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WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, August 20th: 20th Sunday of Ordinary Time

8:45am † Joanna Rutenschroer requested by Charlie Fehr

11:00am † Charles David Welch requested by McClarnon Family

Monday, August 21st: St. Pius X, Pope

8:30am † Marian Moorman requested by Dan Thompson

Tuesday, August 22nd: The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:30am † Joseph Peters requested by Gloria Bissler

Wednesday, August 23rd: Weekday

8:30am † Eleanor Barrett requested by Ralph Schlomer

Thursday, August 24th: St. Bartholomew

8:30am † Art Haas requested by Rose Mary Haas

Friday, August 25th: Weekday

8:30am † Jim Justice requested by Laverne Justice

Saturday, August 26th: Weekday

8:30am † Susan O'Brien requested by Jim O'Brien

4:00pm † Mary McGowan requested by Michelle Jones

Sunday, August 27th: 19th Sunday of Ordinary Time

8:45am People of Our Lady of Victory

11:00am † Eleanor Becker requested by Sharon Hill

(I) indicates Incense at Mass

Bulletin Deadline is Monday, at 9:00AM

Written notices can be emailed to
olvbulletin@olv.org



Follow us for up-to-date information, pictures, prayers, and more!

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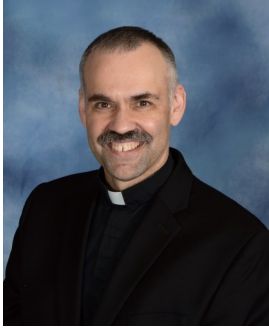
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ST. MAXIMILIAN KOLBE — A DOUBLE MARTYR



One of the newest parishes in the Archdiocese (founded 1989) is St. Maximilian Kolbe Parish in Liberty Township. He is unfortunately not very well known, but should be. Because he died on August 14th, his feast day is the day before the solemn feast of the Assumption of Mary, Body and Soul into Heaven, and

understandably gets overshadowed by that holy day.

But St. Maximilian would not have minded that at all. In fact, he devoted a great part of his very short life to doing everything in his power to spread devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary. Maximilian has quite the story. He was born into a poor, but devout and humble family in Russian-occupied Poland. His parents were weavers. He had a normal boyhood – in fact, he was something of a mischievous, troublemaking, even wild child, who gave his parents fits. But something happened at age 12 that changed his life forever: He saw a vision of the Blessed Virgin that was absolutely real to him. He asked what was going to become of him, since he knew he was headed down the wrong path. In response, she held out two crowns to him: one red and one white. The red crown stood for the crown of martyrdom by shedding his blood in witness to the Lord; the white for persevering in purity and holiness for his entire life. She asked him to choose between the two, but he insisted that he would take both.

Little did he know how history would unfold to fulfill that promise he made to Our Lady. A sickly child who almost died from tuberculosis, he suffered from poor health throughout his life. Nevertheless he accomplished great things. He knew he was called to the priesthood, but he was a stellar student, especially brilliant in math and science. He felt strongly drawn to the military, but knew that he couldn't honor his vocation that way. The Lord had something different in mind: He was to be a soldier for Christ, building up an army for Our Lady.

He became a Franciscan priest and together with some friends from seminary he formed the Immaculata movement, whose goal was to convert sinners to Christ, to oppose the growing yet dangerous anti-Catholic movements of his time (especially Masonry) and to teach people to come to Christ through the intercession of Our Lady and the wearing of the Miraculous Medal: a tangible reminder worn of just how powerful Mary's spiritual help is in keeping us from the destruction of sin.

He used all the most modern tools of his time, including the printing press, to spread devotion to Mary. He even traveled to the Far East so that this devotion would literally go around the world. But his health just couldn't keep up, so he eventually returned

home to recuperate.

There he was rounded up by the Nazis, in their "purification" efforts to rid the world of "undesirables" such as priests, religious, and Jews. He got free the first time, but the second time he was rounded up, he was sent to the infamous concentration camp at Auschwitz. While there, a brutal Nazi guard threatened severe retaliation for the escape of a prisoner: to teach the inmates a lesson, ten men would be killed. Without fanfare, St. Maximilian offered up his life for a young family man who was chosen for execution, willingly taking his place so that he might live and someday see his family again. (That in fact did happen and this man was able to attend the canonization ceremony years later!).

Although he was abused, starved and dehydrated, and thrown into a well, Maximilian continued to give glory and praise to Our Lord, turning to Our Lady for strength. He even sang the hymns of joy and praise that priests pray weekly in their divine office, astounding the guards who were used to seeing their mistreated prisoners give in to despair.

Eventually, they injected him with deadly carbonic acid so that he met his earthly death, all the while giving glory to God. He was 47 at his death, and the promise he made to the Blessed Virgin some 35 years before – that he would accept the crowns of purity and martyrdom, were now fulfilled. St. Maximilian, teach us to honor and trust Our Lady and pray for us!

Rev. James D. Reutter

WEEKLY OFFERING AUGUST 13, 2017

Envelopes & Cash	\$8,936
Electronic Contributions	\$2,909
Total	\$11,845

Thank you for your generosity!

YTD Actual (7 weeks)	\$96,542
YTD Budget (7 weeks)	\$102,600
Collection UNDER Budget	\$6,058

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS AUGUST 27TH

1ST READING:	Isaiah 22:19-23
2ND READING:	Romans 11:33-36
GOSPEL:	Matthew 16:13-20

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Monday, August 21st 8:30AM

Altar Servers Jacob Knepfle, Luke Wilms

Tuesday, August 22nd 8:30AM

Altar Servers Sydney Galbraith, Allie Mangold

Wednesday, August 23rd 8:30AM

Altar Servers Josie Brubaker, Emma Lohrer

Thursday, August 24th 8:30AM

Altar Servers Leo Bill, Gregory Carlton,
Will Carmosino

Friday, August 25th 8:30AM

Altar Servers Joey Sinnard, Mitchell Trotta

Saturday, August 26th 8:30AM

Altar Servers Bobby Asman, Garry Asman

4:00PM

Altar Servers Leo Bill, Peter Braun,
Gregory Carlton, Aidan Murphy

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Owen Plagge*

Lectors Joe Baxter, Claire Cahill

Sunday, August 27th 8:45AM

Altar Servers Julia Cain, Emma Fullenkamp,
Allie Mangold, Anna Spinney

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Pauline Grome*, Jim Grome*,
Aaron Kohler, Teresa Humphrey

Lectors Cathy Kappa, Roberta Ferkins

Mass Captain Roberta Ferkins

11:00AM

Altar Servers Elizabeth Busch, Emma Busch,
Emma Lohrer, Kate Morman

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

James Hoeting*, Kathy Seider*

Lectors Amy Forbin, Wayne Topp

Mass Captain Janet Luthy

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

The Gospel today announces that the kingdom and salvation are for all people. It is our persistent calling out to Jesus and our faith that count, for Jesus always responds.

With love for your neighbors who have nothing, look around your house to see what furniture, household items, and clothing you no longer use...and give it to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul.

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Monday, August 21st

8:30am — Mass in Church

After Mass — Eucharistic Adoration in Chapel

7:15pm — Benediction in Chapel

7:30pm — Confession in Chapel

Tuesday, August 22nd

8:30am — Mass in Church

10:15am — Mass at Pristine (Formerly Riverview)

7:00pm — Contemporary Music Ensemble in Church

Wednesday, August 23rd: First Day of School at OLV

8:30am — Mass in Church

7:00pm — Ladies' CRHP 4 in CC Meeting Rm

7:00pm — Reparation to the Sacred Heart in Chapel

Thursday, August 24th

8:30am — School Mass in Church

Friday, August 25th

8:30am — Mass in Church

9:15am — Church Cleaning

7:00pm — Holy Hour for the Dying in Chapel

Saturday, August 26th

8:00am — Men & Women Fellowship in PC Room

8:30am — Mass in Church

3:30pm — Confession in Chapel

4:00pm — Mass outdoors for Parish Picnic

5:00pm — Parish Picnic begins

Sunday, August 27th

8:45am — Mass in Church

11:00am — Mass in Church

1:30pm — Baptism in Church

8:30pm — Men's CRHP 3 in CC Meeting Room

If you or a loved one are in the hospital, please notify the Parish office at 922-4460.

ANNIVERSARY INTENTIONS FOR THE DECEASED

We invite you to place the names of your loved ones in the Anniversary Book found in the Chapel.

The following death anniversaries occurred the week of August 20 - August 26: Arthur Haas, Joseph J. Silver, Chuck Siefke, Bill Thornton, Robert Brunner, and Leonard Lipps Sr.



Meet Andrew Reckers, New Seminarian Coming to OLV!

Our new seminarian, Andrew Reckers, will be starting on Monday, August 28th. Please make him feel at home!

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS

When you're shopping this week, please pick up these items: **pancake syrup and mix, cereal, crackers, boxed potatoes, shampoo, toilet paper, and laundry detergent.**

If anyone would like to share extra produce from their gardens, we would be glad to give it to those in need. Bring it to the Parish Office on Tuesday before 3PM, as we start giving out food at 3:35PM. Thanks in advance for your generosity!

ATTENTION BUSINESS OWNERS, SELF-EMPLOYED AND FAMILIES!

Build your business and help us grow a vibrant faith community!

Available ADVERTISING SPACE



Vic Preisel and Rick Farber from Liturgical Publications, our new bulletin printer, will be in our office the week of **August 21st** securing new ads for our bulletin. Please consider purchasing an ad, sponsoring a charity, or In Memory of a Loved One. Your participation makes our bulletin successful, and you attract customers!

BENEFITS OF ADVERTISING

- Local, targeted community advertising for **one full year, at one low price.**
- A FREE ad listing on **parishesonline.com.**
- FREE, professional ad design, and 4 free ad changes per year.

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CHURCHES MATTER

PART-TIME MAINTENANCE PERSON NEEDED

Our Lady of Victory is seeking a part time maintenance person responsible for performing a variety of tasks related to building and grounds. This includes day-to-day janitorial needs of the school and church. Other responsibilities consist of set-up and take-down for school or church functions, keeping walkways clear of snow and ice or debris, and keeping the outside grounds clean and well maintained. The successful candidate must have the ability to handle multiple requests and prioritize them for both school and church. A strong team member, ability to work well with others and good communication skills are a must. Some evening and weekend work may be required on an as needed basis.

If interested mail a cover letter, resume, and references to Our Lady of Victory Parish, c/o Business Manager, 810 Neeb Road, Cincinnati, OH 45233 or e-mail to businessmgr@olv.org.

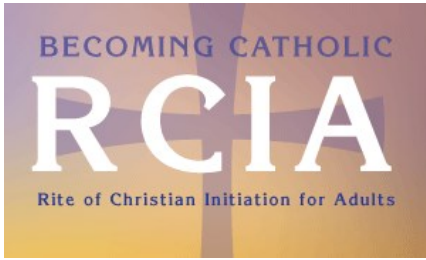
NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING

New classes begin

- 1) Sunday, Sept. 3 at 6:00 p.m., at Ruah Woods, 6675 Wesselman Rd., Cin., OH 45248.
- 2) Saturday, Sept. 9, at 10:00 a.m., at St. Elizabeth Hospital, 85 Grand Ave., Ft. Thomas, KY 41075.
- 3) Live Online (Virtual) class begins Saturday, Sept. 9, at 1:00 p.m. Eastern Time.

For more information, go to www.ccli.org, or call 471-2000.

HAPPENING AT OLV




How does a parish attract inquirers each year who consider becoming Catholic through the RCIA? The short answer is you!

When any parish has many inquirers year after year, it is the fruit of the Holy Spirit as parish members open their hearts to welcome others.

Members of a welcoming and evangelizing community take seriously their call to share the Divine message of salvation. It happens in parish families, in the workplace, in gatherings with friends and neighbors, and in daily contacts. Give thanks to God as he continuously strengthens each of us who seek to do his will in offering a gentle, humble, and clear welcome to the Catholic faith. "Go out into the whole world and proclaim the Gospel to every creature." (Mark 16:15)

Are you or someone you know interested in joining the Catholic Church? Please Contact the Office of Religious Education to find out more about how to sign up for RCIA sessions that begin again September 14th. Call 347-2071 for more information or e-mail at jschaefer@olv.org

REGISTRATION FOR MONDAY NIGHT RELIGIOUS EDUCATION



Forms are STILL being collected for 2017-2018
Please return ASAP so that we can finish planning for the year.

Need to register?
Registration forms, the calendar, and our handbook can all be found on the parish website OLV.ORG under the "Faith Formation" tab. **If you have any questions, please contact the Religious Education Office at 347-2071.**

OLV ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION GOLF OUTING

September 8th (Friday) Neumann Golf Course
12:30pm Shotgun Start, \$85 per golfer
Includes: 18 hole scramble & Dinner after @ Victory
For more information please contact Andy Spinney at spin2929@hotmail.com



DID YOU KNOW?

We have Eucharistic Adoration every Monday in our chapel after 8:30AM Mass until Benediction at 7:15PM. Please come spend time with our Lord!

FORMED PICK OF THE WEEK

Restless Heart

The Dramatic Story of Sin, Conversion, and Redemption

As we approach the feast of St. Augustine on August 28th, learn more about the gifted man who pursued fame and fortune without a moral compass—and the dramatic changes that occurred in his soul when challenging events lead him to truth. *For mature audiences —parental guidance is recommended.*

Watch on formed.org



"This is a great movie to share with anyone who struggles to enter into a deeper relationship with Christ. The story of St. Augustine has helped countless souls, mine included, in their journey."

—Alfredo N, Buda, TX

