

Historic Mission at St. Joseph and St. Peter of the Fields Parishes

May 24th, 25th, and 26th

Fr. John Neumann, a priest and novice in the Redemptorist Order, was sent to our parishes by Bishop Purcell, Bishop of Cincinnati, in late November 1841. For 10 days he labored to unite the people who were struggling over liturgical matters. John Neumann later became the Bishop of Philadelphia. He is a Roman catholic Saint, canonized in 1977.

The peoples of the two parishes in which he served join in a mission given by Redemptorist Father Ray Collins, C.Ss.R., asking the continued blessing of St. John Neumann.

Fr. Collins is the Director of the National Shrine of St. John Neumann within the Parish of St. Peter the Apostle in Philadelphia. The Mission will incorporate the life of Bishop and St. John Neumann into the lives of our parishioners. Visitors are welcome. Today's mission is 176 years after Fr. Neumann's time with us in Portage County.



St. John Neumann, C.Ss.R.
4th Bishop of Philadelphia

Mission Schedule St. Joseph and St. Peter of the Field

Wednesday, May 24th:

@ St. Joseph

Rosary by Catholic War Vets	6:30 PM
Liturgy and First Mission Talk	7:00 PM
Sacrament of Reconciliation after Service with Fr. Collins	

Thursday, May 25th:

@ St. Joseph

Liturgy (especially for school children)	8:30 AM
Communal Confession Service	1:00 PM
Children and Adults	
Liturgy and Second Mission Talk	7:00 PM
Reception in Gaudete Hall following	

Friday, May 26th:

@ St. Peter of the Fields

Sacrament of Reconciliation	6:00 PM
Byzantine Liturgy and Third Mission Talk	7:00 PM
Reception following	