

Easter Sunday

April 5, 2015

MASSES OF THE WEEK

SUNDAY, APRIL 5, 2015

- 9:00 am Maureen Stephenson (d)
11:00 am Jerome Sullivan (d)
7:00 pm NO MASS

MONDAY, APRIL 6, 2015

- 8:30 am Julie Niehoff (d)

TUESDAY, APRIL 7, 2015

- 8:30 am Kitty & Jim (L)

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8, 2015

- 8:30 am Pilgrims

THURSDAY, APRIL 9, 2015

- 8:30 am Carol Huber (d)
3pm-5pm EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

FRIDAY, APRIL 10, 2015

- 8:30 am Joe Mueller (d)

SATURDAY, APRIL 11, 2015

- 8:30 am Clarence Deitsch (L)
4:30 pm Roy Fife (d)

SUNDAY, APRIL 12, 2015

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

- 9:00 am Rosary Altar Society
11:00 am Bertha Gavin (d)
7:00 pm For the Parishioners

St. Lawrence is Thinking of You

ARCHBISHOP LEIBOLD HOME: Irma Hornback

BAYLEY PLACE: Rita Brinker

TRIPLE CREEK RETIREMENT COMMUNITY:

Mary Catherine Dittrich

WESTERN HILLS RETIREMENT VILLAGE:

Donald Jostworth, Mildred Weber

WEST PARK: Ernestine Huber

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SERVERS

April 11/12

- 4:30 pm C Sunderman
9:00 pm D Mittermeier, O Hand
11:00 am Y Morales, E Pitman
7:00 pm C Scully

LECTORS

April 11/12

- 4:30 pm G Rogers
9:00 am N Heitzman
11:00 am G Geisel
7:00 pm S Aufermann

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

April 11/12

- 4:30 pm C Hoffman, B Hornback,
L Kreimer, C Sunderman
9:00 am B Brannon, J Brannon,
B Kessler, L Kessler
11:00 am J Grimm, J Hay,
P Phan, E Prater
7:00 pm S Hoffman, M Thompson

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

OFFERING

MARCH 29, 2015

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Thank You for your Generosity!

Vocation View: The stone is rolled back, the tomb is empty! We are to go and tell the Good News. Rejoice in the power of the resurrection! Alleluia! (Mark 16: 1-8)

Thought for the Day: Don't give in to discouragement. If you are discouraged it is a sign of pride because it shows you trust in your own powers. Never bother about other people's opinions. Be obedient to truth. For with humble obedience, you will never be disturbed.

Rest in Peace: Please pray for the repose of the soul of Jeanne Leesman who died recently.

Christ
the Lord
is risen
today

alleluia

Bingo

Sunday workers: please report at 11:30am
Tuesday workers: please report at 5:30pm
Parents of the students listed below are asked to work the following Bingo:
SUNDAY: MARCH 29: S Endress, D Diaz-Jacinto, T Dennis
TUESDAY, MARCH 31: A DeLeon, R McKenzie-Corbett, J Abney
SUNDAY, APRIL 5: NO BINGO
TUESDAY, APRIL 7: A Barkley, J Hickey, R Hicks

Kroger Community Rewards: Help the St. Lawrence PTO. You can register your Kroger Plus Card. Registration must be updated every year between April 1 and April 30 for the St. Lawrence PTO to continue receiving benefits. Link your Kroger Plus Card to the St. Lawrence PTO and each time your card is swiped Kroger will donate a percentage of your total sales to us with no loss of your reward points. Simply go to www.kroger.com/communityrewards and enroll. Our ID # is 82070. Enrollment does have to be handled online. Thank you!

Seton High School's Amazing Race 2015:
Ready, Set, Go Green! 6th and 7th grade girls are invited to Seton on Friday, April 10, 2015 from 7:00pm-10:00pm. Race through Seton's halls with team building, academic challenges and creative problem-solving FUN! This event is free and includes pizza, a t-shirt, craft and team bandanas. To register go to www.setoncincinnati.org. Registration closes on Wednesday, April 8.

"For the Heart of It Cabaret" will be held on Saturday, April 25 from 7pm-10:30pm at St. William Church. Doors open at 6:30pm. Show begins at 8pm. Spectacular entertainment provided by local talent: Dave Allen and Maribeth Samoya & The Starlight Band. Seton & Elder Vocal Ensembles and Ventriloquist, Denny Baker. There will be live and silent auctions, basket raffles, split the pot and gift bags. Cost is \$20. Light snacks, beer, wine, soft drinks and one basket raffle chance are included. For reservations call Diana Peters at 451-1750 or at dianaqk@fuse.net Paid reservations are required. All seats are reserved.

from the Pastor's Desk

Easter Blessings!!! I want to wish each of you a very Happy and Glorious Easter.

First Holy Communion: First Holy Communion for our second graders at St. Lawrence will be at the 9 o'clock Mass on Sunday, April 19. This will not extend the time of Mass very much. I hope many of you will attend and help celebrate with them the receiving of their First Holy Communion.

Divine Mercy Sunday: The Divine Mercy Novena began on Good Friday, April 3 and continues through the Sunday after Easter, which is Divine Mercy Sunday, April 12. On Divine Mercy Sunday, we will have Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament and pray the Divine Mercy chaplet after the 11am Mass. I encourage you to be present for this devotion which takes about fifteen minutes.

Summer Festival: Please mark your calendar for the St. Lawrence Parish Festival. Our dates this year have been streamlined to Saturday and Sunday, July 11 & 12. More news to come!

One Faith, One Hope, One Love Campaign:
As you know, the One Faith, One Hope, One Love Capital Campaign covers these areas: Catholic Education, Fostering Vocations, Caring for Retired Diocesan Priests, Catholic Charities & Social Services and our own Local Parish priorities.
As our parish has progressed through the One Faith, One Hope, One Love campaign, I have highlighted particular portions of the campaign needs.
The Catholic Church is universal. But it is in our own local parish that each of us experiences our faith most directly and intimately. And just as our Archdiocese as a whole has needs, so too do the individual parishes. The campaign recognizes this with a \$26 million allocation to support local parish projects and programs. The future viability of parish life is a key component of the campaign. To help each parish, 20% of the funds raised up to the parish goal and 60% of funds raised beyond the parish goal are designated for use by the parish to address local capital needs.

Marriage Encounter: We would like to invite you to make a marriage Encounter weekend. The weekend helps struggling marriages and enriches good ones. It connects you to other couples that realize the value of a strong marriage and the importance of it to have a healthy culture. Please consider blessing your marriage this year by setting aside time for each other. The next Marriage Encounter weekends in this area for 2015 are April 17-19 and July 31- August 2 both at the Holiday Inn Eastgate in Cincinnati, OH, September 18-20 at the Holiday Inn Express in Georgetown, Ohio, October 16-18 at Our Lady of the Holy spirit Center in Norwood, OH and November 6-8 at Maria Stein Retreat Center in Maria Stein, OH. The mission of Worldwide Marriage Encounter is to proclaim the value of Marriage and Holy Order in the Church and in the world. Weekends fill up quickly, so a prompt response is encouraged to avoid the waiting list. For details or reservations call Dave & Jan Stockelman at 251-1940 or 1-800-547-1251 Code 00 or their e-mail at dj2378@fuse.net.



Elder Travel: Join the "Friends of Elder" for a trip to SOUTHERN ITALY/SICILY: October 15-26, 2015 (3,699/double pp air included with seventeen meals). Proceeds benefit Elder's general scholarship fund. For more information contact Norb Guetle '59 at 451-1227.

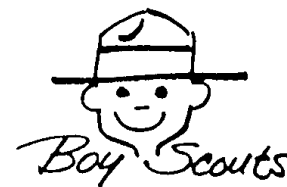


6th Annual Elder Family Walk: Elder High School alumni, family and friends are invited to enjoy a 5K walk through "Elder Country" followed by a grill-out and fun activities in the Pit at 3:00pm on Sunday, April 12, 2015. Cost is \$10/person or \$40/family. Proceeds benefit the Price Hill Historical Society Museum and Elder's general Scholarship fund. For more information and a registration form visit www.elderhs.org/Alumni?Alumni-Events.com.

Rosary Rally: On Sunday, May 17, 2015 at 1:30pm plan to celebrate the 10th annual Rosary Rally held at Elder High School's football stadium (the Pit). The celebration starts with a procession and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament as the center of our devotion. The recitation of the Holy Rosary, together with worship songs and prayers, along with a 60-foot helium filled balloon rosary make this gathering a memorable event. Annually nearly two thousand attendees come to this prayerful event. Your presence makes a difference and blesses all those attending. Local priests in our Archdiocese will lead us in prayer. In case of bad weather, we will move indoors to the basketball gymnasium. Any questions call Guy Langenbrunner at 763-0613 or Roger Glandorf at 251-7729. May God bless you!



Boy Scouts: The William Henry Harrison District of the Dan Beard Boy Scouts Council will be hosting an evening gathering for all Boy Scout Alumni on Tuesday, April 7, 2015 at the White Oak LaRosa's from 6pm-8pm. This event is open to all men over 18 years of age regardless of where you were a scout. For more information or to register visit www.new.danbeard.org/event.



Mary's Mantle Prayer Vigil for Life: Mary's Mantle Prayer Vigil for Life now holds services on the 5th Saturday of every month. (Services are already held on the other Saturdays). These services include an 8am Mass at Holy Name Church, 2422 Auburn Avenue, in Cincinnati, followed by a march to the Planned Parenthood Facility on Auburn Avenue for a Rosary Service and Benediction at Holy Name Church. All are invited. Please come and please pray for an end to abortion.

The Laurentian

Seton High School: Tickets are now available for the Seton-Elder Performing Arts Series production of the musical “THOROUGHLY MODERN MILLIE” on April 15, 17, 18 & 19, in the Seton Auditorium. The entire family will enjoy this wonderful production. This popular show is sure to be a sell-out. Performances times are: Wednesday, April 15, Friday, April 17, and Saturday, April 18 at 7pm and Sunday, April 19 at 3pm. The Wednesday, April 15 performance is \$9 with general seating. Tickets for all other performances are \$12 with reserved seating. For show tickets send checks payable to the Seton-Elder Performing Arts Series, 4124 Pleasure Dr., Cincinnati, OH 45205. Any questions call 251-3324 or e-mail sunderhausm@setoncincinnati.org.



Celebrating 100 years: St. Teresa of Avila, Overlook and Glenway Ave. is observing its centennial in 2016 and would like to kick off a year long celebration by inviting all alumni of the parish and school to join us at our parish festival, July 31, August 1 and 2, 2015. Please contact our Parish Office and give us an address or e-mail address so that we can contact you and keep you updated on this event and future centennial events of our parish family. For more information call the Parish Office at 921-9200 ext. 101.

Day of Reflection: Project Rachel is offering a day of reflection for others affected by the trauma of abortion and will be held on Saturday, April 11, 2015 in Fairfield, Ohio. The day will include prayer, witnesses and a healing service that includes the Sacrament of Reconciliation. A continental breakfast a light lunch will be provided. For specific times and location or to register please call the confidential hotline at 784-0531.

Monthly Holy Hour for Vocations – with prayerful music is held every second Thursday of the month at Our Lady of the Holy Spirit Center in Norwood, OH at 8:00pm. This event is sponsored by the Archdiocesan Office of Vocations and Children of Mary. For more information please e-mail at dschmitmeyer@catholiccincinnati.org or childrenofmary@juno.com.

Retrouvaille is a Catholic endorsed, confidential program to all faiths. It offers a chance to rediscover yourself and your spouse. Is your marriage hurting in any way? Has your marriage grown, cold, distant, unloving or uncaring? Then, please consider Retrouvaille – a program to help heal and renew marriages. Retrouvaille is for marriages that have lost some of their spark, for marriages having difficulties in communication and even those marriages on the edge of separation or divorce. Retrouvaille consists of one weekend, plus six follow-up sessions over approximately three months. The next program in Cincinnati begins April 17, 18, 19, 2015. For further information and registration call 793-6777, 800-470-2230 or 922-6045 or visit the website at www.cincyretrouvaille.org. Other weekends and locations are available. Please call for details.

Bowling League: A ten week adult/child bowling league is forming now at Western Bowl on Glenway Ave. The league starts on Sunday, April 12 at 3pm. Each week there will be 2 games, including shoes, for \$20 per week. Each team gets a bowling ball at the end of the league. For more information contact Western Bowl at 574-2222.



Come and See Weekend: The Sisters of the Precious Blood will host a Come and See weekend April 17-19 for women ages 18-44 who are interested in religious life. The event will be held at Salem Heights, 4500 Denlinger Road in Dayton. Topics include the vows, what life as a woman religious is about, the power of prayer and the reality of community in our life and ministry. Come and share with other women who are discerning life as a Sister of the Precious Blood. The registration deadline is April 13, 2015. For more information, please contact Sr. Mary Yarger at 937-837-3302 or 937-999-8456 or by e-mail at vocations@cppsadmin.org.

Come and See Retreat with the Sisters of Mercy on Saturday, April 11, 2015 from 10am – 4pm at Regina Hall, 2319 Grandview Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio 45206. Single Catholic women aged 18-45 who are interested in religious life are invited. To register, contact Sister Sue at sruedy@mercysc.org or call 221-3495.