

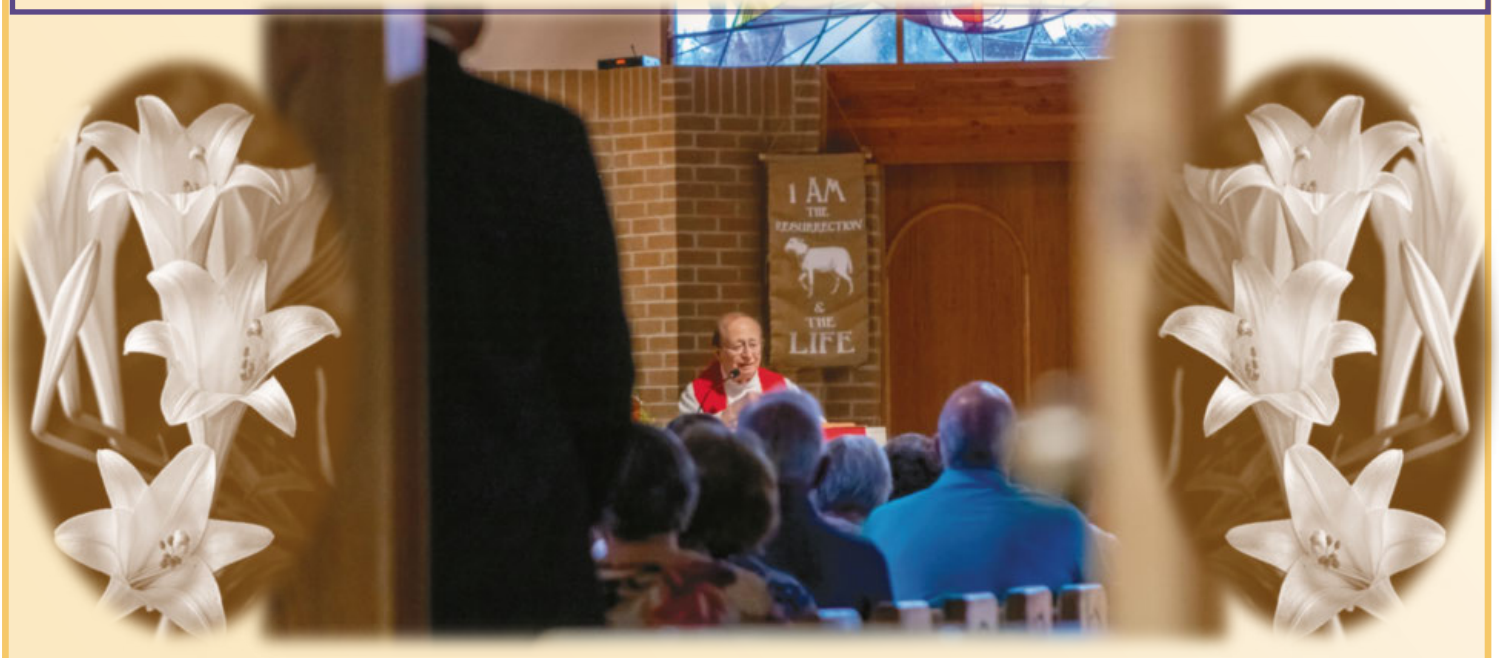
ALLELUIA!



He is Risen, just like He said!

He's not here. That phrase from the Gospel takes on a whole new meaning for us this past week. Coming to church or visiting the rectory, I feel more of a connection with those women going to anoint the body of Jesus that early Easter morning. Or of Peter and John when they saw the stone rolled away and the shroud strewn on the ground... that empty, hollow feeling of their beloved being gone from the last place they remembered him. He's not here. I understand your broken hearts at the passing of Fr. Krizner. It was sudden for all of us and certainly not what we had planned or wanted. God's plan is bigger- we know this. We've been told this so many times... Just like the apostles were told so many times, "I will die, but on the third day I will rise." What joy, and what assurance must have filled their soul after they remembered what was promised... "I will rise... all who live and believe in me will never die, but have eternal life." For us who remain, we hold onto that promise... that we will see Jesus, Fr. Krizner, and all of our loved ones again because of Easter! Because hope is stronger than fear, faith stronger than doubt, love stronger than death. Fr. Krizner loved being a priest. He loved being your priest and your pastor. Wherever he was sent, St. Columbkille, Holy Name, St. Colette, he made it his life to spread the Gospel message and live his witness of joy, humility, tenderness, hospitality, generosity, faith... such a strong, devoted faith. He can never be replaced, but he can live on through you. As a friend once told me, "We live for those who aren't here" so we can return to each other one day. Be the generous heart of Fr. Krizner. Be the welcoming smile of Fr. Krizner. Be humble in all that you do, and like him, let all you do be for the glory of God. Rejoice on this Easter morning!!! Because this day was made by the Lord, and was made for YOU.

Alleluia!





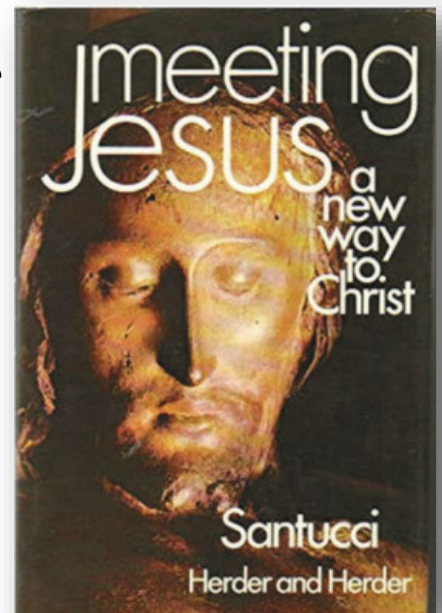
If you are able to attend the liturgies for Fr. Krizner on Tuesday (Vespers 3pm) and/or Wednesday (Mass at 11), you are most welcomed! Both will be live-streamed as well. Please know that we will celebrate Fr. Krizner as a parish family in the coming weeks in the good old fashioned St. Colette way. :)

Many of you have asked for the passage I read from Santucci's *Meeting Jesus*. Nothing is more befitting a message from Fr. Krizner. I hope it continues to bring you comfort and peace.

When the clouds have hidden me from your eyes, you'll go on gazing at their restlessly shifting shapes against the silk of heaven. You'd like to stay there for thousands of years, because you were told *he'll come back exactly as you saw him rise*. Then *two men dressed in white* will tell you to go home. Obey them, go down with the others. And when you've shut your door behind you, and stand among your poor possessions, and then lean out of your window, know that I have still another thing to tell you. Don't look up at the sky. On this, the day of the Ascension I'm hiding behind a cloud, but I could equally hide myself behind a bush, in the hollow trunk of a tree, or in a pool in Galilee. The Father to whom I'm going doesn't live beyond the flight of birds. He's on the moors swept by the wind, in unknown haystacks where you may happen to sleep one night, on mountain ridges, under the bed, and on the roofs of cities.

After I've ascended, he and I will be wherever you are in the world. Then nothing will be strange to you. Whenever you set foot in a strange land you'll recognize it behind some hidden memory because I shall have lived there for you. Whenever you leave a country you'll know that you're not altogether abandoning it, because you'll leave me there. Everywhere will be come your motherland and your home. Distances will be wiped out from the moment when I left the hilltop and set out on my travels through the world. Then you'll understand it for this reason: that you'll no longer feel afraid.

My life doesn't end here; if it ended you too would die. It goes on even when you wish for dissolution, because it's precisely in me that you long to be dissolved. Every despair, every travail of your day is a desire to reunite yourselves to with me, to see me again on the clouds, to serve me at table (221-222).



Don't look up at the sky



WEDNESDAY 11:00 AM	April 12 - Octave of Easter +Eddie Butauski
FRIDAY 11:00 AM	April 14 - Octave of Easter Deceased of Morisky, Rebros, Santuzzi, McFadden, Flower & Pofok families
SATURDAY 1:00 PM 4:00 PM	April 15 - Octave of Easter Wedding - Aaron Gelston & Stephanie Jancar +Deacon Thomas Grasson
SUNDAY 8:00 AM 10:00 AM 11:45 AM	April 16 DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY +John Theobald +Tomasina Frank +Frank Malec



**Our friends and
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May God grant them
Healing and strength.**

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The next Sanctuary Candle will be for
Fr. Krizner and his Family



WEEKLY READINGS AND OBSERVANCES

Readings for the week of April 9, 2023

Sunday:	Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23 (24)/Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8/ Jn 20:1-9 or Mt 28:1-10
Monday:	Acts 2:14, 22-33/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11/Mt 28:8-15
Tuesday:	Acts 2:36-41/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20 and 22/Jn 20:11-18
Wednesday:	Acts 3:1-10/Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9/Lk 24:13-35
Thursday:	Acts 3:11-26/Ps 8:2ab and 5, 6-7, 8-9/Lk 24:35-48
Friday:	Acts 4:1-12/Ps 118:1-2 and 4, 22-24, 25-27a/Jn 21:1-14
Saturday:	Acts 4:13-21/Ps 118:1 and 14-15ab, 16-18, 19-21/Mk 16:9-15
Next Sunday:	Acts 2:42-47/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 (1)/1 Pt 1:3-9/Jn 20:19-31

Observances for the week of April 9, 2023

Sunday:	Easter Sunday
Monday:	
Tuesday:	
Wednesday:	
Thursday:	
Friday:	
Saturday:	Tax Day
Next Sunday:	2 nd Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy) ©LPi

SAINT OF THE WEEK – EXAMPLES OF OUR FAITH
In 2023, we will be highlighting holy men and women from the Americas who are canonized or in the process of canonization. We hope their stories inspire your faith!

Ven. Maria Casimira Kaupas

Venerable Mother Maria Kaupas, a Lithuanian immigrant to the USA, founded the Sisters of St. Casimir and started schools and hospitals all over the USA and Lithuania. The Sisters continue to care for immigrants, children, and the sick to this day!

Prayer

Prayer for the Beatification of Venerable Mother Maria

O loving Jesus, we beseech you, grant that your servant, Mother Maria, who was imbued with your Eucharistic Presence while on earth, may through the intercession of your Immaculate Mother and Saint Casimir, be glorified by visible signs and miracles; so that for your glory and salvation of souls, she may, by your power, be declared Blessed. Amen.

(Prayer Source: <https://www.sistersofstcasimir.org/>)

Thank you to Cindy Lee and her amazing team of volunteers for another successful year of Fish Frys... and what a success they were in CORBIE HALL! Looking forward to the next parish event!

DISCIPLESHIP

Come join us for our next **Discipleship** meeting, Wednesday, April 12th at 7pm. Our speaker will be Tom Pussel. Tom was a former Baptist Pastor. It was upon his return to Cleveland that he began his journey home to the Catholic church. He was received into the church in 2017. Tom has served as a hospice chaplain for five years and is currently the Director of Evangelization and Outreach at St Raphael parish.

All men and women of the Parish are invited!

Sunday School - Pre-School PSCF

The last class will be Sunday, April 30. Information for Fall registration will be announced in August.

Have a blessed summer.

Mrs. Aileen - Sunday School Director

PSCF NEWS

Easter Break

There will be no classes for Grades 1-3 on Monday, April 10th

And Grades 4-6 on Tuesday, April 11th

CLUB 52 RAFFLE

Our winner drawn on April 2nd:

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Remembering with Love....

Our loving prayers and deepest sympathy are extended to the family of Sr. Bernadette McNamara (sister of Mary Celine O'Leary) who was called to her Eternal reward.

Please pray for her and all the faithful departed.

LILY ANN GRACE GIFT SHOP and the Parish Office will be Closed on Monday, April 10th

PARISH ACTIVITIES

HNS - General Mtg., Thursday, April 13th, 7pm

OLPH - Thursday, April 13th 7pm

Brothers - Saturday, April 15th 8am

We would like to extend a **BIG THANK YOU** to **HONEY BAKED HAM** And Strongsville Manager, Pat Healey and his Staff For the multitude of ways You have supported DOSC, the Holy Name Society and St. Colette Parish over the past year.

THE Lily & Grace *AND ANNIE* by: JONeG



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MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday Vigil: 4:00pm
Sunday: 8:00-10:00- and 11:45
Wednesday & Friday: 11:00am
Holy Day Vigil: 7:00pm
Holy Day: NOON and 7:00pm

SACRAMENTS

Baptism - following 11:45 Mass on the second and fourth Sunday of the month. Arrangements must be made in advance through the Parish Office. Baptism Class required for first child.
Matrimony –Congratulations! Arrangements must be made 6 months in advance with the priest.
Sacrament of the Sick - contact the Office for home visitations and Eucharist.
Reconciliation - Saturday 3:00-3:30pm

WEEKLY COLLECTION REPORT

THANK YOU!!!

Sunday, March 26, 2023.....\$16,054.00
 Capital Improvement Fund.....\$2,111.00
 Children's.....\$53.00
 Project Endeavor.....\$650.00

We sincerely & always appreciate your kindness & generosity!

To help start and build an endowment fund, please remember St. Colette in your will. We also have a Memorial Scholarship /Education Fund.

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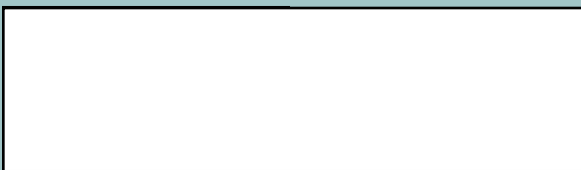
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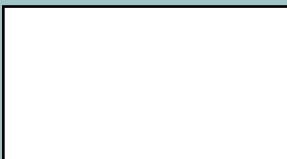
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