

DAILY SCRIPTURE and MASS INTENTION

September 1–Monday

Mass Readings 8:30 a.m.
1 Cor 2:1-5 **Kay Wilson Campanile**
Lk 4:16-30 Frank Campanile

September 2–Tuesday

Mass Readings 8:30 a.m.
1 Cor 2:10b-16 **The Glotzbach-Mongin Families**
Lk 4:31-37 Matt and Jane

September 3–Wednesday

Mass Readings **Saint Gregory the Great,**
1 Cor 3:1-9 **Pope and Doctor of the Church**
Lk 4:38-44 **7:00 a.m.**
Carla Davidson
Norb and Barbara Hala

September 4–Thursday

Mass Readings 8:30 a.m.
1 Cor 3:18-23 **Dr. Oscar Ruiz**
Lk 5:1-11 Debbie and Dick Schiffler

September 5–Friday


Mass Readings **Bl. Teresa of Calcutta, Religious**
1 Cor 4:1-5 **7:00 a.m.**
Lk 5:33-39 **Betty Wilhemy**
Martha Shipman

September 6–Saturday

Mass Readings 5:30 p.m.
1 Cor 4:6b-15 **Marcus Grilliot**
Lk 6:1-5 The Grilliot Family

September 7–Sunday

Masses **Twenty-Third Sunday**
8:00 a.m.
Readings **Ray Sparks**
Ez 33:7-9 Grace Axer
Rom 13:8-10 **10:00 a.m.**
Mt 18:15-20 **Dolores Kritzer**
The Kritzer Family
12:00 p.m.
For The Parish

 **Confirmation** has completed her initiation process into the adult faith community of St. Luke the Evangelist Parish by receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation on Sunday, August 24, 2014.”



NEWLY BAPTIZED

AUGUST 24, 2014
GABRINA MARGARET FORREST

NOTE: **HOLIDAY CLOSING:** All St. Luke Facilities, including the Parish Office and Jansen Center will be closed on Labor Day, Monday, September 1. Have a safe holiday.

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

August 23 and August 24 - Week # 8

Regular

\$ 22,193.59 Weekend Total - Week # 8
\$ 181,293.38 Yearly Total - Week # 8

Holy Days

\$ 107.00 Assumption

Total Holy Days

\$ 3,571.01 Total Holy Days - Week # 8

Regular & Holy Days

\$ 184,864.39 Total Week - # 8

Budgeted

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

Non-Parish Collection (s)

\$ 81.00 St. Vincent
\$ 10.00 Peter's Pence

Parish Capital Debt Reduction-Third Sunday

\$ 840.00 Total - August 23 and August 24
\$ 17,235.19 Total Through Week # 8
\$ 578,329.90 Debt Principle as of 8/5/14
Debt Retirement 2018

FYI: \$2,166 2014 annual church and school elevators' costs - includes inspections, maintenance and emergency phone monitoring

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.

USAF CAPT SHAWNA DRISCOLL—QATAR—08/2014
USAF A1C MACK HERRING—AFGHANISTAN—09/2014
US ARMY LT COL DAVID BOWLING—IRAQ—09/2014
USN CWO3 ROBERT KEUCHER—AFGHANISTAN—12/2014
USMC LCPL JACOB C. DEIS—AFGHANISTAN—12/2014
USAF 1ST LT WAYNE SLETTEN—UNDISCLOSED—12/2014

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 family of parishioner Ronald Lehman, husband of Dora Lehman. Please pray for all our departed friends and relatives.

2014 ST. LUKE PARISH VOLUNTEER AWARDS

The Pastoral Council is currently accepting nominations for the 2014 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.

PARISH APPRECIATION PICNIC is scheduled for September 21st



following the 2:00 p.m. Mass. The picnic is a family friendly event that is the Parish's way of thanking all for their support throughout the past year. We will have many opportunities for children to participate. Who knows they may even win a delicious homemade cake if they participate in the Cake Walk. Parish Nurses will be available to take care of any cuts and bruises should they occur. There will be at least six Corn hole games, a T-Ball batting cage, basketball game, soccer challenge and plenty of games and activities for little ones. There will be clowns, face painting, and plenty of food. If you haven't signed up, please do so by stopping by Kramer Hall after Mass or by calling the parish office or Jansen Center.



OUR MUSIC ENSEMBLES ARE RETURNING! If you are interested in joining our Saturday night guitar group, we rehearse on Saturdays at 4:30 prior to Mass in the Music Room. Our 10:00 a.m. Sunday choir rehearses on Thursdays from 7:00-9:00 p.m. in the Music Room. All high-school youths and adults are welcome in both ensembles. No audition or the ability to read music is required. For more information, contact David Sievers at dsievers@saintlukeparish.org or simply come to rehearsal! All are welcome!

NEW PARISH WEBSITE: Visit the new parish web page at the same location, www.saintlukeparish.org. After working through the winter months to increase the speed of the current website, development of a new, an overdue, more dynamic website is here. Many thanks to Elizabeth Alcalá of Halo Graphics for her patience, enthusiasm, and expertise in guiding us through the site development. Also thanks to Kimmy Alexander for sharing creative ideas and concepts during our early development stages and final tweaking. Parishioners are invited to provide ideas and comments to enrich the content and movement around the new website through the site's "contact us." After weekend Masses on September 6-7, there will be a brief presentation on the new website in Kramer Hall.

NEW HYMNALS: Saint Luke Parish is in the process of getting new hymnals! We will be accepting donations of \$15 after Masses the weekends of September 6 and 7 and September 13 and 14 in Kramer Hall. If you would like to donate a hymnal in memory or in honor of someone or just want to contribute, come see us. You may also make a donation at the parish office. For more information, contact David Sievers at dsievers@saintlukeparish.org.

SOCIAL ACTION MINISTRY

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



MEAL-A-MONTH NEXT WEEKEND: The St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry is in need of nonperishable food donations and household items. Our St. Luke Meal-a-Month collections are held the first full weekend of every month. Please consider adding the following items to your donation: tuna, canned soup, peanut butter, breakfast cereal, toothpaste, toilet paper, tissues, bath soap and laundry detergent. Please drop donations off in Kramer Hall. Thank you for your continued support and generosity!

SEPTEMBER SCHEDULE FOR THE ST. VINCENT DE PAUL FOOD PANTRY follows: Stock Shelves: Saturday, September 6th and 20th from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Hand Out Bags: Wednesday, September 10th and 24th from 8:30 to 11:00 a.m. Please call Carmel Scott-Emuakpor at 222-7349 x103 for information.

"CREATED FOR GIVING" BOOTH AT BEAVERCREEK POPCORN FESTIVAL: "Created for Giving," the fundraising arm of the St. Luke Social Action Ministry, will have a booth in front of Friendly's at the Beavercreek Popcorn Festival on September 6th and 7th. New fall and winter hand-made items will be featured including beautiful quilted table toppers and wall hangings. This sale will be in lieu of a September sale in Kramer Hall. We are in need of the loan of two 10'x15' canopies with poles and preferably side flaps. We also invite St. Luke parishioners to participate by shopping with us and/or helping with 2-hour sales shifts. Many community and international outreach efforts have been possible because of past parishioner support. Please contact Dee Adinaro at 429-1265 if you are able to lend a canopy or help with sales.

SVDP BUNDLE SUNDAY COLLECTION: Our SVdP Bundle Sunday Collection II will be on Saturday, September 6 from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. and Sunday, September 7 from 8:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. The SVdP trailer will be parked by BFH and the children's playground. Go through those closets, drawers and basements and bring us your treasures to share with others! See our insert in today's Beam. Any questions, just call Barb 429-2887.

HELP NEEDED TO PREPARE A MEAL: Volunteers needed to prepare an evening meal for Interfaith Hospitality Network (IHN) in Xenia for Monday, September 8th and Wednesday, September 10th. Currently there are 25 guests including children. the children range from 9 months to early teens. If you would like to help preparing part of the meal or the whole meal, it would be very much appreciated. Casseroles with meat, meatloaf, stew, pork roasts or chicken, all are good choices that children as well as adults will like. We also like to have salad (green or fruit), dinner rolls and dessert such as cookies, brownies or other sweets. If you are undecided what to fix, please call Trudy and I can help with suggestions. The food can be brought to the parking lot in front of the church on the day you would like to prepare it, around 4:30 p.m., and I will be there and take it to the shelter. You are always welcome to go to the shelter and help serve or just visit with the guests. It is a very positive experience to see the facility and talk to the folks there. Contact me by e-mail tsara98047@aol.com or by phone at 429-0807. Thank you for your continued support of this ministry. God Bless.

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

EPIC: Church History—begins September 9
St. Monica Ministry—begins September 28
Threshold Bible Study—begins October 13
Healing & Hope Retreat—October 17-18
Distinguished Speaker—November 5
Parish Mission—February 22-24, 2015

+ **RCIA** (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults—the process used to bring adults into the church). Have you been attending St. Luke's with your spouse for years and now think you'd like to be received into the Church? Call us. Need to be confirmed? We can help. Baptized Catholic as an infant but never received the remaining Initiation Sacraments? We'll prepare you to receive them. Never been baptized? We can prepare you for this sacrament. RCIA at St. Luke's is year-round and ready to help you, no matter what your need might be. For more information, please contact the Jansen Center at 937-426-1733 x301 or email tsmith@saintlukeparish.org

+ **RCIA Fall Sessions:** The summer sessions have concluded and the fall RCIA sessions will begin on September 18, 2014. If you are interested in participating, please contact the Jansen Center at 937-426-1733 x301 or email tsmith@saintlukeparish.org

+ **Epic Church History study is coming...again...this Fall!:** On Tuesday evening, September 9, Epic Part 1 will begin in Jansen West at 7:00 p.m. Cost to begin this church history study is \$30. The fee covers both Parts 1 and 2. For those who began Part 1 last spring, Epic Part 2 will begin on Tuesday afternoon, September 9 in Jansen West at 1:00 p.m. To register call Tom Smith at 937-426-1733 x301 or tsmith@saintlukeparish.org

+ **St. Monica Ministry:** Following their summer break, the St. Monica Ministry will resume on Sunday, September 28 in Kramer Hall from 3:30-5:00 p.m. The members of St. Monica Ministry gather together to support one another in their prayers, hopes, and longings for family members and friends who no longer practice their Catholic faith. All are welcome to participate. Meetings for the coming year will be held on Sept. 28, Oct. 19, Nov. 16, Jan. 25, 2015, Feb. 15, March 22, and April 26. Please contact Teresa Gooding at TAXMOM1@aol.com for more information.

+ **Women of Faith Bible Study:** As a new season begins, the **Women of Faith** Tuesday morning Bible Study will focus on **Revelation: The Kingdom Yet to Come**. In this intriguing look at one of the most talked-about books in Scripture, Jeff Cavins explores Revelation to demonstrate how the Kingdom established by Christ in His Church is intimately connected with the Kingdom of Heaven, especially through the celebration of the Mass. You will also learn what all the mysterious figures and images of Revelation represent, as well as what will happen during the Second Coming of Christ, what has already happened, and what is happening now in salvation history. The study begins Tuesday, September 16th and will continue every Tuesday from 9:30-11:00 a.m. in Kramer Hall. Childcare is provided. To register contact Tom Smith at 937-426-1733 x301 or tsmith@saintlukeparish.org. For questions contact Mary Pyper at 937-623-7220 or email her at mapspirit@aol.com

+ **Christ at the Center** August-October prayer resource for families is available at http://www.catholiccincinnati.org/wp-content/uploads/2014/08/PrayerAid_AugOct2014.pdf

+ **Labor Day Prayer, from the Archdiocese of Detroit website:** *On this weekend, when we rest from our usual labors, we pray for all who shoulder the tasks of human labor—in the marketplace, in factories and offices, in the professions, and in family living. We thank you, Lord, for the gift and opportunity of work; may our efforts always be pure of heart, for the good of others and the glory of your name. We lift up to you all who long for just employment and those who work to defend the rights and needs of workers everywhere. May those of us who are now retired always remember that we still make a valuable contribution to our Church and our world by our prayers and deeds of charity. May our working and our resting give praise to you as you live and reign Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.*

+ AREA OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOUR JOURNEY OF FAITH, 2014:

St. Meinrad Archabbey (800-581-6905 or www.saintmeinrad.org)

- The Sermon on the Mount: A Handbook for Living in the Kingdom of God—September 12-14
- The Sacred Journey: Exploring the Art of Pilgrimage—September 19-21
- Christ-like and Meek in a World Torn by Violence and Discord—September 26-28

Spiritual Center of Maria Stein (419-925-7625 or www.spiritualcenter.net)

- Pre-Cana—September 13, December 6
- Jesuit Spiritual Center at Milford** (513-248-3500 or www.jesuitspiritualcenter.com)
- 30-Day Spiritual Exercises Retreat—September 29
 - Personally Directed Retreats—October 3-10,

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

*For the Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 31, 2014*

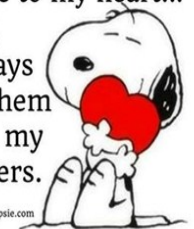
“You duped me, O LORD, and I let myself be duped.” When have you been disappointed in God? How long did your disappointment last? What prayers, actions, or sacraments helped you through those difficult moments? What new understandings of God were born as part of your experience? How does your new awareness make a difference in your faith today?

A note from Barbara: With a mixture of excitement and sadness, I enter into a new phase of my life – retirement. I am excited as I anticipate new beginnings and discovering new ways to be in relationship with Jesus. The sadness comes from leaving a community that has been the source of much growth and healing. It has been both an honor and a privilege to serve you and to grow with you. May God continue to bless each of you and may your holiness always be a sign of hope to our world.

Blessings and love, Barbara

When my arms can't reach people who are close to my heart...

I always hug them with my prayers.



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YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

SUNDAY NIGHT YOUTH MINISTRY

Who: Middle School and High School Youth
 Location: Bishop Ford Hall
 Time: 6:00 - 8:30 p.m.
 Cost: Bring yourself and an open Mind and Heart!
 Please look at the dates below for meetings.

August 31 – F.A.S.T. (Faith Applied in School Today)
 September 7 – No scheduled Youth Ministry Meeting
(Please consider volunteering at the Popcorn Festival)
 September 14 – “Friends and Family”
 September 21 – No scheduled Youth Ministry – Parish Picnic
 September 28 – “Social Media”
 October 5 – “Francis vs. Benedict”
 October 12 – “Marian Apparitions”
 October 19 – “Pro-life”
 October 26 – “Ghostbusters”
 November 2 – Celebration of the Saints
 November 9 – No scheduled Youth Ministry
 November 16 – “Saints and Sinners”
 November 23 – “Cafeteria Catholic”
 November 30 – No scheduled Youth Ministry

Upcoming Youth Events:

October 11 – Mock-lockin for High School Youth

- 5:30 p.m. Mass – Midnight.

November 7-9 – Middle School Retreat at Camp Kirkwood
 December 13 – Mock-lockin for Middle School Youth

- 5:30 p.m. Mass – Midnight.

Youth Leadership Opportunities

Create, plan, and lead youth retreats for high school and middle school youth.

Contact Josh Englefield at jenglefield@saintlukeparish.org for more information

Young Adults

Please contact Josh Englefield at jenglefield@saintlukeparish.org for information regarding young adult activities.

CATECHISTS NEEDED FOR PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION

We are in need of volunteers as Catechists for both the 4:15 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. classes. The Archdiocese of Cincinnati requires volunteers 18 years and older who work with children to have a background check and attend a training session on the Archdiocese Child Protection Decree. For information about the times and places for VIRTUS training, call Bruce Guindon at 426-1733 x202 or go to www.virtus.org and select the Registration Tab.

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 7 (for Sunday PSR Gr 8) – May 3, 2015
 September 10 (for Wednesday PSR) – May 6, 2015

Registration now open for 2014-2015 PSR:

Forms can be found in Kramer Hall, in Jansen Center and online at www.saintlukeparish.org (look under faith formation).

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

Contact: Caroline Barhorst 426-1733 x306, email cbarhorst@saintlukeparish.org or 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 7, 2014 to April 19, 2015

Registration now open for 2014-2015 Early Childhood:

Forms can be found in Kramer Hall, Jansen Center and online at www.saintlukeparish.org (look under faith formation).

Volunteers Needed: Catechist Aide, Office Aide, Substitute Catechists

Contact: Caroline Barhorst 426-1733 x306, email cbarhorst@saintlukeparish.org or Jansen Center 426-1733 ext. 301



The first school Mass will be in the Main Church
 on Tuesday, September 2 at 8:30 a.m.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Sunday, August 31, 2014

Youth Ministry in BFH/YMR/GYM (6:00 PM - 8:30 PM)

Monday, September 1, 2014

Labor Day All Facilities Closed

Al-Anon Family Group in Jansen Center East (7:30 - 8:30 PM)

Men's Volleyball in Gym (9:00 - 11:00 PM)

Tuesday, September 2, 2014

School Choir in Room 207 (7:15 - 8:00 AM)

St. Luke Crafters Meeting in Bishop Ford Hall (9:30 - 12:30 PM)

SCC Meeting in Jansen Center West (9:30 - 1:00 PM)

Extension in Bishop Ford Hall/Gym (2:30 - 6:00 PM)

Cub Scout Pack 85 Den Meeting in BFH, PC (6:00 - 9:00 PM)

SVDP Meeting in Jansen Center West (7:00 - 9:00 PM)

Adult Men's Basketball in Gym (8:00 - 10:00 PM)

Wednesday, September 3, 2014

NLR Meeting in Jansen Center West (11:00 - 1:00 PM)

Spiritual Writing Group in Jansen Center East (12:30 - 2:00 PM)

Extension in Bishop Ford Hall/Gym (2:30 - 6:00 PM)

Daisy 1st Grade Girl Scout Meeting in Parish Center (6:00 - 7:30 PM)

Light Weigh Weight Loss Bible Study in Jansen West (7:00 - 9:00 PM)

Small Christian Communities in Jansen Center East (7:00 - 8:30 PM)

K of C Assembly Mtg. in Bishop Ford Hall (8:00 - 9:15 PM)

Thursday, September 4, 2014

School Pictures in Parish Center (8:00 AM - 12:00 PM)

Extension in Bishop Ford Hall/Gym (2:30 - 6:00 PM)

Choir Rehearsal in Music Room (7:00 - 9:00 PM)

Our Lady of Good Counsel SCC Mtg in Jansen East (7:15 - 9:00 PM)

Boy Scouts Troop 85 Committee Mtg in Jansen Rose (7:30 - 9:00 PM)

Adult Men's Basketball in Gym (8:00 - 10:00 PM)

Friday, September 5, 2014

Extension in Bishop Ford Hall/Gym (2:30 - 6:00 PM)

Girl Scout Troop 30595 Meeting in Art Room #106 (3:00 - 5:00 PM)

Boosters Prep - Popcorn Festival - Parish Center (4:00 PM - 12:00 AM)

Alcoholics Anonymous in Jansen Center West (7:00 - 8:00 PM)

Saturday, September 6, 2014

Adult Basketball in Gym (6:00 - 8:30 AM)

Boosters Prep - Popcorn Festival - Parish Center (6:00 AM - 12:00 AM)

SVDP Bundle Sunday in Back Parking Lot (5:00 - 7:00 PM)

Sunday, September 7, 2014

Boosters Prep - Popcorn Festival in Parish Center (6:00 AM - 7:00 PM)

SVDP Bundle Sunday in Back Parking Lot (8:00 AM - 1:30 PM)

PSR Eighth Grade Classes in Jansen Center East (9:45 - 11:00 AM)

Early Childhood Classes in School/Gym (9:45 - 11:15 AM)

Youth Ministry in BFH/YMR/GYM (6:00 - 8:30 PM)

HERE AT ST. LUKE

JOIN CUB SCOUTS! Scouting is Fun with a Purpose! Scouting helps youth develop academic skills, self-confidence, ethics, leadership, and citizenship skills that influence their adult lives. All area boys in grades 1-5 are welcome to join St. Luke's Cub Scout Pack 85. Round-Up Nights are Monday, September 8 from 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. in the school cafeteria (Parish Center) and Tuesday, September 9 from 7:00-9:00 p.m. in Bishop Ford Hall. Visit pack85beavercreek.scoutlander.com or contact Kevin Sweere at 937-427-0865, sweerek@gmail.com

ST. LUKE BRIDGE CLUB is getting ready for the start of our season. The first night will be September 12th at 7:00 p.m. in Bishop Ford Hall. If you are interested, please contact Chuck Anderson at canderson9971@woh.rr.com or call 426-4936.

HERE AT ST. LUKE

BEAVERCREEK POPCORN FESTIVAL:



Don't forget to visit the St. Luke's Boosters booth at next week-end's Beavercreek Popcorn Festival on September 6th and 7th. As always, several varieties of freshly popped and tasty popcorn treats will be available for sale. 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 dleddy54@gmail.com or 938-9385.

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 using VIRTUS® materials. St. Luke will host its monthly session on Tuesday, **September 16th**. Registration begins at 6:00 p.m. To register or to get a list of available training dates, go to www.virtusonline.org. Any questions, contact Bruce Guindon at 937-426-1733 x202 or bguindon@saintlukeparish.org

JOIN THE IMMACULEE RETREAT LEAD TEAM:

The Immaculee Retreat Lead Team is seeking all who would like to help during our retreat weekend. Any and all help is greatly appreciated. We will need ushers, as well as help with registration, food service, book sales, set up, take down, book signing, and lots of miscellaneous items. The event promises to be amazing and we would love you to join us as part of our Retreat Staff. Please call or email Lisa Donigian at 937-901-2727 or aramnlisa@aol.com

ST. LUKE'S MOMS AND TOTS:

Have small children? Looking to meet other young families in the parish? Come check out St. Luke Moms and Tots at our Annual Open House on Friday, September 19th, from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. in the church nursery. Drop by with your little ones for some playtime and snacks. All Moms welcome. Contact Kerry Cooley at St.luke.moms.and.tots@gmail.com with any questions.



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/DVDs/CDs: Please drop off your used books, DVDs and CDs at the Jansen Center, large donations can be picked up. Contact Mike Smith at 320-9718 for information.

Attic Treasures: New and used Christmas decorations will be offered for sale. Drop off Christmas decorations you no longer use at the Jansen Center for this booth.

The Candy Booth is now accepting donations of peanut butter, sugar, pecans, decorative candy dishes and plates or monetary contributions which will be used to make the goodies sold at the Christmas Bazaar. Donations may be dropped off at the Jansen Center and it's not too early to drop off your donation. Contact Amy Wollenhapt at 427-1451.

AROUND THE AREA

Women's Morning of Reflection: Join us Tuesday, September 2nd, from 9:15 a.m. to noon at St. Charles Parish. Mass is at 9:30 a.m. in the Day Chapel followed with spiritual talks, confessions and fellowship. Childcare is available. For information, call Karen Connair at 433-2783 or Barbette Whelan at 293-1438.

Catholic Scripture Study (CSS): Beginning September 10th the study will be the *Gospel of Luke and the Acts of the Apostles*. The group meets on Wednesday mornings OR evenings, 9:30 a.m. or 7:00 p.m. at St. Henry Parish PAC, 6696 Springboro Pike. For information, call/e-mail Mel at 620-8642, melkerr4css@yahoo.com or Margie at 866-7917, dchristieclan@aol.com

Connect with Bishop Campbell: On Tuesday, September 2nd, on AM 820, ask Bishop Campbell questions about Catholic teachings during his monthly call-in program, *From the Chair*, on St. Gabriel Catholic Radio. Calls begin at 5:00 p.m. Call (614) 459-4820.

Divorced?: *The Catholic's DIVORCE SURVIVAL Guide* 12-week group begins September 9th from 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. at Emmanuel Church, 149 Franklin Street, Dayton. Cost of \$25 per person includes a "Personal Survival Guide," refreshments and materials for 12 weeks. No child care available. Register at <http://www.catholiccincinnati.org/event/catholic-divorce-survival-guide/>. Questions, call Noreen at Family & Respect Life Office, 937-222-0227.

Dayton Right to Life: A second National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children is Saturday, September 13th, 1:00 p.m., at Woodland Cemetery (next to UD). The memorial service is sponsored by the Dayton Right to Life. Call 461-3625 for more information.

Marriage Encounter Weekend: The next Marriage Encounter weekend is September 19th-21st at the Holiday Inn Express in Georgetown, KY. For reservations call Dave and Jan Stockelman, 1-800-547-1251 code 00-OR- or www.esharing.org.

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