

MASSES OF THE WEEK

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 21, 2008

- 9:00 am Ginny Emmrich
- 11:00 am Lewis & Jeannette Allen
- 7:00 pm For the Parishioners

MONDAY SEPTEMBER 22, 2008

- 8:00 am David Cliff
- 9:00 am William J. Hahn

TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 23, 2008

- 8:00 am Laura Conrad
- 9:00 am Steph Turner

WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 24, 2008

- 8:00 am Patricia Caldone
- 9:00 am Mary Silbernagel

THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 25, 2008

- 8:00 am Schmolt & Sanzere families
- 9:00 am John W. Zimmerman

4 – 6 pm EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 26, 2008

- 8:00 am Helen Pruckler
- 9:00 am Maria Catanzaro

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 27, 2008

- 8:00 am Ed Bergen
- 3 - 4 pm **CONFESSIONS**
- 4:30 pm Hal Franke – 80th Birthday

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 28, 2008

- 9:00 am Lewis & Jeannette Allen
- 11:00 am Chris Hater
- 7:00 pm For the Parishioners

**St. Lawrence is Thinking of You
WESTERN HILLS RETIREMENT VILLAGE:**

Mary Catherine Dittrich, Donald Jostworth

ARCHBISHOP LEIBOLD HOME:

Irma Hornback

BAYLEY PLACE: Ruth Jean Boschert,

Joan Kramer, Ted Saupe, William Weidner

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941-6777**

**PLEASE NOTIFY US AT THE RECTORY WHEN:
A family member is hospitalized or when a family
member is homebound and would like to receive Holy
Communion and/or the Sacrament of Penance.**

SERVERS

September 27/28

- 4:30 pm C Sunderman, H Dolan
- 9:00 am C Moore, J Bolen
- 11:00 am Z Bauer, R Murphy
- 7:00 pm J Junker, R Harbin

LECTORS

September 27/28

- 4:30 pm C Manegold
- 9:00 am B Kessling
- 11:00 am C Lageman
- 7:00 pm J Goines

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

September 27/28

- 4:30 pm *R Strack*, J Mueller, R Mueller, E Prater
- 9:00 am *L Kessling*, B Bedel, J Remke, S Remke
- 11:00 am *N Lageman*, J Hay, K Brannon, K Brannon
- 7:00 pm *C Bauer*, J Goines, T Aufermann, D Shore

***Please be sure to stop in the sacristy before Mass to let
Father know you are present. Thank you!**

OFFERING

SEPTEMBER 14, 2008

\$6,067.98

Thank you for your generosity!

Vocation View: God calls people at different times and in various ways. You're never too old or too late to give your life to God. Generosity is His hallmark.

Thought for the Day: "It was the Lord who put into my mind to sail from here to the Indies. There is no question that the inspiration was from the Holy Spirit, because He comforted me with rays of marvelous illumination from the Holy Scriptures, encouraging me continually to press forward. No one should fear to undertake any task in the name of our Savior, if it is just and if the intention is purely for His holy service."

Christopher Columbus

Rest in peace: Please pray for the repose of the souls of Eileen Aurbrey, Charlotte Gels and Loretta Roark.

THE LAURENTIAN

BINGO

Sunday workers: please report at 11:30 AM

Tuesday workers: please report at 5:30 PM

Parents of the students listed below are asked to work the following Bingo:

Sunday, September 21: N Jeannet, J Nguyen, T Phan

Tuesday, September 23: J Bolen, R Harbin

Sunday, September 28: N Thomas L Wolf

Tuesday, September 30: E Hicks, S Hines

Seton High School: will hold their annual Alumnae Walk on Sunday, October 5th. Registration begins at 9am. Mass is at 9:30am and the walk will be at 10:30am. This year, Seton will honor all alums with two or more generations of Seton graduates in their family. Legacy pins will be presented to those graduates following Mass. All alumnae, students, parents and friends are invited to the Walk. The cost is \$25.00 and includes a t-shirt and lunch. For those who do not want to walk, come and socialize in the Seton commons and enjoy lunch with friends. Campus tours will be available. For information call Ceil Lundy at 471-2600, ext. 210. Forms are available at www.setoncincinnati.org

Panther Athletic Complex: Open House is on Saturday, September 27, 2008 from 10am – 2pm. All are invited. It has been six years in the making and now it is time to unveil Elder's latest addition to its athletic facilities. The Butch Hubert Family Panther Athletic Complex or PAC includes facilities befitting an athletic program of such history and success as has been recorded by Elder High School. The complex includes a soccer/lacrosse field with seating for 800, an 8-lane track surrounding the soccer field, a baseball field with dugouts and batting cages, and five PURPLE tennis courts. All venues are lighted for evening competitions. The PAC is located at 1915 Quebec Rd. just down from the corner of Glenway and Warsaw Avenues.

Altar Servers: Boys or girls, fifth to eighth grade, who wish to begin serving as Altar Servers are invited to a training session on Tuesday, September 23, 2008 from 4:30 pm – 6pm in the church. You must be a baptized catholic member of the parish. To reserve a spot please call the rectory no later than Monday, September 22nd. This is intended for new servers and it is required in order to be added to the list of servers for our parish.

Spaghetti Dinner: San Antonio Church, Queen City Ave. & White Street is having a spaghetti dinner on Sunday, September 21, 2008, from 11:00am – 7:00pm. Cost is \$8.00 for adults and \$4.00 for children.

From the Pastor

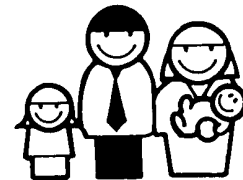
'IKE' STRIKES- LIGHTS OUT: What an ordeal we've all been through. It is good to see everyone. I'm sure many of you sustained wind damage. Let's keep each other in our prayers. Hopefully, by the time you read this, everyone's power has been restored. The main steeple sustained significant wind damage; a hole six foot high and four feet wide. Also, shingles were blown off of the church roof. We lost one of four great maple trees in front of the rectory, as well.

Hopefully, insurance will cover most of the repair cost. We may, however, have to pay the deductible. I will keep you posted.

BINGO FLASH: St. Lawrence Bingo is crucial to keeping St. Lawrence School open. Again, this week I am appealing to you and to everyone who attends Mass here at St. Lawrence, to patronize our bingo. Please come and play a little. Bingo is Sunday afternoon at 1:30pm and Tuesday evening at 7pm. The Parish Center is smoke free, air-conditioned and there are plenty of refreshments.

RCIA: The program for people converting to the Catholic faith (RCIA), or perhaps only learning more about the beliefs and practices of Catholics, will start Tuesday September 30th at 6pm. If you know anyone interested in becoming Catholic, please encourage them to call the rectory at 921-0328 to register for RCIA classes.

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING: A short course on Natural Family Planning (NFP) will start at St. Lawrence Church on Wednesday, October 8th at 7pm. NFP is safe and healthy, effective, and the only morally acceptable form of family planning. NFP International offers this course. For registration and information, contact John or Sheila Kippley at 661-7396. Engaged and married couples: protect your health; walk with Jesus, and save money.



Blessing of the Animals: In celebration of the Feast Day of St. Francis there will be a blessing of animals at Mercy Franciscan at West Park on October 4th at 10:30am. Registration is from 10am – 10:30am. The ceremony will include a blessing by Brother Scott Obrecht, OFM. Each animal will receive a certificate of blessing and treats for both pet and pet owners. To register your pet(s) by October 1st, or if you have any questions call 451-8900.

Call of the King Conference: Looking for something proactive that you can do to support the priesthood and vocations? The Vocation Office of the Archdiocese of Cincinnati is hosting the inaugural Call of the King Conference on September 21, 2008, from 7pm – 8:30pm at the Our Lady of the Holy Spirit Center, 5440 Moeller Ave. in Norwood, Ohio. The conference is free and open to all and introduces the St. Michael Prayer Warriors apostolate, and features Fr. Anthony Brausch, faculty member at Mount St. Mary's Seminary, speaking on personal holiness as an avenue of renewal in the Church. To register, or for more information, call the Vocation Office at 421-3131 or www.cincinnati vocations.org/stmichaelprayerwarriors.php