July 30, 2023

"All the days of the earth, seedtime and harvest, cold and heat, summer and winter, and day and night shall not cease."

- Genesis 8:22





### **Choose God EVERY DAY:**

We are called to build up the Body of Christ!

Find ways to get involved in our outreach areas at www.StAmbrose.us/Service.

### **FIRST LOOK** • Parish Events this Week

#### **SUNDAY, JULY 30**

#### **MONDAY, JULY 31**

9:00 am Eucharistic Adoration (Chapel)

1:00 pm Rosary for Priests & Seminarians (Chapel)

4:00 pm
5:30 pm
7:00 pm
PB&J Brigade (Mother Teresa)
Women's AA Meeting (LC John)
Our Story Bible Group (Mother Teresa)

7:30 pm Benediction (Chapel)

#### **TUESDAY, AUGUST 1**

2:00 pm
 7:00 pm
 7:00 pm
 Catholic Charities Counseling (LC Matthew)
 Living Word Healing Prayer Mtg. (Chapel)
 Quilt Making Session (PLC Work Room)

#### **WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 2**

8:45 am Route 66 Coffee & Donut Social (Hilkert 1)

9:00 am Route 66 Yoga (Hilkert 4) 4:00 pm PB&J Brigade (Hilkert 4)

4:30 pm Monthly Reconciliation (Church)4:30 pm Women's Guild Board Meeting (LC Fr.

McGivney)

6:00 pm CWM Food Distro (CWM Outreach Center)

6:00 pm Dance Fitnezz (Hilkert Gym)

6:00 pm Cancer Support Group (Mother Teresa) 7:00 pm Youth Open Gym/Fitness (Hilkert Gym)

#### THURSDAY, AUGUST 3

12:00 pm Junior High Bible Study (LC John)

4:00 pm PB&J Brigade (Hilkert 4)

6:00 pm Weekly Reconciliation (Church)
6:00 pm Legion of Mary Rosary (Chapel)
6:15 pm Sitting with Scripture (Virtual)
7:00 pm Open Baseball Play (Baseball Field)
7:30 pm Boy Scout Meeting (Hilkert Gym)

#### **FRIDAY, AUGUST 4**

5:00 pm Bingo Night (Hilkert Hall)

#### **SATURDAY, AUGUST 5**

#### **SUNDAY, AUGUST 6**

12:00 pm The FEST (Center for Pastoral Leadership)

For more event details, including information about all of our ongoing faith enrichment opportunities, visit StAmbrose.us.

We Welcome All with Joyful Hospitality!



# Living Word Healing Prayer Ministry Meeting

Holy Spirit, bestow on us Your gifts of wisdom and understanding!

The Living Word Healing Prayer Ministry will meet on **Tuesday, August 1 in the Chapel at 7:00 pm** to lift up our hearts and voices in praise, worship, sharing, and healing prayer. All are welcome to join us - don't forget to bring your Bible!

Come, Holy Spirit, change our lives through the power of Your Word!



## God's Gift of Forgiveness

### **Weekly Confession in the Church**

Individual confessions will be every Thursday, 6:00 pm - 6:30 pm. Monthly Reconciliation will also be held on the first Wednesday of the month, from 4:30 pm to 6:00 pm.

#### For the Home Bound

Priests can come to those who are **unable to leave their home.** Call the PLC Office at 330.460.7300 to schedule a Confession at home or to arrange for a visit.

### **PARISH NEWS** • Letter from our Pastor

- ..."The LORD was pleased that Solomon made this request. So God said to him: "Because you have asked for this— not for a long life for yourself, nor for riches, nor for the life of your enemies, but for understanding so that you may know what is right— I do as you requested. I give you a heart so wise and understanding that there has never been anyone like you up to now, and after you there will come no one to equal you." Our first reading from the I Book of Kings is profound. Solomon could have asked for anything and he asked for understanding – so that he may know what is good and right. Can you imagine if that was at the heart of our daily prayer?? **Every** day, we should turn to God and sincerely ask for understanding – to know what is good and right. That prayer, God will always hear and honor.
- ...Over the past few months there has been a great deal of conversation and information about the special election on August 8 to address Issue 1. Next weekend, Father Andrew will share a message on this important topic. The Catholic Conference of Ohio has prepared a website of information for you to review, it can be found at www.ohiocathconf.org/protect**ohio.** What is most important is that each person take some time to learn about what the issue is and is not and then, like Solomon, ask God to give you the gift of an understanding heart. God will give you the grace and wisdom, like Solomon, to make your vote. Please take some time to read and prayerfully reflect on this important issue for our State.
- ...Many thanks to all who have already responded to the Call for School Supplies and Socks for kids in our local community and at Saint Rocco School. We will continue the collection through next weekend. It's a simple way to extend the care and compassion of Christ to our young children as they prepare for the upcoming school year. God bless you for all you do for those in need.
- ...Brittany Lynch is working to help us make sure that all of our parish events and programs have good pictures to share. She is looking for members who can help us take pictures. You don't need fancy cameras. You just need a good eye and phone to capture some good images/pictures so we can use them for our bulletin, eblasts, etc. **We need your help.** Every couple of weeks she will send a list of what we need pictures of, and if you can help, all you need to do is say'yes'. It's easy and helpful. **To learn more or to**

## join the Photo Club send her an email: blynch@StAmbrose.us.

- ...As we head back to school, Saint Ambrose School is ramping up for an amazing year. We are blessed in every way to have a thriving Catholic school. The school is looking for someone who can help with some of their marketing, communication, publication needs. It's a part-time job with flexible hours. If you would like to learn more, contact Breanne Logue at blogue@StASchool.us
- ...Special prayers for Travis Jurgens and Janet Majka from our parish team. **Both lost family members over the weekend.** Please keep them in your prayers.
- ...This is a GREAT week to sign up for PSR. Janet and her team are working hard to make sure we have the best possible faith formation and prayer experiences for all of our young people.
- ...Michelle Cha is having her first Youth Music Camp next week. We are inviting junior high and high school students to get 'free' voice lessons and learn how to share their amazing God-given talents with our community as we gather in prayer. To learn more, see today's bulletin or contact Michelle at: mcha@StAmbrose. us.
- ...This week we welcome Fr. Don Bosco back to Saint Ambrose. He will be with us until early September. Father Bosco loves The FEST. He'll be involved with this special regional event next weekend and then spend some time traveling the Diocese sharing some of his stories and experiences of leading efforts to break the cycle of poverty and human trafficking for girls in India. We also welcome his Bishop who will also be joining us for The FEST and visiting our Diocese. Welcome.
- ...Remember Father Bosco's favorite song: J is for Jesus. O is for Others. Yyyyy is for YOU. Simple wisdom and the path to JOY.
- ...This past week we were blessed to move our family from the Ukraine to a house on W.82nd. They were thrilled with JOY beyond words as they could 'settle' into their own space. You can see more about the move by watching a video at: stambrose.us/fr-bob-stec-videos/.
- ...As we continue to help 'settle' new families into our region, we could really use some additional supplies. We need: pillows, twin sheets, blankets, vacuums, stock pots, kitchen utensils and cleaning supplies. You can always leave them at the

- entry of the Church. When we welcome the 'stranger' we are welcoming the Lord into our midst.
- ...I had a meeting this past week with some of the leadership of Catholic Charities. Overwhelmingly, they expressed their 'deepest thanks to Saint Ambrose' for all we are doing in support of those in need and, especially, in our help to set up homes for the refugees. They over and again said they 'could not do all they are doing without your great support.' God bless you over and again. Clearly, it's an expression of the understanding heart of God that we always strive to do what is right what is of God.

...I am 'out of the box' this coming week

as we prepare for The FEST next Sunday.

- It's an amazing family day held on the campus of our seminary in Wickliffe. We have amazing music (Chris Tomlin, Big Daddy Weave, Jeremy Camp and Katy Nichole) along with faith-based activities and displays. There's also lots of fun activities for the kids, a Mom's Relaxation Station thanks to our friends at Marcs. The day concludes with a beautiful outdoor Mass at 8:15 pm with Bishop Malesic followed by an American Fireworks display. You can find all the details by going to: www. theFEST.us. The FEST happens, in a huge way, because of so many of our members helping, leading and supporting and making The FEST come to life. Please join us next Sunday. It is the perfect family
- ...Many thanks to all who are helping at The FEST and so many who are supporting the FEST raffle. **God bless you for your goodness.**

day. Even more, it is truly a day of faith and

inspiration. So many make The FEST like an

annual retreat day before we move into the

fall season. Again, all the details can be

found at: www.theFEST.us.

- ...The work we are doing in support of refugees with Catholic Charities and The FEST are two of many examples of the GREAT good we do together for the glory of God and the good of God's people. I cannot put into words how grateful I am to God for you and our community. It is humbling beyond words. Thank you so much.
- ...May we all pray, like Solomon, for an understanding heart. We will all do what is good, right, loving and holy just like Christ every day and always. **God bless you abundantly.**

## **INTENTIONS** • Remembrance & Gratitude

## Saint Ambrose Masses & Services

#### **Schedule & Intentions**

Monday, Wednesday, and Friday: 8:15 am

Thursday: 5:30 pm

**Saturday:** 4:30 pm and 8:15 am (Mass on the 1st Saturday of the month, Prayer Service in the Chapel on the other Saturdays) **Sunday:** 7:30 am, 9:00 am, 10:30 am, 12:00 pm, and 5:00 pm

#### Sunday, July 30 | 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

| 7:30 am  | † Charleen Winrod (Family)                | RS |
|----------|---|----|
| 9:00 am  | † Jason Ramos (Family)                    | RS |
| 10:30 am | † Alberto Szastk (Family)                 | DS |
| 12:00 pm | † Patricia Reidy (Family)                 | AH |
| 5:00 pm  | † Joseph Maleski (Theresa Kalka & Family) | DS |
|          |   |    |

#### Monday, July 31 | St. Ignatius of Loyola

8:15 am + Neff & Pipak Families (Family)

5:30 pm Prayer Service (& Holy Communion) in the Chapel

#### Tuesday, August 1 | St. Alphonsus Maria de Liguori

8:15 am Prayer Service in the Church

## Wednesday, August 2 | St. Eusebius of Vercelli and St. Peter Julian Eymard

8:15 am † Scott Rees (Spouse)

#### Thursday, August 3

8:15 am Prayer Service in the Church

5:30 pm † O'Neal Parks (Ed Boreczky & Marcia Parks)

#### Friday, August 4 | St. Jean Vianney

8:15 am † Patsy, Mary, Frank, & Don Discenza (Luci Stack

& Children)

#### Saturday, August 5 | Dedication of the Basilica of St. Mary Major and the Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary

| 8:15 am | † Mary Baronak (The Women's Guild) |
|---------|------------------------------------|
| 4:30 pm | † Virginia Koenig (Dee Dee Koenig) |

#### Sunday, August 6 | Transfiguration of the Lord

| 7:30 am  | † Jack Turle (Joe DeLuca)             | DS      |
|----------|---------------------------------------|---------|
| 9:00 am  | † Carol Coughlin (Arlene Robertson)   | AH      |
| 10:30 am | † Stolarczyk & Marunowski Families    | AH      |
|          | (John & Laurie Stolarczyk)            |         |
| 12:00 pm | † James Lucas (Jean & Cliff Nowak)    | DS      |
| 5:00 pm  | † Tom Hulsmann (Mary and Joe Oriti)   | Ramser  |
| 8:00 pm  | The Fest Mass w/Bishop Malesic at the | Malesic |
|          | Center for Pastoral Leadership        |         |

#### Masses at Saint Colette Parish

All are Welcome to Mass at Our Sister Parish

Wednesday and Friday: 11:00 am

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 pm

Sunday: 8:00 am, 10:00 am, and 11:45 am

#### Week of July 23, 2023

|                                      | Jul. 23, 2023     | Jul. 1, 2023 to<br>Jul. 23, 2023 | Jul. 1, 2022 to<br>Jul. 24, 2022 |  |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|--|
| Sunday Collection                    | \$ 23,191         | \$ 151,198                       | \$ 150,276                       |  |
| Amount Needed                        | \$ (39,000)       | \$ (156,000)                     |                                  |  |
| Over / (Under)                       | \$ (15,809)       | \$ (4,802)                       |                                  |  |
| Building Fund                        | \$ 199            | \$ 2,303                         | \$ 2,093                         |  |
| ACH Collection                       | \$ 4,042 (weekly) |                                  |                                  |  |
| Online Sunday \$ 1,065<br>Collection |                   |                                  |                                  |  |
| Children's Envelopes                 | \$ 221 from 36 6  | 221 from 36 envelopes collected  |                                  |  |



#### **Generations of Faith | Campaign Update**

 Total Pledged:
 \$ 4,653,451.29

 Total # of Gifts:
 819

 Deposits (week of Jul. 17):
 \$ 2,281.67

 Total Collected to Date:
 \$ 4,242,461

## Ways to Support Our Parish

- Automatic giving (for more information, contact Lynn Rogers at LRogers@StAmbrose.us).
- Online at StAmbrose.us/Donate.
- **By mail** (donations can be mailed to Saint Ambrose Parish, 929 Pearl Road, Brunswick, OH 44212).
- Drop your collection envelope in the baskets at the doors of the Church or at the Parish Office or in the secured mailbox.

# IRA Qualified Charitable Distribution

#### **Together for the Glory of God**

If you are 70 ½ or older, you may be able to make a gift of a Qualified Charitable Distribution from your IRA that will help our parish and reduce your taxable income. Talk to your advisors and IRA administrator for more information and to be sure that your IRA Qualified Charitable Distribution gift is made directly from an IRA to a qualified charity such as our parish. Questions? Contact Jake Bihari at 216.215.5015 or JBihari@StAmbrose.us or visit StAmbrose.us/Endowment.

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## **LIFTING ONE ANOTHER** • Prayers & Support

## We Pray for Our Sick

Angie Ted Beba **Baby Beverlee** Greg Joanie Josephine Josh Paula C. Karis Kim Lindey Madeline Mark Mason Russ Ruthie Kari Ballish Tom De Masse

**Aubrey Beeson** Donald Bertuzzi Pixie Blake Melissa Boey **Bossone Family** Diane Capretta Bernie Carpico Marie Ceslewski Jeffrey Conrad Maureen Conway Ken Daubert Diane Davenport

Ron DeMichael Kathleen Duncan Jennifer Dupont Peggy Elston Holdigard Fanslau **Barb Ferris** Micah Galuzny Cheryl Gazso Dan Ginley Donna H. Barbara Harrison Cinda Helmstetter Carol Heinle Joan Howells Cindi Jaggers

Sandra Kaaikaula Rosemary Kemper Agnes Knox Matt Koko Dolores Kozlowski Theresa Krakora Jess Lahl **Knox Lette** Dan Lewanski Rose Machor Phyllis Marinelli Rita Miczak Trudy Miller Marty (Butch) Morisky Louise Mould

John & Faith Nelson Joe Neura Mary Ann Papay **Bob & Karen Pencek** Judy Peskura Kathleen Pillatt **Ed Plitt** Isaac Quinones II Mary Ann Riess Marge Sabados Gertrude Schmidt Joseph Schmidt **Bradley Sieber** Lorrie Sirocky Marian Swansinger

Linda Tackla **Nash Taylor** Gloria Tews Kristina Thorn Simon Tucker Lori Uhler Mark Vozar Kent Walter Russell Wolanin Debbie Wyatt Karen Zabrocki Richard Zabrocki Pat Zdolshek

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## LIFE-GIVING PRESEN

## We Lift Up Those Battling Cancer

**Bryan** Jim Maureen Noah Todd Tyler Erin Alan Jody Angelone Kimberly Ball Jane Bast Mary Bauman Fred Beba Paula Berghauser Melissa Boring Debbie Burrell Rosanna Buttazzoni Gail Buttitta Shawn Calvey

Nora Carangio **Charlotte Casselberry** Mary Cipollone Rosie Colucci Megan Dauer Marcial De Leon Mary De Santis Steven Dearth Barb Dick Roger Droll Kristen Eble Mary Ferritti Barbara Fiala **Jackie Fielding** Barbara Fischer Noah Forlini-Kotlarek Joseph Fuizzotti Robert Gallik

Vince Gassi **Edward Gaus Beth Gerding** Mike Ginley Vaughan Guzik **Robert Hirus** David Hoffman Mark Hogan Donna Hvizdos Melanie J. **Bridgitte Jones** Adraine Jungbluth Kathy K. Clara Kalal Mike Kalka Desh Kapur Kim Kasicky Kathy Keglovich

Barbara Ann Kilarski Bob Klaehn **Daniel Klamert** David Klem, Jr. Joy Kowalski Joan Krall Donna Kucera Kathy Kunkler Joyce Lancaster J.D. Languth **Dolores Lauerhahs** Jennifer Lazar Terri Leitter Carol Lersch Jill Lesiw Michael Luks Richard Malone Helen Mancuso

Lisa Mayfeld Mick McGinnis Sandy Metzer **Thomas Miller Edward Morey Tina Mounts Barb Nofel** Tom Poturica Jim Razzante Eric Reeder Allyson Reynes **Cathy Ricciuto** Corinne Rickabaugh Karen Ryan Gene S. Toni S. Kim Saffle Jeff Smith

**Andy Stamper** Jen Stancato Angelo Stavole Dawn Swickheimer Shopp Jackie Symons Barbara Tescar Dominic Trizio Jenny Vasel Joanne Walsh Mary Jo Weihrouch

Gary Zayas, Sr.

To have your loved one's name added to a prayer list, or to change the status of your loved one, email Bulletin@StAmbrose.us. If a name has been removed from a list and should be re-added, please email us this request.

## Stephen Ministry

## When "Pull Yourself Together" Doesn't Work

You've heard it time and time again: "Pull yourself together.... Cheer up....Tough it out. ... It's not that bad." Perhaps people have said it to you. Or perhaps you keep saying it to yourself, but it hasn't helped. You're still hurting. Things are coming apart. Here's the good news: You don't have to go through your struggles alone. Help is available. Our Stephen Ministers are trained caregivers who will walk with you, listen to you, and provide confidential, one-on-one care as you search through the pieces and find what is truly in

To learn more about what Stephen Ministry can do for you, talk with one of our Stephen Ministry Leaders: Carol Maline at CMaline@StAmbrose.us or 330.460.7336 or Lisa Homady at 330.460.7315 or LHomady@StAmbrose.us. Or, visit us online at StAmbrose.us/Stephen-Ministry.



## **A HOME FOR ALL** • We Welcome with Joyful Hospitality

## **Liturgy Corner**

### The Quest for the Kingdom of Heaven

We seek to find the signs of the Kingdom of Heaven in our lives. We even work to bring about God's Kingdom in our actions and in our words. We pray that our family values reflect our pursuit of the Kingdom of Heaven. As Jesus' disciples, we place everything we value in the service of the quest for the Kingdom of God.

As we gather as a family, spark up a discussion about what your family values are and what they mean. Make a list together of those things that your family considers most important, such as family, friends, faith, trust, and love. In the Gospels' parables, Jesus teaches us that it is worth giving up even valuable things in order to possess the Kingdom of Heaven. Look at the list your family made and talk about the importance of each of those values. What has your family given up

to make these values important in your life? As Jesus' disciples, we place everything we value in the service of the quest of Heaven, our eternal life. **Pray together for God's kingdom by praying the Lord's Prayer.** 



## Cancer Support Group

#### **Upcoming Meeting**

By coming to a support group, you can learn how others respond to cancer, which might help you understand your feelings and provide you new ways to cope with the diagnosis. You will feel less lonely when you meet other people with cancer and the caregivers that are a part of our ministry.

During our time together, we try some nutritious food and some members of our ministry have even discovered foods that taste good and can help with maintaining weight and strength while undergoing treatment.

Come to our next meeting at **6:00 pm on**Wednesday, August 2 in the Mother
Teresa room. For more information about our ministry, please contact Terri Blasko at 216.990.0082 or Miriam Hopkins at 330.225.9005. We would like to meet you and hear your story.

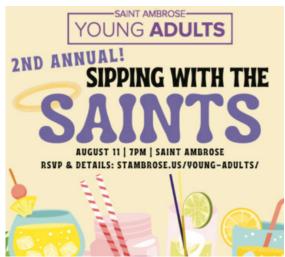
## Divine Mercy Prayer Team

### **Join the Power of Prayer**

Did you know that every time a priest from our parish goes out to celebrate the Anointing of the Sick, especially at the end of someone's life, more than 100 of our parish members pray specifically for them? Over the past two years, we have **prayed for over 175 people as they pass from this life to the next or are particularly ill at home or in the hospital.** It has been very meaningful for those praying and for those receiving prayer. **We'd love to add more prayer warriors to our team.** To find out more, or to join our prayer team, visit us online at StAmbrose.us/Divine-Mercy or contact Terry Scully at terry10475@sbcglobal.net.







## **SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE** • We Engage and Empower Others



## For Our Seniors Upcoming Events

#### **StAmbrose.us/Seniors**

Weekly Yoga is held in Mother Teresa (unless otherwise specified) on Wednesdays at 9:00 am. Prayer is as necessary as the air. as the blood in our bodies, as anything to keep us alive - to keep us alive food.



### Coffee & Donut Social

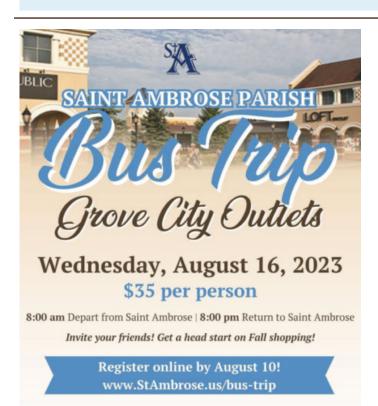
#### August 2 | 8:45 am | Hilkert 1

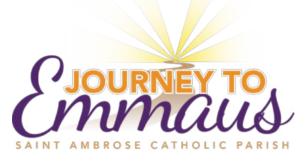
Start your day by going to 8:15 am Mass and then joining us afterward for coffee and donuts. Last month, I got to catch up with Bill G., who I hadn't seen in a while!

### Lunch & Learn

#### August 8 | 11:00 am | Mother Teresa Room

Our friends from Danbury will be with us to discuss the importance of "YOU time." RSVP by emailing JOsowski@StAmbrose.us by August 5.





# Summer Inquiry Session Share the Invitation to Journey to Emmaus with Your Loved One

Do you know someone who is interested in learning more about the Catholic faith? New this summer are Inquiry Sessions and the next one is on **August 20,10:30 am.** To learn more, email Janet Majka at JMajka@StAmbrose.us.

"With that, their eyes were opened and they recognized him."

## Save the Date!

### **Parish Ministry Fair**

During the weekend of September 16, after all the Masses (on Saturday and Sunday), our parish will hold a Ministry Fair in Hilkert Hall. All ministries are expected to participate. Further details are forthcoming. Please send questions to Vita at VSchmidt@StAmbrose.us.



## **SAINT AMBROSE SCHOOL** • On the Move!

"Therefore welcome one another as Christ has welcomed you, for the glory of God." - ROMANS 15:7

Dear Parish Family,

#### **SUMMER BLESSINGS**

We are excited to welcome our new staff this fall! Mr. Tom Krebs, Assistant Principal, started with us in early July, and has enjoyed meeting families this summer, and being together with our students recently at VBS! We are excited to welcome new faculty and staff members joining us this coming fall.

#### **WELCOME TO NEW KINDERGARTEN CLASS OF 2023-2024!**

Earlier this spring, we welcomed our new incoming Kindergarten students to campus and made things official with a Kindergarten signing! We are more than excited to welcome the newest members and their families to Saint Ambrose School!

Joyfully, Lisa Cinadr, *Principal* 











## Save the Date! Friday, September 29, 2023

Bunker Hill Golf Course
More details to come!

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If you would like to sponsor the event or be a part of the Golf & Give Team please contact Michelle Brousek at MBrousek@staschool.us or Michelle Dietrich at MDietrich@staschool.us

Golf Tournament supports Saint Ambrose School and Angels In Need Tuition Scholarship Fund

**GOLF • DINNER • ENTERTAINMENT • PRIZES** 

#### Hiring for 2023-2024

Saint Ambrose Catholic School, a growing STEAM and nationally recognized preschool-eighth grade elementary school in Brunswick, Ohio, is seeking candidates to fill the following positions during the 2023-2024 school year:

- Dynamic and creative third grade teacher.
- Substitute teachers for all grade levels at SAS.
- **Caregivers** for our Guardian Angels Before and After School Program.



Candidates must hold appropriate State of Ohio licensure, pass BCI and FBI background screenings, and complete VIRTUS training. Email LCinadr@StASchool.us with a cover letter, resume, and three letters of recommendation, or if you have any questions.

## **PSR & MORE** • We Inspire with Prayer and Worship

## Parish School of Religion

2023-2024 PSR Registration

PSR will kick off on Wednesday, September 6, and Monday, September 11. You can register online for all of our 2023-2024 PSR programs at StAmbrose.us/PSR.

Our Journey with Jesus Sunday Morning Preschool program will begin on Sunday, September 10. Classes are held during the 9:00 am and 10:30 am Mass times. Children will learn the stories of Jesus through prayer, music, and faith-filled



We are looking for a few more volunteers to help in the classroom as a catechist, catechist aides, and special event team members. Contact Janet Majka at 330.460.7321or JMajka@StAmbrose.us for more details.



## Children's Choirs

#### **Angels and Cherubs**

Join one of our Children's Choirs. Children ages 8-11 make up our Angels Choir and our Cherub Choir is for ages 5-7. Rehearsals start on September 7 and are every Thursday during the school year. For more details, contact Helen Lanzarotta at HLanzarotta@StAmbrose.us or 330.460.7343, or Diane Hailey at dianepiano@hotmail.com.



## CYO Needs YOU!

#### **Officials Needed**

The Diocese of Cleveland CYO is seeking high school and college students and adults interested in officiating soccer, volleyball, flag football, and rookie tackle. Training will be provided and officials are paid a fee to officiate. Equipment, such as whistles, shirts, penalty flags, markers, and stopwatches, is provided at no cost. All officials are required to attend mandatory training sessions. If you are interested, please contact the following:

- Flag Football & Rookie Tackle Todd Shapiro: ohiodude441@aol.com
- **Soccer** Dan Frey: dgfrey2003@yahoo.com
- **Volleyball** Dale Gaydos: gaydosdale@gmail.com



## **HERE FOR YOU** • We Serve with the Compassion of Christ

## CARES & Compassion

#### **Community Outreach**

Our dedicated Outreach Team loves to offer their skilled hands and caring, compassionate hearts to help those who need it! **We are looking for indoor and** 

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Concerned. Alert. Responsive. = Everyone. Safe.

**outdoor tasks to fill our monthly projects for these upcoming fall months.** If you or someone you know are in need of help with a home project, please contact Gabby Moss at 330.460.7327 or GYatson@StAmbrose.us.

#### **Calling All Chili Chefs**

We are having a **Battle of Brunswick Chili Cook-off this October 14** with proceeds being donated to Cleveland Clinic Childhood Cancer research. This event is also in honor of Collin Nemet. Currently, **we are looking for chili chefs such as restaurants, groups and ministries, families and teams, or even individuals willing to make and donate 5 gallons of chili for the event. There is no fee to enter the Cook-off and we will provide the food-grade buckets to you prior to the event date. For more details, contact Gabby Moss at GYatson@StAmbrose.us or 330.460.7327.** 



## Volunteer Opportunities

#### **Together for the Glory of God**

We encourage you to use your God-given gifts to serve your parish community! Here are some great service opportunities for everyone to participate in this month:

MERCY MONDAY: eThis month's Mercy Monday is on August 7. Please bring donations to the Catholic Works of Mercy Outreach Center between 5:00 pm and 6:30 pm or donations can be left in the bins located in the Narthex. Items that are needed for August are Knoor's sides, canned fruit, Jiffy muffin mix, and canned Tuna.





Join Us

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PROGRESSIVE FIELD'S

CORNER BAR

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TICKETS: \$100 FOR ONE OR \$160 FOR 2 TICKETS.

Purchase at www.MissionPossible.us/GrandSlamGala.

6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

#### UNDERGROUND EXPERIENCE

Take a swing from former Guardians players in the official Guardians' batting cages, tour the Visitors' Clubhouse, and check out the Guardians' Dugout.

7:00 pm

#### **THE CORNER**

Head upstairs to the Corner Bar where fabulous food and drinks await!

7:30 pm - 10:30 pm

#### THE FUN

DJ, raffles, silent auction, cocktails, and more!

## **IN OTHER NEWS •** Sharing is Caring!



## *Men's Breakfast*August 12 in Hilkert Hall

All men are invited to our monthly breakfast that begins at **8:30 am.** Breakfast is followed by a short witness and video for discussion. We wrap up each monthly breakfast session by 9:45 am, so that you may enjoy the rest of your Saturday, energized by the faith, fellowship, and a free, freshly prepared breakfast.



# Eucharistic Procession An Invitation from the Legion of Mary

Legion of Mary of the Diocese of Cleveland invites you to a traditional Eucharistic Procession on **Saturday, September 2, 2023**, beginning with Holy Mass at **11:00** am at the Cathedral of Saint John the Evangelist in Cleveland.

The event consists of Holy Mass celebrated by Father Kevin Estabrook, Legion of Mary Spiritual Director, a procession through the streets of downtown Cleveland while singing hymns in honor of our Eucharistic Lord Jesus and the Blessed Virgin Mary, and a return

to the Cathedral for the recitation of the Rosary and closing prayers. RSVP is not required and all are welcome to attend. Worship Aid is provided. For more information please email contact@legionofmarynorthernohio.org or Facebook.com/legionofmarynorthernohio/.

## Gratitude to Our Members in the Armed Forces

| СРТ  | Joseph Adams, Marine Corps       | CPT    | Keith Holcomb, Air Force         | SSGT   | Matthew Pyzik, Air Force       |
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| A1C  | Tigan Braskie, Air Force         | SSGT   | Charles Kalemba, Air Force       | LTG    | Stephen Sklenka, Marine Corps  |
| LCPL | Morgan Butas, Marine Corps       | LTCOL  | Brad Klusmann, Marine Corps      | PVT    | Alex Skoczen, National Guard   |
| E1   | Simon Claypool, Marine Corps     | LT, O3 | Shaun Krall, Navy                | PVT    | Xavier Skoczen, National Guard |
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| LT   | Dr. Ryan Fashempour, <i>Navy</i> | WO1    | Zachary Leuhsler, Marine Corps   | MDN3/C | Mollie Stracensky, Navy        |
| PFC  | Tyler Faught, <i>Army</i>        | CPL    | Nicholas Levitsky, Marine Corps  | SRA    | Nathaniel Taylor, Air Force    |
| SPC  | Matthew Fischer, National Guard  | LTCOL  | Leonard Livingston, Air Force    | CPT    | Zachary Taylor, Marine Corps   |
| A1C  | Brandon Gazso, Air Force         | LTCOL  | Theresa Livingston, Air Force    | CADET  | Adam Wegas, Army               |
| LT   | Serena Gerfy, <i>Navy</i>        | PFC    | Alex Lowry, Army                 | SrA    | William Wiener, Air Force      |
| MDN1 | /C John Ham, <i>Navy</i>         | MAJ    | James Maskovyak, Army            | A1C    | Paige Zoltowski, Air Force     |
| PO   | Rob Hartman, <i>Navy</i>         | SPC    | William Mortensen, Army          |        |                                |
| ICE2 | Walter Hicho, <i>Navy</i>        | LCPL   | Christian Nowak, Marine Corps    |        |                                |

Submit your loved one's name, rank, and branch of service at StAmbrose.us/Military so that they can be included on this prayer list.

### News from Our Saint Ambrose Military Messages Ministry

Please continue to **pray for our active military members** by hanging a **red, white, or blue ribbon on our wooden prayer trees**. It's a small gesture to show our consideration for those serving in our nation's armed forces and express our gratitude for the sacrifices they have made as we lift them up to the Lord in prayer.

Our Military Messages Ministry invites you to consider becoming a **Prayer Warrior**, **Military Messenger**, **or to give support** for postage, stationery, yellow ribbons, and more. Visit StAmbrose.us/Military to learn more.

## In Loving Memory



**Patrick Joseph Amer** Brother of Marty Zachlin Passed away on July 21, 2023 at 85 years young.



Linda M. Harris Wife of James Harris September 16, 1951 - July 22, 2023



Lawrence Mach Husband of Lois Mach and father of Lisa Gannon November 28, 1936 - July 24, 2023

To have your loved one to appear in the "In Loving" Memory" section, call the PLC Office at 330.460.7300.



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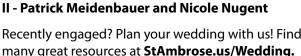


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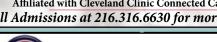
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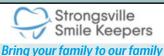
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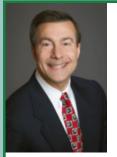




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