

# Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



## Saturday, April 16th

### +4th Sunday of Easter

- 4:00 p.m. St. Bernard Mass for Bill Pompey  
from Vince & Diane Pompey  
6:00 p.m. St. Rose Mass for William Bill Fiore  
from Gary & Joan Wollenberg

## SUNDAY, April 17th

### +4th Sunday of Easter

#### World Day of Prayer for Vocations

- 7:30 a.m. St. Rose Mass for Jack Fisher  
from the Fisher Siblings  
9:00 a.m. Church of the Atonement  
Mass for Gertrude Blosser  
from Patty & Shirley  
9:00 a.m. St. Patrick Mass for Fr. Bill Metzger  
from Glen, Gail, Jim, Katy,  
Laura & Matt Finck  
10:30 a.m. St. Rose Mass for Robert Stalter  
from Ruth Ann

## Monday, April 18th

### + Easter Weekday

- 8:00 a.m. Mass for Tootie Dusenberry  
from Barb Patterson

## Tuesday, April 19th

### + Easter Weekday

- 8:00 a.m. Mass for Rodney & John Potts  
from the Family

## Wednesday, April 20th

### + Easter Weekday

- 8:00 a.m. Mass for The People of God

## Thursday, April 21st

### + St. Anselm

- 8:00 a.m. Mass for the People of God

## Friday, April 22nd

### + Easter Weekday

- 8:00 a.m. (Note time change) **NO SCHOOL**  
Mass for William & Dolores Fiore  
from the Family

## Saturday, April 23rd

### + 5th Sunday of Easter

- 4:00 p.m. St. Bernard Mass for Lucille Summers  
from Megan Matthew Swanson  
6:00 p.m. St. Rose Mass for Bill Fiore from the Family

## Sunday, April 24th

### + 5th Sunday of Easter

- 7:30 a.m. Mass for Emma Printz  
from Mike & Jane Halaiko & Family  
9:00 a.m. Church of the Atonement Mass  
for Gertrude Blosser from Fred Cook  
9:00 a.m. St. Patrick Mass for Leon Blosser  
from George & Ann Wilson  
10:30 a.m. St. Rose Mass for William & Dolores Fiore  
from the Family

## POPE FRANCIS:

You young people are brave adventurers! If you allow yourselves to discover the rich teachings of the Church on love, you will discover that Christianity does not consist of a series of prohibitions which stifle our desire for happiness, but rather a project for life capable of captivating our hearts

## **A Prayer for Vocations**

*God our Father, You made each of us to use our gifts in the Body of Christ. We ask that You inspire young people whom You call to the priesthood and consecrated life to courageously follow Your will. Send workers to Your great harvest so that the Gospel is preached, the poor are served with love, the suffering are comforted, and Your people are strengthened by the sacraments. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen*

## THIS WEEK IN THE PARISHES AND COMING EVENTS:

### Monday, April 18th

- Noon – Over 50 Lunch & Fun Afternoon  
5:00 p.m. Education Commission Meeting

### April 19th-22nd

- Scholastic BOGO Book Fair

### Tuesday, April 19th

- 10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. – St. Vincent de Paul OPEN

### Wednesday, April 20th

- 5:15 p.m. Holy Hour

### Friday, April 22nd

- NO SCHOOL – Earth Day**  
8:00 a.m. Mass

### Saturday, April 23d

- 7:30 a.m. Catholic Men Meet  
Chinese Auction will benefit 8th grade trip  
4:00 p.m. Gift Shop at St. Bernard

## SCHOOL NEWS FROM: MR. MEDAUGH, PRINCIPAL

**St. Rose School website:**  
**www.stroselimaschool.org**  
**Registration Process:**

April 11-May 13 – Second Enrollment Period: All paperwork must be turned in.

April 29th is the deadline for Ed-Choice Expansion Scholarships. It is absolutely critical that you renew this scholarship. Mrs. Medaugh will assist you in this process. Please call the school office if you have any issues. The number is 740-342-3043.

All Parish Subsidy Forms and Non-member Tuition Scholarship forms are due by May 13th.

May 16-May 27– Parish Subsidy Tuition Assistance and Non-Member Scholarships will be awarded.

Students may still register throughout the summer. While we will still honor Parish Subsidy Forms and the Non-Member Tuition Assistance Forms, no named scholarships will be awarded after May 27th.

We have four named scholarships this year. They are: Msgr. James J. Carroll Scholarship, Fr. Jack Dreesse Scholarship, Coach Bob Fowle Scholarship, and The Daniel and Barbara Mooney Scholarship. It is the intention of St. Rose Catholic School to award money from these scholarships to cover the increase in next year's tuition. These scholarships have limited funds available and once they are depleted, no additional scholarships will be awarded. They are awarded on a first-come, first-serve basis. These scholarships are in addition to the Parish Subsidy. Anyone wanting to donate to these scholarships may do so.

After finishing *Forming Intentional Disciples* by Sherry A. Weddell, the more I read, the more I became concerned with the school's mission statement. "St. Rose School shares in the Catholic Church's mission to make and be **disciples** of Christ." I always thought that being a "disciple" was being a "follower." And I always thought being a follower was easy. After all, the only requirements were to follow Jesus around, be nice to people, and do the occasional Corporal Works of Mercy. But, after finishing the book, I realized that being a disciple required a little more of me than following Jesus around all day. Being a disciple required some thought. It required some effort. It required some doing. *Forming Intentional Disciples* and *Story of the Storm* both paint a pretty bleak picture of Catholic education. A 2008 Pew report stated that 30% of Americans who were raised Catholic attend Mass once a month, 38% still consider themselves Catholic but rarely go to Mass, and 32% of Americans who were raised Catholic no longer consider themselves Catholics, at all. The report also stated that half of all cradle Catholics have left the

Faith by the time they are eighteen. It didn't matter if they went to CCD, Catholic high school, or attended youth group meetings. They were gone. Research has also revealed that the majority of adult Catholics are not even certain that a personal relationship with God is possible. It also reveals that marriages in the Catholic Church have declined by 60% from 1972-2010, and that since many people are not getting married in the Church, they are not bothering to raise their children in the Faith. It is easy to be discouraged by these facts, but at the same time it makes me very, very grateful. It makes me proud to serve a parish who, despite the odds, elects to support a school; Who, despite all the demands on their time, continue to coach, continue to help out with meals, continue to pay for our school, continue to volunteer in the school, and continue to send their children to St. Rose School and take them to Mass. We do have a good thing here. Let's keep the schools mission statement in mind and endeavor to make our students **disciples of Jesus**.

Where the books differ, is *Forming Intentional Disciples* offers some solutions. The main thrust of the book is that many Catholics do not have a personal relationship with Christ. The 29% of us who do go to Mass on a regular basis are often disengaged. In order to create this personal relationship with Christ we need to pray. We need to read about the heroes of our Faith. We need to spend time reflecting and listening for God's voice. We need to be active participants in Mass.

As I prepare for the future of our school, I keep coming back to the thought that we have to use the school to evangelize our community. In 1912, our forefathers created St. Rose School to perpetuate the Catholic Faith. They were interested in creating disciples. I'm guessing that they were hoping to create disciples who could read, write, and run a business as well. I have read that God has no grandchildren. One book I read stated that it only takes three generations to kill off a church. The grandparents build it. The children take it for granted and leave and then there is no one to teach the next generation. We are every fortunate at St. Rose that several of our children bear the last names of church members whose names are on our stained glass windows. Our church and our school can be proud of the fact that we have created disciples of all ages. It now becomes our task to create the next generation of disciples.

As we wind down this year and prepare for the next, I want to thank you for all the support you have given the school. In my mind, there is only one reason to have this school open and that is to create **Disciples of Christ**. If our students and families are truly striving to be disciples then everything will fall into place. Being a Catholic School Family means making sacrifices of our time, talents and treasures. Our families have donated

over 2,700 hours to school projects. Your willingness to share your talents with the school and the greater church community have not gone unnoticed. Many of your families have been very generous in the terms of financial giving and I will be working very hard between now and the end of May to make sure that St. Rose Catholic School is a good steward of your donations and tuition payments. During the Easter season I was reflecting on the Stations of the Cross. The two stations that I always come back to are Veronica and Joseph of Arimathea. These two characters in the drama did what was right. They did what was needed. Their acts were selfless and neither of these characters was expecting a reward. It's always fascinating for me to see someone do something genuine and selfless. As I have mentioned many times, I am an avid St. Louis Blues fan. In February, an eleven-year-old fan, Noah Kleinlehrer, was tossed a stick that Vladimire Tarasenko had used. Without hesitation, Noah took this stick walked seven rows down to a small child and handed him the stick. Why? Because Noah had overheard someone say that it was that little boy's first hockey game. Noah did it without hesitation, without any thought of his own loss. I realize that it is a long stretch from the Stations of the Cross to an NHL game, but it's nice to know that the spirit of giving and helping has somehow transcended time and that same spirit exists here among the supporters of St. Rose Catholic School. Bishop Robert Barron had this to say about the gift of healing: "Faith, prayer, and an acceptance of God's will are necessary for this gift." Are you the kind of person who heals others, who brings calm and peace, who soothes troubled psyches and spirits? If so, how generously are you putting this gift to the service of others?

**CHINESE AUCTION: April 23rd:** Doors open at 10:00 a.m. in the PCC... Drawing at 1:00 p.m. There will be a Food Stand, and Bake Sale plus a 50/50 raffle. We are asking all parishioners to donate to the Bake Sale and/or an item for the auction. Items for the auction can be dropped off at the school anytime through April 22nd and baked goods can be dropped off either the evening before or the morning of the auction at the PCC. Proceeds benefit the 8th Grade trip.

**ST. ROSE HOME AND SCHOOL FUND RAISER:  
SPRING FLOWER SALE:**

Support St. Rose Home and School Association by purchasing Spring Hanging Baskets and Flats. These plants are a beautiful Mother's Day gift. Cost per basket or flat is \$15.00. Get your orders in by April 19th.

**500 CLUB WINNERS:**

January: Phyllis Rambo, Seller Jerry Smith...February: Terri Winegardner, Seller: Jerry Smith... March: Mona Vann, Seller: Carol Middaugh. Congratulations to all!

**PARISH NEWS:**

**EASTER LILLIES:** Are available to be taken from the Church, at this time. Plant them, they will bloom again!

**DEATHS:** Our love, prayers, and sympathy to the families of: Sr. Henrietta, OSF... Gary Huddleston... and Rose Hillis Holden... May they rest in the arms of the Risen Savior!

**PERRY COUNTY CATHOLIC MEN'S Faith Sharing** will be going back to meeting on the **SECOND** and **FOURTH** Saturday of each month. The next meeting will be **April 23rd**. We will begin our Faith Sharing promptly at **7:30 a.m.** and end promptly at **9:00 a.m.** in the **Lower Level of the Parish Community Center (PCC)**. The basis of our Faith Share will be the Reading of the Sunday Mass that follows the second and fourth Saturday. These Readings may be found in the *Catholic Times*, a church *Missalette*, online at [ww.usccb.org](http://ww.usccb.org), the *Magnificat* as well as the Bible and many other places. Coffee and Stan's Bake Shop Donuts will be available.

**SPAGHETTI SUPPER:** The Monday Creek Township Volunteer Fire Dept. is hosting this supper on Saturday, April 30th, between 4:00 and 7:00 p.m. at the Maxville Community Center (In Maxville on State Route 668 South of Junction City). Musical entertainment will be provided by Audie Wykle and Heaven's Silent Singers.

**AROUND THE DIOCESE  
AND THE WORLD:**

**WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS:**  
Sunday, April 17th – Pray for Vocations!

**2016 BID O'LUCK:** Come be a part of the excitement, the shows, the atmosphere of the coolest cats around as the 2016 edition takes us to "Vintage Vegas." Join us April 30th at Fisher Catholic as the room is transformed into the playground of the desert. Las Vegas of the 50's. You can never tell if Frank, Dean or Sammy might show up at a club; be ready for anything as we roll the dice for an evening of fun! Dinner will be catered by Cheers Chalet before the exciting live auction. Seating is limited and tickets can be reserved for \$75.00 each by contacting Kellie Shonk at 740-654-1231.

**AN ASPEN AFFAIR:** Newark Catholic Touch of Class Auction and Dinner. An elegant evening of dining, music and cocktails featuring a silent auction, raffle, wine grab and grand auction!. Saturday, April 30th at 5:00 p.m. For more information go to <http://www.newarkcatholic.org/auction>.

**WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND,**  
April 22-24. For more information or to register, contact  
Paul & Marilou Clouse at 614-834-6880 or visit the  
website at [www.wwmecolumbus.org](http://www.wwmecolumbus.org).

## LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS:

### **CHURCH OF THE ATONEMENT:**

**April 24, 2016**

LECTOR: Angela Donaldson  
SERVERS: Sophia Marot/Carson Miller/Leah Taylor  
EUCHARIST: Joe Moneymaker, Melissa Smith/  
Melissa Marolt  
USHERS: John Gorby/Tim Danielson

### **ST. BERNARD:**

**April 23, 2016**

LECTOR: Mark Siemer  
SERVERS: Rusty Greenwich/Trey Hettich/  
Jace Agriesti  
EUCHARIST: Jack/Betty Fuchs/Elaine Ferguson  
SACRISTAN: Cindy Dew

### **ST. PATRICK:**

**April 24, 2016**

GREETERS: Ed Finck/Brooke Wiseman  
LECTORS: Jeremiah Boyden/Adam Finck  
EUCHARIST: Ruth/Carl Ed Fondale/Dan/Ed Finck/  
Jennifer Boyden  
SERVERS: Joe/Andrew/Anna Mohler/  
Grace/Lane Baker  
USHERS: Jack Finck/Bill Gilligan/  
Davo/Michael Fondale  
GIFTS: Davo/Angie Fondale Family

## OFFERTORY INFORMATION:

### **CHURCH OF THE ATONEMENT**

**April 10, 2016**

<b>Needed to pay bills:</b>	<b>\$1,776.15</b>
Offertory	\$ 932.09
Fuel	\$ 73.00
Candles	\$ 5.00
Total	\$1,010.09
School Support	\$ 45.00
Church in CE Europe	\$ 20.00
30 Envelopes	

**April 3, 2016**

Offertory	\$1,394.00
Fuel	\$ 260.00
Total	\$1,654.00
30 Envelopes	
School Support	\$ 70.00

### **ST. BERNARD**

**April 9, 2016**

<b>Needed to pay bills:</b>	<b>\$1,415.64</b>
Offertory	\$1,191.00
Fuel	\$ 5.00
Total	\$1,196.00
School Support	\$ 30.00
Church in CE Europe	\$ 80.00
33 Envelopes	

### **DONATIONS:**

**To St. Vincent de Paul in Memory of Tom Jerome**  
**From:**

Robert & Roberta Kreitz  
Vernon & Rita Fisher Family

### **ST. PATRICK**

**April 10, 2016**

<b>Needed to pay bills:</b>	<b>\$1,773.48</b>
Offertory	\$1,793.00
Religious Articles	\$ 4.50
Parish Repairs	\$ 10.00
Easter	\$ 20.00
Total	\$1,827.50
60 Envelopes	
School Support	\$ 110.00
Central & Eastern Europe	\$ 237.00
Holy Land	\$ 10.00

### **ST. ROSE CHURCH**

**April 2-3, 2016**

Offertory	\$3,657.00
School Support	\$1,136.00
Candles	\$ 18.00
Easter	\$ 138.00
Average Online Givers	\$ 505.00
Total	\$5,454.00
Good Friday	\$ 50.00
Church CE Europe	\$ 5.00
122 Envelopes	

**April 9-10, 2016**

Offertory	\$3,867.00
School Support	\$ 105.00
Candles	\$ 8.00
Average Online Givers	\$ 505.00
Total	\$4,485.00
117 Envelopes	
Church in Central E. Europe	\$ 276.00

### **DONATION:**

To the St. Rose CCD Program  
From: Coleman McCoy

