

3/4 Oct 2009

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Prayer Corner

Mass Intentions for the Week:

Oct. 3	Sat	5:00 PM	Mary Miller: Marge Nagler
Oct. 4	Sun	8:00 AM	People of the Parish
		11:00 AM	
Oct. 5	Mon	9:00 AM	Larry & Jackie Arnold (13th Ann. Of Death): Neil & Carolyn Alloway
Oct. 6	Tues	6:00 PM	
Oct. 7	Wed	9:00 AM	
		6:00 PM	
Oct. 8	Thurs		No daily mass
Oct. 9	Fri	9:00 AM	People of the Parish
Oct.10	Sat	5:00 PM	Maria Jansen (surgery): Sister, Freidel Barrett & Family
Oct.11	Sun	8:00 AM	Harry & Dorothy Gray—67th Anniversary: Lynn Pierce
		11:00 AM	John "Bud" Keenan (11th Ann. Of Death): Mother, Doris Keenan

Please Pray for our:

- **Sick:** Jack Bonnette, Benjamin Roseland (Iowa); Ryan Barrett
Elsie Gressel, Judy Bonnette, Nancy Rowan, Julie Button
- **Shut-ins:** H. Cipollina, D. Gray, G. Heintz, M. Hussion, A. Mason,
J. Ruth, A. Salmons; Margaret Nagler
- **Military in Iraq/Afghanistan:** Joey Marcinko, Rick Rhodes (Kuwait), Tony Little, Tony Maslany,
Richie Adams, Justin Bartlett
- **Priests:** 10/4: Bishop Albert H. Ottenweller; 10/5: Msgr. John Michael Campbell;
10/6: Msgr. William Cornelius; 10/7: Rev. David L. Gaydosik; 10/8: Rev. Daniel Heusel;
10/9: Rev. Robert A. Gallagher; 10/10: Rev. Richard J. Tuttle; 10/11: Rev. Paul J. Walker



10/11 Oct	LECTOR	EME	SERVERS	USHERS	GREETERS
5:00 PM	J Clark	C Wilsbacher, G Sims, S Anstatt, R Houser, D McNamee	M Penco, E Clark, D Banziger	D Bowen, G Augenstein	J Johnson, C Hannah
8:00 AM	J Logue	L Pierce, B Hennen, R Cleveland	M & D Hill, T Pennell	L Schwendeman, M Aquino	A Huck, P Huck
11:00 AM	B Powderly Children's Liturgy M Clatterbuck	M Cumberledge, D Hughes, K Hannah, C Ryan, S LeFebvre	M & L Drayer, K Macchia, T Strahler	R Strahler, J Wise	L Summerfield, M Weinheimer


Included in this month's packet of envelopes you will notice a new category; its called **Scholarship Fund for local Catholic Schools**. This is included as an alternative to "Immaculate Heart Fund" that the diocese operates. Most of our children in Catholic Schools go to Parkersburg and our diocese will not assist those going to school outside the diocese. The money from this new envelop will be kept in the parish and once it builds up a useable amount we will try to provide assistance to families in our parish regardless of which Catholic school they attend. You are, of course, welcome to contribute to the diocesan fund if you prefer.

From the CWC:

- Don't forget the **Christmas shoe boxes!** Our goal is to fill at 150 again this year. The boxes and the small donated items can be placed in the Gathering Area. New items only. It cost \$4.00 to ship each box so we will gladly accept cash donations also.
- At the CWC meeting on Oct. 7 they will be **preparing the shoeboxes** for the Christmas Child Project. Everyone's help is welcome!
- The CWC will be selling the **new St Ambrose shirt** for one more week. If you have already ordered your shirt, please try to get you payment in as soon as possible.
- During the Year of the Priest, the Diocesan Council of Catholic Women has established an **"Adopt a Priest in Prayer"** program. All women of the parish are invited to "adopt a priest" by selecting a card and praying for the priest named there. Cards will be available from the CWC in the near future.

AROUND THE AREA

Oct 4 Sunday 10:30 AM - 1:30 PM	Corpus Christi Church in Belle Valley holds their annual Hog Roast . Roast pork and cabbage roll dinners; crafts, a raffle and a bake sale! Everyone is invited
Oct 4 Sunday 9:00 AM - 12:30 PM	The St Francis Xavier Gabriel Project will sponsor a pancake breakfast at the parish center, 609 Market Street, Parkersburg. Adults \$6, Kids \$4, under 3 –free.
Oct 10 Sat	Walk for Life sponsored by Women's Care Center; call 304-485-7122 for more info
Oct 11 Sun 3:30 PM - 7:30 PM	St Mary School Festival: Chicken dinner; live auction; over \$4000 in prizes with \$1000 Grand prize. Located at 3rd & Marion, Marietta
Oct 16-18	World Wide Marriage Encounter at the Best Western in Austintown, OH. For reservations or more information call 330-305-9963
Oct 22-24 Thurs - Sunday	The Josephinum Seminary in Columbus will host a Live-In for young men [Jr or Sr in High School] who are interested in learning more about seminary life. There is no charge; to register contact the Vocations Office at 740-282-0646 or tshan-non@diosteub.org before 11 Oct.
Oct 24 Sat 10:00 AM	The Bishop Hartley Assembly of the 4th Degree will hold an exemplification at St John's Churchtown. If you are interested in becoming a 4th degree, call Bob Byers 740-373-7154
Nov 8 Sunday 1:00 PM	The Parkersburg K of C and Serra Club are sponsoring an altar server recognition lunch at the K of C Hall. For more information, contact Gary Milliman: 304-615-2213

Date	Coming Events For the Parish
Sun 4 Oct	Life Chain in Belpre on Washington Blvd: Washington County Right to Life
9:15	Confirmation Class in rooms A/B
9:15	Parents' HOT TOPIC discussion session in the social hall: "Empowering your kids to live up to their potential."
Mon 5 Oct	Our next Parish Council meets at 7:00 PM
5-10 Oct	Last set of sessions of photo taking for the new directory.
Wed 7 Oct 7:00 PM	CWC meeting; they will be preparing the Christmas Child shoeboxes and would welcome your help. [Adult Ed class moves to Thursday this week]
Thurs 8 Oct 6:00 PM	Adult Education class moves to Thursday for this week only to accommodate conflicting schedules. Class time moves to 6:00 PM for this one class only. Topic : Eastern Religions and "New Age" Cults
Sun 18 Oct Noon-7:00 PM	Diocesan Youth Rally here at St Ambrose. We will need your help with food, parking and setup. Signup sheet will be available soon.
Sun 25 Oct	PARISH OX ROAST — This is our big fundraiser and we count on your help to get it set up, serving and cleanup. 

The **Funnel Cake Booth at the Barlow Fair** made about \$850; not bad considering they lost a whole day to the rains. Thanks to all those who help with this project!

Life Teen Food Drive

St Ambrose Life Teen will be collecting non-perishable food items from Sat Sept 19 through Sunday Oct 11. You may leave donations in the Gathering Area. Thank you



People to Contact:

- **Parish Council *** Lynn Pierce 678-8344
 - Religious Education Joan Smith 374-0848
 - Youth Ministry Tim Wise 863-9244
 - Retreat House Sr. Mariel Kreuziger 667-0100
 - Music Ministry Vernola Augenstein 423-8344
 - CWC Marsha Hutson 304-489-2961
 - Men's Club Bill Mills 678-2053
 - Prayer Share [Men] Charlie Wilsbacher 423-6475
 - Prayer Share [Women] June Logue 423-7364
 - Prayer Line 989-2615 / 423-7364 / 989-2831 / 423-9784
 - Parish Partners Pat - 423-9784 Sue - 423-5260
- * **Other Council Members:** ; R. Cleveland; J. Hall; D Segrest R Macchia; L. Pierce; C Kubala; J Bowe, R Rauch

From June Logue:

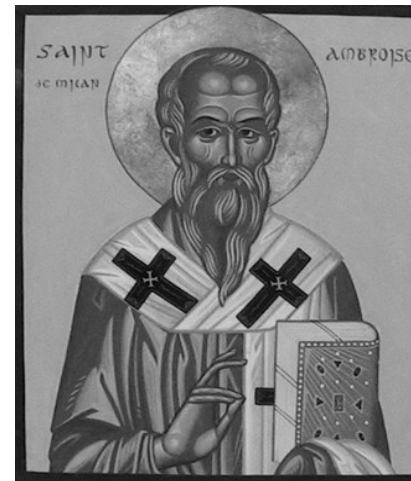
We are very pleased with the interest in the **Women's Prayer/Share Group** but our group has reached capacity. Quality sharing requires us to keep membership small. However, if you are interested in joining a **women's group or perhaps a couples group**, please give me a call [740-423-7364] and I will be happy to get you started.

K of C Ladies: there are a few seats left for a **trolley tour of Marietta** on Sat, 24 Oct, at 10:00 AM. Cost is \$25. Contact Bob Byers at 740-373-7154.

**Your contributions for
Sept 26/27
\$ 3605.00**

St Ambrose Church

5080 School House Road, Little Hocking OH 45742



Mass: Saturday: 5:00 pm
Sunday: 8:00 am
11:00 am
Mon/Wed/Fri: 9:00 am
Tues & Wed: 6:00 pm
Holy Days as announced in bulletin
Reconciliation:
Saturdays 4:10 - 4:40 pm
1st Sunday of month 7:10 - 7:40 am
10:10 - 10:40 am



Parish Offices: 740-423-7422
Pastor: Fr Bob Gallagher
Parish Secretary: Vernola Augenstein
For routine parish business or to inquire about renting Ambrose Hall, call weekdays from 10:00 am - 1:00 pm, **except Thurs. when Parish offices are closed.**
Rectory Phone: 740-
FAX: 740-423-4776
Web site: www.stambroseohio.org
Sacred Heart Retreat House:
Contact Sr. Mariel 740-667-0100
Religious Education:
• Pre-K through 6th: Sundays 9:15-10:45
• EDGE [7&8th] and LIFETEEN [9 - 12th] Sundays 6:00 - 7:30 pm
• Adults: as scheduled in bulletin
• RCIA: Tuesday at 7:00 pm
• Confirmation class: 2nd Sundays 9:15
Contact Joan Smith 740-374-0848

Marriage: See pastor 6 months prior for counseling

Baptism: Parents must attend class before scheduling

Choir Practice: Thursdays; 7:00 pm

Men's Prayer : 1st /3rd Sun 7:00 pm

Women's Prayer: see bulletin

Parish Council: see bulletin for meeting time
Contact Lynn Pierce 740-678-8344