

SERVING THE LORD IN THE POOR — OCTOBER 16th:

Our Savior Lutheran Church, across the street from Gilmour, has a Food Pantry which distributes food to members of the community on the **third Saturday of each month**. They welcome volunteers from Gilmour Academy, and Our Lady Chapel. If you are interested in volunteering, here is some information: They have instituted **new procedures** because of the Coronavirus. **Thus they help pre-pack nonperishables in bags on Thursday evening beginning at 5 PM.** They continue this prepacking on Friday, if needed. Check with Elina Gurney on this. **On Saturday morning at 9 AM, they need help packaging the items from the foodbank into the prepacked bags.** Only volunteers will be allowed in the Church building, so you will be protected against the virus. Clients will remain outside in their cars. **The food pantry is then open from 9:30 AM—1:30 PM on Saturday.**



Our Savior Lutheran's Food Pantry was formed to serve those in emergency situations and/or with on-going need in the cities of Mayfield Heights, Mayfield Village, Highland Heights and Gates Mills. The Food Pantry respects social and cultural diversity and upholds the worth and dignity of those it serves. All those in the area with need will be served equally, as supplies allow. The food pantry is a member of the Greater Cleveland Food Bank.

Please let Elina Gurney know if you would like to help. You can do this through the Chapel office [440-473-3560] or by emailing Elina Gurney at gurney.oh@gmail.com. In this critical time, this is a wonderful way to serve others. Please consider this opportunity.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK:

- Monday:** Romans 1:1-7, Luke 11:29-32
- Tuesday:** Romans 1:16-25, Luke 11:37-41
- Wednesday:** Romans 2:1-11, Luke 11:42-46
- Thursday:** Romans 3:21-30, Luke 11:47-54
- Friday:** Romans 4:1-8, Luke 12:1-7
- Saturday:** Romans 4:13, 16-48; Luke 12:8-12

29th Week in Ordinary Time: Isaiah 53:10-11, Hebrews 4:14-16, Mark 10:35-45

LIFE TEEN and EDGE — SUNDAYS AFTER MASS:

Our Life Teen and EDGE youth group is meeting in-person again. We will meet for an hour beginning at 11:30 AM following our 10 AM Sunday Mass in the Lennon Board Room. If you are unable to join us, there are many resources available for you on the Life Teen website — lifeteen.com. There are numerous blogs and videos for you to connect with. The Life Teen national office continues to release many new programs. **Please contact Father John for more information. And please join us each Sunday for our Mass at 10 AM — in person or live-streamed, and then come to our Life Teen/EDGE gathering after Mass.** And above all, let us continue to join each other in prayer. **Father John is available for you. Please contact him [cell: 216-570-9276].**



Our Lady Chapel



Our Lady Chapel is a Roman Catholic community founded in the love of the Father, centered in Christ, and rooted in the Holy Cross tenets of building family and embracing diversity. We are united in our journey of faith through prayer and sacrament, and we seek growth through the wisdom of the Holy Spirit in liturgy and outreach, while responding to the needs of humanity.

BLESSING OF ANIMALS — OCTOBER 10:

Last Sunday, we had to cancel our Pet Blessings due to rain, so we have moved it to this **Sunday, October 11th**. Our Chapel community will gather after Mass at **11:35 AM** to celebrate the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi. In the spirit of this celebration, we welcome your family to bring your pet to be blessed. If you cannot bring your pet, bring a photo to share. Because of COVID-19 — we will meet outside in the Red Brick part of Pender Circle [right outside the chapel]. We hope you can join us!



JOIN US FOLLOWING MASS FOR A SURPRISE TREAT:

This Sunday, **October 10th** following Mass, join us out in the grotto out in front of the Chapel for donuts from Patterson Orchards. This special treat is hosted by our Chapel Council, who continues to nurture our Chapel life together in so many ways — Spirituality, Social Gatherings, Service Opportunities, as well as in many behind the scenes “hands on” things that they do. **Special thanks to Elina Gurney & Mary Schmidt**, who went out to Patterson’s for us this morning to make this event possible. If you would be interested in being on or helping out our Chapel Council, please speak with one of our Council members or Father John.

BLANKET SUNDAY IS THIS WEEKEND:

The weekend of **October 9-10** marks the annual Blanket Sunday Collection to aid the needy. The collection is sponsored by the Diocesan St. Vincent de Paul Society. This year, as in the past few, the collection will be a **cash only** collection. We will gratefully accept your cash donations and do the shopping for you, making your money go even further with bulk purchases of blankets and other items needed by low income families. So give someone a blanket for the winter — and give yourself a warm feeling! **Use the special Blanket Sunday Envelope [on the table] or mark your envelope Blanket Sunday Collection** and we will take it from there. You may also donate on line at www.svdpcle.org. Thank you.



WOMEN’S EVENING ZOOM RETREAT — SAVE THE DATE:

Tuesday, October 26th from 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM, we will hold a Women’s Evening of Reflection and Sharing **via zoom**. It has been several years since we have been able to host a Women’s Fall Retreat, so we are excited to present this opportunity — even though it will only be by zoom. All Women of Our Lady Chapel and Gilmour Academy — and their guests and friends — are invited to join us for this retreat. **Father John** will facilitate our evening of reflection. **Father John will be sending out the zoom link to those who have registered.** So **mark the date on your calendars** and give yourself a treat in the Lord. Please **call Patty in the Chapel office [440-473-3560] to register.**



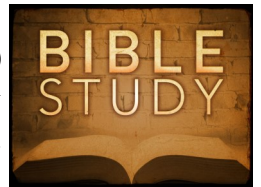
MEN’S EVENING ZOOM RETREAT — SAVE THE DATE:

Thursday, November 11th from 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM, we will hold a Men’s Evening of Reflection and Sharing **via zoom**. It has been several years since we have been able to host a Men’s Fall Retreat, so we are excited to present this opportunity — even though it will only be by zoom. All Men of Our Lady Chapel and Gilmour Academy — and their guests and friends — are invited to join us for this retreat. **Father John** will facilitate our evening of reflection. **Father John will be sending out the zoom link to those who have registered.** So **mark the date on your calendars** and give yourself a treat in the Lord. Please **call Patty in the Chapel office [440-473-3560] to register.**



NEXT BIBLE STUDY — THIS WEDNESDAY, OCT. 13th:

Our next Virtual Bible Study will be this Wednesday, October 13th at 6:30 PM. We will continue to meet bi-weekly throughout August and into the school year. The Bible Study is open to everyone — all middle and high school students, college students, young adults, and all adults. We will all come together to be enriched by God’s word. It’s a great time, and a good witness of our faith to others. If you can’t come at 6:30, come when you can. Gather your favorite snack and/or drink, but be prepared to be nourished on God’s word. **Our topic for this Bible Study will be: Feeling Powerless**



If you text or email Father John [blazekj@gilmour.org] he will send you the zoom link and password. This is an important step to prevent negative intruders.

We also need your help — we need future topics. **So, if you have a topic that you would like us to discuss, please let Father John know.** Mark your calendars and be part of this wonderful activity that will deepen your spiritual journey. **We will meet every other week — topic to be decided at the end of the previous meeting.** Join us. You’ll have a blast, and celebrate your faith along the way..

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK:

Sunday, October 10: 28 th Week in Ordinary Time	10:00 AM In Person & Live Stream
Monday, October 11: St. John XXIII, Pope	NO MASS
Tuesday, October 12:	NO MASS
Wednesday, October 13:	NO MASS
Thursday, October 14: St. Callistus I, Pope & Martyr	NO MASS
Friday, October 15: St. Teresa of Jesus	NO MASS
Saturday, October 16: 29 th Week in Ordinary Time	5:00 PM In Person only
Sunday, October 17: 29 th Week in Ordinary Time	10:00 AM In Person & Live Stream

NOVENA TO BLESSED BASILE MOREAU:

Blessed Basile Moreau was the founding Father of the Congregation of Holy Cross, the congregation to which Fr. John & the Brothers at Gilmour belong. We have two booklets with Novenas to Blessed Basile Moreau. One is used for a personal intention or healing; the other is used when you are praying for the intention or healing of someone other than yourself. The Novenas were composed by Father Thomas Looney, C.S.C. Many have received blessings and healings through the intercession of Blessed Basile Moreau, and now we want to extend this invitation to you and your family. Please see Father John and he will be glad to give you the booklets.

