



### Liturgical Appointments for October 5/6, 2013

	Ministers of Altar	Ministers of Hospitality	Ministers of Word	Ministers of Holy Communion
5:30 p.m.	Jeff Beery	Jeff & Sandy Kilbarger	Kelli Cole	Shannon Tise
				Renee Hagan
				Charles Kelso
8:00 a.m.	Paige Howland	John Turner	Mike Moses	Joyce Wendell
	Ellie May Howland			Clem Moenster
				Mike Moses
10:00 a.m.	Kieran Flannan Conlon	Shawn Fergus Conlon	Joyce Combs	Ana Lopez
	Quinn Fitz Conlon	Mackenzie Faolon Conlon		Jill Hopper
				Jenny Hart



**MASS SCHEDULE**

**Sunday, September 29**  
 8:00 a.m. Henry Burwinkel (Janet & Bill Butler)  
 10:00 a.m. Franklin & Gerald Swisshelm (Michael Bach)

**Tuesday, October 1**  
 9:15 a.m. Jim Dean (Barbara Clonch)

**Thursday, October 3**  
 7:00 p.m. Ed Lerch Birthday Remembrance,  
 September 27

**Saturday, October 5**  
 9:00 a.m. Ruth Kleinhenz (Pam Huff)  
 5:30 p.m. Beloved Living Mother Phyllis Huff (Gary)

**Sunday, October 6**  
 8:00 a.m. Alma Williams (Blake, Erin, & Brent Walters)  
 10:00 a.m. Clarence "Eddie" Pegan (Agnes Houk)



**BENEDICTION EVERY THURSDAY AT 6:30 P.M.**



**Sacrificial Giving**

**Weekly Need** ..... \$ 4,500.00

**Collection Week of September 21/22**

**Envelopes & Loose** ..... \$ 3,408.50

**Variance** .....-\$ 1,091.50  
 (11⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗)

**School Support: \$280.00 ... Building Fund: \$27.00 ...**  
**St. Vincent de Paul: \$35.00 ... Votives: \$0.00 ... Buck**  
**a Month: \$4.00 ... Mass Stipends: \$245.00 ... Peter's**  
**Pence: \$5.00.**



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YTD NEED STARTING 7/6/13 .....\$54,000.00

YTD OFFERINGS .....\$51,317.19

VARIANCE.....- \$ 2,682.81  
 (27⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗⊗)

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**The debt on the Parish Center is \$273,751.66.**

October 1..... Bob Addington, Kelli Burwinkel  
 October 5..... Denise Battistine, Larry Fine of the Three Stooges, Blake Walters  
 October 6..... Walter & Julia Paraniuk – 67th Wedding Anniversary



**NEWS AROUND THE PARISH**

1. **TNT Twins Fit Club** will be held every Monday and Thursday at 17:15 (5:15 p.m.) at the Hillsboro Elementary School in Hillsboro. Free up beat workouts that are fun and that anyone can do! Mom and Dads, bring your kids, too! Thank you! Roy & Troy Tesmer
  
2. **The Walk For Life** takes place at the SOSC at 9:30 a.m. on Saturday, October 5th. You can sponsor a walker, become a walker, or send a donation to the SOPC c/o Shirley Amshoff, 6644 Wizard of Oz Way, Hillsboro, Ohio 45133. Phone number is 393-4404.

## ST. MARY PARISHIONERS.... "WHO ARE OUR VETERANS?"

This coming "Veterans Day," the Knights of Columbus are planning a Dedication of the New Flag Pole to our School and as part of the "Veterans Day Ceremony." We would like to honor our Veterans by name. If you would like to include your "Veteran" (living or deceased) in the "Roll Call," please provide the Veteran's **NAME**, **BRANCH** of service (Army, Navy, Marines, Air Force, Coast Guard), **RANK** (Sargent, Captain, etc.) i.e.: Captain John Smith, Army. **TO DO THIS, YOU WILL FIND "WHO ARE OUR VETERANS?" SHEETS IN THE PEWS. Please provide the information and drop the sheets in the collection basket.**

## TWO MIRACLE STORIES FROM A LOVING GOD

### Miracle One

Our parishioner, Ron Dues, has a 17-year-old grandson, Brennan Jenkins, who loves speed. He won the Martin County Florida Go-Cart Championship when he was just 7 years old. On the morning of Saturday, September 7th, Brennan decided to take a skate board ride on the Inter-Coastal Bridge that joins Stuart Florida to Hutchinson Island. He started slowly at first, but like a surfer catching a wave, Brennan caught a steep downhill stretch on the bridge. He was soaring upwards to 40 miles per hour when he lost control. He hit an abutment at the end of the bridge. His body bounced off the concrete wall right onto the middle of the Interstate Highway. Fortunately, a Safety Patrolman saw what happened and quickly blocked off all traffic. Brennan did not wear a helmet.

The trauma helicopter picked up a swollen, bruised and bleeding Brennan off the highway and took him to the Trauma Center. By 4:00 p.m. that Saturday, Brennan's prognosis was bleak. The head injury caused the brain to swell, which would destroy nerves to his eyes and muscles. If he lived, he most likely would be blind and paralyzed for life.

Ron called me at 7:00 p.m. Saturday night begging the Church to pray for his grandson. The St. Mary Emergency Prayer Chain was activated. Over 60 parishioners would pray for Brennan.

At 2:00 a.m. Sunday morning, Brennan could speak. He cried out in agony, not just from the pain, but also he couldn't see. He couldn't understand why he could not see. Everything was black.

At 6:00 a.m., a nurse held up her hand. She asked, "Can you see this?" He said, "Your hand...in my face." The swelling of the brain reversed itself and began to return to normal. Hour after hour, he saw toes, feet, fingers and hands starting to move. By 6:00 p.m. Sunday, everything returned to normal. No swelling, perfect vision, all muscular functions restored.

At 9:00 p.m. Sunday night, the flabbergasted doctors told Brennan he could go home. There was nothing more to do. Ron believes in the power of prayer and credits the St. Mary Emergency Prayer Chain for this miracle. Ironically, the name of the Trauma Center is...St. Mary.

Brennan is going to college to study Engineering. He wants to build race cars. He got rid of his skate board.

### Miracle Two

This past Sunday I went to grab my white alb off the dining room table that I would use for the noon Sunday Mass at St. Benignus. My black cat, Bela, was lying on it. I noticed red bloody blotches on the alb. "Where did that come from?" I looked at Bela's right front leg. A five-inch portion of her leg had several cuts on it. All the hair was gone on that part of her leg, so I could see them clearly on the skin. In the middle of that hairless leg, I also saw the skin ripped open about an inch revealing what I believed to be part of her muscle or at least a real nasty sore.

It's now 11:12 a.m. I have to go to Mass and my cat is bleeding on my alb. She gave me this pitiful "meow," like "Daddy, I'm hurt." All I could do was pet her and tell her I will take her to Dr. Beery. You will never know how bad I felt to leave her. I grabbed another alb and departed.

I would have taken her on Sunday, but the doctor was out of town. I had to wait till Monday afternoon. I was beside myself for the rest of Sunday evening. I was too afraid to go back because I felt helpless. I was so afraid she was bit by a Brown Recluse Spider whose venom can actually eat flesh and only special medicine can stop it. I slept terribly. I had scary nightmares about her that woke me up. All I could do was pray for her every time I woke up in the darkness of the night.

On Monday morning, I said Mass at St. Benignus at 11:30 a.m. After Mass, I rushed back to St. Mary as fast as I could. I got a hold of Dr. Tara, who was tired from driving all night from Florida. I felt bad because I think I got her out of bed. She told me to bring Bela to her office right away. I was so afraid of what I might find when I opened the Rectory door. Would Bela still have a leg?

I immediately picked up Bela to look at the wound. Surprisingly, I could not find it. So I rushed her to Dr. Beery to let her look for it. The doctor picked her up and gave a thorough examination. She said, "Father, there are no wounds. No hair is missing. There is nothing here. Wounds cannot heal and hair cannot grow back overnight." She said, "Are you sure you got the right cat?" I assured her all the other cats were OK. So that she would not think I was nuts, I even showed her the bloody alb. She said, "Enjoy the miracle."

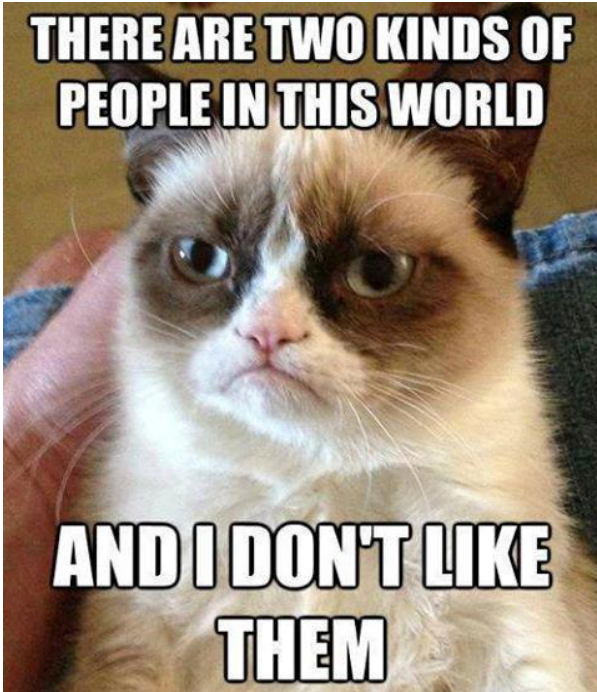
The power of prayer is awesome.

### GREENFIELD FIRE INSURANCE

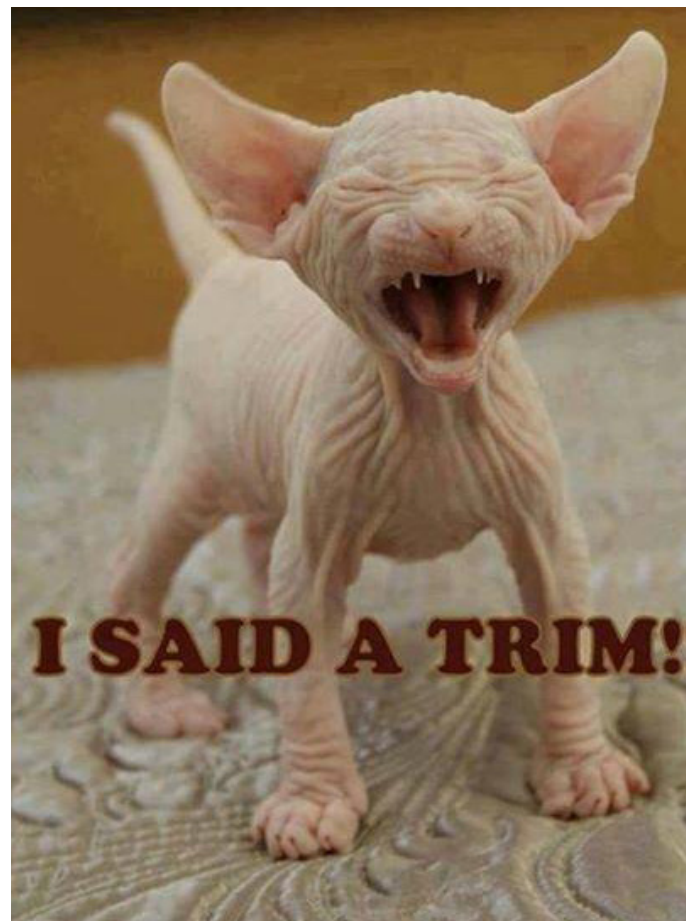
Ron and Kay moved back home to Greenfield from Hillsboro. Kay had a wooden leg and to insure it in Hillsboro was \$2,000.00 a year!!! When they arrived in Greenfield, they went to an Insurance agency to see how much it would cost to insure the wooden leg. The agent looked it up on the computer and said to the couple, "\$39.00."

Ron was shocked and asked why it was so cheap here in Greenfield to insure, because it cost him \$2,000.00 in Hillsboro!

The agent turned his computer screen to the couple and said, "Well, here it is on the screen. It says: Any wooden structure, with a sprinkler system over it, is \$39.00."



Funny  
Pics!!!



More  
Funny  
Pics!!!



OK THATS IT !!!!!



I'm calling Grandma!



Beep, Beep!  
I'm a milk truck!



Go home Bessie, you're drunk!