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Weekdays: Daily at 8:30 am

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 pm

Sunday: 9:00 am & 11:00 am

Confession: Saturdays 3:00-3:30 pm

Parish Center Office Hours:

Monday-Friday 9:00 am – 5:00 pm

Perpetual Adoration –

The Eucharistic Adoration Chapel is open 24/7 for private prayer and adoration. Listings and contacts are available in the Parish Center.

Twinhaven Reception Center 330-425-1616

Emergency Assistance 330-888-0134

For information regarding Baptisms, Marriages, Visitation of the Sick, Funerals or Registering as a Parishioner please call the Parish Center 330-425-8141

Mission Statement:

*To be disciples of Christ,
Teach the Catholic Faith,
And serve those in need.*

Mass Schedule & Intentions For The Week
All Masses will be livestreamed on the
parish's Facebook page.

Monday, June 21 – Weekday Mass
8:30am Fern Thompson
Tuesday, June 22 – Weekday Mass
8:30am Earl & Ardell Teeters
Wednesday, June 23 – Weekday Mass
8:30am Anthony Brent
Thursday, June 24 – Weekday Mass
8:30am Shirley Smith
Friday, June 25 – Weekday Mass
8:30am Ann Fetsko
Saturday, June 26 – Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Vigil)
4:00pm Shahan Family
Sunday, June 27 – Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:00am Ronald Yoakam
11:00am Jack Benak

Scripture Readings June 21 – June 27

Monday **Saint Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious**
Gen 12:1-9; Ps 33, 12-13, 18-19, 20, 22, R. v.12; Mt 7:1-5
Tuesday **Saint Paulinus of Nola, bishop;**
Saint John Fisher, bishop and martyr;
Saint Thomas More, martyr
Gen 13:2, 5-18; Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5, R v.1b; Mt 7:6, 12-14
Wednesday **Wednesday of the Twelfth Week in Ordinary Time**
Gen 15:1-12, 17-18; Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9, R. v.8a;
Mt 7:15-20
Thursday **Nativity of Saint John the Baptist**
Is 49:1-6; Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15, R. v.14; Acts 13:22-26;
Lk 1:57-66, 80
Friday **Friday of the Twelfth Week in Ordinary Time**
Gen 17:1, 9-10, 15-22; Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5, R. v.4; Mt 8:1-4
Saturday **Saturday of the Twelfth Week in Ordinary Time**
Gen 18:1-15; Lk 1:46-47, 48-49, 50 & 53, 54-55, R. see v.54b;
Mt 8:5-17
Sunday **Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24; Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11, 12, 13, R. v.2a;
2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15; Mk 5:21-43

Dear Parishioners,

Happy Father's Day!

As we return to our Sunday Obligations, I think of my dad. Every Sunday, we piled nine of us into the used Lincoln Town Car to go to Mass at Holy Trinity in Avon. I sat on the floor in the back seat against my siblings' legs. We typically went to 12:00 noon Mass and barely made it in on time. It was quite a circus getting us all ready. More than once, I had my shirt on backwards.

My family filled an entire pew. The youngest read their "Church Books" while sitting on the kneeler. The school-aged children sat and listened to the Mass with my parents giving us the example. If you sat near mom, you were expected to sing. On dad's side of the pew, it was sufficient to sit quietly.

We loved seeing our classmates sitting with their families, dressed in anything other than our school uniforms. It was confusing to me that some of my classmates were not in attendance. This was outside of my understanding of the world and of family.

Our teenaged friends all loved my dad. He joked and teased, and then throw out a serious question or get into a deep discussion. Since he worked so often, we had a sense that there was something special about spending time alone with dad, even if the topic was not our particular interest. He is brilliant yet loves to be goofy.

When we would have friends stay overnight on Saturday or when we had exchange students, it was always expected that they would go to Mass and afterward join us for our Sunday lunch together. I never heard a single complaint from my friends, even the ones that were not Catholic. They saw in my dad a faithful, intelligent, successful Catholic who did not need to explain why we went to Mass. It simply was what we do.



***"Earth has no
sorrow that
heaven can't
heal."***

**-St. Thomas More
(Feast day 6/22)**



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Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Offertory (includes EFT):

June 12 & 13 \$ 9,249.00

Capital Campaign:

Capital Campaign Pledges: \$ 1,502,310.00

Capital Campaign Money Received: \$ 1,271,886.00

Capital Projects:

Mortgage Balance \$ 436,782.00

The Loaves and Fishes Prayer Teams will not be praying with people after Mass at this time. If you would like to pray over the phone with someone please call Michele Poletti at (330)524-3931. You can also call or text a prayer request to her.

Dad travelled a great deal for his work, even to Europe and Asia. Every year, he could take one of his children on a long trip to Hong Kong and Singapore where he taught seminars on finance. Even though it was work/vacation, we never missed our Sunday Mass. My dad's coworkers even seemed to mock him about going out of his way to find a Catholic church in a foreign language and in an unfamiliar land. My father ignored their words, and we went to church. One of his colleagues told me that he never misses Mass, even when the family was not with him. He told me, "He is a man of principle with a strong sense of God in his life."

This Father's Day, I want to thank our dads for having the courage, discipline, piety, and conviction to instill in us a sense of right and wrong, character, devotion, proper fear of the Lord, and the fortitude to fulfill our obligations to the Lord, our families, the Church, and our country. God bless you for your example. Remember, those little eyes, no matter what age, are still watching you as their role model. Show them that faith is important to you, and it will be important to them.

In Christ,

Father Michael J. Stalla



ALTAR SERVERS

As we begin to schedule more liturgical ministers at Mass, we are currently in need of more Altar Servers. Altar Serving is open to kids in the fourth grade or above. Adults are also welcome to volunteer as Altar Servers. Being an Altar Server is a great way to learn more about what happens during Mass. If you are interested in becoming an Altar Server, please contact Rachel Pollack (330)425-8141 x102 or email Rachel@sscocosmas-damian.org. No experience is necessary. We will provide training.



Great News About Our Faith Formation Program!

Our Faith Formation (PSR/religious education) program for our children is growing by leaps and bounds! We are adding additional classes this year to accommodate all of our children. Registration will be open on the parish website very soon. In the meantime, we are looking for some great catechists! We are looking for persons of faith, who love God, and share in the sacramental life of the Church. We are looking for catechists from Pre-K up to 5th grade. Consider whether God might be calling you to this ministry. Persons may also co-teach with a friend or spouse! If you think that this may be what God is asking of you, please contact Mrs. Joni K. Smith X 110 so that we can begin to discern together!

UNITING TO SERVE CHRIST

After so much time apart, let's unite in the name of Christ to serve others!

Teens who have completed grades 8 - 12 in the 2020-2021 school year are invited to participate. Each Monday in June we will gather together for a day dedicated to faith and service.

Social distancing protocol will be observed.

EACH DAY WILL INCLUDE

- Mass
- Prayer
- Service Projects (onsite or offsite)
- Dinner
- Youth Group Activities
- Live Music
- Witnesses
- Fun, Interactive Activities

Check out our website for more information!

Mondays in June

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MISSION MONDAYS

Questions?

Contact Keri Knowles at
(330)425-8141 x105 or
Keri@sscocosmas-damian.org

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Resurrection

**It's not too late to
sign up for our two
remaining Mondays!**



**Adoration is open 24/7 to those scheduled
except from 9am to 8pm on Saturdays**

ADORATION OPENINGS

We are in need of a few more people to fill Adoration hours.
Can you make the sacrifice and sign up for one of these hours
weekly or twice a month?

**No long-term commitment is necessary.
Sign up to try an hour for just 30 days!**

**Tuesdays 1am
Fridays 2am, 3am
Sundays 1am**

Please contact Carol Twigger at 330-425-7688



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We Pray to the Lord...

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

This Week in the Parish

Sunday, June 20: 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00am—Confirmation Class in Twinhaven
 9:00am—**Mass**
 11:00am—**Mass**
 7:00pm—Charismatic Prayer Group in Church

Monday, June 21:

8:30am—**Morning Mass**
 10:00am—Prayer Shawl
 7:00pm—Emergency Assistance Meeting in MPR

Tuesday, June 22:

8:30am—**Morning Mass**
 9:15am—TEA Bible Study in Twinhaven
 5:30pm—Prayer Shawl Ministry in 114
 8:30pm—Holy Hour/Benediction in Church

Wednesday, June 23:

8:30am— **Morning Mass**

Thursday, June 24:

8:30am—**Morning Mass**
 9:00am—Book Club in Twinhaven
 7:00pm—Catholic Women’s Conference Meeting in

Twinhaven

Friday, June 25:

8:30am—**Morning Mass**

Saturday, June 26: 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time(Vigil)

2:30pm—Confession
 4:00pm—**Mass**

Sunday, June 27: 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00am—**Mass**
 11:00am—**Mass**
 1:00pm—RCIA Picnic in Twinhaven
 7:00pm—Charismatic Group in Church

Children’s Liturgy of the Word! (CLOW)

CLOW will be back after the Labor Day holiday, but we wanted to get a few sessions in before that! We miss all the little ones out there, and we are excited to see you at Mass! So, for just a few special days over the summer, we will be offering CLOW especially designed for children from 3 years old up to First Communion (roughly!) Fr. Michael will call the children from the assembly at Mass just before we begin the readings, and they will be led to the Adoration Chapel where they will have a kid-friendly liturgy, very similar to what we are doing in the main church. They will return to you as we begin to prepare the altar for Holy Communion.

Sunday, June 27 at the 11 am Mass, July 25, and August 29 in conjunction with family programs that will be taking place after each of these Masses, we will offer the Children’s Liturgy! You do not need to register for anything in order for your child to participate. Simply send them up to the front of the church when Fr. Michael calls for the children. Be sure that you child knows where you are sitting, so that when they return to the main worship space they will know how to find you!

Interested in becoming part of our C.L.O.W team? Adults take turns leading the children, ideally about once a month. If this sounds like something you might be interested in, contact Mrs. Joni Smith X 110!

Children’s Liturgy
of the **Word**

May the souls of the faithful departed, rest in peace.

Stefano Guerriero

Our Love
& Prayers
ARE WITH
You & Your
Family

Liturgical Minsters— June 26th & 27th—13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

	Lectors	E.M.H.C.	Altar Servers
Saturday June 26th, 4:00pm	Adrienne Radtke-Kopp	Peg Breetz, Laura Leonard, Judy Brown, Leslie Magda	Volunteers Needed
Sunday June 27th, 9:00am	Volunteer Needed	Millie Prebel, Bonnie Withers, Maureen Ashdown, Ken Mullins	Ryan Mack, Sean Mack
Sunday June 27th, 11:00am	Roshinee Perera	Colleen Tomasek, Kelly Chickos, Frank Chickos, Volunteer Needed	Devan Perera, James D’Isidoro

Gloria

Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will.

We praise you, we bless you, we adore you,
we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great
glory, Lord God, heavenly King,
O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

First Reading

Job 38:1, 8-11

The Lord addressed Job out of the storm and said: Who shut within doors the sea, when it burst forth from the womb; when I made the clouds its garment and thick darkness its swaddling bands? When I set limits for it and fastened the bar of its door, and said: Thus far shall you come but no farther, and here shall your proud waves be stilled!

The Word of the Lord
All Reply: Thanks be to God

Responsorial Psalm

Give thanks to the Lord, his love is everlasting.

They who sailed the sea in ships,
trading on the deep waters,
there saw the works of the Lord
and his wonders in the abyss.—*Refrain*

His command raised up a storm wind
which tossed its waves on high.
They mounted up to heaven; they sank to the depths;
their hearts melted away in their plight.—*Refrain*

They cried to the Lord in their distress;
from their straits he rescued them,
he hushed the storm to a gentle breeze,
and the billows of the sea were stilled.—*Refrain*

They rejoiced that they were calmed,
and he brought them to their desired haven.
Let them give thanks to the Lord for his kindness
and his wondrous deeds to the children of men.—
Refrain

Second Reading

2 Corinthians 5:14-17

Brothers and sisters: The love of Christ impels us, once we have come to the conviction that one died for all; therefore, all have died. He indeed died for all, so that those who live might no longer live for themselves but for him who for their sake died and was raised. Consequently, from now on we regard no one according to the flesh, even if we once knew Christ according to the flesh, yet now we know him so no longer. So whoever is in Christ is a new creation: the old things have passed away; behold, new things have come.

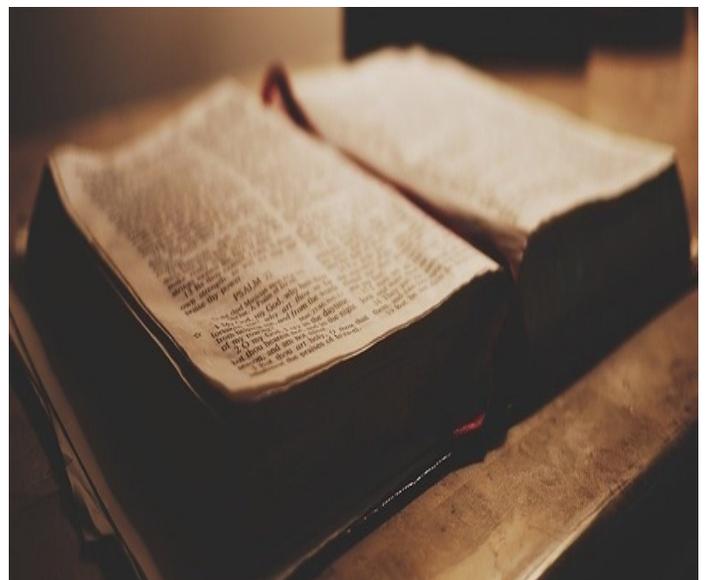
The Word of the Lord
All Reply: Thanks be to God

Gospel

Mark 4:35-41

On that day, as evening drew on, Jesus said to his disciples: "Let us cross to the other side." Leaving the crowd, they took Jesus with them in the boat just as he was. And other boats were with him. A violent squall came up and waves were breaking over the boat, so that it was already filling up. Jesus was in the stern, asleep on a cushion. They woke him and said to him, "Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?" He woke up, rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, "Quiet! Be still!" The wind ceased and there was great calm. Then he asked them, "Why are you terrified? Do you not yet have faith?" they were filled with great awe and said to one another, "Who then is this whom even wind and sea obey?"

The Gospel of the Lord
All Reply: Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ



The Creed

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, *(At the words that follow, up to and including, 'and became man', all bow.)*

And by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures.

He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets

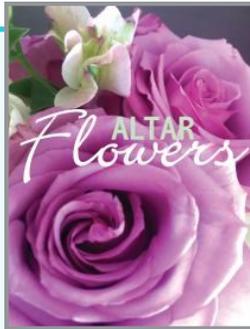
I believe in one, holy, catholic, and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen

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Altar Flowers

Altar Flowers for this weekend were donated by **Sandy Tomasek**

In Celebration of Fathers
To find out more about and get your request on the schedule, please call Elizabeth Innocenzi at 216-533-0515



"It is better to be a child of God than king of the whole world."

-St. Aloysius Gonzaga (Feast Day 6/21)



Join us on Sunday, June 27th for "Growing Faith"



First of our Summer Faith Fun For Families events!

11 am Mass w/special
Children's Liturgy of the
Word (ideal for children 3
years old through 2nd grade)



Activities outdoors
afterwards (12-1 pm) for
children and families,
including creating a rock
garden, painting, stories,
sidewalk chalk, planting
flowers and snacks!



Special Story Time at the
Grotto with Fr. Michael at
12:10 pm! (Bring a blanket or
chair to sit on, or sit in the
grass!)

All Are Welcome!!!

