

## MASSES OF THE WEEK

### SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 2012

- 9:00 am Bill & Laura Bedinghaus (d)
- 11:00 am Robert & Ida Krupp (d)
- Robert Krupp, Jr. (d)
- 7:00 pm For the Parishioners

### MONDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2012

Saint Therese of the Child Jesus, virgin, doctor of the Church

- 8:00 am Special Intention-Gutzwiller
- 9:00 am Dan Liming (L)

### TUESDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2012

The Holy Guardian Angels

- 8:00 am Ed & Steve Hammons (d)
- 9:00 am Estelle Feldman (d)

### WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2012

- 8:00 am Ailiene Casada (d)
- 9:00 am Pilgrims

### THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2012

Saint Francis of Assisi

- 8:00 am Loraine Dornbush (d)
- 9:00 am Charles Delp (d)
- 3pm – 5pm EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2012

- 8:00 am John & Helen Schehl-Flynn (d)
- 9:00 am Theresa C. Calme (d)

### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2012

- 8:00 am Marian Clark (d)
- 3pm – 4pm CONFESSIONS
- 4:30 pm Tom & Marian Loch-35<sup>th</sup> Wedd. Anniv.

### SUNDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2012

- 9:00 am Ginny Emmrich (d)
- 11:00 am Rosalie Lehmkuhl (d)
- 7:00 pm For the Parishioners

## St. Lawrence is Thinking of You

### MERCY FRANCISCAN AT WEST PARK:

Eileen Meyers

### MOUNTAINCREST NURSING CENTER:

Tommy Martino

### WESTERN HILLS RETIREMENT VILLAGE:

Mary Catherine Dittrich, Donald Jostworth

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## SERVERS

### October 6/7

- 4:30 pm N McGinnis, B Rouse
- 9:00 am O Hand, J Perry
- 11:00 am V Nguyen, M Ledonne
- 7:00 pm E Sweet, M Sweet

## LECTORS

### October 6/7

- 4:30 pm Sr. Helen Julia
- 9:00 am J Gonnella
- 11:00 am C Lageman
- 7:00 pm A Backs

## EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

### October 6/7

- 4:30 pm L Kreimer, G Rogers, R Strack, S Sunderman
- 9:00 am J Brannon, K Brannon, M Jones, S Jones
- 11:00 am J Hay, S Hines, N Hornback, M Redrow
- 7:00 pm S Hoffman, M Thompson

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

## OFFERING

SEPTEMBER 23, 2012	\$8,080.22
BOILER FUND	\$3,815.00

## Thank you for your generosity!

Vocation View: The Law of the Lord exists to guide and direct our steps here on earth so that we might arrive safely at the palaces of heaven. Embrace the Law with your whole heart, mind and soul that you might also grow in love with the Law-giver. Psalm 19.

Thought for the Day: The devil strains every nerve to secure the souls that belong to Christ. We should not grudge our toil in wresting them from Satan and giving them back to God.

St Sebastian



# The Laurentian

## 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, SEPTEMBER 30:** A Smith, L Sipple,  
S Schulz, G Rinear

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 2:** B Boeh, M Gongora, I Harper,  
J Hicks

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 7:** M Kassahun, A Landers,  
Y Morales, H Paxton

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 9** T Thomas, H Thompson,  
I Blust, N Dudley

**Elder High School** is having their *tech-reach* classes during the months of October through December on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6-8pm in the Schaeper Center. Each course costs from \$35 - \$40. Send payment with completed registration form, which can be found at [www.tech-reach.org](http://www.tech-reach.org), to 3900 Vincent Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio 45205 or call 921-3744 ext. 3636, Make checks payable to *tech-reach*.

**Elder High School:** Join us for Grade School Night on Tuesday, October 2, 2012 at the Panther Athletic Complex! Elder soccer will be facing Badin at 7:15pm. Students dressed in their grade school spiritwear or team shirts get in free. All are invited! Please visit [www.elderhs.org](http://www.elderhs.org) for more information. The PAC (Panther Athletic Complex) is located at 1915 Quebec Road.

**Elder High School:** Join us for Grade School and Band Night at the "Pit"! Elder will battle Winton Woods at 7:30pm on October 12. Grade School Bands will be playing at half time. Students dressed in grade school spiritwear or team shirts get in free! There will be a t-shirt giveaway to the first 300 grade school students who check in at the registration booth near the bookstore.

**Elder High School:** Open House for prospective students and families will be on Sunday, October 28, 2012 from noon-2:30pm. Tours of the school will begin in the volleyball/wrestling gym. You can also tour the Panther Athletic Complex, 1915 Quebec Rd., from 1:00pm – 3:30pm. For more information, please visit our website at [www.elderhs.org](http://www.elderhs.org) or call 921-3744.



**The Boiler Fund:** Last week's collection for the Boiler Fund **was an amazing** \$3,815.00. God bless you!!! As I mentioned in last week's bulletin, the main boiler for the church and school is no longer operational. We only have the back up boiler, which is 37 years old. Our Buildings and Properties Committee decided on a steel boiler, which will cost \$50,000. The new boiler will be twice as efficient (85%) as the old boiler. It should pay for itself in 5 to 6 years. We are taking up a 2<sup>nd</sup> collection for the Boiler Fund. I wish to thank you very, very much for whatever you are able to give.

**Paint and Pane Fund:** I know it's been awhile since filling you in on the Paint and Pane Fund. So far, you have given \$165,756.57. I can't thank you enough!!!! The cost to paint the school was \$51,000 which has been paid. We have paid for and have installed 130 windows. All of the classrooms have the new windows with shades. For those who sponsored a window the name plates have been mounted on the window frame. They look great!!! We still have about 59 windows to go. Again, from the bottom of my heart I thank you. I will keep you posted.

**Cincinnati Catholic Alumni (Singles) Club:** will be having their First Friday home Mass on October 5 at 7:30pm, dinner will follow. Reservations are required. Call Linda at 741-4251.

**Elder High School** will be hosting a financial aid information session on Wednesday, October 17 from 7 – 8pm in the Schaeper Center. Please contact J.P. Owens, Director of Admissions and Marketing, at 921-3744 ext. 3417 or [owens.j@elderhs.org](mailto:owens.j@elderhs.org) for details.

**Elder High School Glee Club:** There will be a parents, friends & alumni get-together at Holy Grail at the Banks, 161 Joe Nuxhall Way, on Thursday, October 4, 2012 from 5:30pm to 8:30pm. The cost is \$20 per person and includes: 2 drink tickets for domestic beer, wine and soft drinks. Sing favorite Glee Club songs with the Singing Panthers. Raffle tickets for prizes will be sold. For more information, please e-mail Bonnie at [dhueneman@cinci.rr.com](mailto:dhueneman@cinci.rr.com).

**St. Lawrence Athletic Association** is seeking nominees for open board positions. The following board positions are open: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Board Member and Parish Council Representative. The Board is responsible for developing/managing the athletic programs for the school. We can't continue to offer the quality programs without VOLUNTEERS!! Nominations will be accepted now through October 17 and may be submitted by calling Michelle McGinnis at 504-2503 or emailing at [mcginnism@olv-school.org](mailto:mcginnism@olv-school.org).

**A Franciscan Come and See Weekend:** A come and see weekend for single, Catholic women 18-45 interested in learning more about Franciscan religious life on Saturday, October 6 and Sunday, October 7 at the convent of the Sisters of St. Francis, Oldenburg, IN. The convent is located 3 miles off I-74W at exit 149. There is no fee. Come, meet the sisters, pray with them, learn about their lives and experience community. For more info or to register, contact Sr. Joan Miller, P.O. Box 100, Oldenburg, IN 47036; phone: 812-455-9348; e-mail: [joanm@oldenburgosf.com](mailto:joanm@oldenburgosf.com). Come, meet the sisters, pray with us and experience community.

**St. Dominic School**, Class of 1962, is having a 50-year reunion on November 24, 2012. Invitations have been sent. We are still looking for several classmates, including: Bill Loughrey, Mike Ruwan, Ruth Eckstein, James Morgan, Kathy Clark, David Clarke, Gerald Reinhart, Mary Murphy, Jim Macke, Barb Huth, and Sharon Lampe. Please contact Margie Waltner Hammitt at 574-1056 or by e-mail [frogferd@fuse.net](mailto:frogferd@fuse.net) if you have information on these classmates.



**Rachel Vineyard's Weekend Retreat:** "Lost a child through abortion. A Rachel's Vineyard weekend retreat for spiritual and emotional healing after abortion will be held in Cincinnati on October 19-21 at the Jesuit Spiritual Center in Milford. The confidential, supportive retreat is for anyone hurting inside from abortion. For more information call Peggy at 588-0080, e-mail at [pfeirstine@cinci.rr.com](mailto:pfeirstine@cinci.rr.com), visit [www.rachelsvineyard.org](http://www.rachelsvineyard.org) or call 1-800-HOPE-4-ME.

**Worldwide Marriage Encounter:** The seasons are changing. Make a great change in your marriage! There are only two weekends left in 2012 to take your marriage and make it GREAT with a Marriage Encounter Weekend! Make time for your relationship! Rekindle those feelings of yesterday. The mission of Worldwide Marriage Encounter is to proclaim the value of Marriage and Holy Orders in the Church and in the world. The next Marriage Encounter weekends in this area are October 19-21, 2012 at the Holy Spirit Center in Norwood, OH and November 9-11, 2012 at the Maria Stein Retreat Center in Maria Stein, OH. 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](http://www.esharing.org).



**St. Joseph Church**, 25 E. Harrison Ave., North Bend, OH 45052, Ladies Society will be having a holiday raffle and craft sale on Saturday, October 6, 2012, 9am – 2pm. First prize will be \$300 and other raffle prizes. There will be numerous craft items for holiday gift giving. Raffle tickets are \$1.00 each or 6 tickets for \$5.00. If you have any questions, please call 941-3661.

**A "Life in the Spirit"** seminar will be held on Wednesday evenings from now until October 24, 2012 from 7:00pm to 9:00pm at St. Ignatius Church in Hilvert Center (5222 North Bend Rd., at I-74). Listen to dynamic teachings that will help you to encounter Jesus personally and experience the powerful love of the Holy Spirit. For more information call Lighthouse Community at 513-471-LITE (5483). Suggested donation: \$5. Sponsored by Lighthouse Renewal Center.

**Franciscan Monastery of St. Clare:** Join us on Saturday, October 6, 2012 for the 9<sup>th</sup> annual Run for the Nuns, supporting the Poor Clare Sisters of the Monastery of St. Clare, Cincinnati, OH. This family friendly 5K Run/Walk begins at 9am, preceded by a pet blessing and dog walk at 8:30am at Harbor Point, within Winton Woods, a Hamilton County Park on the north side of Cincinnati. For more information and registration details, go to [www.poorclarescincinnati.org/runForTheNuns.html](http://www.poorclarescincinnati.org/runForTheNuns.html)

## **The Laurentian**

**St. Lawrence Summer Festival:** The following dates have been scheduled for our 2013 summer festival: Friday, Saturday and Sunday, July 5, 6, & 7. Please mark these dates on your calendar and plan to attend.

**40 Days for Life** Worldwide Prayer Campaign will be held from now until November 4, 2012. Vigils will be held in two locations: in front of Planned Parenthood, 2314 Auburn Ave. and also at the Women's Med Center abortion facility, 11250 Lebanon Rd., Sharonville. Come and pray anytime, or sign up during the 40 days for specific hours to cover. Candlelight vigils will be at Planned Parenthood every Friday evening from 7pm – 8pm. Join us as we unite in prayer and the love of Christ to our community and to the youngest of our brothers and sisters in need. More than 550,000 Christians have united in prayer with the 40 days for life prayer campaigns throughout the world; hearts have been changed and lives have been saved from abortion. Families are welcome.

**Cincinnati Theology on Tap** is a speaker series for single or married young adults in their 20s and 30s that is hosted in a comfortable and casual location such as a restaurant or bar. Every Tuesday in October, you're invited to join other young adults from around Cincinnati. We'll gather at Martino's bar in Clifton 2618 Vine Street (on short Vine) from 7pm – 9pm, where you will hear dynamic speakers share their take on how the Catholic faith relates to topics of everyday life, from dating to voting. The series kicks off on October 2 when XU's Fr. Al Bischoff shares his thoughts on "Belief, Unbelief, and Prayer." The series will conclude with Archbishop Schnurr on the evening of October 30. Any questions contact Jenni at 541-1563 or e-mail at [jenni.stboniface@yahoo.com](mailto:jenni.stboniface@yahoo.com).

**Respect Life Fund:** Pope Benedict XVI, "speaking of the grave difficulties of our time, he calls us to authentic conversion and witness to charity so the Church might be the visible community of God's mercy." An opportunity to assist those in particular need, can be done through a donation to the Archdiocesan Respect Life Fund collection on October 6 & 7, offering assistance to those extending services to Pro-Life agencies in the 19 counties of the Archdiocese. You can also make donations on line at [www.catholiccincinnati.org/ministries-office/family-life/respect-life/respect-lifedonations/](http://www.catholiccincinnati.org/ministries-office/family-life/respect-life/respect-lifedonations/).

### **ST. LAWRENCE MONTHLY SOCIAL**

Please join us on **WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 3<sup>rd</sup>**, for our Autumn Social! The weather is cooler and it is a delightful time of the year to be out and about. You will enjoy conversations with great people and be served a tasty, catered dinner. The menu is:

**ROAST BEEF with GRAVY  
MASHED POTATOES  
CALIFORNIA MEDLEY  
TOSSED SALAD/DRESSINGS  
ROLLS/BUTTER  
DESSERT  
COFFEE/ICED TEA/ SOFT DRINKS  
HALLOWEEN TREAT FOR EVERYONE**

"Regulars" will receive telephone calls from our "Cincinnati Belles" to verify that you will be attending the October 3<sup>rd</sup> Social. We are always happy to welcome new faces, also! If you are not a "Regular" it is only necessary to call in a reservation for the dinner. All dinner counts for reservations and for our "Regulars" should be telephoned to Sister Helen Julia at 244-7376 by **MONDAY, OCTOBER 1<sup>st</sup>**, so that an accurate dinner count can be given to our caterer, A Taste of Class. Our dinner is followed by games of bingo and/or cards, door prizes, share-the-pot, instant and a great raffle. Those who celebrate a birthday in October receive a special treat. Since it's "Halloween month" wear your favorite costumes. Our afternoon is filled with all treats and no tricks. See you on **WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 3<sup>rd</sup>!**

**St. Lawrence Knights of Columbus** would like to thank all those who participated and/or supported our golf outing this past Saturday. Your generous support enables us to continue with our support of our parish, school, and community. The winner of the two Bengal tickets from our raffle was Sri Panguluri. Again from the bottom of our hearts, THANK YOU!

**Evening for Life:** Don't miss Cincinnati Right to Life's *Evening for Life*, Thursday, October 11 at the Kolping Center, 10235 Mill Road, Cincinnati, social 5:30pm, dinner and program 6:30pm. The gala will feature abortion survivor, Melissa Ohden, and Life Award recipient attorney, James Condit, Sr. The emcee will be Brian Patrick, Son Rise Morning Show, Sacred Heart Radio/EWTN; plus Archbishop Dennis Schnurr presenting the Invocation. Reserve online at [www.CincinnatiRighttoLife.org](http://www.CincinnatiRighttoLife.org) or call 728-7870.