ST. CHRISTOPHER CHURCH COLUMBUS, OHIO

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# Weekly Stewardship Report Weekly Offertory Breakdown October 2, 2016

Total Envelope Count 102

Total Envelope \$ Amount \$ 5,133.00

Loose Checks #33

Total Loose Checks \$ Amount \$ 1,081.00 Total Loose Cash \$ Amount \$ 1,917.50

Total Collection \$ Amount \$ 8,131.50

Mass Attendance:

 September 17 & 18
 871

 September 24 & 25
 949

 October 1 & 2
 1068



## Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time Saturday + Sunday, October 8th & 9th

4:30 p.m. Anita Sbrochi by Fausto Sbrochi 9:00 a.m. John & Maria Iacovetta by Guido Ciotola

11:30 a.m. Eric Bohlmann by Bohlmann Family 6:00 p.m. Linda Olvera by The Pelgrino Family

**Weekday Masses** 

Monday, October 10th

9:00 a.m. The Hinkley – Macdonald Family

by Tom & Norma Eviston

Tuesday, October 11th

9:00 a.m. Nydia Stevens by The Bond Family

Wednesday, October 12th

9:00 a.m. Janet Pritchard by Melissa Bonace

Friday, October 14th

9:00 a.m. St. Christopher Parishioners

## Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time Saturday + Sunday, October 15th & 16th

4:30 p.m. Anita Sbrochi by Fausto Sbrochi

9:00 a.m. Dominic & Lucia Ciotola by Guido Ciotola

11:30 a.m. St. Christopher Parishioners

6:00 p.m. Tom Croarkin by Marytherese Croarkin

Prayer Requests

REMEMBER OUR SICK AND HOSPITALIZED IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Cathy Bowman, Holden Bowman, Linda Boyd, Tim Danielson, Henry Drayer, Betty Evans, Mark Evans, Glenn Glassner,

Maryann Hogan, Logan Kinzel, Jean Montenaro, Daniel Patrick Murphy, Deacon Byron Phillips, Anna Reed, Teri Ruzicka, Denise Schumaker, Andrea Stanley and Mary Yingst

### **PARISH ACTIVITIES:**



Marathon on October 15th – If you are attending Mass the morning of October 15th when the Marathon is being run, you will be able to access the front and back lots via Third Avenue, turning right (north) and coming into the parking lot driveway or alley off Grandview Avenue turning right, northbound only, but can get to Fifth Avenue or King, to go East. Thanks for your patience.

#### **LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR OCTOBER 15-16**

	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS	LECTORS	ALTAR SERVERS
4:30 p.m. Saturday	Susan Haninger and Ginny O'Connor	Susan Haninger	Amy Doust & Quinn Tillett
9:00 a.m. Sunday	Kathleen Belcher, Elli Moehrman, Marlene Friedman, Jeff and Lue Bauer, Sue & Bill Riesenberger	Neil Dimond	Aaron Schwirian & Ryan Schwirian
11:30 a.m. Sunday	Laura Maher, Cheryl Nester, Barbara McGhee and Susie Gerschutz	Joshua Androsac & Darla Reardon	Seth Holway, Angel Porcayo & Lucy Rodriguez
6:00 p.m. Sunday Last Call	Lauren Dull, Lisa Boehm, Logan Kirk, Laura Lombardi, Laura Maher, Louisa Thoma and Alisa Vidulich	Lauren Dull	Ryan Petrella & Ryan Ferguson

ALTAR CARE FOR OCTOBER: Pat Brown & Julia Mathew Linens: Susan Reeser



# From the Pastor's Desk

### Dear brothers and sisters,

I should be moving in the Rectory within the week! Praise the Lord! Many thanks to Brian Drury, Jack Margiotta, Evan Tillett and Will Margiotta for helping move the heavy stuff. Many hands make light work. Even though the rectory won't be fully finished for another month or two, it will be livable in the meantime. There has been a couple of parishioners who have donated their time, talents and funds to make this all possible. I'll be thanking them in the future. When I'm fully living at the rectory, I'll be able to get things moving a little faster in the organization of parish groups and committees in regards to parish life. Once again, I thank you for your patience. Over the past three months, I've been living out of/traveling with a one by two foot box I named "Wilson."

God's Peace. Fr. David

PSR: Children's Religious Education - needs a PreK-Kindergarten teacher. It is a small group of sweet children that at times, class combines with the first graders. Also in need of volunteer classroom helpers - please, do not assume others are volunteering - this is a constant need/request. We meet Sundays, 10:05-11:15 a.m., Trinity school.



### Eight reasons why you may want to be a catechist:

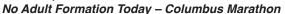
- · You are a Catholic
- · You love your faith
- · You enjoy being with children, youth and adults
- You love meeting new people
- You would like to contribute to the parish
- You want to share your faith with others
- You want to learn more about your faith
- You feel unqualified. So were the prophets, apostles and saints. DO YOU play guitar? Are you available a few minutes each Sunday for our PSR assembly time? Is God calling you to be a catechist? Call Linda Wolfe, parish office, or email <a href="mailto:llwolfe1966@">llwolfe1966@</a> gmail.com, meet and discuss what being a catechist is all about. Pray! **THANK YOU** to all those who have donated religious items! A basket with "PSR" will be available in the vestibule.

## **Adult Faith Formation**

This week: October 9, 2016

Book Discussion - The Other Wes Moore

Looking ahead: October 16, 2016



For questions or suggestions, please contact a committee member:

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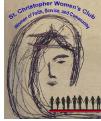
Full program may be downloaded at the parish website under Faith Formation/Adults.



DOES YOUR CHILD LIKE TO SING? Would your child like to learn how to sing? We here at St. Christopher's are offering to students of Trinity, St. Margaret of Cortona and PSR, a youth choir from grades 2nd through 7th grade. If you are interested,

we will begin on Thursday, October 13th in the church, at 5:00 p.m. Rehearsals will be approximately one hour. I will have more information about this on Thursday, October 13th. I will have refreshments and cookies for our introductions. Hope to see you there!

- Pandora, Music Director, St. Christopher



All - men, women, and children - are invited to join us for a celebration of faith and fashion expressed in beautiful Catholic jewelry, rosaries, home items, and accessories.

The Christian Bling line was created with exclusively faith-based items, inspired by God's love, and hand-crafted with your special someone in mind. Get a jump start on your holiday shopping now! St. Christopher Women's Club will earn 20%

of all sales from this fund raiser. This special gathering will take place in our cafeteria on October 11th at 6:30 p.m. Light refreshments, snacks, and a raffle ticket for free jewelry will be offered to everyone in attendance!

Can't come? Shop online anytime at www.ctbling/com/mpizzino and enter party #1474 at checkout to ensure we receive 20% of your purchase.

Come and view a large variety of meaningful gift options for every special occasion while enjoying a nice evening with your fellow sisters in Christ.

God Bless.

St. Christopher Women's Club



### 2016 Cub Scout Popcorn Sale

The Cub Scouts from Pack 414, sponsored by St. Christopher, will be selling delicious popcorn after the Last Call Mass on Sunday, October 16, October 23, and October 30. Look for their tables outside of the church.

This is the major fund raiser for the Pack and helps the boys pay for fun activities like camping trips and the pinewood derby. Please stop by and give them your support. There are new OSU tins that would be the perfect Christmas gift for any Buckeye fan.

If you aren't a fan of popcorn, you do have the option to make a Military Donation which will provide popcorn for our troops overseas. This is a great way to spread some joy during the upcoming holiday season!

If you would like to order some popcorn and can't see the Scouts after Mass, please contact Popcorn Kernel, Jeanette Ferguson. See her after the 11:30 a.m. Mass or send her an email at nettypoho@hotmail.com.

## **OUTSIDE ACTIVITIES:**

Social Justice Ministry will hold a B.R.E.A.D. House Meeting on Wednesday, October 12th, from 2:00-3:30 p.m. in the River Chapel and on Thursday, October 13th, from 7:00-8:30 p.m. at Blanche Luczyk's home, 1320 Murrell Avenue. Come share your social justice concerns and learn how B.R.E.A.D member congregations can work toward greater social justice. Please call Blanche with any questions at 614-205-7297.