

MASSES OF THE WEEK

SUNDAY JANUARY 27, 2008

- 9:00 am Joshep Nguyen
- 11:00 am William H. Berra
- 7:00 pm For the Parishioners

MONDAY JANUARY 28, 2008

- 8:00 am Harry Gavin
- 9:00 am Lisa Limerick

TUESDAY JANUARY 29, 2008

- 8:00 am Marie Axt
- 9:00 am Bob Bokenkotter

WEDNESDAY JANUARY 30, 2008

- 8:00 am Rev. Stanley Bertke
- 9:00 am Mike Malone

THURSDAY JANUARY 31, 2008

- 8:00 am Larry Brunner
- 9:00 am Robert (Bob) Gutzwiller

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 1, 2008

- 8:00 am Neal Aquino
- 9:00 am Rita Bill

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 2, 2008

- 8:00 am Lisa Lehmkuhl
- 4:30 pm Jerry Schwager

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 3, 2008

- 9:00 am RAS
- 11:00 am Charles Iles
- 7:00 pm For the Parishioners

St. Lawrence is Thinking of You

HILLEBRAND NURSING CENTER:

Arthur Roeck

LIBERTY NURSING CENTER OF RIVERSIDE:

George Koch

MERCY FRANCISCAN AT WEST PARK:

Rosemary Hartling, Alice Helton

PLACE YOUR AD IN OUR BULLETIN AND
SUPPORT OUR PARISH!

Angel's Touch
NURSING CARE
Home Care Specialists

Bonnie Perrino-Badinghaus

3619 Harrison Ave.

661-4111

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

February 2/3

- 4:30 pm C. Ernst, J. Bedel
- 9:00 am T. Waters, A. Sunderman
- 11:00 am J. Schlachter, J. Dunajcik
- 7:00 pm H. Rouse, J. Goines

LECTORS

February 2/3

- 4:30 pm C. Manegold
- 9:00 am J. Gonnella
- 11:00 am C. Lageman
- 7:00 pm S. Aufermann

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

February 2/3

- 4:30 pm R. Strack, L. Kreimer, C. Hoffman, M. Bedel
- 9:00 am B. Kessling, L. Kessling, M. Brannon, K. Brannon
- 11:00 am M. Guethlein, M. Wagner, J. Godbey, N. Lageman
- 7:00 pm T. Hoang, T. Florea, S. Harbin, D. Shore

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

OFFERING

January 20, 2008

\$6,325.59

Thank you for your generosity!

Vocation View: If you were Peter or Andrew, James or John, would you be able to follow Jesus with abandon? Do not let anything hold you back.

(Matthew 4:12-23)

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY: Whatever you can do, or dream you can, begin it. Boldness has genius, power and magic in it.

Johann Wolfgang von Goethe



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, JANUARY 27: D. Martini, J. Nieporte, L. Pham, B. Ruhstaller

Tuesday, JANUARY 29: K. Fricke, B. Gierse, J. Handorf, J. Harrison

Sunday, FEBRUARY 3: J. Finke, S. Hall, L. Hargrove

Tuesday, FEBRUARY 5: K. Alexander, T. Bacon, M. Bryant, M. Clayton

FREE TAX PREPARATION: Santa Maria, Elder High School, National City, United Way, and various organizations in the Price Hill area have teamed up to reach out to our neighbors, offering FREE tax preparation and, *if they qualify*, access to the Earned Income Tax Credit. All tax returns prepared at these FREE sites will be e-filed and returns will be received within 10-15 days. The volunteer tax preparers are all trained and IRS certified. For more information please call 2-1-1.

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING: NFP

instruction will be offered by NFP International the second Wednesdays of the month at 7:00 p.m. in the Assembly Hall 2. The course consists of three meetings. A fee of \$70 covers all materials. Please phone John or Sheila Kippley at 661-7396 for registration and any further information. NFP is safe, healthy, effective and good for Christian marriages, and morally right.

I THIRST, THE CRUCIFIXION STORY: You are invited to an evening you will not forget, a family concert event for Lent. Share the power and the passion, **Tatiana in Concert**, Wednesday, February 13, at 7 p.m., Our Lady of the Visitation Church.

LAS VEGAS NIGHT: St. Lawrence Annual Las Vegas night will be held Saturday, February 2, 2008 from 8:00 p.m. - 12:00 a.m. in the St. Lawrence Parish Center sponsored by St. Lawrence Scout Troops. Pre-sale tickets are \$1; \$5 at the door. Call 921-0328 or 941-1756 for tickets.

From the Pastor

I want to share with you one of the ten challenges to the Pro Life movement made by Fr. Tom Euteneuer, President of Human Life International for your reflection.

“If we really wish to beat the abortion culture we have to mature as a movement. Thirty-five years of the same strategies and ideas have not gained us the victory we seek because the fight against the most pervasive spiritual evil that has ever entered the world can only be won on God’s terms. The pro-life movement has invested more in political and cultural change than in spiritual change. Let us not be afraid to fight Goliath’s weapons of mass destruction with the faith of David who came against the giant ‘in the name of the Lord of Hosts.’ ” (1 Sam 17:45)

LENT begins February 6th this year. During Lent I am adding additional times for confessions: Monday through Friday 7:30 - 8:00 a.m., (approx.) 8:25 – 8:45 a.m. And, Sundays (approx.) 9:45 – 10:45 a.m. Also, there will be an extra mass on Ash Wednesday at 5:00 p.m. Please see Lenten Regulations below.

LENTEN REGULATIONS

Ash Wednesday (February 6) and Good Friday (March 21) are days of fast and abstinence only. All other Fridays are days of abstinence only. The Law of Abstinence pertains to all Catholics from 18 years of age to their 59th birthday. Abstinence means no meat. Fasting means one full meal a day or two lesser meals not to equal a full meal.

PURCELL MARIAN MONTE CARLO NIGHT: Will take place on Saturday, February 2 at Purcell Marian High School, 2935 Hackberry Street, Alumni Hall from 7 p.m. to midnight. Mass will be held for volunteers and all interested at PMHS Chapel at 5:30 p.m. preceding the event. Cost is \$10.00 per person and includes 2 drink/food tickets and games of chance. Proceeds benefit Purcell Marian High School Athletic Department. For more information call Tom Stickley, Athletic Director at 513-487-3122.