

Fresh Whole-Hog Sausage Breakfast

Sunday, September 12th 9:00 - 12:00

At the Glandorf St. John's Parish Hall

Free Will Donation

Proceeds to Benefit:

- ***St. John's Catholic Preschool &***
- ***Sisters in Shelter: Support for victims of human trafficking and domestic violence***

Dine in or carry out

Organized by the St. John's Outreach Group

St. John's Parishioners

Many of our brothers and sisters at St. John the Baptist parish have never heard of or don't know much about the **Glandorf St. John's Outreach group**. We started shortly after Fr. Tony came to Glandorf and outreach groups are highly recommended in each parish in the diocese. Our outreach group has 3 pillars in which we operate but we also cover other ministries that are recommended by the USCCB. The 3 pillars are visiting and caring for the sick, all issues dealing with pro life or the sanctity of life, and the 3rd is evangelization. Visiting the sick involves nursing home visits and we sometimes hold our monthly meeting there while visiting. We have done clothing drives for the less fortunate in the Serenity House and Oak Haven nursing homes. We support both Heartbeats programs in Ottawa and also in Lima. The angel tree project at Christmas helps to support heartbeat. Our men's group here at the parish have also built shelving systems at Ottawa heartbeat to store food and clothing for the mothers who choose life over abortion. Our evangelization pillar involves anything that will promote knowing who Jesus is and also promoting the Catholic faith. We just finished a project to get all new TV's and DVD players for all the classrooms in our parish hall to help our kids get to know Christ better. Other projects that we have done are to help support Habitat For Humanity in building and repairing homes. We also run garage sales during the summer and collect clothes, furniture, and appliances for the homeless in our diocese. We are involved with the adopt-a-highway program to clean up a stretch of st. rt. 224 in caring for the earth that God has entrusted us with. We also support financially, our parish sowing ministry, a human trafficking program in our diocese, and the Catholic preschool. Our last breakfast that we had in March, helped to finish off the installation of the DVDs in the classrooms and also for projects at the Ottawa Heartbeat. Our breakfast in September will benefit the Catholic preschool in purchasing items needed in the classrooms and also the human trafficking program. If you have any questions about the program or want to join in helping us, just call me at 419-615-0892. We currently have around 18-20 men and women who volunteer their time to work the breakfasts and to do the projects and many ministries. Thanks and God bless you for all the help in the past that you have given to this ministry through helping or eating at the breakfasts.

Peace,

Deacon Don Inkrott

SEPTEMBER 5, 2021 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

† MASS INTENTIONS/SCHEDULE †

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 6 Labor Day – Rectory Offices Closed

8:00 AM Poor Souls, End of all Abortions,

For those suffering of any illness and COVID-19

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

8:40 AM Tom Benning, End of all Abortions,

For those suffering of any illness and COVID-19

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8 The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:00 AM L/D Fred Schroeder Family, End of all Abortions,

For those suffering of any illness and COVID-19

8:40 AM Penance Service 8A

6:30 – 7:30 PM Adoration

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 9 St. Peter Claver

8:40 AM Mel Verhoff (AN), End of all Abortions, For those suffering of any illness and COVID-19

6:00-7:00 PM Adoration Holy Hour to Heal Our Land

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

8:00 AM Joan Brinkman, Religious Freedom, End of all Abortions, For those suffering of any illness and COVID-19

6:00 PM Wedding Rehearsal – Mary Ellen Halker

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

No Mass at 8:00 AM

8:30 AM Confessions

1:00 PM Nuptial – Dukes/Frey

4:00pm Confessions

4:30 AM Ron Kahle Jr., Jacob M Schroeder Vicki Verhoff, L/D Al & Rita Knueven Family, L/D Denny Stechschulte Family, L/D OG Class of 85, 86 & 87, L/D Don & Luella Dickman Family, Alvin & Gertrude Schmitz, Mary Jane Hunt (AN)

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 12 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM Rita Maag, Paul Morman, L/D King/Kirkendall Families, Zachary Cassidy, L/D Ruth E Kuhlman Family

10:30 AM Eulitta Spangler, L/D Donald H Niese Family, L/D August & Elizabeth Buddelmeyer Family



Ask God to open your ears to hear his call. May he also free your tongue to proclaim the good news. Consider serving God as a priest, brother or sister. (Mark 7:31-37)

For all who preach and teach the good news, may they rely on the inspiration of the Spirit, we pray.

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 12 Is 50:4c-9a Jas 2:14-18 Mk 8:27-35

From the Desk of Fr. Tony

**SEPTEMBER 5, 2021
23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

In today's gospel we see Jesus healing a man who is deaf and has a speech impediment. "And people brought to him a deaf man who had a speech impediment and begged him to lay his hand on him. He took him off by himself away from the crowd. He put his finger into the man's ears and, spitting, touched his tongue; then he looked up to heaven and groaned, and said to him, "Ephphatha!"— that is, "Be opened!" — And immediately the man's ears were opened, his speech impediment was removed, and he spoke plainly."

Today's miracle shows the power of Christ. He does do all things well. God can heal our human infirmities. Jesus wants us to be made whole. Part of God's healing is healing our souls first. God wants to create a clean heart in us and put a steadfast spirit within us. God wants to heal our sins most of all. Sometimes people are physically healthy but are suffering the devastation of sin. What use is physical healing if our souls are dying with sin? Many times our sins have to be forgiven before we can experience a physical healing.

I hope you had fun at the Glandorf Park Fest. This event shows that we can all work together and have fun together. God put each of us in this community and we truly need each other. We are in Glandorf to learn from each other and pick each other up.

God bless you all. Fr. Tony

ACCEPTING SEALED BIDS BY THE ACRE FOR ST. JOHN'S PARISH FARM GROUND (MUST BE CURRENT ACTIVE CATHOLIC OF ST. JOHN'S PARISH, GLANDORF) Sealed bids (by the acre) to farm **30.2** tillable acres (located east of Glandorf Park) will be accepted until 4 PM Fri., Sept. 10. Please mark "sealed bid" on outside of envelope and drop off at rectory. Bids will be opened on Mon. Sept. 13 at which time the selected farmer will be notified to sign a 3-year contract. Terms: crop rotation of corn/beans/wheat. No use of animal manure. An additional 4 acres, previously farmed, can be negotiated separately by the winning bidder with the private owner. Questions, call the rectory @419-538-6928.

Save the Date - The **Women's Welcome Retreat** will be held October 2-3, 2021. More information to come. Contact Emily Kempf at 419-890-6098 or emmers_me@yahoo.com with questions.

WEEKDAY SERVERS:

Mon. 8:00AM: Gary Recker, Mary Ann Myers
 Tue. 8:40AM: Students
 Wed. 8:00 AM: Bob & Jackie Luttfing
 Thu. 8:400 AM: Students
 Fri. 8:00 AM: Gene & Rose Warnecke
 Sat. 8:00 AM: No Mass

Next Sunday SEPTEMBER 12**SUNDAY SERVERS:**

Sat. 4:30 PM: Landyn Schulte, Zachary Schmitz, Adam Schmitz
 Sun. 8:00AM: Alex Macke, Isaac Macke, Owen Kidd
 Sun. 10:30AM: Cole Morman, Evan Morman, Dylan Siefker

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS**LECTORS**

4:30 Mary Rose Ellerbrock	Emilee Horstman
Sharon Brown	Elizabeth Ruhe
8:00 Tom Schmitz	Diane Nienberg
Gretchen Schmitz	Lauryn Bockrath
10:30 Tara Gerding	Chris Birkemeier
Edna Nienberg, Choir–Matt Meyerhoffer Sharon Nussbaum	

The new minister schedule was e-mailed out this week. Starts this weekend Sept. 4/5. There is a copy on our website and hardcopies in the racks back in church.

SUNDAY GIFT BEARERS:

Sat. 4:30 pm: Bill Goecke Family
 Sun. 8:00 am: Clarke Ellis Family
 Sun. 10:30 am: Patrick Everman Family

SEPTEMBER USHERS: Sat. 4:30pm: Roger, Logan & Connor Koch

Sun. 8:00am: Chris & Tim Hoehn;
 Sun. 10:30am: Barry Maag, Ken Horstman

COUNTERS FOR SUNDAY: 6**ROSARY NEXT SUNDAY:** Paul & Linda Schulte**SEPTEMBER FUNERAL ROSARY LEADERS:** Cliff & Janet Schroeder, Suzanne & Bill Brinkman, Paula & Ken Elchinger, Evelyn Palte, Don & Elaine Inkrott, Dan & Judy Siefker, Rachel Nienberg

Thank you for your witness to the Sacrament of Marriage. The Diocese of Toledo will honor you and other couples celebrating 25, 40, 50, 60 and 60-plus years of marriage at a Mass celebrated by Bishop Daniel E. Thomas on Sunday, October 24th, at 3:00 pm, at Rosary Cathedral, 2535 Collingwood Blvd, Toledo. To register, visit www.toledoanniversarymass.org. Every registering couple is guaranteed an anniversary certificate. Questions? Please contact Alice Jacobs at 419-214-4978 or ajacobs@toledodiocese.org.

Glandorf St. John's St. Bonifest is scheduled for Saturday, October 30th, from 3:00pm - midnight. We are asking for pork donations \$45 for 17lbs at the new price. If you are interested in donating pork for the festival please put in a plain envelope and mark it "PORK" ST. BONIFEST" drop in the collection basket or mail to P O Box, 48, Glandorf, OH 45848. Any questions please call the rectory 419-538-6928. We would like to thank our two anonymous farmers for donating 2 steers this Year. Fantastic! Thank you very much! If anyone would be interested in helping out at the St. Bonifest Festival, we would love to have you! Call the rectory 419-538-6928. Thank you very much! Thank you to the Men's Society for taking over the brats, chips, pretzels and pop in the gym this year. Thank you very much!

It's time again for the annual **St. Bonifest Fall Festival Silent Auction**. Please consider donating a **NEW auction item for this year's event**. Items can include gift certificates, sports memorabilia (especially OSU), religious items, event passes, etc. If you are interested in donating items or contributing a cash contribution, please drop off or send to the rectory by **Thursday, October 21st**. For questions please contact: Mary Ellen Halker 419-538-6928 or Phyllis Vorst 419-615-2760

Choir season is here! The MEN'S choir will begin practice on Thursday, September 9th at 7:30 pm in church. All men of the parish are invited. LADIES of the parish, all invited as practices for you begin on Thursday, September 23rd at 7:00 pm. New members and former members are encouraged to join us. Thanks, Dan

Glandorf St. John's Advent Bible School for our preschool children will start Advent Nov. 28 till Dec. 26 during 10:30 Mass will meet in parish center. The exact room will be decided later. The forms will be sent to the rectory. **This will replace the Sunday bible School for our young children.**

Adult Faith Information

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

Holy Hour to Heal Our Land

Every Thursday from May 13 - October 7, 2021, 6:00 - 7:00pm

Please pick up the pamphlet on the registers of the church for the

prayers to say silently during the Holy Hour and return them when you leave.

If my-people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and I will forgive their sin and will heal their land. - 2 Chronicles 7:14

PLEASE JOIN US! GOD WANTS TO HEAR FROM US.

YEAR OF ST. JOSEPH

Declared by Pope Francis

12/8/2020 to 12/8 2021

Three Intentions in observing The Year of St. Joseph

- 1. To Increase our love for this great saint.**
- 2. To encourage us to implore his intercession.**
- 3. To imitate his virtues and his zeal.**

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION ON THE FIRST SATURDAY of the month, **after 4:30 Mass on Saturday evening until 8:00 on Sunday mornings.** Mark your calendars for Saturday/Sunday, Sept. 11/12. Sign-up sheet is available on the register back in church this week. If you can't make it to church to sign in please call Katie Verhoff 480-236-7305.

"Vocations demand courage and firmness. Vocations come from God." St. Gaspar del Bufalo

BANNS: **II Natalie Schroeder**, of this parish, daughter of Tony & Melanie Schroeder & **Daniel Stanesco**, of Cincinnati, OH, son of Gabriel & Roxana Stanesco

II Nicholaus Schroeder – of this parish, son of Mike and Katie Schroeder and **Katelyn Renee Dackin** of St. Gerard's, Lima daughter of Rich and Sandy Dackin

III Taylor Frey, of this parish, daughter of Gregory & Tifani Frey and **Cody Dukes**, of this parish, son of Brian & Dana Dukes



HOME TO GOD: Please remember in your Masses and prayers the soul of **Bill Birmingham Jr.** Our sincere sympathy is extended to **Bridget Rosengarten** on the death of her loving father, Bill.

This week Monday, Wednesday & Friday Masses are at 8:00am. Tuesday & Thursday Masses are at 8:40am.

Grade School CCD Information

Diane Utrup, Elementary Coordinator stjohnsreled@bright.net.

Jr. High CCD Information

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

High School CCD Information

Message from Ruth Gerding Coordinator of High School CCD

Thank you to all parents who have stepped up to help get HS CCD going. Those arranging for the food, setting up the cafeteria and helping lead the students. All is greatly appreciated.

On Wednesday, September 8th, the HS CCD will hear a speaker from the Diocese of Toledo on Students for Life organizations. SPSS HS CCD students have been invited as well, and will cap the night off with a hot dog cookout. Please note that parents will receive a Flocknote regarding where this presentation will be held.

If anyone has questions, please let me know.

Ruth Gerding, Coordinator of HS CCD
567-204-1275
stjohnshsccd@gmail.com

Wednesday Adoration 6:30 – 7:30pm

Youth Director

Message from Colleen Halker

colleen_halker@yahoo.com

Wednesday high school CCD Class with hot dog cookout along with students from Ottawa Sts. Peter & Paul.

Bulletin and Parish Notification emails: If you would like to receive the bulletin and other parish notifications via email, please let us know by sending an email to stjohns@bright.net



GRANDorf Drawing will be next Sun., September 12, during the Outreach Breakfast in the cafeteria. Next drawing will be Sun., Oct. 10.

DID YOU KNOW?

Edna Michel will celebrate her 88th birthday on September 8

Marilyn Siebeneck will celebrate her 87th birthday on September 10

Norbert Bockrath will celebrate his 90th birthday on September 14

HAPPY BIRTHDAY EDNA, MARILYN & NORBERT!

RCIA INTEREST – Our next session will start on September 13, 6:00 – 7:30pm, in our parish center. 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. If you are interested, please call the rectory 419-538-6928 to sign up.

FERVORINO – *We cannot change another person; not alone, not with others and not with a whole Church. All we can do is state our position and “if he listens to you” then he / she can take the steps necessary to change themselves. Change comes from within.*

PARENTAL BAPTISM CLASS Sun., Sept. 19, 9:00 – 10:30 AM, in **room 15** in parish center presented by Don Inkrott. Pre-register by calling St. John’s 419-538-6928. Stop by rectory to pick up your book. **Next class will be in 2022. Watch front of bulletin for dates**

Attention all men: THAT MAN IS YOU!! We invite **EVERY** man, young or old, to join us (every week if you can!) Over 40 men in our parish attended regularly last year and we want you to see what you're missing. Help us spread the power of TMIY! Bring a friend, neighbor, brother, and anyone else; let's grow the number of men who are seeing and feeling the benefits of TMIY!

How would you like to learn more about our Catholic faith? Become a better husband? Become a more loving father? Build friendships with other like-minded men? Are you looking to deepen your relationship with God? Do you want to be the best man you can be?

TMIY "THY KINGDOM COME", YEAR 9, Is Starting Saturday, September 18th, 6am-7:30am in the cafeteria. We are also offering Wednesday sessions again beginning September 22nd, 7pm-8:30pm. Watch the bulletin for more information.

Contact Mike Karhoff for more information @ 419-796-0763, mbkarhoff@bright.net

Putnam County Right to Life will be meeting on Tuesday, September 7, 2021, at 7:30 pm in the church basement of Kalida St. Michael's. All are welcome!

ALTAR ROSARY BINGO/BAKE SALE changed to October 24.

If you are **interested in becoming a priest or brother** of the **Missionaries of the Precious Blood** please contact the Vocations Office: **Rev. Stephen Dos Santos, C.PP.S., Director of Vocation Ministry** @ 937-228-9263 or connect with us on Facebook: Vocation Ministries Facebook Page or website vocation@cpps-preciousblood.org

GLANDORF ST. JOHN’S MARRIAGE PREP: PRE-CANA CLASS here in our parish center will be a one-day class on Sunday, November 7, starting at the 10:30 Mass. If you haven’t registered for this class at the rectory please do so by e-mailing stjohns@bright.net Enjoy your engagement & blessed planning!

PARISH CENTER RENTAL FEES WENT UP ON SEPTEMBER 1, 2021. The parish took the old Glandorf Elementary School building over in 2011. Ten years later we were still using those same rental fees. If you have your party/wedding scheduled already you will be grandfathered in with the old fees. Any new parties/weddings scheduled after September 1 will follow the new pricing.

TRIP TO MEDJUGORJE – a petition box is back in church on radiator if you would like your intentions brought over to Medjugorje please drop in box. Deadline is September 6. Thank you! Connie Dehnart

ENGAGED COUPLES getting married in 2021-22 need to contact Fr. Tony 6 months before your marriage for filling out proper paperwork and completing PMI. It is **your** responsibility to call for an appointment or can’t promise you a wedding here at St. John’s.

THE FRIENDS OF THE PUTNAM CO DISTRICT LIBRARY are sponsoring a Chicken BBQ Dinner from 11AM – 1PM on Sunday, September 26, at the Ottawa Library Location, 136 Putnam Parkway. \$9 presale tickets are available at the Ottawa Library on Thurs., Sept. 2 and Thurs., Sept. 9 from 10AM – 7PM both days. Or call 419-538-6592 or email klokuley@woh.rr.com Proceeds will benefit all Putnam Co District libraries.

St. Catherine's Embrace Keepsake Boxes Available

St. Catherine's Embrace is an outreach ministry that acknowledges and supports the many families in the St. George Deanery/ Putnam County area who have lost babies through miscarriage or stillbirth. We offer prayers, resources and an engraved keepsake box filled with helpful books, artwork and handmade memorial items crafted by parishioners from across the county. **There are now trained volunteers in this parish who can respond to families directly.** If you or someone you love experiences a miscarriage or stillbirth, we are here to help. Simply call the parish office at 419-538-6928 and we will take care of the rest. Are you interested in volunteering with St. Catherine's Embrace? We have multiple ways to get involved. We need woodworkers, seamstresses and parish outreach volunteers in particular at this time. Please call or text Mary Beth at (419)980-8065 or email Marybeth@marybethw.com if you are interested in learning how your talents and gifts can be used to accompany local families in their time of need.

NOTICE – Church is locked at **5:00pm** during the week unless there is a scheduled event going on in church.

Remember Those Who Have Gone Before Us-September 5-11

Jacob M Schroeder 9/5/94	Henry J Verhoff 9/9/14
Richard S Quinn 9/5/09	Melvin W Verhoff 9/9/15
Marianne Gable 9/6/77	Matilda M Edelbrock 9/10/77
Elizabeth J Duling 9/7/88	Ruth J Brown 9/10/04
Norbert J Gerding 9/7/06	Clifford D Stehlik 9/10/08
Wilma A Hohenbrink 9/7/20	Rick E Young 9/10/08
Robert H Strauer 9/8/75	Joyce M Ruhe 9/11/91
Laura M Leopold 9/8/77	Charles W Schierloh 9/11/95
Phyllis Schroeder 9/8/90	Mary Jane Hunt 9/11/12
Quinton C Schmenk 9/8/16	Leon Sager 9/11/14

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

STEWARDSHIP

August 29th 2021 Collection

Adults \$7,364.00 Auto Electronic Giving \$1,931.25 Loose \$630.12 Children \$124.00 Total: \$10,049.37

Heartbeat Pregnancy Center of Putnam County is located at 1225 E. Third St. Ottawa. Phone number 419-523-1150. Hours are Monday 10-1 and Wednesday 1-4. We serve parents from pregnancy up until their child is 3 years old. Please let others know.

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!



St. John the Baptist Catholic Church
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REV. TONY FORTMAN, C.P.P.S.

Pastor

DEACON DONALD INKROTT

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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

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 – The last 2021 date is scheduled for September 19, from 9:00 – 10:30 AM, in room 15, in the parish center - presented by Deacon Don Inkrott. Pre-register by calling rectory.

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 7, 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.

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

Br. Jerry's address: Br. Jerry Schulte, C.P.P.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 CYO HIGH SCHOOL & PUTNAM COUNTY GRADE SCHOOL BOY'S & GIRL'S SPORTING TEAMS

ANNOUNCEMENT: 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 (which is not an excused absence) you will be sitting out one game.—**To play CYO sports, the following are the only excused absences from CCD: sickness, death in family, college visitation day, parish sponsored event, sport tournament games only with O-G athletes/fans involved, and work (up to 3 missed CCD classes due to work).** After the third absence due to work, the player is not permitted to play in a game until he/she returns to CCD class. All other reasons are unexcused. Parents, if your child is sick, please call his/her teacher/leader before class. If necessary, the Parish Council will review attendance or unexcused absence issues on an individual basis. 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 – Council Pres.)