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A weekly publication for the education and edification of parishioners and friends of Our Lady of Fatima Parish of the Catholic Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown in Altoona, Pennsylvania. Most Reverend Joseph V. Adamec, D.D. is the diocesan bishop. Father J.D. Zatalava, M.Div. is the pastor. Parishioners worship in the church building named after Saint Leo the Great, 2000 12th Ave. 16601. Only rarely do we selectively publish materials printed in other media resources such as the Register, the Altoona Mirror and secular information outlets.

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These are the major provisions of Canon Law concerning Ordination to the Priesthood

ORDERS (Cann. 1008 – and following)

Can. 1008 By divine institution, the sacrament of orders establishes some among the Christian faithful as sacred ministers through an indelible character which marks them. They are consecrated and designated, each according to his grade, to nourish the people of God, fulfilling in the person of Christ the Head the functions of teaching, sanctifying, and governing.

Can. 1009 §1. The orders are the episcopate, the presbyterate, and the diaconate.

§2. They are conferred by the imposition of hands and the consecratory prayer which the liturgical books prescribe for the individual grades.

CHAPTER I.

THE CELEBRATION AND MINISTER OF ORDINATION

Can. 1010 Ordination is to be celebrated within the solemnities of the Mass on a Sunday or holy day of obligation. For pastoral reasons it can take place also on other days, even weekdays.

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An instant before he was punished with banishment from this life, Cain sarcastically said to God, ***"Am I my brother's Keeper?"***

Luke 10:25 There was a scholar of the law who stood up to test him and said, "Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?" 26 Jesus said to him, "What is written in the law? How do you read it?" 27 He said in reply, "You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your being, with all your strength, and with all your mind, and your neighbor as yourself." 28 He replied to him, "You have answered correctly; do this and you will live." 29 But because he wished to justify himself, he said to Jesus, ***"And who is my neighbor?"*** (Jesus tells the parable of the Good Samaritan ending with...) 36 "Which of these three, in your opinion, was neighbor to the robbers' victim?" 37 He answered, "The one who treated him with mercy." Jesus said to him, ***"Go and do likewise."***

Adult Enrichment	Diocesan Shrines	Information Technology	Priestly Formation
Buildings and Ground	Dmitri Manor	Inter-Faith Minister	Religious Education
Catholic Charities	Ecumenical Minister	Lay Ecclesial Ministry	Sacramental Preparation
Campus Ministry	Education Office	Liturgy Office	Scouting
Chancery	Evangelization	Office of the Bishop	Stewardship
Christian Initiation	Family Life Office	Ongoing Clergy Formation	Tribunal
Communications	Finance Office	Parish Life Office	Vicar for Religious
Development	Fulton County Mission	Permanent Diaconate	Youth Ministry

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Goal:	\$ 15,144.00
Pledged to Date:	\$ 11,551.00
Short Fall:	\$ 3,593.00

The short fall will have to be made up by parishioners who have not pledged to the Annual Catholic Appeal in the past six years. Making our assigned goal, *our fair share*, has become a matter of Parish Pride in those six years. As we contemplate our future, let's not drag into the present, past slights, hurts, and missteps. Remember, we ask God to forgive us, the same way we forgive others.

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MONEY MATTERS

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time (August 16)

249 People Celebrated Liturgy at O.L.F. contributing \$1,935.00 of which \$ 160.00 accounted for "loose."

Envelopes In Circulation 234 # Used 102 # Unused 132

Leaving not even a trace of whom he/she was, some generous person put a one hundred dollar bill in a plain white envelope and hand printed on the outside "2009 Catholic Appeal." We have no way of knowing which of our appeal gambits inspired this person. We hope only that his/her clever gambit might inspire others. Thank you generous and clever person.



Saint John Mary Vianney

Also known as

Curé of Ars
Jean Baptiste Marie Vianney
Jean Marie Baptiste Vianney

Jean-Baptiste Vianney
John Baptist Vianney
John Vianney

John was born to a farm family. In his youth he taught other children their prayers and catechism. Ordained in 1815, though it took several years of study - he had little education, was not a very good student, and his Latin was terrible. Assigned as a parochial vicar to Ecully, France. In 1818 he was assigned to the parish of Ars-sur-Formans, France, a tiny village near Lyons, which suffered from very lax attendance. He began visiting his parishioners, especially the sick and poor, spent days in prayer before the Blessed Sacrament, did penance for his parishioners, and leading his people by example. Had the gifts of discernment of spirits, prophecy, hidden knowledge, and of working miracles. Tormented by evil spirits, especially when he tried to get his 2-3 hours of sleep each night. Crowds came to hear him preach, and to make their reconciliation because of his reputation with penitents; by 1855 there were 20,000 pilgrims a year to Ars. Spent 40 years as the parish priest.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR August 24-30, 2009

Monday	8/24	08:00 AM	Fred Weakland, M/M Charles Hennigan	<i>Bartholomew, apostle</i>
Tuesday	8/25	08:00 AM	Rita Raichle, Bill & Barb Yogus	<i>Louis of France; Jos Calasanz, p</i>
Wednesday	8/26	08:00 AM	Frances Kasun, M/M Michael Byrne	<i>Weekday</i>
Thursday	8/27	08:00 AM	Don Shuma, Theresa Lingafelt	<i>Monica</i>
Friday	8/28	08:00 AM	Health of Janet Pufka, Carol Smith	<i>Augustine, bishop & doctor</i>
Saturday	8/29	04:30 PM	Cora Ivory, M/M Paul Cassarly	<i>22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>
Sunday	8/30	09:00 AM	Liv & Dec of St. Stanislaus Kostka Ladies Aux	<i>22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>
Sunday	8/30	11:00 AM	Frances Kasun, Aunt Patty and Uncle Joe	<i>22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>

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