

**PRAYER REQUESTS:**

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**PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:**

- For John Zippay, family friend of Bernadette and Stephen Ritley, who is seriously ill.
- For Jill Thompson, who is undergoing treatment for mental health issues.
- For Mike Heryak, husband of Janet, father of Lillian ['09], Rosa ['12] and Edwin ['17] Heryak, who is seriously ill.
- For Debbie Langer, friend of Cindy Frimel, who was diagnosed with brain cancer.
- For Nada Kucmanic, who is seriously ill from cancer
- For Josephine Fernando, who is seriously ill.
- For Mary Vislosky, who is seriously ill as a result of bone cancer.
- For Brother Joseph LeBon, C.S.C., who is under the care of hospice.
- For Cathy Force, mother of Erika DiCello Lacroix ['90], Grandmother of Andre ['23] and AJ ['25] Lacroix, who is undergoing treatment for cancer.
- For Brother Tom Maddix, C.S.C., who is undergoing medical treatment., and preparing for surgery.
- For Terry DeBacco, mother of Michelle Chiacchiari ['96], mother-in-law of Mark Chiacchiari ['94], grandmother of Aurelia ['28], and Olivia ['30] Chiacchiari, who is undergoing rehab following a fall
- For Richard DeBacco, father of Michelle Chiacchiari ['96], father-in-law of Mark Chiacchiari ['94], grandfather of Aurelia ['28], and Olivia ['30] Chiacchiari, who is the care of hospice.
- For Frank McCamley, former Gilmour teacher, father of Brian ['03] and Lauren ['08] McCamley, who is seriously ill.
- For Father Ray Sutter, pastor emeritus of St. Matthias Parish, who is in rehab following hip replacement surgery.
- For Sheldon Gray, who is suffering from a-fib, a recent fall, and has a brain bleed.
- For Kathy Lough, who is hospitalized with atrial fibrillation.



# Our Lady Chapel



**PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED:**

- For Gail Buckland, mother of LS Humanities teacher, Brittany Hedrick
- For Frank Dobos.
- For Father Robert Gilmour, C.S.C.

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**PRAYERS FOR OTHERS:**

- For those affected by Hurricane Francine.
- For an end to political polarization.
- For an end to the war between Israel and Hamas.
- For an end to the war between Russia and Ukraine.
- For an end to violence as a means to resolve differences.
- For a greater respect for human life, from the moment of conception until natural death.
- For all caregivers.
- For all service men and women serving our country, and for their families.
- For a greater awareness of our call to create a more humane and just society.

*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.*

**FAITH EDUCATION :**

**Our Faith Education Program will begin on Sunday, October 6<sup>th</sup>.** All children who will be part of our Faith Education program need to register. Our Sessions go from **8:45—9:45 AM, on Sunday mornings**, with the hope that our children would then **participate in our 10:00 AM Family Mass. If you have not done so already, it is imperative that you register your family by contacting Patty in the Chapel Office [440-473-3560].** Thank you for taking care of this important responsibility.



**BLESSING OF ANIMALS — SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6<sup>th</sup>:**

On **Sunday, October 6<sup>th</sup>**, our Chapel community will gather after Mass at **11:35 AM for a special blessing of our pets!** In the spirit of the celebration of the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi, Fr. John will be offering this special blessing. If you cannot bring your pet, bring a photo to share. We will meet, weather permitting, outside the Chapel in the brick paved area. **In the event of rain, our Pet Blessing will be postponed until the following Sunday, October 13.** We hope you can join us!



**COFFEE & DONUTS — SUNDAY OCTOBER 6<sup>th</sup>:**

On **Sunday, October 6<sup>th</sup>**, following Mass and the blessing of animals, we will gather for **Coffee & Donuts in the shrine area outside the chapel.** Come and spend some relaxing time with family and friends after Mass. Stop for your Coffee & Donuts after your **Pet Blessing! In the event of rain, our Pet Blessing will be postponed until the following Sunday, October 13.** We hope you can join us!



**O.C.I.A [Order of Christian Initiation for Adults]:**

We are beginning to plan for our OCIA program [formerly known as RCIA] which will begin shortly. Why the name change? OCIA refers to the entire journey of faith discernment, whereas RCIA refers only to the Ritual aspects of the journey.



If you know someone who has been away from the Catholic Church for a while, or who is interested in learning more about the Catholic faith, or who presently is not a Catholic but would like to pursue this avenue of faith, or investigate it; if you know someone who is not fully initiated [Baptism, Eucharist, Confirmation] in their Catholic faith — then consider having them join our OCIA program. **Please contact Father John [440-473-3560] for more information.**

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK:**

- Monday:** 1 Corinthians 11:17-33, Luke 7:1-10
- Tuesday:** 1 Corinthians 12:12-31, Luke 7:11-17
- Wednesday:** 1 Corinthians 12:31-13:13, Luke 7:31-35
- Thursday:** 1 Corinthians 15:1-11, Luke 7:36-50
- Friday:** 1 Corinthians 15:12-20, Luke 8:1-3
- Saturday:** Ephesians 4:1-13, Matthew 9:9-13

**25<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time:** Wisdom 2:12-20, James 3:16-4:3, Mark 9:30-37

**NEXT BIBLE STUDY — WEDNESDAY, September 25<sup>th</sup>:**

**Our next Virtual Bible Study will be on Wednesday, September 25<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM.** Bible Study continues to meet bi-weekly. 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: The roles of Mary in Scripture**

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, September 15: <b>24<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time</b>	<b>10:00 AM</b> In-Person & Live Stream
Monday, September 16: <b>St. Cornelius</b>	<b>NO MASS</b>
Tuesday, September 17:	<b>NO MASS</b>
Wednesday, September 18:	<b>NO MASS</b>
Thursday, September 19:	<b>NO MASS</b>
Friday, September 20: <b>St. Andrew Kim and Companions</b>	<b>NO MASS</b>
Saturday, September 21: <b>25<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time</b>	<b>5:00 PM</b> In Person only
Sunday, September 22: <b>25<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time</b>	<b>10:00 AM</b> In-Person & Live Stream

**SERVING THE LORD IN THE POOR — SEPTEMBER 21<sup>st</sup>:**

Our Savior Lutheran Church — across the street from the Chapel — has a Food Pantry which distributes food to the community on **the third Saturday of each month.** They welcome volunteers. **On Saturday morning at 9 AM, they need help unloading the trailers and setting up items for distribution and preparing for the food pantry to open. It serves around 150 clients each time. The food pantry serves clients 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 join us for a great experience.

**Please let us know in the chapel office [440-473-3560] if you would like more information or if you would like to help.** This is a wonderful way to serve others. Please consider this opportunity.