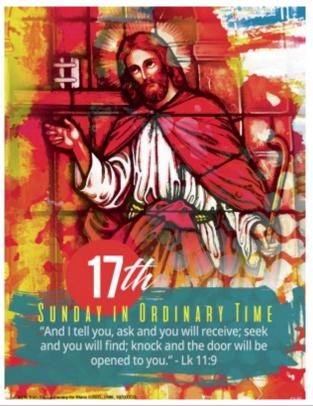
St. Joan Of Arc Church

496 East Washington Street • Chagrin Falls, Ohio 44022



OUR PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

St. Joan of Arc Parish is a growing community of Roman Catholic Christians in the Chagrin Falls area.

We are a diverse, gifted and joyful people who share a common belief in the Word of Jesus Christ.

Our Mission, like that of Jesus Christ and His apostles, is to proclaim the Kingdom of God through living the gospel.

WE GATHER AS A CHRIST-CENTERED COMMUNITY TO:

CELEBRATE our faith and the presence of God in the Eucharist and in one another.

IMITATE our Savior in His service to others.

TEACH our beliefs at all levels.

WELCOME the participation of all in our Christian fellowship.

| Parish Office | 440-247-7183 |
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| Parish E-mail | stjoanchagrin@gmail.com |
| Parish Website | stjoanofarcchurch.org |
| Music Ministry | |
| Rel. Education Office - Sr. Judy B | |
| Sr. Ann Marie Kanusek, SND | |
| School | 440-247-6530 |
| Youth Ministry stjoanofarcym | @gmail.com440-247-4316 |
| RCIA - Deacon Jeff | |
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Sr. Judith Bucco, SND, Director of Religious Education Rev. Mr. Jeffrey Dunlop, Deacon Miss Allie Gall, Coordinator of Youth Ministry Rev. Mr. Dennis Guritza, Deacon Sr. Ann Marie Kanusek, SND, Pastoral Associate Rev. Gary J. Malin, Pastor Mr. Daniel L. Mitchell - Principal

Director of Music - Contact Parish Office for Information Rev. John Olsavsky, Former Pastor, Retired

Weekend mass:

Saturday 4:30 PM Sunday 9:00 AM and 11:00 AM

Weekday mass:

Monday, Thursday, and Friday 8:00 AM Tuesday 9:00 AM September through May 8:00 AM June, July, and August Holy Day mass and Civic Holidays, see bulletin

Baptism: Celebrated at most weekend masses or on most Sundays at 12:00 noon. Contact the Parish Office.

Reconciliation (Confession):

Saturdays 3:30 PM until all are heard. *In Advent and Lent 3:15 to 4:00 PM*

Sacrament of Matrimony: Please contact a priest or deacon at least one year before the anticipated date.

Care of the Sick and Elderly: Please inform us of those who are sick, aged, unable to come to church, homebound, hospitalized, or may need the Sacrament of Anointing.

Funerals: Please contact the parish office before scheduling or publishing (generally through a funeral director). *Bereavement committee available for hospitality.*

Sponsor Certificates: May be obtained by registered, practicing members of our parish who have received the three sacraments of initiation: Baptism, Confirmation and the Eucharist (and, if Married, were married in the church).

Please contact the Parish Office for more details.

Sessions in the Catholic Faith (RCIA):

Wednesdays at 7:00 PM (September thru May).

New Parishioners: Welcome to St. Joan of Arc! Contact the Parish Office to register.



Greetings of Peace,

This weekend Saturday and Sunday, July 27-28, we welcome Fr. Damian
Ference to St. Joan of Arc for confessions and all weekend masses. Fr. Damian is on "summer break" from his doctoral studies in Rome. When Fr. Damian asked me if I needed any weekend help, I said, "Of course!" Welcome back to St. Joan, Fr. Damian.

Believe it or not, August begins this week. Time flies!



This column is being written the week of July 14. I write my column ahead of time, especially when I will be away from the parish. I will return

"for work" Thursday August 1. Please note: There will not be a "daily mass" in the parish on Monday or Tuesday, July 29 & 30. While I am gone, our parish staff will be as helpful as they can in ministering here at St. Joan of Arc. Our neighboring priests will do their best to address any emergencies or funerals. Thank you Fathers.

Looking ahead to the weekend of August 10-11, we will host a visiting missionary as we participate in the annual Missionary Cooperative Appeal. Fr. Jose Roel D. Casas will be here to speak about the work of the "Prelature of Isabela de Basilan" from the Philippines. Fr. Jose will preach at all our weekend masses and we will take up a second collection for their missionary work. I am sure we will welcome Fr. Jose and we look forward to hearing his story and the narrative of their mission and ministry.

I hope your summer is filled with the warmth of God's goodness and love.

Blessings and Peace,

Fr. Gary

Notes from Deacon Denny

Over the last three "Notes" we spoke about defining "Common Good" and its three dimensions. We also asked the question: where are we called to action on our journey toward sainthood? The third dimension speaks of the coming together as a community, by defining issues through the grace we receive within our sacraments, as well as the gifts we have received as unique persons made in the image of God. When convening in the community to solve problems and issues that we face, that dynamic of the Holy Spirit within us guides us as co-creators to new, greater solutions and options.

Interestingly, at a recent national Conference for Pastoral Planning and Council Development, a presentation by Bishop Emeritus Howard Hubbard spoke about the proceedings of Vatican II. The presentation referenced one of the Vatican II contributors, Karl Rahner. This paper by Rahner spoke of the direction that emerged initially after Vatican II for the Church going forward.

He eloquently articulated the Presence of the Holy Spirit being Present in the collaborative roles we are all called to play during any transition time, not only in the Church, but also in our individual lives. "I also do not doubt that such transitions happen for the most part and in the final analysis unreflectively; they are not first planned out theologically and then put into effect, but are unreflectively realized through a finely hidden instinct of the Spirit and of grace that remains mysterious - even though the element of reflection borne along with the action should certainly not be disregarded or considered superfluous."

Hmmm. Perhaps we should not be bashful to follow our hearts when called to action.

Comments? notes@deacondenny.net

Have a blessed week.





17th Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday, July 28

9:00AM Parishioners SJA

11:00AM Tom Kelly (Robinson)

Monday, July 29

8:00AM No Mass

Tuesday, July 30

8:00AM No Mass

Weds, July 31

No Mass

Thurs. August 1

Richard Wilson (Chaney)

Friday, August 2

Lawrence S. Viezer (Viezer)

Saturday, August 3

4:30PM

Marguerite McCourt (Moriarty)

Magnificat Order



Magnificat orders are due on August 15th. Please make your check of \$26.00 out to Sisters of Notre Dame and deliver them to the Rectory (or drop them in the afterhours mail slot). Please address the envelope to Mary Lou Horrigan: Magnificat Order.

St. Joan of Arc Parish Back to School Drive

August 3rd & 4th

St. Joan of Arc Parish is partnering with Geauga County Family Services to collect donations of the following school supplies for students in need of assistance.

Backpack – new or gently used 1 pencil pouch (3 holed, zipper)

1 pair blunt-end scissors

1 ruler (inches/metric) 1 glue stick – large

1 package #2 pencils

1 pencil sharpener 1 eraser – large pink

1 box colored pencils

1 box crayons (16 or 24 count)

1 composition book

1 pack wide rule filler paper BACK TO

BACK TO SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE

Donations of the **entire list** *or* **individual items** are requested.

Donations can be dropped off in bins located in the Gathering Area before or after each mass during the weekend of Aug 3rd and 4th. (Sat 4:30 pm, or Sunday 9am, 11am). Supplies will be sorted and delivered to Chagrin Falls Park the following week.

If you are interested in volunteering after mass to help collect or sort items, please contact Wendy Pisanelli at 440-554-1381 or wepisan@roadrunner.com.

Adoration



Adoration will begin Thursday, August 1 with the Holy Hour starting in the Church at 7-8PM. One of our Deacons will lead us in the Rite of Eucharistic Exposition and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. Following the Holy Hour, Adoration will continue in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel until 8:00 am, First Friday

morning. Parishioners are encouraged to partake in this beautiful prayer opportunity; a time to be refreshed by our Lord!

Parish School of Religion

PSR Registration

If you have not registered for the 2019-2020 PSR School Year, we ask that you register as soon as possible. We would like to finalize our class lists and Catechist needs as soon as we can. We appreciate your dropping off or mailing your registration form as well as the other important forms at your earliest convenience.



THANK YOU!

Special Note:

Two years of sacramental preparation is required. If you have a child entering 1st or 7th grade and desire that he/she receive the Sacrament of Eucharist and Confirmation in 2nd or 8th grade the following year, please make sure to register them in our SJA Parish School of Religion for the 2019-2020 school year.

<u>Attention All Parents of Incoming 8th Graders</u>
If you wish your teen to be considered as a candidate for the Sacrament of Confirmation for the 2019-2020 school year, and your teen is NOT currently registered in our SJA Parish School of Religion or St. Joan of Arc Catholic Day School, contact Sr. Judy as soon as possible. Thank you!

Featured Sponsor this week

Did you know this bulletin is furnished to our parish without charge? The advertisements that appear completely defray the costs. Please patronize our sponsors located in the back of the bulletin. Thank you for the support our parish!

Our Featured Sponsor this week is:

The Laurels 150 Cleveland Street Chagrin Falls, Ohio 44022 www.laurelsofchagrinfalls.com 440.247.4200



July/August

Sunday, July 28 9:00AM Mass 11:00AM Mass

Monday, July 29 No Mass 8:30AM Home Visitation 6:00PM Raffle Meeting (H)

Tuesday, July 30 No Mass

Weds, July 31 No Mass

Thursday , August 1 No Mass 7:00PM Adoration Begins (BSC)

Friday, August 2 No Mass

Saturday, August 3 3:30PM Confession

4:30PM Vigil Mass



RCIA News

RCIA is a process within parish life to welcome new members into the Church. We will be exploring our Faith, sharing our stories, growing in knowledge and love of the Lord and pursuing our lifelong journeys of Faith. Our meetings are held Wednesday evenings in the rectory basement meeting room from 7:00

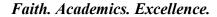
If you have been considering approaching instruction in the Catholic Faith and the Church, please contact Deacon Jeff Dunlop at 440-376-9177 or at deacjeff@qmail.com.





St. Joan of Arc Catholic School News

By Mr. Daniel L. Mitchell School Principal







Hello St. Joan of Arc School Families,

We're still enjoying the sunshine filled days of summer, but I wanted to fill you in on what's been happening at St. Joan of Arc over the last few weeks, in addition to letting you know about some upcoming events.

New School Year Packets: Welcome back to school packets will be available within the next few weeks. Current families already know about these, but for new families, these packets will contain paperwork and other important information related to the start of the school year. The good people in the PTO are also working on

pairing new SJA families with current partner families to help welcome them. More info to come.

School Website & Calendar: We are in the process of updating the school website with new information; the school calendar, in the lower right hand corner of the main page, has been updated to show all upcoming events. Please take a look to see about future happenings, such as the PTO Family Picnic.

School Supply Lists: School Supply Lists can be downloaded on the school websitewww.stjoanofarc.org if you haven't already checked them out.

Summer Office Hours: Typically, the school is not open in July, but I have been spending a great deal of time here *this* July. If you would like to stop by to meet me and say, "Hi," please do. For the week of July 29, I'll be in the office Mon, Thurs, and Fri, each day from 9:00-3:00.

New Teachers & Staff: We have secured several excellent new staff members for all open positions except music, which we are diligently pursuing. Miss Elliott and I interviewed many applicants over the last two weeks, and we are confident that the selected educators will enhance the already strong St. Joan of Arc staff. I will be collecting bios and other information to present these new members to you within the next week or two.

Speaking generally, I have met many families already, either through meeting with parent groups, such as the PTO, or simply having people stop by. I have been pleasantly overwhelmed by happiness and good tidings, so to all I have met, *thank you* for your graciousness and kindness! I truly appreciate it.

As always, please contact the school with any questions, concerns, or to simply share thoughts. I will be reaching out via phone to all SJA families over the next two weeks to introduce myself and hear about your SJA experience, so I look forward to speaking with you!

God be with you all,

Mr. Mitchell



<u>Upcoming Events</u> August 4



Join us Sunday, August 4, for The FEST from 12pm until 10pm at the CPL (28700 Euclid Avenue in Wickliffe). Join the fun with thousands from across our region, for a day of faith, family, and great fun – all for FREE!

Check out all the details online at www.theFEST.us. It's the perfect family day. There's something for every generation and all ages at The FEST.

August 10

Enjoy a round of golf and help support Cleveland Performing Arts Ministries' production of the musical passion play, *Tetélestai*. Visit <u>livethepassion.org</u> to register or call (440)944-0635.

Tetélestai is a 501(c)(3) organization; Tetélestai is a registered trademark of Tetélestai. Inc.







Calling all Kids! Raffle! Games! Auction! Fun, Fun, Fun! Save the date for the Saint Joan of Arc Parish End of Summer Family Fun Cookout! Saturday, September 21st right after 4:30PM mass at the Olsavsky Center. *Children* under 12 eat Free! \$9.95 Per Plate - Please note: Each raffle ticket you purchase includes 1 meal!

September 29

Come one. Come All to the Sisters of Notre Dame BBQ and Boutique on Sunday, September 29 from noon –5PM. Chicken dish is \$13 or Ribs for \$16. Take out is available.

Located on the Notre Dame Education Center campus; 13000 Auburn Road, Chardon. For more information or to order tickets online, visit: sndchardon.org



Collection

July 27/28

Cash/Checks \$9,456.89

E-Giving \$3,129.00

Total \$12,585.89

Thank vou For your support!

Mass Celebrant August 3/4

4:30PM Fr. Gary J. Malin

9:00AM Fr. Gary J. Malin

11:00AM Fr. Gary J. Malin

Parish

Office Hours The parish office is open from 8:30 AM until 4:30 PM

closed from 1-2 for lunch

17TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



YOU JUST HAVEN'T FIGURED OUT WHAT YOUR SOUL WAS REALLY ASKING BEHIND THE QUESTION YOUR EGO ASKED!