# **Community of God's Love Bulletin**

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## **Scheduled Events**

## **Sunday Praise and Worship**

5:00 pm At Sycamore Center, North St., Steubenville

## Sunday, August 2 Join us in person!!

More information is on the next page. Wear your mask! Sundays: If you are unable to attend in person the meeting will be livestreamed on Youtube. See the next page for info on Flocknote - email messages from the Community.

**Council Meetings:** TBA

**Community Conference:** September 11,12 Save these dates for Friday evening, Saturday morning, Sat evening Mass & dinner. More details including Main speaker coming soon.

## **Pope Francis' AUGUST Intention:**

#### The Maritime World

We pray for all those who work and live from the sea, among them sailors, fishermen and their families.

<u>Thank You</u> to Don Coen for his generous service as Council Chair for the past **8 years** - a time of tremendous changes for him and for COGL.

#### **Invitations**

Catholic Charismatic Renewal National Service Committee: **Empowered by the Spirit Conference,** November 6-8, 2020 in Baltimore

A new issue of the CHARIS magazine is now available online at http://bit.ly/3iCBrqo

Here is a link to the Franciscan University Night of Hope held last Sunday July 19. The entire program is 3 hours.

https://store.steubenvilleconferences.com/night-of-hope-live stream/

## Prayer to Our Lady of All Nations

In 2001, Liz and I were blessed to accompany Fr. Mike Scanlan on a pilgrimage through France, Belgium to shrines of the Blessed Virgin Mary. What a delightful trip that one was! We went to a small shrine in Belgium called Our Lady of All Nations. It was approved several times by the local bishops as private revelation of a woman named Ida Peerdeman from 1945-1959. It made a lasting impression upon me for some reason, and since January this year I have been led to pray the prayer every day. It seems to me that the prayer is certainly applicable at this time of Covid and civil disruptions in a particular way. It invokes the Lord to send the Spirit upon the entire world in order to preserve us from degeneration, disaster and war asking Mary to be our advocate under a new title "the Lady of All Nations." We surely need the Spirit to help us fight the degeneration occurring in our civilization now, and to preserve us from the disaster of Covid, and to bring peace to our cities and streets. I think this is why I have been led to pray the prayer daily as it seems to apply to so many things that are happening every day. I would urge you to join me in this intercession by our Lady. If you notice in the image she is standing on the world surrounded by sheep of all kinds and colors- meaning all the peoples of the world- and she is advocating for all of them! Joe Loizzo

Here is a link to see the image and to learn more about it. https://www.amsterdamapparitions.com/

## The Prayer

Lord Jesus Christ, Son of the Father, send now your Spirit over the earth.

Let the Holy Spirit live in the hearts of all nations, that they may be preserved

From degeneration, disaster and war.

May the Lady of All Nations, **the Blessed Virgin Mary**, be our advocate. Amen.

#### Intercessory Prayer Requests

Bless the God of all, who has done wondrous things on earth; who fosters men's growth from their mother's womb, and fashions them according to his will! May he grant you joy of heart and may peace abide among you. Sirach 50:22-23

YOUR PRAYER REQUESTS WILL BE INCLUDED HERE. JUST SUBMIT THEM TO THE OFFICE

- -All of our elderly, infirm, and ill members-including Pergis, Mark N., Vicki C, Eleanor McBane, Mercedes, Cecilia, Alex's.
- -Friends and relatives of Community members: Sr. Isabel's brother, Fr. Joseph D'aco-Connie P's brother, Annette Debevec's mother, Rosie S's sister-in-law Elaine.
- -ChristLife to bear much fruit
- -Project Rachel: Post-abortion ministry
- -Urban Underground Ministry
- -Fr. Dave Pivonka, TOR President of Franciscan Univ.-and planning for the opening of the Fall semester.
- -75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration for the Diocese of Steubenville
- -The president and all elected officials
- -Election season: pray for candidates with wisdom and moral integrity.
- -End of the COVID -19 epidemic

Thank you for praying for these intentions!

Introducing Flocknote! A few weeks ago Council members initiated the use of an email and text communication system called Flocknote. It will help us in the administrative processes of planning, composing and delivering information to our members and friends. It also gives us additional ways to use email, texts and social media to make new friends! Jack Rook is coordinating its implementation for Council. An email was sent on July 20 that gave instructions in the use of the Community's YouTube channel. If you haven't received these emails, please email the office.

## Praise and Worship at Sycamore Youth Center

We will be worshiping at SYC on Sunday, August 2, at 5:00 PM. We recognize that not everyone will feel comfortable doing this, but enough people are that we can safely have our prayer together in person. The building will be cleaned on Friday afternoon and nobody else will be using it before our meetings. In light of the Governor's mandate to wear masks during public gatherings, please bring a mask to P&W meetings. We will have hand sanitizer & masks, available at the entry doors and we can spread out in that big room to maintain social isolation very much like we are doing at Mass these days. Livestream will be available on YouTube for those who do not wish to attend. We hope to see you on August 2<sup>nd</sup>. From the Council

## Franciscan University Positions Available

- -Nursing-clinical Instructor
- -Assistant Director of Admissions
- -Asst. to Executive Director of Enrollment Services(new)
- -Admissions Counselor
- -Enrollment Counselor-Austrian Program(new)
- -Director of Franciscan Life Online
- -Head Coach Women's Swimming
- -Online Enrollment Counselor
- -Custodial Coordinator
- -Male Residence Hall Director-Gaming

For more information look at the Franciscan University website or call Mary Lynn Lewis (740-283-6398)