

FROM OUR PASTORAL STAFF



There is an appointed time for everything, and a time for every affair under the heavens.

~Ecclesiastes 3:1

We learn throughout life that one thing we can certainly count on is change... and that oftentimes we are called to trust in God as we look into a future that may seem uncertain or unfamiliar, trusting, as the book of Ecclesiastes points out, "there is an appointed time for everything."

On Tuesday evening at the Parish Town Hall clustering meeting, it was announced to those who attended that the recommendation that will be submitted to Bishop Lennon in September regarding clustering will be that St. Felicitas merge with St. Paul at the current St. Felicitas site. This proposal will either be rejected, modified or accepted by February 2009 and implemented in 2010. We all know that this will bring about many changes for this community and for all of the Euclid parishes as we strive to best utilize the resources that we have to serve the people of God. It is now that we are called to trust that this is the "appointed time" and that we are being lead by the Spirit.

I hope that we are all able to see this as an opportunity and not as a detriment. Should the Bishop approve this recommendation, our new community would have more than 2200 families, more resources that could be utilized to form our children, our teens, our adults, more volunteers to continue the good work being done, provide vision for new ministries, and more people using their voices to praise God at Mass. I am very aware that this change will not be easy, and that forming a new community will be challenging, but I have also come to know in the short time that I have been here, that this community stands together in love no matter what challenges it might face.

Let us view the future of our new parish as a blessing and an opportunity for us to grow, not only in terms of parishioners, but also in our trust, our faith, our hope, our love. The possibilities would seem to be endless and our future, while in the hands of God, is also ours to embrace. We will not be losing this tremendous Church on the Hill family, but instead working to serve the mission of Jesus Christ with a new face, a new vision, and, hopefully, a new resolve. I do know that with trust and hope as Julian of Norwich once said, "All will be well."

My door is always open to you and I welcome your thoughts, your questions, and your concerns not only with respect to clustering, but also with respect to any issue on your mind. I can be reached at 216-289-0770 or at frsal@stfelicitas.com. As we journey together in faith, during this "appointed time," please, once again, be assured of my commitment to this wonderful community and of my daily prayers for each of you. May God's peace be yours today and always.....Fr. Sal



Readings for the Week

- Monday: 2 Pt 1:2-7; Mk 12:1-12
- Tuesday: 2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18; Mk 12:13-17
- Wednesday: 2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12; Mk 12:18-27
- Thursday: 2 Tm 2:8-15; Mk 12:28-34
- Friday: 2 Tm 3:10-17; Mk 12:35-37
- Saturday: 2 Tm 4:1-8; Mk 12:38-44
- Sunday: Hos 6:3-6; Ps 50; Rom 4:18-25; Mt 9:9-13

Parish Mission Statement


Saint Felicitas is called to be a diverse, faith-filled Christian community. Rooted in the Eucharist and Catholic tradition, we are unified in the Spirit of hope and love. Individually and collectively, we are responsible to fulfill God's will as Jesus did by striving to grow in unconditional respect for, acceptance of, and service to everyone.



**ST. FELICITAS
PRAYER NETWORK HOTLINE
216-289-6456**

Call and leave a short message regarding your request. Let us know when your request has been answered, we can offer prayers of thanksgiving.

**REMEMBER TO PRAY FOR THE SICK
OF OUR PARISH COMMUNITY**



Delores Anderson, Millie Branisel, Tony Brodnick, Rosemary Conrad, Wilbur Davis, Krum Dimitrov, Charlotte Farinacci, Andrew Jarm, Ruth Lamm, Dottie Maher, Joan Raddell, Justin Raddell, Christopher, Norma & William Sedar, Milton Taisey, Ken Wisniewski, and Catherine Yert

Please notify the Parish Office when a name can be removed from this list.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR FAITH DEVELOPMENT



INTERFAITH HOSPITALITY NETWORK

“...Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you, or thirsty and give you drink? When did we see you a stranger and welcome you...? Matthew 25: 37 & 38. In today’s economy, it doesn’t take much to imagine what \$5.00 gasoline, grocery bills that are up dramatically over a year ago and what the loss of a job might do to your family. These are difficult times to be sure, but imagine what it would be like to be homeless. Thousands in Greater Cleveland need not imagine it. They live it daily.

The Interfaith Hospitality Network is a community response to homelessness in our area. If you are interested in lending a welcoming hand to homeless families, the Interfaith Hospitality Network needs you. We offer shelter, food and the basic necessities to homeless families. Families live for a week at a time in churches, staying at St. Felicitas School and other facilities during the summer each year.

To enter the network, guests must have children. Families are screened for alcohol, drug abuse and for communicable diseases.

Volunteering can cost you as little as a couple hours of your time. Can you provide a covered dish for dinner? Can you play with a child? Can you share conversation with a parent who has many of the same concerns you do? Learn more by visiting IHNCLEVELAND.ORG.

To participate at St. Felicitas call Stan Davisson at 216-374-4458. IHN is a “count your blessings experience”. You’ll never say “I’m going home” again without being thankful for your own home.

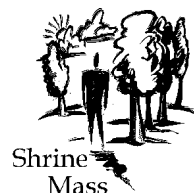
Won’t you join us? Our next hosting week is July 13. VIRTUS certification is required to interact with guests. You may donate food and materials without certification.

Monetary donations by parishioners are most appreciated. To help defray the costs of our hosting week, please include an envelope marked IHN in the Sunday offering. Make checks payable to St. Felicitas and write IHN in the memo section.....Stan Davisson

FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION-JUNE 6th: Come spend an hour with Jesus and share in His love and peace. Sign-in book is in the gathering area at the exit. Each hour from 9:00am-7:00pm is available. Sign-in for your hour of guidance with Him.



ST. ANTHONY NOVENA will continue each Tuesday until June 10th. The Novena is held in conjunction with the 7:00 pm Mass.



8:00 AM Mass begins at the Shrine

Sunday, June 1st
(weather-permitting)



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY	Weekday	June 2
8:15 a.m.	Helen Campolieti	
7:00 p.m.	Bernadine Popovich	
TUESDAY	Charles Lwango and Companions, martyrs	June 3
8:15 a.m.	Edward Kazimir	
7:00 p.m.	Nicholas Kekic	
WEDNESDAY	Weekday	June 4
8:15 a.m.	Stephen Rico	
7:00 p.m.	Helen Campolieti	
THURSDAY	Boniface, bishop, martyr	June 5
8:15 a.m.	Richard Willkomm	
7:00 p.m.	Minka Kmetich	
FRIDAY	Weekday	June 6
8:15 a.m.	Howard & Jean Stark	
7:00 p.m.	Mary Holaus	
SATURDAY	Weekday	June 7
8:15 a.m.	Michael Rielly	
2:00 p.m.	Wedding: Berquist & Osborne	
4:00 p.m.	Troha Family (<i>Fr. Sal</i>)	
SUNDAY	10th Sunday in Ordinary Time	June 8
8:00 a.m.	Anton & Sylvia Milavec (<i>Fr. Sal</i>)	
9:45 a.m.	Charles Henry (<i>Fr. Sal</i>)	
11:45 a.m.	Jennifer Grosel (<i>Fr. Mehok</i>)	
7:00 p.m.	Milton Joseph Laurence (<i>Fr. John</i>)	

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Richmond Hts. Hospital-Wed. Jun.4.....Brokamp
 Grande Pointe-Sun. Jun.8.....Legion of Mary

COUNTERS

Counters for Sun. Jun.8....."A" Team
 Counters for Mon. Jun.9....."E" Team

BANNS OF MARRIAGE

- III. Brian Berquist & Jennie Osborne
- I. John Gliha & Janet Charskey

MINISTERS SCHEDULE —JUNE 7-8, 2008

MASS	HOSPITALITY	COMMENTATOR	LECTOR	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	SERVERS
Sat. 4:00pm	M. Freas R. Lamm	J. Borkey	M. Freas	L. Rupp, M. Malta, J. Melvin, J. Monger, M. Zoul, C. Barni, J. Barni, T. Brokamp	K. Johnson J. Melvin
Sun. 8:00am	P. Sova C. Fornal	C. Hainrihar	M. Muehle	J. Page, R. Tepley, T. Wetzel, F. Zalar, W. Burnett, R. Smith, W. Nalepka, T. Ogrinc	A. Gricar K. Gaser
Sun. 9:45am	S. Tuscano H. Williams	D. Wagner	A. Krutko	D. Doering, E. Doering, S. Hovanscek, R. O'Donnell, E. Perme, J. Dreyer, P. Gallagher, M. Haritonovich	H. deHaas T. deHaas
Sun. 11:45am	R. Manning J. Konchan	S. Thomas-Greaves	T. Gorenssek	A. Molnar, E. Perko-Drake, J. Bretz, D. Thomas-Greaves, J. Bretz, L. Grosel, E. Hlabse, A. Stokes	W. Thomas-Greaves D. Brogdon
Sun. 7:00pm	K. Capek J. Boellner	L. Bochenek	D. Baioni	L. Fulton, J. Barteld, M. Chinchar, C. Cinkole, L. Colo, J. Kukula, J. Martin, M. Carlo	T. Capek L. Bogart

GOOD NEWS "ON THE HILL"

INTENTION CARDS: The intention cards for our Process of Offertory Enhancement continue to flow into the offertory basket and the Parish Office. To date 320 households have returned their cards. This is a beautiful and tangible show of support for the work of the Church. Thank you for your response!

MANNA NEWS: Beginning this weekend, we will be selling Manna every Saturday after the 4:00pm Mass. We have limited quantities of our new cards, Damon's, Longhorn, and Marathon. If you have any suggestions for additional gift cards, call Teri Kern at 216-731-8153.

VACATION BIBLE : This year's VBS is "Rainforest Adventure: A Tree Top Bible Blast". Come join us from July 7th-11th as we swing through the rainforest learning Bible stories, sing, make crafts, and make new friends. VBS is from 9am until Noon and is for children 4yrs old to 12. If you are interested, there are registration forms in the kiosk in the Gathering Area of the Church. Registration deadline is JUNE 9th! We are also in need of student helpers (good for service hours!) or adults to help with the children, teach, serve refreshments, etc. Also, if anyone would like to donate Rainforest decorations (ex: green material, old sheets to dye, party decorations, vines, etc.) please let me know. If you have any questions or would like to help please call Rhonda Dulaney at 440-953-0403.

FALL SPORTS: It's not too early to start thinking about Fall Sports! Volleyball is offered to all girls grades 4-8 for \$75. If you are interested, contact Kim Wetzel at 440-223-5090 with your name/address/phone number/grade level/and uniform size. Cross Country is offered to all boys and girls in grades 1-8 for \$35. If you are interested, contact Connie Pallante at 216-402-5583. Please note that a current CYO physical for must be on file and the fee paid before practices begin in early August!

WANT TO GET RID OF YOUR JUNK??: St. Felicitas Youth Group will take your donations for our garage sale to benefit our Relay for Life fund. Our garage sale is going to be Jun.27&28th. Please call Jeff Linsky at 440-585-3238 to arrange a pickup time. We thank you in advance for helping us.

ST. FELICITAS PRESCHOOL: still has openings in the 3 & 4 year old programs for the upcoming school year. Call 216-732-9116 for information.

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June 8th	Youth Mass	7:00pm Mass with open gym until 9:00pm
June 27 & 28th	Garage Sale	More info to follow
July 12th	Relay for Life	Please join our team at the website/ registration forms in kiosk
Aug. 3rd	THE FEST	Save the date; Noon-8:00pm with Mass & fireworks

We are always welcoming new members, think about bringing a friend to the next event. If you have any questions, please call Jeff Linsky at 440-585-3238 or email linsclub@adelphia.net.

NEWS FROM OUR NEIGHBORS



WHERE ARE YOU GOING? RETREAT: Christ calls each of us to participate in God's love through active service in the Church. The Diocesan Vocation Office invites single, Catholic women and men (18-40) to "Where are you going?" retreat on Saturday, June 7th at the Center for Pastoral Leadership in Wickliffe. The retreat is free, but reservations are required. Please call 1-800-869-6525 or 216-696-6525, ext. 3490 no later than Mon., June 2nd.

2008 CATHOLIC CHARITIES ANNUAL APPEAL: Thank you for your extraordinary support of this year's Catholic Charities Annual Appeal. Due to the overwhelming response to this year's Appeal, we are still in the process of tabulating the results. If you have not received a pledge reminder notice but would like to make a payment, please send your check, payable to Catholic Charities, to Catholic Charities, 1404 East 9th St., 8th Floor, Cleveland, OH 44114, attn: Elaine Ujcz. Please provide your mailing address and parish name.

MINISTRY PROGRAMS: Ursuline College invites you to attend an Information Night on Wed. June 11th, at 7:00pm in the Strawbridge Parlor, 2550 Lander Rd, Pepper Pike. The Master of Arts in Ministry Programs offers a focus on ministry for church and marketplace. Fall classes begin Aug. 20th. For more information call 440-646-8195.

“SHARE THE VISION, SHAPE THE FUTURE”

PLEDGE UPDATE

Pledge Total	\$1,541,203.67
Campaign Goal	\$1,700,000.00
Percent of Goal	91%
Cash Total	\$1,549,629.98
No. of Pledges	545
Average Pledge	\$2,838.13

Thank you for your generosity!

COLLECTIONS

Envelopes & Loose Change May 25th.....	\$9,562.00
Children’s Envelopes.....	\$34.00
Total Donations Received.....	\$9,596.00
Total Needed to cover Parish Weekly	
Operating Expenses.....	\$15,737.00
Excess/(Deficit).....	<u>(\$6,141.00)</u>
Collection same time period last year.....	\$9,927.00
Increase/(Decrease) over last year.....	(\$331.00)
Maintenance for May.....	\$6,354.00

Thank you for your generosity.
Your support is needed and greatly appreciated.

RAFFLE WINNER



Congratulations to Bernie Blue of Richmond Heights, our winner of the **Week 34 PTU Weekly Raffle**. Dick Blue was the seller winner.

Congratulations to Ann Marie Tylman of Euclid our winner of the **May Monthly Ten Ticket Raffle**. *Thank you to everyone who supported Saint Felicitas’ PTU.*

- C-Church
- S-School
- MR1-Meeting Room #1
- MR2-Meeting Room #2
- P-Parish Office



LOOKING AHEAD

WEEK OF JUNE 2ND:

- MONDAY-JUNE 2nd**
7:30pm(C) Lector/Commentator Meeting
- TUESDAY-JUNE 3rd**
7:00pm(C) St. Anthony Novena
7:30pm(MR1) Legion of Mary
7:30pm(MR2) Liturgy Commission Mtg
- WEDNESDAY-JUNE 4th**
- THURSDAY-JUNE 5th**
6:45pm(S) Bingo-Team #1
- FRIDAY-JUNE 6th**
11:00am Dismissal-SFS
7:00pm(C) 8th Grade Graduation
- SATURDAY-JUNE 7th**
- SUNDAY-JUNE 8th**
Mary Muehle’s Retirement Reception
Immediately following the 11:45am Mass

WEEK OF JUNE 9TH:

- MONDAY-JUNE 9th**
- TUESDAY-JUNE 10th**
7:00pm(C) St. Anthony Novena
7:30pm(MR1) Legion of Mary
- WEDNESDAY-JUNE 11th**
7:00pm(MR1) Craft Show Meeting
- THURSDAY-JUNE 12th**
6:45pm(S) Bingo-Team #2
- FRIDAY-JUNE 13th**
- SATURDAY-JUNE 14th**
7:00-8:30am Men’s Prayer Group
Manna sold after 4:00pm Mass
6:45pm(S) Bingo-Team A
- SUNDAY-JUNE 15th *Father’s Day***
Manna sold after all Masses today
7:00pm(C) Youth Mass