

# IN THE SPIRIT

April 13, 2014

## PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

### Thursday

Mass  
of the Lord's Supper  
with Procession  
with the Eucharist  
to the Place  
of Reposition  
7:00pm

Afterward,  
adoration of the  
Blessed Sacrament  
until 12:00am

### Friday

Stations of the Cross  
12:00pm

Celebration of  
the Lord's Passion  
1:00pm

### Saturday

Blessing of Food  
1:00pm

The Easter Vigil  
8:00pm

### Easter Sunday

8:30am, 10:30am,  
12:30pm



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The financial statement will be updated next week.  
Sorry for the delay

On-line giving is now available. Visit our website for more information

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**

Every Friday  
in the Chapel  
from  
9:30am until 6:30pm



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**LITURGY SCHEDULE**

Monday, Tuesday & Friday 9:00am  
Saturdays 4:30pm  
Sundays  
8:30, 10:30, 12:30  
Reconciliations are on Saturdays at 3:30pm  
or by appointment

**BULLETIN ARTICLE DEADLINES**

If you have an article you would like in the bulletin, please submit it to Liz at lhorka@stjohnneumann.us or drop off in the Parish office. All articles must be submitted at least 10 days prior to the date of the publication. Every attempt will be made to honor all requests; however, the paper is now smaller in size so there could occasionally be a space issue. If you have any questions, please contact the front office.



Hello All!

## **IT'S MY OPINION AND I HAVE ONE!**

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Hello!

So this is Palm Sunday weekend and Holy Week begins! What a glorious time in the Church and yes, the Gloria returns with the onset of Holy Week triduum. At this time we go through the Passion, Death and Resurrection of our Lord. Don't you just love it!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

As I wrote about last week, we are doing the Called and Gifted discernment workshop on May 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>. As I also said to you, I think your being involved is vital for the growth of our parish in our relationship with Christ. We do have a charge for the workshop of \$35. This is to cover the cost of what it takes to put the workshop on - we are not making a dime on this. The price covers the materials and the food we are providing for all of you! However if you would like to come and for some reason cannot afford the cost, give us a call and let us know. I do not want the fee we are charging to deter anyone from coming to the workshop!

As I said in my letter last week, I think this workshop is vital for the future of our parish and the ministries all of you do and can be involved in. So once again, please call the office and sign up for the workshop. Your gifts are plentiful — please allow yourself to not only learn what they are, but how you can use them in the service of God!

Peace

Fr Ron Richards

### **An Opportunity to Deepen Your Faith Called and Gifted Workshop on May 2 and 3, 2014**

An opportunity for each of us to deepen our relationship with Jesus and to discover God's plan for our lives is coming soon to our parish. In the Called & Gifted discernment process you will learn that every lay Christian—each baptized person without exception—has been given a unique and deeply personal call to work with our Lord. Discerning your call will give you a new perspective on your life and will help you to be more fulfilled in your work and in your relationships. Our parish is sponsoring a teaching team from the Catherine of Siena Institute in Colorado Springs to offer the introductory Called & Gifted workshop, which will be on Friday, May 2, from 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm, and Saturday, May 3, from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm. Everyone is invited to participate. To register, please turn in the registration form found in the gathering area to the parish office. Space is limited, and registration must be received by April 13.







## Cucchi's Corner

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John Baptist De La Salle (1651-1719)

Founder of the Brothers of the Christian Schools

During Lent the Chorale is singing a work titled "This Alone" by Tim Manion. Tim was part of the St. Louis Jesuits till 1984. In the '70s and 80's the **St. Louis Jesuits** were a group of Catholic composers who popularized a folk music style of church music through their compositions and recordings. The group, made up of Jesuit scholastics at St. Louis University, used acoustic guitars and contemporary-style melodies and rhythms to set biblical and other religious texts to music sung in English in response to the liturgical reforms of Vatican II. A few years back I heard the group back together at the National Pastoral Musicians summer conference in Indianapolis.

Here are the words to *This Alone*:

Antiphon:

One thing I ask, this alone I seek,  
To dwell in the House of the Lord all my days.  
For one day within Your temple heals every day alone.  
O Lord, bring me to Your dwelling.

1...Hear, O Lord, the sound of my calling.  
Hear, O Lord, and show me Your way.

2...The Lord is my light and hope of salvation.  
The Lord is my refuge; whom should I fear?

3...Wait on the Lord and hope in His mercy.  
Wait on the Lord and live in His love.

SPRING ZING!!! WORKOUT PROGRAM  
Mondays, April 28—May 19 10am—11am  
All fitness levels welcome

4 weeks: \$28.00



Flyers available in the Gathering Area

What exactly is Grief Support? It is an opportunity to talk about your loss, to express your grief, ask questions, and support through your grieving process. It is for people who have lost someone in their lives. All are welcome regardless of church affiliation.

FOR AN APPOINTMENT:

1st and 3rd Thursday mornings at 10:00am, please call Dee O'Flynn at 734-453-0829.

2nd and 4th Tuesday evenings at 7:00pm, please call Cindy Pronze at 734-673-3936.

For special programs for children and teens, please call Regina Adams for an appointment at 313-268-6951.



## LENT SOUP AND BREAD SUPPERS and STATIONS of the CROSS

\*\*\*New this year we have added Mac & Cheese and Salad\*\*\*



The three traditional practices during Lent are prayer, fasting and almsgiving. One of the Lenten events that St. John Neumann has offered for a number of years is Friday Soup and Bread Suppers followed by Stations of the Cross. Supper starts at 6:00 PM and runs until we run out of soup or until about 6:50ish. The soups are meat free, and bread, salad and mac & cheese will also be offered. After dinner there is the option to move to church for Stations of the Cross at 7 PM. At the supper, a donation that would be equivalent to what you would spend on a meal for your family is accepted. **Donations go directly to our St. Vincent De Paul ministry.** Your family is invited to one or both parts of the evening. There are plenty of opportunities to go beyond just savoring the fine soups that are provided every week. In the gathering area there is a sign up board with the following opportunities for you and your family to participate in:

**COORDINATOR:** This individual/ family group supervises the kitchen preparations and the evening's activities. They need to be available from 4:45 PM until clean-up is completed. A list of who has signed up will be provided. Making a reminder call to those who have signed up during the week before the supper is helpful to make certain the evening goes smooth. Training and a walk through the kitchen for the team/individual will be provided.

**SOUP PROVIDER:** Please make or purchase 6 – 9 quarts of meatless soup. You may use a meat base like beef or chicken, as long as there are no chunks of meat. In the soup section they do sell vegetable soup stock and soup base. If we are warming, please get it to the kitchen by 5:15 PM; if you are bringing it hot, bring it by 5:40 PM. Possible soups: Vegetarian Chili, Cabbage, Cream of Broccoli, Mushroom, Corn Chowder, Vegetable, Seafood Chowder or your favorite.

**BREAD PROVIDER:** Please make or purchase One Large Loaf or it's equivalent (about 20 slices). Bring it to the kitchen during the day on Friday by 5:15 PM. Suggestions: Dinner Rolls, Whole Wheat, Rye or other Grain, French or Italian.

**MACARONI & CHEESE PROVIDER:** Please make or purchase your favorite macaroni and cheese. Bring the prepared dish to the kitchen, 5:15 PM if it will need to be warmed or 5:40 if it is hot and ready to serve.

**SALAD PROVIDER:** Provide tossed salad (chopped lettuce & veggies) along with a bottle of dressing. Deliver to the kitchen by 5:15 PM.

**SET UP CREW:** Need to be available from 5:00 PM until 6:00 PM. This team of folks will be responsible for covering and setting the tables, setting out soup bowls, plates, napkins and silverware, preparing beverages, warming food, cutting bread, putting salad in serving dishes and setting up the food area (bread, butter, soup, salad, mac & cheese).

**SERVING CREW:** Need to be available from 5:45 until 7:00 PM. Possibly help with last minute set up details. Serve and replenish the food and beverages, as needed.

**CLEAN UP CREW:** Need to be available from 6:45 PM until area is cleaned up. This crew is responsible to clear and clean the dining area and the kitchen. Packaging leftover food or return to provider.

**PLEASE SIGN UP IN THE GATHERING AREA**

BLOOD DRIVE ST. THOMAS a'BECKET

Good Friday—April 18th

8:00am—6:15pm



Sign up in the Gathering Area or go to [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org) sponsor code CCU or call Diane at 313-549-7052



# FAITH WORKS

Gene Kijek

The entry of Jesus into Jerusalem marked a high point in the earthly ministry of Jesus. The Galilean made a dramatic show, as he made his way down the Mount of Olives into the city of David. The crowds gathered, hailed the coming teacher, and praised God for his presence. Of course, this commotion baffled the locals. After all, how could anyone of importance come from the back country? Image the headline of the fictitious newspaper, the Jerusalem World: Country boy makes big entrance into the Holy City!

The gospels clearly tell us that the leadership found Jesus to be a threat; the amount of the threat was (and still is) open for debate. His trial was a hastily held “kangaroo court;” yet, he was arrested alone, as his followers fled. The mob turned against him, even after many in the blood thirsty mob greeted the Galilean into the city with honors. The Lord entered the city in glory, but left it in shame.

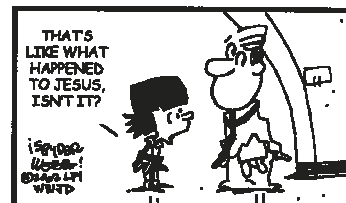
Yet, the gospels were not written to relate the story of a failed political figure. They were written to engender faith. From a theological perspective, the tension between the earthly glory of Jesus and his shameful death was less important than his mission from the Father. According to the Synopsics, after his Galilean ministry, Jesus made the deliberate decision to go to Jerusalem. There, he would reveal himself as the Messiah. He would not use the image of the righteous high priest that would clean the Temple (as the Essences hoped for), the great warrior king (as many common people expected), or the great teacher (as many Gentiles desired). No, he would be the Suffering Servant found in Second Isaiah. He would show how earthly glory was fleeting. He would also show how serving the divine will would lead to true glory.

The entry into Jerusalem was not the first step of the mission, but it was the first step of the public revelation. The King has come! What we expect of him may delight us, but he may disappoint us. Jesus did not come to fulfill our expectations. He came to fulfill the will of the Father. In essence, that is what Holy Week is all about.

It is now time to set aside personal expectations about Lent. It is now time to walk with the Lord toward his death. It is time to prepare for his glorious resurrection. Set aside time this week to reflect, to pray, and to prepare to celebrate.



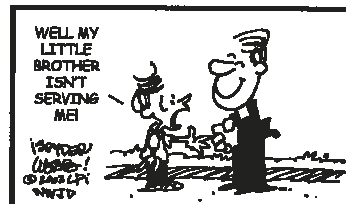
PALM SUNDAY



*Volunteers needed to decorate the church for Easter Sign Up on the Bulletin Board outside the Sacristy.*



HOLY THURSDAY



<http://www.facebook.com/stjohnneumanncantor>

**HOW DID YOU SHARE YOUR FAITH THIS WEEK?**

CONTACT GENE [gkijek@stjohnneumann.us](mailto:gkijek@stjohnneumann.us)



## Queen's Quotes from Religious Formation

### Greetings and Salutations,

Happy April!

In today's Gospel we hear the story of Lazarus being raised from the dead. For many reasons this story makes me smile. You are probably wondering or think I am a bit odd to say that. Here is why I say the story makes me smile. Many times when I listen to the Gospel readings I like to put myself in the story and think about whom in the story is like me. Today, am I like Mary and Martha deeply grieving for someone I lost? Am I like Lazarus, dead in some way and in need of new life? Or am I like Jesus consoling the grieving and giving hope? We know death leads to new life. We hold trust in the promise that we too shall rise.

Due to the Parish Mission this week there are no Religious Education classes scheduled.

Next weekend our young parishioners ages 4 to grade 5 will be invited to celebrate in the opening procession with the "Hosanna clappers." We will invite them to the Gathering area a few minutes prior to Mass.

#### Upcoming dates:

April 14-15: No classes due to Holy Week. See ya in church!

April 21-22: Easter Break! Enjoy your jellybeans!

April 28-29: Last week of Religious Education classes...already? Happy Summer!

April 30: Last Confirmation preparation session...Fr. Ron will be meeting with us 7:00pm.

Have a great week everyone and remember...Let the SONshine in!

Peace and Joy,  
Sabrina

### The Society of St. Vincent de Paul-Camp Ozanam

Last year, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul at St. John Neumann Church sponsored 5 young people for a week at Camp Ozanam. Their reactions upon returning were exactly what we hoped they would be – "Awesome! Can we go again next year?" We are happy to tell them that yes, they can go again this year; and we would like to send an additional five kids along with them.

Dennis Oszust, a former camper himself, is the Vincentian who is heading up this campaign. If you know of a child who would benefit from a week away at beautiful Camp Ozanam, please contact us 734-455-5910 ext. 17. Each family will be paid a visit, and each child will be interviewed. A physical is provided at no cost to the family, and the campers are provided with debit cards to the SVDP thrift store to purchase necessary items for camping.

This year, 5 weekly sessions are scheduled between July 7<sup>th</sup> and August 4<sup>th</sup>. Three camping programs are offered.

Traditional Co-Ed Camp is for children between the ages of 8-12.

Adventure Camp is for children ages 13-14. There are separate camps for boys & girls.

Loving Arms Camp – offered with St. John Health Systems- is for children who have suffered a loss of a friend or family member and are having a difficult time dealing with the loss.

All programs include swimming, hiking, nature study, arts and crafts, drama, and sports activities.

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul is blessed to have this opportunity to help young children witness the beauty of God's creation. Please help us by thinking of some young person you know of who would benefit from Camp Ozanam. We will do the rest.







"We, the youth of St. John Neumann, strive to be Christ to others.

By reaching out and welcoming all teens, We hope to foster a unique and open environment

In which we promote the morals and teachings of the Catholic church. "

Our love and enthusiasm for God will help us to achieve this mission in everyday life."



## YOUTH MINISTRY WITH CHRIS LEACH

**YOUNG ADULTS**—We will have an Easter Reflection Evening on Thursday, April 24<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm. All young adults (roughly aged 18-35) are invited to join us for some hospitality, a short reflection, discussion, and time of fellowship. RSVPs appreciated to [cleach@stjohnneumann.us](mailto:cleach@stjohnneumann.us).

**Timothy Youth Appreciation Awards**—We would like to thank and honor the 2013-14 recipients of the Archdiocese of Detroit's Timothy Youth Appreciation Awards. This year's recipients were: Nick Aresco, Marianne DeBrito, Leo Johnson, Leanna Landin, Rebecca Lopez, Mark Misiak, Carolyn Springer, and Kathleen Zahn. They were recognized for their leadership, commitment, and service to our parish. THANK YOU!

**World Youth Day**—World Youth Day will take place in Krakow Poland July 20-August 1, 2016. Saint John Neumann hopes to form a group of youth and young adult pilgrims to answer the Holy Father's pilgrimage call. Anyone interested in attending the pilgrimage is encouraged to attend one of two Information sessions being held Sunday, April 27<sup>th</sup> at 1:45pm or Tuesday, May 6<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm. Please contact Chris at [cleach@stjohnneumann.us](mailto:cleach@stjohnneumann.us) with questions or to RSVP for one of the info sessions.

**Spring Break Service Day**—We are looking for high school and middle school students (and any interested parents) who are available to help at the St. Vincent DePaul store on Wayne Road in Westland on Thursday, April 24<sup>th</sup> from 9am-1pm. We will be helping them set up the store in preparation for their May 1<sup>st</sup> Re-Opening! Lots of work needs to be done. Permission slips are available on the website at <http://sjnyouth.weebly.com>. We can also provide rides from SJN to students who need them!

### High School Ministry

- All high school teens are invited to join us for our **Holy Week Youth Group Meeting** on Wednesday, April 16<sup>th</sup> from 7-9pm.
- Our **2014 Spring Retreat** will take place at the DeSales Center on May 2-4<sup>th</sup>. Our theme is "Little Christs" and we will be concluding our year long focus on discipleship. If you have never been to a youth ministry event this retreat is a great way to dive in, meet new people, and see what this community is all about! Permission slips are available on the website at <http://sjnyouth.weebly.com>.

-Chris Leach  
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(734) 455-5910 x 20

<https://www.facebook.com/SJNyouthgroup>



### St. John Neumann SVDP Bundle Days

We will be collecting clothing, small working appliances & Knick-Knacks.

April 26th & 27th.

Thanking you in advance for your generosity!





Dear Parishioners,

A few months ago I informed you that the St. John Neumann Conference of SVdP was actively participating in an Exploratory Committee on Homelessness comprised of members of the Metro-West Council ( SVdP conference presidents in western Wayne County, outside of Detroit). Today it is my pleasure to inform you that the Archdiocesan Council of SVdP has reviewed the work of the committee and decided to adopt our recommendations to house the homeless in western Wayne County as a “Special Work” of the Society.

To let you know what a serious problem homelessness is in our own back yard, I am including the data provided by the local school districts in response to our committee’s questionnaire regarding the number of homeless children. Due to the lack of adequate shelter in our area, the majority of these children are living in motel rooms with their families.

1. Plymouth-Canon – 78 children
2. Wayne-Westland – 248 children
3. Livonia – 152 children
4. Dearborn Heights – 202 children

Although it is part of our 3-year plan to build a shelter, we have adopted the *Housing First* philosophy and are in the process of placing two families in housing now. **Housing First programs place families and individuals as quickly as possible in permanent housing and then provide intensive home-based case management and stabilizing support services to prevent a recurrence of homelessness.** As you might imagine, this is a huge undertaking. To begin, until we have adequate funding to hire the professional staff needed, we are highly dependent upon volunteers. The Exploratory Committee members have morphed into the Board of Directors, and I am happy to tell you that Fr. Ron Richards has agreed to be on the board. We are seeking individuals with experience in running a non-profit organization who might also wish to serve., We are especially in need of volunteers with experience in fund raising and attracting corporate donors. If you wish to know more about what we are doing and have a particular skill or talent that would be useful to this project, please contact me through the church office. I will be happy to tell you more. In the interim, please pray for us:

*Oh God, when I have food help me to remember the hungry. When I have work, help me to remember the jobless. When I have a warm home, help me to remember the homeless. And remembering, help me to destroy my complacency and bestir my compassion. Make me concerned enough to help by word or deed, those who cry out for what we take for granted. Amen*

#### The Divine Mercy Chaplet and Novena

The Divine Mercy Novena begins on Good Friday, ending on Saturday, April 26, the day before Divine Mercy Sunday. The Divine Mercy Chaplet/Novena pamphlets are available in the Gathering Area.

*“In a vision to Sr. Maria Faustina Kawalska in 1935, the Lord revealed a powerful prayer that He wanted everyone to say – the Chaplet of the Divine Mercy –and He promised extraordinary graces to those who would recite it.*

*Prayed on ordinary rosary beads, the Chaplet is an intercessory prayer that extends the offering of the Eucharist. It may be said at any time but the Lord specifically requested that it be used as a novena on the nine days before the Feast of Divine Mercy (the first Sunday after Easter).*

*It is also especially appropriate to say the Chaplet during the three o’clock hour (recalling the time of Christ’s death on the cross).”*

(Taken from the Divine Mercy Chaplet pamphlet from the Marion Fathers of the Immaculate Conception of the B.V.M. )

**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

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**Sunday, April 13**  
Liturgy: 8:30AM; 10:30AM; 12:30pm

**Monday, April 14**  
9:00am Liturgy  
10:30am Little Rock  
7:00pm SVDP Mtg.

**Tuesday, April 15**  
9:00am Liturgy

**Wednesday, April 16**  
10:30am Little Rock  
7:00pm Sr. Joel  
8:00pm AA

**Thursday, April 17**  
**Holy Thursday**  
7:00pm Mass of the Lord's Supper

**Friday, April 18**  
**Good Friday**  
12:00pm Stations of the Cross  
1:00pm Solemn Liturgy

**Saturday, April 19**  
**Holy Saturday**  
8:30pm Easter Vigil

**Sunday, April 20**  
**Easter Sunday**  
Liturgy: 8:30AM; 10:30AM; 12:30PM



**Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK**

**Monday, April 14, 9:00a.m.**  
John Farrell (*Dick & Peg Sartor*)  
Sabrina Mattern (*Betty Searls*)  
Elizabeth Rizak (*Family*)  
Special Intention (*Linda Morehead*)

**Tuesday, April 15, 9:00 a.m.**  
Pat Canfield (*George & Richard Shaw*)  
David DiGasbarro (*Wife and Family*)  
Shirley Morehead (*Linda Morehead*)  
Margaret Spas (*Family*)  
Duane Wright (*George & Richard Shaw*)

**Friday, April 18, 9:00 a.m.**  
**Good Friday**

**Saturday, April 19, 4:30p.m.**  
**Holy Saturday**  
**Easter Sunday**  
**8:30am**  
Krystyna Bagadzinska (*Family*)  
Rose & Don Groendal (*Family*)  
Lisa Mosier (*Nancy Suriano*)

**10:30 a.m.**  
Jack Brock (*Family*)  
Clara Gutkowski (*Family*)  
Mike Leonard (*Ed & Charlotte Leonard*)  
Michael Mininni –15th Anniv. (*Mary Bellino*)  
Natalie Salazar (*Family*)  
Nicky Zimmerman-4th Anniv. (*Husband, Herb*)

**12:30 p.m.**  
Carole Montilla Agoncillo (*Rene Montilla*)  
Barbara Lovrensky (*M/M James P. Gale*)



**Walking In New Life**

Please remember in your prayers this week the souls of:

George Clarke  
Robert Chaivre



*Thank You*

To all who helped prepare food and or served the funeral refreshments for the family and friends of

Robert Chaivre



**Monday, April 14**

Isaiah 42:1-7  
John 12:1-11

**Tuesday, April 15**

Isaiah 49:1-6  
John 13:21-33,36-38

**Wednesday, April 16**

Isaiah 50:4-9a  
Matthew 26:14-25

**Thursday, April 17**

**Holy Thursday**  
Exodus 12:1-8,11-14  
1 Corinthians 11:23-26  
John 13:1-15

**Friday, April 18**

**Good Friday**  
Isaiah 52:13—53:12  
Hebrews 4:14-16;5:7-9  
John 18:1—19:42

**Saturday, April 19**

**Easter Vigil**  
Genesis 1:1—2:2  
Exodus 14:15—15:1  
Ezekiel 36:16-17a,18-28  
Romans 6:3-11

**Easter Sunday**

Acts 10:34a,37-43

Colossians 3:1-4

John 20:1-9

**ANNIVERSARIES OF DECEASED PARISHIONERS**

- April 14 Dolores Kruszka (1985)  
Lorraine Solak (1991)  
Josephine Proodian (1998)  
Rose Gizicki (2012)  
Gordon Bickle (2013)  
Carol Perrault (2013)
- April 15 Joseph Mowinski (1994)  
Raymond Karas, Sr. (1997)  
Maureen Carson (2000)  
Eleanor Handloser (2006)  
Angela Willis (2010)
- April 16 Mabel Reinhart (1992)  
Grace Sullivan (2008)  
Keila Blackburne (2010)  
Patricia Armstrong (2013)
- April 17 Marcello Smigliani (1983)  
Blake Weaver (1983)  
Mary Hunt (1984)  
Ethel Anderson (1989)  
Anne Pack (1994)  
Annette Medrek (2003)
- April 18 Josephine McPherson (1984)  
Marion Vestich (1989)  
Michael Eicher (1995)  
Twila Graller-Smith (2005)
- April 19 Michael Gassel (2006)
- April 20 Justin Thomas Fritts (1982)  
Rodney Karol (2003)  
Marion Graller (2005)  
Leonard Szott (2007)



**KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS**

- \*Susan Aho
- \*Richard Bargowski
- Jennifer Bargowski-VanHorn
- Kirsten Bramlett
- \*Clemens Bykowski
- \*Ian Carolan
- Jerry Chismar
- \*Rick Cigile
- \*Sonia Culver
- Ginny Cummins
- \*Elvira Darolfi
- \*Mario David
- \*Donald Dennington
- \*Pat Dennington
- \*Diane Flowers
- Andrew Gianelli
- Dennis Gilbo
- Patricia Goonis
- \*Veronica Granowicz
- Gerald Grzeskowiak
- Krystal Guzman
- Linda Harms
- \*Patricia Hill
- \*Rebecca Horton
- \*Dawn Johnson
- Jodi Klucevik
- Lisa Kozakowski
- Tammi Lang
- \*Ellen Lindner
- Jesse Lindlbauer
- Frank Luedtke
- Jeremy Mains
- Norm Mientkiewicz
- Lindsay Miller
- Gennaro Montano
- \*Dennis Mullally
- \*JilMurinas
- \*Mary Murray
- \*Robert Naumoff
- \*John Neault
- Dan O'Brien
- Patty Podzikowski
- \*Rita Polek
- \*John Predmesky
- William Premin
- Dan Prichard
- \*Benny Rembisz
- Joshua Thomas Retherford
- \*Marti Ruedger
- Kay Ruth
- \*Patrick Rzepecki
- Cheri Sasena
- \*Pat Shankie
- Lillianna Shull
- Walter Skynar
- Beverly Smith
- \*Patricia Solodon
- \*Monteen Stafiej
- \*Walter Stang
- Susan Tonak
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- Cindy Woods Gerth
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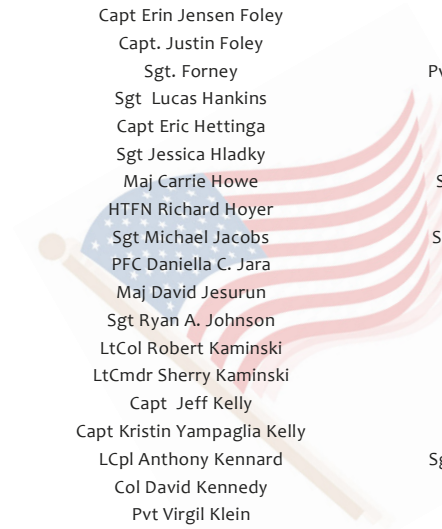
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- A1C Paige C. Bauer
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- LCpl Devin A. Boersma
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- Cpl Rebecca Brooks
- LCpl Drew Butler
- LCpl Justin Butler
- PO3 Christopher Bykowski
- E3 Toni Colon
- Capt Sean Conlen
- Sgt James A. Cooper
- RDML Kevin Donegan
- E2 Joseph Dziuban
- E2 Mark Dziuban
- Lt. JG Matthew English
- A1C Amanda Fields

- Pvt Bradley M. Finch
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- Capt. Justin Foley
- Sgt. Forney
- Sgt Lucas Hankins
- Capt Eric Hettinga
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- Capt David McGraw
- Pvt. Justin Ambrose Mabe
- PO Shaun Marx
- Sgt Marc P. Maziarz
- SpF Christian Mejia
- Sgt Carson Middlebrook
- SPC Denis Montilla
- SSgt Michael J. Moomaw
- Dwayne Naugle
- PFC Erik Nelsen
- Maj Brian Nicosia
- Pvt James Oaks
- Carl Park, SFC
- Sgt Alex A. Polka
- SGM Joseph A. Polka
- Sgt Michael Potrzebowski
- Capt Mark Rausch
- Maj Jason Redlin
- Sgt Christopher M. Rudzinski
- Lt Col Michael C. Rudzinski
- 2nd Lt Dan Russo

- Capt Tyrus Scott
- SPC Guy Schlachter
- Maj Jason Schuerger
- Capt Shannon Schuerger
- Justin James Sams
- LtCol David Sebuch
- Sgt Martin Smith
- SPC Matthew Spear
- 2nd Lt Dennis Speck
- Sgt Joseph Spinicchia
- Sara Marie Taylor
- E3 John Theisen
- SPC Shaun G. Towler
- SPC John Edward Watkins
- Sgt Christopher Wiacek
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## Vocations Chalice

### A Program of Awareness and Prayer for Vocations

The Vocations Chalice is a tangible way of increasing awareness of vocations to the priesthood, the permanent diaconate, and the consecrated life. Images create attitudes, and attitudes lead to actions. Children will be asking questions and more people will be talking about vocations, and the priesthood, in particular.



Join us we venture to Motor City Casino!!!

Our bus will depart from St. John Neumann's on Wednesday, May 14th at 12:00pm returning approximately 7:00pm. The price of the trip is \$20.00 per person and you will receive \$30.00 in Casino incentives!



To reserve your spot call Jim or Mary ann Stager at 734-459-2565. Flyers are available in the Gathering Area.

**St. John Neumann Parish gratefully acknowledges**

**The Galante Family**

**For hosting the Chalice and Praying for Vocations in their home.  
Thank you!**

To sign up to host the Vocations Chalice, please email your request to:

**Vocations@StJohnNeumann.us**

## **ATHLETIC DIRECTOR NEEDED**

St. John Neumann parish is seeking a new athletic director due to the retirement of current athletic director Walt Marek effective June, 1st. Candidates for this position must have first hand knowledge of volleyball and basketball, an administration background and the ability to work with people and be 21 years of age or older. Job duties include scheduling, team formation, attending CYO meetings, organizational skills and game day preparations. All applicants are subject to a back ground check and must attend and complete a "Protecting God's Children Workshop. All interested candidates can contact Fr. Ron or Walt Marek at 734 455-5910 ext 31.

ATTENTION ALL CANCER SURVIVORS  
Please be our guest at the Opening Ceremonies  
& Survivor Luncheon on  
Saturday, May 17 at 10:00 am.  
Call Lori Wagoner @ 734-254-9327 to RSVP



We are looking for new and returning Team Members to help us raise funds for the American Cancer Society.  
**Relay Online makes fundraising EASY!!!**

Join the St. John Neumann Team online at

[www.relayforlife.org/cantonmi](http://www.relayforlife.org/cantonmi)