

Fifth Sunday of Easter

May 22, 2011

MASSES OF THE WEEK

SUNDAY, MAY 22, 2011

- 9:00 am Mary Vilaro (d)
11:00 am Kimberly Jo Renken (d)
7:00 pm For the Parishioners

MONDAY, MAY 23, 2011

- 8:00 am Marguerite Gehrum-Hodgman (d0)
9:00 am Jerry & Jackie Schwager (d0)

TUESDAY, MAY 24, 2011

- 8:00 am Sydney Wittich (d)
9:00 am Thomas Braun (d)

WEDNESDAY, MAY 25, 2011

- 8:00 am Don Honerkamp (d)
9:00 am Mike, Mimi & Maria Finnegan

THURSDAY, MAY 26, 2011

Philip Neri, priest

- 8:00 am Virginia Dink (d)
9:00 am Matt James (d)
3pm – 5pm EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

FRIDAY, MAY 27, 2011

- 8:00 am Hammons-Honerkamp family (d)
9:00 am Msgr. Francis Xavier Merkel, 50th anniv.

SATURDAY MAY 28, 2011

- 8:00 am Charlie & Liz Schehl-Drucker (d)
3pm – 4pm CONFESSIONS
4:30 pm Doris Zeiser (d)

SUNDAY, MAY 29, 2011

- 9:00 am Marcia Owens (d)
11:00 am Herbert L. Bill, Sr. (d)
7:00 pm For the Parishioners

St. Lawrence is Thinking of You

BAYLEY PLACE: Ruth Jean Boschert, Ida Krupp, Florence (Babe) Lott, William Weidner

MERCY FRANCISCAN AT WEST PARK: Clara Eichhold, Alice Helton, Eileen Meyers

MOUNTAINCREST NURSING CENTER: Betty Haass, Tommy Martino

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SERVERS

May 28/29

- 4:30 pm C Sunderman, S Sunderman
9:00 am S Perry, J Perry
11:00 am P Phan, T Dao
7:00 pm E Sweet, M Sweet

LECTORS

May 28/29

- 4:30 pm C Manegold
9:00 am J Gonnella
11:00 am A Backs
7:00 pm N Thompson

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

May 28/29

- 4:30 pm R Strack, S Hoffman,
G Rogers, N Rogers
9:00 am L Kreimer, M Jones,
S Jones, T Waters
11:00 am N Lageman, J Grimm,
E Prater, M Wagner
7:00 pm M Thompson

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

OFFERING

MAY 15, 2011	\$8,089.58
EDUC. FUND APPEAL 5/15/11	\$170.00
APPEAL FUND TOTAL	\$73,504.73

Thank you for your generosity!

Vocation View: 'In my Father's house, there are many dwelling places.' Prepare a place in the Father's mansion by living His promises here on earth. (John 14:2)

Thought for the Day: To be able to discover the actual will of the Lord in our lives always involves the following: a receptive listening to the Word of God and the Church, fervent and constant prayer, recourse to a wise spiritual guide, and a faithful discernment of the gifts and talents given by God, as well as the diverse social and historic situations in which one lives. Pope John Paul II

Rest in Peace: Please pray for the repose of the soul of George Moore.

Bingo

Sunday workers: please report at 11:30

Tuesday workers: please report at 5:30

Parents of the students listed below are asked to work the following Bingo:

SUNDAY: MAY 22: M Archila, A Berduo, A Blake, Z Conway

TUESDAY, MAY 24: E Gongora, E Lageman, A Petty, A Morales-Borrallas

SUNDAY, MAY 29: J Terrell, N Thomas, J Thompson

TUESDAY, MAY 31: M Vu, N Young, I Velasquez-Solis

The St. Lawrence Athletic Association annual golf outing will be Saturday, September 24, 2011 at Neumann Golf Course. Additional information will follow in future bulletins. Any questions can be directed to Jay Brannon at 921-8791.



Golf Classic: The George Knittle Memorial Bayley Golf Classic will be held on Monday, May 23, 2011 at Western Hills Country Club. There will be an 18-hole golf tournament, Scramble Format/2 net best ball. There will be a Bayley Ball Drop. 250 numbered golf balls will be dropped on the green. Prizes will be given depending on the balls location to the hole. There will also be a raffle for a wheelbarrow full of booze and a split the pot. The tickets will be \$5 donation or 6 chances for \$25. For more information contact Kathy Baker at 347-4040 or e-mail her at kathy.baker@bayleylelife.org.

Paddle Party Quarter Auction: This is a monthly charity auction held on the 4th Tuesday of every month, by the Seton Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary at 4109 W. 8th St. Doors open at 6:30pm. Bidding starts at 7pm. Paddles for bidding are \$1 each. Also, there will be split-the-pot and a basket raffle. What to Bring – Lots of quarters, friends, non-perishable food item for a free raffle ticket. Wear green and get a free raffle ticket. Snacks and soft drinks will be available to purchase. If you have any questions, call Cathy Lanzillotta at 482-0963 or via e-mail at cam2097@hotmail.com

from the Pastor's Desk

Thank You and Congratulations! On Sunday, May 22, after the 11:00am Mass we would like to honor and thank Miss Janet Breitner and Miss Rita Galinari, who have dedicated so much of their lives to teaching our children here at St. Lawrence. Please join us for a reception after Mass in Heritage Hall.

Major Award Early Bird Drawing: SOS! We're on our way to the Summer of Success! **YOU** are making this possible by your generosity and efforts in buying/selling the Major Award tickets. As our special "thank you," we are going to have an extra \$100 Early Bird drawing on Memorial Day weekend, May 29, as well as the published drawing on Father's Day, June 19. You are fantastic.

So, please keep up the good work of buying and selling tickets. The Major Award Raffle is the largest source of income for the festival. Its success is vital. **THANK YOU!!**

Eucharistic Adoration Remember, Eucharistic Adoration is every Thursday from 3:00pm to 5:00pm.

Festival: St. Lawrence Summer Festival will be July 8, 9, and 10. Please make plans to attend. Please buy/sell as many chances as you can. If you need more chances please call the rectory at 921-0328.

First Holy Communion: Congratulations!!!! to our nineteen second graders who made their First Holy Communion on Sunday, May 8. The Mass was beautiful and the kids were precious. May they stay as close to Jesus throughout their lifetimes as they are today. Special thanks to Miss Pat and Mrs. Mowery for the tremendous job they did in preparing the children.

Seton and Elder will be once again offering their Laffalot Summer Camps for ages 6-12 years old the weeks of June 13 (at Elder) and June 20 (at Seton) Come see what the "laff-ter" is all about. For more information please visit the Laffalot website at www.laffalotcamps.com or call Pat at 313-2076.

ST. LAWRENCE SUMMER FESTIVAL

JULY 8TH, 9TH, 10TH

Volunteers: Plans are under way for the 2011 Summer Festival. Anyone interested in working please call Theresa Murphy at 921-0266 or e-mail at festival@stlawrenceparish.org.

Variety Pull Down Booth: We welcome all craft items, afghans, plush animals, toys, figurines, and household items, etc. This was a very successful booth last summer and your generous donations greatly benefit St. Lawrence. Items can be dropped off at the rectory or call 921-0328 to make arrangements for pick-ups.

A Tisket a Tasket, the Festival needs your basket! The 7th annual Basket Bonanza Booth is accepting donations of theme baskets, or items, which may be put together to make a theme basket for the summer festival. This booth has been very successful in the past and with your help we hope to carry on that tradition. If you would like to donate any items, gift certificates or monetary gifts, please bring them to the rectory or call Enid Sunderman at 921-6102. Thank you for your generosity!

Major Award Tickets: The next Early Bird Drawing is on Memorial Day weekend, May 29. If you have not received any tickets or would like more, please let us know. Remember, tickets may be returned at any time. You may mail them back, drop them in the collection basket or deliver them in person to the rectory. Tickets are \$1.00 each or six for \$5.00. If you have any questions please contact Major Award Chairpersons: Anne Feldman at 921-3609 or Beth Shore at 244-7635.



Elder High School: “Mountain Train Rides in West Virginia” trip will be from June 14-17, 2011 –2 nights lodging in Snowshoe, West Virginia and 1 night lodging in Beckley, West Virginia. The trip will have 3 breakfasts, 3 dinners, 2 train rides, a tram into coal mine, a show and a casino. The cost will be \$649.00 per person. Russ Brose, alumni of Elder High School generously donates the net proceeds of this once a year trip to the Elder Alumni Scholarship Fund. If you need more information or have any questions or want to make reservations please call Russ at Brose Tours at 347-9433 or Marilyn Brunemann at 471-7741.



Seton High School takes science seriously! Students can take part in one of two science camps hosted at Seton this summer.

Camp Dragonfly – Students will learn the basics of science through music, drama, creative writing, movement and dance. Open to all students in 3rd, 4th and 5th grade. This camp will be held June 20 to June 24, from 9am – 12pm. The cost is \$60/per student. For more information, please contact Janet Kallenberger at JKallenberger@stdomimic-k-8.org or Aandriacco@fuse.net or call 471-7741, ext. 481.

Investigation Seton: Experience what it is like to be a forensic expert! The camp is open to all 5th, 6th and 7th grade students. The camp will be held July 11 to July 15 from 1pm - 3pm. The cost is \$60 per/student. For more information, please contact Mary Mullen at 471-2600. A registration form is available at www.setoncincinnati.org

Seton High School: Students from all across greater Cincinnati are invited to Seton and Elder on June 22 for the schools’ annual dance. This year, seventh and eighth graders will be able to check out their neighborhood during the Seton-Elder Block Party. From hula-hoop and dance contests to free throw advice from Elder’s varsity basketball coach. There will be something for everyone at the Block Party.

The festivities begin at 7:00pm in the Seton gym and multi-purpose room. Don’t forget to bring your permission slip. The slip is available at www.setoncincinnati.org or www.elderhs.org.



St. Lawrence School: Some parishioners have expressed interest in helping with some of the needs of the school. The teachers have compiled a wish list of things that would improve their classrooms. If you are interested in providing any of these items, please contact Mrs. Joesting, school principal at 921-4996.

- Small refrigerator-----Primary Faculty Room
- 24-2” white binders-----Learning for Life class
- Clorox wipes-----Kindergarten
- Easel-----Preschool-----\$70
- 24 or 48 piece puzzles-----Preschool
- 4-sets of 6 dry erase boards--Grade 2-----\$25
- Paper cutter-----Grade 2-----\$45
- Colored copy paper-----All grades
- White copy paper-----All grades
- Art resource books-----Grade 4-----\$70
- Carpet-----Library-----\$3000
- Electric pencil sharpeners--Grades K, 2,3,4,5,6
\$75 each---X-Acto Model #1612
- Timer---Kindergarten---\$13@reallygoodstuff.com

Thank You to the parishioners for all of their help volunteering at this years Fish Fry. We appreciate your help very much. Hope to see you next year.



Cross the Bridge for Life: on Sunday, June 5, at 2:00 o'clock the Cross the Bridge for Life will begin at the World Peace Bell Center, 421 Monmouth St., Newport, KY. COME CELEBRATE THE SANCTITY OF LIFE!! Ringing of the World Peace Bell will start the Cross the Bridge for Life across the Purple People Bridge. FREE Cross the Bridge T-shirts available through your Local Life Coalition Partners and at the event. Free face painting, balloons, clowns and food. Complimentary picnic following the walk. For updates or more information visit our website at www.crossthebridgeforlife.com.

FESTIVALS

Our Lady of Victory festival will be today, Sunday, May 22 from 3pm – 10:30pm.

St. Dominic Church: We welcome you to our family festival (with a special area for little children) on Friday, May 27, from 6pm-11pm, Saturday, May 28, from 5pm-11pm and Sunday, May 29, from 3pm-11pm. Major Award: 1st prize is \$25,000; 2nd prize \$1000, and 3rd prize is \$500. Tickets are \$25 and ONLY 2500 will be sold. On Saturday, May 28, from 5pm-7:30pm there will be a spaghetti dinner and on Sunday, May 29, there will be a chicken dinner from 4pm-7pm. (both in air conditioned O'Connor Hall). Entertainment nightly: “Bird Finder”-Friday, “Tressler Comet”-Saturday and “Tommy & Hub”-Sunday. Handicap parking is provided, as well as continuous shuttle service off Delhi Pike behind Huntington Bank and the old Central Hardware lot next to KFC



Worldwide Marriage Encounter: How much time is set-aside for you and your spouse? Renew the excitement in your marriage! Let your spouse know how much you love him/her! Schedule a weekend away – just for the two of you to grow closer to each other and the Lord!! Make your good marriage warmer and happier with a Marriage Encounter Weekend! The next Marriage Encounter weekends in this area are July 15-17, 2011 at the Holiday Inn Eastgate and September 16-18, 2011 at the Cliffview Retreat Center in Danville, KY. Weekends fill up quickly, so a prompt response is encouraged to avoid the waiting list. For more details or reservations call Dave & Jan Stockleman at 1-800-547-1251 Code 00, or on the web at www.esharing.org.

Old St. Mary's Church Pregnancy Center needs volunteers on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday from 1:00pm – 5:00pm to pass out baby items and answer phones. If interested, please call Terri at 513-929-9165. Old St. Mary's Church is located at 123 13th St., Cincinnati, Ohio 45202.