

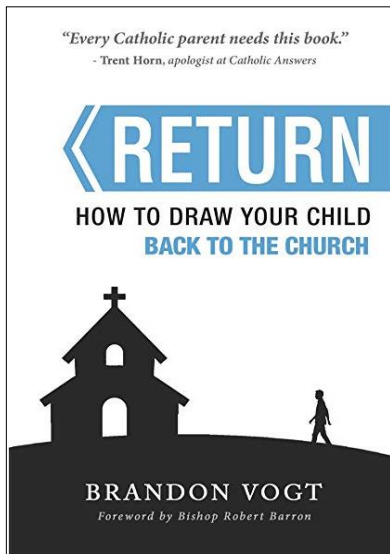
RETURN TO ME 2.0 '20

Our 2020 New Vision Opportunities *RETURN TO ME 2.0'20* was canceled and postponed in March due to the Coronavirus pandemic. So, we're bringing it back this Fall.

Wednesday Night Sessions – RE-DO 2020

St. Mary Church

(Will be live-streamed if unable to attend)



6:30pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
7:00pm	Reposition and Divine Praises Presentation
7:30pm	Question & Answer
8:00pm	Dismissal



October 21st - Fr. Bob Cole

Recap Chapters 3 & 4: Myths & Mistakes

Chapters 5 & 6: Pray & Equip Yourself

October 28th - Fr. John Singler

Chapters 12, 13, & 14: The Objections

November 4th - Deacon Tom Cully

Chapters 8 & 9: Start the Conversation

and Keep the Dialogue Going

Books are **AVAILABLE** in the Parish Office 9am - 4pm Daily





DAY OF PRAYER & FASTING FOR PRIESTS

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 23RD

ST MARY CHURCH

9:00AM – 7:00PM

PLEASE JOIN US FOR A DAY OF PRAYER AND FASTING FOR OUR WONDERFUL PRIESTS HERE IN THE DIOCESE OF CLEVELAND!

HOW CAN YOU PARTICIPATE?

- **ATTEND MASS**
- **SPEND TIME IN ADORATION**
- **FAST FROM THE INTERNET, SWEETS, A MEAL, OR SOMETHING YOU ENJOY**
- **OFFER PRIVATE PRAYER**
- **PRAY THE ROSARY (AIRTIMES-5:30 AM AND 9:30 PM)**
- **RECITE THE DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET (AIRTIME-3:00 PM)**

OUR PRIESTS ARE CHRIST'S PRESENCE TO US HERE ON EARTH. THEY BRING US THE INVALUABLE AND BEAUTIFUL GIFTS OF THE HOLY MASS AND SACRAMENTS. WITH THE CHALLENGES OF DAILY LIFE, INCLUDING THE MOST RECENT CROSSES OF THE PANDEMIC AND SOCIAL UNREST, WE NEED STRONG AND PEACEFUL LEADERSHIP. OUR PRIESTS SACRIFICE SO MUCH FOR US, AND THEY NEED OUR PRAYER AND FASTING TO CONTINUE TO BE THE GOOD SHEPHERDS THAT THEY ARE.

ST MARY CHURCH WILL BE OPEN FOR YOUR PRAYERS OR VISIT WWW.AM1260THEROCK.COM FOR A LISTING OF CHURCHES THAT WILL BE OPEN ON FRIDAY, OCTOBER 23RD. DROP BY AND SPEND SOME TIME WITH THE LORD AS YOU PRAY FOR OUR WONDERFUL CATHOLIC PRIESTS!



St. Mary Church
Year of Service 2020

**BIBLE STUDY IS...
BACK THIS FALL!!**

**You're INVITED
to JOIN**

**AN ADVENTURE INTO
DISCOVERING THE BIBLE!
EXPLORING THE GOSPEL OF
MATTHEW—PART 2**

**This is a 6 Part Series -
COME TO ONE, COME TO THEM ALL!**

**Mondays at 7:00pm with Deacon Tom Cully
Wednesdays at 9:30am with Linda Richter**

Session 1 – Chapters 17-19 – The Transfiguration and Jesus & His disciples
Monday 9/28 at 7:00 pm and Wednesday 9/30 - after 9:00 am Mass

Session 2 – Chapters 20-22 - Justice, Passover and Taxes
Monday 10/5 at 7:00 pm and Wednesday 10/7 - after 9:00 am Mass

Session 3 – Chapters 23-25 – Warnings, Laments and the Beginning of the End
Monday 10/19 at 7:00 pm and Wednesday 10/21 - after 9:00 am Mass

Session 4 – Chapter 26 – Last Supper, Agony in Garden, Betrayal
Monday 10/26 at 7:00 pm and Wednesday 10/28 - after 9:00 am Mass

Session 5 – Chapter 27 – The Trial and Crucifixion
Monday 11/9 at 7:00 pm and Wednesday 11/11 - after 9:00 am Mass

Session 6 – Chapter 28 – The EMPTY tomb..... Now WHAT???
Monday 11/16 at 7:00 pm and Wednesday 11/18 - after 9:00 am Mass

**ALL Sessions at the Fr. John Garrity Center GYM
(to allow plenty of social distancing options)**

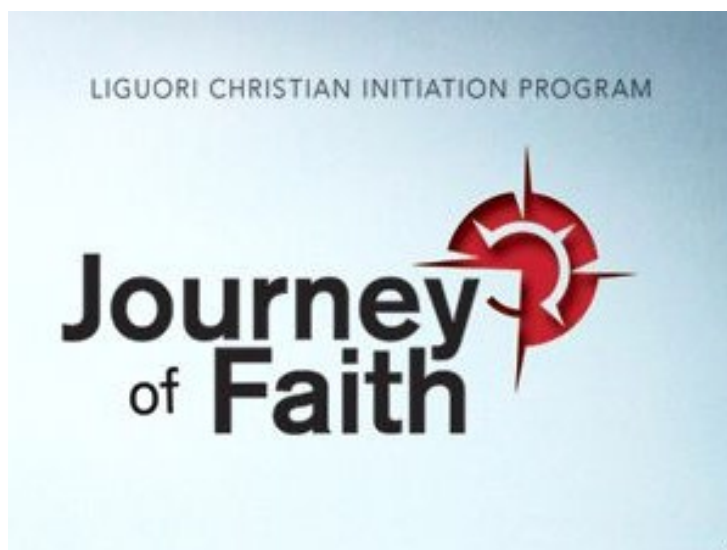
**COST IS \$10.00 - Contact the parish office or
dtom@stmarybera.org to obtain the Study Guide Resources**

Come and See! Come and Explore! Come and Learn!

Journey of Faith

Speaking of Jesus' invitation to *"Come and See,"* I am reaching out to INVITE YOU if you are INTERESTED in pursuing their faith formation by joining the *Journey in Faith Program* this year. As I wrote last week, **yes**, it is about initiation, you know, Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist; but the program we are offering is ALSO about learning the ways of faith and putting these ways into our lives. *Journey of Faith* may be the answer to your questions about deepening our relationship with Christ, as a kind of refresher in the ways of the Church, leadership, sacraments, morality and Scripture. Jesus asked Peter, *"Who do you say that I am?"* We need to ask the same question from our perspective, as Deacon Tom preached, *"Jesus, who do you say I am?"*

As I wrote last week that we have requests for Sponsor Certificates from those who have not completed their full initiation, this may be the right time and right place and right way to complete that initiation. *Journey of Faith* may be the right thing for you at this time. And because it is still a new adventure, we are still working out the details – that is , time, place, evening, in-person, remote, etc. So INTERESTED?



*Call the Parish Office with your name
and number and interest!*



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Habitat for Humanity Project FUNDRAISER

Thanks to the generous support of more than 75 households - St. Mary's has raised \$3,500 for the 2020 Habitat for Humanity project!!

There were couples, families and single folks – young and old that supported this VERY worthy project—helping families obtain affordable, safe housing! That IS love in ACTION!

There is STILL time to join the Build Team!

**Upcoming St Mary Dates are Saturday—
September 19th, September 26th & October 31st**

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