. Middle
Kaitlynn Mangum	North Olmsted Middle

WISDOM COUNCIL INSTALLATION

Nominations will be reviewed by the Wisdom Committee made up of members of the Wisdom

Council, Deacon Martin, and Br. Bob. Once this has taken place, a date will be set for installation of new council members.

NEW COVID19 UPDATE

Those who wish are welcome to continue using masks as desired. Please do continue to wash hands, use sanitizer as needed, and be mindful of the safety and health of all. Thank you for your care and concern for one another!

PRAY FOR THE SICK+

Ogechi Achunine Georgia Atkinson Kalima Assami Joyce Baker Bessie Bolles Gabriel Blair Joyce Blanton-Smith Anna Broadhead Thella Brooks Christine Byrd William Byrd Marcella Caffie Kathy Clayton Terrell Cole Robin Davis Edna Evans Richard Gayle James Nakima Myron Gholson Yvonne Griffin Toni Griffin-France Adriene Hall Wendell Harris JoAnn Hinson Althea Hite Ursula Hite Patricia Heard Estelle Hodges Kyllan Hughes Valada Hutchinson Maxine Jackson Andrea Johnson Joseph Jones Brianna Jones Evelyne Jones Reaber Jones Craig Kelly Janie Kincaid Francesca Lehu Dolores Malby Elizabeth Malby LaVerta Marshall Hardin and Rosary Martin Bill Miller David McClain Chantel McConnell Chaquita McClinton Sharon McDuffie Terri Mohr Verendez Moore Lounette Payne Erma Pollard Nisha Presley Sue Scott Regina Shanklin Jerry Shelton Kevin Sipp Deborah Smedley John Strozier Barbara Sudberry Danita Thomas Janice Thompson Hubert Watson Desiree Webb Aris White James Keifer Kathy Heard Eboni Edwards Monique Johnson Margie Jones Barbara Marshall Brown Naomi Matthews Fay Grady Tyrone Grady Rachael Glaster Jame Hoyle Judy Guzy Latina Thomas Constance Durrah Mary Roberts Donald Leftwich James Jackson Marcia St. John Sabrina Wilson Betty Moore Ophelia Swain Fidela Lozada Evelyn Morson-Eddie Alonzo Givens Juanita Carter Yvonne Williamson Regina Woodard Beverly Greene Reed Jahiem Wilson Ali'Bey Warren Family William Jackson Kardier Jackson Carol Hollinger Mattie McDonald Anita Gullett Natalie Webb Carson Wetherwax Gail Xavier Jaqueline Zeigler Darlene Harris Lasonia Sims Bertha McClain Nina Simmons

SYMPATHY AND PRAYERS

To Josie Kramer on the passing of her sister Maddie Coughlin, and to Chantel & Morgan McConnell on the loss of their mom and grandmom Karen McWilliams. May they rest in God's eternal peace.

LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULES

	5:00pm	8:30 am	10:30 am
July 17			
Comm	Sandra Gay Chapman	Veronica Safo	Lorraine McMillan
Lector	Jeremy Mangum	Ellen Connally	Chi Chin Onuorah
Server	Sienna Mangum		Eric Smedley, Jr.
Usher		Karen Larry	Yvette Andre Yvonne Griffin Toni Griffin-France Sheila Griffin-McCoy
July 24			
Comm	Sandra Gay Chapman	Betty Smith	Jeanette Austin
Lector	Stacy Mangum	Keith Durand	Sr. Rita Shinhearl
Server	Kaitlynn Mangum		Nicole Onuorah Melvin Onuorah
Usher		Theresa Hughley	Billy Cardwell Antoinette Smith
July 31			
Comm	Sandra Gay Chapman	Mike Bussey	Carla Grant
Lector	Harold Butler	Veronica Safo	Carey Dabney Ariane Couch
Server	Jeremy Mangum		Savannah Love Divine Onuroah
Usher		Lazarus Oranugo	Yvonne Griffin Yvette Andre Sheila Griffin-McCoy Elinor Williamson
August 7			
Comm	Sandra Gay Chapman	Veronica Safo	Anna Smith
Lector	Kimberly Smith	Tyler Hughley	Patricia Spychaj
Server	Sienna Mangum		Gavin Smedley Eric Smedley, Jr.
Usher		Karen Larry	Jeremiah Robinson Elinor Williamson
August 14			
Comm	Sandra Gay Chapman	Pam Pendleton	Chi Chi Onuorah
Lector	Sienna Mangum	Sandra Gay Chapman	Tiana Banks
Server	Jeremy Mangum		Syan Hughes Melvin Onuorah
Usher		Theresa Hughley	Yvette Andre Yvonne Griffin Toni Griffin-France Sheila Griffin-McCoy

REMINDER OF SUMMER ATTIRE

While it is summery and hot outside, it is still Church and COOL on the inside! Please wear appropriate attire that will not distract others from worship nor will make you shiver as the air conditioning will be on throughout the building. Thanks to all!

RE-ENGAGE AND RE-CONNECT

The Covid Pandemic has radically changed our lives in our work and families, as well as in our worship and faith family here at St. Agnes+Our Lady of Fatima. Many have taken a safety-break from activities, meetings, and groups; others have been working extra hard to fill in gaps and keep our parish moving forward. Under the direction and leadership of Br. James and Br. David, all will be asked to

review and renew their commitment to the life of OUR Church. Opportunities to be involved in worship and spiritual life, social justice, finance, youth and young adult activities, media, education, and outreach abound and offer all a chance to re-engage. We have already made a commitment in our tithes and financial responsibilities, and all are asked to remain faithful in those areas. But your gifts, talents, and presence are needed as we move forward to the next level. Pray, consider, and be open to what the Holy Spirit may be asking you to consider. The world and the church have changed over these last two years. Let's commit to being the change that we want to see, and that we need to be to continue to grow into the future according to God's plan for us all.

ALL IN THE FAMILY PICNIC

Is set for Sunday, July 31 from 1-5pm. This year, it will be held on the church grounds. Many have signed up to help with various activities and responsibilities to allow this year's picnic to be a great time for all. Grills will be available to warm food and the parish will provided hamburgers, hot dogs, and drinks. A full schedule for the day follows:

12:30pm	Picnic Set-up
1:00 pm:	Picnic begins
1:30	DJ/Music
2-4pm:	Bingo in Legacy Hall Clowns on Stilts Hamburgers/Hot Dogs Available Beverages Available
2-3pm	Face Painting/Kids Games Childrens' Games Corn Hole
2:30-4pm	Volleyball
2:00pm	Basketball
3:30pm	Tug-O-War
3-3:30pm	Musical Chairs
4:30 pm	Fifty-fifty Raffle Drawing (PRESENT)
5:00pm	Picnic Clean Up

PRIZE DONATIONS WELCOME

If you have or can provide prizes for our games, please bring them to church unwrapped and place in the designated basket in the narthex. Prizes for adults for Bingo, other games, as well as prizes for children are all welcomed. Prizes should be no more than \$5.00 in value if purchased, or of similar value if otherwise donated. Direct questions to Donna Blythewood at 216-269-6313.

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*



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PARISH INFORMATION

Office: 216-391-1655
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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 Br. Bob or Deacon Martin. 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 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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Bulletin Deadline: Tuesdays at 12 noon

Fatima Family Center: 6600 Lexington Ave.
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Electronic Giving Opportunity:
Go to www.saolf.org and click on "Make a Gift."