

# Third Sunday of Easter

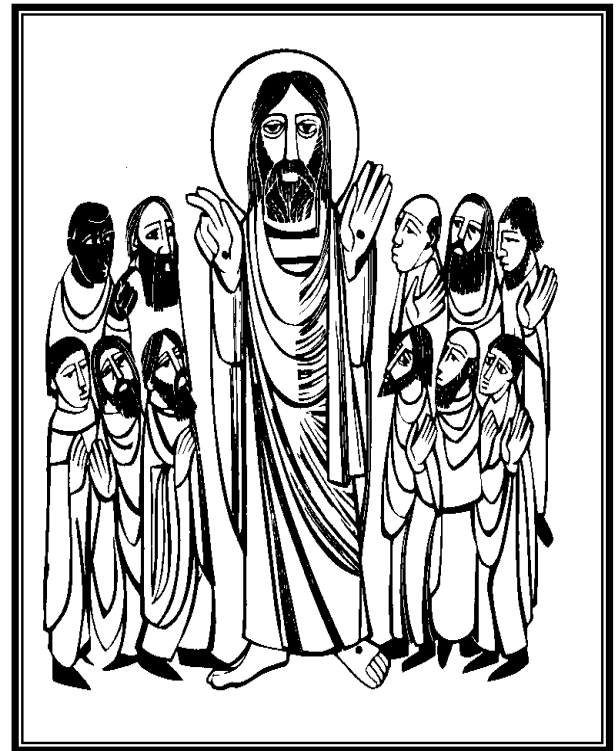
## April 15, 2018

*"You are witnesses of these things."* Luke 24: 35-48

### **"Witnesses"**

As the Risen Jesus appears to the Eleven "as flesh and bone," Jesus calls us to be "flesh and bone" witnesses of His Resurrection. Jesus asks us to live His Gospel of peace and reconciliation in the simplicity of our everyday lives, in the complexities of our work places, in the struggle to realize our hopes and dreams for ourselves and our families.

*To be a witness of Christ is not simply to repeat what we have heard but to give our whole lives as evidence of the truth. Belief in the Resurrected Lord can't be argued or explained to someone. Even Jesus didn't try that. He knew that the truth of His Resurrection had to be seen, had to be touched, had to be experienced in the flesh. We are witnesses when we can invite someone to look into our homes, our families, our friendships, our work, our day-timers and find Jesus there. May our works of generosity and compassion, our commitment to what is right and good, our struggle to forgive and heal defy any explanation other than the presence of the Risen Christ in our midst.*



### **Scripture Readings for the Week**

Monday: Acts 6: 8-15; John 6: 22-29  
Tuesday: Acts 7: 51 — 8: 1; John 6: 30-35  
Wednesday: Acts 8: 1-8; John 6: 35-40  
Thursday: Acts 8: 26-40; John 6: 44-51  
Friday: Acts 9: 1-20; John 6: 52-59  
Saturday: Acts 9: 31-42; John 6: 60-69  
Sunday: Acts 4: 8-12; 1 John 3: 1-2;  
John 10: 11-18

### **Poor Clares' Prayer Line**

Do you need prayer today? Are your loved ones, coworkers or neighbors in need of God's loving guidance? Call the Poor Clares' Prayer Line at 216-361-0783.

### **Moving?**

Please notify the Rectory office of any change of address so that we can update our records. You can call the office at 216-226-5116, or email us at: [stclementlakewood@cox.net](mailto:stclementlakewood@cox.net).

### **Coffee & Donuts**

Coffee & donuts are served on Sundays after the 9 am & 11 am Masses. All parishioners and visitors are invited to join us in the church hall for coffee and fellowship.



I John Hoon & Sarah Tetzlaff

### **Mass Intention Book 2018**

The Mass Intention Book for 2018 is open. You might like to remember the birthday or anniversary of your living loved ones, as well as the deceased. Mass stipends are \$10 each. Please stop by the Rectory office, or call the office at 226-5116.

### **Mass Intentions for the Week**

#### **Monday, April 16 - Easter Weekday**

5:15 PM † John & Shirley Malloy

#### **Tuesday, April 17 - Easter Weekday**

8:00 AM † Mary Hanna

#### **Wednesday, April 18 - Easter Weekday**

5:15 PM † Edward J. Healy

#### **Thursday, April 19 - Easter Weekday**

8:00 AM † Herb Trayte, Sr.

#### **Friday, April 20 - Easter Weekday**

5:15 PM † Poor Souls in Purgatory

#### **Saturday, April 21 - Saint Anselm**

8:00 AM † Eddie Dobies

4:00 PM † Debbie Westerfield

#### **Sunday, April 22 - 4th Sunday of Easter**

9:00 AM † Millie Kerg

11:00 AM For the People of the Parish

### **NOTICE:**

If you are having a Saturday Vigil or Sunday Mass offered for a particular intention/person and would like to bring up the gifts of bread & wine, please notify an usher before Mass begins.

### **The Development of the Unborn Child**

**Week #4:** I may be small yet, but I'm mighty! Just think of it! I have 40 pairs of muscles that have developed along the trunk of my body. My arms and legs are forming. I am about one-quarter inch long.



We have begun receiving reservations for our bus trip to Seneca, New York, June 11th & 12th. Brochures are available in the gathering area and at the Rectory.

Included in the price are three main attractions and a visit to Our Lady of Victory Basilica, and lunch at Debonne Winery in Geneva. Please feel free to visit their websites for these attractions. A reservation fee of \$50.00 is due with your reservation form. Make your reservations now to avoid being closed out of this excursion. For further information, please contact Fr. Workman at 216-226-5116, or Sue Battiato at 216-973-7516.

### **Liturgical Ministers**

#### **Lector Schedule**

##### **Saturday, April 21:**

4:00 pm J. Barker

##### **Sunday, April 22:**

9:00 am J. Flood

11:00 am K. Reilly

#### **Eucharistic Minister Schedule**

##### **Saturday, April 21:**

4:00 pm M.K. Kolenz, P. Machesky, C. McCallum

##### **Sunday, April 22:**

9:00 am J. McMaster, K. Brocklehurst,  
B. Radvansky

11:00 am D. Miller, T. Clynne, R. Clynne

#### **Server Schedule**

##### **Saturday, April 21:**

4:00 pm G. Pandos, F. Senft

##### **Sunday, April 22:**

9:00 am A. Brocklehurst, J. Brocklehurst,  
J. Mangan

11:00 am C. Cudnik, J. Cudnik, J. Reilly

### **Sisters of St. Joseph Prayer Line:**

216-252-0548

### **Lakewood Catholic Academy Parent Letter**



Letters were mailed out to the parents of students currently attending LCA. If anyone has **NOT** received their letter, please contact Fr. Workman ASAP at the Rectory at 216-226-5116.

## **SAVE THE DATE!!**

### **Knights of Columbus -**

#### **Chicken Paprikash Dinner**

Get your tickets now for the Knights of Columbus Chicken Paprikash Dinner on **Saturday, April 28th**, from **5:30 pm - 8 pm** in Saint Clement's Church hall. The cost of the dinner is \$14 for adults, and \$10 for children age 12 and under. Dinner tickets can be purchased in advance by contacting Tom Smith at 216-403-3902. It is suggested you reserve your tickets early, as only a limited number of tickets will be available at the door. **Please join us for a fantastic dinner and a great time!**



## Saint Vincent de Paul Meeting

The Saint Vincent de Paul Society will hold their April meeting on **Tuesday, April 17th**, at **7 pm** at Saint Clement Church in the gathering area. New members and visitors are always welcome!

## Museum of Divine Statues

The Museum of Divine Statues has added Saturday hours. It will now be open on Saturday and Sunday from 12 noon to 4 pm. Come see the beautiful collection of ecclesiastical statues and other Catholic artifacts. The admission to the museum is \$10. If you are interested in a tour or a group event, please call 216-721-7094. The museum is located at 12905 Madison Ave., Lakewood, (the former St. Hedwig Church).



## Westshore Separated, Divorced & Widowed Catholic Support Group

The Support Group will hold a meeting on **April 15th** at **7 pm** at St. Brendan's Church, 4242 Brendan Lane, No. Olmsted. It will be joke night. Come prepared to laugh. We ask everyone who would like to share a favorite joke or funny story to come ready to share. It is a good way to meet others and share with them. For more information, please call Jane at 216-509-4570. Hope to see you there!



AM 1260 The Rock's Spring Spirit Drive is just around the corner. This will be the third year of AM 1260 The Rock gracing Cleveland's airwaves with EWTN's programming. Join us as we focus on the beauty and mystery of the Trinity during this Spirit Drive, **April 18th - 20th**. Debbie Georgianni, co-host of "Take Two with Jerry and Debbie," will be leading the Spirit Drive on AM 1260 The Rock. Join us for three amazing days, April 18th, 19th, & 20th. Keep the airwaves filled with the TRUTH of the Catholic Church!

## Pot of Gold Winners

\$25 Chip Caine, Bernadine Kendra, Donna Miller, Brendan Dorsey, Sean Duffy, Jack Curtis



## All-Natural Family Planning

**Did you know that your family planning decision can contribute to living sustainably and discovering the more God has for your marriage?**

We invite you to discover another component of living well by taking a natural family planning class. A new class series will be starting at 10:00 am on **Saturday, April 21st**, at Saint Clement Church hall, 2022 Lincoln Ave., Lakewood, and then continuing on **May 19th** and **June 23rd**, 2018. Cost of the class is \$135.00 (+S & H) which covers all materials. Assistance is available for those with financial hardship. For more information, please visit [www.neo-nfp.com](http://www.neo-nfp.com). If you have any questions about NFP or this class series, please contact teaching couple, Bill and Jessica Davidson, at 216-347-1041, or [davidsonnfp@gmail.com](mailto:davidsonnfp@gmail.com).

## Saint Edward High School Spring Play

The Edwardian Players are presenting "*The Hunchback of Notre Dame*" at Saint Edward High School, 13500 Detroit Avenue. Performance dates are **Friday and Saturday, April 20th and 21st**, at **7:30 pm**, and **Sunday, April 22nd**, at **3:00 pm**. Based on the Victor Hugo novel and songs from the Disney animated feature, "*The Hunchback of Notre Dame*" tells the story of Quasimodo, the deformed bell ringer of Notre Dame, and his struggle to gain acceptance into society. Reserved seating is \$18.00, general admission \$14, and student seating \$8.00. For more information, please call 216-221-0793, ext. 201.

## Finance Corner

Collection for weekend of **April 8th** - \$ 5,908.20  
Monthly Collection - \$ 405.00  
St. Augustine Hunger Center collection - \$ 1,301.87  
Good Friday Collection - \$ 40.00  
Easter Collection - \$ 870.00  
Rice Bowl Collection - \$ 23.00  
Online giving - Monthly \$1,130.00 - Weekly \$609.00

Thank you for your continued support and generosity to the Parish.



Our next speaker for our Coffee & Conversation will be Mayor Mike Summers, and will be held on **Saturday, May 12th, at 9 am** in Saint Clement hall. Mayor Summers will be speaking on the growing challenges facing our city and how we as parishes can support our city. This invitation is extended to the four Lakewood Catholic Parishes. We will have 8 am Mass for those wishing to attend, and the Mayor's presentation to follow at 9 am. We will be serving light refreshments. This is a great opportunity for all of us to come and share in coffee and conversation.

Please call Sue Battiatto at 216-973-7516 if you need more information.

### **Attention - Retired Catholics**

Share your lifetime of experience and get the experience of a lifetime. The Ignatian Volunteer Corps (IVC) is recruiting new volunteers. The IVC is an organization of retired men and women who want to use their time and talents to help others. IVC volunteers commit one or two days per week to work directly with organizations that address the issues that affect the poor. We gather monthly to socialize, prayerfully reflect on their apostolic work, and discover the deeper meaning of the service we do. For more information, please call Ginny Pippin at 216-574-6300.



### **Catholic Radio Station - 1260 The Rock**

Do you love Catholic radio? Have you ever wanted to evangelize through the air waves? Volunteer at AM 1260 The Rock! There are a variety of opportunities. We're sure there will be something to interest you. Opportunities include distributing literature at parishes and events, performing day to day office work at our studios, voice work, answering phones during our upcoming Spirit Drive, April 18th - 20th, and so much more. Download the volunteer application at: [am1260therock.com/contact](http://am1260therock.com/contact).

### **Catholic Cemeteries Association** **Monthly Grief Support Sunday**

Please join us for an hour of sharing, listening, learning and healing along your grief journey. Our grief support leaders are certified Ministers of Consolation by the National Catholic Ministry to the Bereaved, Inc. God's strength will be renewed in you as you join with others traveling similar paths of readjustment after a loss. We do not want you to grieve alone. The next gathering is **Sunday, April 15th**, at the following locations:

3:00 PM at St. Joseph Cemetery, Avon

3:00 PM at Holy Cross Cemetery, Brook Park

3:00 PM at Holy Cross Cemetery, Akron

No registration is required, just come and join us. For more information, visit our website: [www.clecem.org/Information/Breavement.aspx](http://www.clecem.org/Information/Breavement.aspx), or call Rhonda at 216-930-4866.

### **Box Tops for Education**

Please continue to save the Box Tops for Education (on General Mills cereals and many other products) for Lakewood Catholic Academy. Each Box Top is worth 10 cents. Please put the Box Tops in an envelope in the collection basket, or bring them to the Rectory. Thank you for helping the students at LCA!

### **St. Vincent de Paul Society** **18th Annual Kentucky Derby Party**



Join us for the best Kentucky Derby Party in town and help fight hunger in Cleveland at the same time! St. Vincent de Paul Society's 18th Annual Kentucky Derby Party is **Saturday, May 5th**, from **4 pm - 8 pm** at Great Lakes Brewing Company Tasting Room, 2701 Carroll Ave., Cleveland. Enjoy the *Run for the Roses* on the large screen, horse betting, a hat contest, silent auction, 50/50 raffle, mouth-watering authentic Derby fare, convenient valet parking, refreshing mint juleps, and Cleveland's own Great Lakes Brewing Company craft beer. Admission is \$75. Tickets for the 50/50 raffles cost \$10 each, or three for \$20 (winner need not be present).

For details, call 216-696-6525, ext. 2520, or visit: [www.svdpcle.org](http://www.svdpcle.org).