

DAILY SCRIPTURE and MASS INTENTION

Monday, August 26

Mass 7:00 a.m.
Readings Era Thurston
1 Thes 1:1-5, 8b-10 Robert and Mary Norton
Mt 23:13-22

Tuesday, August 27

Mass Saint Monica
Readings 8:30 a.m.
1 Thes 2:1-8 Donna Griffin Thieman
Mt 23:23-26 Fran Bruns

Wednesday, August 28

Mass Saint Augustine, Bishop
Readings and Doctor of the Church
1 Thes 2:9-13 7:00 a.m.
Mt 23:27-32 Emma Sue Yegge
Friends of Fr. Eiting

Thursday, August 29

Mass The Passion of Saint John the Baptist
Readings 8:30 a.m.
1 Thes 3:7-13 Tom Harris
Mk 6:17-29 Duane and Lisa Johnson

Friday, August 30

Mass 7:00 a.m.
Readings Filomena Salerno
1 Thes 4:1-8 Knights of Columbus Council 7981
Mt 25:1-13

Saturday, August 31

Mass 5:30 p.m.
Readings Kay Campanile
1 Thes 4:9-11 Frank Campanile
Mt 25:14-30

Sunday, September 1

Masses Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
Readings 8:00 a.m.
Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29 For The Parish
Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a 10:00 a.m.
Lk 14:1, 7-14 Russ and Jackie Smith
John and Barbara Zawila
12:00 p.m.
The Zopff Family
Don and Maureen Kocarek

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

August 17 and August 18 - Week # 8

Regular

\$ 27,811.68 Weekend Total - Week # 8
\$ 188,119.71 Yearly Total - Week # 8

Total Holy Days

\$ 3,654.20 Assumption - Week # 8
\$ 3,807.20 Total Holy Days - Week # 8

Regular & Holy Days

\$ 191,926.91 Total Week - # 8

Budgeted

\$ 26,614.08 Each Weekend - Weeks # 1-52
\$ 212,912.64 Total Budget through Week # 8

Non-Parish Collection (s)

\$ 3.00 St. Vincent de Paul
\$ 1,035.00 Special Mission

Parish Capital Debt Reduction-Third Sunday

\$ 6,365.85 Total - August 17 and 18
\$ 15,971.85 Total Through Week # 8
\$ 913,686.31 Debt Principle as of 6/5/13
Debt Retirement 2018

FYI: \$40,057, '13 second-collection donations for July 12-June 13, all funds being disbursed to the designated recipients. The third-Sunday debt reduction total and total SVDP donations are reported in other FYIs.

PRAY FOR THEM

**FOR OUR MILITARY FAMILY MEMBERS
DEPLOYED IN COMBAT AREAS**

"Lord, protect our military as they sacrifice for us; bless them and their families for their continuing selflessness."

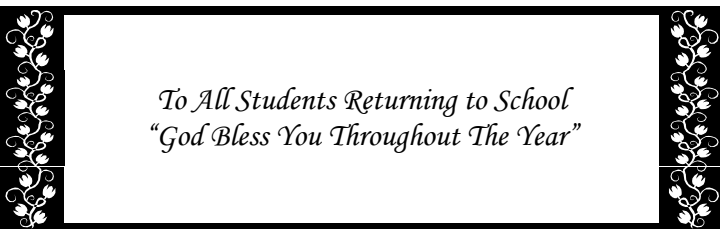
Please remember, with prayers, our military members - especially those deployed in combat areas.

US ARMY LT DOMINIC LANZILLOTTA AFGHANISTAN-08/2013
USAF CAPT WENDY BENAVIDES-AFGHANISTAN-09/2013
USAF CAPT BRENDAN MCQUOWN-AFGHANISTAN-01/2014

If you would like to have a family member, who is currently deployed (military or civilian), listed in the bulletin for prayer, please call the parish office.



Saint Luke Parish extends its deepest sympathy to the families of Adrian St. Onge, grandfather of parishioner Bobbie Smith, and Theresa Cook, aunt of parishioner Nancy LeCain. Please pray for all our departed friends and relatives.



WELCOME TO ST. LUKE PARISH: Please register with us!



Come to the church office or call (937) 426-1733 x 201. We are available Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. You can also find registration forms on our parish website at www.saintlukeparish.org. Place them in the offering basket or return to the church office.

ST LUKE PARISH ANNUAL APPRECIATION PICNIC:



Picnic Break!!!! School is back in session beginning this week and the kids already need a break. We have just the thing. The Annual Parish Appreciation Picnic is just three short weeks away on September 15 following a 2:00 p.m.

Mass. This is a great family affair. There is plenty to do to keep the little one occupied and great conversation for the adults. The food isn't bad either. So to help us plan, how about stopping by Kramer Hall and sign up for this FREE (i.e. NO COST Picnic). You can also call Jansen Center and sign up over the phone or stop by the Parish Office. Signing up will help ensure we have sufficient food for the masses. We just don't want to take a chance on multiplying the loaves and burgers!!!! We will give you the opportunity to donate a cake for our annual, highly successful cake walk. You will also have an opportunity to volunteer some time serving food (nothing strenuous).

2013 ST. LUKE PARISH VOLUNTEER AWARDS: The Pastoral Council is currently accepting nominations for the 2013 St. Luke Parish Volunteer Awards. The Volunteer Awards recognize the efforts of parishioners who have made noteworthy contributions of their time and talents for the betterment of the parish and fellow parishioners. Nomination forms may be found in the bulletin or in Kramer Hall. Completed forms may be placed in the collection basket or dropped off at the church office.

PERMANENT DEACON INTEREST? Have you ever thought about or feel that you are being called to serve the Church as a permanent deacon? It takes a minimum of 5 years to complete all of the requirements in order to be ordained. You don't have to be a college graduate. Training and classes are offered on weekends. A person can be retired or working, but you can't be older than 69 years by the time of ordination. Any male, married or single, 35 years of age or older can apply. If you would like more information, please see any deacon before or after Mass or call Deacon Gerry Dupree at 426-1733 ext. 304 or Deacon Bill LeCain at 426-1733 ext. 203.

MASS COORDINATORS: If you have a desire to become more involved in the weekend Mass, there are openings available for mass coordinators. We are especially in need of help at the 10:00 a.m. Mass on Sundays. Perhaps you are concerned by what might be required of you if you volunteer. First of all, you have to be a mature 16 year old or older. You will be trained to prepare the wine cups, the bowl of hosts, basic setup of the altar, and making sure the Eucharistic ministers, Lectors and Servers have signed in. If you can pour and count and don't mind assisting people, you are already on your way to being successful. To volunteer, please call either the Jansen Center at 426-1733 ext 301, or Deacon Bill LeCain at 426-1733 ext 203, or Deacon Gerry Dupree at 426-1733 ext. 304.

USHERS: One of the many ways that you can become more involved in the Mass is to volunteer to be an usher. We are especially in need of ushers for the Saturday 5:30 p.m. Mass and the Sunday Mass at 8:00 a.m. and 12:00 Noon. If you don't mind helping people find a seat, taking up the collection, directing the flow of people at communion time, and handing out the church bulletin, then we have a place for you. To volunteer, please call the Jansen Center at 426-1733 ext 301, or Deacon Bill LeCain at 426-1733 ext. 203, or Deacon Gerry Dupree at 426-1733 ext. 304.

SOCIAL ACTION MINISTRY

"Christ has no hands or feet on earth but ours..." St Teresa of Avila



SCHEDULE FOR ST. VINCENT DE PAUL FOOD PANTRY:

The August schedule for the St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry follows: Hand Out Bags: Wednesday, August 28th from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m. Please call Bob Young (433-3372) for information.

SURVIVOR ADVOCATES FOR AN END TO HUMAN TRAFFICKING:

Catholic Social Services of the Miami Valley and the Catholic Social Action Office with the support of the Weavers of Justice will present Theresa Flores, LSW, MSE, as the 2013 Distinguished Speaker, on Tuesday, October 1st, at St. Luke the Evangelist Church, 1440 N. Fairfield Road, in Beavercreek. Dinner begins at 5:30 p.m. There is a suggested donation of \$10 per person with students dining for free. Pre-program music starts in the church at 6:30 p.m. The conversation with Ms. Flores, a human trafficking survivor, victims' advocate and nationally recognized presenter, is at 7:00 p.m. Her presentation is free. Proceeds will support the outreach programs of Catholic Social Services. If you have any questions or need additional informational materials, please contact Annie Rayburn at 1-800-300-2937 or 937-223-7217 ext. 1138, by email at rayburna@cssmv.org; or the Catholic Social Action Office in Dayton, 937-224-3026 or email csadayton@catholiccincinnati.org; or parishioner Bob Stoughton at 937-229-5599 or email stoughtonbl@udayton.edu.

HELP NEEDED PREPARING A MEAL FOR INTERFAITH HOSPITALITY HOTEL:

Thank you to the parishioners who have helped in the past. Once again, we are in need of volunteers to help with the evening meal at the Xenia Interfaith Hospitality Network (IHN) Hotel, a homeless shelter for working families, for Monday September 2nd and Wednesday September 4th. We will prepare food for adults and children, around 20 guests (these numbers may change), and always appreciated are foods that will be enjoyed by children and adults alike. If you are able to help prepare part or all of a meal or what help you are able to give, please let Trudy Sarabia know ASAP, so we can coordinate with the shelter as to what we are trying to bring for the meal. Trudy can be reached at tsara98047@aol.com or call 429-0807. Thank you for your continued and most generous support of this ministry. God Bless.



GLUTEN-FREE HOSTS: Those with a gluten intolerance who choose to receive a low gluten host for Holy Communion must inform one of the ushers, or a deacon, or else stop by the sacristy near the elevator and inform someone there. This should be done at least 15 minutes before Mass begins. Such hosts require special handling which is why as much advance notice as possible is needed. At that time you will be given instructions on where to lineup to receive the consecrated host at communion time.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

opportunities to sustain and grow as faithful witnesses to the Good News of Jesus

ST LUKE HAPPENINGS

MARK YOUR CALENDARS...WATCH FOR DETAILS

Adult Faith Committee Meeting—August 27

Women of Faith Bible Study—begins September 10

Catholicism—begins September 24

Marriage Enrichment—begins September 25

Threshold Bible Study—begins October 7

Advent by Candlelight—December 1

VATICAN II: DID YOU KNOW?

Many of the Council Documents were sent for revisions when first submitted. The Council Fathers were fully conscious of every detail!

+ **RCIA** Are you, or someone you know, interested in the Catholic Faith? Did you know that a person can inquire at any time throughout the year about Catholicism, with no commitment beyond the interest of finding out more about what we believe and how it impacts our lives? Call Barbara at 937-426-1733 x305 or bmurray@saintlukeparish.org, to learn more.

+ **Women of Faith Bible Study** begins Tuesday, September 10 following the 8:30 a.m. school Mass. The topic for this year is *Acts: The Spread of the Kingdom* by Jeff Cavins and Sarah Christmyer. You will learn about the early years of the Church, what those beginnings mean for us today, and how the Holy Spirit permeates the life of the Church. The study will meet on Tuesdays from 9:30 - 11:00 a.m. in Kramer Hall. Cost is \$25 for your study binder. Register for the study by calling Tom at 937-426-1733 x301 or tsmith@saintlukeparish.org. You may also stop by the Jansen Center to register and purchase your binder. Women of Faith is open to all parishioners and their friends. Childcare is provided.

+ **NEW DATES...Catholicism: Our Faith** is a study based on Fr. Robert Barron's popular video series. Dr. Jim Brown will facilitate **Part 2 of the study on Tuesdays, September 24, October 8, 22, November 5, 19, December 3 from 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. in Kramer Hall.** The topics to be covered include Peter and Paul, Christ and the Church, Sacrament and Worship, Saints, Prayer and the Holy Spirit, and the Last Things. If you took Part 1 this past spring, you have the resources you will need for this series. Participating in Part 1 is not a prerequisite for participating in Part 2. Cost of the study materials is \$20. Register by contacting the Jansen Center at 937-426-1733 x 301 or by emailing tsmith@saintlukeparish.org. Registration deadline is September 13 in order to allow for time to order the necessary materials.

+ **Free Finance Workshop offered to newly engaged couples** Saturday, September 14, 2013, 10:00 a.m. - 12 noon. Call 513-421-3131 x2653 or email farlocincinnati@catholiccincinnati.org if interested.

+ **Marriage Enrichment: The 5 Love Languages** The second love language is Quality Time. People whose love language is Quality Time appreciate it when you give them your undivided attention. It means sitting on the couch with the TV off, looking at each other and talking, giving each other your focused interest. It could mean going on a walk together, or out to dinner with no interruptions, or creating ways to share the day. For a person whose love language is Quality Time, 20 minutes of time together is worth more than a dozen roses or an empty laundry basket! Join us this September as we discover more about these love languages and how we can improve communication within our marriage! The program will be held in Kramer Hall from 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. on September 25, October 2, 9, 16, 23, 30. For more information about the program, call Sharon Christy at 937-516-8417. To register, email tsmith@saintlukeparish.org or call Tom at 937-426-1733 x301. There is no cost. Childcare is provided.

+ **Threshold Bible Study for 2013-2014:** Fall 2013-*The Church of the Holy Spirit: Part One Acts of the Apostles*, chapters 1-14; Spring 2014 *Part Two Acts of the Apostles*, chapters 15-28. Come and learn with others how the earliest years of our faith continue to form us today. Sr. Chris Bartsch will facilitate the 6 sessions. The fall study begins on **Monday, October 7 in Kramer Hall from 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. and continues on October 14, 21, 28, November 4, 11.** Cost: \$13.00 for the book. To register, email tsmith@saintlukeparish.org or call Tom at 937-426-1733 x301.

+ **The 50th Anniversary of The March on Washington – August 28, 1963.** Take some time, alone or with your family, to watch Dr. King's "I Have A Dream Speech" this week. You can find it at http://www.teachertube.com/viewVideo.php?video_id=20916. Washington DC Archbishop Patrick O'Boyle delivered the March's invocation that day. In his 2006 book *Steadfast in the Faith: The Life of Patrick Cardinal O'Boyle*, published by The Catholic University of America Press, author Morris MacGregor noted, "(Archbishop) O'Boyle's forthright endorsement of the march, as well as his participation, influenced many of his fellow bishops and American Catholics. Thousands of religious and laity, marching under banners that proclaimed their parish affiliation, provided a visual affirmation of the Church's commitment to racial justice." If you care to read Archbishop Boyle's Invocation or the complete article about him, please go to <http://www.cathstan.org/main.asp?SectionID=2&SubSectionID=27&ArticleID=5770>.

+ **Five (5) Minutes of quiet reflection** Give yourself this small bit of time to watch speed painter David Garibaldi creating an image that has the power to touch your heart. It's hard to see what the painting is until almost the end. Watch it at <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=T3KwpmVHRpw>

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

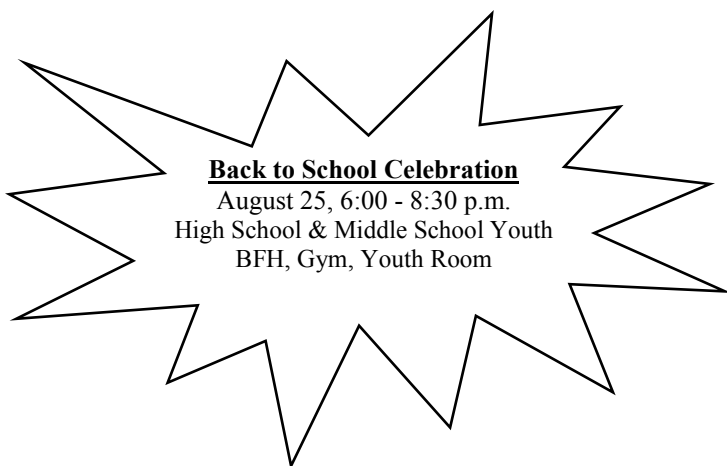
For the Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time (August 25, 2013) "Strive to enter through the narrow gate, for many, I tell you, will attempt to enter but will not be strong enough." To what kind of strength do you think Jesus is referring? What kind of strength would be necessary to get through a narrow gate? Does it imply that a person must be strong in will and self-discipline? Does it suggest a strength that comes from fasting and abstinence? This week, take one concrete step towards building your spiritual strength. Share what you did with someone you love. Decide on a way the two of you can take a step toward building your spiritual strength together.

YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

FALL YOUTH MINISTRY

Sunday Night Youth Ministry

- ⇒ Who: Middle School and High School Youth
- ⇒ Location: Bishop Ford Hall
- ⇒ Time: 6:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.
- ⇒ When: Sunday Nights, August 25, 2013 – May 18, 2014
Please look at dates below for meetings.
- ⇒ Cost: Bring yourself and an open Mind and Heart!



September Sunday Night Meetings: 6:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

- September 1 – No Youth Ministry due to Labor Day Weekend
- September 8 – 6:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.
- September 15 – No Youth Ministry due to Parish Picnic 2:00 - 7:00 p.m.
- September 22 and 29 – 6:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

National Catholic Youth Conference!

When: November 21-24, 2013—NCYC 2013 is for High School Youth only.

Actual cost of the event is \$455.00 per youth. Cost for St. Luke Youth is \$255.00. This amount has to be raised by the youth and the youth's family. The other \$200.00 dollars per youth will come from scholarship money that has been granted to us through boosters. If an individual cannot afford the \$255.00 they will be required to assist with all fundraisers and work for donations in an effort to help pay for their portion of the fee.

Additionally, food is not covered by this registration fee. Each youth will need money for their meals while at NCYC. More information to come on this issue.

Forms filled out completely and notarized as instructed on the forms attached and deposit hold a spot for your youth.

<http://www.catholiccincinnati.org/ncyc-2013/> and
<http://ncyc.nfcym.org/>

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION

What: Faith formation program using a lectionary based catechesis in which the Sunday Gospel with the pillars of the Catechism of the Catholic Church – Creed, Sacraments, Morality, and Prayer – are introduced and reinforced each year to build age-appropriate faith. The High School curriculum changes each year to reflect topics that are relevant to today's teens.

Who: Youth grades 1 - 12

When: Wednesdays 4:15 – 5:30 p.m. for Grades 1 – 8 in the school building
Wednesdays 7:00 – 8:15 p.m. for Grades 1 – 12 in the school building, HS in the Youth room
Sundays 9:45 – 11:00 a.m. for Grade 8 only in the Jansen Center

Start and End Dates:

September 8 (for Sunday PSR Gr 8) – May 4, 2014
September 11 (for Wednesday PSR) – May 7, 2014

Registration Forms: Download from parish website or pick up forms in Jansen Center and Kramer Hall

Volunteers Needed: Catechists, Catechist Aides or co-catechists
Office Aide, Substitute Catechists

Contact: Jansen Center 426-1733 ext. 301

EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAM

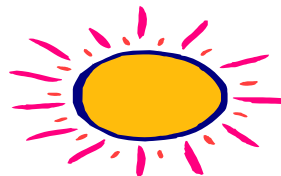
Saint Luke's Early Childhood Program, for children ages 3 through 5, is designed to support parents in the education of their young children in the Catholic faith. There are two sections: 3-4 year olds (Angels) and 5 year olds (Saints). Children learn about God and their friendship with Jesus through crafts, games, prayers, stories, scripture, and songs. Christian values and attitudes are taught and children experience fellowship and fun with children their own age. They also develop positive attitudes about themselves and others by discovering the gifts, talents, and abilities that God gives to everyone.

When: Sunday 9:45 – 11:00 a.m.
September 8, 2013 to April 6, 2014

Registration Forms: Download from the parish website or pick up forms in Jansen Center and Kramer Hall

Volunteers Needed: Catechist Aide, Office Aide, Substitute Catechists

Contact: Jansen Center 426-1733 ext. 301

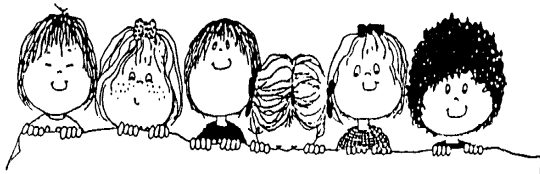


HERE AT SAINT LUKE

BEAVERCREEK POPCORN FESTIVAL: Make plans to visit the St. Luke's Boosters booth at the Beaver-creek Popcorn Festival on September 7th and 8th. As always, several varieties of freshly popped and tasty popcorn treats will be available for sale including a new creation for the 2013 Popcorn Festival. Proceeds from the popcorn sales benefit many worthwhile organizations and events in the St. Luke parish so your patronage is very important. If you would like to help with this year's festival, there are a variety of jobs available to assist in the effort. You will be helping many worthwhile organizations in the parish and having a lot of fun in the process. Please contact Donna Leddy at dledy54@gmail.com or 938-9385.



LUNCHROOM/PLAYGROUND VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: St. Luke School is in need of volunteers to help monitor the lunchroom and playground during the month of August. All volunteers must have completed the VIRTUS Child Protection workshop and be fingerprinted. If you are available to help from 11:00 a.m. - 12:50 p.m., please call 426-1733 x402 or email Rosej@stluke.cnd.pvt.k12.oh.us which day/days work best for your schedule. Thank you!



VIRTUS® "Protecting God's Children Sessions" on the Archdiocese of Cincinnati Decree on Child Protection: All employees and regular volunteers in the Archdiocese who have contact with children are required to be trained or re-trained using VIRTUS® materials (**regardless of previous training**). St. Luke will host its monthly session on Tuesday, **September 17** in Kramer Hall. Registration begins at 6:00 p.m. To register or for a list of available training dates in the area, go to www.virtusonline.org. If you have questions contact Bruce Guindon at 937-426-1733 x 202 or bguindon@saintlukeparish.org.

FINGERPRINTING GUIDELINES: The fingerprinting process now requires applicants to obtain a signed Background Check Release Form from any Saint Luke office or pastoral staff member to vouch for the volunteer and accept the fingerprint expense. Fingerprinting is available at the following parishes: St Albert the Great, 3303 Far Hills Avenue, Kettering, OH 45429, 937-293-1191 and St. Peter, 6161 Chambersburg Road, Huber Heights, OH 45424, 937-233-1503.

THANK YOU: This bulletin is furnished to the Parish without charge. The advertisements that appear completely defray all publishing costs with which the church would otherwise be burdened. Please patronize these sponsors as a thank you for their kind generosity.

In Our Parish

Sunday, August 25, 2013

School Open House in Parish Center, School, Gym (1:15 - 3:00 PM)
Kindergarten Open House in Kindergarten Rooms (2:30 PM)
Sunday Night Youth Ministry in Bishop Ford Hall, Youth Room, and Gym (6:00 - 8:30 PM)
Junior High Back to School Night in Room #207, 208, 209, 210, and Parish Center (7:00 - 8:30 PM)

Monday, August 26, 2013

Sewing Guild Artist Environment Meeting in Kramer Hall (9:30 AM - 12:00 PM)
School Extension in Bishop Ford Hall, Gym, Backgrounds (3:00 - 5:45 PM)
Boy Scouts #85 Meeting in Bishop Ford Hall (7:00 - 8:30 PM)
Al-Anon Family Group (Joy of Recovery) in Jansen Center East (7:30 - 8:30 PM)

Tuesday, August 27, 2013

Crafts Bazaar Prep Workshops in Bishop Ford Hall (9:30 AM - 12:30 PM)
Pastoral Staff Meeting in Jansen Center Rose (10:00 AM - 12:00 PM)
Leisure Club Board Meeting in Jansen Center East (1:00 - 3:00 PM)
School Extension in Bishop Ford Hall, Gym, Backgrounds (3:00 - 5:45 PM)
Adult Faith Formation Committee in Jansen Center East (7:00 - 9:00 PM)
K of C Special Meeting in Gilligan Hall (7:30 - 9:00 PM)

Wednesday, August 28, 2013

School Extension in Bishop Ford Hall, Gym, Backgrounds (3:00 - 5:45 PM)
Building and Grounds Meeting School Main Lobby (7:00 - 9:00 PM)
Small Christian Communities Weekly Bible Study in Jansen Center East (7:00 - 9:00 PM)
Adult Faith Formation Light Weigh One King Meeting in Jansen Center West (7:00 - 9:00 PM)
PSR Sub Committee in Jansen Center Rose (7:00 - 9:00 PM)

Thursday, August 29, 2013

School Extension in Bishop Ford Hall, Gym, Backgrounds (3:00 - 5:45 PM)
PLC Boy Scouts #85 in Jansen Center Rose (7:00 - 8:30 PM)

Friday, August 30, 2013

School Extension in Bishop Ford Hall, Gym, Backgrounds (3:00 - 5:45 PM)
Alcoholics Anonymous in Jansen Center East (7:00 - 8:00 PM)

Saturday, August 31, 2013

No Meetings or Events Scheduled

Sunday, September 1, 2013

No Meetings or Events Scheduled

SAINT LUKE CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

ST. LUKE CHRISTMAS BAZAAR: While cold weather and the Christmas season seem a long way off, it's not too soon to start thinking about the St. Luke Christmas Bazaar and ways you can help with this year's event: **Used Books:** Please drop off used books at the Jansen Center, large donations can be picked up. Contact Wil Schaefer at 426-3912 for information.

Attic Treasures: New and used Christmas decorations will be offered for sale once again this year. Any Christmas decorations you have that you no longer use can be dropped off at the Jansen Center for this booth.

AROUND THE AREA

MENTOR A YOUNG MOM: Help support young, low-income moms nurture their children while serving as a role model for positive parenting. If you feel the call to be a mentor and help create healthy families, give the Life Resource Centre a call today. The next mentor training will be held on Saturday, September 7th from 9:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. The Toddlers of Teens program will begin September 12th from 6:30 -8:30 p.m. All classes are Thursday nights. Make a difference in the life of a young mom through this 8-month commitment. Call Elaine at 937-223-9227 or e-mail ebonner@daytonlife.org for more information

DIVORCECARE A special seminar and support group for adults experiencing divorce or separation will be held from 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. on Thursdays from September 5th to December 5th at St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church, Centerville. DivorceCare videos feature nationally recognized experts on divorce and recovery topics including anger, loneliness, and new relationships. The registration fee is \$25; scholarships available. To register or get more information, call Marcelle Toma at 937-312-1157.

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND: Take time for your relationship with your spouse and make your good marriage better. The next marriage encounter weekends are: September 20th-22nd at the Holiday Inn, Georgetown, KY and October 18th-20th at the Holy Spirit Center, Norwood, OH. For more details or reservations call Dave and Jan Stockelman, 1-800-547-1251 code 00 or www.esharing.org.

NEW PARENTS POTLUCK: This is a free monthly gathering for anyone from any parish who is expecting, or new parents with babies, toddlers, or preschool aged children. Our next meeting is 6:00 p.m., Wednesday, September 11th at Queen of Apostles' Si Lounge (directions are found at qac-ohio.org/qac/find.htm). Plates and utensils provided. Bring your own beverages. Last names: A-B bring a dessert; C-S bring a main dish; T-Z bring a side dish or salad. Contact Jackie Andrews (937) 681-8643 or andrews645@gmail.com.

CHURCH WOMEN UNITED (CWU) is a movement offering opportunities to witness to a spirit of unity among the Christian denominations through prayer, study, and action. If you wish to promote Christian unity and have a calling to witness that unity with others, please contact Kathy Zamonski, 937-298-4255, a member of St. Albert the Great Parish.

ADULT VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: Elizabeth's New Life Center, a faith-based, pro-life ministry organization, needs adult volunteers at several of our Women's Centers. Hours and days can be flexible, and duties can range from administrative to mentoring opportunities. If you are interested, please contact Hida at 937-226-7414 or rwingate@elizabethnewlife.org.

ST. ANTHONY SCHOOL CLASS OF 1963 50th REUNION: The St. Anthony grade school class of 1963 is planning their 50th reunion for Saturday, October 5. If you have not yet been contacted and would like to receive reunion details, please contact Jim Foley at jfoley25@woh.rr.com.

PLEASE PATRONIZE THESE SPONSORS AS A THANK YOU FOR THEIR KIND GENEROSITY