

**MASSES OF THE WEEK**

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 28, 2008**

9:00 am Ruth Stevens  
 11:00 am Herb Bill, Sr. and Family  
 7:00 pm For the Parishioners

**MONDAY, DECEMBER 29, 2008**

8:00 am Sr. Rosemary Honerkamp  
 9:00 am Barb Rayman

**TUESDAY, DECEMBER 30, 2008**

8:00 am Charles Iles  
 9:00 am Edward & Shirleerae Robbe

**WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 31, 2008**

8:00 am Daniel J. Finley  
 9:00 am Loch Family Special Intention

**SOLEMNITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY  
 THE MOTHER OF GOD – OBLIGATION MASSES**

4:30 pm Charlie Voss

**THURSDAY, JANUARY 1, 2009**

9:00 am Laura Conrad  
 11:00 am John and Pat Junker & Family  
 7:00 pm **NO MASS**

**FRIDAY, JANUARY 2, 2009**

8:00 am Rev. Stanley Bertke  
 9:00 am Betty Cutlip

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 3, 2009**

8:00 am Charlie Catanzaro Special Intention  
 3 - 4 pm **CONFESSIONS**  
 4:30 pm Charlie Voss

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 4, 2009**

9:00 am Claire Hartling  
 11:00 am Elizabeth Riddle  
 7:00 pm For the Parishioners

**St. Lawrence is Thinking of You**

**RIVERVIEW RETIREMENT COMMUNITY:**

Agnes Kayser, Martha Krumpelbeck

**THREE RIVERS NURSING CENTER:**

Anna Mae Jostworth, Thelma Ruhstaller

**WESTERN HILLS RETIREMENT VILLAGE:**

Mary Catherine Dittrich, Donald Jostworth

**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.

PLACE YOUR AD IN OUR BULLETIN AND  
 SUPPORT OUR PARISH!

**CORCORAN & HARNIST**

Heating and Air Conditioning

1457 Harrison Avenue

at Western Hills Viaduct

513-921-2227

Greg Harnist and Tim Corcoran

**SERVERS**

**January 3/4**

4:30 pm C Ernst, C Ernst  
 9:00 am J Bolen, S Perry  
 11:00 am R Murphy, Z Bauer  
 7:00 pm J Junker, M Becker

**LECTORS**

**January 3/4**

4:30 pm E Prater  
 9:00 am L Kessling  
 11:00 am R Becker  
 7:00 pm A Backs

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

**January 3/4**

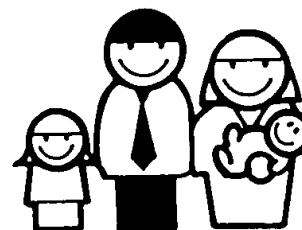
4:30 pm *L Kreimer*, C Hoffman, G Rogers,  
 N Rogers  
 9:00 am *B Kessling*, J Remke, S Remke,  
 B Bedel  
 11:00 am *J Hay*, J Mauntel, K Brannon,  
 K Brannon  
 7:00 pm *C Bauer*, T Aufermann, C Balz,  
 J Goines

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

**OFFERING**

**Offering total unavailable at time of publication**

**Vocation View:** Yours may not be THE Holy Family, but you are still a holy family. Share an expression of gratitude for the gift of your family today. Pray for the wholeness and holiness for all members of the family of God.



**Thought for the Day:** Children are the living messages we send to a time we will not see.

*-Neil Postman*

# 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, December 28:** M Baldrick, A Davis, N Dudley, M Gongora, J Haverbusch

**Tuesday, December 30:** C Jamison, M Kassahun, H Kunkemoeller, A Landers, M Ledonne.

**Sunday, January 4:** T Nguyen, H Paxton, M Petty, G Sickman, M Stewart.

**Tuesday, January 6:** R Coy, J Dunajcik, I Kirksey, J May, J Moses.

*Happy New Year!*

**St. Lawrence Knights of Columbus:** is sponsoring a New Year's Eve Dance on December 31, 2008 from 8:00pm to 1:00am in the Parish Center. Cost is \$65 per couple. Price includes music, beer, soft drinks, set-ups, and dinner. Come ring in the New Year with friends and family. Contact Karen or Jay Brannon at 921-8791. All proceeds go to the Paint and Pane Fund.

**IRS Tax Statement:** If you would like a statement of your 2008 donations, please fill in the box below and drop in the collection basket.

IRS TAX STATEMENT  
2008 CONTRIBUTIONS

Name \_\_\_\_\_

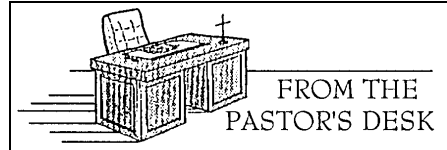
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### A Gift For the Baby Jesus

St. Lawrence will once again collect for the Pregnancy Center West. The manger is set up in front of the Nativity Scene. We will be collecting new and used baby items (baby clothes, diapers, blankets, bottles, food, etc.) that the Center will be giving to those in need. Again, thank you for helping God's little ones.



**January 1<sup>st</sup>** is the Solemnity of The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of God. It is a Holy Day of Obligation. The Mass Schedule for the holy day is Wednesday, December 31, 4:30 p.m., Thursday, January 1, 9:00 and 11:00 a.m. No 7:00 p.m. Mass on New Years Day.

**2009 Sunday Collection Envelopes:** We are changing the manner in which we will distribute your weekly contribution envelopes. Beginning with your January 2009 envelopes, these will be mailed to you each month. In December, you will receive your January, 2009 contribution envelopes through the mail. All contribution envelopes will then be mailed on a monthly basis. Our Finance Council recommended this new procedure because this method of distributing contribution envelopes has proven to be more convenient and successful.

**New Years Eve Dance:** Please see the bulletin announcement regarding our New Years Eve Dance. I hope you'll make plans to attend. It will be a great time and will benefit the Paint and Pane Fund.

**Eucharistic Adoration** will resume January 8<sup>th</sup>, 2009.

**Marriage Encounter:** Schedule some time to get away together and make your good marriage GREAT! It makes the perfect Christmas gift to each other! The next Marriage Encounter weekends in this area are February 6 – 8, 2009 at the Comfort Inn in Erlanger, KY and March 20 – 22, 2009 at the Dayton Airport Hotel. Weekends fill up quickly. For more information call Keith & Lori Maurmeier at 1-800-547-1251 code 00 or visit [www.esharing.org](http://www.esharing.org)

