Alleluia!

Fifth Sunday of Easter
Saint Charles Borromeo Parish
Parma, Ohio
Fifth Sunday of Easter

April 24, 2016

Entrance
#80—Jesus Is Risen

Sprinkling with Holy Water
Springs of Water...L. Trapp

Offertory
#511—We Have Been Told

Psalm 145
I will praise your name forever, my King and my God

Communion
I Will Be the Vine...L. Lawton

Closing
#573—Alleluia No. 1

BAPTISMS
Congratulations and God’s blessings to Danielle & Adam Kresak on the Baptism of their son, Edison Jacob; to Sandra & Michael Ritley on the Baptism of their son, Ryan Michael.

II Jennifer Jackson & Adam Ausperk
I Sarah Black & Sergio Basurto
I Julie Golem & John Garswood
I Astrid Hernandez & James Smith

LIFE IS CHANGED, NOT ENDED
Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord
James Brennan
Charles Mazur
William Blatt
Frank Loria
Valerie Gayda
Andrew Fisher

We congratulate our 2016 Confirmation Candidates.
May the grace of the Holy Spirit fill their lives.

ST. CHARLES HOLY NAME SOCIETY
WELCOMES DEACON DANIEL GALLA
“Releasing the Power of our Rosary”
Thursday, April 28th
7:30pm
Parish Activity Center
(Go up the 2nd floor & turn left to John Paul II Room.)

In the past, Deacon Dan has addressed: “Catholics and the Jewish People: Our Older Brothers in the Faith,” “Voting with a Well-Formed Conscience,” “The Importance of Baptism in Daily Life,” and “What Pope Francis is Saying and not Saying,” and “The Four Signs of a Dynamic Catholic.”

Our Deacon, Teacher of Theology at St. Ignatius, does an in-depth preparation for these timely presentations and would welcome your attendance. The semi-annual presentation will allow for a Q&A period as well as interactive participation.

Doors open at 7:15pm. Meeting is free and open to the public with complimentary refreshments. Any questions, call Fred Hollman, President, St. Charles HNS (440)884-6179.
Over the years, St Charles Borromeo Parish has served many times as a field placement site for the pastoral training of seminarians during their theology studies. There are now more than a dozen Cleveland priests who have spent a portion of their seminary time with us. Since last September, we have been blessed to have Matt Cortnik, from St John Vianney Parish in Mentor, as a seminarian intern. Matt completes his eight month assignment this Sunday and he must now return to his studies at St Mary Seminary. If all goes well—and we expect it will—Matt will be ordained a priest in May of 2018.

Although somewhat quiet at the beginning, Matt has made a positive impression upon many. He is an excellent speaker and teacher. He is friendly and outgoing. He was most faithful to wakes and to hospital and nursing home visitation. He has a lively sense of humor and he likes to laugh. He was a joy in the house and his quick wit and friendly ways will be missed by all of us.

We assure Matt of our prayerful support as he returns to the classroom. I have asked Matt to remember us in his prayers and Masses. I am also most grateful to the parishioners who served on Matt’s Laity Formation Board. Matt tells me that he leaves us reluctantly; he also tells me he has enjoyed his time here and he believes that he has benefitted from the opportunities he has had to serve you.

If you would like to drop a farewell note or card, or just keep in touch, here’s Matt’s address, effective April 25:

Matthew Cortnik
C P & L—St Mary Seminary
28700 Euclid Avenue
Wickliffe OH  44092

Deacon Kevin Klonowski, of St Charles Borromeo Parish, is scheduled for ordination to the priesthood on Saturday May 21. If anyone knows a serious reason why Kevin should not be ordained a priest, please contact me at 440-884-3030 or by e-mail at jtcere@aol.com.

Earlier this year, we were informed that Bishop Richard Lennon would join us for Confirmation on Sunday, April 24 at 2:30pm. However, in the past few weeks, the Bishop’s doctors have directed him to curtail considerably his busy schedule due to the Bishop’s recent heart trouble and surgery. Bishop Lennon has delegated Father Donald Oleksiak to confirm this year’s class. Father Oleksiak is the Director of Clergy Personnel and Vicar General of the Diocese of Cleveland. This Sunday afternoon, we will welcome Father Oleksiak to St Charles and we congratulate the seventy-seven eighth graders who will be confirmed. We also thank the teachers and the administrators of our PCRF and Day School programs for their dedicated work with our young people.

Evangelization Committee members are reminded of our meeting this Monday, April 25, 7:30pm, in the John XXIII Room (second floor) of the PAC. Terrie Baldwin, from the Diocesan Evangelization Office, will join us.
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**St. Charles Youth Ministry**

**HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP MINISTRY**

* (Grades 9-12)

Believe . Belong . Become

- Upperclassmen Leadership Team
- Youth-Focused & Youth-Led Mass
- New Days & Times for Events
- Twice a Month Events for 9th-12th Graders

Tuesday, April 26… 7:30-9:00 Transform in the JPII Room of the Parish Activity Center.

**ATTENTION ALL 2016 GRADUATES BOTH COLLEGE AND HIGH SCHOOL**

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**FOR MOM ON MOTHER’S DAY**

Looking for the perfect way to remember Mom on Mother’s Day? Enroll your Mom, living or deceased, in St Charles’ Memorial Confraternity. All Moms will be remembered at the 10:30am Mass on Mother’s Day, Sunday, May 8th. Moms will also be remembered at a Mothers’ Memorial Confraternity Mass to be offered once-per-month June 2016 to April 2017. Pick up a Confraternity card from the Parish Office after Mass today. Your free-will offering will be gratefully accepted.

**HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP**

**MOTHER’S DAY FLOWER SALE**

May 7th & 8th

After all Mother’s Day weekend Masses. Carnations will be available in a variety of colors for $1.00. Surprise your Mom with the gift of flowers or honor her memory if you plan a visit to the cemetery.

**JUNIOR HIGH YOUTH MINISTRY**

*(7th and 8th graders)*

Tuesday, April 26… 4:00-5:30pm Junior High Youth Ministry Closing Event. We will meet in Lower Parish Hall and walk over to church together for a prayer service. After we will return to Lower Parish Hall for an Ice Cream Social. All 6th, 7th and 8th graders (Day School & PCRF) are welcome to attend. We will say good-bye to our present 8th graders and welcome our new 6th grade members into Junior High Youth Ministry.

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Loveliness, Dressed in Blue

Do you remember a custom of long ago when a statue of the Blessed Mother belonging to the parish would travel from home to home and stay for a period of time? When the statue was brought to your home, you, your family and friends would pray a Rosary a day for one week and then she was picked up and taken to another waiting family.

This devotion will again be sponsored by the Legion of Mary at St Charles during the month of May and you are being invited to pray to this lovely Lady in your home. You need only to fill out the form found in the carousals in the church’s lobbies or call Chris Brindle at (440) 845-5810 with your name, address and phone number to be put on the waiting list. The Legion of Mary will contact you to make arrangements for your personal visit.
WALKING WIDE-AWAKE
A Survey of 8 Catholic Spiritual Masters

Wednesday Evenings in May
7:00 – 8:15 PM
The Upper Room (PAC)

St. Thomas Aquinas
St. Therese of Lisieux
Thomas Merton
Fr. Henri Nouwen
St. Catherine of Siena
Dorothy Day
Joseph Cardinal Bernardin
Sr. Helen Prejean, CSJ

All are Welcome!
Please register by May 1st: $5/person
Questions?
Please contact Brian Pelcin in the Parish Office.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION
& BENEDICTION
In Memory of Mother Angelica

Wednesday, April 27th
Merici Chapel ~ 7:00pm

All events are open to the Parish and the General Public.

LIFE, LOVE AND MERCY

“I see clearly that the thing the Church needs most today is the ability to heal wounds. ... Ministers of the Church must be ministers of mercy above all.”
— Pope Francis

Christopher West has been on the front lines of the New Evangelization for over 20 years, traveling the globe proclaiming the hopeful, healing message of St. John Paul II’s Theology of the Body to a sexually troubled world. The Jubilee Year of Mercy has inspired him to present the themes of this liberating teaching in a whole new way — by sharing candidly his own story of learning how to open his broken life to God’s mercy.

THURSDAY, MAY 12, 2016
7 P.M.
NO COST TO ATTEND.

ST. CHARLES BORROMEO CHURCH
5881 RIDGE ROAD, PARMA, OHIO
FOR MORE INFORMATION: 440-884-3030

CASINO BUS TRIP
Fundraiser Sponsored by the St. Charles Ladies Guild
Meadows Casino
Washington, PA
Wednesday, June 8th

$40/pp / $30 play back money
Leave new parking lot 9:00am; return around 7:30pm
All are Welcome!!

Reservations due by June 3rd to the Parish Office in envelope marked Ladies Guild Bus Trip — Pat Lawler
Checks payable for $40 to: St. Charles Ladies Guild
For more information, call Pat Lawler (440)843-9186
St. Charles Borromeo Church
April 24, 2016

The National Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of Fatima
is coming to
St. Charles Borromeo Parish

Tuesday, 3 May 2016

Private veneration from 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
In case of Funerals, veneration will be interrupted.

Public Ceremonies will begin at 7:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.
Mass for the Feast of Ss. Philip and James,
Talk by the Custodian of the National Pilgrim Statue,
Enrollment in the Brown Scapular,
Recitation of The Glorious Mysteries of the Rosary
with the Litany of Loreto,
Consecration to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary,
Eucharistic Benediction, and
Good Will Offering Collection
for the continued traveling of the Pilgrim Virgin Statue
and the World Apostolate of Our Lady of Fatima.

CERTIFICATE PROGRAM
$100 WINNER
Mary Ann Gerity

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Spring is around the corner and it is time for the Annual Knights of Columbus Super Cash Bonanza. Each ticket is only $5 and the proceeds from each sale benefit St. Charles. For more information and for tickets please contact a fellow St. Charles Knight, PTU member, or visit the Parish Office.

On April 25th at 7:45pm in the Borromeo room of the Activity Center, please join the Knights of Columbus in welcoming a representative from Lifebanc who will give a presentation. The presentation will be about their efforts to encourage organ donation, and to share information regarding the upcoming Transplant Games, and the Gift of Life Walk and Run on June 11th downtown. Everyone in the Parish is welcome to attend. We will start the rosary at 7:30pm.
Please Pray the Rosary.

Bakers Square
AND THE
Knights of Columbus

ST. CHARLES BORROME O COUNCIL #16137
have partnered to help our special needs parishioners in our St. Charles Borromeo Special Education Program.

COME TO THE BAKERS SQUARE RESTAURANT AT

7011 W. 130TH Street, Parma Heights | 440-888-8058
TUESDAY, APRIL 26, 2016
between the hours of 7:00 AM – 10:00 PM
and 20% of your guest check will be donated to the
Knights of Columbus Measure Up Program for our
St. Charles Borromeo Special Education Program.

A special flyer must be presented to the cashier for the 20% donation to be recorded. Flyers are available at the Parish Office.

Come and enjoy some Pie and help those who participate in our Special Education Program.

How do you “measure up” in practicing the Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy?

Need new furniture or accessories for your home? Stop in Basista Furniture on State Rd in Parma and present a special Parish Discount/Donation Voucher upon entering the store. St. Charles parishioners will receive an additional discount from sale prices. Also, a donation will be made to St. Charles Borromeo Parish upon delivery of your order!!
BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION
St. Charles School participates in the Box Tops for Education fundraising program. Box Tops can be found on items like Progresso soup, Cheerios and Kleenex. We would appreciate it if you would save them for the school. Box Tops can be dropped off at the parish or school office. Any questions, call Debbie at the school office (440)886-5546. Thank you for your support!

THE 50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION
The annual 50th Wedding Anniversary Celebration will be held on Sunday, July 31st at the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist. Bishop Richard G. Lennon, will be the principal celebrant. Reservations are now being accepted for couples married 50 years (married in 1966). Couples celebrating other significant anniversaries (55 or over) or who have missed previous celebrations are welcome to register and attend. Seating is limited in the Cathedral. The number of guests will be determined by the seating capacity and total number registered.

Date & Time: Sunday, July 31st, 2016—2:30pm Mass
Place: Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist

Please register in the Parish Office by June 26th. On or after July 15, registered couples will receive a letter with instructions, map and driving/parking details.

If you have any questions, contact:
Jane (216)334-2978; email jschwendeman@ccdocle.org or Jason (216)334-2974; email jrlewis@ccdocle.org

ENGAGED ENCOUNTER
Catholic Engaged Encounter is a comprehensive weekend of marriage preparation held three times a year at the St. Leonard Retreat Center, 4076 Case Road, Avon, Ohio 44011. For questions call Alex and Lily Fuentes (216)849-3769. Cost is $185 per couple. The dates for 2016 are May 20-22 and October 14-16, 2016. Visit their website for more information and to register – www.clevelandencounter.com.

MEMORIAL MASS FOR MOTHER MARY ANGELICA OF THE ANNUNCIATION
Wednesday, April 27th — 7:00pm
Conversion of St. Paul Shrine
Poor Clares of Perpetual Adoration Monastery
4108 Euclid Ave, Cleveland 44103
Shrine Phone: 216-431-8854
Refreshments immediately following — hosted by AM1260, The Rock. If you are interested in carpooling, call Joan Kuczek (440)884-0338.

MARY QUEEN OF PEACE (216-749-2323)
LEAF: A Ministry to Families of the Incarcerated. Meets monthly on the fourth Wednesday of the month (next one is April 27th at 7pm in the Parish Center). Offering an opportunity to those who come to listen and share community, network and learn from others who understand their situation, challenges, fears and emotions. Visit the website: www.leafministry.org for more information.

ST. LEO THE GREAT (216-661-1006)
Bus trip, Tuesday, May 10th, Mansfield, Ohio, stops at Mansfield Memorial Museum, Richland Carrousel Park, Der Dutchman Restaurant, Possum Run Greenhouse, Wayne’s Country Market, Eatmor Bundt Co. & Olivesbury General Store. $66/person. For more info, call Joanne (440)426-3505.

ST. THOMAS MORE (216-749-0414)
Bingo on Wednesdays in the gym. Doors open at 5pm and Early Birds begin at 6:30pm

FOREVER IN OUR HEARTS
In loving memory of Saint Charles School students, Anthony Kashi and Emily Collaros, we offer these t-shirts in support. The gray color for the shirt represents brain cancer and the orange lettering, leukemia. The profit on these shirts is minimal. Our goal is to have as many family and friends purchase and wear this t-shirt. Any profit will be donated. To order by April 28, see the school website: www.saintcharlesschool.org.

Save the Dates
Saturday – June 4, 2016
8:30 a.m.
St. John Bosco Run

Friday – June 3, 4:00-7:00
Parish Community Spaghetti Dinner Catered by Bruno’s Ristorante

Details coming soon on the St. John Bosco Parish website at Sjbosco.com

All Proceeds will support The St. Vincent DePaul Society of St. John Bosco Parish and The Parma Heights Food Bank