

**MASSES OF THE WEEK**

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 2009**

9:00 am Jean Loftus  
 11:00 am Anthony Vu  
 7:00 pm For the Parishioners

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2009**

8:00 am Elmer Langenbrunner  
 9:00 am Betty Cutlip

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2009**

8:00 am Don Driehaus  
 9:00 am Mary Ann Bokenkotter Luckman

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2009**

8:00 am Margaret Ducheny  
 9:00 am Bob Burger – Special Intention

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 2009**

8:00 am Daniel J. Finley  
 9:00 am Christopher Hater  
 4 – 6 pm **EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2009**

8:00 am Rosella Robinson  
 9:00 am Joseph Freel

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 2009**

8:00 am Paul Stryker  
 3 - 4 pm **CONFESSIONS**  
 4:30 pm Elmer Brinker

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2009**

9:00 am Larry Re  
 11:00 am Joseph Fettig  
 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, Virginia Zwick

**PLEASE CONSIDER INCLUDING**

**ST. LAWRENCE CHURCH IN YOUR WILL.**

PLACE YOUR AD IN OUR BULLETIN AND  
 SUPPORT OUR PARISH!

**PRICE HILL CHILI**  
 Orders to go – Coneys – Chili  
 Sandwiches – Breakfast  
 Open Sundays – 7am – 3pm

**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**

**February 14/15**

4:30 pm M Rogers, M Wagner  
 9:00 am J Bolen, S Perry  
 11:00 am J Moses, J Antoni  
 7:00 pm C Feldman, C Ernst

**LECTORS**

**February 14/15**

4:30 pm C Manegold  
 9:00 am L Kessler  
 11:00 am R Becker  
 7:00 pm A Backs

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

**February 14/15**

4:30 pm *L Kreimer*, C Hoffman, G Rogers,  
 N Rogers  
 9:00 am *B Kessler*, J Remke, S Remke,  
 B Bedel  
 11:00 am *J Hay*, J Mauntel, K Brannon,  
 K Brannon  
 7:00 pm *J Loechel*, C Bauer, C Balz,  
 D Shore

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

**OFFERING**

**FEBRUARY 1, 2009**

**\$7,212.14**

*Thank You For Your Generosity!*

Vocation View: Proclaiming the gospel is our Christian mission. Jesus proclaimed the Good News and healed because He was rooted in prayer. Take Jesus' lead – pray!

Thought For The Day: God in His infinite goodness sometimes sees fit to test our courage and love by depriving us of the things which it seems to us would be advantageous to our souls; and if He finds us earnest in their pursuit, yet humble, tranquil and resigned to do without them if He wishes us to, He will give us more blessings than we should have had in the possession of what we craved.

-- St. Philip Neri



# 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, February 8:** D Brown, B Endale, R Fricke, K Hoffman, T Jaeger

**Tuesday, February 10** A Harrison, A Madden, C Miller, A Moorman, J Trester:

**Sunday, February 15:** K Kilburn, S McEntush, C Moore, S Perry, P Phan

**Tuesday: February 17:** P Whyte, E Williams, J McAfee, J Rinear

## LENTEN REGULATIONS

Ash Wednesday (February 25<sup>th</sup>) and Good Friday (April 10<sup>th</sup>) are days of fast and abstinence. All other Fridays are days of abstinence only. The Law of Abstinence pertains to all Catholics from 18 years of age to their 59<sup>th</sup> birthday. Abstinence means no meat. Fasting means one full meal a day or two lesser meals not to equal a full meal.

**Concert:** You are invited to an evening you will not forget, a family concert event for Lent. Share the power and the passion. On Thursday, February 26<sup>th</sup> at 7pm singer/songwriter Tajci (Tai-Chee) will perform "I Thirst – The Crucifixion Story" at St. Simon the Apostle Parish, 825 Pontius Road – Delhi, Cincinnati. For more information call Maya at 374-4524 or e-mail [maya@idobelieve.com](mailto:maya@idobelieve.com)

**Cast your Nets:** A high-energy event drawing together youth from various regions of the Archdiocese of Cincinnati will be held on Sunday, February 22, 2009, at Good Shepherd Catholic Church, 8815 E. Kemper Rd. The program begins at 5:30pm and includes Mass with Fr. Kyle Schnippel and other activities for the youth to engage their faith. Register online at [www.catholiccincinnati.org/youthmin/CYN/](http://www.catholiccincinnati.org/youthmin/CYN/)

**Seton High School** Latin students and **SPARC** are offering a class in Latin called **MAKING LATIN FUN** for students in grades 4 – 8, from February 14<sup>th</sup> to March 21<sup>st</sup> from 9:30am to 11:30am, at Seton High School. Cost is \$30. We encourage pre-registration so that we have enough materials ready; however, the form and fee may be brought the first day of class. For more information and/or registration contact: Sister Mary Dolores (Seton Latin Teacher) at 471-2600.



**Eucharistic Adoration:** Remember, Eucharistic Adoration is every Thursday from 4pm – 6pm.

**Priestly and Religious Vocations:** Over the next three years, our vocation goal here at St. Lawrence is to get five seminarians as well as five women religious vocations. We need prayer and encouragement of our young so that they don't get lost in worldly pursuits and fail to hear the voice of the Lord calling them. So in that effort, please pray for vocations and send me or Sister Helen Julia names, addresses and phone numbers of young men and women you think would make good priests or religious.

**LENT** begins February 25<sup>th</sup> this year. During Lent, I am adding additional times for confessions: Monday through Friday, before the 8 o'clock Mass, 7:30am – 7:55am and after the 8 o'clock Mass, 8:25am – 8:50am.

**College Day:** Monday, February 16, 2009, the Pontifical College Josephinum is hosting their annual "College Day," which provides high school men who are interested in pursuing the priesthood as a college seminarian an opportunity to visit the seminary program, meet current seminarians, and have their questions answered about college seminary programs. Visit [www.cincinnati vocations.org/frm021609.php](http://www.cincinnati vocations.org/frm021609.php) or call the Vocations Office at 421-3131-ext. 2890

**Elder High School's** 33<sup>rd</sup> Annual Sports Stag will be held on Thursday, February 12, 2009, 5:30pm-cocktails, 7pm-dinner. The speaker will be UC's head football coach, Brian Kelly. Reserved tables of 8 are available. Regular tickets - \$50, Patron ticket - \$125. Contact the Elder Alumni Office for tickets at 921-3744.

**Worldwide Marriage Encounter:** Take some time during this cold winter to warm up your marriage! Schedule a weekend away, just for the two of you! Make your good marriage warmer and happier with a Marriage Encounter Weekend! The next Marriage Encounter weekends in this area are March 20-22 and May 15-17. Weekends fill up quickly, so a prompt response is encouraged. For reservations call Keith or Lori Maurmeier at 1-800-547-1251 Code 00 or visit online at [www.essharing.org](http://www.essharing.org)