

**DAILY SCRIPTURE and MASS INTENTION**

<b>August 22—Monday</b>	<b>The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary</b>
<b>Mass</b>	<b>7:00 a.m.</b>
<b>Readings</b>	<b>Ross Christopher</b>
2 Thes 1:1-5, 11-12	The Dull Family
Mt 23:13-22	
<b>August 23—Tuesday</b>	<b>Saint Rose of Lima, Virgin</b>
<b>Mass Readings</b>	<b>8:30 a.m.</b>
2 Thes 2:1-3a, 14-17	<b>Mary and Paul Dorsten</b>
Mt 23:23-26	Their Family
<b>August 24—Wednesday</b>	<b>Saint Bartholomew, Apostle</b>
<b>Mass Readings</b>	<b>7:00 a.m.</b>
Rv 21:9b-14	<b>Debbie Fazio</b>
Jn 1:45-51	The Fazio Family
<b>August 25—Thursday</b>	<b>Saint Louis,</b>
<b>Mass</b>	<b>Saint Joseph Calasanz, Priest</b>
<b>Readings</b>	<b>8:30 a.m.</b>
1 Cor 1:1-9	<b>Alan Martyke</b>
Mt 24:42-51	Lisa Johnson
<b>August 26—Friday</b>	<b>7:00 a.m.</b>
<b>Mass Readings</b>	<b>Barbara Koerner</b>
1 Cor 1:17-25	John Koerner
Mt 25:1-13	
<b>August 27—Saturday</b>	<b>Saint Monica</b>
<b>Mass Readings</b>	<b>5:30 p.m.</b>
1 Cor 1:26-31	<b>Eugene Lunsford</b>
Mt 25:14-30	Donna and Bob Scott
<b>August 28—Sunday</b>	<b>Twenty-Second Sunday</b>
<b>Mass</b>	<b>in Ordinary Time</b>
<b>Readings</b>	<b>8:00 a.m.</b>
Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29	<b>For The Parish</b>
Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a	<b>10:00 a.m.</b>
Lk 14:1, 7-14	<b>Dana Walters</b>
	Donna Forte
	<b>12:00 p.m.</b>
	<b>Jean Holzinger</b>
	William Holzinger

**PARISH STEWARDSHIP**

**August 13 and August 14 - Week # 7**

<b>Regular</b>	\$ 23,184.11	Weekend Total - Week # 7
	<b>\$ 166,940.96</b>	Yearly Total - Week # 7
<b>Total Holy Days</b>	\$ 0.00	
	<b>\$ 0.00</b>	Total Holy Days - Week # 7
<b>Regular &amp; Holy Days</b>	<b>\$ 166,940.96</b>	Total Week - # 7
<b>Budgeted</b>	\$ 26,614.08	Each Weekend - Weeks # 1-52
	<b>\$ 186,298.56</b>	Total Budget through Week # 7
<b>Non-Parish Collection (s)</b>	\$ 10.42	Elizabeth's New Life
<b>Miscellaneous Collection (s)</b>	\$ 0.00	

*FYI: \$6,474 2016 6-month cost (Jul 15-Jan 16) of water and sewer.*

**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.



**Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time – August 21, 2016**

**Here comes everybody.** The entry to the kingdom of God, to heaven, is described as passage through a narrow gate. But the path to it is pretty wide. It has to be, because this roadway has room for the nations of every language, sisters and brothers from everywhere. This is our pilgrimage – helping one another on the path to the kingdom, to our final home, to God.

- Who will be my companions this week?
- Who needs my help down this common road to heaven?

Congratulations! *Elizabeth Wourms* made her Solemn Profession of Faith and was received into the full communion of the Roman Catholic Church. She celebrated her reception and joined the community of St. Luke at the Lord's table for the first time on Saturday August 13, 2016.



Saint Luke Parish extends its deepest sympathy to the family of parishioner *Charles Barhorst*, husband of Rose Barhorst. Please pray for all our departed friends and relatives.

**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.

**PARISH APPRECIATION PICNIC—SIGN-UP NOW**

It's a getting closer. Time is moving faster than a roller coaster. **September 18<sup>th</sup>** will be here before you know it. The plans for the picnic are being finalized. We have all of the attractions lined up. What we need now is the total number of people who will attend. We want to be sure we have enough food for all. This year we will have an added attraction, the Limelight Quartet, a group of ladies, proud members of the Sweet Adelines International, will join the picnic to sing for your entertainment. These ladies are award winners in their own right. Please stop by Kramer Hall after Mass and sign up to attend. Or you can call the Parish Office at 426-1733, ext. 201 or Jansen Center at 426-1733, ext. 301 and sign up via telephone. It only takes a minute.

**OUR MUSICAL ENSEMBLES ARE RETURNING!**



Have you ever wanted to be in a loving, faith-filled community that has lots of fun while leading people in worship at the same time? Consider joining our guitar group or choir! The 5:30 p.m. guitar group rehearses on Saturdays beginning September 10<sup>th</sup> at 4:30 p.m. and our 10:00 a.m. choir rehearses on Thursdays beginning on September 8<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. All voice types are needed and no audition or ability to read music is required. All people of high school age and older are welcome. For more information, please contact David Sievers at 937-426-1733 x204 or [dsievers@saintlukeparish.org](mailto:dsievers@saintlukeparish.org).

**DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE OPPORTUNITY:** Lisa Donigian is inviting parishioners to join her in a personal day of pilgrimage to a designated diocesan Jubilee Year site. 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 22<sup>nd</sup>** to Carey, Ohio (Our Lady of Consolation Shrine). Although not a parish-sponsored activity, we will meet in the back parking lot behind Jansen Center on Monday at 7:00 a.m. and plan to return by 5:00 p.m. For information and **to RSVP**, contact Lisa at [aramnlisa@aol.com](mailto:aramnlisa@aol.com) or 937-901-2727. All parishioners are invited.

**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 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 2<sup>nd</sup>.

**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 August. 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!

**CIVILIZE IT: Faithful Citizenship in the Year of Mercy—**



The question “How do we live in the Year of Mercy when it’s an election year?” is one to which the Civilize It movement can offer an answer. The Catholic Social Action and Family and Respect Life Offices will be offering the Faithful Citizenship in the Year of Mercy presentation at St. Francis of Assisi, 6245 Wilmington Pike in Centerville, in the St. Pope John Paul II Room on Wednesday September 7<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.

Civilize It is a non-partisan response developed in the Archdiocese and designed to guide Catholics on how they can be civil and engaged during this election year while responding to Jesus’ call to love our neighbor. This presentation will look at how the Church forms its conscience through Scripture and Church teaching as articulated in the U.S. bishops’ statement, *Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship*. It will strengthen Catholics to call for more civility, clarity and compassion in electoral politics.

This is a free presentation. For information call Pam Long, regional director of the Catholic Social Action Office Dayton at 937-224-3026 ext. 5018 or email [plong@catholiccincinnati.org](mailto:plong@catholiccincinnati.org).

**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. For additional information, please contact Trudy Sarabia at 429-0807.

**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 p.m. 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](http://www.TheRealPresence.org).

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

## 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).

**THE ORIGINAL IMAGE OF DIVINE MERCY - FILM SCREENING:** Please join us on **August 29<sup>th</sup> and August 31<sup>st</sup>** at 7:00 p.m. in Kramer Hall as we host a 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.divine\\_mercyfilm.com/](http://www.divine_mercyfilm.com/). All are welcome. No cost to attend, but please RSVP (name and number attending) to either Lisa at [aramnlisa@aol.com](mailto: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 23<sup>rd</sup> at 1:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.** as we move into chapters 34-35: Justice and Mercy. Continuing participants are asked to prepare Lesson 9 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 24<sup>th</sup> from 10:30 a.m. until noon.** It is not too late to join 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.

**ST. MONICA MINISTRY:** The members of St. Monica Ministry gather to support one another in their prayers, hopes and longings for family members and friends who no longer practice their Catholic faith or have a weakened faith. All are welcome to participate. This year, in addition to prayer, fellowship and support, we will view video and use the book *Return - How to Draw Your Child Back to the Church* by Brandon Vogt. To order your copy (\$5) call or email Tom Smith at Jansen Center 426-1733 ext. 301 or [tsmith@stlucaparish.org](mailto:tsmith@stlucaparish.org) by August 28<sup>th</sup>. Our next meeting is Sunday September 25<sup>th</sup> from 3:30 - 5:00 p.m. in Kramer Hall. Future meetings for 2016-17 are October 30, December 4, January 22, February 26, March 26 and April 23. Please contact Teresa at [taxmom1@aol.com](mailto:taxmom1@aol.com) for more information.

## PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION AND EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAM

### REGISTER FOR PSR AND EARLY CHILDHOOD

PSR begins **September 7<sup>th</sup>**  
Early Childhood begins **September 11<sup>th</sup>**

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](http://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!



The Parish School of Religion is seeking catechists to teach 5<sup>th</sup> grade at 4:15 p.m. and 6<sup>th</sup> 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](mailto:cbarhorst@saintlukeparish.org) for more information.

**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<sup>®</sup> 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<sup>®</sup> trained adults sign up for this ministry. If we are unable to have 2 VIRTUS<sup>®</sup> 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.

**St. Luke Parish Picnic**  
**Sunday, September 18<sup>th</sup>**  
**(following 2:00 PM Mass)**

**Don't Forget The Picnic!**

A cartoon illustration of a pig wearing a striped shirt and shorts, carrying a picnic basket on its back.

## HERE AT ST. LUKE

**SCHOOL IS BACK IN SESSION:** School will be back in session starting **August 24<sup>th</sup>** and the children will be out and about so please slow down. The after school program located in Bishop Ford Hall is another reason to slow down between 3:00 and 6:00 p.m. Students will be crossing between the back gym door and Bishop Ford Hall and the playground. Thank you for your cooperation in keeping the students safe.



**MASS COORDINATORS:** If you feel you are being called to become more involved in the weekend Mass, there are openings available for Mass Coordinators. We are especially in need of help at the 12 noon Mass on Sundays. If you are at least 16 years old or older, can pour liquid and count, and don't mind assisting people, you are qualified. To volunteer, please call the Church at 426-1733 and speak to Deacon Bill at extension 203 or Deacon Gerry at extension 304.

**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 information, contact Marika at 306-8090 or [marikaeez@yahoo.com](mailto:marikaeez@yahoo.com).

**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](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 fun, discuss our faith and grow in our personal relationships with Christ in an atmosphere of trust, equality and fraternity.

### GETTING TO KNOW THE SAINTS – MOVIE SERIES

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

Tuesday, October 11<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm – *St. Gerard*

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

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

Tuesday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>, 7:00 pm – *St. Francis Xavier*

Tuesday, December 13<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm – *St. Nicholas*

All are welcome, bring your family and friends. 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).


**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, September 20<sup>th</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).

**ST. LUKE CUB SCOUT PACK 85:** All boys in grades 1-5 are invited to join St. Luke's Cub Scout Pack 85. Visit our pack meeting on Monday August 29<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Center or our sign-up night on Tuesday August 30<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m. in Bishop Ford Hall. Contact Richard Drye at 623-6938, [dryericj@gmail.com](mailto:dryericj@gmail.com) or visit: <http://pack85beavercreek.scoutlander.com/>.

**BEAVERCREEK POPCORN FESTIVAL:** Make plans to visit the St. Luke's Boosters booth at the Beaver-creek Popcorn Festival on September 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup>. 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 Kevin Malloy if you are able to volunteer at [malloyk6802@gmail.com](mailto:malloyk6802@gmail.com) or 937-306-8465.





**ST. LUKE  
CHRISTMAS BAZAAR**

While cold weather and the Christmas season seems 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 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.

**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!

## YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

### 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

August 21,  
August 28  
September 11,  
September 25  
October 2, October 9  
October 16, October 23  
October 30  
November 6, November 20  
December 4, December 11  
December 18



### Middle School Retreat

November 11-13, 2016

- Planning meetings begin Tuesday October 4<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. in the Jansen Center.
- Please complete the leader application by September 25<sup>th</sup> which can be obtained from the Jansen Center.
- Leaders are 10<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade youths and VIRTUS<sup>®</sup> trained adults.

## THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

### 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)

### Monday, August 22, 2016

Sewing Guild Workshop in Kramer Hall (9:30 AM - 12:30 PM)  
Cub Scouts Den Meeting in Parish Center (6:00 - 8:30 PM)  
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 23, 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)  
Prophet Isaiah Parts II & III in Jansen West (1:00 - 3:00 PM)  
Leisure Club Board Meeting in Jansen Center East (1:00 - 2:30 PM)  
Prophet Isaiah Parts II & III Jansen Conference Room (7:00 - 9:00 PM)  
Adult Men's Basketball in Gym (8:30 - 10:00 PM)

### Wednesday, August 24, 2016

True Devotion to Mary Study in Jansen West (10:30 AM - 12:30 PM)  
Book Study Fr. Gaitley in Jansen Center West (1:00 - 2:30 PM)  
Extension in Bishop Ford Hall/Gym (3:00 - 6:00 PM)  
Book Study Fr. Gaitley in Jansen Center West (7:00 - 8:30 PM)

### Thursday, August 25, 2016

Extension in Bishop Ford Hall/Gym (3:00 - 6:00 PM)  
RCIA Inquiry in Jansen Center West (7:00 - 8:00 PM)  
K of C Council Meeting in Bishop Ford Hall (8:00 - 9:30 PM)  
Adult Men's Basketball in Gym (8:30 - 10:00 PM)

### Friday, August 26, 2016

Extension in Bishop Ford Hall/Gym (3:00 - 6:00 PM)  
Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting in Jansen West (7:00 - 8:00 PM)

### Saturday, August 27, 2016

Adult Men's Basketball in Gym (6:30 - 8:30 AM)  
K of C 4th Degree Team Mtg in Bishop Ford Hall (9:30 - 11:30 AM)

### Sunday, August 28, 2016

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

## AROUND THE AREA

**University of Dayton's International Marian Research Institute:** Learn more about the Blessed Virgin Mary and deepen your devotion to her by studying at the University of Dayton's International Marian Research Institute. Audit individual courses or enroll in the certificate program. Register by August 23<sup>rd</sup>. For information, visit [www.udayton.edu/imri/academic-program/overview-and-courses.php](http://www.udayton.edu/imri/academic-program/overview-and-courses.php) or call Mike Duricy at 937-229-1474.

**Catholic Scripture Study – The Gospel of Saint John** orientation on August 24<sup>th</sup> at St. Henry. Join women from neighboring Catholic parishes as we study the Gospel of St John. This study aims to bring women to a deeper personal relationship with Jesus Christ by offering personal study and small group discussion. Classes are Wednesday mornings or evenings. For more information contact Mel Kerr at 937-620-8642, [melkerr4css@yahoo.com](mailto:melkerr4css@yahoo.com) or Margie Christie at 937-866-7917, or [dchristieclan@aol.com](mailto:dchristieclan@aol.com).

**Charismatic Mass** on August 25<sup>th</sup> 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 23<sup>rd</sup> Annual Dayton Lebanese Festival** is August 26<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup> at St. Ignatius of Antioch Maronite Catholic Church, 5915 Springboro Pike (SR 741) in Dayton. The festival features authentic middle-eastern food, live entertainment, amusement rides, cultural displays, and selected arts and crafts. On August 29<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 a.m. a Maronite-Rite, Eastern Catholic Mass will be celebrated in English, Arabic and Aramaic-Syriac. Rain or shine. Admission is free. For more information call 937-371-8441.

**Catholic Divorce Survival Guide:** A 12-week group held on Monday evenings from 7:00 - 8:30 p.m., August 29<sup>th</sup> through November 21<sup>st</sup> in the 'Candle Room' of St. Christopher's Church in Vandalia. Cost is \$25 per person. Register online at <https://secure.aceptiva.com/?cst=670e37>. Any questions call Noreen Wendeln at Family & Respect Life Office 937-222-0227.

**Catholic-Sponsored DivorceCare:** A 13-week program and support group held on Thursday evenings from 7:00 - 9:00 p.m., September 8<sup>th</sup> through December 8<sup>th</sup> at St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church, 6245 Wilmington Pike in Centerville. Cost is \$25 per person. Scholarships are available. For more information, or to register, call Marcelle Toma at 937-312-1157 or [mtoma@woh.rr.com](mailto:mtoma@woh.rr.com).

**Elizabeth's New Life Center's Baby Boutique:** Consider helping us restock our Baby Boutique which is running low on supplies. Items currently needed are baby monitors, bath tubs, boppy pillows, diaper bags, safety gates, umbrella strollers and pack-n-plays. Items may be dropped off at our boutique at 614 Five Oaks Avenue in Dayton Wednesdays from 3:00 - 5:00 p.m. or on Saturdays from 10:00 a.m. to noon, or you can call our office Monday-Friday at 937-226-7414 to arrange a drop off time. Also we have a baby registry set up at Walmart (login information: first name: ENLC and last name: Boutique). You can purchase items and have them shipped directly to us! We and the families we serve thank you so much for your support!

## AROUND THE AREA

**Retreat for Widowed, Divorced – September 23<sup>rd</sup>–25<sup>th</sup> :** “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](http://beginningexperiencecincinnati.webs.com); email [BEcincinnati@fuse.net](mailto:BEcincinnati@fuse.net)<<mailto:BEcincinnati@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 being accepted. If you are interested in joining please call Sherry Brown at 433-5811.

**Project Rachel – Healing Retreat September 23<sup>rd</sup>–25<sup>th</sup>.** 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.

**University of Dayton:** *Hans Friedrich Grohs, Artist and Mystic* exhibit runs through November 13<sup>th</sup>. Hours are Monday-Friday from 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., the Marian Library Gallery, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor Roesch Library. Free and open to the public. Complimentary visitor parking passes at the visitor parking lot information center. For special arrangements call 937-229-4214.

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