

Third Sunday of Lent

March 4, 2018

MASSES OF THE WEEK

SUNDAY, MARCH 4, 2018

- 9:00 am Mary Ann Gausling (d)
11:00 am Connie Zimmerman (d)
7:00 pm For the Parishioners

MONDAY, MARCH 5, 2018

- 8:30 am Tim Tierney

TUESDAY, MARCH 6, 2018

- 8:30 am Helen Miller (d)

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7, 2018

- 8:30 am Beverly Prost (d)

THURSDAY, MARCH 8, 2018

- 8:30 am Marie Axt (d)

3pm-5pm EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

FRIDAY, MARCH 9, 2018

- 8:30 am Bill Ginley (d)
5:00 pm Stations of the Cross with Mass
George Koch (d)

SATURDAY, MARCH 10, 2018

- 8:30 am Francis & Dolores Mahle (d)
4:30 pm Joan Janszen (d)

SUNDAY, MARCH 11, 2018

- 9:00 am Scott Gausling (d)
11:00 am Margaret Panno (d)
7:00 pm For the parishioners

St. Lawrence is thinking of you!

WELLINGTON: Margie Frommeyer

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SUPPORT OUR PARISH!**

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471-9507
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PLEASE NOTIFY US AT THE RECTORY when a family member is hospitalized or homebound and would like to receive Holy Communion and/or the Sacrament of Penance.

SERVERS

March 10/11

- 4:30 pm Sarah Haverbusch, Joseph Haverbusch
9:00 am Jerry Gonnella
11:00 am Emma Lageman
7:00 pm Eden Caine

LECTORS

March 10/11

- 4:30 pm Sr. Helen Julia
9:00 am Lois Kessling
11:00 am Karen Prater
7:00 pm Sue Aufermann

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

March 10/11

- 4:30 pm Clete Hoffman, Chris Hornback,
TBD, TBD
9:00 am Bob Kessling, John Remke,
Stacey Remke, Matt Schneider
11:00 am Antonietta DiCorpo, Nick Lageman,
Phuong T. Phan, Rose Weinheimer
7:00 pm Shirley Hoffman, Matt Thompson

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

OFFERING

FEBRUARY 25, 2018

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Thank You for your Generosity!

Vocation View: "We proclaim Christ, Crucified!" (1 Cor. 1:23) In the Crucifixion, we find strength. In the Cross is our triumph. Rest in His mercy that you might proclaim Him in all that you say and do.

Thought for the Day: God has not placed perfection in the multiplicity of acts we perform to please Him, but only in the way we perform them, which is simply to do the little we do according to our vocation, in love, by love and for love.

Saint Francis de Sales

The Laurentian

BINGO

Sunday workers: please report at 11:30am
Tuesday workers: please report at 5:30pm
Parents of the students listed below are asked to work the following Bingo:

SUNDAY, MARCH 4: Josua Ngioe,
Jenifer Perez, Eli Phelps

TUESDAY, MARCH 6: Daema Ramirez,
Liliana Reynoso, Ke'Mariya Simpson

SUNDAY, MARCH 11: Dakota Thomas,
Caitlyn Webb, Janelle Bail-Ramirez

TUESDAY, MARCH 13: Konner Delaney,
Johnny Endress, Leonardo Gonzalez

LENTEN REGULATIONS

Ash Wednesday (February 14) and Good Friday (March 30) are days of fast and abstinence. All other Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence only. Abstinence means no eating of meat (beast or fowl) and is to be observed by all Catholics 14 years of age and older on Ash Wednesday and on all the Fridays of Lent.

Fasting means limiting oneself to one full meal on a given fast day. Catholics who are 18 years of age but not yet 59 are obliged to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. On fast days, two additional smaller meals are permitted if necessary to maintain strength. However, two smaller meals together may not equal one full meal. Moreover, eating solid foods between meals on fast days is not permitted.

Pregnancy Center West annual spring luncheon is on Saturday, March 10, 2018 at the Farm on Anderson Ferry Road. A wonderful tradition for more than 30 years! Enjoy a wonderful chicken dinner lunch buffet with door prizes, a can raffle and other great opportunities. Doors open at 11am. Lunch begins at 12 noon. Cost is \$25 per person. Limited seating, generally sells out, so reserve soon! For more information contact Bill Schinkal at 244-5700 or bill@pc-west.org, or make reservations online at www.pc-west.org and go to the Events Calendar for March. Thank you!

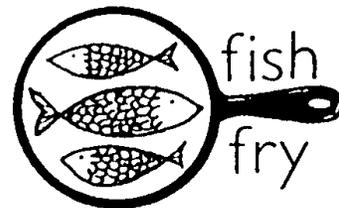


MASS and WAY of the CROSS EUCHARISTIC ADORATION, CONFESSIONS

On the Friday afternoons of Lent, we will have the Way of the Cross beginning at 5:00pm followed immediately by Holy Mass.

Please remember also, that Eucharistic Adoration is every Thursday afternoon from 3-5pm. During Eucharistic Adoration, I hear confessions from 3:15pm-3:45pm. Confessions are regularly scheduled on Saturday afternoons from 3pm-4pm.

Holy Mass, the Way of the Cross, Eucharistic Adoration, Confession, fasting, abstinence & almsgiving are excellent ways to prepare our souls to celebrate the Lord's resurrection at Easter.



Fish Fry: Our Fish Fry is held on all the Fridays of Lent, including Good Friday, from 4pm-7pm in Heritage Hall (under the church). Dine in, drive-thru or carry out.

St. Lawrence Athletic Association presents "Luck of the Eagles" formerly Ham Dinger on March 17 from 8pm-12am. All you can drink green beer, craft beer, split-the-pot, basket raffles, major award "Pot of Gold", poker and instants. Must be 21 or older. March Madness games will be shown. \$3/pre-sale and \$5/at the door. For tickets call Chris Caine at 276-6681 or the rectory at 921-0328. Follow us on Facebook @StLawrenceAA.

Sisters of Charity Mother Margaret Hall has openings for full time and part time RN's, LPN's and STNA's on second and third shift. If interested, call 347-5732, fax your resume to 451-4882 or complete an application at Human Resources, 5900 Delhi Road, Mount St. Joseph, Ohio 45051.

Elder High School: In order to give students more flexibility in scheduling classes, Elder will offer two first-time credit courses this summer. Courses offered are: **Health:** This is an online course for students currently in grades 8-11. Students may work at their own pace provided they submit completed assignments by the due dates. Students will meet at Elder for approximately one hour on Monday, June 11 at 7:45am to meet teachers and obtain class information and the textbook. They will also meet at Elder approximately one hour on Friday, June 29 at 7:45am to take the final test and return the textbook. Student must have access to email and a computer to complete this course. Fee is \$300. **Physical Education:** This PE course is open to students currently in grades 8-11. The PE course may require students to make arrangements for transportation to off campus sites and pay a minimal additional fee for a few activities. The majority of activities will take place on Elder's campus. The course will meet daily from 7:45am-11:30am from June 11-June 29. Fee for the course is \$300.

Students who successfully pass these courses would receive high school credit. The acceptance of the credit is determined by the individual high school.

Registration starts Monday, March 19. Students should submit a completed registration form and the tuition fee to the main office at Elder. For more information including the registration form can be obtained at Elder or online at www.elderhs.org, or contact Dr. Patrick Tucker at 921-3744 or tuckerpc@elderhs.net.

Holy Hour: Come to a Holy Hour for Vocations to the Priesthood at Mount St. Mary's Seminary, located at the St. Gregory the Great Chapel at Mt. St. Mary's Seminary, 6616 Beechmont Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio 45230 on Sunday, March 11, 2018 from 5pm-6pm. Your prayers help to support and grow vocations!

Come and See Retreat at Glenmary Home Missioners on Friday March 23 through Sunday, March 25. This is an opportunity for men ages 18-45. Visit with Glenmary Priests and Brothers, travel to a Glenmary mission and share in community prayer and reflection. Meet other men that are discerning their call. For more information about the mission experience or travel arrangements contact Brother David Henley, Glenmary Office at 881-7494 or visit vocation@glenmary.org.

St. Joseph Church in North Bend, Ohio is holding a Reverse Raffle in conjunction with their St. Paddy's Party fundraising event. The Reverse Raffle tickets cost \$50 each. The winner will be drawn at the St. Paddy's Party on Saturday, March 10, 2018 at the Miami Township Community Center, and the winner need not be present to win. Buying four Reverse Raffle tickets entitles the purchaser to one additional raffle ticket or two free tickets to the party! The prize awarded will be based on the amount of tickets sold. The winner will take half of the pot. Tickets for the party may also be purchased separately for \$30 per person. Tickets can be purchased by contacting St. Joseph Church parish office at 941-3661. For more information, please visit St. Joseph's website at www.stjosephnorthbend.com or Facebook page at www.facebook.com/StJosephNorthBend.

The Cincinnati Men's Conference is back. It will be held on Saturday, April 28, 2018 at Taft Theatre, 317 E. 5th St. in downtown Cincinnati, from 9am-4pm. The theme of the 2018 conference is "Be A Man! What It Means To Be A True Christian Man In Today's Society." Featured speakers will be Fr. Mitch Pacwa, Fr. Larry Richards, Coach Jerry Faust and Most Reverend Archbishop Dennis Schnurr as the main celebrant. Celebrity Keynote speaker will be UFC Heavyweight World Champ & Hall of Famer, Bas Rutten, world renowned Mixed Martial Artist & TV Personality. From UFC to UFC, "Ultimate Fighting Champion to Ultimate Faithful Catholic"

Doors open at 7:30am. Lunch is included with your ticket purchase. Tickets begin at \$25 plus fees. For more information or to purchase tickets go to www.CincinnatiMensConference.com. All men are welcome to attend, no matter what religious belief of where you are in your journey of faith.

Healing Service with Mass: Experience Jesus' love at the Healing Service with Mass on Wednesday, March 7, 2018 at 7:30pm in Hilvert Center behind St. Ignatius Church, 5222 North Bend Road, Cincinnati, Ohio 45247. You can receive prayer for yourself or your loved ones. This service is sponsored by Lighthouse Renewal Center. For more information call 471-LITE (5483 or visit www.LRC1.org).

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Project Rachel is a Ministry of the Archdiocese of Cincinnati that serves anyone who has experienced a loss of a child due to abortion. There are a variety of ways persons can engage in this ministry for healing from a recent loss or a loss that occurred decades ago: one-on one conversation with a peer, priest or deacon, consultation with a priest (we can accommodate a need for consulting in Spanish), a day of reflection for anyone who has experienced loss (mother, grandparent, father, sibling, friend, etc.) support groups and retreats for mothers who lost their child due to abortion. For more information call the Project Rachel Help Line at 784-0531 or contact Noreen Wendeln at nwendeln@catholiccincinnati.org.

Elder Businessmen's Golf Outing: The 18th annual Elder Businessmen's Association golf outing is set to take place on Friday, May 11, 2018 at Grand Oak Golf Course. This important fundraising event assists graduating seniors in continuing their education beyond Elder. Cost is \$75 per golfer/\$300 per foursome and includes 18 holes of golf with cart and dinner. Shotgun start. Women are welcome. For any questions or to register contact event chairman Frank Panzeca '76 at 241-3111 (day) or 451-0458 (evening)

Sacred Heart Radio: Want to learn more about your Catholic faith while driving? Then tune your car radio to 740AM, Sacred Heart Catholic Radio. Listen to call-in and talk shows that examine our faith. Hear the rosary and daily Mass! For more information visit www.sacredheartradio.com.

An Exciting Renewal Experience for Lent and Easter. Do you want to know Christ more personally? New Life in the Spirit is a life-transforming experience where you will discover Christ's personal and unconditional love for YOU. Listen to dynamic teachings to help you experience Christ personally and the gifts of the Holy Spirit. This program will take place on 5 consecutive Wednesday evenings from March 21 – April 18 at 7pm-9pm at St. Ignatius Parish in Hilvert Center, 5222 North Bend Road, Cincinnati, Ohio 45247. Suggested donation \$5. For more information or to register call Mary Ann at 378-4431 or Lighthouse Renewal Center at 471-5483. Visit our website at www.LRC1.org.

ST. LAWRENCE MONTHLY SOCIAL

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7th, is the date for our monthly Social! Hopefully, the weather will cooperate and we will surely be able to get together this month. We are having the following menu:

**ROAST BEEF/GRAVY
MASHED POTATOES
GREEN BEANS with HAM/ONIONS
TOSSED SALAD/DRESSINGS
ROLLS/BUTTER
MANDARIN ORANGES/CHOCOLATE CHIP
COOKIES
COFFEE/ICED TEA/SOFT DRINKS**

Dinner will be served at **NOON** and then followed by games of bingo, split-the-pot, instant and a raffle. Perhaps you will be lucky enough to win a door prize. All who celebrated their birthdays in January or February plus those who celebrate a birthday in March will receive candy treats!

The Cincinnati Belles will telephone "regulars" to verify that you will be attending the March 7th Social. Those who do not come regularly to the Socials are very welcome to attend and it is only necessary to make a dinner reservation. Dinner counts for all "regulars" and those wishing to make reservations should be telephoned to Sister Helen Julia at 244-7376 **BY TUESDAY MORNING, MARCH 6th**, so an accurate dinner count can be given to our caterer, A Taste of Class

We look forward to seeing everyone again, so circle the date on your calendar: **WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7th!** See you then!

