24th Sunday of Ordinary Time

We all learned in elementary school that a noun is anything that names a person, place, object, thing, or action. Running is a noun when it describes the activity of sprinters at this past summer's Olympics. Apple is a noun; so is Washington, whether you mean George or DC (or for that matter state, a street in many towns, or a dollar bill). They are all Washingtons. Most of the time, we learn the word for the item after we understand what it is. As children we learn that one round, red fruit is called an apple, while another one is called a tomato. There is at least one occasion in which the name comes first: the naming of a child. We give a name-often a name that has special meaning-without really knowing if this child will truly grow into the meaning of that name.

In the Gospel today Jesus is being named. His disciples recount the different names that people think apply to him. Some think he's John the Baptist because he takes on the Pharisees like John used to do. Others think he may be Elijah because he stands up for the poor against the powerful as that prophet did. Still others think that he's one of the other prophets from the past, speaking the word of God as they did. Peter names him the Christ, the anointed of God. It's a title that comes after the fact, put down when the Gospel was written thirty years after the death and resurrection of Jesus.

We can't wait until our sons and daughters are full grown before we decide on a name for them. We call them from birth by whatever name we choose for them. But



through formation in the faith we strive to help them see that there is a name that they carry and one that they must live up to by virtue of their baptism. That name is "Christian."

Readings for the week of September 16, 2012

Sunday: Is 50:5-9a/Jas 2:14-18/Mk 8:27-35 Monday: 1 Cor 11:17-26, 33/Lk 7:1-10 Tuesday: 1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a/Lk 7:11-17 Wednesday: 1 Cor 12:31---13:13/Lk 7:31-35 Thursday: 1 Cor 15:1-11/Lk 7:36-50 Friday: Eph 4:1-7, 11-13/Mt 9:9-13 Saturday:1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49/Lk 8:4-15 Next Sunday:Wis 2:12, 17-20/Jas 3:16---4:3/Mk 9:30-37

Church Support SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2012

Total Collection: \$10,091.51 Loose Money: \$411.25 Envelopes: \$9,680.26 Envelopes used: 330 Average per envelope: \$29.33 Student Envelopes: 13 Total contributing households: 860

Thank you and God Bless You!

Wedding Banns
I Robert Beam (SJM) and Christina Zarzour (SJM)



MONDAY - September 17 ~ St. Robert Bellarmine

8:30 AM Rev. Francis Curran

7:00 PM Barry E. Aurand, Jackie Aurand

TUESDAY - September 18 ~ Weekday

8:30 AM Agnes Michney, Marilyn Terchek

WEDNESDAY - September 19 ~ St. Januarius

8:30 AM Poor Souls, Anonymous

THURSDAY - September 20 ~ Sts. Andrew Kim/Paul Chong

8:30 AM Mother's Day Remembrance 7:00 PM John W & Anna Ryan, *Family*

FRIDAY - September 21 ~ St. Matthew

8:30 AM Jack Kenehan, Lake County Domestic Relations Court

SATURDAY - September 22 ~ Weekday

5:00 PM Rolland Locker. Dee Locker

SUNDAY - September 23 ~ 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 AM Joseph Gunsch (A), Alice Guzay 9:30 AM Joseph & Valerie Sternad, Carol Sternad (Signing for the deaf at this Mass)

11:30 AM Deceased of the Vitas Family, Dietrich Family

Weekly Schedule

MONDAY, September 17

5:00PM (LH) Market Day

6:00PM School Skating Party

7:00PM PSR

7:30PM (ATR) Rooted in Faith Meeting

8:00PM (LH) Holy Name Society

TUESDAY. September 18

6:30PM (FR) Parish Council

7:00PM (ATR) St. Joseph Rosary Makers

CMR—Lifetouch Pictures

WEDNESDAY, September 19

7:30 PM (ATR) Bible Study

7:30 (C) Contemporary Musicians

CMR—Lifetouch Pictures

THURSDAY, September 20

6:30 PM (CMR) RIF Ambassadors

7:00 PM (ATR) RCIA

7:30 PM (CMR) Finance Council

FRIDAY, September 21

8:30 AM (C)School Liturgy

End of Magazine Sale

SUNDAY, September 23 CATECHETICAL SUNDAY

Sisters of Notre Dame Barbecue & Boutique

Family Perspectives

Calling ourselves Christian is not sufficient. Allowing Jesus to lead as the Lord is necessary. Instead of praying for and pleading for what we want, sometimes we will need to suffer and take up our crosses in order to find abundant life.



From the Pastor's Desk

Dear Parishioners:

Today is a great day of celebration and prayer! A year-long journey for 29 candidates will come to an end when the Sacrament of Confirmation is conferred upon them by the Most Reverend Richard G. Lennon. Our parish family joins with them, their families and sponsors, and all the other members of the confirmation team in words of praise, congratulations and thanksgiving.

Litany of the Holy Spirit

Come, Spirit of wisdom, and teach us to value the highest gift. ... Come, Holy Spirit.

Come, Spirit of understanding, and show us all things in the light of eternity. ... Come, Holy Spirit.

Come, Spirit of might and strengthen us against every evil spirit and interest which would separate us from You. ... Come, Holy Spirit.

Come, Spirit of knowledge, and teach us the shortness of life and the length of eternity.

...Come, Holy Spirit.

Come, Spirit of godliness, and stir up our minds and hearts to love and serve the Lord our God all our days. ... Come, Holy Spirit.

Come, Spirit of the fear of the Lord, and make us tremble with awe and reverence before Your divine majesty. ... Come, Holy Spirit.

Faithful citizenship

The moral and human challenges outlined in the second half of *Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship* remain pressing national issues:

- Continuing destruction of unborn children through abortion and other threats to the lives and dignity of others who are vulnerable, sick, or unwanted;
- Renewed efforts to force Catholic ministries—in health care, education, and social services—to violate their consciences or stop serving those in need;
- Intensifying efforts to redefine marriage and enact measures which undermine marriage as the permanent, faithful, and fruitful union of one man and one woman and a fundamental moral and social institution essential to the common good;
- An economic crisis which has devastated lives and livelihoods, increasing national and global unemployment, poverty, and hunger; increasing deficits and debt and the duty to respond in ways which protect those who are poor and vulnerable as well as future generations:
- The failure to repair a broken immigration system with comprehensive measures that promote true respect for law, protect the human rights and dignity of immigrants and refugees, recognize their contributions to our nation, keep families together, and advance the common good; *Read more...www.nccbuscc.*

Ministry of Prayer

Please pray for any of our parishioners who were hospitalized recently, the sick, Bea Meyer, Angela Klann, Carole Kopera, Doris Schader, the shut-in, those in nursing homes, those needing prayers, and all of the intentions written in our Book of Prayers located in the gallery. Many prayers help. If you would like to be included in the prayers, please call the parish office, 946-1177 or e-mail, louise@stjustin.net.

Prayer Line

- *Please call Theresa Davison, 942-5761, to add your request to the Prayer Chain.
- *You can reach the Sisters of Notre Dame prayer line at 440-279-1163.
- *E-mail Lisa Stefaniak to get your request added to the prayers on line, stefaniak1@sbcglobal.net.

Needed: Eucharistic Adorers

Tuesday, 10:00AM, Noon, 5:00PM Wednesday, 2:00 PM, 11:00PM Thursday, 5:00PM or 6:00 PM Friday, 3:00PM, 7:00PM

URGENT NEED! 8:00PM!

This time is urgent as there will be no one to let the 9, 10, and 11PM Adorers in.

Call Marion Hanna with questions, 975-8208

Rest in Peace Melvin E. Stell, brother of Loretta Farrier

Praying the Rosary with My Heart

This book, by Peggy Golden (SJM Alumnus) will be available to purchase in the Parish Office. The book offers a short scripture summary and reflection on each mystery of the rosary to help lead you closer to jesus during your family prayer time.

All proceeds of the book will be donated to Community Cenacolo located worldwide for their work with addictions through prayer and community life. Founded by Mother Elvira Petrozzi in Italy, who gave her life to God to help those individuals with addictions, at over 60 locations throughout the world, three in Florida and one in Medjugorje. The cost is \$9.00. Checks can be made out to Peggy Golden.

Catholic Communication Collection

Next week our parish will take up the Collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC). This Collection communicates the Good News through Catholic social media activities and enriches our faith through podcasts, television, radio, and print media. Half of all proceeds remain in our diocese, so please be generous in this Collection. CCC is how the Good News gets around to you.





St. Mary Magdalene St. Justin Martyr School

... Catholic Schools Raise the Standards

Visit our school web pages at: www.smmsjmschool.org Navigate around our site for news about interesting school happenings, and to find important links.

This week at SMM-SJM School:

- This Monday, September 17 is our observance of US Constitution and Citizenship Day.
- On Friday, we observe International Day of Peace. Please join us for the school Liturgy at 8:30.
- Our Magazine sale concludes on Friday, September 21. Order a new or renewal subscription through our students at the regular price to support our school technology program. Magazines make wonderful Christmas gifts that can give joy throughout the year as new issues arrive in the mail! You may also order through the internet by way of our school web site link to Great American Fundraising: www.smmsjmschool.org Orders may be placed through this site throughout the year to benefit our students.

Recently at SMM-SJM School:

- The Windy City Players brought their energetic and humorous production of <u>Beauty and the Beast</u> to our students in Lambur Hall last Thursday.
- Following the School Liturgy last Friday, we held the Induction Ceremony for our National Junior Honor Society members.

Support our students:

- Visit our school web pages: to link to the Great American (Magazine sale) site to shop to help fund our children's education. You may order on line at any time throughout the year using our school code.
- Many of our children depend on extra tuition assistance to continue their education at SMM-SJM School. Visit our web pages, under the "Admissions" heading, to find out how you can help these students. www.smmsjmschool.org

Be a Saver for our Children...

- If you shop at Giant Eagle and use the store's Advantage Card, please register to support our school through the Apples for the Students program: www.gianteagle.com/ about/apples-for-students Our school code is 2856.
- If Heinen's is your grocery, please sign up at customer service to become a supporter of SMM-SJM school, or register online for St. Mary Magdalene-St. Justin Martyr School at www.heinensrewards.com.
- Please keep saving Boxtops for Education, Campbell product UPC codes, used inkjet cartridges and old cell phones for recycling.

St. Justin Martyr School Memories:

We have a number of "historical" school Memory Books from St. Justin Martyr School, from the mid 80's through 2006. If you are interested in obtaining a photo memory from your school years at St. Justin, we may still have a book available for you. Please call the school office and let us know what year you are interested in. If we have your year, the books are \$10 each (plus \$2.50 if you would like it to be mailed to you).



SMM-SJM is holding their annual Chinese Auction on Saturday, October 13. Tickets are \$15.00. Adult Only event. Call Kelly Matier for ticket ordering: 944-5184.

We would love for anyone that can donate any type/size of baskets that we can use to fill for the school's Chinese auction. They can be dropped off at the **school office.** Thank you in advance.

The Sisters of Notre Dame 50th Annual Barbeque

The Sisters of Notre Dame invite you to attend their 50th Annual Barbeque and Boutique to be held on Sunday, September 23 and Sunday, September 30 from Noon to 5:00 PM. Enjoy barbequed chicken or ribs, apple pie, coleslaw or applesauce and beverages.

Select Sisters' handmade items in the Boutique. Tickets available at the door: \$10/chicken, \$13/ribs. Held at Notre Dame Education Center, 13000 Auburn Road, Chardon, OH, south of Mayfield Road (Rt 322) rain or shine. Handicapped accessible. Take out dinners also available. Should you have any questions, or need further information, please call 440-279-1178. Thank you so much for your support.

AED Class Automated External Defibrillator

The Magnificat Knights of Columbus have donated a unit that is now in the Church Gallery. These units are also located in many work places and sporting events, If you would like to learn how to use these units, there will be a class held September 26 at 6:30pm in the ATR. If you haven't already registered, please call the office if you are interested or e-mail, louise@stjustin.net. There is no charge for this class.

Diocesan Theology on Tap

On Thursday, September 20, yound adults are invited to attend the next presentation with Sr. Kathleen Ryan, topic: Faithful Citizenship. Social begins at 6:00pm, lecture at 7:00pm. Admission, \$5. For more information contact Mark, 216-334-1261 x25.

WATER OF LIFE...Concerned about the environment, especially water? If so, why not attend Water for Life: Experience the Living River, on Saturday, September 22 from 8:30-12:30 at the Ursuline Education Center, 2600 Lander Rd. Registrations can be made by calling 205-0468 or email janicegeho@oh.rr.com as soon as possible. A \$5 fee will be collected at the door.

BLOOD DRIVE – Wickliffe Country place is hosting a Blood Drive on September 25 from 11am-3pm. All donors receive buy 1 get 1 free movie admissions and will be entered into a drawing for \$500 gift card. Call 944 -9400 to make an appointment.

Teen Ministry and More Beth Rossetti sjm.rossetti@gmail.com

9TH **GRADE FRESH FAITH PROGRAM APPLICATIONS ARE PAST DUE**. FRESH Faith is the ninth grade PSR program for our parish and a perquisite for the Confirmation program. Please complete this form even if your child will be attending a Catholic high school.

CONFIRMATION APPLICATIONS FOR 2012-2013 ARE PAST DUE. If your teen completed a ninth grade Catholic religious education program and would like to be confirmed please complete this application and return it to the parish office. All applications can be found on the website www.stjustin.net

Please pray for the following Confirmation Candidates who will be confirmed this afternoon at 2:30 PM by the Most Reverend

Richard G. Lennon: James McNulty Amanda Abrams Suzanne Newland Brooke Abrams Albert Nikolovski Alexander Amata Madison O'Callaghan **Brandon Armstrong** Michael Pandy Dylan Caruso Justin Pasquino Stefani Crevda Lauren Perovsek Ellyce Diver Mary Prosuch Ian Fastzkie Tobin Pyle Ryan Fastzkie Kaitlyn Rayl Dario Jukic **Daniel Richards** Krystle Koch Alexa Severini **Grant MacMullen** Aleah Sokalski Nicholas Malarik Joseph Strand Mandy McCollum Mitchell Valaitis

VIRTUS: All new coaches or volunteers that work with children for 3 or more hours a week need to register and complete a VIRTUS class, acknowledge all diocesan policies and stay updated on their diocesan VIRTUS bulletins. YOU cannot coach or volunteer until **all** VIRTUS and diocesan polices are completed. Contact your coordinator for more information. If you have questions, please contact Beth Rossetti at the parish office 946-1177.

To report any past or present suspected inappropriate behavior toward children by priests, deacons, religious, lay ecclesial ministers, or personnel associated in way with the Church, please contact the Diocesan Response Services office via email at response_services@dioceseofcleveland.org or by

From the Religious Education Office Charles Hunt 946-3287

Church Talk

Terms from the Catechism of the Catholic Church

FEAST DAYS: The annual cycle of liturgical celebrations commemorating the saving mysteries of Christ's life, as a participation in the Paschal Mystery, which is celebrated annually at Easter, the "Feast of feasts." Feast days commemorating Mary, the Mother of God, and the saints are also celebrated, providing the faithful with examples of those who have been glorified with Christ.

FILIOQUE: A word meaning "and (from) the Son," added to the Latin version of the Niceno-Constantinopolitan Creed, by which the Latin tradition of the Creed confesses that the Holy Spirit "proceeds from the Father *and the Son*".

PSR 2012-13

St. Justin Martyr Parish School of Religion has begun! Children whose registration forms are received hereafter will be delayed in being placed in classes and be required to pay a late fee. Forms are in the church gallery and office. If you have difficulty paying the PSR fees, please contact Charles Hunt at 440-946-3287 or <a href="mailto:simmarker:simma

RCIA

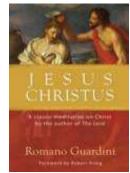
The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults has as its primary aim the formation of those who seek to become a disciple of Jesus and become a member of His Mystical Body, the Catholic Church. If you or someone you know are interested in joining the Catholic Church at St. Justin Martyr, please contact the RCIA coordinator, Charles Hunt at 440-946-3287 or simdre@gmail.com. RCIA sessions began Thursday, September 6. Meetings are held every Thursday at 7:00pm. It is not too late to start. The RCIA Team invites each parishioner to offer a weekly Rosary for the intention of others coming to know Christ and joining St. Justin Martyr Parish. Our prayers, example and welcoming outreach will foster growth in our parish.

Year of Faith

Pope Benedict XVI is calling all Catholics to celebrate a 'Year of Faith'. It is a call to a deeper relationship and knowledge of Christ. We are asked to pray more, study the Church's teachings more, live out our faith more, and be willing to share this faith with others. As a way to revitalize our knowledge and commitment to Christ, St. Justin Martyr will present the new 10 part series, CATHOLICISM. Offered during Advent and Lent, this breath taking and inspiring presentation will be worth the time and effort to watch and share.

St. Justin Martyr Parish Library

<u>Jesus Christus</u> is the latest book to be added to the shelves of our Parish Library. <u>Jesus Christus</u> offers a series of illuminating sermons on the life of Christ that were delivered to students at Berlin University, where author Romano Guardini (1885-1968) taught. He was a mentor to such prominent theologians as Hans Urs von Balthasar and Joseph Ratzinger (Pope Benedict XVI). You are invited borrow this or any other fine book on Catholic theology and spirituality from the SJM parish library, located in the church's gallery.



2013 Mass Book Form

The Mass book will open Monday, September 17, 2012

You may request a maximum of:

2 weekends, Saturday or Sunday and 2 weekdays, Monday through Friday per year

Available Mass Times:

Daily Masses: Monday and Thursday: 7:00pm or Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday: 8:30am
Saturday evening: 5:00pm
Sunday: 7:30, 9:30, 11:30am
Sunday evening: 5:00 pm October through April
Holyday Masses: check with the office

Please include (print carefully) the form below with a stipend of \$10 for each Mass made out to: St. Justin Martyr, place in an envelope in the collection basket or return to the parish office. We will only call you if there is a conflict. If you don't hear from us, the dates you requested are confirmed. You can also send requests to louise@stiustin.net

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We will try to schedule masses on or near the date requested, but this is not always possible.

Name of deceased:		
Date:	Mass time:	
Requested by:		
	(name as you would like it in bulletin)	
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	(name as you would like it in bulletin)	
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