

## March 18, 2018

### FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

**MONDAY, MARCH 19**

**9:00 a.m. Weekday Mass** (pg. 539)  
Sr. Brigid Grimes (Anniversary)  
by Mary Kay Wood

**12:00 noon** AA (H)

**TUESDAY, MARCH 20**

**12:00 noon** AA (H)

**7:00 p.m. Weekday Mass** (pg. 547)  
Donald Corcoran  
by Bryan Corcoran Family

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21**

**9:00 a.m. Weekday Mass** (pg. 550)  
Charles A. Wood (Anniversary)  
by Mary Kay Wood

**THURSDAY, MARCH 22**

**NO MASS** Father Ted's Day Off

**12:00 noon** AA (H)

**4:30 p.m.** Junior Choir (CH)

**6:00 p.m.** Chime Choir (CH)

**7:00 p.m.** Adult Choir (CH)

**FRIDAY, MARCH 23**

**9:00 a.m. Weekday Mass** (pg. 558)  
Lester Hartman  
by A Friend

**12:00 noon** AA (H)

**7:00 p.m.** Stations of the Cross (CH)

**SATURDAY, MARCH 24**

**4:00 p.m. Confessions** (CH)

**5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass** (pg. 62)  
The People of St. Joseph Parish

**SUNDAY, MARCH 25**

**8:00 a.m. Sunday Mass** (pg. 62)  
Christopher D. Strawser  
by Jeff Strawser Family

**11:15 a.m. Sunday Mass** (pg. 62)  
George Bowling  
by Restoration Committee

**OUR PRAYERS FOR OTHERS:** Hold in your prayers **Norma Mogan, Thomas Maskulinski, Tony Howerton, Adam Douglas, Gregory Shires,** and all those who are on our prayer chain. If you have permission and wish to put a friend or loved one on the email prayer chain, or are interested in praying as part of our prayer chain, please contact Jackie Rose at [diggersdaughter@yahoo.com](mailto:diggersdaughter@yahoo.com) or (614) 595-7633. If you would also like to have a name listed in our church bulletin for prayers, please notify us at [office@saintjosephcleveland.com](mailto:office@saintjosephcleveland.com) or call 477-2549, ext. 300.

**CEMETERY NEWS:** The Cemetery Board is busy gearing up for spring projects. We have received dirt to use in expanding the road and shoring up areas where water does not drain well. Be on the lookout for Spring flowers that will be coming up. March is Cemetery Upkeep Collection month and funds received will be used to beautify the area behind the altar with evergreens.

**CONDOLENCES** to the family and friends of **James R. Mogan**, who died on **March 8, 2018**. Please remember James in your prayers, along with his family and all who love him.

**GRATITUDE:** The Baranick Family wishes to express thanks to our St. Joseph family for your prayers, cards, food, and condolences in the death of Richard (Dick) Baranick. God bless all of you.

**WOMEN'S SILENT RETREAT:** The Diocesan Council of Catholic Women presents a Women's Silent Retreat on April 13-15, 2018. The retreat will be held at St. Therese's Retreat Center at 5277 E. Broad Street in Columbus. The theme for the retreat is "Being Present in the Here & Now," and will be presented by Fr. Sean Dooley. To learn more, go to [www.columbuscatholic.org](http://www.columbuscatholic.org), or call the DCCW Office at 614-228-8601. You may also send an email to [kboesch@columbuscatholic.org](mailto:kboesch@columbuscatholic.org).

**LENTEN FISH FRY:** The Knights of Columbus will be hosting their annual Lenten Fish Fries running through March 23rd. Times are 4:30 until 6:30 p.m. We are in need of desserts! Please bring a dessert to share when you come to enjoy the food and fellowship at the Fish Fry.

**"CARRY THE CROSS"** is a 12-mile Stations of the Cross hike sponsored by Wilderness Outreach for the men, fathers, and sons of the Columbus Diocese. A cross constructed of 3"X6" timber, approximately 10' long with a 7' cross beam is carried by the men on the journey with the Stations of the Cross prayed every mile or so. Men should bring a day pack with 2-3 liters of water, snacks, and rain gear if appropriate. During the hike, silent meditation on our Lord's Passion is encouraged. Praying the Rosary and other communal and traditional prayers are also encouraged. The hike is on Holy Saturday, March 31, from 7:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. For more information, contact Steve Ford at (614) 989-2032 or Jon Callahan at (740) 412-3168.

**ATTENTION, LITURGICAL MINISTERS!** The new schedule is currently being prepared. If you will not be available to serve during April or May, please call or e-mail the Church Office by **Monday, March 19th**.

**RESTORATION CORNER:**

*Following in St. Joseph's Footsteps  
Restoration Progress*

Goal: \$1,720,240

Pledged (to date): \$1,824,483.67

Paid (to date): \$1,305,575.68

Due (to date): \$518,907.99

Stained Glass Window Shares Sold: 70 of 100

*Please continue to join your parish family in offering.*

**LISTEN TO CATHOLIC RADIO AM 820 THIS LENT** – Try something new this Lent and consider listening to Catholic Radio AM 820. Listening to AM 820 is a good way to deepen your knowledge and love of the Catholic faith!

**OFFERING:**  
March 11: \$7,532.34

**ADVERTISER OF THE WEEK:**



**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY:** In the Gospel today, Jesus says “Whoever serves me must follow me, and where I am, there also will my servant be. The Father will honor whoever serves me.” When we help the poor we are truly followers of Jesus, servant of the poor. Know that you are a sign of God’s love to those who are suffering and you give them Easter hope and joy.

**STATIONS AT THE CEMETERY:** On Palm Sunday, March 25th, at 1:15 p.m., the Spiritual Life Committee will be hosting Stations of the Cross. Meet at Station 1, and please, do not block the road when you park.

**PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL** nominations are ongoing. If you would like to nominate a parishioner (or yourself) for Parish Council membership, please notify a Parish Council member. Individuals who have been nominated and agree to possible membership will be invited to Parish Council meetings. Drawing of the names will be held on Pentecost Sunday. Deadline for nominations will be April 30th. Contact Suzanne Fosnaugh at (740) 474-4541 with any questions.

**Liturgical Ministers: March 24th & 25th**

***If you are unable to fulfill your responsibility, please be sure to find a replacement.***

**Servers, Lectors, and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion –**  
*Please check your name off the list at the back of the church when you arrive each week.*

**Saturday, March 24th, 5:00 p.m.**

Servers: Patrick Mascari, Xavier Mascari  
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:  
John Lake\*, Shirley Lake, Jim Schneider, Teri Mogan, Patricia Griffith  
Lectors: Grace Elliott (1,V), John Raterman (2,N)  
Ushers: David Crawford, Charles Estel, John Heffley, Deb Milstead  
Greeters: Teri Mogan, Sr. Monica Justinger

**Sunday, March 25th, 8:00 a.m.**

Servers: Paige Strawser, Jordan Rhymer  
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:  
Mary Lundberg\*, John Dossman, Doug Baker, Amy Goode, Linda Nutter  
Lectors: Ron Kazmierczak (1,V), Susan Metzger (2,N)  
Ushers: Vanessa Butterbaugh, Ron Butterbaugh, Merle Valentine, Krista Valentine, Kevin Collis  
Greeters: Jeff Daugherty, Tom Miner, Michelle Maskulinski

**Sunday, March 25th, 11:15 a.m.**

Servers: Anna Gill, Mick Skaggs  
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:  
Mike White\*, Rachel Martin, Pam Smith, Stephanie Morris, Anita Yaple  
Lectors: Brian Neff (1,V), Mary So (2,N)  
Ushers: David Corbett, John Stolarz, Michael D. Williams, Edward Sladek  
Greeters: The Huggett Family

**2018 STATIONS OF THE CROSS**

Friday, March 23	7:00 p.m.	Cemetery Board
Sunday, March 25	1:15 p.m.	At Cemetery, led by Spiritual Life Committee
Friday, March 30	7:30 p.m.	Tenebrae Service – Youth



will meet in the Church Hall Wednesday, March 21st. The topic will be *Holy Week* and the *Lord's Prayer* will be presented.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:** The Knights will be selling Spring Raffle tickets after the Palm Sunday Masses. Price per ticket is \$5.00 and proceeds will go to Elizabeth’s Hope Pregnancy Center.





## **Cheese & Pie Fund Raiser**

Orders can be picked up at the church on Thursday, March 29th.

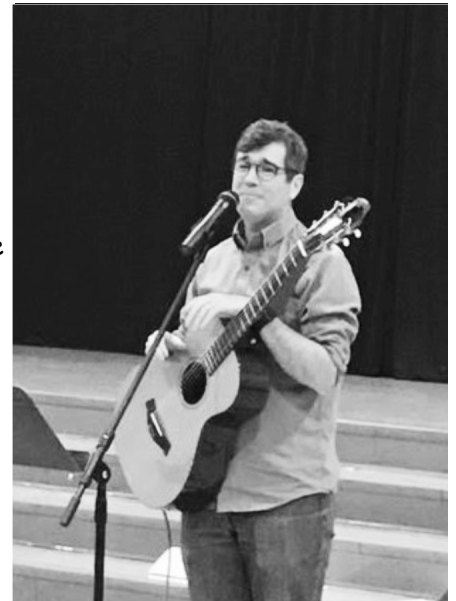
**Thank you** to all who supported our mission trip by purchasing cheese or pies.

### **High School Youth Conference — THEME: Rise to Joy!**

We had a great day at the youth conference last weekend. Bishop Campbell shared with the youth about how to live joyfully and how joy sustains us every day. Also, how we should look and act redeemed and joyful. Keynote speaker Bob Rice was amazing. He was entertaining and had a great message about living joyfully and how comparing ourselves to others is the quickest way to lose joy in life. He talked about knowing the 10 commandments, the saints, and that Jesus calls us by name and how if we go the way of the world we lose our name.

Pam Heil, an international speaker and resident of Dublin, Ohio was one of the most interesting workshop speakers. The youth in our group liked her workshop the best. She spoke of Finding Joy in Real Love. Happiness is fleeting, but joy is what God desires for us. She talked about real, loving relationships, and how they can bring joy to our lives. Love for Jesus, Love for others and love yourself. How our encounters can change the lives of others and ourselves. That we are all loved! Pam also did a parent workshop that I heard was very good!

We closed the day with Mass.



Speaker Bob Rice



All eyes were glued on the Bishop as he spoke of Joy.



**LOGO MEANING—JOY:** Jesus first, Others second, and then Yourself!

The circle with the cross also represents the Eucharist.



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# PASTORAL LETTER TO THE FAITHFUL OF THE DIOCESE OF COLUMBUS

My brothers and sisters in Jesus Christ,

The pattern itself of the Gospel readings appointed by the Church for the Sundays of Lent instructs us as to the meaning of Lent. Following a venerable tradition, the gospel for the first Sunday of Lent is always the account of Jesus in the desert and His victory over temptations to sin. As Jesus emerges from the desert to begin His public ministry, the first word He speaks is “repent.” The original Greek term is “metanoiete,” perhaps more expressively translated as “turn around.” In the Gospel reading for the Second Sunday of Lent, the account of the Transfiguration of the Lord, the Church turns our attention to the destiny of all who heed the call of Christ. As Jesus reveals His glory as the Son of God before the three chosen disciples on Mount Tabor, He also reveals the glory that will be ours if we follow Him faithfully with love and conviction. To attain to this glory is the purpose of our Lenten observances. On the succeeding Sundays of Lent, the Gospels meditate on the meaning of the mystery of the person of Jesus Christ.

Jesus entered our human reality not only to reveal God to us, but to reveal us to ourselves, to reveal our dignity as persons made in the image and likeness of God. This dignity, often marred by sin and obscured by forgetfulness, is restored through the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ. It is the promise of abundant and everlasting life, the source of true happiness and peace.

Such a proclamation of hope is the proper context for my message concerning a scourge that is afflicting our society and culture – that of drug addiction. This addiction has already taken thousands of lives throughout Ohio and in our nation. It is important that we face this plague with concern, understanding, involvement, and commitment. Several offices of the Diocese of Columbus, including Social Concerns, Catholic Schools, Religious Education, Youth and Young Adults, Marriage and Family Life, and Communications, have cooperated with community leaders in establishing a task force to gather information, to provide resources for help in overcoming addiction, and to develop strategies for eliminating the causes of addiction. These resources will be made available to all the parishes and all the faithful of the Diocese of Columbus. They will

be helpful in understanding this crisis, as well as directing people to the agencies offering assistance in overcoming addiction, and providing every parishioner with resources by which we can all help to face this challenge.

The challenge is a large one. To be candid, we live in a narcotic culture which seems to teach that the purpose of human life is pleasure and entertainment. It is a culture that often defines the worth of human persons in terms of their productive value and their usefulness, rather than their inherent dignity.

The Church has a unique role to play in this effort. We proclaim the power of God through Jesus Christ to overcome threats to human dignity. We announce the true destiny of all human life. Through the grace of God, we can turn from sin to a new life. We need not be kept in bondage to failure and addiction. Following the example of Christ, we teach a way of life that brings a true happiness, a way in which we are able to face difficulties with hope and to work for the common good with conviction.

We must be ready to accompany with concern all those in need. Our overriding message should be one of compassion, a readiness to assist, a commitment to strengthening the bonds of family life and community support, and a promise of new hope and a future worthy of human dignity. Our church can assure those affected by the drug crisis that they need not ever feel alone.

Please avail yourselves of the resources that have been assembled by the Diocesan task force, to be found through your parish or directly from the diocesan offices.

I earlier spoke of the first announcement of Jesus’ public ministry. It was a call to repentance or “metanoia,” “turning around.” The forty days of Lent are a gift to us by which we can more completely follow this command of Christ and prepare ourselves to enter into the glory of Easter. With the help of God, we can diminish this drug crisis and turn lives around by offering to our culture a new way of living, filled with promise and true happiness. We can become companions with those who need assistance along this path of hope.

Most Reverend Frederick F. Campbell  
*Bishop of Columbus*

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# RESPONDING TO THE DRUG ADDICTION EPIDEMIC

**You are not alone. There is hope.** Addiction is a chronic brain disorder from which people can and do recover. We must be ready to accompany all those in need. Our overriding message should be one of compassion, a readiness to assist, a commitment to strengthening the bonds of family life and community support, and a promise of new hope and a future worthy of human dignity. Our church can assure those affected by the drug crisis that they need not ever feel alone.

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## How do I keep my family safe?

- Start talking. Keep family members informed. Find resources at Start Talking! Ohio, [www.starttalking.ohio.gov](http://www.starttalking.ohio.gov).
- Engage in family life affirming activities.
- Talk to your doctor about safe pain management.
- Lock up medications at home.
- Properly dispose of unused prescription drugs, [www.pharmacy.ohio.gov/Pubs/DrugDisposalResources.aspx](http://www.pharmacy.ohio.gov/Pubs/DrugDisposalResources.aspx).

## What are the signs and symptoms?

- Constricted or enlarged pupils
- Drowsiness/excessive sleeping or overly alert/not sleeping
- Needle marks on arms or legs (possible infections)
- Change in moods (anxious, irritable)
- Isolation from family, friends and church
- Deceitful or secretive behavior
- Black smudges on light switches and vents
- Weight loss

## Do I suspect drug abuse? Step-by-Step Guides

- Visit [www.takechargeohio.org/Get-Help/Help-Someone](http://www.takechargeohio.org/Get-Help/Help-Someone)
- Call 1-877-275-6364 for information and referral.
- Contact your local ADAMH Board for resources in your area.

## In a crisis?

- Call 911. When you arrive at the hospital, you can ask for a social worker and assistance seeking addiction treatment.
- Text 4HOPE to 741741, a free, confidential, crisis text line.

## How do I identify treatment options?

- Visit [www.takechargeohio.org/Get-Help/Help-Someone](http://www.takechargeohio.org/Get-Help/Help-Someone)
- Contact your local ADAMH Board for resources in your area.

## Questions you can ask when looking for a treatment program.

- Does the program specialize in your specific drug(s) addiction?
- What kind of treatment is offered?
- What types of insurance are accepted?
- Is the treatment program either licensed by the state of Ohio, or certified by an accrediting body?
- How soon can treatment begin?

## I'm in rehab. What's next?

The Body of Christ needs everyone. We need you to be whole and healthy. Long term recovery is a journey. It may take place in a treatment center and a recovery house. Relapse is possible, but it doesn't mean treatment has failed. Try again and remain hopeful.

## How do I support recovery?

Take good care of yourself first. Accompany with compassion. As believers we are called to accompany individuals and family members on the journey to wholeness. Encourage ongoing participation in recovery programs. Attend or transport to counseling appointments or recovery meetings. Communicate and look for signs of relapse. Keep them in prayer.

## What gifts and talents do I have to support the parish in addressing this issue?

Everyone is called to help within his or her role and comfort level. Stay in your lane. Are you a counselor? Can you offer a support group for families? Are you an educator who can spread the appropriate message to parish groups? Can you help with material needs? Are you a first responder? Contact the parish office to offer your assistance.



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For online resources, please visit [www.columbuscatholic.org/drug-awareness](http://www.columbuscatholic.org/drug-awareness)