

THIS WEEK AT SAINT PASCHAL BAYLON MASS AND MEETING SCHEDULE

Monday, February 29, 2016, Lenten Weekday

Kgs 5:1-15b; Pss 42:2-3; 43:3-4; Lk 4:24-30

- 9:00 a.m. MASS: Dolores Piccirillo
- 11:30 a.m. MASS: Dana Simonis (St. Ann Shrine)
- 12:15 p.m. MASS: Stanley Wielkiewicz
- 6:00p.m. Parish Mission, Eymard Room

Tuesday, March 1, 2016, Lenten Weekday

Dn 3:25, 34-43; Ps 25:4-5b, 6, 7bc, 8-9; Mt 18:21-35

- 6:30 a.m. MASS: Beatrice Gallito
- 9:00 a.m. MASS: Parishioner Intention
- 9:45 a.m. Arise, Arkins Room
- 11:30 a.m. MASS: (St. Ann Shrine)
- 6:00p.m. Parish Mission, Eymard Room

Wednesday, March 2, 2016, Lenten Weekday

Dt 4:1, 5-9; Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20; Mt 5:17-19

- 9:00 a.m. MASS: Ann and Anthony Zummo
- 11:00 a.m. Rosary Guild, Arkins Room
- 11:30 a.m. MASS: Anna Nagin (St. Ann Shrine)
- 12:15 p.m. MASS: Mike Fappino
- 2:00 p.m. Arise, Arkins Room
- 6:00 p.m. Parish Mission, Eymard Room
- 7:00 p.m. Bible Study, Arkins Room

Thursday, March 3, 2016, Lenten Weekday

Jer 7:23-28; Ps 95:1-2, 6-9; Lk 11:14-23

- 9:00 a.m. MASS: Marie McManas
- 11:30 a.m. MASS: (St. Ann Shrine)
- 6:00 p.m. Holy Name Society, Eymard Room
- 7:00 p.m. Arise, Eymard Room
- 7:00 p.m. RCIA, FLC Library

Friday, March 4, 2016, Lenten Weekday

Hos 14:2-10; Ps 81:6c-11b, 14, 17; Mk 12:28-34

- 9:00 a.m. MASS: Charles Sepic
- 11:30 a.m. MASS: (St. Ann Shrine)

Saturday, March 5, 2016, Lenten Weekday

Hos 6:1-6; Ps 51:3-4, 18-21b; Lk 18:9-14

- 9:00 a.m. MASS: Phillip Zito
- 4:30 p.m. MASS: Frances Mallin

Sunday, March 6, 2016, FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Jos 5:9a, 10-12; Ps 34:2-7; Cor 5:17-21; Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

- 8:00 a.m. MASS: Susan Cooke
- 10:00 a.m. MASS: Laura Paratore
- 12:00 p.m. SCOUT MASS: Edward Shamrock
- 1:00 p.m. Catholics Returning Home, Parlor
- 7:00 p.m. MASS: Connie and Joseph Giancola

SAVE THE DATES

- **STATIONS OF THE CROSS:** Fridays during Lent at 7:00 p.m. in the Church.
- **PARISH LENTEN MISSION “BETTER” WITH REV. SCOTT STEINKERCHNER, OP – February 28 – March 2**
 - Preaching at the weekend Masses
 - Tuesday afternoon, March 1, Eymard Spiritual Group (potluck lunch) 11:30 a.m. until 1:30 p.m.
 - Tuesday night, March 1, 5:30 p.m. Youth Group Soup Dinner & 7:00 p.m. Taizé Prayer Service
 - Wednesday, March 2, Mass, 7:00 p.m. (with extended homily), followed by a reception hosted by the Welcome Committee
- **SCHOOL PENANCE SERVICE – ALL INVITED:** Monday, February 29, 9:45 a.m.
- **ALTAR SERVER TRAINING:** Wednesday, March 2, 16 and 23 at 4:00 p.m. in church.
- **8th GRADE MUSICAL – PETER PAN JR.:** Friday, March 4, Saturday, March 5 at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday, March 6 at 1:30p.m.
- **SCOUT MASS:** Sunday, March 6 at 12:00 p.m.
- **PTO MEETING:** Tuesday, March 8 at 7:00 p.m. in Saint Julie Billiard Room.
- **EDUCATION FAIR:** Thursday, March 10, 6:30 p.m. Come to Father O’Brien Hall to see all the great things our school does for our students. Invite perspective parents to see the clubs, awards and activities that make our school award winning.
- **SPRING CRAFT SHOW:** Saturday, March 12, O’Brien Hall.
- **TIME CHANGE WEEKEND:** Sunday, March 13 – offer it up as you lose an hour and come to Mass on time.
- **SSS COMMUNITY RETREAT DAY AT REGINA HEALTH CENTER RICHFIELD:** Monday, March 14 there is only **ONE MASS** this day, here at SPB at 9:00 a.m. No Shrine or 12:15 p.m. Mass. Please pray for our religious who are in a special Lenten Retreat Day, preparing for their General Chapter Meeting.
- **LITURGY COMMISSION:** Monday, March 14, 6:00 p.m., Parlor.
- **PASTORAL COUNCIL:** Monday, March 14, 7:00 p.m., Saint Julie Billiard Room.
- **FINANCE COUNCIL:** Tuesday, March 15, 7:00 p.m., Saint Julie Billiard Room.
- **PENANCE SERVICE:** Thursday, March 17, 7:00 p.m., Church of Saint Clare.
- **SOLEMNITY OF SAINT JOSEPH:** Saturday, March 19 at 9:00 a.m. Mass. Please join us on this special day to honor a great saint.
- **PTO GAME NIGHT:** Saturday, March 19 at PLAY on Mayfield Road. See more details elsewhere in the bulletin.
- **PALM SUNDAY:** Saturday, March 19 and Sunday, March 20 – Service begins in the Family Life Center with the Blessing of the Palms. Let us walk, “Like Christ,” and remember our journey of faith no matter what difficulties we face. We walk with the Lord with joy!
- **TAIZE PRAYER:** Monday, March 21, 7:00 p.m., Church.
- **SPRING FLING PARISH 4-DAY FESTIVAL:** In honor of our patron Saint Paschal Baylon (feast day is May 17) we have our parish festival this year – Thursday, May 19, Friday, May 20, Saturday, May 20 and Sunday, May 21. **RESERVE THE DATES!** You don’t have to cook these nights!

SAVE THE DATES - continued

- **TASTE OF THE TOWN:** Saturday, November 5, 2016. SAVE THE DATE!

ALTAR SERVER TRAINING - To register, please email Mary Browske, coordinator at dbrowske@roadrunner.com. See our video online. New training continues:

- Wednesday, March 2, 4:00 p.m.
- Wednesday, March 16, 4:00 p.m.
- Wednesday, March 23, 4:00 p.m.
- Wednesday, April 6, 4:00 p.m.

Installation of Altar Servers will be at the 10:00 a.m. Mass, Sunday, April 10.

TRIDUUM SCHEDULE

HOLY THURSDAY, MARCH 24

- Rosary, 8:30 a.m.
- Morning Prayer, 9:00 a.m. (Led by our school students) **No morning Masses.**
- Lent ends at 4:00 p.m. Sacred Triduum begins
- Agape (Potluck) Meal, 5:30 p.m. (hosted by the Aggregation of the Blessed Sacrament)
- Liturgy of the Lord's Supper, 7:30 p.m. with candle light procession of the Blessed Sacrament
- Saint Ann Shrine open for prayer from 9:15 p.m. until Midnight

GOOD FRIDAY, MARCH 25

- Rosary, 8:30 a.m.
- Morning Prayer, 9:00 a.m. **No Masses**
- Parish office closed
- Stations of the Cross, 12:00 p.m. (Led by our Youth Group)
- Liturgy of the Lord's Passion, 3:00 p.m. or 7:30 p.m. with special preaching from Very Rev. Anthony Schueller, SSS

HOLY SATURDAY, MARCH 26

- Rosary, 8:30 a.m.
- Morning Prayer, 9:00 a.m.
- Decorating for Easter, after Morning Prayer at 9:20 a.m.
- Blessing of Food, Easter Baskets, 12:00 p.m.
- **NO 3:30 p.m. Confessions or 4:30 p.m. Mass**
- Easter Vigil, 8:00 p.m. (**The greatest night of the liturgical year!**)

EASTER SUNDAY, MARCH 27

- Masses at 6:30 a.m., 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m. & 12:00 p.m. (Children's Choir)
- **NO 7:00 p.m. Mass**
(Renewal of your Baptismal Promises during each of the Masses)

EASTER MONDAY, MARCH 28

- Rosary, 8:30 a.m. (No Morning Prayer or Evening Prayer this day)
- Mass **ONLY** at 9:00 a.m.
- Parish office closed

PTO NEWS

GAME KNIGHT – SAVE THE DATE FOR MARCH 19TH – The PTO is hosting a fun-filled evening for all parents on March 19th at 7:00 p.m. at PLAY on Mayfield Rd. Be sure to save this date and find a sitter! In addition to spending the night with friends, there will be a Buy-it-Now Board, Basket Raffles and lots of opportunities to play in the arcade while watching the Cavs and NCAA Playoffs! Tickets are \$25 and include pizza, salad, and one drink ticket. RSVP to Nancy Dulzer at ndulzer@gmail.com.

IF YOU ARE IN NEED OF A CAREGIVER: Please contact **Connie Tilenni** at 216-513-3941 for more information.

YOUTH MINISTRY

"No matter the bumps, no matter the bruises, no matter the scars, still the truth is the cross has made, the cross has made you flawless. No matter the hurt, or how deep the wound is, no matter the pain, still the truth is, the cross has made, the cross has made you flawless." Flawless by MercyMe

What an amazing few weeks our youth group has had. On behalf of our entire Youth Ministry Program, thank you so much for your incredible generosity. We were very successful in our fundraising efforts for our trip to Houston, Texas. We are so grateful for all those who supported us in our first ever Cavatelli Pasta Night. Special thank you to Maria Rossi and Carmela Mitra for teaching our teens how to make the cavatelli by hand. Thank you to Denise Coreno, Kristen Polantz, Dave Yormick, and Vera DiCianno for truly stepping up and helping us with our dinner. **A HUGE *Grazi*** to Maria Rossi who cooked the pasta and homemade sauce. We are truly blessed! Thank you to everyone who also came to our Cookies with Olaf. We were able to donate \$150 to both Ronald McDonald House and our Helping Hands Ministry. Finally, thank you for your prayers for our teens that were on retreat last weekend. We had more than 50 teens participate and had a great time. Thank you to our teen leaders: Ally Panzero, Emmi Bowles, Bridget Dickens, and Erin Brownlee for leading small groups, as well as Nancy Dulzer for her constant support. God is GOOD! **Please mark your calendars for our upcoming events:**

- **Sunday, February 28th:** Regular Meeting - Chosen Night: Why Be Catholic?
 - **Tuesday, March 1st:** Soup Night 5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. in Eymard Room *Service Hours Opportunity! ***RSVP required***
 - **Sunday, March 6th:** Regular Meeting - Supersized Game Night!
 - **Sunday, March 13th:** Regular Meeting - Chosen Night: Where Am I Going? High School Students only: Agape Latte at St. Dominic Parish - 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. (***RSVP required for Agape Latte!**)
- Sunday, March 20th:** Eucharistic Adoration - Combined Meeting 5:30 p.m. - 6:45 p.m. for all.

EDUCATION

SAINT PASCHAL BAYLON SCHOOL NEWS: Congratulations to Dylan Huss! Dylan represented Saint Paschal Baylon School at the annual Walsh High School Science Day this past Saturday, February 13, 2016. He earned a "Superior" rating and a 3rd Place prize in his category for his project designed to test the question "Can a robot be built to follow a line?" He plans to take his project to the District V Science Day in March. Thank you to Mrs. Kulick for her guidance. Congratulations also to some of our free throw shooters. During Catholic Schools Week, Mrs. Widener arranged our annual Knights of Columbus Free Throw Competition. The following students advanced to the next round which was held on Sunday, February 21: 8th graders Briella Claudio and Matthew Karim, 7th grader Colin Seper, 5th grader Niyah Fuggs, and 4th graders Celia Anthony and Russell Peterson. We'll share the results as soon as we have them. **Here are some great things happening this week:**

- **On Monday, February 29** students in Grades 3-8 will be attending a Lenten Reconciliation Service.
- **Join us on Wednesday** for our 9:00 a.m. Liturgy.
- **We hope you can make it to one of the performances of Peter Pan, Jr.** being held on March 4, 5, & 6.
- **We have no school on Friday, March 4.**

God bless, Carol L. Jansky, Principal

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FROM THE PASTOR'S PERSPECTIVE



Lots of news since our last LIVE bulletin: As you may remember, holiday bulletins have to be published a few weeks in advance to assist our wonderful printers and bulletin advertisers. It's time to catch up on some of the latest happenings in February, remembering the phrase: "Miss a day; you miss a lot at SPB!"

Retirement & Promotion: While we celebrated the Presidents' Day holiday, we had some bittersweet news, Patty Knezevic, our Business Manager, is retiring to work with her husband at a new family business. Patty & Sam have volunteered, been parishioners for 30 year, and very much been a substantive role in our parish's life. We are grateful for their dedication to our parish and wish them well in their new adventure. Please extend your appreciation with mine to Patty for her

incredible dedication and care of our parish's life, from the calendar to the collection.

Due to the sensitive nature of the Business Manager and front office, with a lot of confidential matters, after consulting a few staff and parishioners, I am appointing our Administrative Assistant, Michelle Mazza to the Business Manager position. Michelle has worked tirelessly in the school and parish offices for 13 years. Her wealth of experience and especially the last year working closely with Patty enables her to quickly transition to this position. We welcome Michelle into her new role, beginning Leap Day, February 29, tomorrow. Both Michelle and Patty will transition together over the next month – and so far, it has been extremely smooth as a transition for these two professional women have demonstrated so much care for our parish in their many years of service. We give thanks to God for their dedication!

Updated Sound System: Those who were present on Thanksgiving Day heard the large boom that crashed our sound system. We have been in the midst of using a temporary one since then. We have now switched to a digital system and have updated all our equipment and remixing. I hope you are enjoying the remarkable difference. If there is an area in the church where you are finding it difficult to hear, please let me know and show me where you sit. Besides having the church redone, we also had a new system installed in the Eymard Room of the Family Life Center. We thank the generous donor who assisted this, as well as the sound company, led by our parishioner Sam Messino, who donated his time and many of the products.

Music/Liturgy Search: We have much interest in our Pastoral Associate position. We have had people apply from Italy and across the US. Currently we are in the interview phase with our special ad-hoc search committee. (I am very grateful to their dedication, led by our own Matt Parrotta.) We have already had 4 interviews and are continuing the process. Please continue to pray for the candidate who will serve us well.

Positions Available: We are looking for summer and evening assistance in the Maintenance Department. Please let Roger Fisher our Maintenance Supervisor know of your abilities to assist us with the many summer projects and the regular evening cleaning of our campus. Roger is at extension 100 and rwfisher53@yahoo.com.

Catholic Charities Appeal: Help us help others in the 8-county region of the Diocese of Cleveland. If you missed the annual appeal in church, please pick up an envelope and pledge/pay for your commitment to help the neediest in our diocese.

Pray for Those Becoming Catholic: If you regularly attend the 10:00 a.m. Sunday Mass you are part of the process of praying and supporting those who are becoming Catholic, for we regularly have our rituals and dismissal at this Mass. Those who are not part of the process, we invite you to join in praying for those becoming Catholic:

Catechumens (not Elect of God)

1. Nathan White (Adult)
2. Jason Lee (Adult)
3. Lily White
4. Abney White
5. Ryan Maniccia
6. Sierra Spoerndle
5. Aidan Spoerndle
6. Mitchel Johnson

Candidates – Seeking full reception

1. Christin Maniccia
2. Mike McClung
3. Regenia Spoerndle

Infant Baptism (at Easter Vigil)

1. Natalyn White (part of the family)

We have a lot to be grateful for and a lot to pray for, especially those families having issues in their marriage, those seeking special health care and more. Let us pray for each other as we grow together during this time of renewal, the great season of LENT.

In Christ our Eucharist,



Reverend John Thomas Lane, SSS, Class of 1979

Pastor

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STEWARDSHIP REPORT

TITHING/TALENT/TREASURE - Have you thought of leaving a legacy, especially for our faith, church and school? Remember Saint Paschal Baylon in your will or trust to continue our award-winning traditions and education.

The Sunday Collection: February 21 - \$16,057.00.

ASH WEDNESDAY – February 10 attendance: 6:30 a.m. 89; 9:00 a.m. 722 with our school students; 12:15 p.m. 195 with a blizzard during this time; 4:00 p.m. 425 and 7:00 p.m. 275 with another snow storm. Thank you to all who came to celebrate and begin LENT even with the difficult weather. Special thanks to all the liturgical ministers who made the day so very special. Your service and songs helped us have a very special start to the holy season.

WILL POWER: Help to keep our parish programs thrive for years to come! Call Barb DiTurno, Advancement Director to learn how you can remember Saint Paschal Baylon in your will or trust.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES APPEAL: Please make your pledge and payment. Make our slogan come alive for those in need in NE Ohio: Love is our mission!

OPERATION RICE BOWL: Each year we make sacrifices and send these offerings to help those around the globe in need of food (rice) and other building project materials through Catholic Relief Services. Hopefully you have picked up your RICE Bowl and will return it on Good Friday or Easter Sunday.

THE PARISH BUSINESS OFFICE – You may pick up your 2015 Contribution Statements anytime in the rectory office. **We will not be mailing the contribution statements.**

HOLY NAME SOCIETY

HOLY NAME SOCIETY – Nominations for officers will be held at our next meeting on Thursday, March 3 at 7:00 p.m. in the Eymard Room. Prayer in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel will start at 6:45 p.m.

GIRL SCOUT COOKIE SALE

IT'S COOKIE TIME – Girl Scout Troop 71272 will be selling Girl Scout cookies in the narthex after every Mass during the weekend of March 5/6th. They are \$4 a box. You can also purchase extra boxes to donate to Helping Hands.

CATHOLICS RETURNING HOME

CATHOLICS RETURNING HOME - Do you know or have a loved one who has been away from attending Mass for a long period of time or are sporadic in their attendance? Perhaps they have been thinking about wanting to return but are a little shy, embarrassed, or don't quite know how to go about it. Please let them know that we invite them to attend our Welcoming Catholics Home program which will continue on Sunday, February 28 from 1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. at St. Paschal Baylon Church. They will be welcomed and received in a friendly, caring and non-judgmental group support format. We are here to help them find their way back to a closer relationship with God. The program is available to anyone in and outside of the parish. Please call for more information, or to register - 440-442-3410. Walk-ins are also welcome.

2016 SPRING FLING CORNER

SPRING FLING UPDATE - Dateline Saint Paschal Baylon, Highland Heights 41°31'58.49"N, 81°28'38.36"W, elevation 1,019 feet. Have you marked your calendars yet for this year's festival which will be held on May 19-22? As of today, February 28th we are only 82 days away from the start of this year's festival. Long range weather forecasts call for temperatures in the high 60's with near normal rainfall. Father Lane's "good weather" candle is back and working overtime again this year. Over the next few weeks, we will highlight the planning that is ongoing and provide a list of planned activities including this year's band lineup. New rides are being planned and food choices have been expanded to meet everyone's taste buds. Numerous sponsorship opportunities will also be available. New faces are welcome to our core committee. Information on individual volunteer opportunities to staff the various venues will be provided as we get closer to the start. Contact Bob Mastrangelo via e-mail at bmastrangelo@gmail.com or by phone at 440-442-2854 for additional information.

LADIES GUILD

THE BLESSED SACRAMENT LADIES GUILD - We are hosting a day retreat on Saturday, May 7 from 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. at Ursuline College Campus. Come pray, reflect and relax with women of our parish. Space is limited to 40 people. Frannie Foltz, from Shine with Frannie, will lead the retreat and empower us on spiritual, emotional and physical levels. Cost is approximately \$40 per person which includes lunch. Cost will be finalized closer to May 7. To reserve your spot or if you have any questions, please contact Tricia Slemc at 216-780-2570 or triciaslemc_01@yahoo.com. A \$20 deposit is required payable to the Blessed Sacrament Ladies Guild.

PERFORMANCE

PLEASE JOIN US - The eighth grade class of Saint Paschal Baylon will proudly present Peter Pan, Jr. on Friday, March 4 and Saturday, March 5 at 7:30 p.m. with ticket cost at \$7 for these performances; and again on Sunday, March 6 at 1:30 p.m. with a matinee performance with ticket cost at \$6 for this performance.

EDUCATION - \$200 SCHOLARSHIP

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - Do you know a High School student attending St. Clare, St. Paschal or St. Francis that you think has been an outstanding leader in their community, school and church? If so, please nominate her or him for the **2016 Youth of the Year Award** sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, Gilmour Council 310. Nomination forms can be found at your parish office. You can also contact Jerry Hayes at 440-785-6441 for more details or to have an application emailed to you directly. **Applications must be completed and returned to your Parish office by May 1st.**

PASTORAL COUNCIL CORNER

PASTORAL COUNCIL CORNER - Council convened on February 1st and the meeting began with a hearty SPB welcome for the parish's new Advancement Director, Barbara Di Turno. She will be getting to know Saint Paschal's staff, organizations and congregation over the next few weeks. And a welcome was also extended to our newest Council member, Dale Casamatta.

Some of the areas of parish life discussed included:

- The Ministry Fair, weekend of January 9 – 10, was well attended, with many questions answered and invitations extended for parishioners to get involved as active ministry participants. Same time frame and format planned for next year.
- The search committee for the Minister of Music/Liturgy published the job description in the bulletin this past month, accepting resumes and beginning interviews.
- The new Greeter's Ministry is spreading the word to school families and building a roster of those who are willing to help at the Masses they usually attend.
- The Liturgy Commission was very gratified by the many thoughtful responses to the Liturgy Survey last month. Tabulation of the results is in progress, but will take some time due to the volume of completed surveys.
- The Council's consultants for the five year Strategic Plan hosted on February 2 Quarterly sessions for ministry leaders. A parish status report for 2015 is planned and may use the format of the April/May "Paschal Life" publication.

The yellow Suggestion Box from the narthex was opened: answers for the questions/comments will appear in the Parish Bulletin. **Next Pastoral Council Meeting** is Monday, March 14, 2016 at 7:00p.m. in the Saint Julie Billiard Room. Assiduously submitted by Dan Lewis.

CLOWN/HELPING HANDS MINISTRY

The Clown and Helping Hands Ministry is a ministry of love to the unloved. All of us who are part of this ministry see how this includes both the PSR students and the day school students. On Ash Wednesday, our Knight Riders brought ashes and a fish meal to the homeless. They were so grateful and thanked us for bringing this tradition to them. A week before Valentine's Day the Girl Scouts made cards and gave candy for the homeless. Our ministry distributed to the homeless living under the bridges and they were so touched by this gesture. They felt blessed that the young children took the time to make such beautiful cards for them. Many had tears in their eyes which in turn brought tears to our volunteers. We witnessed one gentleman pin his card up in his tent. Our ministry is a parish ministry with so many generous parishioners who give so much love, financial support, much needed items, and their prayers. We are in need of canned goods, such as: can spaghetti and meatballs, soup and macaroni and cheese. We also need toilet paper and cleaning wipes because we are working on a new project with Villa Serena. We will give more information on this new project in future bulletins. Thank you and God bless you. GOD IS GOOD ALL THE TIME...ALL THE TIME GOD IS GOOD.

PARISH ACTIVITIES

SAINT PASCHAL TRAVELERS BUS TRIP – Come join us on Tuesday, March 29, 2016 as we travel to Connor Palace, Downtown Cleveland to see Celtic Woman – The Destiny Tour. We will leave Saint Paschal parking lot at 5:40 p.m. and arrive back approximately around 9:30 p.m. The cost is \$75.00 per person and must be paid in full at time of registration. The cost includes concert ticket on main floor, bus transportation and driver's tip. Please register in the church office. Please note there will be no refunds. **HURRY AND SIGN UP – THERE ARE ONLY 42 SEATS AVAILABLE! TICKETS WILL SELL OUT QUICKLY!**

PSR AND OTHER NEWS FROM THE PEKO'S

FIRST RECONCILIATION - Please keep our 2nd graders in your prayers as they make their First Reconciliation this weekend! **Lenten Family Night and Reconciliation** – Parents please join us on Monday, February 29. Take your children into their regular PSR classrooms at 6:45 p.m. for attendance. Please sit together as a family in the Church for our 7:00 p.m. Reconciliation Service. We will have a special activity for the PSR students who will not be participating in the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

INFANT BAPTISM CLASSES OFFERED - If you are interested in having your child who is under the age of 7 baptized, please contact George and Anna Peko at 440-442-3410 ext. 107 to sign up for a course on baptism. The next class is Sunday, March 20th following the 10:00 a.m. Mass.

CONFIRMATION NEWS - PRE-CONFIRMATION INTERVIEWS - Our next Confirmation session is Sunday, March 13th beginning with 10:00 a.m. Mass. During this session, students will have a chance to talk with their catechist or another adult member of the Church about their questions and expectations for the preparation of Confirmation. Parents and students, you should have received a paper copy of possible topics at the last Confirmation session. An electronic copy was also emailed. **Please make sure you have a pen for our interview session.**

Paperwork – At our last session, the white “Official Confirmation Registration Form,” a copy of the candidate’s baptismal certificate, and the sponsor letter were all due. Please submit all late paperwork to George and Anna Peko **ASAP**.

Service Hours Reminder - A minimum of 20 service hours are required by the Confirmation Retreat on April 10th. Please track all service hours on the Service Hours Log.

Youth Group Requirement - All Confirmation Candidates are required to attend a minimum of 7 Youth Group meetings before being confirmed. Please see Mrs. Mickol for meeting details.

RCIA - Please continue to pray for our RCIA catechumens and candidates as they prepare to become Catholic. May the peace of God keep their hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God and of his Son, our Lord Jesus Christ.

EYMARD CORNER

THE EYMARD SPIRITUAL GROUP – We will gather on TUESDAY, MARCH 1, 2016 in the Eymard Room of the Family Life Center of Saint Paschal Baylon Church.

11:00 a.m.	Social
11:30 a.m.	Saint Peter Julian Eymard Novena
12:00 p.m.	Lunch
1:00 p.m.	Guest Speaker – Rev. Scott Steinkerchner, OB, Lenten Mission

Good Better Best - Ollie here. Well the Lenten Mission is upon us and the Mission theme should give us some hope. Let’s assume we are all fairly good at what we do. Well, it shouldn’t take too much effort to get to the next level and be **BETTER**. You see, I don’t have to get to **BEST** just yet. It’s just a matter of getting started like getting up at 4:00 in the morning to go fishing. You have to set the alarm and then jump to it. So, the Lenten alarm is about to go off. And it’s time to be **BETTER** at something. Father Scott Steinkerchner just might be able to help me get started. But I wonder if he gets up early to fish. So, I **BETTER** see you at this Eymard Spiritual Gathering. Bring a main dish, which is greatly needed, or a dessert, enough to serve 6-8 and lunch is free; otherwise, a donation of \$5.00 is recommenced. Don’t forget the popular 50/50 raffle! And bring a friend to share in the joys of an Eymard Gathering. What a great way to spend an afternoon!

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