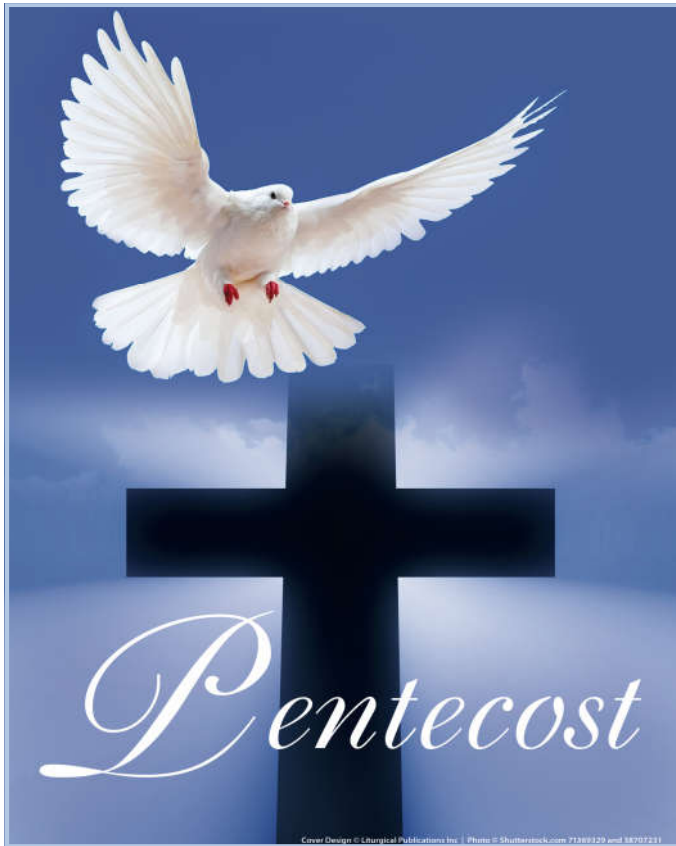


St. Joan Of Arc Church

496 East Washington Street • Chagrin Falls, Ohio 44022

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www.stjoanofarcchurch.org



OUR PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

St. Joan of Arc Parish is a growing community of Roman Catholic Christians in the Chagrin Falls area.

We are a diverse, gifted and joyful people who share a common belief in the Word of Jesus Christ.

Our Mission, like that of Jesus Christ and His apostles, is to proclaim the Kingdom of God through living the gospel and to grow in faith, holiness and service.

WE GATHER AS A CHRIST-CENTERED COMMUNITY TO:

CELEBRATE our faith and the presence of God in the Eucharist and in one another.

IMITATE our Savior in His service to others.

TEACH our beliefs at all levels.

WELCOME the participation of all in our Christian fellowship.

Parish Office (440) 247-7183
Music Ministry Office (440) 935-2232
Rel. Education Office/Sr. Judy Bucco (440) 247-3606
Sr. Ann Marie Kanusek, SND (440) 247-1141
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Rev. Gary J. Malin, Pastor
Sr. Judith Bucco, SND, Director of Religious Education
Mrs. Shelley DiBacco, Principal
Rev. Mr. Jeffrey Dunlop, Permanent Deacon
Rev. Mr. Dennis Guritza, Permanent Deacon
Sr. Ann Marie Kanusek, SND, Pastoral Associate
Miss Melissa Olenik, Coordinator of Youth Ministry
Mr. Patrick Wickliffe, Director of Music

Rev. Damian J. Ference, Weekend Celebrant
Rev. John R. Olsavsky, Former Pastor, Retired

Weekend Mass:

Saturday Vigil - 4:30 p.m.
Sunday - 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., and 12:00 noon

Weekday Mass:

Monday, Thursday & Friday - 8:00 a.m.
Tuesday - 9:00 a.m. (during the school year)/8:00 a.m. Summer
Legal Holidays - 9:00 a.m.

Baptism: At most weekend Masses or on most Sundays at 1:00 p.m. Contact Parish Office.

Reconciliation: (Confession)
Saturdays 3:30 p.m. until all are heard.
(Advent and Lent: 3:15 to 4:00 p.m.)

Sponsor Certificates: Certificates may be obtained by registered, practicing members of our parish who have received the three sacraments of initiation: Baptism, Confirmation and the Eucharist (and married in the church, if married). Please contact the Parish office.

New Parishioners: Welcome!
Call the Parish Office to register.

Sacrament of Marriage: Please contact a priest or deacon at least one year before the anticipated date.

Sessions in the Catholic Faith (RCIA):
Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m., (September thru May).

Care of the Sick and Elderly:
Please inform us of persons sick or aged who are unable to come to church or who are hospitalized.

Funerals: Please contact the parish office before scheduling or publishing (generally through a funeral director).
Bereavement committee available for hospitality.

DATE & SUBJECT

June 4, 2017 — Pentecost
“*Receive the Holy Spirit.*” (John 20:19-23)

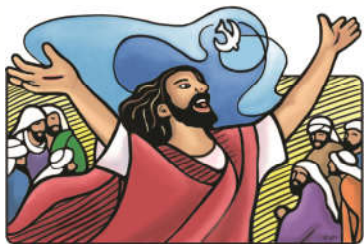
With a small breath, Jesus anticipates the wind of God that descends on Pentecost, bringing with it the power of the Holy Spirit. In this resurrection narrative, we can recall the story of Elijah, waiting on God’s voice through a storm and an earthquake, hearing it at last in a small, still way. This gentle breath has the full force of the storm in its wake. In fact, as the Pentecost story belongs to the tradition of Luke, for the purposes of John’s Gospel this *is* Pentecost.

We who hope for the action of the Spirit in our lives are poised between two traditions: which will it be? Should we look for the Spirit in tongues of fire, inspired speech, and charisma? Or should we expect it with no fanfare, in the softness of a breath, in the tender moment of forgiveness?

Certainly it is easier to spot the action of God in heroic hours, in the midst of wind and flame. But we would be wise not to miss the small, still way that God’s Spirit is available to us, breathing new possibilities into our lives.

Pentecost is often called the birthday of the church. How do you experience the call to be church through the celebration of this feast? What are the gifts that are given to you as a member of the church? How do you put them at the service of the Gospel? Have you experienced the Spirit as wind or as breath? Where is the Spirit speaking in your life now?

Application: Remember the seven gifts you received at Confirmation:



wisdom, understanding, knowledge, counsel, courage, holiness, and reverence? Pray for the grace to use these gifts, and to put yourself wholly at God’s disposal.

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WELCOME TO ST. JOAN’S

Welcome to worship on this day of Pentecost! We celebrate the birth of the church and the ongoing work of the Holy Spirit as we worship today!

MASS INTENTIONS & SCHEDULE

Sunday, June 4th -

8:00 a.m. Rita & Bob Toncar
(Yanulaitis)

10:00 a.m. Joseph Nally, Sr. (Family)
12:00 noon Living & Deceased of SJA

Monday, June 5th - St. Boniface, Bishop

8:00 a.m. James Vickers (Wife)

Tuesday, June 6th – Easter Weekday

8:00 a.m. Mr. & Mrs. Palotai (Harmat)

Wednesday, June 7th - Weekday

8:00 a.m. NO MORNING MASS

Thursday, June 8th - Weekday

8:00 a.m. Veronica & John Dinda
(Yoe)

Friday, June 9th - Weekday

8:00 a.m. Dennis Kapitan (Toth)

Saturday, June 10th - Vigil Mass Vigil Mass:

4:30 p.m. James Stefanek (Wife)

Sunday, June 11th -

8:00 a.m. Living & Deceased of SJA
10:00 a.m. Dennis Doyle (Nally)
12:00 noon David Gleason (Gustavson)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Prayers for Deceased and Ill Members of Our Parish.

In your charity please pray for all the deceased of the Parish. .

Remember the sick of our parish. Especially Viola Folwarczny, Joseph McNeil (husband of Carol), Georgia Wagner, Dr. Patrick O’Hara, Jim Mackey, and Anne McBride. May God’s healing love strengthen them.

WELCOME THE NEWLY BAPTIZED

Recently, the following children were reborn in baptism. We congratulate the families and

Due to the early submission of this bulletin, the collection for both Sunday May 28th and June 4th will appear in the June 11th bulletin.

This Week’s Readings

Sunday: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5/Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-30/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39

Monday: Tb 1:3; 2:1b-8/Ps 112:1b-2, 3b-6/Mk 12:1-12

Tuesday: Tb 2:9-14/Ps 112:1-2, 7-9/Mk 12:13-17

Wednesday: Tb 3:1-11a, 16-17a/Ps 25:2-5ab, 6, 7bc-9/Mk 12:18-27

Thursday: Tb 6:10-11; 7:1bcde, 9-17; 8:4-9a/Ps 128:1-5/Mk 12:28-34

Friday: Tb 11:5-17/Ps 146:1b-2, 6c-10/Mk 12:35-37

Saturday: Tb 12:1, 5-15, 20/Tb 13:2, 6efgh-8/Mk 12:38-44

Next Sunday: Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9/Dn 3:52-56/2 Cor 13:11-13/Jn 3:16-18

welcome them into our Christian community:

Ellie Rose Vehar, daughter of Michael & Susan.

Wyatt Augustine Kler, son of Jeremy & Jennifer.

Gabriella Alexandra Ippolito, daughter of John & Tatiana.

LOOKING TO RESPOND TO THE CHALLENGE?

Do so by joining the St. Joan of Arc Ushers. Everyone is welcome to join us. Stop and give your name and phone number to one of the ushers on duty or call the parish office (440.247.7183). We will be waiting to hear from you. Thank you.

FRUIT OF THE SPIRIT
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WEEKEND MASS CELEBRANT

6/10 & 6/11

4:30 Fr. Damian

8:00 Fr. Damian

10:00 Fr. Gary

12:00 Fr. Gary

(subject to change)

From the Pastor

Greetings of Easter Peace.

This weekend we **celebrate the Pentecost** and conclude the Easter Season. Hopefully we have been reminded of the joy of new life of Easter these past 50 days and will journey forward in our daily living with hope and renewed faith!



We just renovated **the confessional in church**--adding windows and a door--and so the confessional will again be used at the "reconciliation room." Some "detail work" still needs to be completed (such as painting, etc.), but we have begun to use the confessional again for the sacrament. We did this work in the confessional in an effort to make sure all people (including priests!) are safe--physically and spiritually.

Speaking of "work," there are a few **projects will undertake this summer at St. Joan of Arc** on our buildings and grounds. I will report on these in coming bulletin columns. Your generous stewardship and support of the parish makes all this possible. Thank you very much.



The **Parish Day School has concluded its academic year.** We hope the students, faculty, and staff have a great summer. As the "old song" says, *It's was a very good year!* And congratulations graduates!

Speaking of **Summer**--we are fast approaching the end of Spring and beginning of Summer! With the days getting sunnier and warmer, be sure to take some time to enjoy nature and thank God for the many blessings bestowed upon us every day.

At St Joan's we are updating some of our technology in the parish office. As a result, the internet will be updated to a different "provider." Because of this the parish email will be changed. The **new parish email address is stjoanchagr@gmail.com** effective immediately. Email sent to the "old email" will still be received for a short time. Thank you for making a note of this!

One final note on the **Daily Mass Schedule: Tuesday morning mass will be celebrated at 8:00 am for the summer months of June, July, and August.** (After Labor Day and when school is back in session Tuesday mass will be at 9:00 am. Until then, Tuesday morning mass will be at 8:00 am throughout the summer.) Thank you for making a note of this!



Blessings and Peace,

Fr. Gary

SPECIAL EVENTS

50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Reservations are now being accepted for couples married 50 years. The Mass will be on Sunday, July 30th at 2:30 p.m. at St. John Cathedral. Forms are available in the parish office and in the Gathering Area. Please bring completed it to the parish office before June 19th.

PARISH NEWS

ST. JOAN OF ARC CO-ED SOFTBALL TEAM

St. Joan's will be fielding a softball team in the upcoming Kenston Community Education underhand, slow pitch league. The league rules are: Teams are co-ed, Playing for fun; Players must be at least 14 years old; \$30 registration fee per player which includes team

jersey (which will be covered by the parish); Season runs from early June to late July; 9 regular games in the season, plus follow-on playoffs.

Games are played at Kenston's River Road Park on Sundays at 4:00 p.m., 5:15 p.m. or 6:30 p.m. There may be one or more doubleheaders, depending on number of teams in league.

Please contact Mark Porter (email:

mp@mporterlaw.com) for more details and to sign up.

SJA AVILA MINISTRY

The Avila Ministry meets on the second Friday of each month for their holy hour which consists of attending 8:00 a.m. Mass, recitation of the Rosary and Vocation prayers (books will be available). We will meet on Friday, June 9th. For more information or questions, please contact Evelyn Yoe at 440.338.8761.

OFFICE OF FAITH FORMATION **PSR REGISTRATION**

Thank you for your **early return** of the 2017-18 Registration Packets and other important forms. Packets are available in the Office of Faith Formation and on the website: www.stjoanofarcchurch.org. A \$10.00 late fee will be charged for **each child after June 30th**.

SPECIAL NOTE:

Two years of sacramental preparation is required. If you have a child entering 1st or 7th grade and desire that he/she receive the Sacrament of Eucharist and in 2nd or Confirmation in 8th grade the following year, please make sure to register them in our SJA Parish School of Religion for the 2017-2018 school year.

MARK THE DATES: SJA VBC "MAKER FUN FACTORY, CREATED BY GOD, BUILT FOR A PURPOSE"

Our SJA Vacation Bible Camp will be the week of June 19-23. We promise that it will be a week of fun, adventure, and learning as the children discover a world where curious kids become hands-on inventors who realize they're lovingly crafted by God! We invite children 4 years old through 4th grade and our "Adventure Crew," the 5th and 6th component of our VBC program, to attend.

With any successful parish VBC Program, comes the need for



St. Joan of Arc Catholic School News

By Mrs. Shelley DiBacco,
School Principal

Faith. Academics. Excellence



Wow! The end of another wonderful school year!! Our school year officially ended on Friday, June 2nd. As another academic year draws to a close, we thank the Almighty for all the happy times and have drawn strength from Him during troubled times. We are both pleased with the students' progress, and saddened to lose them for the summer!

I have learned that it is impossible to accomplish anything without the help of others so I would like to take this opportunity to extend some well-deserved thank yous! Together, we have made this a *great* year.

THANKS to the St. Joan of Arc faculty and staff. I couldn't ask for a more dedicated, supportive group of professionals.

THANKS to all of the **many** parent volunteers without whom St. Joan of Arc would not be the fantastic school that it is. Catholic schools, especially super ones like ours, do not exist without the kind of commitment you have shown time and time again. You make a difference in the in the lives of our students and staff. We are truly blessed!

THANKS to our pastor, Fr. Gary J. Malin for his never-ending support of Catholic education and for his help in molding our students into fine young Christians.

SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS FOR THE SUMMER

The school office will be open June 5-30 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. The office will be closed beginning July 1st. The school office will re-open on August 14th with hours from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. The first day of school is August 28th. Packets with details about August events and the opening of school will be available for pick-up beginning August 14th. Please continue to pray for our students, faculty and administration throughout the summer.

Have a Wonderful Summer!

generous volunteers as Teen Crew Leaders (Gr. 8-12) and aides (Gr. 7-8) to help our adult Station Leaders. **WE NEED YOU!** Please consider volunteering for any of our VBC needs.

**VBC Registration Forms for both Campers and Volunteers are in the Gathering Area and on the website: stjoanofarcchurch.org.

YOUTH MINISTRY **SERVANTS 4 CHRIST**

June 26, 6 pm—June 29, 7:30 pm. Attention HS teens going into 9-12 grade next fall. Are you looking to volunteer in the community and earn 15 service hours while having fun? Consider S4C, a 3-day

service camp & retreat. Each day you'll go out into the community to volunteer, come back for dinner, an evening program and social time. Servants for Christ is a collaborative event between 5 local parish youth groups. Our base camp is located at St. Rita's in Solon. Cost \$90. Download a Registration Packet on the parish website for full details or contact Melissa at stjoanofarcym@gmail.com or 440-247-4316. Register NOW to reserve your spot!

GARDEN OF LIFE

All the spring planting has been done. Thank you to all of the volunteers who helped put the



Father's Day Flowers

Anyone wishing to remember loved ones (living and/or deceased) on Father's Day may do so by either using the envelope provided in the monthly packet or pick up an envelope from the table in the Gathering Area marked "Flowers Donation" and either place it in the collection basket or mail to the parish office. **Clearly print** the information on the envelope requesting who the remembrance is for.

annuals in and weed the garden. A special thank you to the children who planted seeds and bulbs!

The garden is an amazing asset to the church and a wonderful place to just sit quietly and reflect and pray and to have your wedding pictures taken.

We plan to pray the Rosary in the garden every Wednesday at 10 a.m. during the months of June, July and August. Please join us!!!

In the meantime, we are still in need of volunteers for the maintenance of the garden. Trimming, deadheading, weeding – there is always something that needs to be done. Any amount of time is welcome. Volunteers make their own schedule and it is a fun project for families to volunteer on together!!! Call Samantha Taylor (440) 715-5108 for information.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION COMING PROGRAMS

Bible studies and other offerings will once again be available to you beginning in September. Watch our Website and check future bulletins for more information. Programs will begin in September.

WELLNESS MINISTRY SHAWL MINISTRY

Our final meeting was on May 9th. The Shawl Ministry will start meeting again in September. In the meantime, if you know of anyone in need of a shawl, we do have them available at the parish office. Please call Karen at 440.247.7183 ahead of time to make arrangements to pick

up a shawl. You may also contact Myra Janda at 440.543.9359 and coordinator Rebecca Rybak at 607.731.9684. Watch future bulletins for the fall meeting date. Thank you.

FAMILY PERSPECTIVES

We want to be perfect, but we aren't. We are all wounded. What annoys us in another is often something that pains us about ourselves. In our families, let's take a tip from today's gospel and forgive our imperfections. Then we will experience the peace that Jesus promises in today's reading.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, June 4th

Masses: 8 am, 10 am, 12 noon
3:00 pm Rosary Cenacle (Chapel)
6:30 pm YM Basketball (OC)

Monday, June 5th

7:00 pm Baptism Group (GA)
7:00 pm PPC Information Night (Hall)

Wednesday, June 7th

7:30 pm Boy Scouts Court of Honor (Hall)

CALENDAR OF EVENTS (con't):

Saturday, June 3rd

Vigil Mass: 4:30 pm

3:15 pm Confessions (Church)

Sunday, June 11th

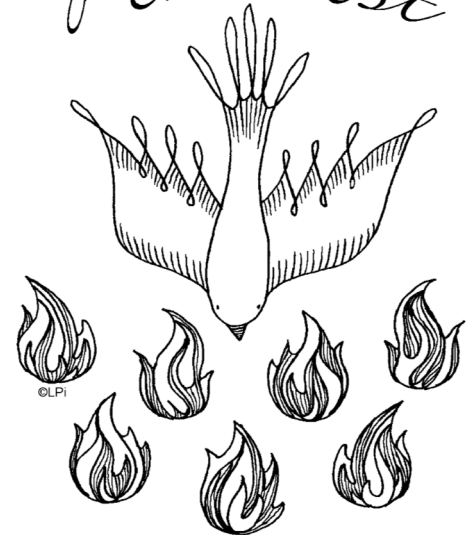
Masses: 8 am, 10 am, 12 noon

12 noon Mass honoring Graduates (Church)

1:00 pm Reception for Grads (Hall)

3:00 pm Rosary Cenacle (Chapel)

Pentecost



Save the Date

RUMMAGE

Drop Off: July 22-23

Sale: July 27-28-29

Visit parish website for full details





Celebrate Our
High School Graduates
Sunday June 11, 2017
12 noon Mass

All graduating high school seniors are welcome to join us for Mass to celebrate your graduation followed by cake and refreshments in the parish hall!

Seniors are needed to help as gift bearers, ushers, cantors, lectors, and Eucharistic Ministers--if certified as an Eucharistic Minister through their Catholic High School.

Contact Melissa Olenik at 440-247-4316 or stjoanofarcym@gmail.com if you would like to volunteer by June 5.

Parent liaisons: Annie Amata 440-220-0540 annie@natliq.com
& Mary Curran 216-312-3391 curranm@ccf.org



**Faith and Hoops
Kick-Off**
Sunday, June 4, 6:30-8pm
Olsavsky Center

Boys, grades 9-12 (next fall), join us for a new group of casual basketball and prayer

We'll meet every Sunday starting June 4, 6:30-8pm during the summer

Join us when you can and invite your friends!

RSVP to Mike Wise mwise@mcdonaldhopkins.com

or Sven Wiberg slmbbjw@aol.com

or Melissa Olenik stjoanofarycm@gmail.com

Girls interested in starting a group, contact Melissa for more info