

**DAILY SCRIPTURE and MASS INTENTION**

**May 23—Monday**

**Mass Readings** 7:00 a.m.  
1 Pt 1:3-9 **Janice Rike**  
Mk 10:17-27 Vivian Pentecost

**May 24—Tuesday**

**Mass Readings** 8:30 a.m.  
1 Pt 1:10-16 **Kerry Bouffoux**  
Mk 10:28-31 The Sarabia Family

**May 25—Wednesday**

**Mass Readings** 7:00 a.m.  
1 Pt 1:18-25 **Paul Colavincenzo**  
Mk 10:32-45 Rose Danielson

**May 26—Thursday**

**Mass Readings** 8:30 a.m.  
1 Pt 2:2-5, 9-12 **St. Philip Neri, Priest**  
Mk 10:46-52 **Leah Allen**  
Matt and Jane

**May 27—Friday**

**Mass Readings** 7:00 a.m.  
1 Pt 4:7-13 **Edward Power**  
Mk 11:11-26 The Power Family

**May 28—Saturday**

**Mass Readings** 5:30 p.m.  
Jude 17, 20b-25 **Lucille Asztalos**  
Mk 11:27-33 Patricia Sumida

**May 22—Sunday**

**Mass Readings** **The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)**  
Gn 14:18-20 **8:00 a.m.**  
1 Cor 11:23-26 **For The Parish**  
Lk 9:11b-17 **10:00 a.m.**  
**Loretta Feller**  
The Cooney Family  
**12:00 p.m.**  
**Jennifer Schmidt**  
Carroll High School Class of 1984

**PARISH STEWARDSHIP**

**May 14 and May 15 - Week # 46**

**Regular**

\$ 19,609.95 Weekend Total - Week # 46  
\$ 1,143,304.84 Yearly Total - Week # 46

**Total Holy Days**

\$ 0.00  
\$ 45,906.38 Total Holy Days - Week # 46

**Regular & Holy Days**

\$ 1,189,211.22 Total Week - # 46

**Budgeted**

\$ 26,614.08 Each Weekend - Weeks # 1-52  
\$ 1,224,247.68 Total Budget through Week # 46

**Non-Parish Collection (s)**

\$ 0.00

**Miscellaneous Collection (s)**

\$ 0.00

*FYI: \$5,977 2015 12-month cost for Sunday donuts; free-will offering total for 12 months, \$5,745.*

**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 our military members, especially those deployed in combat areas, with prayers.

**US ARMY LT COL DAVID BOWLING and TEAM—12/2016**

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.

**JOSHUA ENGLEFIELD TO LEAVE PARISH STAFF:** The parish is saying good-bye in mid-August to Joshua Englefield and his staff duties as youth and young adult faith coordinator. Joshua is stepping away from full-time ministry at Saint Luke to accept a faculty position at Franciscan University in Steubenville, OH. While a loss to staff and parishioners in his work, a parish ‘thank you’ goes out to Joshua for his seven years of service. Best wishes to Joshua and his family! A search committee will be formed and an interview and hiring process started. Parishioners are asked to pray for Joshua’s new work and for a successful search effort.



Saint Luke Parish extends its deepest sympathy to the families of *Stephanie Wernke*, cousin of parishioner *Caroline Barhorst* and *Linda Durbin*, mother of parishioner *Trish Rickard*. Please pray for all our departed friends and relatives.

**★ YOUR ATTENTION PLEASE**

**Please note the changes in time and/or location of several Masses for the week of May 30<sup>th</sup>**

- ⇒ Mass on Monday, **May 30<sup>th</sup>** (Memorial Day) will be in the Church at 8:30 a.m. There will be **no 7:00 a.m. Mass.**
- ⇒ Mass on Tuesday, **May 31<sup>st</sup>** will be in St. Dominic Chapel at 8:30 a.m.
- ⇒ Mass on Friday, **June 3<sup>rd</sup>** will be in the Church at 8:30 a.m. This is the last School Mass. There will be **no 7:00 a.m. Mass.**

**HOLIDAY CLOSING:** All St. Luke Facilities, including the church office and Jansen Center will be closed on Memorial Day, Monday May 30<sup>th</sup>. Mass will be at 8:30 a.m. in the Church. There will be no 7:00 a.m. Mass.

**WELCOME TO ST. LUKE PARISH:** Please register with us! Come to the church office or call 937-426-1733 x201. 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, [www.saintlukeparish.org](http://www.saintlukeparish.org). Place them in the offering basket or return them to the church office.

**MAY 29<sup>th</sup> PARISH MASS AT SAINT LUKE:** “Parish Congratulations!” to Father Thomas Picchioni, a native son of Saint Luke Parish and parishioners Fred and Sharon Picchioni, who was ordained on Saturday, May 21<sup>st</sup> at the Cathedral Basilica of the Assumption by Bishop Roger Foys. Father Thomas will celebrate Mass at Saint Luke on Sunday, May 29<sup>th</sup> at 12:00 noon. A reception will follow Mass. Parishioners are invited to celebrate the 12:00 noon Mass with Father Thomas and attend the reception following Mass to greet and congratulate him.

#### **SUMMER CHANGE IN TUESDAY’S EXPOSITION AND ADORATION:**

Beginning May 31<sup>st</sup>, Tuesday’s 8:30 a.m. morning Mass will move from the main church to St. Dominic’s Chapel, and Mass and Eucharistic Adoration will take place in the same location. Without the Mass and Adoration location change that occurs during the school year, the Eucharist is properly exposed for Adoration right before the end of Mass. While a communal recitation of the rosary is typically prayed between location changes during the school year, the rosary will not be communally prayed with the immediate beginning of Adoration in Saint Dominic’s Chapel. As a prayer of petition addressed to the Blessed Mother, and not to Christ exposed for Adoration, the rosary is appropriately precluded from recitation to focus attention on the Lord and devotion to the Eucharistic mystery.

#### **Communal Rosary 8:00 a.m. before Tuesday 8:30 a.m. Mass:**

Beginning May 31<sup>st</sup> and continuing until school starts again, the Rosary will be communally prayed before Mass, beginning at 8:00 a.m. and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will occur immediately at the end of Mass. All parishioners are invited.

**GETTING TO KNOW THE SAINTS -- ST. RITA:** This coming Tuesday May 24<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00 p.m. in Jansen West, the Getting to Know the Saint Movie Series continues with St. Rita. All are welcome. Light snacks and drinks will be served. For more information, please contact Lisa at 937-901-2727 or [aramnlisa@aol.com](mailto:aramnlisa@aol.com).

**USHERS NEEDED:** We are in need of several ushers to help with Saturday/Sunday Masses. Ushering provides an excellent opportunity to support the parish and to use your time and talents by actively participating in the Year of Mercy. Ushers play an important role in the church’s Liturgy. Ushers greet arriving parishioners, help those needing assistance or who become ill, take up the collection and distribute the Sunday bulletins. The time required is about 15 minutes prior to Mass and approximately 10 minutes following Mass. If you are a member of the Youth group, fully initiated man or woman, you are eligible for membership in this dedicated group. If a parish organization wants to sign up for a Mass we will accommodate their wishes. There is room for everyone. Training is simple—it is all on-the-job training. Please consider helping the parish by joining the usher corps.

## **SOCIAL ACTION MINISTRY**

*“Christ has no hands or feet on earth but ours...”  
St Teresa of Avila*



**LAST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH COLLECTION:** Next weekend is the last weekend of May. The members of the St. Luke St. Vincent de Paul Society will be in the church gathering space after all Masses to receive your monetary donations. Your continued generosity is appreciated!

**HELP NEEDED TO PREPARE THE EVENING MEAL** for IHN (Interfaith Hospitality Network in Xenia) for Monday May 23<sup>rd</sup> and Wednesday May 25<sup>th</sup>. We prepare food for about 25 guests including children. Casseroles, salads (green or fruit), dinner rolls and dessert such as cookies, brownies, etc. We also like to include some drinks such as fruit boxes or kool aid envelopes, any flavor. After school snack crackers with peanut butter or cheese are always welcome. If you can help with some of the meal or all of a meal please contact Trudy at [tsara98047@aol.com](mailto:tsara98047@aol.com) or phone 429-0807. The food may be brought to the parking lot in the front of the church around 4:40 in the afternoon of the day you want to help. I will be there to pick up and take it to the shelter to serve. Thank you for your continued generous support of this ministry.

**THE JERICHO MARCH** around the Women’s Center praying the rosary for an end to abortion in the Dayton area, continues this Sunday at 2:00 p.m. All parishioners and Dayton area residents are invited and encouraged to attend this march. The Women’s Center is located at 1401 Stroop Road in Kettering. Questions? Contact Jeannette at [jniezgodski@yahoo.com](mailto:jniezgodski@yahoo.com).

**BOTTLES FOR BABIES!** Bottles for Babies is a short, fun event to help raise money for the lifesaving work of Elizabeth’s New Life Center. Pick up a bottle starting June 4<sup>th</sup> and fill it with coins, cash, and checks (made out to St. Luke). Bottles need to be returned no later than June 19<sup>th</sup>. All proceeds will be used to help Elizabeth’s New Life Center save the precious lives of unborn babies. Elizabeth’s New Life Center provides positive solutions to unexpected pregnancies by offering free pregnancy tests, free limited ultrasounds, consulting/mentoring, prenatal care, educational classes and material assistance. Please contact Jeannette Niezgodski at [jniezgodski@yahoo.com](mailto:jniezgodski@yahoo.com) or 937-320-1819 for more information or questions.

**NOW VIEW ST. VINCENT DE PAUL ST. LUKE CONFERENCE ON THE PARISH WEBPAGE:** To view our conference on the Parish web page type in the following shortcut word into your web browser: [Bit.ly/1PS61oJ](http://Bit.ly/1PS61oJ) (be careful to use the letter “o” in this name not zero). Any questions about membership or donations send them to [stlukeconf@earthlink.net](mailto:stlukeconf@earthlink.net).



## ADULT FAITH FORMATION

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

**R.C.I.A.** (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) is the process of becoming Catholic. Have you been attending St. Luke's with your spouse for years and now think you would like to be received into the Church? Call us. Never been baptized? We can prepare you for this sacrament. Baptized Catholic as an infant but never received the Sacraments of Confirmation and/or Eucharist? We can help. RCIA at St. Luke is year-round and ready to help you, no matter what your need might be. For information, please contact Margie Alexander at 426-1733 ext. 305 or email [malexa@stlucaparish.org](mailto:malex@stlucaparish.org).

### ONGOING

- True Devotion to Mary Study - Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m.

### GETTING TO KNOW THE SAINTS – MOVIE SERIES

All parishioners are invited as we gather to learn more about some of our Saints. The movies are "family friendly" and last between 60-120 minutes. Refreshments and drinks will be served. For more information, please contact Lisa at 937-901-2727 or [aramnlisa@aol.com](mailto:aramnlisa@aol.com). Some future movies include:

Tuesday, May 24<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm – *St. Rita*

Tuesday, June 28<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm – *St. Thomas More*  
(Fortnight for Freedom USCCB recommended movie)

#### Future movie nights with more details to come

Tuesday, July 12<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm  
Tuesday, August 16<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm  
Tuesday, September 13<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm  
Tuesday, October 11<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm  
Tuesday, November 8<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm  
Tuesday, November 15<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm  
Tuesday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>, 7:00 pm  
Tuesday, December 13<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm

### ST. LUKE VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL June 13<sup>th</sup>–June 17<sup>th</sup>



Hear the stories of how Sarah's family multiplied like the stars in the sky from Adam and Eve to the Twelve Tribes of Israel

JOURNEY THROUGH THIS ERA WITH US!

Registration forms for VBS are available in Kramer Hall and Jansen Center.

## PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION

**What:** Faith formation program using the *We Believe* program by Sadlier is offered for grades 1-8. The High School curriculum changes each year to reflect topics relevant to today's teens.

**Who:** Youth grades 1–12

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

## EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAM

Saint Luke's Early Childhood Program, ages 3 through 5, is designed to support parents in the education of their young children in the Catholic faith. 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 God gives to everyone.

**When:** Sunday 9:45–11:00 a.m.

**Registration is ongoing for PSR and Early Childhood:** Forms are in Kramer Hall, Jansen Center and online at [www.saintlukeparish.org](http://www.saintlukeparish.org) (look under Faith Formation).

**Contact:** Caroline at [cbarhorst@saintlukeparish.org](mailto:cbarhorst@saintlukeparish.org), or call 426-1733, ext. 306, or Jansen Center 426-1733, ext. 301.

## CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

All children in the parish age 3-9 are invited to participate in Children's Liturgy of the Word (CLOW) sessions at each Saturday 5:30 p.m. Mass and Sunday 10:00 a.m. Mass at St. Luke the Evangelist Parish. CLOW is intended to help children pray better and reflect on God's Word. The children are invited to come forward for a special blessing toward the beginning of Mass and then they walk up to St. Dominic Chapel with 2 CLOW leaders.

Parents who would like to observe are welcome to accompany their child/ren to St. Dominic Chapel. You will not be missing Mass. The same readings are read and prayers are said, only at a more child-friendly level. This is a wonderful way to help children grow in their ability to participate more fully in the Mass. The children then rejoin their families for the second part of Mass, the Liturgy of the Eucharist, during the offertory.

If you are interested in volunteering to help with CLOW, contact Diane Price at [dmpjimp@sbcglobal.net](mailto:dmpjimp@sbcglobal.net) or 937-427-2944. We can always use more volunteers and if you like to sing, we could use some music leaders as well. Teenagers are welcome to volunteer, however two adults who are compliant with the Archdiocesan child protection program must be present at each CLOW session. Consider participating. It is both meaningful for the children as well as rewarding for the adults!



## YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

### 2016 YOUTH ACTIVITIES

#### Sunday Night Youth Ministry

When: 6:00 - 8:30 p.m.

Where: Bishop Ford Hall

Who: 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Grade Youth

#### Meeting dates:

May 22

May 29—**no meeting**—Memorial Day weekend

June 5

June 12

June 19

June 26

July 3

July 10

July 17

July 24

#### Upcoming Events

- **Youth and Chaperones are required to attend the formation meeting Wednesday, June 22<sup>nd</sup>** in BFH from 6:00 - 9:00 p.m.

#### Summer 2016 Youth Ministry Schedule

- Vacation Bible School: June 13-17
- Steubenville Youth Conference: June 17-19
- Gospel Road Mission Trip: June 26-July 2
- Cross Training Middle School Faith and Service Day Camp: July 18-22

## HERE AT ST. LUKE

**THE ST. LUKE LEISURE CLUB** is traveling to Boston, Salem and Cape Ann this year and are inviting all parishioners to travel with us for 7 days, 6 nights via bus beginning Wednesday, August 17 through Tuesday, August 23, 2016.

The cost is \$629.00 per person - double occupancy (single and triple rates upon request). Breakfasts and dinners are included. On your own you will pay for 7 lunches and 3 dinners, plus any purchased items. All gratuities, admissions and luggage handling is included. Travel insurance is available for \$59.00 per person - double occupancy.

Some of the famous sights and tours included in this trip are: Trinity Church, John Hancock Tower, famous waterside attraction, "Quincy Market & Faneuil Hall Market Place." You will visit the replica set of TV show "Cheers," guided tour of USS Constitution, Old Ironsides and Cambridge. Visit the JFK Presidential Library and Museum w/permanent exhibits dedicated to First Lady Jacqueline Kennedy. There will be a guided tour of Lexington and Concord—this tour highlights a visit to the Minute Man National Historical Park. Also visits to Salem - scenic Cape Ann, Gloucester and Olde Mistick Village.

For additional information and trip payment schedule, contact Thomasine (Tomi) Suazo, Leisure Club Tour Manager, via e-mail [tommi26@aol.com](mailto:tommi26@aol.com), (H) 937-431-8542 or (C) 937-304-5562.

## ST. LUKE SCHOOL

### REGISTER AND/OR RE-ENROLL FOR THE KROGER PLUS CARD COMMUNITY REWARDS:



Please take the time to re-enroll so that St. Luke School can continue to reap the benefits of the program. To re-enroll, please follow these simple steps:

Go to Kroger.com

Sign in

Use the "Community" tab at the top of the page

Choose Enroll

Enter our Number: 80224

Select St. Luke School

It's that simple! **If you are enrolling for the first time, or using a different Plus Card, you will need to create an account.** If you have any questions, please call 426-1733 ext. 401 or 402 and we will do our best to help you. Thank you for your support.

**COME JOIN IN SAYING THANK YOU:** Mrs. Patricia Kretz is retiring after teaching for more than thirty years. Please come and join as we celebrate her dedication on Tuesday May 24<sup>th</sup> at the 8:30 a.m. school Mass. If you are unable to join us you may send a card to: Mrs. Pat Kretz

St. Luke School  
1442 North Fairfield Road  
Beavercreek, OH 45432

## HERE AT ST. LUKE

**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 next session on **Tuesday, June 21<sup>st</sup>**. Check-in begins at 6:00 p.m. No child care provided. To register or to get a list of available training dates, go to [www.virtusonline.org](http://www.virtusonline.org). You must register online. Any questions, contact Bruce Guindon at 937-426-1733 x202 or [bguindon@saintlukeparish.org](mailto:bguindon@saintlukeparish.org).

**50th WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS:** The Golden Wedding Anniversary Mass for couples celebrating their **50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary in 2016** will be held at Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception, Dayton, on Saturday, August 27, 2016 at 4:30 p.m. Bishop Joseph R. Binzer will be the principal celebrant. For an invitation to the Mass, call the parish office at 426-1733 x201, no later than Friday, June 17, 2016.

**THE ST. LUKE BOOSTERS'** officers for the upcoming year are President Doug Sabo, Vice President Wil Schaefer, Treasurer Kevin Malloy, Secretary Ginny Martin and Publicity Chairperson Mark Niezgodski. The booster also approved over \$24,000.00 in funding to 19 groups within the church for the upcoming year that starts in July.

The boosters are in need of two more board members to fill our ranks. We meet once a month and have three events a year. If interested in being a Booster Board member please contact any current booster.

## **THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH**

### **Sunday, May 22, 2016**

SVDP Dayton District Meeting in Parish Center (9:00 AM - 12:00 PM)  
Youth Ministry Meeting in BFH/YMR/Gym (5:00 - 9:00 PM)

### **Monday, May 23, 2016**

Sewing Guild Meeting (9:30 AM - 12:00 PM)  
Rosary Club Meeting in Parish Center (3:00 - 5:00 PM)  
Extension in Bishop Ford Hall/Gym (3:00 - 6:00 PM)  
Cub Scouts Pack 85 Meeting in Parish Center (5:00 - 9:00 PM)  
Boy Scouts Troop 85 Meeting in Bishop Ford Hall (7:00 - 8:30 PM)  
Cub Scouts Pack Meeting in Gym (7:00 - 8:00 PM)  
Al-Anon Family Group in Jansen Center East (7:30 - 8:30 PM)  
Adult Men's Volleyball in Gym (8:30 - 11:00 PM)

### **Tuesday, May 24, 2016**

Eucharistic Adoration in St. Dominic Chapel (9:15 AM - 7:00 PM)  
St. Luke Crafters Workshops in Bishop Ford Hall (9:30 - 12:00 PM)  
Leisure Club Board Mtg in Jansen Center East (1:00 - 2:30 PM)  
Extension in Bishop Ford Hall/Gym (3:00 - 6:00 PM)  
Adult Faith Formation Committee Mtg in Jansen East (7:00 - 9:00 PM)  
Saints Movie Series in Jansen Center West (7:00 - 9:00 PM)  
Adult Men's Basketball in Gym (8:30 - 11:00 PM)

### **Wednesday, May 25, 2016**

Catholic Men's Group Meeting in Jansen Center West (6:00 - 7:00 AM)  
True Devotion to Mary Study in Jansen East (10:30 AM - 12:30 PM)  
NLR Meeting in Jansen Center West (11:00 - 1:00 PM)  
4<sup>th</sup> Grade End of Year Party in Bishop Ford Hall (1:30 - 2:30 PM)  
Extension in Bishop Ford Hall/Gym (3:00 - 6:00 PM)  
Daisy Troop 34348 Meeting in School Room #106 (3:30 - 4:30 PM)

### **Thursday, May 26, 2016**

Extension in Bishop Ford Hall/Gym (3:00 - 6:00 PM)  
BS Troop 85 Patrol Leader's Council in Jansen Rose (7:00 - 8:30 PM)  
GS 4th Grade Troop 32722 Meeting in Parish Center (7:00 - 8:15 PM)  
NFP Classes in Jansen Center West (7:00 - 9:30 PM)  
Our Lady of Good Counsel SCC Mtg in Jansen East (7:15 - 9:00 PM)  
K of C Council Meeting in Bishop Ford Hall (8:00 - 9:00 PM)  
Adult Men's Basketball in Gym (8:30 - 11:00 PM)

### **Friday, May 27, 2016**

3<sup>rd</sup> Grade End of Year Picnic in BFH (11:00 AM - 2:00 PM)  
8<sup>th</sup> Grade Fiesta in Kramer Hall (11:00 AM - 2:00 PM)  
Extension in Bishop Ford Hall/Gym (3:00 - 6:00 PM)  
PTO 5K Run/Walk in Bishop Ford Hall/Soccer Fields (6:00 - 10:00 PM)  
Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting in Jansen West (7:00 - 8:00 PM)

### **Saturday, May 28, 2016**

Adult Men's Basketball in Gym (6:30 - 8:30 AM)

### **Sunday, May 29, 2016**

Reception in Kramer Hall (1:30 - 3:30 PM)  
Youth Ministry Meeting in BFH/YMR/Gym (5:00 - 9:00 PM)

### **Monday, May 30, 2016**

Memorial Day — Offices Closed Parish Wide

### **Tuesday, May 31, 2016**

Eucharistic Adoration in St. Dominic Chapel (9:15 AM - 7:00 PM)  
2<sup>nd</sup> Grade End of Year Party in BFH (10:00 AM - 2:00 PM)  
Extension in Bishop Ford Hall/Gym (3:00 - 6:00 PM)  
Cub Scout Pack 85 Den Meeting in BFH, PC (6:00 - 8:30 PM)  
8<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation Mass in Church (7:00 PM)  
8<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation Reception in Kramer Hall  
Lego League Planning Meeting in Jansen Center West (7:00 - 8:00 PM)  
Adult Men's Basketball in Gym (8:30 - 11:00 PM)

### **Wednesday, June 1, 2016**

Catholic Men's Group Meeting in Jansen Center West (6:00 - 7:00 AM)  
School - Donuts with Dad in Kramer Hall (8:30 - 9:30 AM)  
3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Year-End Picnic in Bishop Ford Hall (10:00 AM - 2:00 PM)  
True Devotion to Mary Study in Jansen East (10:30 AM - 12:30 PM)  
Extension in Bishop Ford Hall/Gym (3:00 - 6:00 PM)  
K of C Assembly Meeting in Bishop Ford Hall (8:00 - 9:00 PM)

## **HERE AT ST. LUKE**

**DEVOTION TO THE MOST PRECIOUS BLOOD OF JESUS CHRIST** is held every Saturday from 1:30 - 3:30 p.m. in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel. All are welcome to come and pray the Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary and Litany, the Chaplet of the Most Precious Blood of Our Lord Jesus Christ followed by the Divine Mercy Chaplet. Contact Divina at 937-431-0323 and leave a detailed message or email at [dgrace777@hotmail.com](mailto:dgrace777@hotmail.com).

**MEN'S MINISTRY:** The St. Luke Catholic Men's Fellowship Groups invite men to join us for fellowship and fraternity. There are four opportunities: Eucharistic Adoration at 7:30 p.m. the first Thursday of the month (Eucharistic Chapel), fellowship at 7:30 a.m. on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Fridays (Bishop Ford Hall), prayer and fellowship at 6:15 a.m. on Wednesdays (Jansen Center), prayer and fellowship at 7:30 p.m. on Thursdays (Jansen Center). Please join us to have some fun, discuss our faith and grow in our personal relationships with Christ in an atmosphere of trust, equality and fraternity.

**DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP:** The recitation of the Divine Mercy Chaplet and Divine Office evening prayer (Vespers) with the Divine Mercy image will be held on Tuesday evenings in St. Dominic Chapel from 6:00 - 6:30 p.m. during exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, followed by Benediction at 6:45. Contact John at 937-572-6573 with any questions.

**LIVING KIDNEY TRANSPLANT DONOR SEARCH:** Area resident, David Spyridon, 66, has recently entered the University of Cincinnati's Hospital Kidney Transplant Program and has learned he has an excellent chance of extending his life for many years if he can locate a living kidney transplant donor. He has been on dialysis for the past 7 years. If initial screening identifies an eligible donor, the transplant procedure for the donor involves a minimally invasive arthroscopic surgery and a few days in the hospital. Any parishioner who has questions about being a donor and might be willing to be screened to donate a kidney, can contact David at 937-313-3611, or the University of Cincinnati Hospital, Taylor Lacey, at 513-584-1829, fax 513-584-0881, or at [taylor.lacey@uchealth.com](mailto:taylor.lacey@uchealth.com). Please keep David in your prayers.

## **AROUND THE AREA**

**St. Brigid Festival** is Saturday May 21<sup>st</sup> until 10:00 p.m. and Sunday May 22<sup>nd</sup> from 12:00 - 6:00 p.m. Rides, live entertainment including bands Saturday night, kids games, bingo, adult gaming, beer, giant flea market and book sale, auction and more. Located on the church grounds at 312 Fairground Road in Xenia.

**The Cana II Team** is searching for couples who are presently living in successful second marriages to participate in this ministry. This ministry is an excellent resource for couples preparing to enter into this unique situation. Some of the topics covered are forgiveness, Family of Origin, Conflict Resolution, Communication, Sacrament of Marriage, Intimacy and Sexuality, Remarriage Concerns, stepfamily issues and finances. The time commitment to this ministry is 2-3 meetings in preparation for the scheduled Cana II and two Cana II Saturdays per year. If you would like to participate please contact Noreen Wendeln at 937-222-0227 or by email at [nwendeln@catholiccincinnati.org](mailto:nwendeln@catholiccincinnati.org).

## AROUND THE AREA

**Lay Catholic Studies:** The Athenaeum of Ohio Lay Pastoral Ministry Program is sponsored by the Archdiocese of Cincinnati and offers lay Catholics the opportunity to grow in faith, knowledge and skills. Since 1975, the LPMP has equipped ordinary Catholics to accomplish extraordinary things in the name of Christ. Saturday classes fit into busy adult schedules, allowing participants to maintain job, family and community commitments while answering a call to deeper discipleship. Interviews are now underway for Fall classes at the Pilarczyk Center in Dayton. Email Deacon Hal Belcher at [hbelcher001@woh.rr.com](mailto:hbelcher001@woh.rr.com) or call 419-305-5486.

**Carroll Football Letterman Club: The Patriot Golf Outing** will be held on Saturday June 4<sup>th</sup> at Locust Hills Golf Club, 5575 North River Road, Springfield with an 8:00 a.m. shotgun start. \$85.00 per golfer when pre-registered, \$100.00 per golfer after May 27<sup>th</sup>. Price includes golf, cart, beverages, chicken and pork chop dinner. Register at [www.CarrollLettermanClub.com](http://www.CarrollLettermanClub.com).

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**St. Helen Spring Festival** is Friday June 10<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 p.m. to midnight, Saturday June 11<sup>th</sup> from 1:00 p.m. to midnight and Sunday June 12<sup>th</sup> from 1:00 p.m. to midnight. Raffles, live music, flea market, book sales and food featuring Holy Smokes BBQ, our world famous cabbage rolls and craft beer. For schedules and details go to [sthelenparish.org](http://sthelenparish.org).

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