

Fresh Whole-Hog Sausage Breakfast

Sunday, March 20th, 9:00 - 12:00

At the Glandorf St. John's Parish Hall

Free Will Donation

Proceeds to Benefit:

The Putnam County Habitat for Humanity

These donations will go toward helping defray some of the costs from the homeowner for critical home repairs.

Dine in or carry out

Organized by the St. John's Outreach Group

Putnam County Habitat For Humanity

The Putnam County Habitat for Humanity offers two separate programs, a New Home Build Program and a Critical Home Repair Program. The New Home Program allows

qualified low income clients to get a new home at an affordable price. In 2022 the Putnam Habitat will not be building a new home. Instead they will be focusing on the Critical Home Repair Program. This program facilitates repairs to homes of lower income Putnam County residents who have home issues relating to health, safety and structure integrity. The cost of repairs is lower than that of building a new home enabling Habitat to help many more homeowners with the available funds and donations it receives.

The Critical Home Repair Program was initiated in 2018 and has since completed 39 projects with a total cost of over \$190,000. Habitat is funded through the United Way and private donations. It works with the homeowners to access USDA and Veteran grants or loans, as well as local monies to help fund projects. When possible, labor is provided by Habitat volunteers with the material cost covered by the homeowner. The percentage of owner cost is determined by using a sliding scale based on the income of the occupants with the remaining costs subsidized by Habitat. Previous items corrected by Habitat under the Critical Home Repair Program, include; roofing, siding, wheel chair ramps, rotten floors, leaking windows and doors, mold mitigation, dry wall, leaking plumbing, bad electrical wiring and heating systems. A home owner who is in need of critical repair, can contact the Habitat for Humanity office at 419-523-9621 for information on the application process to see if they qualify.



UNDAY, MARCH 13 2nd Sunday of Lent

MASS INTENTIONS/SCHEDULE

MONDAY, MARCH 14

8:00 AM Communion Service – Don Inkrott
4:00 PM Penance
7:00 PM Penance

TUESDAY, MARCH 15

8:40 AM Aaron Verhoff, Brenda Utendorf

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16

8:00 AM Special Intention

THURSDAY, MARCH 17 St. Patrick

8:40 AM Fr. Harry Brown Special Intention

FRIDAY, MARCH 18 St. Cyril ~No School~

8:00 AM Margaret Siefker
12:00 PM Rosary for our Nation
1:00 PM-4:00 PM Adoration/Benediction-Don Inkrott

SATURDAY, MARCH 19 St. Joseph

8:30 AM Confessions
4:00 PM Confessions
4:30 PM L/D Kingsley/Smith Families, Dave Schmitz, Richard Maag,
Roy(AN) & Hazel Leap, Nellie, Charlie, John & Rita Maag,
Bertha Schroeder(AN), Levi Blake

SUNDAY, MARCH 20 3rd Sunday of Lent

8:00 AM Eileen Schroeder, Ruth L Kuhlman, Agnes Sager
10:30 AM Laura Recker, L/D Dick & Doris Birkemeier Family,
John Rupert(AN), L/D Ken Ellerbrock Family, Alice Hoffman,
L/D Fortman/Meyer Families
1:00 PM Stations followed with Benediction

*Are you listening to Jesus, the Chosen One? What is he revealing to you? Let his message dwell in your heart.
(Luke 9:28-36)*

That we may listen to God's invitation especially during this Lenten season, we pray.

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY MARCH 20

Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15 1Cor 10:1-6, 10-12 Lk 13:1-9(30)



**From the
Desk of
Fr. Tony**

In today's first reading and the gospel we see God interacting with Abram, Jesus, Peter, James, and John. First with Abram, we see God saying to Abram, "It was on that occasion that the LORD made a covenant with Abram, saying: "To your descendants I give this land, from the Wadi of Egypt to the Great River, the Euphrates." God is promising Abram many descendants and land. God is basically telling Abram that his lineage will proceed on this earth. As humans, we all want to be remembered after we die. We have tombstones with our names on them to mark our graves. We all want our blood lines to continue. We want our good nature and love of God to continue also. We have been blest with our faith and so we want to pass that down to generations to come.

In the gospel today Jesus takes Peter, James, and John up Mount Tabor. Jesus is levitating above the ground with Moses and Elijah. All three are speaking to each other while Peter, James, and John are watching this miracle spectacle. This miracle was meant for Peter, James, and John to see. It is called the transfiguration. Then in the gospel we see God speaking to Peter, James, and John like he spoke to Abram, "Then from the cloud came a voice that said, "This is my chosen Son; listen to him."

God the Father is directing Abram and Peter, James, and John. You can say God is using his miracle voice to get their attention. Sometimes God has to get our attention through miracles. I believe humans need to see the supernatural in order to ponder and stop in our tracks and take notice. God is going to take care of our family ancestry in years to come. God takes care of us through his son Jesus. Let us all draw close to the messiah and hang on every one of his words. God bless you all. Fr. Tony

WEEKDAY SERVERS:

Tue. 8:40 AM: Students

Wed. 8:00 AM: Jeff Schram, Jerry Hanneman

Thu. 8:40 AM: Students

Fri. 8:00 AM: Sienna Fry, Will Faber, Carson Faber

Next Sunday MARCH 20

SUNDAY SERVERS:

Sat. 4:30PM: Jeramy Hermiller, Chase Faber, Makenna Siefker

Sun. 8:00AM: Brad Maag, Mallorie Maag, Peyton Kuhlman

Sun. 10:30AM: Cooper Niese, Trevor Maag, Lauren Heebsh

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS LECTORS

4:30 Doug Deitering Sharon Meyer
 Diane Deitering Chris Schroeder

8:00 Deb Leopold Andy Gray
 Steve Leopold Deb Schroeder

10:30 Julie Grismore Mary Ellen Klear
 Jane Moening Choir-Dennis Burgei Dan Klear

SUNDAY GIFT BEARERS:

Sat. 4:30 PM: Don Riepenhoff Family;

Sun. 8:00 AM: Mike & Judy Niese Family;

Sun. 10:30 AM: Jerry Hanneman Family;

MARCH USHERS:

Sat. 4:30 PM: Mary Rose & Kevin Ellerbrock

Sun. 8:00 AM: Jane & Henry Kaufman

Sun. 10:30 AM: Mike Siefker, Greg Nussbaum

COUNTERS FOR SUNDAY: 7

ROSARY NEXT SUNDAY: Cliff & Janet Schroeder

COMMUNION TO MEADOWS: Suzy Brinkman, Paula Elchinger

MARCH FUNERAL ROSARY LEADERS: Gene & Rose Warnecke,

Susan Duling, Jerry & Mary Hanneman, John & Eileen Schroeder,

Tim & Mary Ellen Lehman

STATION OF THE CROSS and BENEDICTION

1:00PM: Lector – Kathy Schmitz, **Servers:** Jack Schroeder Lauren Kimmet, Brock Crumrine be at Church at 12:45pm for training.

LENTEN PENANCE SERVICE– Monday, March 14, 4:00pm 5 priests; **Lector:** Jeanne Schram & 7:00pm 4 priests; **Lector:** Janet Schroeder

RCIA INTEREST – Monday, March 14, 6:00 – 7:30pm in the cafeteria. **Snack by Ginny Schroeder-1st Scrutiny-Woman at the Well: Reality of our own Sin.** These sessions are open to all interested persons – those wishing to become a Catholic and for Catholics who wish to up-date themselves. We welcome you

PENANCE SERVICES IN THE AREA:

Leipsic– Wednesday, Mar. 23, 7:00pm
Kalida – Tuesday., Mar. 29, 4:00pm & 7:00pm
Ottawa - Monday, April. 11, 4:00 & 7:00 pm.



RCIA – Rite of Election last Sunday. Congratulations!! Please pray for Ben and Mia Rae as they enter into the next phase for becoming Catholic.

St Patrick, pray for us




**Happy
St. Patrick's Day!**

St Patrick, pray for us!

“Let us adore the crosses that God sends to us and let us embrace them tenderly.” St. Gaspar del Bufalo

Adult Faith Information

Jeanette Schroeder – Coordinator
Diana Meyer, Jeanne Schram, Marlene Kleman,
Deacon Don and Elaine Inkrott

To Create a new FORMED account

Visit [FORMED.org](https://formed.org) .

Click Sign Up, then sign up as a parishioner.

To find our parish type in zip code 45848 or Glandorf.

Enter your email – and you’re in!

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Visit [FORMED.org](https://formed.org) . Click Sign In – upper right corner

Have questions? Call 419-890-3724



HOME TO GOD: Please remember in your Masses and prayers the soul of **Jeanette Meyerhoffer, Marilyn Kohls**. Our sincere sympathy is extended to **Mary Jo Schroeder, Margaret Thompson, Jim Meyerhoffer, Bob Meyerhoffer, Rita Kiene and Jane Kaufman** on the death of their loving mother, Jeanette; to **Kimberly Schreiber** on the death of her loving mother, Marilyn.

SAVE THE DATE:

Father Tony’s Farewell party

When: June 5, 2022

Where: Ottawa K of C

A formal invitation will follow.

If you would like to help with the Farewell party, scan the QR barcode or use the following link to sign up <https://form.jotform.com/220475225906152>. You can also call the rectory.

Any parish program that would like to say a few words during the farewell party, please contact the rectory.



BREAKING NEWS: Effective July 1, 2022, Father Tony has received his new assignment. He will be heading to the Archdiocese of Cincinnati residing in Dayton, Ohio. Please extend your congratulations and best wishes to our wonderful priest, Father Tony that we will dearly miss here at St. John’s!!!

CATHOLIC PRESCHOOL REGISTRATION 2021-2122: Looking for a preschool with kindergarten readiness AND a Catholic faith curriculum? Glandorf St. John's Catholic Preschool registration sessions are March 21 (parishioners) and March 23 (non-parishioners) at 7 PM at St. John's Parish Center. Registration forms are available in the church literature racks, St. John's Website at <http://stjohnglandorf.org> or by contacting the preschool at 419 538 6264. 2 day, 3 day and 5 day sessions are available

BENNING SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS are available in the south vestibule in church in the Youth rack - for all Glandorf St. John's high school seniors. The deadline is Fri., Apr 8th, by 4:30 p.m. (Not mailed by this date but in our hands by the 8th). Make sure you have 2 references & school transcript attached to application to be eligible

2022 VBS forms were sent home this week during religion and preschool. Dates for 2022 VBS are June 6th- June 9th. 6:00 PM- 8:00 PM. Extra forms are available in the back of church. All registrations are due by March 17! Can't wait to see everyone there!

Grade School CCD Information

Elementary Coordinator stjohnsreled@bright.net.

Jr. High CCD Information

Message from Mindy Recker for Jr. High Coordinator email at stjohnsjrhghccd@gmail.com

High School CCD Information

Message from Ruth Gerding Coordinator of High School CCD

Ruth Gerding, Coordinator of HS CCD 567-204-1275

Adoration on Wednesday from 6:30 – 7:30pm

Special K

CCD CLASS – Next class is Wednesday, March 16, 2022

Youth Director

Message from Colleen Halker

colleen_halker@yahoo.com

**STATE CYO TOURNAMENT
3rd Place**



A heartfelt **THANK YOU** to all the **CYO Basketball Coaches** this year!!! Thank you for your commitment and your time to coach our young men and women in High School and Grade School!!! Congratulation to all the CYO Basketball players on a Great 2022 basketball season!!

HELP WANTED

HOLY FAMILY RADIO is looking for part time administrative assistant

Requirements:

Must love Catholic Radio

Have some Accounting Skills

Send Resumes to: Holy Family Radio, 6048 Rd 8-E, Leipsic, OH 45856

Attention all Employees, Coaches & Volunteers! All employees and volunteers need to take an online or live workshop. Coaches need to take the live certification or re-certification class in order to coach. Please check your e-mails periodically. Virtus Accounts will be sending you very important e-mails with updates that you need to complete to be compliant with the Diocese of Toledo and the Dallas Charter. Please read and sign and do the requirements. Requirements are to be updated every 5 years. Thank you!



**CONGRATULATIONS
ON YOUR
WEDDING ANNIVERSARY!**

Alvin and Cindy Utrup

SUNDAY, MARCH 13 2nd Sunday of Lent

FERVORINO – *Transfiguration is a common occurrence in families. When we commit to another, such as a spouse in marriage or a child in parenting, we are not committing to them only as they are today, but to the person they are becoming.*

Attention ALL MEN!!!! Join us on Wednesday **OR** Saturday for That Man Is You (TMIY)

Wednesday, March 16th, 7pm-8:30pm in the Cafeteria (session 19)**Saturday, March 19th, 6am-7:30am in the Cafeteria (session 21)** For more information, contact Mike Karhoff @ mbkarhoff@bright.net or 419-796-0763.

TMIY "THY KINGDOM COME"

The Darkness of Modern Culture (Sat. 3/19, Wed. 3/30) (session 21)

- Speaker: Steve Bollman
- Technology as Transformation
- Effects on Marriage, Family and Faith
- We are Choosing to Collapse Our Culture
- A Darkness for the Next Generation
- A New Slavery
- Prioritizing Faith and Family

Ottawa K. of C. Fish & Clam Strips: Fri., March 18, 4:30-7:00pm.



MARCH GRAND-orf Club drawing along with coffee & donuts by **Lori and Mark Klausing** will be today, March 13, after the 8:00 or 10:30 Mass., in the cafeteria. Extra blue tickets are in the racks in the church vestibules.

THE PIECEMAKER SEWING will get together on Tuesday evening, March 15th, from 7:00pm to 8:30pm in the old science room. We will be tracing patterns and cutting them out as well as sewing bags and stringing them. There might be some kits to put together as well. Please join us if you are free. Thank you for helping those in need. If you have any questions, contact Diana Meyer at 419-538-6437.

ST. PAUL'S PARISH, HAMLER FISH FRY Fri., Mar. 18, 5:00 – 7:00pm, in their church basement. Adults: \$10.00 and Children \$5.00

ANNUAL FATHER AND SON BREAKFAST The Father son breakfast will be Sunday March 27th. Breakfast will be served between the 8:00 and 10:30 Masses roughly around 9:30. Our special guest speaker this year will be Trevor Bassitt. Trevor is from Bluffton and currently runs track for Ashland University. Trevor's decorated track career is highlighted by his success at last years summer olympic trials. Come and enjoy breakfast, raffle prizes, 50/50, and just how anything is possible when you put your mind to it!

OGHS Dinner Theater is back for 2022 with "Hometown Favorites" April 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Go to <https://ottawaglandorf.hometownticketing.com/embed/all> to order your tickets.

Chicken BBQ Fundraiser: sponsored by American Legion Auxiliary Post 63 Sunday, April 3, 2022 11:00am - 1:00 pm. PreSale Tickets \$10.00 Donation. Carry out only at the American Legion – Ottawa. Tickets can be purchased @ The American Legion or by calling 419-523-3849 or 386-561-1255. Prepared by JT BBQ

Putnam County Right to Life Garage and Bake Sale Putnam County Right to Life Garage & Bake Sale will be held at the Ottawa K of C hall on Tuesday, April 5th from 9 am to 7 pm and Wednesday, April 6th from 9 am to 3 pm. Baked goods and gently used items can be dropped off on Monday, April 4th from 9 am to 6 pm.

Cardio Fitness Toning class 7:30pm to 8:30pm at St. John's Parish Gym. Please bring a exercise mat & weights. This class will be every Wednesday & the cost is \$3.00.

On August 31-September 4 2022, 50 visitors from Glandorf Germany will be coming to Glandorf Ohio. We are in need of Host Families for our visitors. Hosting includes the visitor/s staying overnight at your house. If you are interested, please email Mayor Charlie Schroeder cschroeder2@bright.net Please include number of visitors. If you have questions, please call Beth Hempfling 419-615-8868

SAVE THE DATE;

Annual Mother-Daughter Banquet

To all Mothers, Daughters, Woman young and old, Glandorf St. John's Parish Altar Rosary Society invites you to their Annual Banquet, Sunday April 3, 2022. after 10:30 Mass in the St. John's Parish Center. Enjoy a delicious lunch, entertainment provided, and 50/50 Drawing. More information to come. Cost will be \$8 adult, \$5 for girls age 10 and under.

ATTENTION CLC MEMBERS If you have a handcrafted item or want to donate an item or a gift card for the CLC Spring Fling on April 19, 2022. Please call Alice Diemer at 419-538-6616

LENTEN LEARNING SERIES | MAR 15 & 24 Presented by the Maria Stein Shrine Adoration Guild and Sister Joyce Ann Zimmerman. The first session, focused on Purgatory, will be held March 15 at 10am. The second session, focused on Ministry of the Assembly, will be held March 24 at 10am. Both sessions are free of charge. For more information visit mariasteinshrine.org

Karlo Broussard will present "Religion: Why Should I Care?" on Thursday, April 7 at 7 pm at Delphos St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church. Broussard is a dynamic and gifted Catholic speaker for Catholic Answers. It's often said that what people need (especially teenagers and young adults) is not Aquinas's Five Ways for proving God's existence but a reason to care about religion in the first place.

Remember Those Who Have Gone Before Us- -March 13-19

Henry J Schmitt 3/13/72

Laura R Wortkoetter 3/13/03

Carol C Recker 3/13/13

Alexander A Gerdeman 3/14/79

Agnes M Karhoff 3/15/19

Vincent W Brinkman 3/16/83

Bernadine L Bockrath 3/16/93

Edward A Rieman 3/16/00

Adelia Wortkoetter 3/17/76

Naomi A Schroeder 3/17/86

Agnes M Leach 3/17/92

Luella A Dickman 3/17/14

Arline L Meola 3/18/96

Leonard D Schroeder 3/19/81

Clayton Drerup 3/19/08

Mary Ann Hanneman 3/19/18

Mustard Seed Gift Shop normal business hours:

Tues, Thurs, & Fri 9:00am - 5:00pm; Wed 12:00pm to 8:00pm;
Sat 8:00am - 1:00pm www.mustardseedgiftshop.com Store 538-7220
Brenda Maag 419-235-3106 Julie Barlage 419-303-5366

2022 DIOCESAN ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

Our parish goal this year is \$43,610. Total gifts and pledges to date is \$26,725.15. 61.28 % of goal. The Theme is *“Do Prayer, Do Service, and Do Gratitude.”* Please help St. John’s meet our parish goal. If you don’t receive one and would like to participate, there are extra envelopes/pamphlets in the racks in the back of church. To learn about the diocesan catholic appeal, scan the barcode or view the video



<https://www.acatoledo.org>

STEWARDSHIP

March 6, 2022 Collection

Adults \$10,712.10 Auto Electronic Giving \$1,931.25

Loose \$1180.52 Children \$91.25 Total: \$13,915.12

Thank you to all of you who have been continuing to make your weekly/monthly contributions to your St. John’s parish family and for sharing your treasure, time, & talent with your St. John’s parish family! We are most grateful!

SUNDAY, MARCH 13 2nd Sunday of Lent

**St. John the Baptist Catholic Church
GLANDORF, OHIO
St. George Deanery
Missionaries of the Precious Blood**



**REV. TONY FORTMAN, C.P.P.S.
Pastor
DEACON DONALD INKROTT**

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**ASHLEY DULING
Business Manager
MICHELLE HORSTMAN
Administrative Assistant**

Coordinator of Grade School K-5 Religious Education

MINDY RECKER

Coordinator of Jr Hi 6-8 Religious Education

RUTH GERDING

Coordinator of High School Religious Education

COLLEEN HALKER

Youth Director

LORI RUMP

Pre-School Administrator/Lead Teacher

DAN ELLERBROCK

Music Director/Organist

JOE SCHROEDER

Maintenance

MARK KAUFMAN – Parish Center

LOUIE HALKER – Church

Janitors

JEFF GERDING

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JODI SCHROEDER

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Becky Schroeder (Jacob) Jon Leopold (Katelyn) Kelly Morman (Tom)

Morgan Miller Tyler Leopold

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538-6335

MINDY RECKER & RUTH GERDING

538-6897

PRE-SCHOOL ADMINISTRATOR

538-6264

COLLEEN HALKER

538-7268

MUSTARD SEED

538-7220

UNDERCROFT

538-6332

GLANDORF ELEMENTARY

538-6880

REGISTRATION-New members should register as soon as possible. Moving out? - please inform the rectory.

INTERESTED IN SERVING YOUR PARISH? If you are interested in becoming a Lector, Extraordinary Minister, Usher or in any other way please call the rectory 419-538-6928.

PARENT SESSIONS are required by the Toledo Diocese for Infant Baptism, Confirmation, First Eucharist, and First Penance.

PARENTAL BAPTISM CLASS – Next classes will be **May 15 & September 18, from 9:00 – 10:30 AM, in room 15, in the parish center** - presented by Deacon Don Inkrott. Pre-register by calling rectory (419-538-6928). Stop by rectory to pick up your book.

ROSARY FOR OUR COUNTRY at Noon on Fridays of the month.

WEDDINGS: The Toledo Diocese requests all dates be set at the rectory at least 6 months in advance. **Pre-Marriage Class required.** Parties who recently joined our parish who do not live within our parish boundaries, or who do not belong to a family already registered in the parish; need to be aware that we cannot schedule a wedding date until six months after the time of registration. The normal six-month preparation period would apply from that point. Normally only parishioners and those related to our parishioners marry here. Any other person needs prior permission of his/her pastor.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION CLASS Glandorf St. John's will be having a 1—day class here in our cafeteria on Sunday, November 6, 2022 starting with the 10:30 Mass. This is a mandatory, 1-day class. Please register by calling the rectory.

DO YOU HAVE YOUR LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT COMPLETED? DID YOU REMEMBER YOUR PARISH, ST. JOHN'S?

SACRAMENTAL RECONCILIATION: PENANCE Saturdays 8:30am & 4:00pm.



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Contact Wendy Imm, BSN CFCP for more information
at 614-634-1043 or divinegracefertilitycare@gmail.com

Br. Jerry Schwieterman's address: Heritage Manor, Attn: Br. Jerry Schwieterman, C.PP.S., 24 N. Hamilton St., Minister, OH 45865

Br. Jerry's address: Br. Jerry Schulte, C.PP.S., St. Charles Center, 2860 US Route 127 Rm 107, Celina, OH 45822

Fr. Rick's new address: 937 N. Defiance St., Ottawa, OH 45875

DIOCESAN POLICY FOR CYO SPORTS – All players must be members of the sponsoring parish and/or educational system of the parish in order to play on the parish team.

PARISH POLICY FOR HIGH SCHOOL CYO Playing any sports this year? You are expected to attend both the Fall & Winter sessions of High School Religious Education Groups or Grade School CCD Classes---plus weekend Saturday or Sunday Mass. This includes all players, coaches and their families. Attendance at these groups/classes will be monitored and reviewed. For each class missed, beyond 4 classes you will be sitting out one game.

Parents, if your child is sick, please call or text Ruth Gerding at 567-204-1275 before class.

This also includes the **PUTNAM COUNTY GRADE SCHOOL BOY'S & GIRL'S CYO SPORTING TEAMS.**

We kindly ask the cooperation of all concerned as we implement this church policy for the good of our parish.

(Fr. Tony– pastor & Jodi Schroeder – Parish Council Pres.)