

DAILY SCRIPTURE and MASS INTENTION

August 8—Monday Mass Readings Ez 1:2-5, 24-28c Mt 17:22-27	Saint Dominic, Priest 7:00 a.m. Jean Holzinger William Holzinger
August 9—Tuesday Mass Readings Ez 2:8—3:4 Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14	Saint Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, Virgin and Martyr 8:30 a.m. Bobbie Colleary Pat Tatem and Family
August 10—Wednesday Mass Readings 2 Cor 9:6-10 Jn 12:24-26	Saint Lawrence, Deacon / Martyr 7:00 a.m. Michael Kent The Cooney Family
August 11—Thursday Mass Readings Ez 12:1-12 Mt 18:21—19:1	St. Clare, Virgin 8:30 a.m. Richard Jackowski Donna Forte
August 12—Friday Mass Readings Ez 16: 1-15, 60, 63 or 16:59-63 Mt 19:3-12	St. Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious 7:00 a.m. Ross Christopher The Dull Family
August 13—Saturday Mass Readings Ez 18:1-10, 13b, 30-32 Mt 19:13-15	Saints Pontian, Pope, and Hippolytus, Priest, Martyrs 5:30 p.m. Kay Wilson Campanile The Frank Campanile Family
August 14—Sunday Mass Readings Jer 38:4-6, 8-10 Heb 12:1-4 Lk 12:49-53	Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time 8:00 a.m. Herbert H. Becker His Family 10:00 a.m. For The Parish 12:00 p.m. Anicia Salumbides The Lusterio Family

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

July 30 and July 31 - Week # 5

Regular	\$ 20,330.90	Weekend Total - Week # 5
	\$ 116,718.38	Yearly Total - Week # 5
Total Holy Days	\$ 0.00	
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Regular & Holy Days		
	\$ 116,718.38	Total Week - # 5
Budgeted	\$ 26,614.08	Each Weekend - Weeks # 1-52
	\$ 133,070.40	Total Budget through Week # 5
Non-Parish Collection (s)		
	\$ 4,277.00	St. Vincent
	\$ 10.00	Peter's Pence
Miscellaneous Collection (s)	\$ 0.00	

FYI: \$3,521 2016 8-month (Jul 15-Feb 16) cost of fingerprinting and background checks for parish staff and volunteers under the diocesan child protection guidelines. The FY 14-15 cost was \$3,921.

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.

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.



Jubilee
of Mercy

KNOW
MERCY
SHOW
MERCY

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time – August 7, 2016

Hard but clear words today. Jesus tells his beloved “little flock” – that includes us – to sell belongings and give alms. Do not be afraid. Sell. Give. Yet, we are sometimes afraid to let go, to give away. I really like this, we say. I might need it later, we say. Since we are numbered among his disciples, what Jesus said to Peter and to the rest of the Followers, he says to us:

- Do not fear!
- Give alms!
- Be ready to act for the benefit of others; be ready to do what is good!
- So, this week, I will _____!



Saint Luke Parish extends its deepest sympathy to the family of parishioner *Linda Lichtenberg*. Please pray for all our departed friends and relatives.



NEWLY
BAPTIZED

JULY 10, 2016

AMELIA CATHERINE BRADWAY

JULY 17, 2016

AMELIA JO PALUCH

TWO SCHOOL CAFETERIA STAFF VACANCIES TO BE FILLED: Saint Luke has begun a search to fill two school cafeteria staff positions. Responsibilities include food preparation and serving of lunches during the school year and occasional weeknight/weekend parish functions. The positions are part-time, averaging 14 hours per week, mid-morning/early afternoon with rotating hours/flexibility between 9:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. If interested, please contact Bob at 259-4454. Parishioners are asked to remember the search effort in prayer.

SIGN-UP NOW

PARISH PICNIC—MARK YOUR CALENDARS. The Parish picnic is scheduled for September 18th. The food is free, the games are free, in fact just about everything is at no cost to you. We encourage you to sign up early. It will help us to better plan the amount of food we will have to acquire and that is important because we do not want to run out of food. We are planning on ham burgers, hot dogs, baked beans, potato salad, and maybe cole slaw. Sounds great doesn't it? There will be plenty of desserts and cake to share and ice cream by the bucket. Plan on attending with your family. You can sign up in Kramer Hall after all of the Masses, call Jansen Center at 426-1733, ext. 301 or the Parish Office at 426-1733, ext. 201 and give them your information.

ST. LUKE PARISH VOLUNTEER AWARDS: The Pastoral Council is currently accepting nominations for the 2016 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, Kramer Hall or the church office. Completed forms may be placed in the collection basket or dropped off at the church office no later than Friday, September 2nd.

SUNDAY MORNING PRAYER MINISTRY TO BEGIN: Every Sunday immediately following the 8:00 a.m. liturgy, parishioners are invited to join other parishioners in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel for a half-hour of intercessory prayer for others' special needs. Not only will parishioners be available to pray with you, but also for you if you cannot stay and pray. "Do you need prayers?" For more information, contact Marika at 306-8090 or marikaez@yahoo.com.

EUCCHARISTIC EXPOSITION AND ADORATION: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament begins immediately after the Tuesday 8:30 a.m. Mass in St. Dominic Chapel and continues until Benediction at 6:45 p.m. We will recite the Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3:15 and Divine Office evening prayer (Vespers) and evening Divine Mercy Chaplet will be prayed at 6:00 p.m. All ages are welcome. Come and spend 15 minutes or an hour and give yourself the gift of rest in the peacefulness of Christ. To learn more about Eucharistic Adoration, go to www.TheRealPresence.org.

Communal Rosary will be prayed on Tuesday at 8:00 a.m. in St. Dominic Chapel.

SOCIAL ACTION MINISTRY

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



FAIR TRADE COFFEE: Fair Trade coffee will be available for purchase August 13th and 14th after all Masses in Kramer Hall.



ST. VINCENT BAG LUNCH PROGRAM - Sign Up: The St. Luke Mercy Workers need your help to feed the hungry. We will be hosting a **bag lunch** session on Saturday August 13th at 1:30 p.m. in Bishop Ford Hall. The lunches support St. Vincent Shelter guests who are unable to eat meals on-site due to work or school. This is a hands-on opportunity to show mercy to our brothers and sisters as they work to improve their lives. Please consider signing up to donate supplies and/or volunteer to help pack the bags. All ages are welcome. Thank you. See the sign up link <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0d45a5ac2caafd0-stvincent1> for details.

ST. LUKE GARDEN OF BLESSINGS: Our St. Luke Garden of Blessings is a yearly summer project where parishioners raise fruits, vegetables and herbs in their home gardens and bring them to Jansen Center for distribution to the needy. We distribute over 1,000 pounds of fresh, homegrown food every year through this project. If you would like to participate in this project, please bring your produce to Jansen Center during the following hours: Monday through Thursday 8:30 a.m. - 9:30 p.m., Friday 8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. and Sunday 9:00 - noon. Jansen is closed on Saturday. Growing our Garden of Blessings food provides an opportunity to reflect on the abundance of God's gifts to us. It can be a focus for family prayer and discussion about what kind of people God calls us to be. For additional information, please contact Trudy Sarabia at 429-0807.



DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE OPPORTUNITIES—JUBILEE YEAR OF MERCY: Lisa Donigian is inviting parishioners to join her in a personal day of pilgrimage to a designated diocesan Jubilee Year site. Pope Francis encouraged each diocese to include a **Holy Door** devotion to which pilgrims can journey during the Jubilee Year of Mercy. A **Holy Door of Mercy** represents the compassion, love, mercy, and consolation of God working in our lives. A personal pilgrimage is to open (like a door) an individual to experience the love of God who consoles, pardons, and instills hope, and to enhance a spiritual renewal in God's grace.

The pilgrimage is **Monday August 22nd** to Carey, Ohio (Our Lady of Consolation Shrine). Although not a parish-sponsored activity, interested parishioners will carpool from Saint Luke's in the morning and return by evening. Each pilgrimage will visit the Holy Door, tour the grounds, and if possible celebrate Mass. For information and **to RSVP**, contact Lisa at 937-901-2727 or aramnlisa@aol.com. All parishioners are invited.

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@saintlukeparish.org.

YOU DID IT TO ME - FR. GAITLEY STUDY: Join us as we explore the Spiritual and Corporal Works of Mercy with Fr. Michael Gaitley's new DVD/book study, *You Did It To Me*. The series is held Wednesdays and concludes August 24th with a 1:00 p.m. afternoon session and a 7:00 p.m. evening session in Jansen Center. Please register with Tom at 426-1733 ext. 301. Books are \$5. For information, please call Lisa at 937-901-2726 or email aramnlisa@aol.com.

THE ORIGINAL IMAGE OF DIVINE MERCY - FILM SCREENING: Please join us on **August 29th** at 7:00 p.m. in Kramer Hall or **August 31st** at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Center as we host an official film screening of the internationally acclaimed movie, *The Original Image of Divine Mercy*. The film traces the original image that St. Faustina oversaw, its time in hiding during the Nazi and Communist eras in Lithuania, how it was found and where it resides today. View the film trailer at <http://www.divinemercyfilm.com/>. All are welcome. No cost to attend, but please RSVP (name and number attending) to either Lisa at aramnlisa@aol.com or Tom at 937-426-1733 ext. 301.

ISAIAH SCRIPTURE STUDY: *"For waters shall break forth in the wilderness, and streams in the desert; the burning sand shall become a pool, and the thirsty ground springs of water"* (Isaiah 35:6-7). Our study of the Prophet Isaiah resumes **August 23rd at 1:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.** as we bridge from Part I and move into chapters 34-35: Justice and Mercy. Continuing participants are asked to prepare Lesson 9 in anticipation while **new folks are welcome to sign up** and join the study. Materials can be ordered by contacting Tom Smith, Jansen Center at 426-1733 ext. 301. Please sign up early so books can be ordered and stop by to pick up a copy of Lesson 9 so you can also prepare in advance. You have two options of times for this study. The Prophet Isaiah will continue through the remainder of the church year with a break between sessions Part II and Part III.

TRUE DEVOTION OF MARY BOOK STUDY resumes **August 24th from 10:30 a.m. until noon**. It is not too late to consider joining us along with St. Louis De Montfort as we delve into a deeper appreciation of Our Blessed Mother along with many current voices like St. John Paul the Great, Mother Teresa, Fr. John Hardon, II Vatican Council, Fr. Michael Gaitley, Jeff Cavins and more. For further information please contact Beth Lang-Sletten at 427-9029 or Tom Smith, Jansen Center at 426-1733 ext. 301.

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION AND EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAM

Early Childhood and PSR

PSR begins **September 7th**
Early Childhood begins **September 11th**

The Parish School of Religion is seeking catechists to teach 5th grade at 4:15 p.m. and 6th grade at 7:00 p.m.. If you love Jesus, want to share your joy with His Children, then this is a wonderful ministry for you!



Contact Caroline Barhorst at cbarhorst@saintlukeparish.org for more information.

REGISTER FOR PSR AND EARLY CHILDHOOD: To register, please stop by the Jansen Center Monday through Thursday 8:30 a.m. to 9:30 p.m., Friday 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. or Sunday 9:00 a.m. to noon or go to www.saintlukeparish.org to download the forms under Faith Formation. Just a reminder our PSC/EC programs are for children three years old through high school. We look forward to walking with you on your families' faith journey in 2016-2017!

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. 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.

CLOW continues to need 2 VIRTUS[®] trained adults at each session of the 5:30 p.m. and 10:00 a.m. Mass. In our efforts to ensure the safety of the children who attend, we are asking that 2 VIRTUS[®] trained adults sign up for this ministry. If we are unable to have 2 VIRTUS[®] trained adults sign up, CLOW will not be offered at that Mass. If you are interested in helping with this beautiful children's ministry please contact Caroline Barhorst at the Jansen Center, 426-1733, x306.

YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

NOTE: All Youth Activities will be on break until August 21st.

ST. LUKE SCHOOL NEWS

ST. LUKE AND CARROLL HIGH SCHOOL UNIFORM SALE AND DONATIONS: The St. Luke Used Uniform Sale is this Sunday August 7th from 9:00 a.m. until noon in the Parish Center. Proceeds go to St. Luke PTO. Used uniforms in good condition may be dropped off at this time. Only items in very wearable condition are put into the sale. Pick up some extra items and get ready for next year ... and don't forget shorts for the beginning of the year! If you have questions, contact Cathy Deardorf at cdeardorf@ieee.org.

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FOUND: A Pandora bracelet was found months ago. If this belongs to you contact Debbie at suttod@saintlukeparishschool.org or call 426-1733, ext. 401.

HERE AT ST. LUKE

SUNDAY AUGUST 7th GUEST SPEAKER: Parishioners are invited to listen to Dr. Peter Howard, founder of Heroic Families, speak on **Sunday, August 7th** at 7:30 p.m. in Kramer Hall. Dr. Howard is author of *The Woman: The Mystery of Mary as Mediatrix in the Teaching of Fulton J. Sheen*. He explores the Blessed Mother's activity and role in the modern world and the Church's call for a new evangelization.

ATTENTION EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS, LECTORS, SERVERS, USHERS AND MASS COORDINATORS: The Ministers Schedule for September and October will be developed beginning August 15th. Please let Deacon Gerry (426-1733, ext. 304 or gdupree@saintlukeparish.org) know those weekends that you are not available to serve at Mass. The information is required no later than close of business August 12, 2016. If you are aware of dates in November and December that you are not available; particularly around the Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays, include that information as well and it will be added to the database. Let us also know if you have a new email address, telephone number or if you are leaving the parish.

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 **Monday, August 15th**. 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. You must register online. Any questions, contact Bruce Guindon at 937-426-1733 x202 or bguindon@saintlukeparish.org.

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 2nd and 5th 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 fun, discuss our faith and grow in our personal relationships with Christ in an atmosphere of trust, equality and fraternity.

HERE AT ST. LUKE

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.

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 message or email dgrace777@hotmail.com.

MOMS AND TOTS OPEN HOUSE: Come learn what the St. Luke's Moms and Tots' group is all about at our Open House and Ice Cream Social on Saturday August 20th at 2:00 p.m. in Bishop Ford Hall on – an event for the whole family! We look forward to meeting new families and reuniting with familiar faces!

THE CANDY BOOTH is accepting donations of creamy peanut butter, powdered sugar and pecans for this year's bazaar. We appreciate your past support. Our booth is the highest grossing at the bazaar. We will gladly accept any donations of decorative candy dishes, plates and cupcake liners. If anyone is interested in joining our team everyone is welcome. Any questions, please call Amy Wollenhaupt at 937-620-0124. Drop off items at Jansen Center. Thank you so much!

ADULT COED VOLLEYBALL welcomes anyone 18 years old and over every Monday night at 8:30 p.m. in the gym. Contact Mike Timpone at mjt69md@cs.com or 426-2161.

GETTING TO KNOW THE SAINTS – MOVIE SERIES

Tuesday, August 16th, 6:30 pm – *St. Damien of Molokai*
*** Please note the 6:30 start time ***

Tuesday, September 13th, 7:00 pm – *St. Mother Teresa Celebration of her Canonization*

Tuesday, October 11th, 7:00 pm – *St. Gerard*

Tuesday, November 8th, 7:00 pm – *St. Hildegard of Bingen*

Tuesday, November 15th, 7:00 pm – *St. Andre of Montreal*

Tuesday, November 22nd, 7:00 pm – *St. Francis Xavier*

Tuesday, December 13th, 7:00 pm – *St. Nicholas*

All are welcome, bring your family and friends. Movies are 60-90 minutes (except *St. Damien*, which is 110 minutes). Light snacks and drinks will be served. For more information, please contact Lisa at 937-901-2727 or aramnlisa@aol.com.

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NOTE:

University of Dayton's Library is looking for any **figurines** used with the wooden German 3-tired Christmas pyramid that was in Jansen Center. If you know anything about the figurines, please contact Bruce at bguindon@saintlukeparish.org. Thank you.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Monday, August 8, 2016

Sewing Guild Workshop in Kramer Hall (9:30 AM - 12:30 PM)
Prayer Shawl Group Meeting in Kramer Hall (9:30 - 11:00 AM)
Troop 85 Scout Meeting in Bishop Ford Hall (7:00 - 8:30 PM)
Al-Anon Family Group in Jansen Center East (7:30 - 8:30 PM)
Adult Men's Volleyball in Gym (8:30 - 10:00 PM)

Tuesday, August 9, 2016

Eucharistic Adoration in St. Dominic Chapel (9:15 AM - 7:00 PM)
St. Luke Crafters Workshop in Credit Union Room (9:30 - 12:30 PM)
K of C Officers Meeting in Jansen Center Rose (7:00 - 8:00 PM)
Adult Men's Basketball in Gym (8:30 - 10:00 PM)

Wednesday, August 10, 2016

Book Study Fr. Gaitley in Jansen Center West (1:00 - 2:30 PM)
Book Study Fr. Gaitley in Jansen Center West (7:00 - 8:30 PM)

Thursday, August 11, 2016

Youth Ministry Brainstorming Meeting in Jansen East (7:00 - 9:00 PM)
RCIA Inquiry in Jansen Center West (7:00 - 8:00 PM)
Adult Men's Basketball in Gym (8:30 - 10:00 PM)

Friday, August 12, 2016

Moms and Tots Playgroup in Nursery (9:30 - 11:30 AM)
Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting in Jansen West (7:00 - 8:00 PM)

Saturday, August 13, 2016

Adult Men's Basketball in Gym (6:30 - 8:30 AM)
SVDP Bag Lunches in Bishop Ford Hall (1:30 - 3:00 PM)

Sunday, August 14, 2016

Anniversary Mass in St. Dominic Chapel (2:00)
Wedding in Church (3:00 PM)

Monday, August 15, 2016

Sewing Guild Workshop in Kramer Hall (9:30 AM - 12:30 PM)
Social Action Ministry Meeting in Jansen Center East (5:30 - 7:00 PM)
VIRTUS Child Protection Training in Jansen West (6:00 - 9:00 PM)
Troop 85 Scout Meeting in Bishop Ford Hall (7:00 - 8:30 PM)
Cub Scout Pack 85 Committee Mtg in Jansen Rose (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 PM - 10:00 PM)

Tuesday, August 16, 2016

Eucharistic Adoration in St. Dominic Chapel (9:15 AM - 7:00 PM)
St. Luke Crafters Workshop in Credit Union Room (9:30 - 12:30 PM)
Getting to Know the Saints Movie in Kramer Hall (7:00 - 9:00 PM)
Boosters Meeting in Jansen Center East (7:00 - 8:30 PM)
SVDP Conference Meeting in Jansen Center West (7:00 - 8:30 PM)
Adult Men's Basketball in Gym (8:30 - 10:00 PM)

Wednesday, August 17, 2016

NLR Meeting in Jansen Center East (11:00 AM - 1:00 PM)
Book Study Fr. Gaitley in Jansen Center West (1:00 - 2:30 PM)
Book Study Fr. Gaitley in Jansen Center West (7:00 P - 8:30 PM)
Building and Grounds Committee Mtg in Jansen East (7:00 - 9:00 PM)

Thursday, August 18, 2016

RCIA Inquiry in Jansen Center West (7:00 - 8:00 PM)
Adult Men's Basketball in Gym (8:30 - 10:00 PM)

Friday, August 19, 2016

New Student Orientation in School/PC/Gym (10:00 - 11:00 AM)
Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting in Jansen West (7:00 - 8:00 PM)

Saturday, August 20, 2016

Adult Men's Basketball in Gym (6:30 - 8:30 AM)
Moms and Tots Open House in Bishop Ford Hall (2:00 - 4:00 PM)
Welcome Dinners in Parish Center (6:30 - 8:30 PM)

Sunday, August 21, 2016

Open House Before School starts in School/PC/Gym (1:00 - 4:00 PM)
Youth Ministry in BFH/YMR/Gym (6:00 - 8:30 PM)

AROUND THE AREA

Women's Morning of Reflection: Join us on Tuesday August 9th at St. Peter's Church. The theme will be "Looking at the Family through the eyes of Jesus." We begin with Mass at 9:30 a.m. followed by a talk with Fr. John Bullock, LC and social refreshments concluding at noon. Confession will be available. To reserve babysitting, contact Heather at 937-867-7332 or for more information, Barbette at 937-293-1438. Regnum Christi women are hosting this wonderful opportunity for all women.

The Secular Order of Discalced Carmelites are meeting Sunday August 14th from 1:00 - 4:30 p.m. at St. Peter's Family Life Center. We welcome any practicing Catholic, 18 years and over, who wishes to visit to discern the call to deeper prayer. We have many resources in our quest for deepening union with God through the inspiration, formation, and experience from the writings of the great Carmelite Saints, Mystics, and Doctors of the Church, especially St. Teresa of Avila, St. John of the Cross and St. Therese of Lisieux, the Little Flower. More information is available at www.daytoncarmelites.org or call Lynn Bete at 937-426-3842.

St. Patrick Church Hosts Talk on Human Trafficking on Tuesday August 16th at 7:00 p.m. in Undercroft, 409 East Main Street in Troy. The presenter Brett Bogan a local humanitarian and activist. Human trafficking is a form of modern-day slavery where people profit from the control and exploitation of others.

2016 Run with the STAGS! 5k Run/Walk and Student Mile: Join the St. Albert Athletic Association and the PTO for our 6th annual event on Friday August 19th. All proceeds benefit students with special needs and health programs at St. Albert. Cost for 1-mile walk is \$10 pre-registered/\$15 after August 17th and cost for 5k is \$20 pre-registered/\$25 after August 17th. Pre-register at www.speedy-feet.com. Pre-register before August 1st to guarantee a dry fit shirt. Questions? Contact Kris O'Neill at 937-409-8439 or email at oneillfam2000@yahoo.com.

Carroll Football Letterman Club: Bocce Blitz will be held Saturday August 20th at Sons of Italy Bella Villa, 2625 County Line Road in Beaver Creek. \$75.00 per player when pre-registered, \$90.00 after August 19th. Price includes 3-4 bocce rounds and steak dinner. Register at www.CarrollLettermanClub.com.

Charismatic Mass on August 25th at 7:00 p.m. at St. Rita's Church (handicap accessible), 5401 N. Main Street in Dayton. The celebrant is Fr. Timothy Knepper, CPPS. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. Praise and Worship will begin at 6:45 p.m. Prayer teams will be available following Mass. All are welcome. Come Holy Spirit and fill the hearts of your faithful! If you have questions, please call Marilyn at 937-898-9522.

The Athenaeum, the Archdiocesan seminary and school of theology, announces a 50% lay tuition reduction. The Lay Pastoral Ministry Program Certificate Option will meet in Dayton at the Pilarczyk Center in 2016-17 and moves to the northern part of the Archdiocese in 2017-18. Graduate programs are available at the main campus in Cincinnati. All options are designed for busy adults with an outstanding faculty, supportive staff and flexible components. For information about Dayton classes, call Deacon Hal Belcher, 419-305-5486. For Cincinnati options, call Dr. Susan McGurgan, 513-231-1200.

AROUND THE AREA

Project Rachel – Healing Retreat September 23rd–25th. Project Rachel is a Post-Abortive Healing Ministry in the Catholic Church. The Family and Respect Life Office is offering this retreat. We invite you to “Look into your heart, listen to the voice of God. Help yourself by accepting His love and forgiveness.” For information or registration, please call the Family and Respect Life Office at 513-421-3131, ext. 2620 or 937-222-0227. Or call our confidential helpline at 513-784-0531. Free will offerings accepted.

Dayton Area Catholic Young Adults is hosting a barbeque for those in their 20s and 30s on Sunday August 21st from 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. at Island Metro Park. All young adults are invited. There will be games and sports. Cost is a free will offering. Contact Andrea Parker at aparker@CatholicCincinnati.org or call 937-223-1001 for more information and to RSVP (not necessary but helpful). Bring a snack to share. Co-sponsored by the Archdiocese of Cincinnati and several Dayton area parishes.

Retreat for Widowed, Divorced – September 23rd–25th : “Beginning Experience,” a peer ministry for people who have lost a spouse through separation, death or divorce, will hold its fall weekend retreat at Our Lady of the Holy Spirit Center, 5440 Moeller Avenue in the Norwood area of Cincinnati. It is a healing weekend, addressing topics such as grief, anger, trust and forgiveness. Founded by a Catholic nun and rooted in the Christian tradition, the ministry has an open, ecumenical spirit that serves people of all faiths. The cost for the weekend is \$175 with lodging, meals and retreat materials included. For information, see beginningexperiencecincinnati.webs.com; email BE Cincinnati@fuse.net<<mailto:BE Cincinnati@fuse.net>>; or leave a message at 513-684-1196.

Christ Child Society of Dayton has served the Dayton community for over 100 years. New members are now being accepted. If you are interested in joining please call Sherry Brown at 433-5811.

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