SUNDAY, MARCH 20 3rd Sunday of Lent MASS INTENTIONS/SCHEDULE

MONDAY, MARCH 21

8:00 AM Communion Service – Don Inkrott

8:40 AM Stations of the Cross

TUESDAY, MARCH 22

8:00 AM Stations of the Cross

8:40 AM L/D Mel Nienberg Family

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 23 St. Turibius

8:00 AM Davis Sager(AN)

6:30 PM - 7:30 PM Adoration

THURSDAY, MARCH 24 St. Oscar

8:40 AM Julia VonderEmbse Fuerst,

L/D Urban & Frances Meyer Family

FRIDAY, MARCH 25 The Annunciation of the Lord

8:00 AM L/D Norman Birkemeyer Family, Religious Freedom

12:00 PM Rosary for our Nation

1:00 PM-4:00 PM Adoration/Benediction- Father Tony

SATURDAY, MARCH 26

8:30 AM Confessions

4:00 PM Confessions

4:30 PM Esther Trombley, Ted Homier, Alice Palte,

Norma Ellerbrock, Marica Kuhlman

SUNDAY, MARCH 27 4th Sunday of Lent

8:00 AM Kathy Verhoff, L/D Helen Wiechart Family,

L/D Laura Recker Family, L/D Zac Cassidy Family,

Marjorie Rieman

10:30 AM Kevin Schroeder, Jim Buddelmeyer, Velma Balbaugh,

Florence Lauf, Paul Heitmeyer, Bill Felkey,

Jeanette Meyerhoffer

1:00 PM Stations followed with Benediction -Father Tony

Moses heard God's call from a burning bush. What is our passion, your burning bush? Take time to know what God is sending you to do and be. (Exodus: 3:18, 13-15).

That our Church may be "on Fire" with a passion for peace and justice, we pray.

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY MARCH 27

Jos 5:9a, 10-12 2Cor 5:17-21 Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

From the Desk of Fr. Tony

A priest told me one time that "You don't want to perish in the parish." That is a play on words but that priest was telling me to stay holy and repent. Jesus tells us twice today, "If you do not repent, you will perish." We must tell the Lord we are sorry for our offenses. We all need to repent from something. None of us are squeaky clean. Repentance brings forth a change of heart. When we repent we have to repent to someone. Repentance allows us to say sorry to God and others. When you repent you are putting yourself in a vulnerable position. People may not forgive you but God will.

The only way one can save them self is through telling God they are sorry. It is hard to believe that the simple act of repentance can save one from eternal damnation. But it can. If you don't repent then God cannot get you where you need to be. Not repenting is like a stumbling block on your path. Many times people don't repent because of pride. I am too important to say I am sorry. If I tell others I am sorry then they may see me as weak. Repent everyone, the kingdom of God is at hand. This is the season of repentance. JUST DO IT? DON'T OVER THINK IT. God bless you all. Fr. Tony



WEEKDAY SERVERS:

Tue. 8:40 AM: Students

Wed. 8:00 AM: Bob & Jackie Luttfring

Thu. 8:40 AM: Students

Fri. 8:00 AM: Gene & Rose Warnecke

Next Sunday MARCH 27

SUNDAY SERVERS:

Sat. 4:30PM: Brandon Warnecke Abby Warnecke, Landyn Schulte

Sun. 8:00AM: Morgan Maag, Marissa Maag, Owen Kidd

Sun. 10:30AM: Zachary Birkemeier, Austin Birkemeier, Dylan Birkemeier

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS LECTORS

4:30 Geri Ricker Mike Karhoff

Jan SchroederMary Rose Ellerbrock8:00 Deb SchroederConnie Cassidy

Deb Burwell Sharon Meyer

10:30 Rose Warnecke Tim Hansen

Gene Warnecke Choir-Jason Miller Jeanne Schram

SUNDAY GIFT BEARERS:

Sat. 4:30 PM: Richard Schmitz Family

Sun. 8:00 AM: Greg & Loreen Ruhe Family

Sun. 10:30 AM: Keith Hempfling 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: 8

ROSARY NEXT SUNDAY: Ginny Schroeder & Karen Parker

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 – Nicole Ruhe, Servers: Tyler Ruhe, Parker Heckman, Derek Brown be at Church at 12:45pm for training.

<u>RCIA INTEREST</u> – Monday, March 21, 6:00 – 7:30pm in the cafeteria. **Snack by Mary Birkemeier-2**nd **Scrutiny-Man Born Blind & Presentation of the Creed** 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.

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.

<u>ANNUAL FATHER/SON BREAKFAST – March 27.</u> 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!

Listen to God's voice at the foot of the crucifix." 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.

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!

Already have a FORMED account

Visit FORMED.org. Click Sign In – upper right corner

Have questions? Call 419-890-3724

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION ON THE FIRST SATURDAY, after 4:30 Mass until 8:00 on Sunday mornings. Saturday/Sunday, April 2nd/3rd. Sign-up sheet is available on the radiator back in church or sign up

on line using the following link

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050f4eaaab2ba7f85-adoration2

We would like at least two people signed up for each hour. If you can't make it to church to sign in please call Katie Verhoff 480-236-7305.

WELCOME TO THE NEWLY BAPTIZED IN CHRIST:

Isabella daughter of Craig and Kristin Duling Kynzlee daughter of Zachery and Kristen Collins CONGRATULATIONS TO PARENTS & GODPARENTS!

GOD BLESS THE MARRIAGE:

Mr. & Mrs. Todd and Nancy Carr



Please remember in your Masses and prayers the soul of **Charlie Schmitz**. Our sincere sympathy is extended to Brayton and Allison Schmitz.

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 July1, 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!!!

Grade School CCD Information

Elementary Coordinator <u>stjohnsreled@bright.net</u>.

Jr. High CCD Information

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

Reminder Sixth grade parent meeting this Tuesday, March 22 and Thursday, March 24 both at 6 PM in the parish center cafeteria. This meeting is for parents only and is a required meeting for confirmation.

High School CCD Information

Message from Ruth Gerding Coordinator of High School CCD

<u>STUDENTS FOR LIFE</u> meeting on Thursday, March 24, 2022 at 3:15pm – 4:30pm in the Ottawa-Glandorf high school library. Allison Stump with be the speaker.

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, April 6, 2022

Message from Colleen Halker

Youth Director colleen halker@yahoo.com

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

<u>GLANDORF VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPT.</u> would like <u>THANK YOU</u> for supporting their chicken BBQ last Sunday.

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!

<u>CATHOLIC PRESCHOOL REGISTRATION 2021-2122:</u> 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



2022 Vacation Bible School 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!



<u>GLANDORF ST. JOHN'S POLO SHIRTS</u> are here. If you ordered a shirt, please come pick up at the rectory. Also, if you did not pay please bring 25.00 per shirt with you.

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FERVORINO – Our children are like the Samaritan woman. They need more than material things. They need the "living water" only the adults can give. It will teach them how to make decisions, take responsibility, respect themselves and others and live their commitments. With this "living water" they will "never thirst."

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

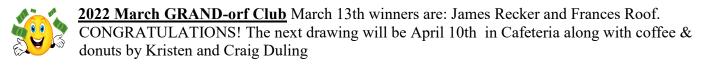
Wednesday, March 23rd, 7pm-8:30pm in the ROOM 22 (session 20) Saturday, March 26th, 6am-7:30am in the Cafeteria (session 22)

For more information, contact Mike Karhoff @ mbkarhoff@bright.net or 419-796-0763.

TMIY "THY KINGDOM COME"

A Tale of Two Cities (Sat. 3/26, Wed. 4/6) (session 22)

- Speaker: Steve Bollman
- Our Own Interest Over vs. Common Good
- Exploring the Tension Between the Cities
- The Demanding Standard of Love
- The Grace of the Holy Spirit
- The Church's Unique Vision
- How to Build a Civilization of Love



Ottawa K. of C. Fish & Clam Strips: Fri., March 25, 4:30-7:00pm.

<u>LENTEN LEARNING SERIES | March 15 & 24</u> 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

The Serra Club of Lima Area, which exists to promote vocations to the priesthood and religious life, will have their next meeting on Thursday, March 24 at LCC. Guests are welcome! Mass will begin at 5:45PM in the LCC Chapel, followed by dinner and a program. The program for this meeting will be Fr. Andrew Wellmann speaking on "A young priest's perspective in leading his parish." Fr. Wellmann, who was ordained in 2018, is a son of Delphos St. John Parish and currently serves as pastor at St. Patrick Catholic Church in Bryan, Ohio. If interested in attending, please contact Kathy McGraw @ 419-303-0339 for reservation.

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

<u>Chicken BBQ Fundraiser-April 3</u> 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

<u>Putnam County Right to Life Garage and Bake Sale-April 6</u> 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.

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.

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.

<u>ATTENTION CLC MEMBERS- April 19</u>. 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

On August 31-September 5 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

<u>Cardio Fitness Toning class</u> 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.

Remember Those Who Have Gone Before Us--March 20-26

Gerald J Warnecke 3/20/20 Evelyn A Maenle 3/21/80 Eugene A Klear 3/21/00 Agnes C Dehnart 3/23/02 Eileen M Schroeder 3/23/04 Rita M Schmitz 3/24/17 Beverly A Siebeneck 3/24/18 Frances M Hohenbrink 3/25/75 Fredrick C Nienberg 3/25/77 Elizabeth Ellerbrock 3/25/00 Cecilia Wischmeyer 3/26/75 Franklin Miller 3/26/19

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 \$\frac{\$43,610}\$. Total gifts and pledges to date is \$\frac{28,980.15}\$. **66.45 % 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



We just received a check from the Toledo Diocese for the ACA rebate for 2021 in the amount of \$8,634.55. Thank you to the parishioners that gave to the annual catholic appeal last year!

STEWARDSHIP March 13, 2022 Collection

Adults \$7,806.00 Auto Electronic Giving \$1,931.25 Loose \$941.99 Children \$92.10 Total: \$10,771.34

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!

NEW EMAIL ADDRESS

Ashley Duling: bmanager@glandorfstjohns.com
Michelle Horstman: admin@glandorfstjohns.com
Lori Rump: preschool@glandorfstjohns.com
Mindy Recker: jrhigh@glandorfstjohns.com

We are working on getting everything moved over, so for awhile you might receive from both email addresses.

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



REV. TONY FORTMAN, C.PP.S.

Pastor

DEACON DONALD INKROTT *** *** *** ***

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Phone: 538-6928 E-mail: admin@glandorfstjohns.com 538-6147 Fax: Web Page www.stjohnglandorf.org **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION K-5** 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.



Providing Education on the CREIGHTON MODEL Fertility Care™ System to Empower Women and Couples to UNDERSTAND, MAINTAIN, and APPRECIATE their Health and Fertility in a way that is cooperative with our Catholic faith.

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

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

<u>Br. Jerry's address:</u> Br. Jerry Schulte, C.PP.S., St. Charles Center, 2860 US Route 127 Rm 107, Celina, OH 45822 <u>Fr. Rick's new address:</u> 937 N. Defiance St., Ottawa, OH 45875

<u>DIOCESAN POLICY FOR CYO SPORTS</u> – 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.)