

Culture of Life: The Sacred Heart Parish Culture of Life is proud to announce that it will be sponsoring its first **car, truck and motorcycle show**. The show will be on **Saturday, Sept. 29th** at the river parking lot in Pomeroy. Registration is \$10 and begins at 9:00am. T-shirts and dash plaques will be given to registrants while supplies last. There will be food, door prizes and entertainment. A tire used by Bill Elliot in the Daytona 500 will be raffled off. For more information contact Danny Marcinko at 740.378.6260.

DPSC Results: With the 65 pledges we have received so far we are 25% over our goal. All the paid pledges over the goal come right back to the parish. Not only that, but all of the additional pledges will not be assessed. Every additional pledge now means even more to the parish.

If you haven't pledged already, please prayerfully consider filling out a card in the pew and putting it in the collection basket. **The DPSC is the best way to support the parish.**

Prayer Box: The U.S. Congress has set aside the first Thursday of May as National Day of Prayer. Here in Meigs County we collect prayer requests for our country and offer them to the Lord. During May, there will be a box near the board where the song numbers are posted in which you can put your prayer requests for the National Day of Prayer.

Please Remember Them in Your Prayers

Prayer requests are for health except where indicated:

RS-Repose of the Soul, SI-Special Intention

1st Week: Fr. Jonas Shell (SI)

2nd Week: Genevieve (Jenny) Baker (RS), Patty Manzey (SI)

3rd Week: Donna Brewer, Corbyn Broderick

4th Week: Ann Layne, Michael Martin (SI), Barb Tatterson, Cissy Welch (SI), Levi Young

Pray for the Clergy of the Diocese: 20th- Fr. Timothy Huffman

21st- Fr. Edward Kakascik 22nd- Fr. Robert Kawa

23rd- Fr. Kurt Kemo 24th- Fr. Frederick Kihm

25th- Fr. John Kolesar 26th- Fr. Timothy Kozak

Pray for the Deceased Clergy of the Diocese: 22nd- Fr. Joseph Kiefer

24th- Fr. Stanley Zekas 26th- Fr. Louis Preston

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Religious Education (CCD) Sunday, 10:45am-12:00pm

Jamie and David Deem: 992-5409

RCIA Sunday, 11:00am-12:00pm

Catechism Study Group 1st and 3rd Wednesday, 7:30pm

Parish Council 2nd Wednesday, 7:30pm

Knights of Columbus 4th Sunday, 6:30pm

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George Korn: 696-0757

CWC 4th Wednesday, 7:30pm

Sacred Heart Parish Servants of Mary 1st Saturday, 10:00am

Sacred Heart Parish Culture of Life 1st Monday, 7:00pm

Prayer Chain Susie Stewart: 992-3326

Transportation Coordinator Paul Harris: 949-2362

Confessions Saturday, 4:45pm-5:15pm

Sunday, 8:45am-9:15am

Marriages See pastor six months in advance

Baptisms Contact pastor

Ascension Sunday

Masses

Sat.,	May 19	5:30pm	Intentions of Danielle Barr (Kathleen Wells)
Sun.,	May 20	9:30am	Bud & Katie Biron (Don & Jane Frymyer)
Mon.,	May 21	8:30am	People of the Parish (Fr. Tim Kozak)
Tues.,	May 22	8:30am	Brian Reed (Family)
Wed.,	May 23	7:00pm	Guido Giralomi (Harold & Susie Stewart)
Thur.,	May 24	8:30am	Healing for Those Suffering from Addiction (Tri-County Al-Anon Group)
Fri.,	May 25	8:30am	Robert S. & Mark Marcinko (Mike, Marie & Holly Johnson)
Sat.,	May 26	5:30pm	Christine Grueser (Judith Lindner)
Sun.,	May 27	9:30am	Dorothy Thompson (Hamilton Family)

Calendar of Events

Sun.,	May 20	11:00am	Holy Hour for Vocations
Tues.,	May 22	9:00am	Bible Study, Chapter 29
		7:00pm	Knights Practice for Confirmation
Wed.,	May 23	7:30pm	CWC Meeting
Sat.,	May 26	10:00am	First Communion Practice
Sun.,	May 27	9:30am	First Communion and Confirmation
		11:00am	Brunch with Bishop Gilbert Sheldon
		5:30pm	Knights Officers' Meeting
		6:30pm	Knights Regular Meeting
Sun.,	June 3	3:00pm	Fr. Walter Heinz's 50 th Anniversary, Marietta

Collections: Last week's collection was **\$2063**. Thank you so much for your support of the parish and the Diocese.

Living Faith Booklets: Some booklets are still available. They have short reflections based on the readings for the day and are a great tool for studying Scripture. One small booklet will keep you going for three months. They are free for the taking.

Walk for Life: The Walk for Life was a big success with many people walking to support the Pregnancy Resource Center of Athens. The funds generated will go towards promoting the Culture of Life in our area. Thanks to everyone who was involved.

New Priest in the Diocese: Congratulations to **Fr. Jonas Shell** who was recently ordained a priest for the Diocese of Steubenville. Please keep him in your prayers as he begins his life of priestly service to the good people of the Steubenville Diocese.

Holy Hour for Vocations: "The harvest is abundant but the laborers are few; so ask the master of the harvest to send out laborers for his harvest." (Mat. 9:37b) There is holy hour for vocations this Sunday from 11am until noon. Please join us in supporting vocations to the priesthood.

50th Anniversary: Fr. Walter Heinz will be celebrating his 50th anniversary of ordination to the priesthood with a Mass at St. Mary's in Marietta on Sunday, June 3rd at 3pm. Everyone is invited to share this joyous occasion with our former pastor.

Scholarships: Congratulations to Bobbie Harris, Morgan Hall and Jacob Starcher who all received scholarships from the Meigs County Cooperative Parish. These scholarships will help them to pay for their tuition as they continue to study for their degrees. We remember them in our prayers and encourage them to study hard.

Knights Practice: The Knights will be participating in the First Communion and Confirmation Mass. There will be a practice on Tuesday, May 22nd at 7:00pm. All Knights are encouraged to attend.

First Communion & Confirmation: On **Sunday, May 27th**, several CCD students will receive the Body of Christ for the first time. At the same Mass, a dozen of our high school CCD students will be anointed with Chrism and be sealed with the Holy Spirit. This will complete their sacraments of initiation and make them adult members of the Church. Please keep them in your prayers as they prepare to be more fully conformed to the Lord. After the Mass there will be a **celebration brunch with the Bishop**. Please put your name on the **signup sheet** do we know how many to plan for.

Vocations Crucifix: We are looking for people to pray for vocations. If you attend the Sunday morning Mass, **please put your name on the signup sheet** to take the vocations crucifix for a week. Keep the crucifix in a prominent place in your home and pray for vocations to the priesthood.