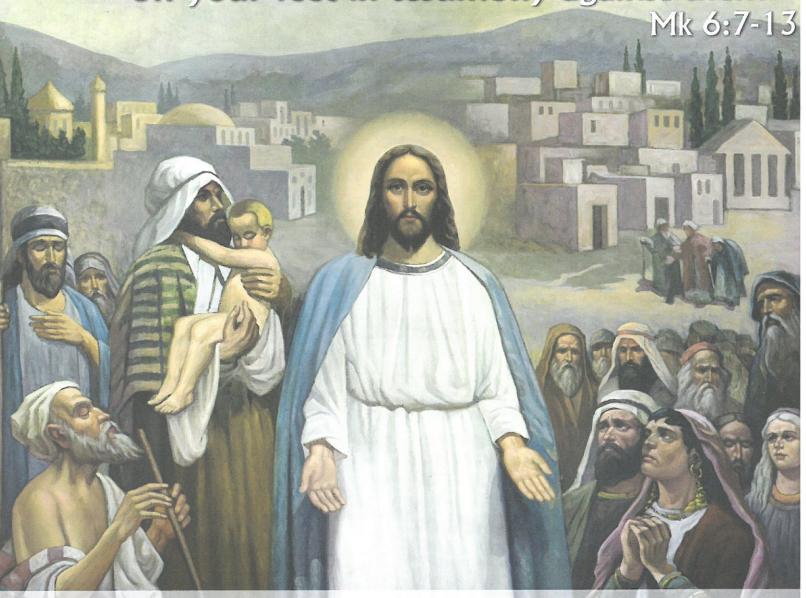
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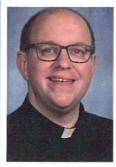
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FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME JULY 14, 2024

A Note From Our New Parish Administrator:



I love the tradition of a Parish Festival. More than just food and games, it becomes an opportunity for people to come together, beyond those who attend Mass on Sunday. It is also an opportunity for us to take pride in our parishes around Lake County. This weekend, I'll be headed to the St. John Vianney Festival. Maybe I will see you there!

We are two weeks from the St. Justin Martyr Parish Festival at the Italian American Club in Wickliffe. Please attend and support the Parish. What a fantastic



opportunity to invite our neighbors to something at church. We know it can be challenging to get people to come to Mass for one reason or another, but everyone loves a party! I hope to see you there on Sunday, July 28th, from 12 pm to 10 pm. Many thanks to our Festival Committee, which has planned this event throughout the year.



Sunday, August 4th is the FEST. The FEST is held on the grounds of the Center for Pastoral Leadership in Wickliffe. Like our Parish Festival, the FEST begins at noon and lasts through the day, with a closing Mass set to start at 8 pm followed by fireworks. Except for last summer, I have attended the FEST every year since 2007. I always enjoy seeing so many people from across the Diocese and other Christian faiths sharing in the day. The theme for the FEST this year is "Instruments of Peace" - we could certainly use peace in our world and country these days.

This past week, I met with our Parish Staff quite a bit. In addition, I've walked around campus to see the structures of our buildings. We have much to be grateful for because of Fr. Kevin's good stewardship. Our maintenance team works well to make it all happen.

As we begin a new week, let us thank God ahead of time for all that He does for us. Be assured of my prayers today and always.

St. Justin Martyr, pray for us!

Fr. Josh



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Mass Intentions for the Week

MONDAY ~ July 15 ~ St. Bonaventure
8:30AM Ruth Connell, Tom & Kathy McCoy

TUESDAY ~ July 16 ~ Our Lady of Mt. Carmel 8:30AM Mother's Day Remembrance 7:30PM Rosary Live on Facebook

WEDNESDAY ~ July 17 ~ Weekday 8:30AM James Horgan, Carol Horgan

THURSDAY ~ July 18 ~ St. Camillus de Lellis 8:30AM All Souls Remembrance

FRIDAY ~ July 19 ~ Weekday

8:30AM Rev. Carl Uhler, Marian Pact

4:00PM Paul & Carol Bene 51st Anniversary

Blessing

7:30PM Rosary Live on Facebook

SATURDAY ~ July 20 ~ Vigil Mass 5:00PM Joan & Marty Gut, Barb & Tom Kovacic

5:00PM Livestream Mass

SUNDAY ~ July 21 ~ 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00AM Mass for Parishioners 10:30AM Joe Zorman, *Cheryl Doyle*

Weekly Contributions:

June 30, 2024

Total Collection: \$7,524.00

July 7, 2024

Total Collection: \$9,386.00

Children's Good Deeds: "Cut the grass." "Dry the dishes."

Thank you for your generosity!



Please keep in prayers our parishioner

Joyce Livingston

who passed away this past week, and for the consolation of her family and friends. May she rest in peace.



Being an Everyday Disciple

Jesus did not just call twelve men to be His disciples. He also did not just call priests and deacons to be His disciples. Everyone has been called to be disciples. Discipleship means living out our faith daily, answering God's call, and spreading His message

through our words and actions.

In the book of Amos, we encounter an example of an unlikely disciple. Amos, a shepherd and fig tree farmer, is called by God to prophesy to Israel. Amos's story highlights that God often calls ordinary people to extraordinary tasks. Despite his humble background and lack of formal training, Amos obeys God's call. His obedience reflects the essence of everyday discipleship: a willingness to step out of your comfort zone and respond to God's gentle nudges, regardless of personal qualifications.

Everyday discipleship involves a readiness to respond to God's call, just as Amos did. It requires faith and dependence on God. Everyday discipleship is not confined to those with theological training but is a call to all believers to live out their faith actively and visibly.

The story of Amos reminds us that discipleship is about



obedience, trust, and action. It is about being ready to answer God's call, relying on His strength, and stepping out in faith to make a difference in the world. By doing so, we become everyday disciples, contributing to God's mission in ways both great and small. **Peace and Blessings, Deacon Tim**

The Saint Joseph Rosary Makers

The Saint
Joseph Rosary
Makers of St.
Justin Martyr
Parish have
been supplying
rosaries for The
FEST for about
15 years. Each



year, between 1,000-1,500 rosaries have been distributed to the crowd. Throughout history, God has smiled upon public prayer. The FEST's Rosary Tent schedules leaders of the Rosary for each hour. The Bishop usually leads the 3rd hour and this year, Deacon Tim Shell will be leading the 6th hour. Please come out and enjoy the day and pray with them!

The Rosary Makers meet on the first Thursday of the month at 11am at the home of Barb and Tom Kovacic. Many of their rosaries have been shipped all across the world! If you would like to become involved, contact Barb at 440-946-7875.



Please pray for all of our parishioners who are sick or hospitalized: Margaret Abel, Lisa Adams, Susan Adler, Sandy Almasy, Joseph Andryscik, Baby Jack, Patricia Bacon, June Barr, Janet Bartholomew, Jeff & Sue Beam, Frank Brown, John Brown, Brian Bruening, Joan Bruening, Tom Bukovec, Kathleen Cassidy, Marc Christovich, Sam Cilaberto, Kelly Cipiti, Carolyn & John Cutler, Diane DeBaltzo, Jerry Drew, Dan & Frances Eppich, Pauline Feterman, Valerie Gallaher, Frank Germano, Marge Gorenc, Julia Hill, Ann Hobart, Ed Hurayt, Melanie Hurayt, Mary Ellen Isom, Daniel Jastredowski, Kantura, Jela Katavic, Alexis Kramer, John Kelly, Katherine Kirsch, Peg Klancher, Jeri Kuzmak, Sherise Landrey, Brian Lloyd, Bob & Dianne Marshall, Bud Martello, Pat Matala, Terry McCurdy, Gary Meinke, Ann Miller, Bill Monreal, Sarah Mujic, Jenny Panella, Becky Parianos, Kellie Pastor, Cindy Pike, Joe Ritzu, Joshua Rosian, Tim Rosian, Joan Rozak, Nancy Seifert, Hannah Shell, Audrey Smith, Chris Stano, Dorothy & Joe Strand, Aisha Temple, James Urbanek, Gregory Usko, Michael Vara, Eva Variano, Cheryl Wilson, Phil Wolfson, Michael Wrayno, Ken Zalar, the shut-ins, those in nursing homes, needing prayers, and all of the intentions written in our Book of Prayers located in the gallery. Please call the office if you would like someone added or removed, or email simoffice@stjustin.net.

Daily Eucharistic Adoration in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel

9:00am-4:00pm

Come spend some time with Jesus



For our scheduled Adorers:

Your weekly commitment to adoring Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament is important. Please sign the book in the right hand drawer when you are attending your scheduled Holy Hour. If you are no longer coming to Adoration, or if you have changed your Holy Hour, please advise Marion Hanna at 440-975-8208.

Please accept our gratitude for your faithfulness. We could not share in these blessings without you! God bless you with His love and peace.

OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL, Feast Day July 16

The origins of this feast reach all the way back to the Old Testament. In the book of Kings, we read the story of the prophet Elijah. Much of his prayer, fasting, and public ministry occurred from Carmel, a mountain in Israel. Christian hermits -seeking solitude -- made their homes on the mountain during the first millennium. Over time, the hermits assembled into a community and were given a Rule of Life. They named their church after Mary -- Our Lady of Mount Carmel. Political upheaval forced the Carmelite order out of the Holy Land and into Europe, where they



established monasteries for both men and women across the continent. Many great saints and doctors of the Church have come from the Carmelite order, including St. Teresa of Avila, St. John of the Cross, St. Therese of Lisieux, and St. Edith Stein. Our Lady of Mount Carmel. Pray for us!





Sunday, July 28

LOCATION: Wickliffe Italian & American Club 29717 Euclid Avenue Noon-10:00PM

ENTERTAINMENT

12:00-2:30 Goin' Gray (Oldies)

3:00-5:30 Rooftop Project (Pop)

6:30-9:30 SUMRADA (Pop Rock) YOUR HOMEMADE PARISH FAVORITES

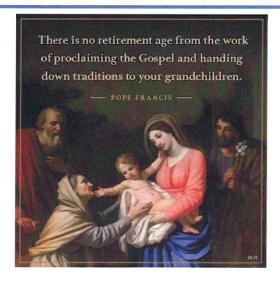
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World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly, July 28

In 2021, Pope Francis established this day near the memorial of Ss. Joachim and Anne, the grandparents of Jesus (Feast Day July 26). The theme for this year is a line from Psalm 71— "Do not cast me off in my old age." Pope Francis has asked the Church to focus on prayer which is why he chose the prayer of an elderly person from Psalms for the theme.

Take a moment to honor your grandparents and the elderly in your life on this special day. Send a card of thanks, make a visit, share a meal together to commemorate this special relationship we are blessed to share!

Charles Hunt, MA Director of Religious Education Charles@stjustin.net 440-946-3287

Catholic Humor

After the Fall, Adam was walking with his sons Cain and Abel. As they were passing the locked gates of the Garden of Eden, one of the boys asked, "What's that, Dad?" Adam replied, "Boys, that's where your mother ate us out of house and home."

Order of Christian Initiation of Adults—OCIA



Becoming Catholic

The letters "OCIA"

stand for the "Order of Christian Initiation of Adults." It is the way in which men and women are gradually introduced to the Catholic way of life and become full members of the Church. If you are interested in joining the Catholic Church at St. Justin Martyr, please speak with Fr. Josh, Deacon Tim, or the OCIA coordinator, Charles Hunt at 440-946-3287 or Charles@stjustin.net . The OCIA Team invites you to offer a Rosary for the intentions of increasing the membership of St. Justin Martyr Church. Our prayers and example will help foster growth in our parish.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

NEWS • NEWS

For those who wish to make the **Sacrament of Confirmation at St. Justin Martyr** in future years,
Catholic Day School or PSR Classes, especially the
8th Grade Class, are a requirement in order receive
the Sacrament. If your child is in 8th grade and
wishes to make Confirmation in our program, please
contact Charlie Hunt for more information on our 8th
Grade PSR Program.

Beth Rossetti, Pastoral Associate Lay Ecclesial Minister beth@stjustin.net 440-946-1177, ext. 105

To All Current Ninth Graders

All current ninth graders of the parish of St. Justin Martyr are invited to join our Confirmation Class of 2025. Please contact Beth Rossetti at the parish office. Thank you to all the families that have began the process.



Coffee and Conversation

Resumes this week on Thursday. Join us at 11:00AM in the back of the school under the tree.

Confirmation 2024—Please pray of our Confirmation Candidates who will be confirmed in September:
Luka, Gavin, Antonio, Ashley and Kayla, as they prepare for the Sacrament of Confirmation over the next few months. If you are a prayer partner, you can drop off a note and



I'll make sure they receive it over the summer.

The Annual Indoor Garage Sale

Our new total for monies raised through the Garage Sale and Online Sales is \$8,126.19.



Thank you to everyone who has helped us reach this goal!

If you have not yet turned in your Garage Sale yard sign, please do so and put it in the gallery so we can reuse them again next year! Thank you.



Save a Life, Give Blood

Sunday, July 21, 8am-2pm

Thank you to all who helped us exceed our goal of 30 units of blood collected last month! Our June total was 35!! We are really helping to save lives!

This month's Red Cross Blood Drive is on

Sunday, July 21 in the Parish Hall from 8am-2pm.

Go to www.redcrossblood.org to sign up to give, using the sponsor code: Stjustinmartyr or call 1-800 RED-CROSS.

Be a part of something big! Make an appointment today!



Just In Fun Committee News

Thank you for sailing with us on the Lady Caroline and for adjusting your schedule to the new sailing date! Everyone had a great buffet meal and enjoyed the scenic view of Cleveland's skyline from the upper decks. For those who had other commitments, we hope you will sail with us at a future time.

In the meantime, we are excited about our visit to Frankenmuth, Michigan (see below) and our Christmas Venture to Sandusky County on December 5, 2024. Also in the planning stage is a return to Lancaster, PA in June 2025 to see "Noah" at the Sight and Sound Theatre. Mark your calendars for these upcoming trips! - The Just In Fun Committee

Going Back to "Little Bavaria" in Frankenmuth, MI September 11-12, 2024

The Just In Fun Group invites you to join us in traveling back to Frankenmuth to revisit "Little Bavaria" and enjoy some good German food, drink and music. Little Bavaria also displays a Christmas Wonderland 365 days a year and is the home of the famous Glockenspiel which activates at the top of each hour.



Imagine walking down a cobblestone road and exploring some quaint specialty shop in a small outdoor mall or hopping on a horse and buggy ride to tour the quaint neighborhood, or just relaxing in a brewery or on a beer wagon peddling down a street drinking a nice cold German beer. Here is your opportunity to do just that! Registration forms are available in the gallery or on the website at www.stjustin.net.

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LAST CALL, ONLY A FEW SEATS LEFT!



"Hit the Ground Running" Trip with Father Josh - Join Father Josh from Saint Justin Martvr Parish Friday, July 19th, as we travel to Detroit, Michigan, for the day to visit the Solanus Casev Center and Saint Anne de Detroit

Basilica. The trip costs \$60, due upon registration: lunch is included at the Center (dinner will be on your own). The bus leaves at 8 am and returns around 8 pm from the St. Justin Martyr parking Daily Mass is included. All are welcome! Checks made payable: St. Justin Martyr Church, non refundable. DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION IS JULY 15.

Pastoral Staff & Parish Leaders

Fr. Joshua J. Cochrac, Parish Administrator Rev. Kevin M. Liebhardt -Pastor Emeritus Deacon Timothy Shell Mr. Charles Hunt, MA Director of Rel. Education Mrs. Beth Rossetti -Pastoral Associate Mr. Joseph Erbeznik -Business Manager Mr. Thomas Gulden -Coordinator of Music Mr. Tom Keaty -Parish Council Coordinator

Ms. Terry Ryan - Coordinator

of Liturgical Ministries

Buildings & Office Information and Hours

Parish Office: Monday-Friday 9:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m. 946-1177

Saturday Closed

Sunday 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Parish FAX line

PSR/Religious Education Office:

Monday-Friday 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. 946-3287 Monday Evening 6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m.

If you need to speak to a priest, please call ahead to be sure one is available.

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 p.m. Holidays: 9:00 a.m.

Weekdays: Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m. Sunday: 8:00 and 10:30 a.m. Holy Days: Please refer to Mass times inside the bulletin

946-9126

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays: 4:00-4:30 p.m. Other times by appointment.

Celebrating Sacramental Life

Baptisms: Call the Parish Office to set up a time.

Marriages: Arrangements with priest MUST BE at least six months in advance of the wedding date. Contact Father Kevin.

Funerals/Anointing of the Sick: Call the Parish Office immediately.

Sick Calls: Please notify the office concerning homebound and those going to the hospital. Call the parish in event of an emergency.

Welcoming New Parishioners: Call, stop in or go to www.stjustin.net to obtain a registration form. Once completed, call to make a "Welcoming" appointment.

Catholic Education Contact Information

The ministry of Catholic Education will continue at the schools below:

All Saints School at the Center for Pastoral Leadership, 28702 Euclid Avenue, Wickliffe, 44092. Contact: 440-943-1395; http://www.allsaintssjv.org. Mater Dei Academy at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, 29840 Euclid Avenue, Wickliffe, 44092. Contact: 440-585-0800; www.materdeiacademy.us.

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Saturday, July 20 5:00 PM	Bob Bobnar	Bernie Borowski, Tim Rosian, Sandi Shell	Bob Spangenberg
Sunday, July 21 8:00 AM	Joan Fishburn	Sandy Cassidy, Mitch Kokish, Loretta Vanagas	Leslie Simpson
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