



FROM OUR PASTORAL STAFF

St. Felicitas School~ A light of faith, learning, and love that shines on the hill.

A Portrait of a Catholic School Graduate:

A FAITH FILLED DISCIPLE OF CHRIST WHO IS:

Called by Baptism and nourished by the Eucharist;
Active in the sacramental life of the Church; Centered in Gospel values; Prayerful

A CHRISTIAN LEADER WHO IS:

A decision maker whose conscience is formed by the teachings of the Catholic Church;
A witness to the FAITH; A person of integrity; Respectful

A CENTERED WELL ROUNDED PERSON WHO IS:

Self-confident; Self-disciplined; Open to growth; Responsible; An active and productive citizen

A LOVING PERSON WHO IS:

Compassionate; Kind; Forgiving; Appreciate of diversity; Welcoming;
Respectful of the talents and abilities of others

A LIFE-LONG LEARNER WHO IS:

Articulate; Creative; Technologically literate; A critical thinker;
Academically and spiritually competent; A problem-solver

A HEALTHY PERSON WHO IS:

Respectful of life; Practicing good health habits; A good sport;
Committed to reaching one's full potential

We are proud of the 47 eighth grade students who are graduating from St. Felicitas School on June 5, 2009. They have prayed, played and studied intensely together to achieve this milestone in their young lives. We are impressed with their accomplishments in the academic arena as well as on the athletic field. 98% of this year's graduating class will be attending Catholic high schools with several of them earning scholarships for their high scores on the entrance exams.

We know these students are well prepared to continue their academic and spiritual journey. They have built a strong foundation here at St. Felicitas School. They are true models of the "Catholic School Graduate" described above. We look forward to hearing great things about them in the future.

We wish them good luck and all of God's blessings!

.....Mrs. Martha Dodd



Readings for the Week

- Monday: 2 Cor 1:1-7; Mt 5:1-12
- Tuesday: 2 Cor 1:18-22; Mt 5:13-16
- Wednesday: 2 Cor 3:4-11; Mt 5:17-19
- Thursday: Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3; Mt 5:20-26
- Friday: 2 Cor 4:7-15; Mt 5:27-32
- Saturday: 2 Cor 5:14-21; Mt 5:33-37
- Sunday: Ex 24:3-8; Ps 116; Heb 9:11-15
Mk 14:12-16, 22-26

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.

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



Anthony Brodnik, Krum Dimitrov, Charlotte Farinacci, Stefanie Hainrihar, George Halgash, Packy Hyland Sr., Andrew Jarm, Cindy Kinley, Ruth Lamm, Dottie Maher, Mary Jo Mellody, Roman Dowhan, Robert Popvic, Sr., Joan Raddell, Justin Raddell, Leslie Richards, Norma Sedar, Tony Stepec, Milton Taisey, and Catherine Yert

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



**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.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR FAITH DEVELOPMENT

INTERFAITH HOSPITALITY NETWORK

For the eighth year, St. Felicitas will host homeless families from the Interfaith Hospitality Network from July 26 – August 1 in the school. The need is greater than ever this year with the number of homeless at all time highs. Our families are parents with children. All are screened for drug and alcohol abuse. A typical experience is Moms with kids of all ages. IHN is one of the only providers for the homeless where teenagers can stay with parents of the opposite sex. Most shelters will not allow that. Our most recent week we hosted four Moms and eight children from 2 months to seven years.

Our band of volunteers is comprised of parishioners from St. Felicitas, St. William, Holy Cross, St. Robert, St. Noel, Church of the Epiphany, Temple Emanu El, Euclid Lutheran and East Shore Methodist. You can see we are "Interfaith". Poverty is not a respecter of race, faith or gender. In Mark 9:36 Jesus said, "Whoever welcomes one of these in My name, welcomes Me." Do you have time to welcome Jesus the last week in July?

We have a role for everyone who is interested. You can donate as little as a couple of hours that week or be involved multiple days or evenings. We need people to prepare food, spend the evenings with the families and overnight hosts. Of course, donations of money, food and toys are always most appreciated. In the devotional Living Faith, Father James McKarns said, "A gift of

money, material or volunteer physical work produced two blessings: one to the person who receives it and one to the person who gives it." If you are reading this notice, you are likely not on the receiving end, but we can all be givers. Won't you consider giving of your time, talent or treasure? Learn more at IHNCleveland.org. If you would like to be a volunteer or a donor July 26–Aug. 1, please call 216.374.4458 or e-mail Stan-Davisson@Gmail.com

THE RESPONSIBILITY OF OUR FAITH

Today is a day simply to ponder the fact that in baptism we were claimed by God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. The first reading from Deuteronomy prompts us to fix in our hearts the truth that God is the Lord of both heaven and earth and there is no other god. Saint Paul reminds us that, because we received the Spirit of adoption in baptism, we are now children of God. In the Gospel Jesus charges us with the responsibility to make other disciples. These realities make today's solemnity a day of praise, adoration, and responsibility. It is a fitting day to thank God for the absolutely free gift of faith that we were given in baptism. It is also a day to ask God for strength to take on the responsibility of sharing that faith with others.

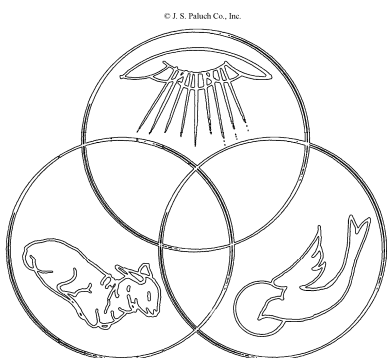
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**8:00 AM Mass
Begins at the Shrine
(weather-permitting)**

****REVISED MINISTERS SCHEDULE****

The new summer schedule of all liturgical ministers that was out two weeks ago has an error in it, therefore a new, revised schedule can be found on the website or in the kiosk in the Gathering Area. Please be sure to have the revised edition. If you are unable to keep any of your assigned dates, it is your responsibility to find a substitute. Thank you for your prayerful participation in the celebration of our liturgies.



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY	Weekday	June 8
8:15 a.m.	Helen Suhy	
7:00 p.m.	For Our Parish Family	
TUESDAY	Weekday	June 9
8:15 a.m.	Jim Proctor	
7:00 p.m.	All Souls	
WEDNESDAY	Weekday	June 10
8:15 a.m.	For Our Parish Family	
7:00 p.m.	Josephine Faraci	
THURSDAY	Barnabas, apostle	June 11
8:15 a.m.	Helen Suhy	
7:00 p.m.	Joseph & Mary Kinkpof	
FRIDAY	Weekday	June 12
8:15 a.m.	Ronald Sims	
7:00 p.m.	John Stempihar	
SATURDAY	Anthony of Padua	June 13
8:15 a.m.	Tom O'Toole	
5:00 p.m.	Chuck Pophal	
SUNDAY	The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ	June 14
8:00 a.m.	Charles A. Henry	
10:00 a.m.	Francis(Bud) & Mary Halaus	
12:00 p.m.	Jim Proctor	

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Richmond Hts. Hospital-Wed. June 10.....Schmidt
 Grande Pointe-Sun. June 14.....Chris H. & Tina



COUNTERS

Counters for Sun. June 14....."B" Team
 Counters for Mon. June 15....."F" Team

BANNS OF MARRIAGE

II. Scott Santora & Sharon Jasinski

MINISTERS SCHEDULE — JUNE 13-14, 2009

MASS	PRESIDER	HOSPITALITY	LECTOR 1	LECTOR 2	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	SERVERS	CANTOR
Sat. 5:00pm	Fr. Sal	M.L. Bertsch R. Lamm	D. Abreo	T. Isabella	C. Barni, J. Barni, L. Colo, J. Kern, B. Pophal	A. Isabella N. Isabella	B.Loester
Sun. 8:00am	Fr. John	H. Drozin	J. Kirchmeir	L. Miller	J. Reilly, P. Reilly, A. Gaser	L. Bogart J. Organiscak	P.Zaepfel
Sun. 10:00am	Fr. Mehok	G. Kasulones C. Nych	D. Wagner	V. Wagner	A. Busch, A. Koballa F. Koballa, S. Davisson, M. Wagner	M. Abate J. Nych	Ensemble
Sun. 12:00pm	Fr. John	R. Manning K. McMahon	J. Bretz	K. Musarra	C. Cinkole, R. Jezeski, S. Kelley, J. Kochan, J. Martin	M. Thomas- Greaves C. Chiappero	Ensemble

NEWS "ON THE HILL"

Closing Date for St. Felicitas Parish and Opening of new parish approved In a letter dated May 21, 2009, Bishop Lennon wrote to me regarding the date and time of the closing Mass for St. Felicitas Parish. He approved our proposed date of Sunday, November 22. Bishop Lennon will be here to preside at this Mass at 3:00 PM. Your attendance and participation is certainly encouraged as we celebrate all that St. Felicitas parish has been. Bishop Lennon will also preside at the opening Mass of the newly-formed parish which will be on November 29, 2009 at the 10:00 AM Mass. Please keep Bishop Lennon as well as our Merger Transition Team and members of the nine subcommittees in your prayers as we work toward forming a holy, vibrant, faith filled community.
 God's Peace.....Fr. Sal

WILLS AND ESTATES SEMINAR: As a follow up to our recent Wills and Estate Seminar, St. Felicitas is complying a list of parish professionals that work in the wills and estate area, plus related fields such as insurance, financial planning and accounting. If you would like your name to be added to a parish referral list, please drop your business card off to Anita at the Parish Office.

MANNA CERTIFICATES: Father's Day and Graduations are fast approaching. Consider a certificate to Dick's or Macy's and make your gift-giving easier. Gas certificates are great gifts for graduates, we have Speedway, Shell and Marathon! Certificates can be purchased at the Parish Office. If you're interested in a specific card, please call Terri Kern at 216-731-8153. Thanks for your support!



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REGISTRATION HAS BEGUN: There are registration forms in the kiosk in the Gathering Area, in the Parish Office, or in the School Office. VBS is from July 13th – July 17th from 9:00am-

Noon. If any of our youth from middle or high school would like to volunteer or you need service hours this is a great opportunity and a lot of FUN!! We are also in need of adult volunteers. We are also in need of decorations, if you would like to donate or let us borrow some of the items, please call Rhonda or drop them off at the Parish Office. The theme is "Crocodile Dock" and it's set in a bayou. So if you have fishing decorations, or fishing net, Spanish moss, cheesecloth, green or blue fabric, greenery, wooden crates, anything to set the scene!! If you are interested or have any questions, please call Rhonda Dulaney at 440-953-0403 or Lisa Radey at 216-289-0770.



RAFFLE

MONTHLY TRIPLE PLAY 50/50 RAFFLE:

June raffle tickets are available in the kiosk or at the Parish Office. Please continue to turn in sold tickets in the collection basket. Next drawing is June 14th.

NEWS FROM OUR NEIGHBORS



ST. PAUL'S 25th ANNUAL PICNIC: will be Sunday, June 14th from 1:00-6:00pm. The picnic is held on the parish property at E. 200th Street and St. Clair Ave. An invitation is extended to members of the St. Felicitas community. There will be Bingo (starting at 1:30pm), music, games, good and reasonably priced food, and at 5:30pm a \$4,000 raffle. All are welcome. If you have any questions, please call Beverly at the Rectory at 531-0900, or Mary Ann Pecek at 486-3836.

ST. PAUL'S PLUS 50 CLUB: Is sponsoring a trip to Seneca Niagara Casino, Niagara Falls, NY on Monday, June 22nd. For reservations call Betty Slavkovsky at 216-486-7712. The cost is \$34.00 (Casino incentive \$20. coin and \$5. food-subject to change or cancellation). The bus will leave St. Paul's parking lot at 7:30am and return at approx. 8:30pm. Passengers must report at 7:00am and have valid driver's license or state id. Full payment (check made out to Ardelle Thomas) must be received by Betty Slavkovsky no later than June 3rd. A full trip itinerary can be obtained by calling St. Paul's Rectory at 216-531-0900.



50th WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION AT SAINT JOHN CATHEDRAL: Couples who were married in 1959 are invited to celebrate their wedding jubilee with Bishop Richard Lennon on Sunday, July 26th, at 2:30pm at the Cathedral in Cleveland. Registration forms are available in the Parish Office. Deadline is June 29th-to include Jubilee couple's name in program.

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OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL CHURCH PARISH FESTIVAL: June 26-28th at 1730 Mt Carmel Dr. in Wickliffe. Come and enjoy rides, games, fun, food, raffles, casino, and live entertainment each day for your listening enjoyment and dancing.

LOVES LIVES ON: Small, informal, free support group meetings held monthly in two locations for parents experiencing pregnancy loss through miscarriage, ectopic, newborn, or infant death up to 1 year of age. Family members are welcome to attend. Hillcrest Hospital's *Love Lives On* group is held on the third Thursday of every month at Hillcrest Hospital and the first Tuesday of every month at Marymount Hospital from 7:30 to 9:00 p.m. Call 440.312.4692 for information. Pre-registration is not required.

PRAYER TO THE HOLY TRINITY
*Glory be to the Father,
 who by His almighty power and love
 created me,
 making me in the image and likeness of God.
 Glory be to the Son,
 who by His Most Precious Blood
 delivered me from hell,
 and opened for me the gates of heaven.
 Glory be to the Holy Spirit,
 who has sanctified me in the
 sacrament of Baptism,
 and continues to sanctify me by the graces
 I receive daily from His bounty.
 Glory be to the Three adorable Persons of the
 Holy Trinity, now and forever.
 Amen.*

"SHARE THE VISION, SHAPE THE FUTURE"

**Capital Campaign Monthly Update
 Building Fund Balance**

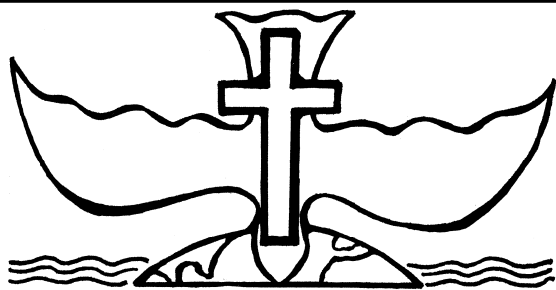
Total Cost Church Remodel:	\$1,724,205.67
Cash Total:	<u>\$1,691,177.48</u>
Difference:	\$ 33,028.19

Please make your check payable to the St. Felicitas Building Fund for any future contributions.
 Thank you for your prayers and generosity!

COLLECTIONS

Last Week's Regular Collection.....	\$13,518.00
Weekly Collection Goal.....	<u>\$12,080.00</u>
Excess (Deficit).....	\$1,438.00
Fiscal YTD Collection.....	\$487,592.59
Fiscal YTD Goal.....	<u>\$579,840.00</u>
YTD Excess (Deficit).....	\$(92,247.41)

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

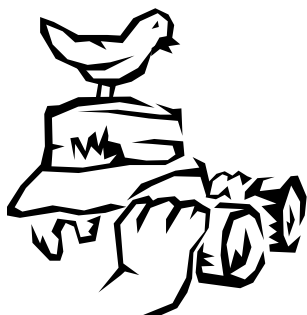


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**The Most Holy Trinity
June 7, 2009**

Go . . . and make disciples of all nations,
baptizing them in the name of the Father,
and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

— *Matthew 28:19*



LOOKING AHEAD

C-Church
P-Parish Office
S-School G-Gym
MR1-Meeting Room #1
MR2-Meeting Room #2
MR3-Meeting Room #3

WEEK OF JUNE 8TH

- MONDAY-JUNE 8th**
7:30pm Fr. Mehok's Scripture Study(S)
- TUESDAY-JUNE 9th**
7:00pm St. Anthony Novena(C)
7:30pm Legion of Mary(MR2)
- WEDNESDAY-JUNE 10th**
7:30pm Adult Music Group Practice(C)
- THURSDAY-JUNE 11th**
6:45pm Bingo-Team #3(G)
- FRIDAY-JUNE 12th**
- SATURDAY-JUNE 13th**
7:00-8:30am Men's Prayer Group(S)
6:45pm Bingo Team A
- SUNDAY-JUNE 14th**

WEEK OF JUNE 15TH

- MONDAY-JUNE 15th**
7:30pm Fr. Mehok's Scripture Study(S)
- TUESDAY-JUNE 16th**
7:00pm Finance Meeting(MR1)
7:30pm Legion of Mary(MR2)
- WEDNESDAY-JUNE 17th**
7:30pm Adult Music Group Practice(C)
- THURSDAY-JUNE 18th**
6:45pm Bingo-Team #4(G)
- FRIDAY-JUNE 19th**
- SATURDAY-JUNE 20th**
8:30-9:30am Market Day Pick Up(G)
- SUNDAY-JUNE 21st-Father's Day**