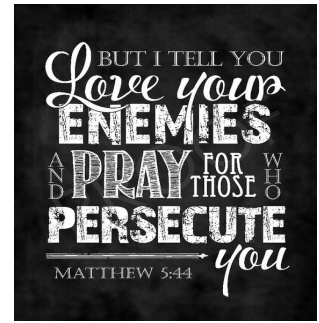


THE SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

February 19 to February 26, 2023



<u>Weekend Masses:</u>		
Sunday	Feb 19	SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
	9am	Mass at St. Andrew, Sheffield
SFC	11am	<i>Julius Cebasek</i> by son, Tom & Cathy Cebasek
<u>Weekday Masses:</u>		
Monday	Feb 20	Weekday
SFC	8am	<i>Harry Gustafson, Sr.</i> by Bill & Linda Kehoe
Tuesday	Feb 21	Weekday
SFC	8am	<i>Cliff Carr</i> by Family
Wednesday	Feb 22	ASH WEDNESDAY
	10am	Mass at St. Andrew, Sheffield
SFC	6:30pm	<i>People of the Parish</i>
Thursday	Feb 23	Thursday After Ash Wednesday
SFC	8am	<i>Stephanie Shields</i> by Charles A. Rose
Friday	Feb 24	Friday After Ash Wednesday
	9am	Mass at St. Andrew, Sheffield
<u>Weekend Masses:</u>		
Sunday	Feb 26	FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT
	9am	Mass at St. Andrew, Sheffield
SFC	11am	<i>Pete Iarocci</i> by Nick & Jenny Sanford

11am Mass will be Live-Streamed on Facebook & YouTube

There are open dates during the week for Mass intentions for your loved ones. Please call or send your intentions to the Parish Office.

Lectors for February: Lori Jury & Scott Gerdes

If you would like to receive the bulletin by email, send your request to stmsfc@hotmail.com. The bulletin is also available online at: corpuschristiparishconneaut.org

Corpus Christi parishioners attending Mass at neighboring parishes can still use your parish envelope. Just drop it in the basket of the Church you are attending and the envelopes will come back to us.

If you are from another parish and visiting, you can use your home parish envelope and it will be sent there.

The Parish Center is open weekday mornings at 9:30am Mon-Thurs if you would like to walk in the hall.

For a copy of your **2022 Contribution Statement**, please call or email the parish office.

St. Joseph Cemetery is looking for a groundskeeper for the upcoming season, April – October. Would be responsible for mowing/weed whacking and the general maintenance and upkeep of the Cemetery grounds. If you are interested, please send a letter of interest to Nick Perkoski at the Parish Office.

Sanctuary Candles

In Memory of:

John Kapella

by sister, Susan

Uncle Anthony “Chic” &

Aunt Mary Lou Ciccone

by Deacon Nick & Lisa Iarocci

Anthony E. Zappitelli

Memorial Anniversary 2/22/2021

by wife, Carole & Family

Anthony Emil Zappitelli

2nd Memorial Anniversary

by Ken, Trisha, Lindsey & Griffin

Obermeyer

Health & Welfare of:

Jim & Monica Gribus

by Deacon Nick & Lisa Iarocci

THIS WEEK

PC – Parish Center; PO - Parish Office

Monday, Feb 20

6pm Men’s Group, PC

Wednesday, Feb 22

Ash Wednesday- Office Closed

Friday, Feb 24

4pm Stations of the Cross SFC

4:30-6:30pm Fish Dinner, PC

Saturday, Feb 25

9-10am Confessions, SAB

Sunday, Feb 26

9am Faith Formation Students and Families attend Mass at St. Andrew followed by Stations of the Cross and Family Gathering at St. Andrew Hall

Confessions

Saturdays / 9-10am

1st & 3rd weeks – St. Frances Cabrini

2nd & 4th weeks – St. Andrew

No Confessions on 5th week

Time, Talent & Treasure

Faithful Stewards:

Supporting our Parish Mission

"But I say to you, love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you..." MATTHEW 5:44

Love your enemies, easier said than done. But, remember, the foundation of stewardship is prayer. When we are in close communication with God, it opens our heart and it turns our attention away from "me" and moves it towards God and others.

It changes my heart and actions, allowing for a little more empathy for "my enemy." When we pray for others, even our enemies, it may soften their hearts as well.

Parish Sacrificial Giving

Sunday 02/12/2023	\$3,393.50	78 Envelopes
Electronic Giving	720	6 On-Line
Loose Cash	239	
Total:	\$4,352.50	

Thank you for your continued generosity!

Vocations: *"Do you not know that you are the temple of God, and that the Spirit of God dwells in you?"* Cooperate with the Holy Spirit to discern God's will. Are you being called to serve the Lord and others in the consecrated life or priesthood? Contact Fr. Chad Johnson at 330/744-8451 or email cjohnson@youngstowndiocese.org

Faith Formation

"Love was in the air" last weekend. The children created Valentines as a community service project for the residents of Saybrook Landing. The Valentines were delivered on Valentine's Day.

The Family Day Breakfast was all about Valentine's Day and Lent. Families learned about Saint Valentine and created hearts for Lent to show their love to others. Children were given their Lenten Booklets and other Lenten materials. Lent begins on Wednesday, Feb. 22.

Thank you to the families that attended the breakfast. Thank you to **Taylor Cleveland, Louise Cleveland and Lisa Hanson** who prepared a special Valentine's Day Breakfast for the families.

Next weekend, Sunday, Feb. 26, Faith Formation will be at Saint Andrew's Parish. The families will attend 9am Mass. Following Mass, Deacon Iarocci will lead the families in praying the Stations of the Cross. Refreshments will be served after the Stations of the Cross.

March 5 - Faith Formation

March 12 - Faith Formation / Communion Parent Meeting. The meeting will be at Corpus Christi Parish Center at 9:30am. This meeting is ONLY for parents of students from St. Andrew's and Corpus Christi.

March 19 - Faith Formation

March 26 - Students and families attend 9am Mass at St. Andrew Parish. There will be a family gathering after Mass in the St. Andrew Parish Hall.

Our Featured Advertiser this week is:

THE NEWCOMB LAW FIRM
CHRISTOPHER M. NEWCOMB, ESQ., LLC

Thank you for your support of our weekly bulletin!

From Donnie Rose: "Thank you to everyone who prayed for me and sent cards during my recent illness. It meant a lot to me. God Bless you all."

ANNUAL DIOCESAN APPEAL: ONE IN HOPE, ONE IN MISSION

In the Gospel today, we hear **"if you love (only) those who love you, what recompense will you have?"** In responding to God's invitation to be missionary disciples in the world, we are called to recognize God's blessings at work in our lives and, united in his love, share those blessings with all our brothers and sisters. **One of the great ways we can share that love is by prayerfully reflecting on our support of the Annual Diocesan Appeal: One in Hope, One in Mission.** 60% of every dollar raised goes directly to the support of Catholic Charities ministry across the six counties of the Diocese. Last year, approximately 35,000 individuals and families were served with love and compassion. 40% of all monies raised support the continued ministries of the diocese, which assists the 60,000+ households in our parishes across the diocese.

This year, the combined goal of all parishes is \$4,000,000, of which our parish share is \$35,700, which is based on our portion to total diocesan offertory collections received last year. If you have already received an Appeal brochure and invitation from Bishop Bonnar in the mail, please make a prayerful response today! If you have not, please take an Appeal brochure from Church today and take some time to reflect on your gift. Beginning next weekend, we will have three "commitment weekends", please mail your pledge card back to the diocese in the included return envelop or drop it in the offertory basket sometime over these three weeks. FMI about the work of the appeal or to make a gift online, please visit www.doy.org

On behalf of Bishop Bonnar, and all who will be ministered to by your generosity – Thank You. **Through this great expression of love, we pray, "That all may be one!"**

Fish Dinners are starting Fri, Feb 24 at the Parish Center. There will be 'Dine-In' as well as 'Take-Out'.

If you are willing to volunteer at the dinners, please call Nick Perkoski at the Parish Office.

We need help taking orders at the doors, serving, selling Pop/Water and clean-up.

Donations of baked goods may be dropped off on Friday's from Noon – 4pm at the Parish Center.

If you are able to help out with baked goods or delivering meals for the Soup Kitchen on the First and

Third Wednesdays of the month, call Connie Naylor at 440/599-7697.