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LITURGY READINGS

April 21, 2024

Acts 4:8-12 1 John 3:1-2 John 10:11-18

OUR GIFTS TO GOD

April 7, 2024

Adult Offering \$ 11,603.00 Anonymous Offering \$ 1,069.00 Student Offering \$ 165.99 March Direct Deposit \$ 12,520.50 March MyEOffering \$ 9,500.63 March PayPal \$ 108.32 March IRA \$ 11,785.00 Total \$ 46,752.44

Thank you for your support!

WEDDING BANNS

I-Brian Pohlman and Kelsey Goodman
II – Clayton Stemen and Breece Rohr

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, April 15, 2024

8:00 a.m. † Dorothy and Raymond Cross

Wednesday, April 17, 2024

8:00 a.m. + Bob Bockey 12:15 p.m. + Gene Shumaker

Friday, April 19, 2024

8:00 a.m. † Leo and Bernice Drerup

Saturday, April 20, 2024

4:30 p.m. + Kermit Minnig

Sunday, April 21, 2024

7:30 a.m. People of Our Parishes 9:15 p.m. † Alfred and Irma Hilvers 11:30 a.m. 25th Wedding Anniversary for Ann and Jim Benfield

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

The Sick: Sophia Becker, Lisa Davis Bemis, Ken Blankemeyer, Tracey Boberg, James Bodnar, Gordon Brendle, Marcey Brickner, Madalyn Donaldson, Dolly Elzey, Janice Etzkorn, Carolyn Fisher, Rosie Fortener, Mary Ann Franklin, Mary Freund, Barry Friemoth, Jim Friemoth, John E. Friemoth, June Gable, Herb Gerdeman, David Gonyea, Carol Graham, Dan "Beeze" Grothouse, Mary Grothouse, Don Heitz, Joann and Tom Hempfling, Tom Hickey, Sharon Hines, Angela Hoehn, Madelyn Jones, Shawn Kimmet, Shelly Klausing, Donna Klinger, Braden Knebel, Laura Krietemeyer, Sharon Lawrence, Dave Merschman, Linda Miller, Millie Minnig, Minnie Moenter, Mary Mullen, Amy Musser, John Phillips, Barb Recker, Sue Reddy-Bemis, Martha Reddy-Lehman, Alissa Rice, Becky Richardson, Tracy Rowland, Amy Schulte, Winifred Siefker, Tina Vance, Donna Vogt, Mark and Sue Wannemacher, Chad Weber, Darrell Wieging, Mel Williams

The Recently Deceased: Diana Warnecke

Those in the Armed Forces: Christine Bemis, Frances Bemis-Sigler, Jorden Boone, Mahlon Haunhorst, Brian Huysman, Troy Trombly, Samantha Wehri

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE RECENTLY BAPTIZED

Lainey Jo, daughter of Eric and Jodie Clark Brook David, son of Cody and Lauren Hattery Cecilia Marijoy, daughter of Matthew and Elizabeth Warnecke

OUR SCHOOL/PARISH

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

All Wednesday Night Bingo volunteers are invited to a meeting on Sunday, April 21 at 1:00 p.m. at the K of C Hall. The purpose of the meeting is to review the selling of instant tickets. Also offered will be training for those interested in being back-up callers. The meeting is open to anyone interested in becoming a Bingo volunteer as additional help is needed. If you have any questions, please call Kathy Siefker at xxx-xxxx.

CHURCH CAMP 2024

Registration for Church Camp is going on now. Camp is May 30 - June 1 at 4-H Camp Palmer in Fayette, Ohio. SJ students in current grades 3-12 are welcome for an amazing opportunity involving praise and worship around a campfire, swimming, canoeing, teambuiling, etc. Check your email for the newsletter sent by the school before Easter to register your camper or counselor. Any questions, contact Nikki Rode at xxx-xxxx. Please sign up for the Remind group or text 81010 using code @dsjchu for the latest updates.

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

APRIL 14, 2024

OUR SCHOOL/PARISH

25TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Congratulations to Jim and Ann Benfield as they celebrate their 25th Wedding Anniversary at the 11:30 a.m. Mass on Sunday, April 21. Here's to many more years of marital bliss.

THIS WEEK IN PARISH HISTORY

By Jack Bockey



There are 20 stained glass windows in the main body of church and two of them were made in Germany. The Good Shepherd window was donated by Fr. Rupert and The Ascension window was donated by the St. Joseph Society. There are only two from Germany because of the start of World War I. The rest

were made in Columbus and Fort Wayne. The windows cost from \$700.00 to \$1,200.00 each at the time they were made.

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MAXIMILIAN: SAINT OF AUSCHWITZ

Maximilian: Saint of Auschwitz, the moving, live production performed by Leonardo Defilippis of Saint Luke Productions, will be presented at Lima Central Catholic High School in Lima on Monday, April 22, at 7:00 p.m. Experience firsthand the story of this heroic priest, Fr. Maximilian Kolbe, who courageously fought the forces of evil, and offered his life for a family man in the concentration camp of Auschwitz during World War II. The program is filled with all the elements of professional theater, runs 90 minutes, and is suitable for ages 10 and up. Admission will be a freewill offering. For additional information, contact St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church at 419-228-7635 or info@stcharleslima.org. Watch the gripping trailer and learn more at www.StMaxDrama.com.

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH IN NEW BAVARIA

Sacred Heart Catholic Church in New Bavaria will be holding a Drivethru Chicken BBQ at the Holgate Park on Sunday, April 21, 2024 from 10:30 a.m. until they sell out. Cost is \$12.00 per meal and \$9.00 for Chicken Only. Carryouts Available. Menu includes ½-chicken, (prepared by Holgate Fire Department), baked beans, potato salad, roll, and cookie.

PARISH CALENDAR: APRIL 14-21

Sunday, April 14, 2024

Third Sunday of Easter

7:30 a.m. - Mass - Church

8:45 a.m. - Rosary - Church

9:15 a.m. - Mass - Church

10:20 a.m. - PSR - Elementary School

11:30 a.m. - Mass - Church

1:30 p.m. – Spanish Mass – Church

5:30 p.m. - Mass - Landeck Church

Monday, April 15, 2024

Easter Weekday

8:00 a.m. - Mass - Church

8:30 a.m. - Rosary for the Respect for All Life - Church

7:00 p.m. - Eucharistic Adoration (Holy Hour) - Church

Tuesday, April 16, 2024

Easter Weekday

8:00 a.m. - Mass - Church

7:00 p.m. - Cantors - Church

7:45 p.m. - Choir Rehearsal - Church

Wednesday, April 17, 2024

Easter Weekday

7:00 a.m. - Parish Foundation - Ministry Center

8:00 a.m. - Mass - Church

12:15 p.m. - Mass - Church

5:00 p.m. – Shepherds of Christ Prayer Group – Church

7:00 p.m. - Parish Council Meeting - Ministry Center

Thursday, April 18, 2024

Easter Weekday

8:00 a.m. - Mass (K-6th Grade) - Church

Friday, April 19, 2024

Easter Weekday

6:30 a.m. - Men's Prayer Group - Ministry Center

7:30 a.m. - Reconciliation - Church

8:00 a.m. - Mass (7th-12th Grade) - Church

Saturday, April 20, 2024

Easter Weekday

8:00 a.m. - Mass - Church

8:30 a.m. – Catholic Men's Fellowship – Ministry Center

8:30 a.m. - Rosary for the Respect for All Life - Church

3:30 p.m. – Reconciliation – Church

4:30 p.m. – Mass – Church

Sunday, April 21, 2024

Fourth Sunday of Easter

7:30 a.m. - Mass - Church

8:45 a.m. - Rosary - Church

9:15 a.m. - Mass - Church

10:20 a.m. - PSR - Elementary School

11:30 a.m. - Mass - Church

2:00 p.m. - Confirmation Mass - Church

5:30 p.m. - Mass - Landeck Church

Jesus' Body Came Back to Life!

When Jesus rose from the dead, was He just a spirit or did He have a real living body?

Some of the disciples thought He was just a sprit or ghost at first and were afraid. But Jesus showed them He was really alive again, with a real

body, by eating some fish. Of course, a ghost can't eat anything because it doesn't have a real body.

When we die, our body will be buried in the ground and turn back into earth. But our soul will not die. At

the end of time we will get our body back, but not an old worn out body.
This body will really be our own body, but it will be new and fresh, with no problems in it! Jesus showed us what it would be like when He came back to life after His death.

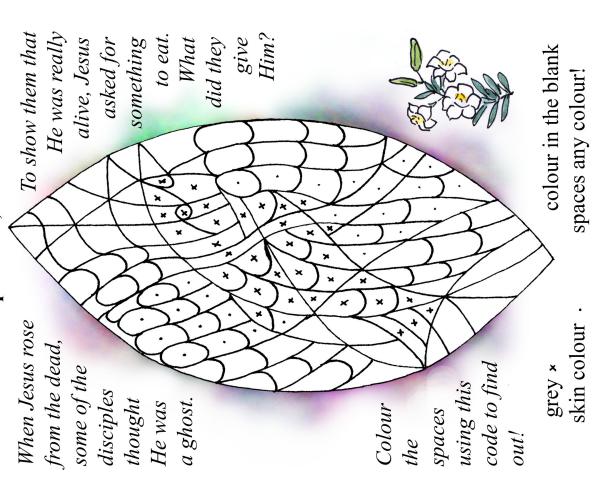
Did you know that we will get our bodies back one day in Heaven? God made people to have a soul and a body, so when we are perfectly happy with Him in Heaven we will be able to rejoice with our bodies and our souls!

Alleluía!

Answers to Easter Word Puzzle: written, rise, third, sins, name, nations, Jerusalem. WITNESS

The Kids' Bulletin

Third Sunday of Easter April 14th, 2024



APRIL 14, 2024 THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

Saint Benedict Joseph Labre April 16





BUT BENEDICT WANTED TO BECOME A MONK INSTEAD,

MONASTERIES, BUT HE HE TRIED TO ENTER WAS SENT AWAY.

It just doesn't seem to be your vocation! I'm sorry, Benedict.

BENEDICT SLEPT OUTSIDE AND

ATE ONLY WHAT WAS GIVEN TO HIM. HE DIED AT AGE 35.







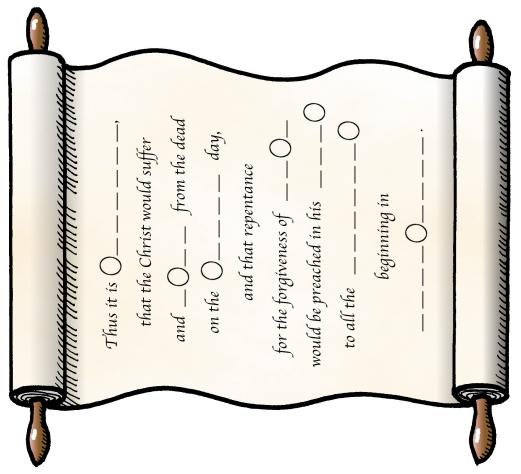
SHOUT, "THE SAINT HAS Saint

TO DO WAS TO BE WITH GOD. HAVE YOU EVER SEEN A PERSON WHO LOOKED LIKE ST. BENEDICT? GOD LOVES THAT PERSON VERY MUCH. YOU CAN PRAY THAT THEY BECOME A SAINT TOO! SAINT BENEDICT SEEMED LIKE A VERY STRANGE MAN- HE WAS RAGGED AND DIRTY AND SMELLED BAD, BUT ALL HE WANTED

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An Easter Word Puzzle

Use the words from the list to fill in the blanks. Then use the letters in circles to fill in the blanks at the end.



_ to the world! NAME Jesus wants you to be His THIRD **JERUSALEM**

NATIONS

COMMUNITY

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

World Day of Prayer for Vocations will be observed on Sunday, April 21, 2024, also known as "Good Shepherd Sunday." The purpose of this day is to publicly fulfill the Lord's instruction to, "Pray the Lord of the harvest to send laborers into his harvest." (Mt 9:38; Lk 10:2) Please pray that young men and women hear and respond generously to the Lord's call to the priesthood, diaconate, religious life, societies of apostolic life or secular institutes. Resources for promoting vocations can be found on the USCCB website.

DIOCESE

HOMESCHOOLED MASS

Come together with Bishop Daniel Thomas for the 2024 Homeschool Mass, scheduled for Tuesday, June 4, at 7:00 p.m. at Rosary Cathedral. This special event is open to all 8th-grade and graduating high school senior homeschoolers. If you wish to take part in this Mass, kindly reach out to us at homeschoolmasstoledo@gmail.com.

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST SCHOOL DELPHOS, OHIO ANTICIPATED OPENING

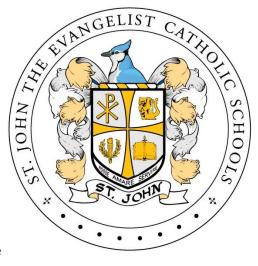
Delphos St. John's Elementary School is anticipating an opening for a passionate/qualified Second Grade Teacher-Minister for the 2024-25 school year. Interested candidates must be proficient in all curriculum demands of teaching Second Grade according to the Diocese of Toledo Standards and Curriculum. Applicants should be willing to play an active role in the education of our youth as well as create a classroom environment that is supportive and structured. We invite prospective educators who welcome the challenge of continuing our strong tradition of faith and academic excellence to come join our Blue Jay family.

RESPONSIBILITIES

- Instruct Second Grade as scheduled
- Be Flexible to Schedule Adjustments
- Be Willing to Coach/Advise Students Athletics or Organizations if Interested
- Participate in Outside School Activities and Events as Necessary (First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion are made during Second Grade)
- Able to Relate and Develop Rapport with Students
- Work Closely and Collaborate with the Delphos St. John's Staff
- Maintain High Quality Academics and Expectations
- Commitment to the Students, School, Community, and the Blue Jay Family

QUALIFICATIONS/REQUIREMENTS

- Bachelor's Degree, majoring in Elementary Education preferred
- Ohio Teaching License (P-5) or Non-Tax License Required
- FBI/BCI Background Check
- Complete Ohio Department of Education and Diocese of Toledo Requirements
- Must model the behaviors and precepts of the Catholic Church
- Practicing Catholic in good standing in the Church in order to prepare students for the Sacraments of Holy Communion and Reconciliation.



SALARY

Per Negotiated Contract with the potential of Supplemental Stipend

HOW TO APPLY

To apply for this position, please submit the required materials to the Delphos St. John's Elementary School Principal either by mail or e-mail:

Principal: Nathan Stant Address: 110 N. Pierce Street Delphos, OH 45833 Email: stant@delphosstjohns.org Phone: (419) 692-8561, ext. 3000

Please submit a Cover Letter, Resume, and Three Letters of Recommendation. For more information, please contact the Delphos St. John's Elementary School or visit us online at www.delphosstjohns.org.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE: APRIL 20 & 21		
	SATURDAY, APRIL 20 – 4:30 p.m.	SUNDAY, APRIL 21 – 7:30 a.m.
EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS	Rosie Hoersten (sub req.), Bonnie Merschman (sub req.), Kathy Pugh, Rachel Rahrig, Sandy Rostorfer, Cory Werts, Barry Friemoth – Back Paten, Dianne Will – Dishes	Ron Baumgarte, Linda Klausing, Charlie Luersman (sub req.), Jean Mueller, Steve Recker, Deacon John Sheeran, Kayla Hageman – Dishes
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CANTOR	Kelly Schroeder	Chris Rode
	SUNDAY, APRIL 21 - 9:15 a.m.	SUNDAY, APRIL 21 - 11:30 a.m.
EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS	Mark Bockey, Kathy Buettner, Sandy Harr, Emma Pohlman, Gene Siefker, Ella Wilson, Kim Honigford – Choir Chalice, Vickiann Rinker – Choir Paten, Baylee Vonderwell – Dishes	Avery Altenburger, Dave Clark, Kierstyn Klaus (sub req.), Michelle Reigle, Deacon John Sheeran, Erica Vorst, Grace Moenter – Dishes
SERVERS	Ava Wiltsie, Emma Wiltsie, Lauren Wiltsie	Faith Cross, Emma Haehn, Cole Wilson
LECTOR	Valerie DeVelvis	Madelyn Haehn
CHOIR	Scheduled	
GREETERS	Dennis Bockey, Maddy Conley, Jim Friedrich, Aubrey Friedrich, Allan Kerns, MC Kopack	Brooke Altenburger, Patty Gerberick, Tom Jettinghoff, Kaylie Sunderhaus, Andy Walpole, Callie Wieging
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