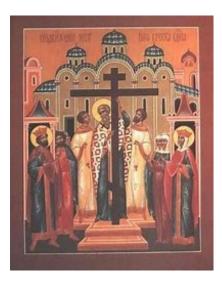
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C.O.O.L. NEWS

Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Monthly Newsletter



September 14 - The Exaltation of the Holy Cross



The Seven Sorrows of the Blessed Mother

1st Sorrow - Simeon's prophecy that a sword will pierce Mary's soul.

2nd Sorrow - The Flight into Egypt.

 3^{rd} Sorrow - The loss of the Child Jesus in the Temple of Jerusalem

4th Sorrow - The meeting of Jesus and Mary on the Way of the Cross

5th Sorrow - Mary witnesses the Crucifixion and the death of Jesus on the Cross.

 6^{th} Sorrow - The dead Body of Jesus is taken down and laid in the arms of His Holy Mother.

7th Sorrow - The Burial of Jesus, with Mary's tears and loneliness.

Editor's Note: From the book "In Sinu Jesu When Heart Speaks to Heart, The Journal of a Priest at Prayer," written by a Benedictine Monk, published in 2016. On page 184 the Blessed Mother speaks to the monk:

"This is my own Heart's eighth sorrow: the betrayal and neglect of my Son in the Most Holy Eucharist."

Mary also adds a chastisement (to all of us): "They betray Him when they allow His churches to become places of noise and worldly chatter, and when they do nothing to recall souls to the living mystery of His Love, that is His Presence in the Tabernacle."

September is the Month of the Sorrowful Mother



ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

FIRST FRIDAY, September 2, 2022 From 9:45 to Noon

ALL OTHER FRIDAYS

From 9:45 to 10:30am



This beautiful statue of Mary is located in the foyer of the Marionite Shrine, Our Lady of Lebanon, in North Jackson, Ohio. The picture was taken by David Diehl as he and Julie spent a couple of days touring two shrines in northern Ohio. They were celebrating Julie's birthday! What a great gift!

FEAST DAYS IN SEPTEMBER

September 2 - First Friday & St. Ingrid of Sweden

September 3 - First Saturday & St. Gregory the Great, *Pope, Doctor of the Church*

Monday - September 5 - St. Teresa of Calcutta / Labor Day -PARISH OFFICE CLOSED!

September 8 - The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

September 9 - St. Peter Claver, Priest

September 11th - PSR and RCIA sessions begin!

September 12 - The Most Holy Name of Mary

September 13 - St. John Chrysostom, *Bishop & Doctor of the Church*; the Anniversary of the 5th Apparition of Our Lady of Fatima

September 14 - The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

September 15 - Our Lady of Sorrows

September 16 - St. Cornelius, Pope, Martyr and St. Cyprian, Bishop Martyr

September 17 - St. Robert Bellarmine, *Bishop & Doctor of the Church & St.* Hildegard of Bingen, *Virgin & Church Doctor*

September 18 - St. Joseph of Cupertino, Priest

September 19 - St. Januarius, Bishop, Martyr

September 20 - St. Andrew Kim Tae-gon & St. Paul Chong Ha-sang, Companions & Martyrs

September 21 - St. Matthew, Apostle, Evangelist

September 22 - St. Thomas of Villanova, Bishop (Valencia, Spain)

September 23 - St. Pius of Pietrelcina, Priest (Padre Pio)

September 26 - Sts. Cosmas and Damian, Martyrs

September 27 - St. Vincent de Paul, Priest

September 28 - St. Wenceslaus, Ruler, Martyr & St. Lawrence Ruiz, *Martyr, Married Man and Companions, Martyrs*

September 29 - St. Michael, St. Gabriel, and St. Raphael, Archangels

September 30 - St. Jerome, Priest, Doctor of the Church

Grandparents Day September 11, 2022

The History of Grandparents Day

Marian McQuade hoped to establish a national day that would honor grandparents, and in 1970 she began a campaign to do so. McQuade raised awareness about senior citizens throughout the 1970s. In 1978, President Jimmy Carter declared the first Sunday after Labor Day to be National Grandparents Day. Each year, the president

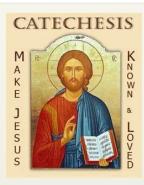
issues a proclamation to keep the tradition going.

Grandparents Day has both an official flower and song. Both were chosen by the National Grandparents Day Council.

*The official flower is the forget-me-not.

*The official song is Johnny Prill's "A Song for Grandma and Grandpa."

source:https://www.almanac.com/content/when-grandparents-day



RCIA Sessions Begin in September!

On Sunday, September 11, 2022 at 1:30pm in the Rectory Adult Ed Room, the RCIA team will begin weekly instruction in all aspects of the practices, history, elements, Sacraments, etc. of the Catholic Church.

We invite anyone and everyone who has an interest to come join us for great discussions and the opportunity to grow in the knowledge of our Catholic Faith and deepen their practice.

In these days that challenge our beliefs and our way of life a sure defense is to have a better understanding of what we believe and why we believe it! Hope to see you there!

Submitted by Elaine Sturm



PSR Begins on Sunday, September 11th

There will be two time options to help families with challenging schedules:

Option 1 - BEFORE MASS - from 9:00 - 9:45^{am}, finishing in time for Mass at 10:00^{am}.

Option 2 - AFTER MASS - from 11:15^{am} to 12:15^{pm}, immediately after Mass.

For Option 2, we are scheduling in conjunction with the Adult Ed Program so that parents can have the opportunity to attend the Bible Study program which begins at 11:15^{am} on Sundays!

The sign-up sheets are located on a table in the west lobby.

We are still looking for volunteers to assist with the Sunday program. Please consider this vital support for the children of our parish.

By Rea Okerberg

PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN SESSION FOR ADULTS IN SEPTEMBER

Where: St. Catharine (Columbus), 500 South Gould Road

When: Wednesday, September 7, 2022, 6:00 PM

Estimated time: 3 hours

Spaces remaining: 44 of 50 (check for availability) How to register?

Notes: Fingerprinting will be available from 5:00pm to 6:00pm. The PGC session begins promptly at 6:00pm and will take place in the Parish Center.

In keeping with VIRTUS policy, once the first video has begun no one will be admitted into the class. Go to: virtus.org for more information and to register for the September session.

Wheelchair accessible: Yes. Also, finger printing available.



A PRAYER FOR THE GIFT OF KNOWLEDGE

Absolute and all knowing God,
Nothing is hidden from Your sight.
In the prescience since the beginning,
All knowledge existed within You.
Kindly share Your knowledge with me,
Making me aware of what is meant to be,
Permitting my soul to understand it,
And wisdom to agree with its outcome.
Provide me with the gift of discretion,
To prudently apply received knowledge,
To ensure the fulfillment of Your Will.
Your knowledge shines forth forever!
Amen.

Adult Ed. Bible Study

Sundays in September (after the 10:00am Mass) our new program is Exodus



Monday nights at 6:30pm (in the rectory and on ZOOM)

Wednesday mornings at 10:00 (in the rectory and on ZOOM) Jesus, the Way, the Truth and the Life



Submitted by Joanne Farrell

Ministry Leaders' Meeting

The next Ministry Leaders Meeting will take place on Sunday, September 18 at 11:15am immediately after the 10:00am Mass.

All ministries should have a representative participating in this meeting as we are working out important activities and providing support for Fr. Coleman in the administration of the parish.

Fr. Coleman

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NOVENA TO OUR SORROWFUL MOTHER

These prayers are to be recited each day after the Novena.

Hail Mary.... Amen.

Prayer to our Sorrowful Mother for a particular grace:

O, mother most holy and sorrowful, Queen of Martyrs, you who stood by your Son as He agonized on the cross; by the sufferings of your life, by that sword of pain that pierced your heart, by your perfect joy in heaven, look down on me kindly as I kneel before you, sympathizing with your sorrows and offering you my petition with childlike trust.

Dear Mother, since your Son refuses you nothing, ask of His Sacred Heart to mercifully grant what I ask, through the merits of His sacred passion, along with those of your sufferings at the foot of the Cross.

Mother most merciful, to whom shall I go in my misery if not to you who pities us poor sinful exiles in this valley of tears? In our name, offer Jesus but one drop of His most Precious Blood, but one pang of His loving heart. Remind Him that you are our sweetness, our life and our hope, and your prayer will be heard. *Amen* **The Memorare:**

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to your protection, implored your help or sought your intercession, was left unaided. Inspired by this confidence, I fly unto you, O Virgin of Virgins, my Mother. To you do I come, before you I stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in your clemency, hear and answer me. *Amen*

First Day

Prayer in honor of the First Sorrow of Mary:

The Prophecy of Simeon

Most Sorrowful Mother, grief filled was your heart when, on offering your Divine Son at the Temple, Holy Simeon foretold that a sword would pierce your soul. There and then you knew you would suffer with Jesus.

Queen of Martyrs, let me unite my heart to yours in this pain, and ask you the grace to keep the thought of my death in mind, so I may always avoid sin.

Hail Mary...

Prayer to our Sorrowful Mother for a particular grace Memorare

Second Day

Prayer in honor of the Second Sorrow of Mary:

The Flight into Egypt

Most sorrowful Mother, Your mother's heart brimmed over with sorrow at the hate of Herod for your innocent Son. To save Him from the king's jealousy, you had to flee with Him to Egypt. Your heart also suffered at seeing the suffering of your holy spouse, Saint Joseph, at the prospect of taking the Divine Babe and you, his delicate spouse, into the wilderness and the unknown.



Queen of Martyrs let me unite my heart to yours in this sorrow, and obtain for me the grace to avoid those who wish me evil, above all evil to my soul. Let me avoid temptations and never leave the difficult but royal road to Heaven.

Hail Mary...

Prayer to our Sorrowful Mother for a particular grace Memorare

Third Day

Prayer in honor of the Third Sorrow of Mary:

The Loss of the child Jesus in the Temple

Most sorrowful Mother, grief, sorrow and anxiety filled your immaculate heart when you found you were separated from your Son on leaving Jerusalem.

For three days He remained lost to you and to your holy spouse. For three days you sought Him who was the light of your life. And for three days you failed to find Him.



Let me join you in this pain, O Queen of Martyrs, and obtain for me the grace to never lose Jesus through sin, but to stay united to Him by the help of His grace. If I have the misfortune of falling, may I never doubt His mercy and always return through the Sacrament of Confession, which He instituted.

Hail Mary...

Prayer to our Sorrowful Mother for a particular grace Memorare

Fourth Day

Prayer in honor of the Fourth Sorrow of Mary:

The Meeting of Mary and Jesus on the Way to Calvary

Most sorrowful Mother, who can fathom the grief of your heart when you saw your Son fall, wounded and bleeding under the crushing weight of the Cross, on the way to Calvary?

Queen of Martyrs, let me unite my heart to yours in this sorrow, and obtain for me the grace to bear patiently whatever cross God may see fit to send me.

Hail Mary...

Prayer to our Sorrowful Mother for a particular grace Memorare

Fifth Day

Prayer in honor of the Fifth Sorrow of Mary:

The Crucifixion and Death of Jesus

Most sorrowful Mother, standing by the Cross of Jesus, your heart was one great knot. And yet, you did not sit, you did not even lean, but stood as you watched Him suffer for the sins of the whole world—for my sins. Like Abraham, you offered the sacrifice standing up, consciously and willingly. In your case, you offered it for me, and for every sinner. Still, unlike Abraham, you stood and watched Him die. In your case, your perfect Son was not spared.



Queen of Martyrs, let me join you in this sorrow, and obtain for me the grace to fight against temptation and sin at the cost of effort, suffering and even life. When my turn comes, grant me, Mother, by your Jesus' death and your sacrifice, the grace to die in His holy Grace—the grace of a happy death.

Hail Mary...

Prayer to our Sorrowful Mother for a particular grace Memorare

Sixth Day

Prayer in honor of the Sixth Sorrow of Mary:

The Piercing of the Side of Jesus and His Descent from the

Most Sorrowful Mother, when your Son's body was lowered from the Cross and laid in your arms, sorrow filled your

Though now this sorrow had a note of relief, how painful it was for you to gaze on that body, formerly the seat of perfect life, health and beauty, gruesomely scarred, pale and lifeless.

Mother, Queen of Martyrs, let me join my heart to yours in this grief, and obtain for me to receive Jesus into my soul before I die, so I may join Him in Heaven forever.

Hail Marv...

Prayer to our Sorrowful Mother for a particular grace Memorare

Seventh Day

Prayer in honor of the Seventh Sorrow of Mary:

The Burial of Jesus

Most sorrowful Virgin, sorrow again filled your heart when the Sacred Body of your Son was taken from your arms, and placed in a cold grave. Yet you did not doubt that He would rise again.

Queen of Martyrs, let me join you in your sorrow, and grant me your own deep, trusting faith in the word of your

Son. Let me trust that even in suffering, even when all seems lost, with Jesus there is always a way out.

Obtain for me too, a sincere sorrow for all my sins, a burning love for my God, a tender devotion to you, so that one day, I may die in His grace and, with Him, rise to eternal life. Hail Mary...

Prayer to our Sorrowful Mother for a particular grace Memorare

Eighth Day

Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross, September 14 Sweet Mother of Sorrows, Providence wished that Saint Helena, like you the mother of a king, find the Cross of your Son and lavish honors on this relic of relics.**

Grant, me Sorrowful Queen and Mother that, like Saint Helena, I always honor the symbol of our salvation, the Cross. And like the Church, may I hold it high, display and wear it with gratitude and pride.

Above all, may I unite my sufferings to that of Jesus on the Cross, and carry

my crosses not in shame but in faith, love and patience as He did. The Church teaches that suffering thus carried and united to His, is never in vain, but a powerful, redemptive prayer. May I always believe it, so my life will always have meaning.

Hail Mary...

Prayer to our Sorrowful Mother for a particular grace Memorare

**(Saint Helena did this while on a pilgrimage to Jerusalem in the year 326 A.D. To celebrate this fact, the Catholic Church established the Feast of The Exaltation of the Holy Cross.)

Ninth Day

Feast of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of Sorrows

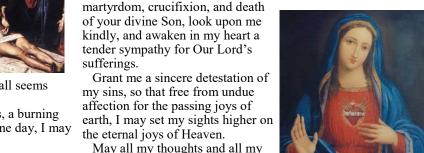
O most holy Virgin, Mother of our Lord Jesus Christ: by the overwhelming grief you experienced when you witnessed the

of your divine Son, look upon me kindly, and awaken in my heart a tender sympathy for Our Lord's sufferings.

actions be directed towards this one

great goal. Honor, glory, and love to our Divine Lord Jesus, and to the holy and immaculate Mother of God. Amen Hail Marv...

Prayer to our Sorrowful Mother for a particular grace Memorare



Stephen Ministry is looking for people who are interested in helping others!

Stephen Ministry is a one on one Christian caring ministry providing support to individuals. Stephen Ministers are trained listeners who can meet with an individual on a regular basis. Stephen Ministers work to care, encourage and provide emotional and spiritual

support to people who are going through a difficult time such as divorce, grief, hospitalization, unemployment, terminal illness, relocation, chronic illness or loneliness.

If you have a caring heart would like to share your time and your gift of empathy with another, this might be of interest to you. Preparations are under way for a class to begin in January of 2023. Feel free to contact Steve Mustard at 614-226-0525 with any questions or if you are interested.

Also, to learn more about Stephen Ministry, go to: https:// www.stephenministries.org/stephenministry/default.cfm/917?mnb=1

Fr. Coleman's 9 P's

profits possessions property pleasure prestige popularity prosperity privilege power

The 9 p's are good servants but **terrible** masters!

THE FINITE **ALWAYS** FAILS!



Monday



FLOWER MINISTRY:

We want to thank those persons who have responded to our Flower Ministry Program in August:

- August 7 in Memory of Bob Lewis & John Koebel;
- August 14 in honor of Mike Haffele's birthday;
- August 21 from an anonymous donor;
- August 28 in honor of Henry & Jean Filippi

Thank you for honoring your loved ones and thank you for helping us make our Altar beautiful!

Do you have flowers growing in your summer garden? Would you like to donate an arrangement to beautify the altar? Would you like to "sponsor" a floral arrangement in memory of a loved one? We need cut flowers and/or plants for the next 4 months, until Advent.

Specific information on how you can help is available in the west lobby. Your donations, specifically marked "for flowers" are much appreciated! Please fill in the date you would prefer to provide the flowers on the sign-up sheet. This is important so that we do not have duplications!

Submitted by Anne Grossman

Submit your article for the next C.O.O.L. NEWS to:

Editor in Chief Elaine Sturm at esturm.cool@sbcglobal.net

Or place your submission in the box marked "COOL NEWS" located in the sacristy DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION IS:

September 15th

Join us on the WEB and FACEBOOK! WEB:

CHURCHOFOURLADYCOLUMBUS.ORG FACEBOOK: FACEBOOK.COM/ COOLCOLUMBUS

Help Wanted - Volunteer/s Needed!

We currently have two ministries which are extremely important to the church and which are in need of volunteers to lead:

The first is Bereavement! While we have not provided the family meal service at funeral Masses since Covid, we are now coming to the point where we soon may be requested to do so. We owe Joe and Cathy Schaller (whose health no longer permits) a huge thank you for all the work they have done for our families in their time of sorrow; in the coordination, shopping and preparation required for the meals.

The next is Holiday Decorating. Mary Bishel can no longer coordinate the decorating activity for Thanksgiving, Christmas and Easter. She has reached out to the parish previously and a number of persons have expressed their willingness to be helpers, for which we are grateful, but we definitely need one person or a group who could take the reins for the coordination of these activities. The decorated church Altar brings beauty and depth to the Liturgies and this moves our hearts to praise - which is what the Liturgy is all about!

Mary has been working to organize the storage room including labeling all the various boxes and she has really streamlined the materials so that everything is now in one place.

We know these ministries sound daunting, but God always provides joy when we reach beyond our comfort zone to "do something good for Jesus," *St. Teresa of Calcutta.*Submitted by Fr. Coleman



TO PURCHASE TICKETS, SPONSOR OR PREVIEW AUCTION ITEMS, PLEASE VISIT: HTTPS://ONE.BIDPAL.NET/CHAMPIONS

The Brian Muha Foundation memorializes Brian Muha, a graduate of St. Charles Preparatory School and student at Franciscan University, who was killed in a random act of violence at the age of 19, twenty-three years ago. The foundation honors his kind and charitable spirit by helping others who are in need. The Run the Race Club (RTR) was started by Brian's mother, Rachel Muha, and the foundation. RTR offers a safe and loving atmosphere on Columbus' West Side (The Hilltop) where children can go to play, learn and study. RTR provides education, clothing, food, furniture, toys and more to families in our community, at no cost. The Muha Foundation is able to help others continue to 'Run the Race' through its generous donors and fundraising events such as the annual 'Night of Champions'.

HTTPS://BRIANMUHAFOUNDATION.ORG

"Every expression of true beauty can be acknowledged as a path leading to an encounter with the Lord Jesus." Pope Francis

What is Alpha?

Alpha is a weekly series that runs for ten weeks a plus retreat session. It consists of an Alpha video and discussion. Each weekly session will deal with questions about life and the Christian Faith. It is open to anyone regardless of current religious affiliation and will benefit you no matter where you are on your faith journey.

Date and Time Wednesday Evenings September 7 - November 16, 2022 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm

Retreat October 15, 2022 8:00 am - 4:00 pm

Father Coleman's plan for Alpha is that a number of persons from Our Lady will attend these sessions at Seton Parish in order that we might be able to bring it back here to our own parish in the not too distant future.

If you are interested in growing your participation here at Our Lady, this series might just be the start you are looking for. For more information and to register go to: https://www.setonparish.com/alpha

Mary's Prayer Corner

I have been thinking a lot about all our friends who have died in recent years and how much I miss them. I'm sure you feel that sometimes as well. Please pray for them and ask them to pray for us. I believe they can only pray for us if we ask them to. I know I could use prayers. We could all use prayers; America can certainly use prayers; the world definitely needs prayer.

So please pray: Eternal rest grant onto them O Lord and let Perpetual Light shine upon them. May the souls of the dearly departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.

My Holy Spirit Inspired Prayer: I plead the Precious Blood of Jesus over: (Name, situation, cause or place) For God's truth to prevail; flaws to be mended; corruption exposed and sinners to repent, convert and atone for their lives; that Thy will be done and Thy justice served. In Jesus Name I pray. Amen.

Blessings, Mary Bishel

Children of Mary Sisters "Torch Bearers" Retreat "Come, Let Us Magnify The Lord!"

For girls ages 8 – 18, held August 9 - 11.

I had the privilege of chaperoning with a bird's eye view of an amazing, fun, educational, entertaining, and deeply moving and transformational experience for those who attended. The Children of Mary gave a glimpse into the day of the sisters' lives as the girls woke up at 6:00am for breakfast and had a very busy day with many activities including Divine Office Morning Prayer, group teachings, Divine Office Afternoon Prayer, Divine Mercy Chaplet, crafts, Rosary, Adoration,









Mass, choir practice and teachings according to group ages.

All the girls shared meals with the sisters and comfortably talked at the table with the sisters and each other. Many new friendships were formed. It was a Holy Spirit moved encounter with Jesus and Mary as the sisters lovingly taught many lessons about virtues and how to "magnify the Lord" as Mary did, the Rosary as a weapon, "We become 'Torch Bearers' by trusting, loving and obeying."

The Scripture for the retreat was: "Love bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, Love never fails." Corinthians 13:7

So, gather your daughters and granddaughters and plan to bring them next year. The cost this was 50.00/child, so you can budget for it. It was so worth it!

Submitted by Cheryl Shroyer



PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR PRIESTS!

Submitted by Fr. Coleman

The Chaplet of Reparation

Or

Offering of the Precious Blood for Priests

The chaplet of reparation and intercession is meant to be prayed on an ordinary five-decade rosary.

NCLINE ★ UNTO MY AID, O GOD; O Lord, make haste to help me. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Alleluia (During Lent: Praise be to Thee, O Lord, King of eternal Glory.)

On the 'Our Father' beads:

Eternal Father, I offer Thee the Precious Blood of Thy Beloved Son, our Lord Jesus Christ the Lamb without blemish or spot, in reparation for my sins and for the sins of all Thy priests.

On the 'Hail Mary' beads:

By Thy Precious Blood, O Jesus, purify and sanctify Thy priests. In place of the 'Glory be to the Father':

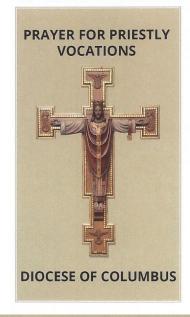
O Father, from whom all fatherhood in Heaven and on Earth is named, have mercy on all Thy priests, and wash them in the Blood of the Lamb.

This prayer comes from THE CHAPLET OF REPARATION and OTHER PRAYERS "In Sinu Jesu" Angelico Press, Ltd. © 2018

ACTIVE DIOCESAN PRIESTS 2022-23 FOR YOUR PRAYERS

- 1. Reverend William Arnold
- 2. Reverend Brian R. Beal
- 3. Reverend James P. Black
- 4. Reverend Paul J. Brandimarti
- 5. Reverend Frank A. Brown
- 6. Reverend Thomas J. Buffer
- 7. Reverend Antonio Carvalho
- 8. Reverend James Coleman
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- 17. Reverend Craig R. Eilerman
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- 71. Reverend Adam Streitenberger
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- 74. Reverend Kyle A. Tennant
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- 80. Reverend Nicola D. Ventura
- 81. Reverend Michael B. Watson
- 82. Reverend Jonathan Wilson
- 83. Reverend Joseph Yokum
- 84. Reverend David J. Young



Lord Jesus Christ, Savior of the world, show forth, we beseech You, in Your Church the Holy Spirit with whose power the apostles were so abundantly filled. We thank You for the blessings bestowed on the work of priests; and we pray that You will add to the number of those who now pray, labor, and sacrifice themselves for Your glory and the salvation of souls. Give them unselfish zeal for Your glory. O good Jesus, give us more priests after Your own Heart! Amen.

Holy Name of Mary

We venerate the name of Mary because it belongs to her who is the Mother of God, the holiest of creatures, the Queen of Heaven and Earth, the Mother of Mercy. The object of the feast is the Holy Virgin bearing the name of *Mirjam* (Mary); the feast commemorates all the privileges given to Mary by God and all the graces we have received through her



intercession and mediation. It was instituted in 1513 at Cuenca in Spain, and assigned with proper Office to 15 Sept., the octave day of Mary's Nativity.

Between 1587 and 1658 the feast was moved to different dates and authorized in various areas of Spain; in 1671 it was granted to all of Spain and also to the Kingdom of Naples.

After the siege of Vienna and the glorious victory of Sobieski over the Turks (12 Sept., 1683), the feast was extended to the Universal Church by Pope Innocent XI, and assigned to the Sunday after the Nativity of Mary by a Decree of 25 Nov., 1683 (duplex majus).

According to a Decree of July 8, 1908, whenever this feast cannot be celebrated on its proper Sunday on account of the occurrence of some feast of a higher rank, it must be kept on Sept,12, the day on which the victory of Sobieski is commemorated in the Roman Martyrology (A catalogue or list of martyrs and other saints and beati arranged in the calendar order of their anniversaries or feasts.)

source: https://www.newadvent.org/cathen/10673b.htm

Franciscan University's Catechetical Institute

Through the efforts of the diocese, Church of Our Lady has been registered with the Catechetical Institute in order to provide ongoing evangelization and catechesis opportunities to our parishioners.

The Catechetical Institute will serve as our primary method

"PRESENCE"

The 2022 Columbus
Catholic Young Adult
Conference on
Saturday, October
15th at St. John
Neumann in

This is a one-day conference that can have a long-term,

Sunbury



positive impact on both participants and their peers whose lives they go on to touch. *Please join us in our mission to empower young adults to transform their communities through their identity in Christ.* We just need a little help getting the word out to every young adult in our diocese (and beyond)!

Admission costs only \$35 for full day of prayer, fellowship and amazing content relevant to all Catholics ages 18-35: married, single, male or female.

- Keynotes by Fr. Michael Fulton from Christ the King parish and Kim Zember from Overcome Ministries.
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- Fellowship over lunch and dinner (optional) to get to know other young adults who share our faith. Small group discussion time to process and share new understanding and faith experiences.

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for catechist formation. To log into the system and see the course offerings, use this link https://franciscanathome.com/diocese-columbus and select the middle blue button that says "My parish or school is already registered and I would like to set up my free account under that institution."

Submitted by Fr. Coleman

Music Ministry News

Congratulations to Jen Sweeney who has accepted the position of full time organist at Newark, St. Francis Parish.

Twelve years ago, the Sweeney's were looking for a parish with a diverse population. Baby Mya would be baptized there and Church of Our Lady seemed to fit the family very well. Soon after that, Jen started playing the piano at COOL.

She has enjoyed working with everyone over the last ten years, and found a special joy working with Lisa Gresko and our Praise Team.

Although she wasn't looking for a change, Jen is excited

for this new position as she will expand her ability and stretch her talent even more by playing the organ.

She is thankful for her years at Church of Our Lady and notes that it has been a great learning experience as well.



We will miss her and her beautiful contribution to our music ministry! May God bless Jen and the whole Sweeney family!

Submitted by Anne Grossman

Saint Lawrence Ruiz and Companions, Martyrs c. 1600-1637

September 28—Optional Memorial Patron Saints of the Philippines

A married father remains unbroken under the cruelest torture Many lesser-known faces in the deep audience of saints bask in the soft glow of sanctity emanating from the more prominent "marquee" saints standing on stage. In the Church's calendar of saints, these more obscure observers of the principle action are often classified as "companions." They can encompass dozens, or even hundreds, of men and women on a given feast day. Lawrence Ruiz, is commemorated along with fifteen just such "companions," in this case mostly missionary priests. Interestingly, Saint Lawrence is not the companion to the priests who were martyred. The priests, instead, are listed as Lawrence's companions. The married Lawrence is on stage while his companion priest martyrs are in the audience.

Saint Lawrence was born of a Chinese father and a Filipino mother, both of whom were Catholic. Growing up in the Philippines, he served as an altar boy, was educated by Dominican priests, and belonged to a fraternal society dedicated to the Holy Rosary. Since Lawrence was an educated and careful writer in a largely illiterate culture, he became a clerk and a calligrapher. He married a woman named Rosario, and they had three children. He and his family lived an ordinary, secure, peaceful life of faith.

As 1636 dawned, there was no reason to guess that Lawrence would continue living anything other than a quiet life focused on home and work. Then, everything suddenly and drastically changed. Lawrence was implicated, falsely, in the death of a Spaniard. It was a charge so serious he had to flee the Archipelago. Through his friendships with priests, he was invited to board a ship with three Dominicans, a Japanese priest, and a layman. In June of 1636, the small vessel sailed for Japan, a hornet's nest buzzing with anti-Catholic persecution. The ship intended to land in a peaceful region devoid of persecution, but instead errantly docked in Okinawa at the worst possible moment. Feudal Japanese Shoguns were out for the blood of Catholics, and the missionaries walked right into their tight grip. They spent over a year in prison before, along with still more Catholic prisoners, they were marched to Nagasaki for the inevitable slur against their deepest beliefs.

The Japanese had devised torture techniques carefully calibrated to elicit maximum agony and the renunciation of the faith. On



September 27, 1637, the prisoners had huge amounts of water poured down their throats, were covered with boards, and then stepped on by guards, forcing the water to spurt out of their mouths, noses, and ears. Then they were tightly bound, with one hand free in case they wanted to signal renunciation of the faith, and hung upside down over a pit. Heavy stones were tied to their bodies to draw blood more quickly down into their torsos and skulls. As the red liquid painfully pressurized their cranial sacs, the torturers strategically cut the

victim's heads to release the collected blood. This prevented the loss of consciousness and prolonged the throbbing pain. Amidst this anguish, no one broke. No one renounced their faith. No one cried out for relief. Mental images of mother and father, of smiling wife and children, of home, the fireplace, and warm embraces, did not prevail. It was God or death. Lawrence's reputed last words were "I am a Catholic and wholeheartedly accept death for God; Had I a thousand lives, all these I would offer to God."

As their chest cavities filled with blood, the victims' hearts could pump no more. Lawrence suffocated to death within a day or two. Some of the priests did not succumb as quickly and were beheaded. Lawrence's fifteen companions were Japanese, Spanish, French, and Italian priests, a few consecrated women, and laymen, almost all Dominicans. Their bodies were burned and their ashes scattered in the Pacific Ocean. Lawrence was beatified in 1981 in Manila, the first beatification performed outside the city of Rome. After a Philippina baby with hydrocephalus (water on the brain), was cured through his intercession, Saint Lawrence was canonized by Pope Saint John Paul II in 1987. He is the protomartyr of the only Catholic nation in Asia, the Philippines.

Saint Lawrence, you were a married father yet forsook return to your earthly home to win a more glorious home in Heaven. Help all fathers to be generous in quiet and in tumultuous times, to persevere in small things so they are able to display fortitude in great things.

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National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children September 10, 2022

By participating in the National Day of Remembrance, visiting these solemn memorial places at other times of the year, and spreading the word about this prayer campaign, you are helping to humanize our aborted brothers and sisters and deepening your own commitment

to ending the injustice of abortion. The National Day of Remembrance also offers hope and healing to women who have had abortions and others who have been hurt by abortion.

Now that *Roe v. Wade* has been overturned, it is crucial that we continue to mourn the millions of lives lost to abortion, and repent of the national sin of abortion, even as we begin the project of extending legal protection to unborn children in every state we can. If you can't make it to a cemetery, please visit the memorial here at Church Of Our Lady and say prayers for the unborn.

https://nationaldayofremembrance.org/about/

Eucharistic Revival Update !!!

To participate in the VIRTUAL Eucharistic Revival Conference, September 22-24 go to: https://go.virtualcatholicconference.com/ERC22?r done=1

By registering for this free virtual conference, you will discover...

- How you and your family can get the most out of this season of Eucharistic Revival,
- What it means to be a truly Eucharistic people,
- The intention behind the larger revival in the Universal Church, and what you might find at the diocesan and parish levels
- How to be Eucharistic in your school, parish, homes, and family,
- Ways that you can become a catalyst for revival for those closest to you,
- How this Eucharistic Revival intends to transform the way we evangelize in today's Church.

Knight's News

The Council is selling tickets for the **State Council's Football Crazr** Sweepstakes.

Chances are only \$20 and give each buyer 10 opportunities to win up to \$400 each week based on the scores of selected NFL games for 10 weeks from 11/06/2022 through 01/08/2023.

Ask any member of the Knights of Columbus for tickets, which are on sale from now until October, 31st.

St. Vincent de

Paul update

In July we had six requests for assistance. for rent, utilities, food. In August we had four



requests rent, food, and lodging so far . I want to thank everyone who continues to support our mission to help those in need. God bless you.

Here is THE information for the "2022 Walk For The Poor" in Columbus:

September 24, 2022 9:20 AM

Go to Diocese Of Columbus SVDP 2022 FOP Walk

to REGISTER or DONATE.

St. Charles Preparatory School (Athletic Track) 61 N. Nelson Rd Columbus, OH 43219

George Medary President of SVDP at Miraculous medal.



Scan the QR Code above below with your phone camera, then tap to open link for Online Donation.

Look for it in our weekly bulletin!



Men of the Medal



Tony Bishel led the August meeting as we discussed "The Rosary." We watched a video from Fr. Donald Calloway as he explained the history and importance of praying with this powerful weapon.

Amazingly, this weekend, the Atlantic Magazine ran an article calling the 'Rosary "an extremist symbol"' and compared it to an AR-15. The article in fact was not positive about the Rosary or Traditional Catholics.

The Rosary is **powerful** and many fear it. If you haven't picked up one of Fr. Coleman's Rosary books, I suggest you try it. We urge you to pray the Rosary, meditate on the life of Jesus so that you will grow in your devotion. Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal, "Pray for us."

Submitted by Patrick Shroyer

Fr. Coleman's Calendar