

# What's Happening: September 2, 2022

## We hold in our prayers this week:

**For the repose of the soul:** Shirley Tabar

**Parishioners in need of Prayer:** Bob Lewis, John & Marci Rich, Tucker Handley, Sue Andrews, Lois Smith, John & Mary Etta Bitter, Linda Purdy, Jo Oldenburg, Peggy Zimmer, Harold Babbit, Rick Nash, Jennifer Carlson

**Homebound Parishioners:** Anida Balmer, Cynthia Hall, Kay McKelvey, Sheena James, Molly Simon, Doug Bradfield, Ed & Marlene Wilkinson, Margo Tennant

**Parishioners' Friends and Family:** Bonnie Jones, Gary Novak (Emily Malquest), Paul Guinn (Joanne Hull), David Spencer (Beth O'Rourke), Dan Erwine (Cindy Lemmerman), Becky (Childcare), Lee Mehnert, Gail McCready, Josiah Andrews IV, Hugh Andrews (Tom & Sue Andrews), Carley Buhl (Liz Crosby), Weston (John Neumann), Larry Whited, Elaine Glendening (Patti Dobro), Ashley Hoyt (Susan Jensen), Robin Yates, Michael Yancey (Amanda Chambers), Betty Carter (Ron Stach), Kirby Lee (Jeff Tennant), Elizabeth Van Meter, Dan McDonough (Jan Madigan), Emily Evans, Ruth Zimmer, Mardelle Evans (Peggy Zimmer), Mary Stevenson (John Keller), Don Aukerman, Julie, Karen, Gordon and Graham (Ann Bish), Charlotte Handley (Tucker Handley), Richey Ruscin (Linda Purdy), Rudy and the Capece Family (Jeff Gardner), Alberta Valente, Jayne Matthews, Joan & Chuck Bulf (Anida Balmer), Andrew Horner (Kathy Woolner)

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**Join us for Sunday Worship...**  
**in person at 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.**  
**10:00 a.m. ONLINE**  
**The Rev. Sally Goodall, Interim Rector**

The Service will be live streamed beginning at 9:50 a.m., and the recording will subsequently remain available by going to:

[https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC5r-XEvAg8xKiEI2jnI\\_s7g?](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC5r-XEvAg8xKiEI2jnI_s7g?)

Everything you need for worship can be accessed at

<http://www.stpeterslakewood.org/news/sunday-worship/>

Welcome to St. Peter's! If you are attending services, please use the back glass door off the parking lot (where the elevator is located) or the front door to enter the church. At this time, the other two entrances will remain locked. If you need any assistance, please see one of the ushers or Tom Newman, St. Peter's Sexton. Masks are required for all unvaccinated persons in building at all times. Thank you for your cooperation.

## Enriching Our Worship

You may have noticed that we have been using a different form of the liturgy for our Sunday worship on the past two Sundays. We will continue to use this for the next three Sundays.

“Enriching Our Worship” is an additional resource that was provided by the Standing Liturgical Commission and approved by General Convention, as an enrichment of our liturgical prayer with consent of our Bishop.

The goal was to expand the language, images and metaphors used in worship and recover some ancient biblical images. “Expanding our vocabulary of prayer and the ways in which we name the Holy One bear witness to the fact that the mystery of God transcends all categories of knowing, including those of masculine and feminine.”

Though some words and phrases may sound unfamiliar, I hope the questions this experience may generate bring you to a deeper awareness of the presence of God in your life.

I welcome your feedback and conversation about the liturgy.

Blessings

Sally+

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Called to *Serve*  
*Eucharistic Ministers*

**Lay Eucharistic Visitors:** Do you sense a call to visit people in their homes and extend our Sunday worship service to them by bringing them the sacrament? Or would you just like to learn a little about this ministry?

Lay Eucharistic Visitors are licensed by the Diocese and need to participate in training. The ministry has been on hold since the beginning of COVID, but the LEVs are gathering on Sunday September 4 after the service for training and preparation as we get this ministry running again. We welcome anyone who would like to consider this.

Please let me know if you plan to join us, so I can have materials ready for you.

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## September Outreach Focus of the Month: Big Brothers Big Sister of Greater Cleveland

For more than a century, Big Brothers Big Sisters has been helping change kids' perspectives and giving them the opportunity to reach their potential.

Since 1904, Big Brothers Big Sisters has operated under the belief that inherent in every child is incredible potential. As the nation's largest donor - and volunteer-supported mentoring network, Big Brothers Big Sisters makes meaningful, monitored matches between adult volunteers ("Bigs") and children ("Littles"), ages 5 through young adulthood in communities across the country. We develop positive relationships that have a direct and lasting effect on the lives of young people.

**Our Mission:** Create and support one-to-one mentoring relationships that ignite the power and promise of youth.

**Our Vision:** All youth achieve their full potential.

**Our Accountability:** By partnering with parents/guardians, volunteers, and others in the community we are accountable for each child in our program achieving:

- *Higher aspirations, greater confidence, and better relationships*
- *Avoidance of risky behaviors*
- *Educational success*

The need for Bigs to mentor Littles in Cleveland is great. The commitment of a Big is to spend maybe four hours a month with the Little. Go for a walk in the park, go to the art museum, play a little basketball...just be available as a friend and example. Bigs and Littles choose how involved they are with one another's family lives and what kind of friendship works for them.

Please consider sharing your treasure with Big Brothers Big Sisters Greater Cleveland through loose plate offerings in September. But please also give serious thought as to whether you can find a few hours of time each month to offer your talent as an example to a Cleveland-area Little. For more information see the Big Brothers Big Sisters website at <http://www.BBSCLE.org>. Thank you for your generous support.

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Children & Youth  
Ministry

### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!**

**Sunday Morning Infant Room:** We are looking for 3 volunteers to staff the infant room once a month from 9:50 to end of service. This is an important ministry and we very much need your help.

**Children & Families Ministry:** We continue to search for a director for our Family & Youth program. In the meantime, we are looking for 2-3 adults who will work with the middle and high school kids once or twice a month during the first half of the service, returning in time for Communion and 1 or 2 adults willing to do the same with our grade school kids. Curriculum and programming ideas will be provided. We just need YOU!

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The logo for St. Peter's Music Ministry features a golden treble clef on the left. To its right, the word "Music" is written in a large, elegant, golden cursive font. Below "Music", the word "Ministry" is written in a smaller, bold, black serif font.

The upcoming season for the St. Peter's Choir will begin with a rehearsal/reception on Thursday, September 8 at 7:30 PM in the new Chapel. We are INVITING any interested parishioners to attend and treat this as an open house visit with the Choir and then to sing with us on Sunday, Sept. 11. Please email me at [vabchbryan@gmail.com](mailto:vabchbryan@gmail.com) or use the signup sheet at the back of the church if you plan to attend the Thursday, September 8 reception and

rehearsal so we can be prepared to welcome you.

Also, if you're not totally convinced about joining the choir, I'm adding an incentive. Just as singing could be considered as a hobby for you, baking cakes is a hobby for me and I will be bringing two of my favorite cakes to the rehearsal/reception for you to enjoy! I know that not everyone likes to sing, but I also know that everyone likes to eat! So, if the promise of a delicious piece of cake is what it takes to get you in the door and into the choir, so be it!

We will be welcoming several new members to the St Peter's choir this fall and the reception/rehearsal will be a wonderful time for us all to get to know each other. A change in leadership is always the best time to join a choir because everything is new to everyone. Also, for those that are shy, there is no audition involved and I will never ask you to sing alone (unless of course, you have a desire to do so!) The anthems for my first few weeks as St. Peter's new Organist and Choirmaster will be simple. This will give us all time to get used to working together without the added stress of pulling off a difficult piece of music.

I will continue St. Peter's longstanding tradition of utilizing professional singers and college students as Section Leaders and Choral Scholars. Having such an arrangement is common in churches that have high musical standards. The presence of professional singers helps the volunteers in the choir feel more secure in their singing and at the same time makes difficult choral music more accessible to the choir as a whole. In addition, I am adding paid High School Choral Scholar positions to the St. Peters choir. If you know any high school students that have an aptitude for singing, please have them get in touch with me via email or put their information on the choir sign-up sheet at the back of the church and I will get in touch with them.

I invite you to seriously consider joining the St. Peter's choir. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me by phone at 757-581-6756 or via email at [vabchbryan@gmail.com](mailto:vabchbryan@gmail.com). ~ Bryan Mitnaul, Organist and Choirmaster

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**VIRTUAL SUNDAY COFFEE HOUR**

*Join us for a VIRTUAL SUNDAY COFFEE HOUR at 11:15 a.m.*

**Looking for a ministry to do from home? Virtual Coffee Hour needs participants!** This vital parish connection is held on the second Sunday every month at 11:15 AM online. To join, just click the Zoom link included in the *What's Happening* email or the Fisherman's NET on your laptop, iPad or smartphone. We are eager to expand attendance. Even if you're attending church in-person and seeing people, you are needed at virtual coffee hour for conversation with others in the parish. We are all hungry for companionship and this is a ministry to our church community.

**The next one will be held on Sunday, September 11<sup>th</sup> at 11:15, pour yourself a cup of coffee, click the link and join us.** Mark your calendar now for future virtual coffee hours on the second Sunday of the month. We look forward to welcoming you.

Login to Sunday Coffee Hour via ZOOM at 11:15 a.m. Sundays. You can get to brunch by using this link in your internet browser:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82813898119?pwd=VU5QMjlOUmJkdTBudmJQRVphNTRVUT09>

**Meeting ID: 828 1389 8119**

**Passcode: 18001**

# Saint Cecilia

Please join St. Cecilia Guild at noon on Wednesday, September 21 for lunch in the new chapel. We will be doing planning for the year. The theme of the September lunch will be a recipe exchange and conversations about your funniest moments in the kitchen. Please bring 10-15 copies of a favorite recipe to share. If you are having trouble making copies contact Lorna and she will help. Lunch will be from Heinen's. Fill out the form below and mail to Lorna Jordan 1507 Westford Circle Apt 105, Westlake OH 44145. Checks due no later than September 13. For questions contact Lorna [ljcookie1@gmail.com](mailto:ljcookie1@gmail.com) or 440-455-1603.

**St. Cecilia; September 21; Lunch**

Checks to: Lorna Jordan  
1507 Westford Circle Apt 105  
Westlake OH 44145

The cost is **\$10.50** for any option  
**Checks due no later than September 13.**

Each box lunch includes sandwich, chips, fruit, cookie and bottle of water

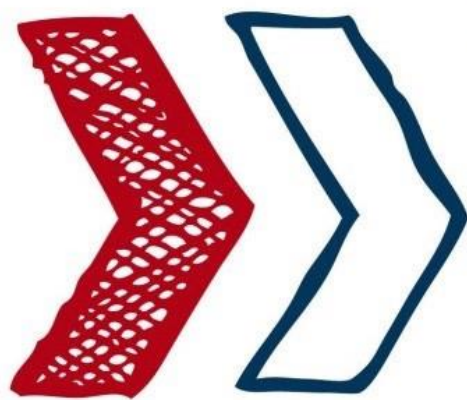
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For pastoral emergencies, please contact The Rev. Sally Goodall  
at 330-608-8085 or via email at [revsallyg76@gmail.com](mailto:revsallyg76@gmail.com).  
Also, if you would like to put someone on the prayer list,  
please contact the office at [office@stpeterslakewood.org](mailto:office@stpeterslakewood.org)

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**WE WILL BE  
CLOSED**

**LABOR DAY**

Have a  
Great Day!