

Annunciation Catholic Church

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WHERE DO YOU PUT YOUR ENERGY?

There is a story about a little girl who got frustrated when she realized that she was wasting her energy running back and forth trying to put gulf water in a hole that she had dug in the sand. The sand was simply soaking up the water. As Catholics, we can be like the little girl and waste our energy on fruitless things that are not of God. When not of God, our actions just get soaked up into the world and make little difference. We are challenged to be more fruitful in our lives by focusing our energy on that which is of God. We are called to be humble, just, and caring toward one another. When it comes to where we put our energy, we are called to ask daily, “Who are we in this for?” “What is our purpose?” and “Who are we trying to serve?” This is the spiritual way. One day, John got upset at “other people” casting out demons in Jesus’ name and spreading God’s love when they were not qualified. Jesus wanted John to know that they were using their energy for the right things, “There is no one who performs a mighty deed in my name who can be at the same time speak ill of me. For whoever is not against us is for us” (Mk 9:43). Yes, as Catholics our conversations, our social media activity, our energy should be focused on building each other up, rather than tearing each other down. Remember that you are a perfect instrument of God. Now, where do you put your energy?

*Christ's Blessings
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Tuesday-Thursday

8:30a.m.-2:30p.m.

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Twenty-Sixth Sunday in

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PARISH NEWS

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES and MASSES

Tuesday
 10:00a.m. ATC womens Bible Study
 10:00a.m. St. Katherine Drexel Bible Studay
 5:30p.m. Mass (Chapel)
 6:30p.m. RCIA(AC)

Wednesday
 8:00a.m. Mass (Chapel)
 6:00p.m. Comfirmation Class(AC)

Thursday
 8:30a.m. Mass(ACS)
 10:00a.m. Thursday Bible Study(AC)

Friday
 8:30a.m. First Friday Mass(AC)

Sunday
 7:15a.m.-7:45 a.m Confession
 8:00a.m. Mass(Main Church)
 10:30a.m. Mass(Main Church)
 5:00p.m. CYO(AC)

a look at what's ahead

Religious Education

- october 6** Schedule Change -- No Classes
- october 13** Fall Break -- No Classes
- october 20** Religious Ed Classes - 9:05-10:10
- october 27** 11th Annual Fall Festival-No Classes
- november 3** Religious Ed Classes - 9:05-10:10
- november 6** Sacramental Prep Students-Baptism Certificates Due to the RE Office

ACCReligiousEd@gmail.com



Tuesday, October 1
6:30p.m. in the
Activity Center

October 1 -Walk through the Mass
 October 8- Fall Break



Join Us For
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 Sunday Gatherings: 5:00-7:00
 Sunday Supper: 5:00-5:30



September Events

29 CYO @ 5-7 in the Activity Center

October Events

6 CYO @ 5-7 in the Activity Center

13 NO CYO FALL BREAK

20 CYO @ 5-7 in the Activity Center

27 Fall Festival @ ACS Pizza Party to Follow



Thank you to the 19 AMAZING teens who came out to our CYO kickoff party! Your energy & enthusiasm made it a fantastic start to the year. If you haven't registered yet, it's NEVER too late - there is still time to JOIN US for an incredible year ahead!

Annunciation_CYO_Columbus



Samantha Edwards, Youth Minister • 662-364-8676 • AnnunciationCYO@gmail.com



CONFIRMATION

Why A God?
Wednesday,
October 2

6:00-7:30 in the Activity Center

October 8-Fall Break

accadultfaith@gmail.com

SAVE THE DATE!

Thank you for feeding our hungry teens at CYO!
 Upcoming dates available:

OCTOBER 6	OCTOBER 20	NOVEMBER 3
NOVEMBER 10	NOVEMBER 17	DECEMBER 8

Please contact Sam for more info:
annunciationcyo@gmail.com -or- 662-364-8676
 Sign up at mealtrain.com/k9vw7z

JOIN ACOLYTES

WANT TO BE AN ALTAR SERVER?

REQUIREMENTS:

- OPEN TO STUDENTS IN GRADES THREE TO TWELVE
- MUST HAVE RECIEVED FIRST COMMUNION

send an email to:
 Mrs. Clapper
ACCReligiousEd@gmail.com



DONUT SUNDAY



October 6

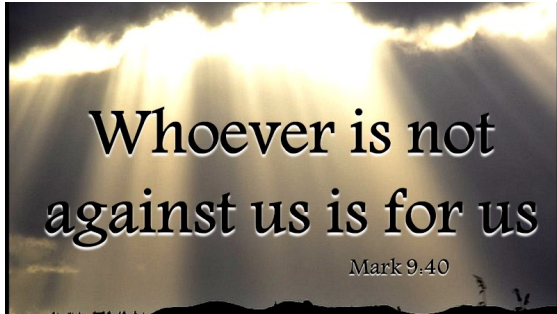
BRING A TREAT TO SHARE

PARISH NEWS

STEWARDSHIP IN ACTION

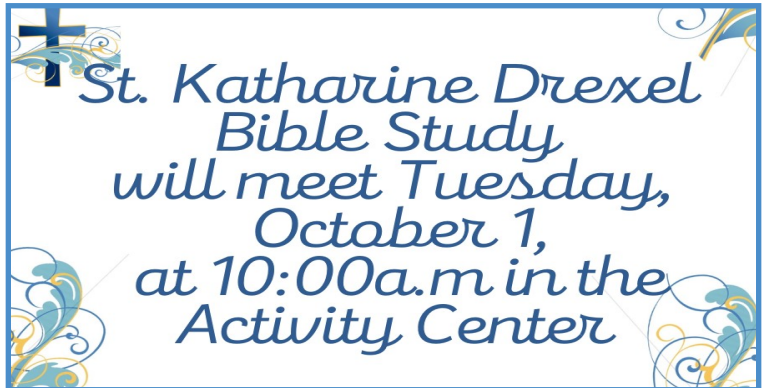
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Weekly Offering	9-22-24	\$ 6,281.00
On-Line Giving:	9-22-24	\$ 2,600.00
SVDP	9-22-24	\$ 915.00
On Line Mass	9-22-24	\$ 0.00
Chapel Preservation	9-22-24	\$ 180.00



Mass Intentions

Tuesday	10-01-24	5:30 pm Veloz Family		RIP
Wednesday	10-02-24	8:00 am Driver Family		RIP
Thursday	10-03-24	8:30 am		RIP
Friday	10-04-24	8:00 am Jessica Alexander	MB	RIP
Sunday	10-06-24	8:00am Jack Campbell	PR	SI
Sunday	10-06-24	10:30am People of the Parish		RIP



First Friday Mass & Brunch



October 4th
9:30a.m. in the
Activity Center

Bring A
Treat to Share



Altar Guild

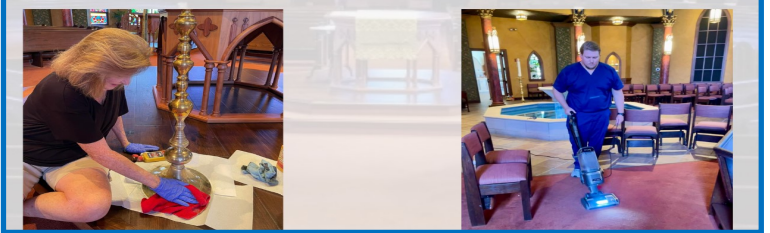
Thank you!!

We appreciate everyone that came and cleaned the Church and the Atrium last Saturday.

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Jacob's Crossing

Sat., October 5
8:00 am
ACC Activity Center



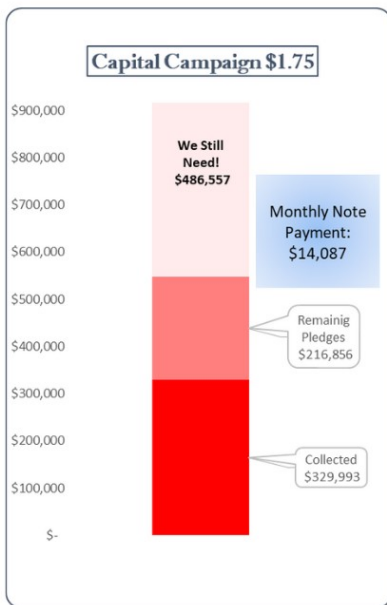


ACS visits CAFB for
Air Show STEM Day.



Father Jeffrey
takes part in
Pinwheels for Peace,
to celebrate the
International Day
of Peace.

ACS competed in
their first ever
swimming event for
MAIS!



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SPiritUAL LIFE

Who Are the Angels?

Dr. Ben Akers & Dr. Mark Miravalle

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Who Are the Angels?

Dr. Ben Akers sits down with Dr. Mark Miravalle, Saint John Paul II Chair of Mariology at Franciscan University of Steubenville, to discuss the angels. What is an angel? What are the choirs of angels? How do we engage with our guardian angels?

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CATHOLIC ALL YEAR AT HOME

Saint Frances of Rome

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St. Frances

Join the Tierney family as they celebrate the feast of Saint Frances of Rome, patroness of homemaking! Learn about practicing the corporal works of mercy in the home, the very Catholic Lenten history of pretzels and beer, and watch Kendra and three-year-old Barbara make something they like to call "trash can soup." Find this episode's feature recipes and more about liturgical living in the home at Catholic All Year. <https://catholicallyear.com/at-home/>.

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SAINTS

Feast of St. Thérèse

Dr. Ben Akers & Dr. Scott Hefelfinger

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The Feast of St. Thérèse

In celebration of the feast of St. Thérèse, Dr. Ben Akers and Dr. Scott Hefelfinger sit down to discuss the life and writings of this great saint and Doctor of the Church.

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Candy Donations Needed

For the 11th Annual Fall Festival

Donations of individually wrapped candy can be dropped off in the Parish Office or in the Atrium

Thank you for your continued support of this annual event!

11th Annual Loaves & Fishes Fundraiser

Annunciation Activity Center, 823 College Street, Columbus

Thursday, Oct. 10, 2024

Pick-Up 5pm - 6pm
Times 6pm or 7pm

Tickets : \$20 or 2 for \$35

Must purchase in advance at:
Annunciation Catholic Church, St. Paul's Episcopal Church
First Methodist Church of Columbus, Or Any Board Member

Menu: Pork Loin, potato salad, cole slaw, baked beans, cornbread & dessert!

"Help Us Feed The Needy In Columbus"

Prayers for Parishioners

Marian Beall
Delores Belhumeur
John Bino
Charles Bridges
Christy Burks
Rosemary Ciolino
Ginny Clarke
Judy Coleman
Carl Doumit
Karen Doumit
Tom Ebner
Larry Feeny
JoAnn Ferguson
Ruby Forrester
Tom Griffin
Gwen Gouveia
Geraldine Greenough
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John Love
Anne Mitchell
Raymond Overstreet
Sam Phillips
Cindy Putman
John Purtell
Ron Shepperd
Steve Wells
Scott Weseli
Wink Wright

Prayer Changes Things

Katie Atkinson
Melissa Baur
Rufus Beason
Gary Belhumeur
Amanda Burell
Michael Boland
Ashley Britt
Luke Brown
Jamie Butler
Judy Berg
Jack Campbell
Joel Carrigan
Claude Carter
John Michael Crimm
Marc Ciolino
Angie Corona
Linda Etter
George Ferguson
Jacob Fine
Kathy Forrester
Sue Gentry
Gus Gianini
Jonathan Giles
Patti Guerry
Scott Hankins

Prayers for Families and Friends

Chad Hill
Natalie Hardy
Billy Hendricks
Dylan Hicks
Dee Dee Hindman
Beth Huffer
Thomas Jones
Doreen Kahaulelio
Ean Laitinen
Michelle Lawton
Donna Loftis
Darryl Lopaka
Bentley Luker
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Rose Maness
Jamie Manning
Pam Nipper
Lynn Rosamond
Blake Ragsdale
Lauri Sansing
Richard Sertich

Anna Sibley
Jake Sudduth
Jett Sudduth
Kathy Corcoran-Sutter
Judy Therrel
Tom Walk
Doug Wheeler
Bree Wood



Men of our parish, 18 years or older, are invited to become members of the **W. H. Jolly K of C Council.**

As members, you will join with your brother Knights, putting your faith in action in support of our parish and community.

For more information on how to become a member contact **Mike Smith** at (662) 855-5035 or email him at smithmichael2192@gmail.com



Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary

Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary is extending an open invitation to women of our parish 18 yrs. and older to become members and share in our mission of spiritual and charitable growth.

For more information contact **Pat Jones** 662-364-3108(cell) or ljones8873@aol.com

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