

**Today's Scripture:** Let us boast of nothing but the cross of Christ. Through it his grace and power are made known to his servants. Tremendous deeds shall be performed in his name: the reign of God is proclaimed, peace is given as gift, and the forces of sin are overcome.

**SATURDAY: JULY 2 WEEKDAY**

7:30 am Fredrick Coffee (Joe Rzeszut)

4:30 pm Chuck & Joan Banci

(Margaret Poderzay)

**SUNDAY: JULY 3 FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

9:00 am Dolores & Al DiBaggio (Gia Iarussi)

11:00 am For The People

**MONDAY: JULY 4 WEEKDAY**

7:30 am Katherine Chehula (Family)

6:30 pm Angela & Giuseppe Siracusa (Family)

**TUESDAY: JULY 5 WEEKDAY**

7:30 am Sophie Miklich (Family Anniversary)

6:30 pm Theresa DeAngelo (Connie Butala)

**WEDNESDAY: JULY 6 WEEKDAY**

7:30 am All Souls

6:30 pm Frank Okienko (Donald Okienko)

**THURSDAY: JULY 7 WEEKDAY**

7:30 am Irene Kovar (McFeely Family)

**FRIDAY: JULY 8 WEEKDAY**

7:30 am Mr. & Mrs. Dorko (Daughter Diane)

**SATURDAY: JULY 9 WEEKDAY**

7:30 am Theresa DeAngelo (Daughter)

4:30 pm For The People

**SUNDAY: JULY 10 FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

9:00 am Brian Carrabine (Danny)

11:00 am Marilyn Houlahan (Louise Ruffner)

**Catholic Renewal Ministries' 39th Annual Conference**

All are invited on Saturday July 16th, 2022 at St. Albert the Great Parish Reception Hall, 6667 Wallings Rd. North Royalton. This year's theme is "Rejoice, Pray, Give Thanks". There will be guest speakers and Bishop-Elect Michael Woost will be the celebrant for the Vigil Mass, and Matt Fafrak will lead us in contemporary praise music throughout the day and evening.

Visit the CRM website: [www.crmweb.org](http://www.crmweb.org) or call Sandy at 440-554-8119 for more information and to register.

**Parish Collection June 26, 2022**

Sunday Envelopes	\$3457.00
Repair and Maintenance	\$685.00
Cloak Fund	\$400.00
Utilities	\$1220.00
Donations	\$20.00
Peter's Pence	\$501.00
Candles	\$72.00
Parish Life	\$326.00

From Parish Finance -Andrea Morris-Finance Chairperson  
Thank you for your continued support during this time.

**PLEASE PRAY**

Please keep in your prayers the sick and the homebound of our parish: Marissa, Patrice Adams, Joyce Armstrong, Gaylene Bielawski, Lisa Bielawski, Helen Blasko, Kathi Bayun, Margaret Blaha, Mary Ann Blatnik, Sue Boyne, Judith Carr, Robert Carr, Kathy Carrabine, Alexis Cerio, Drew Chernisky, Paul Cramer, Kevin Deka, Roger DiPenti, Jeff Fossa, Bob Frey, Bob Gerber, Danny Goins, Frank Gerber, Loretta Gerber, Mark Gerber, Lorenzo Gramuglia, Grant family, Ed Hall, Virginia Harley, Carla Hernandez, Gilbert Hernandez, Robert Hernandez, Bob Hrovat, Danny Houlahan, Cynthia Konopa, Dick Hovan, Anthony Hrich, Helen Husky, Nina Kucinic, John Klamar, Emily Kondash, Nicole Kukoleck, Sean Kukoleck, Jeffrey Ksiazka, Marge Langa, Ronald Lewayne, Fred Lisy, Patty Lisy, Dawn Marks, Diana Markosky, John McDonald, Denise Mummery, Cameron North, James Neitzel, Judith Nagorski, Jim Obley, Sr., Denis Osowski, Marilyn Palko, Margit Papay, Jim Piskura, Nancy Poderzay, Betty Rembowski, Dan Remar, Irene Remar, Mary Rataj, Cortney Ruggeri, John Sabo, Jonathan Sedor, Bonnie Sobiesiensi, Daniel Sholz, Edwina Stefanski, Janet S., Petar Tokic, Jean Toth, Gerald Towalski, Roberta Virzi, Jeffrey Virzi, Frances Yartz, Vern Yodsnukis

**Please Pray For Recently Deceased:**

Richard E. Nowell

**Peter's Pence Collection**

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FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

PARISH WEEKLY EVENTS	
Sat: JULY 2	7:30 am Mass 4:30 pm Mass
Sun: JULY 3	9:00 am Mass–Anointing of the Sick and Healing Prayer 11:00 am Mass
Mon: JULY 4	7:30 am Mass 8:00 am Rosary 6:00 pm Rosary/Novena 6:30 pm Mass
Tues: JULY 5	7:30 am Mass 8:00 am Rosary 6:15 pm Evening Prayer 6:30 pm Mass
Wed: JULY 6	7:30 am Mass 8:00 am Rosary 6:15 pm Evening Prayer 6:30 pm Mass
Thurs: JULY 7	7:30 am Mass
Fri: JULY 8	7:30 am Mass
Sat: JULY 9	7:30 am Mass 4:30 pm Mass
Sun: JULY 10	9:00 am Mass 11:00 am Mass

St. Martin's Cloak Food Collection

For the foreseeable future, St. Martin's Cloak will only be accepting monetary donations. Your support of this very important ministry enables us to purchase gift cards for our neighbors and parishioners who are in need of food for their families. May God Bless You for your constant generosity.

The Fest 2022 - Homecoming

We are so excited to be returning to the Center for Pastoral Leadership in Wickliffe - the home of The Fest – on Sunday, August 7, 2022. We have an inspiring day – a day of faith, family and fun – planned for all who will join us. It will be an amazing celebration this summer – DON'T MISS IT!

Academic Achievement

Congratulations to Kevin Mays who achieved First Honors at St. Ignatius High School for keeping a 4.0 grade average or above for the second semester of the 2021-2022 school year.

Mass Intentions

If you would like to schedule a Mass Intention for the year 2022 or 2023, please call the rectory at 216-475-4300.

Check out the newly updated Webpage  
[www.stmartinoftours.info](http://www.stmartinoftours.info)

*Light on the Liturgy*  
*by Ed Francis*

The Liturgical Renewal, A Look Backward and a Look Forward, 2

Today's Readings:

<https://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings/070322.cfm>

(continued from last week)

Although the external liturgical changes alone do not constitute the full liturgical renewal called for by Vatican II, they are an integral part of that renewal in that their purpose is to further its goals. We will discuss later these broader goals of the liturgical renewal, as well as the necessity of the external changes to accomplish these goals. What we need to look at first is that these changes follow in the tradition of Popes Pius X and Pius XII and are also based on solid biblical, historical and theological research and reflection that had been going on since the latter part of the 1800's.

When the Council published the Liturgy Constitution in 1963, both Popes Pius X (1903-1914) and Pius XII (1939-1958) had already used the results of this research in their writings and in the liturgical reforms that they inaugurated. In 1903 St. Pius X published an Instruction on Sacred Music, in which he called for the full participation of the laity in the liturgy. He encouraged the use of Gregorian Chant (because it was relatively easy to sing) "so that the faithful may again take a more active part in the ecclesiastical offices [the liturgy], as was the case in ancient times." Participation never really caught on until Pius XII and Vatican II. St. Pius was more successful in his encouragement that the faithful receive Communion (which is the fullest participation in the Celebration of the Eucharist) weekly and even daily. This finally ended the practice which was common in the Church for the previous 1000 years, where the faithful received once a year, as required by Church law - if even that frequently.

Pope Pius XII went further in using the results of the biblical and theological research in his writings and liturgical reforms. This is particularly found in his encyclicals on the Church (*Mystici Corporis*, 1943), on the Sacred Scriptures (*Divino Afflante Spiritu*, 1943), and on the Liturgy (*Mediator Dei*, 1947). A major change in liturgical practice introduced by Pius XII (1958) was the reform of the liturgies for Holy Week, modeled on the liturgies of the early Church. . (cont. next week)

## FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

There is always more to learn. I learned (after studying the prophet Amos who called himself 'a dresser of sycamore trees) that the tree itself is different from American sycamores. In the past I recollected that the tree climbed by Zacchaeus was similar to the one planted at my first pastorate. It was near the main doors and side entrance of the church and so very visible to the folks entering the church. I had thought that in the wisdom of the founding pastor (Monsignor Shannon) the placement of the tree was to remind others of the one who wanted to see Jesus. It



was Jesus who told Zacchaeus that he 'must stay at your house today'. I had presumed that the tree, then, was an invitation to consider how those who enter the church would be seeking to be at home with the word and the eucharistic presence of Christ Himself. As I learned about the differences between sycamores (United States different from the Holy Land) I also came upon the tending of (dressing according to Amos) of the tree itself. As I read it is labor intensive as the fruit of the tree in the Holy Land needs to have an incision before the fruit (resembling a fig) ripens. In the context of the Gospel (in Luke) the pericope follows the cleansing of the temple. The selection anticipates the fig tree (cousin of the sycamore) which was cursed as it bore no fruit and was withered. It is interesting to me that Zacchaeus approach to "see" Jesus redounded to a conversion moment in his life. His response was to (in a manner of speaking) incise from his life that which inhibited the growth of the fruit of a relationship with Jesus. The thoughts may be seen together (appreciating the differences of the trees in our area and in the Holy Land) as we enter into liturgy. Are we expecting the experience of the His Word and His presence in communion to bear the kind of fruit that is indicative of being His disciples? Sincere question. Habitual behaviors (thoughts and words and deeds) sometimes need to be looked at and perhaps 'incised' to bear the kind of fruit that would be representative of the presence of Christ. Much like the work of Amos it can be labor intensive. That said, are we/am I willing to consider how fruitful is the produce of our lives from the soil that we are as those who hear His word and consumer His very presence? May we be alert to that which is non-productive and seek to be faithful to the gospel. (The members of the garden family expect great fruit as well as depicted awaiting the bearing of fruit).

### Readings for the Week of July 3, 2022

**Sunday:** Is 66:10-14c Ps 66:1-7, 16, 20 Gal 6:14-18  
Lk 10:1-12, 17-20 or 10:1-9  
**Monday:** Hos 2:16, 17b-18, 21-22 Ps 145:2-9  
Mt 9:18-26  
**Tuesday:** Hos 8:4-7, 11-13 Ps 115:3-6, 7ab-8, 9-10  
Mt 9:32-38  
**Wednesday:** Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12 Ps 105:2-7 Mt 10:1-7  
**Thursday:** Hos 11:1-4, 8c-9 Ps 80:2ac, 3b, 15-16  
Mt 10:7-15  
**Friday:** Hos 14:2-10 Ps 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-14, 17  
Mt 10:16-23  
**Saturday:** Is 6:1-8 Ps 93:1-2, 5 Mt 10:24-33  
**Sunday:** Dt 30:10-14 Ps 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36, 37 or  
Ps 19:8-11 Col 1:15-20 Lk 10:25-37

### READINGS FOR THE DAY

TO FOLLOW ALONG WITH THE DAILY READINGS VISIT  
< [HTTP://USCCB.ORG](http://USCCB.ORG) > AND CLICK ON TODAY'S DATE ON THE  
CALENDAR.

### TELEVISED AND RADIO MASS SCHEDULE

#### HELPFUL GUIDE FOR TELEVISION VIEWING:

- Sunday at 10 am WUAB Channel 43, the CW
- Cox Communications Cable subscribers may select channel 45. Mass airs each week Sunday at 11:30 a.m.

#### HELPFUL GUIDE FOR RADIO AND AUDIO LISTENING:

- WINT-1330AM airs Mass each Sunday at 9:00 a.m.
- The Rock 1260 AM Sunday at 10:30 am

DIocese OF CLEVELAND DAILY MASSES ON THE INTERNET SITE AT  
NOON DAILY

### Protecting God's Children

The Diocese of Cleveland's "Protecting God's Children" program is a continuing effort to instruct and inform everyone about the protection of children from sexual abuse.

**To report any past or present suspected inappropriate behavior toward children by priests, deacons, religious, lay ecclesial ministers or personnel associated with the Church, please contact the Diocesan Response Service Office at 216-334-2999 or via email at:**  
[mailto:response\\_services@dioceseofcleveland.org](mailto:response_services@dioceseofcleveland.org).

**You are also asked to immediately inform local authorities about any inappropriate behavior.**

### Save the Date: Trash & Treasure Sale

Drop off Days: Monday August 1st & Tuesday August 2nd  
from 12:00 noon until 7 pm both days

Pricing Day: Wednesday August 3rd from 9 am – 5 pm  
No Drop offs accepted on Wednesday or after

### SALE BEGINS

Thursday August 4th – 12 noon until 8:00 pm

Friday August 5th - 1:00 pm until 6:00 pm

Saturday August 6th – 8:00 am until 1:00 pm

Please watch the bulletin for further updates.

**Anointing of the Sick & Healing Prayer**

The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick will be celebrated on **Sunday July 3, 2022 at the 9:00 am Mass**. Following mass, members of the Healing Prayer team will be available to pray with you for your intentions. Also, prayer shawls will be available for you to take and share with those in need of healing and comfort.

**From Bobbi Bugaj**

This past Wednesday I spent time catching up on some things that I had set aside. In the middle of my 'to do' list I stopped to reconnect with a friend on the phone. Instead of talking and walking, instead of talking and trying to do something else, I just sat down and shared conversation. My whole attention, my presence, my body was present while we shared and conversed. Later when I was praying I thought about all the times that I talk on the phone while trying to do something else. See, there is no cord on the phone to keep me in place, I can talk and multitask at the same time, not really giving my full attention and listening to the other person. I thought about this, because in my quiet time with God, I find a place to pray that is quiet and that I can be removed from distraction and be there, but so it seems, I do not always do this while I am on my phone. I do not know when I got into this habit or why, I realized that I miss something, the experience of Jesus in another brother or sister. God is still there in the person, in what they are saying, how their life is going, and I bet they are not walking around to put something away or get the dishes done (maybe). If they were in front of me, I would be sitting down and they would have my full attention, forgetting that God is still present in both of us even though we are on the phone and not face to face. I thought of Romans 12:2: "Do not conform yourselves to this age but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and pleasing and perfect." It is not the will of God that I be half a friend when that friend is not in front of me, it is not pleasing or perfect. I do conform myself to this age as I let my to do list lead and not my heart. That heart says sit down, listen and be present, just like in my prayer time. I am not really Bobbi Bashing during my prayer, it was just a reminder that I need to be the image of Christ and to do that, I should be present and participate in all my interactions even when I am on the phone. I make a point of not talking on the phone when I drive as I know that there is a major distraction and someone could get hurt, and that being said, how often are people hurt when I miss or do not hear correctly what I am being told over the phone. Oh, by the way, I do not like it when people do this to me as I want their full attention. I think this reflection came about because of how I felt when I hung up the phone, that I was happy to finally catch up and know how God was doing in my friend's life and had I not sat down and gave the time, I would have missed how God works in both of our lives. That it is God who puts people in my life to help guide and if I am distracted, I missed the call but not Wednesday and definitely not going forward. When I listen to others, whether in front of me or on the phone, without distraction, everyone is attended to in love and I thank God for the call.

**There will be a Divine Mercy Holy Hour**



on Sunday July 10, 2022 at  
St. Monica Church  
on Sunday July 24, 2022 at  
St. Therese Parish  
Prayers start at 2:30 pm  
All are welcome

**Rosary for Healing and Protection of Sexual Abuse Victims**

**August 3, 2022 starting at 6 pm**, we will pray the Holy Hour for the Healing and Protection of Sexual Abuse Victims. We will start with the Rosary and end with Mass. **If you cannot come but want to pray with us, pick up a copy of the Rosary in the vestibule or the rectory.**

**HOLY CROSS CEMETERY – Pre-Planning Seminar**

The Catholic Cemeteries Association invites you to attend a 1-hour pre-planning seminar on Wednesday, July 20 2022, at 5:30 p.m. Please join us to learn more about your Catholic burial options, including options for cremated remains. Attendees will receive a personal reference guide and savings certificate. Please know the CCA follows the current CDC guidance regarding COVID-19 protocols. We kindly ask that you RSVP to this event to HOLY CROSS Cemetery – 14609 Brookpark Rd., Brook Park **216/641-7575 ext. 3** or email Bob DeJohn at **bdejohn@clecem.org**.

**Come One, Call All to Our Annual Parish Picnic**  
**Sunday July the 31<sup>st</sup>, 2022**

Fun With Family, Friends, and Special People We Haven't Seen in a Long While Celebrating Being Free Once Again to Gather! Delicious Foods, Salads, Snacks, and Desserts Games, and Raffles with Some Great Prizes, and Gift Baskets. All Are Invited for a Wonderful Day of Summer Fun, and Celebrations! Volunteers Are Welcome to Help in the Festivities! Sign Up Sheets Will Be Available in the Vestibule. Donations Can Be Dropped Off At the Parish Rectory Office. Thank You in Advance! Questions Can Be Directed to Tom VanHouten, Parish Picnic Committee Chairman (440-725-3531)

**Large Baskets and Donation Items Needed!**

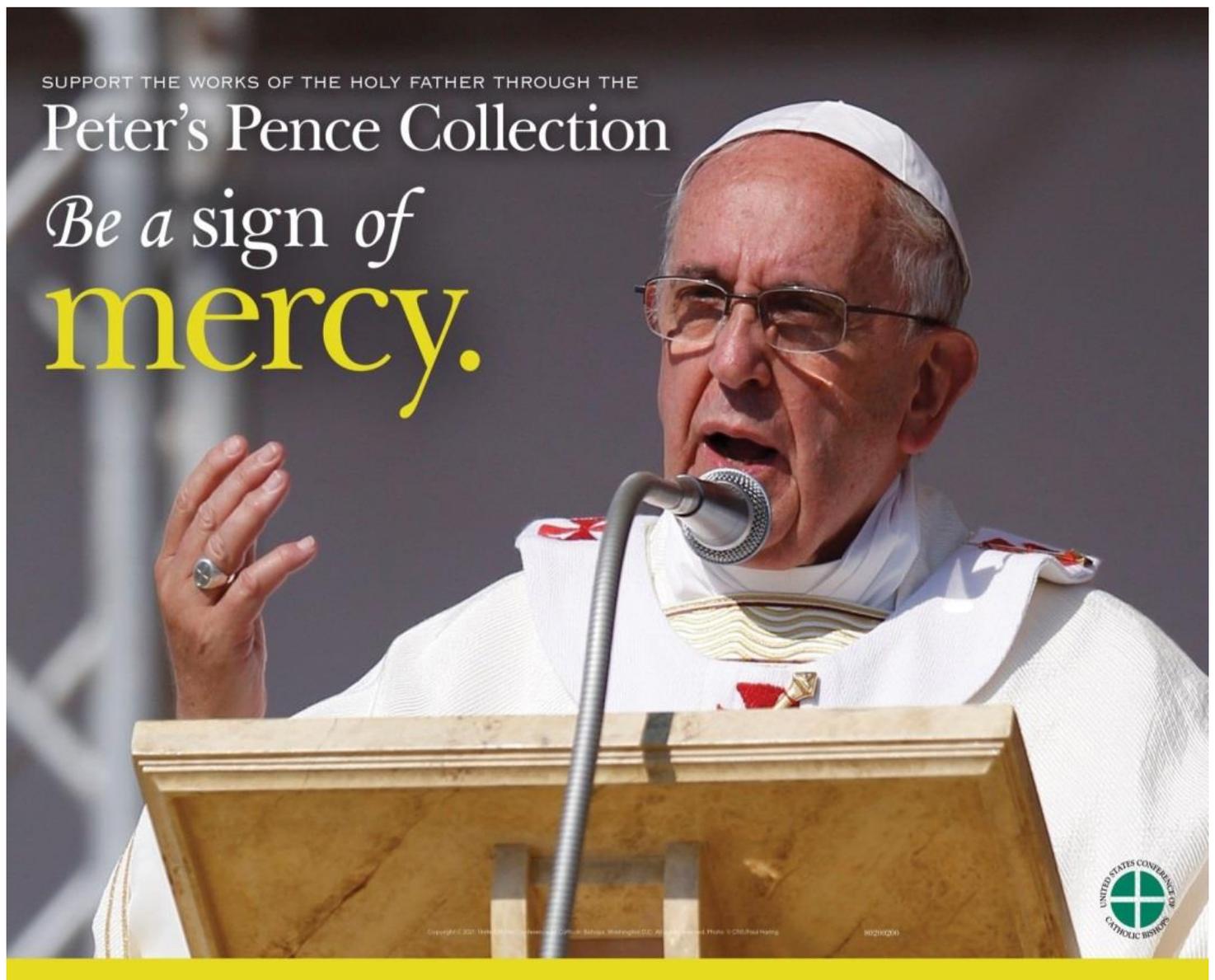
The Parish Picnic Raffle Basket Committee is in need of large baskets, as well as, new items to fill the baskets. Gift cards are welcome. Please drop off baskets and other donations to the rectory ASAP. Thank you for your support.

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FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Wednesday Night Dinner July 13**  
**GRILLED CHICKEN KABOB** Reservations Due: **Sunday**  
**July 8 @ 8pm Prepared by Lori's Custom Catering ---**  
**phone 216-662-2277 --- MAILBOX #2** Dinner will consist of  
**1 Grilled Chicken Kabob, with Rice, Corn, and Bean Bake.**  
**EVERYTHING IS PACKAGED - PRE-ORDER ONLY -**  
**TAKEOUT ONLY Curbside Pickup - READY TO HEAT NO**  
**BAKERY. SERVING TIME 4 - 6 PM PICK-UP at 10806**  
**Granger Road - Club 4130**

*Please leave your complete name, phone number and number of dinners you will be picking up. Please no changes day of. Thank you for your continued patronage. If someone else is picking up - leave their name also.*

**Catholic Cemeteries Association**

Catholic Cemeteries Association offers free, safe, and compassionate monthly Grief Support meetings in-person in six of our offices and virtually: For details, Visit:

<https://www.clecem.org/Information/Bereavement.aspx> or

for more information or questions, call Rhonda at 216-930-4866.

**St. Jude Walk**

Hi, my name is Jes Zelasko and once again I am participating in the St. Jude walk in September. St. Jude is my favorite charity! I am asking people to join my team, Walking Wizards, or sponsor me. You can do either at the link below. This is one of the steps that I can take to help me start my foundation for them. Marvelous Miracles has a goal to reach 1.9 million dollars for the hospital. This amount will be enough to run St. Jude for an entire day.

[https://fundraising.stjude.org/site/TR/Walk/Walk?px=7416217&pg=personal&fr\\_id=137390](https://fundraising.stjude.org/site/TR/Walk/Walk?px=7416217&pg=personal&fr_id=137390)

**Monastery of the Blessed Sacrament**

Recognizing and persevering in God's will: a discernment retreat with the Cloistered Dominican Nuns of the Monastery of the Blessed Sacrament July 22-23, 2022. For single Catholic women aged 18-35. For more information and to register, please contact: Vocation Directress, Monastery of the Blessed Sacrament, 29575 Middlebelt Rd., Farmington Hills, MI 48334 [dnfvocations@gmail.com](mailto:dnfvocations@gmail.com) 248-626-8321 or Visit our website or facebook page: [opnuns-fh.org](http://opnuns-fh.org)

**Please Join Us! Celebration of Life Mass & Cookout**  
**In Remembrance of Fr. Dan Begin**

Please join us for fellowship, food, and fun on Sunday, August 21, 2022! All are welcome to celebrate the life of Fr. Dan Begin. **RSVP by 8/14/2022:** Please let us know you're coming so we have a headcount for food catering. [Email:barchanowicz@sbcglobal.net](mailto:barchanowicz@sbcglobal.net). [RSVP: http://evite.me/nFWuZX1WDO](http://evite.me/nFWuZX1WDO). Please spread the word.