

**MASSES OF THE WEEK**

**SUNDAY AUGUST 10, 2008**

- 9:00 am Joan Bedel
- 11:00 am Pat Wissinger
- 7:00 pm For the Parishioners

**MONDAY AUGUST 11, 2008**

- 8:00 am Dr. Rhodelia H. Gabriel
- 9:00 am Rebecca Leubheim

**TUESDAY AUGUST 12, 2008**

- 8:00 am Schmolt & Sanzere Families
- 9:00 am Claire Hartling

**WEDNESDAY AUGUST 13, 2008**

- 8:00 am Daniel L. Finley
- 9:00 am Don & Carol Schumacher

**THURSDAY AUGUST 14, 2008**

- 8:00 am Elmer Langenbrunner
- 9:00 am Charles (Bud) Meyer
- 3:00 pm Don & Eileen Meyers
- 4 - 6 pm **EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**

**FRIDAY AUGUST 15, 2008**

- 8:00 am Laurie Hinkel
- 11:00 am Lisa Limerick
- 7:00 pm Adele Martini

**SATURDAY AUGUST 16, 2008**

- 8:00 am Helen Moosbrugger
- 3 - 4 pm **CONFESSIONS**
- 4:30 pm Earl Michels, Sr.

**SUNDAY AUGUST 17, 2008**

- 9:00 am Barbara Ball
- 11:00 am Lee Schmolt
- 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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**SERVERS**

**August 16/17**

- 4:30 pm C Ernst, N Hornback
- 9:00 am M Becker, S Perry
- 11:00 am J Bauer, K Bauer
- 7:00 pm D Mittermeier, J Goines

**LECTORS**

**August 16/17**

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

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

**August 16/17**

- 4:30 pm R Strack, R Mueller, E Prater, G Rogers
- 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, S Aufermann, D Shore

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

**OFFERING**

**AUGUST 3, 2008 \$7,722.24**

***Thank you for your generosity!***

***Vocation View:*** Jesus is with us to help us do what may seem impossible. Have faith that you will not sink. Listen for His voice of encouragement.

***Thought For The Day:*** Let us not doubt whether Mary will hear us when we address our prayers to her. It is in her delight to exercise her powerful influence with God in obtaining for us whatever graces we stand in need of.

*St. Alphonsus Liguori*



**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.**

# THE LAURENTIAN

## BINGO WORKERS

**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, August 10:** L Huckaby, J Johns, J Key, C Moore, S Perry

**Tuesday, August 12:** I Kirksey, J May, C McAmis, J Moses, A Rosen, H Rouse, B Studt

**Sunday, August 17:** J Phelps, D Applegate, M Becker, A Calvopina, S Finke, T Waters

**Tuesday, August 19:** J Antoni, F Brabham, R Coy, S Davis, H Dolan, B Wenstrup

**Women's Connection:** The "Making the Connection" Breakfast, on August 12<sup>th</sup> in the Schaeper Center, Elder High School has been canceled. Any questions please contact Aimee Shinkle at 471-HOPE (4673), ext. 13 or [ashinkle@thewomensconnection.org](mailto:ashinkle@thewomensconnection.org)

**Carpenter Needed:** St Lawrence After School Care Program is in need of a carpenter to volunteer some time to build two sets of cubbies to hold the children's book bags and coats. All materials will be provided. If you are interested in helping, please call Mrs. Joesting at 921-4996.

**Festival:** St William festival will take place on August 15<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup>, and 17<sup>th</sup>. Plenty of fun. Booths for everyone. For more information call St. William at 921-0247.

**Athenaeum of Ohio:** Lay Pastoral Ministry Program Day of Reflection Saturday, August 23rd, from 9:30am to 3:00pm. Come join us for a day of prayer, reflection and learning on how God speaks to us, and the many ways we can "listen in" to what God is saying. The day includes lecture, discussion, personal reflection time and Q&A. This day is a perfect opportunity for Christ Renews His Parish and Bible Study groups, parish staff members, catechists, students and all those who love scripture to say: "Speak Lord, for your servant is listening". Cost is \$45.00 per person, and includes continental breakfast and lunch. For more information or to RSVP call the Lay Pastoral Ministry Program Office at 231-1200.

**Seton High School:** Calling all girls in 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> grade who are interested in dancing and having fun! The Seton Twinkle dance class is a basic ballet/jazz technique class that doesn't require any prior dance experience. The girls learn new dance routines to perform in 2009 and make many new friends! The classes are held on Fridays from 5pm-6:15pm at Seton High School beginning Friday, August 29<sup>th</sup> and ending with a performance at Celebrate Seton on March 1<sup>st</sup>. The fee is \$20.

**Got Skills?** If you are 55 or older and want to help a young child, the Catholic Charities Senior Corps has an opportunity for you. They are looking for tutors, mentors, character coaches and foster grandparents. Travel reimbursement and, in some cases, a stipend to help with expenses is offered. Sign up now for the new school year. Call Senior Corps at 241-7745.

## *From the Pastor*

You may have noticed the school being prepared for painting. We received a "heads up" from the Health Dept. that we needed to paint it as soon as possible. So, to finish the job before school starts, we have to go ahead now.

Painting the school will cost about \$51,000.00. (We are using a small reserve fund to pay the bill but that amount has to be repaid to the reserve fund). It's been eighteen years since the school was last painted.

At the same time, the school is also in need of new windows. It's been about thirty years since windows were last installed. The approximate cost is \$151,000.00. Together that is a total of \$202,000.00. A committee is being put together to help with the fund raising for these projects. More information of how you can help will be forthcoming.

It's vital that we keep St. Lawrence School well maintained so as to continue the tradition of excellent catholic education in Price Hill. I hope you will do what you can to support this worthy cause. I am putting the success of the fundraising efforts in the hands of our Blessed Mother. Please join me in praying one Hail Mary everyday until we have succeeded in raising the money necessary for our school and the kids.

**Solemnity of the Assumption of Mary** is on Friday, August 15<sup>th</sup>. This will be a Holy Day of Obligation. Masses of obligation are on Thursday, August 14<sup>th</sup> at 3:00pm and on Friday, August 15<sup>th</sup> at 8:00am, 11:00am and 7:00pm.

### **1750<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of St. Lawrence-Martyr**

St. Lawrence who was born in Spain in the third century became one of the seven deacons of Rome and eventually archdeacon to Pope St. Sixtus II. He was the distributor of alms, and "keeper of the treasures of the church" in a time when Christianity was outlawed. After Pope St. Sixtus II was condemned to death, he predicted that St. Lawrence would be martyred three days after him.

The pope and the other six deacons were beheaded, leaving Lawrence as the ranking Church official in Rome. In preparation, of his death St. Lawrence sold many of the church's possessions and donated the money to the poor.

When the prefect of Rome heard of this, he demanded from Lawrence all the treasures of the Church.

St. Lawrence presented to the prefect all the blind, crippled, poor and orphans and said, "Here are the true treasures of the Church; they convert our alms into imperishable treasure for us". Furious, the prefect sentenced St. Lawrence to be tied to a red-hot griddle and burned to death.

St Lawrence not only bore the agony, but in the middle of his torment instructed the executioner to turn him over, as he was broiled enough on the one side. It is said that when the remains of St. Stephen the Protomartyr were moved to the tomb of St. Lawrence, St Lawrence's lifeless body moved aside and extended a hand of welcome to the body of St. Stephen.

**Feast day of St. Lawrence:** August 10<sup>th</sup>

**Name Meaning:** The laurel crowned one

**Patron Saint of:** Cooks, school children, seminarians, deacons, armourers, archivists, cutlers, comics, students, vintners and poor people.