## June 4, 2023 The Most Holy Trinity

## SCRIPTURE REFLECTION THIS WEEK

Today we celebrate the foundational Mystery of our Faith, the Holy Trinity. In this Mystery, the inner life of God is revealed to us. As the Catechism of the Catholic Church points out, "The mystery of the Most Holy Trinity is the central mystery of Christian faith and life. It is the mystery of God in himself. It is therefore the source of all the other mysteries of faith, the light that enlightens them. It is the most fundamental and essential teaching in the "hierarchy of the truths of faith". The whole history of salvation is identical with the history of the way and the means by which the one true God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, reveals himself to men" and reconciles and unites with himself those who turn away from sin". (CCC. 234) Through our baptism, we become members of the Body of Christ and therefore, called to share in the Trinitarian life now and in eternity. This was the Divine Plan of the Father who in His love, wants to unite us with Himself. This is also why Jesus commanded His Apostles to go to all the nations and baptize in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the holy Spirit. (Matthew 28: 19) We accept His plan when we live our baptismal call to love and be merciful to our neighbor. As we celebrate this Mystery, may we embrace the Trinitarian Life in all we do to bring God alive to our world today.

#### MASS INTENTIONS AND SCRIPTURES THIS WEEK

### Sun, June 4– The Most Holy Trinity

Ex 34:4-6, 8-9 Dn 3:52-55 2 Cor 13:11-13 Jn 3:16-18 8:30am – Missionaries throughout the world 10:30am – Souls in Purgatory

**Mon, June 5– St. Boniface, Bishop** Tb 1:3; 2:1-8 Ps 112:1-6 Mk 12:1-12

Tue, June 6 – Seasonal Weekday

Tb 2:9-14 Ps 112:1-2, 7-9 Mk 12:13-17

**Wed, June 7- Seasonal Weekday** Tb 3:1-11, 16-17 Ps 25:2-9 Mk 12:18-27

Thu, June 8- Seasonal Weekday

Tb 6:10-11; 7:1, 9-17; 8:4-9 Ps 128:1-5 Mk 12:28-34

Fri, June 9– Seasonal Weekday

Tb 11:5-17 Ps 146:1-2, 6-10 Mk 12:35-37 **Sat, June 10- Seasonal Weekday** 

Tb 12:1, 5-15, 20 Tb 13:2, 6-8 Mk 12:38-44

**Sun, June 11- The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ** Dt 8:2-3, 14-16 Ps 147:12-15, 19-20 1 Cor 10:16-17 Jn 6:51-58

## **New Member Registration:**

If you and your family would like to register to be a member of the St. Agnes Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Parish Family, **We welcome you with great love and joy!** You can contact the Parish office: (216) 391-1655 or register online at: https://bit.ly/SAOLF-NewRegistration

## Youth and Adult Altar Servers Needed

## Altar Serving is...

- ...A service directed to God above all.
- ...A ministry of assisting the clergy, bishops, priests and deacons in their roles of liturgical leadership.
- ...A ministry of service to the People of God gathered together to worship Him.

If you or your child/teen are interested in this holy ministry, go to <a href="https://www.saolf.org/altar-servers/">https://www.saolf.org/altar-servers/</a> or contact the parish office to have a signup form sent to you.

## **Caring for Homeless Youth**

Jeffrey Anderson II, one of our Youth Parishioners, gave an excellent presentation last week after the 10:30AM Mass on serious issue of HOMELESS YOUTH. To help support those young people in need, you can find a box located in the Church Narthex setup for the collection of clothing and funds for homeless youth. Please support Jeffrey's efforts to help those in need.



### **ROSARY after the 8:30 MASS**

The Rosary Group leads a Scriptural Rosary in the Church every Sunday after the 8:30AM Mass. Please Join in as we Pray for our Parish, our Community and the World. Rosaries and Prayer Guides will be provided.

#### YOUR SACRIFICE LAST 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 \$5,400.00. Thank you for your generosity and faithfulness!

Correction: Last week's offering of \$10,945.08 was actually from May 7th, 2023

SUNDAY	OFFERINGS	05-28-2023:

In Church	\$2851.50
Building Fund	\$9.00
Special Offering	\$5.00
Donations	\$210.00
Candles	\$6.00
Hall Rental	\$3015.00
Cash App	\$120.00
Vanco On-Line	\$999.72
Total	\$7216.22

#### CALLING ALL GRADUATES

It is that time of year to gather and recognize our graduating class of 2023! If you are graduating from grade school, high school, college or trade school; if you have completed post college degree work at the Masters or Doctoral level; please submit your information to your information to Fr. James at <a href="https://saolf-parish.com/SAOLF-Graduates2023">https://saolf-parish.com/SAOLF-Graduates2023</a>, or send an email to <a href="mailto:pastor@saolf.org">pastor@saolf.org</a>, or place a note in the offering basket. Congratulations to all who have worked for academic and professional success this year!

## SAFE ENVIRONMENT TRAINING(VIRTUS)

The Education Commission will be sponsoring Virtus Training this June for anyone who works with youth. If you are in need of this training contact Michelle Kennedy at <a href="mailto:JAFFS1925@GMAIL.COM">JAFFS1925@GMAIL.COM</a> or 216-990-1635

## **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

## **Sacraments and Faith Formation Registration 2023-24:**

Please sign your child/teen up for First Communion, Confirmation. Faith formation for our youth takes place on Sundays immediately following the 8:30am Mass from 9:45am—11:00am. To register your child, go online at:

https://saolf-parish.com/FaithFormation-Registration

You can also pick up a form at the church entrance or call **Mr. Cary Dabney** at 216-391-1655 ext#14

## R.C.I.A. FOR ADULTS AND CHILDREN

Are you someone or do you know someone who....

- ❖ Has expressed an interest in becoming Catholic?
- ❖ Has a child over the age of seven who has not been baptized?
- **❖** Is thirsting for God?

We offer an opportunity to come together to learn about the Catholic faith. To get started visit: <a href="https://www.saolf.org/rite-of-christian-initiation-of-adults">https://www.saolf.org/rite-of-christian-initiation-of-adults</a> or contact our Director of Religious Education, **Mr. Cary Dabney** at 216-391-1655 ext#14

LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULES		
	8:30 AM	10:30 AM
4-June	The Most Holy Trinity	
Comm	Sandra Gay-Chapman	Terrence Marsh
Lector	Uzuamaka Oranugo	Carol Grant
Server	Sharla Durand	Jeremiah Robinson
		Eric Smedley Jr.
Usher	Thomas Stover	Billy Cardwell
	Lazuras Oranugo	<b>Antoinette Smith</b>
		Linda Weatherspoon
		Lena Austin
11-June	The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ	
Comm	Mike Bussey	Angel Lozada
Lector	Doreatha Stover	Anna Smith
Server	Sharla Durand	Gavin Smedley
		Eric Smedley Jr.
Usher	Theresa Hughley	Michelle Booker
	Lazuras Oranugo	Jeremiah Robinson
	-	Elinor Williamson
		Lena Austin

## **Get Your Tickets!**

Mrs. Marcella Caffie has tickets for the stage play titled RENT featuring our very own Joshua McElroy! The play will be held at the Cain Park Theater on June 18<sup>th</sup> at 2p.m. Tickets are \$50. Please see our Daniel McElroy or Mrs. Caffie for tickets.



## **Liturgical Ministers**

If you are a liturgical minister (Extraordinary Minister of the Eucharist, Lector, etc.) and would like to resume your ministry, please contact:

Carla Grant: 216-200-1525 or

cgbible40@gmail.com. Training sessions are being scheduled. Thank you for serving the Lord with your ministerial gifts!

## EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION REFRESHER TRAINING

Attention all current Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion. Lectors and/or Commentators. There will be a meeting and refresher training held on Saturday, June 10<sup>th</sup> from 10AM to Noon at the Parish. Please contact: Carla Grant at 216-200-1525 or cgbible40@gmail.com to indicate you will be attending. Thank you for serving the Lord with your ministerial gifts!

# MARYKNOLL LAY MISSIONERS Jillian Foster Speaking June 3-4, 2023

Please welcome Jillian Foster, a Maryknoll Lay Missioner, who will be speaking at our Masses today. Jillian will share her mission experience as part of the Diocese of Cleveland's Missionary Cooperation Plan 2023. Jillian is originally from Loveland, Ohio, and attended the University of Dayton. In 2019, she applied to Maryknoll Lay Missioners and was placed in Haiti. Still working on her Haitian Kreyòl, Jill has been working in a tree nursery of the Jean Marie Vincent Center in Grepen. A separate collection which will be taken today to support Maryknoll Lay Missioners. Your kind welcome and generous support is most appreciated. To learn more please visit www.mklm.org.

## **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, Adriene Hall, JoAnn Hinson, Althea Hite, Ursula Hite, Patricia Heard, Estelle Hodges, Kyllan Hughes, Valada Hutchinson, Andrea Johnson, Joseph Jones, Brianna Jones, Reaber Jones, Craig Kelly, Janie Kincaid, Francesca Lehu, Dolores Malby, Elizabeth Malby, LaVerta Marshall, 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-Eaddie, Alonzo Givens, 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, Nina Simmons, Bertha McClain Alexander, Loraine Taylor. **FAMILIES**: The Lane Family, The Poteat Family



## **GOLF LESSONS FOR** STUDENTS(ages 12-18)

This 12-week course is open to youth, male and female ages 12-18. Only 12 students will be accepted. Come learn the sport of golf and many other life skills to help make you successful.

Initial Classes are on Wednesdays beginning at 5:30PM in the Parish Hall. Only 12 students will be accepted(5 openings available). Call Fr. James right away to sign up today or register at: https://saolf-parish.com/Youth-Golf



## Mon-Fri 9am-5pm 4 Week Financial Literacy Camp

Your Child Will Learn: How to balance a budget How to get, bulid, and fix credit How to start a business Branding and Marketing strategies for 2023



Want to know more? Call 330-333-5322

## **Young Adult Co-Ed Softball League**

The Young Adult Office is forming a co-ed Softball League that will kick off at the end of June. A great opportunity to play softball with other Catholic Young Adults, enjoy one another's company and pray together before and after the game. Join a team or form one of your own. Games will be held on Sunday Afternoons 1p-5p. Deadline for registration: June 6, 2024. Cost: \$35/person: https://www.dioceseofcleveland.org/offices/parishlife/young-adult-ministry/softball-league

## **Eucharistic Revival: Year of Parish Revival**

In the parish phase of the Eucharistic Revival, all parishes are invited to dive more deeply into the mystery of the Eucharist through prayer, study, devotions and acts of service. June Event:

-Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi): Sunday June 11th

We will celebrate the Feast of The Body and Blood of Christ with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament between the 8:30 and 10:30 Masses for prayer and devotion. Spend some time in prayer on that day before the Lord in the Blessed Sacrament.



## **Upcoming Parish Meetings**

#### **Pastoral Council**

Thursday, June 8 6:30PM St. Augustine Room

#### **Spiritual Life and Liturgy Commission**

Wednesday, June 7, 6:30PM St. Augustine Room

#### Mens'Group

Sunday, June 10<sup>th</sup> – Mother Lange Room

## **Black Catholic Ministries**

**Juneteenth Celebration of Freedom** Monday, June 19, 10am, St. Adalbert Parish, Cleveland

African American parishes of the diocese will sponsor a Juneteenth Celebration of Freedom. Mass of Unity accompanied by the Diocesan Gospel Choir and Praise Dancers will be celebrated at 10:00 am. Picnic lunch and activities to follow. All are welcome.

## St. Agnes+Our Lady of **Fatima Catholic Church**

A Ministry of the Capuchin Franciscan Friars Visit the Capuchins at www.capuchin.com



## **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.



## **PARISH INFORMATION**

Address: 6800 Lexington Avenue

Cleveland, Ohio 44103

Office: 216-391-1655 FAX: 216-391-7919 parish@saolf.org Email: Website: www.saolf.org

Office Hours: Mon-Thurs: 9AM-12:30, 1:00PM-3:30PM

Fridays: Closed

## **Mass Schedule:**

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

#### **PARISH STAFF:**

Rev. James Watson, OFM Cap. Pastor

jwatson@saolf.org

Rev. Mr. Hardin Martin, Deacon deaconmartin@saolf.org

Miss Brittany Taylor, Parish Secretary

btaylor@saolf.org

Mr. Cary Dabney, Director of Religious Education cabney@saolf.org

Mr. Danny McElroy, Director of Music Ministry

dannymac63@roadrunner.com Mr. Reginald Daniels, Custodian

Fatima Family Center: 6600 Lexington Ave.

LaJean Ray, Director 216-391-0505

#### **Sacrament of Reconciliation:**

Saturdays: 4:00 pm or anytime by appointment.

#### **Sacrament of Baptism for Infants:**

Arrangements made in advance with a priest or deacon. Godparents must be practicing Catholics.

## **Sacrament of Marriage:**

Preparations begin with a priest or deacon BEFORE setting a date and six months prior to intended date. Contact the parish to schedule an appointment.

## 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.

Bulletin Deadline: Tuesdays at 12 noon

## **Electronic Giving Opportunities:**

Go to www.saolf.org and click on "Make a Gift."

For CashApp users: send to \$saolf