

The Roman Catholic Community of

Saint Paschal Baylon



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LITURGY

Eucharist

Sunday *The Lord's Day*: 8am, 10, 12pm, 7

Saturday: 8am, Vigil: 4:30pm

Weekdays: 6:30am T only, 9am M-F, 12:15pm M/W,

11:30am Saint Ann Shrine: M-F

Liturgy of the Hours

Morning Prayer: 8am OLBS Chapel

Evening Prayer: 4:45pm OLBS Chapel

Rite of Penance

Anytime by appointment or at the Parish Office

Saturday: 3:30pm - 4:15 individual

Communal Rite 2: Advent and Lent

Anointing of the Sick

First Sunday of the month after 8am Mass OLBS

Chapel. Please ask a priest to anoint at church or come to you.

Celebration of Other Sacraments and Processes

Please contact the Parish Office for: Becoming Catholic, Baptism, Confirmation, Matrimony, Annuiment and Vocations.

DEVOTION

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Weekdays, around the clock, our Community at Prayer ministry keeps vigil until the Lord's return and extends our prayer and praise of the Mass. Visits always welcome. Commit to an hour of prayer with your family in the Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament Chapel OLBS Chapel.

The Rosary

Monday - Saturday: 8:30am OLBS Chapel

Wednesday: 11am Saint Ann Shrine

Novena with Saint Peter Julian Eymard

Eymard Spiritual Group: A Tuesday each month

Anytime OLBS Chapel

Thursdays, Day of the Eucharist

We Rent Our Spaces

Plan on having one of your family events here at SPB by checking on the availability of our halls and meetings rooms. With two kitchens and other spaces, celebrate your important events with us! Contact the parish office.

SERVICE

Communion of the Sick

Call the Parish Office to set up a visit

Manna Ministry

Helping parishioners in need, call the Parish Office

Helping Hands

Weekly food distribution: Contact Deacon Joe

Saint Paschal Baylon is a joyful, welcoming community centered in the Eucharist. Through our prayer and liturgy, we are empowered to grow in faith, love and service.

Office Hours

Weekdays: 8am - 8pm

Weekends: 8am - 12pm

Bulletin Material

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THIS WEEK AT SAINT PASCHAL BAYLON MASS AND MEETING SCHEDULE

Monday, March 7, 2016, Lenten Weekday

Is 65:17-21; Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-12a, 13b; Jn 4:43-54

- 9:00 a.m. MASS: Special Intentions
- 11:30 a.m. MASS: (St. Ann Shrine)
- 12:15 p.m. MASS: Parishioner Intention
- 7:00p.m. Welcoming Committee, Parlor

Tuesday, March 8, 2016, Lenten Weekday

Ez 47:1-9,12; Ps 46:2-3,5-6,8-9; Jn 5:1-16

- 6:30 a.m. MASS: Special Intentions
- 9:00 a.m. MASS: Helen Grosel
- 9:45 a.m. Arise, Arkins Room
- 11:30 a.m. MASS: (St. Ann Shrine)
- 5:30 p.m. Soup Night, Eymard Room
- 7:00 p.m. Men's Bible Study, Arkins and Kazel Rooms
- 7:00 p.m. PTO Meeting, Saint Julie Billiard Room

Wednesday, March 9, 2016, Lenten Weekday

Is 49:8-15; Ps 145:8-9, 13c-14, 17-18; Jn 5:17-30

- 9:00 a.m. MASS: Mary Petelin
- 11:30 a.m. MASS: Nash (St. Ann Shrine)
- 12:15 p.m. MASS: Parishioner Intention
- 2:00 p.m. Arise, Arkins Room
- 7:00 p.m. Bible Study, Arkins Room
- 7:00 p.m. Journey with Jesus Parent Meeting, Church

Thursday, March 10, 2016, Lenten Weekday

Ex 32:7-14; Ps 106:19-23; Jn 5:31-47

- 9:00 a.m. MASS: Parishioner Intention
- 11:30 a.m. MASS: (St. Ann Shrine)
- 4:00 p.m. Education Fair, Eymard Room/School
- 7:00 p.m. Arise, Arkins Room
- 7:00 p.m. RCIA, FLC Library
- 7:00 p.m. Catholic Fellowship, Parlor

Friday, March 11, 2016, Lenten Weekday

Wis 2:1a, 12-22; Ps 34:17-21, 23; Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

- 9:00 a.m. MASS: Parishioner Intention
- 11:30 a.m. MASS: Armand (St. Ann Shrine)
- 7:00 p.m. Flock of Friendship, Arkins Room

Saturday, March 12, 2016, Lenten Weekday

Jer 11:18-20; Ps 7:2-3, 9b-12; Jn 7:40-53

- 9:00 a.m. MASS: Bernadine Gansen
- 4:30 p.m. MASS: Mary Goican
- 9:00 a.m. Craft Show, FLC/School

Sunday, March 13, 2016, FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Is 43:16-21; Ps 126:1-6; Phil 3:8-14; Jn 8:1-11

- 8:00 a.m. MASS: Frank Donia
- 10:00 a.m. MASS: Pasquale and Marianna Paducci
- 12:00 p.m. MASS: Frank and Helen Strah
- 1:00 p.m. Catholics Returning Home, Parlor
- 6:00 p.m. Athletics Association, Eymard Room
- 7:00 p.m. MASS: Khoa Nguyen

SAVE THE DATES

- **STATIONS OF THE CROSS:** Fridays during Lent at 7:00 p.m. in the Church.
- **ALTAR SERVER TRAINING:** Wednesday, March 9, 16 and 23 at 4:00 p.m. in church.
- **PTO MEETING:** Tuesday, March 8 at 7:00 p.m. in Saint Julie Billiard Room.
- **EDUCATION FAIR:** Thursday, March 10, 6:00 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, 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
- **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.
- **LIFESHARE BLOOD DRIVE:** Sunday, April 3, 8:00 a.m. – 1:30 p.m., Eymard Room.
- **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 21 and Sunday, May 22. **RESERVE THE DATES!** You don't have to cook these nights!
- **TASTE OF THE TOWN:** Saturday, November 5, 2016. **SAVE THE DATE!**

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

- 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.

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.**

TRIDUUM REHEARSALS

If you are involved in the Triduum services we have special rehearsals. Here is the order of rehearsals:

- **Sunday, March 20:**
 - Lectors for Easter Vigil, 1:30 p.m.
 - Candidates for initiation (baptism, confirmation and First Communion): 2:00 p.m. for the Easter Vigil
- **Wednesday, March 23:**
 - 7:00 p.m. for those involved with the oil procession, altar servers, foot washing and procession with the candles
- **Friday, March 25:**
 - ½ hour before the services – 2:30 p.m. or 7:00 p.m. for altar servers

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

YOUTH MINISTRY

"Life is more fun if you play games." Roald Dahl

THANK YOU - To everyone who supported our Soup Night and a special thank you to Diana Mitchell and members of her soup crew who came to help us out. We hope you enjoyed this special night. This past week we were very busy! We had our second meeting with our "Eymard Buddies". Eymard Buddies is a special opportunity for some members of our youth group to get together with the members of our Eymard Spirituality Group, share a meal, and get to know one another. What an awesome group of people we have here at SPB. We also are beginning to work on our Living Stations of the Cross where members of our youth group will act out the Stations of the Cross on Holy Thursday for our day school, and on Good Friday at Noon. This week we will be having a Supersized Game Night. We will be playing Human Hungry, Hungry Hippos, and Kickball with a 51" ball. **IT'S GOING TO BE SO FUN!**

- **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: Our Education Fair is rapidly approaching. Please plan on visiting O'Brien Hall the evening of Thursday, March 10 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. We will be highlighting all the ways our students achieve! We invite all Saint Paschal families to show their spirit by donning your green and gold spirit-wear that evening. If you have guided a visiting family our way, and they write your name down as having referred them, you could win a SPB Bag courtesy of the PTO. Ten will be given away. Don't forget to stop by your child's teacher's table and pick up a dress down pass. **Here are some great things happening this week:**

- **Monday is a Box Tops dress down day.**
- **STEM Club meets on Monday, March 7.**
- **Please join us for our liturgy on Wednesday, March 9 at 9:00 a.m.**
- **There is a 2nd grade parent Eucharist Meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:00 p.m.**
- **We hope to see you at our Education Fair on Thursday evening from 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.**
- **Friday is a Walk-a-Thon dress down day.**

God bless, Carol L. Jansky, Principal

MOMS GROUP

PLAY DATE - Our play-date for Sunday, March 6 as been cancelled and rescheduled for Sunday, April 3 after the 10:00 a.m. Mass. Please meet in the school gym.

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.

FROM THE PASTOR'S PERSPECTIVE



4th Sunday of Lent: We hear in the Gospel today the Prodigal Son story once again. It's our opportunity to reflect on what does it mean to be "a prodigal." We may think of the negative aspect, the lavish lifestyle of the son, his taking advantage of his father's inheritance and more. However, as Pope Francis has pointed out, especially for the Year of Mercy, it's really a "prodigal father" story. God is lavishly showing his love and mercy to us – God is always welcoming, waiting, encouraging, and sharing many blessings and ready to celebrate. Are we? We are called to be "merciful" or like a prodigal father. May we grow in these abundant gifts and prodigal ways.

March 7, 1965: Each year, I love to highlight this day, the day of the liturgical renewal after the Second Vatican Council of the Roman Catholic Church, when so many reforms took place in our church's life when this Sunday was the First Sunday of Lent. We take for granted so much of our liturgical experience now. We enjoy hearing such rich array of sacred scripture, singing, participating in the Mass, and reception of Holy Communion – both the Body & **Blood** of Christ and much more. One of the questions in the liturgy survey we completed in January (data compilation is almost complete), was asking each one of us how well we would rate ourselves in participation of the Mass. While we may have a bad day or a difficult period of time in our life, or need to take a break from full active participation, may we recognize how lucky we are to be able, 51 years later, to engage in our worship in a positive way.

One goal I would like us all to work on this year is to take seriously the Communion Rite and the rubric that asks or expects us to sing during the reception of Holy Communion. At a birthday party, or wedding, we always expect music, singing and other celebration items to enhance the experience. We are asked to sing the Communion song to enhance our unity, show our gratitude, and accompany those in the ritual and more. Thanks for bringing a hymnal with you in the Communion Procession, another important act we do to show witness to our faith, to sing the songs you do not know.

Palm Sunday is in 2 Weeks: Lent is going by quickly! I thought it might be helpful to remember why we process, for those who are physically able, or the procession of palms on this important Sunday of the Passion of our LORD. We have very little procession left in the liturgy that calls for **everyone** to join in. Not only do we witness and remember what Christ did, in his triumphant entry into Jerusalem, but we also recall our own continued work in faith, our taking up the cross, our growing more and more each day in witnessing our faith. Our service begins in the Eymard Room of the Family Life Center to hear the special "extra" Gospel of the triumphant entry of Jesus into Jerusalem. We walk as we hope to enter into the New Jerusalem, the heavenly gate. In this Year of Mercy, I ask you to walk as an assembly through the holy door into the church, to renew your commitment and covenant as a follower of Christ and to share the gift of mercy with others.

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 Catholics.

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)

Bring Back Rice Bowls: Reminder, that during the Good Friday service, please place your rice bowl in the baskets near to the cross. If unable to attend on Good Friday, please bring your rice bowl back on Easter Sunday – there will be baskets in the sanctuary.

See you next weekend! Let us continue to pray for each other!

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. Sharing with God with what God has given us.

The Sunday Collection: February 28 - \$16,826.00 and Home Mission - \$831.00

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!

2016 SPRING FLING CORNER

SPRING FLING UPDATE - T minus 11 weeks and counting. As I look over the mounds of snow piled up in the parking lot, whoops, that was last year, I am trying to envision how this year's midway will look with the addition of new rides and food vendors. Remember one of the festival meteorologists on loan from NPR "Car Talk", Wayne Goaway? Although in semiretirement, he is considering once again offering his long range May weather forecast. We hope it is as good as the one provided last May. In the coming weeks we will go into more detail about the numerous sponsorship opportunities and associated perks that will be available. New this year, is the opportunity to make one sponsorship pledge that will cover both the Spring Fling Festival and Taste of the Town which will held on November 5. 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 bgmastrangelo@gmail.com or by phone at 440-442-2854 for additional information.

NEWS FROM THE FINANCE COUNCIL

THE FINANCE COUNCIL: During the winter months our Sunday collections naturally take a dip due to people staying away from inclement weather reasons or “snow birding.” However, as you will see below, our expenses continue year-around. We budget our parish expenses based on the “Grateful Giving” program and your pledge commitments to increase your offertory giving to support our parish’s strategic plan/pastoral plan. Thanks for continuing to support our parish and its vital ministries.

Some of our regular expenses and additional ones :

- \$875.00 Painted lines in drives
- \$2,080 mandated services tech fee (school)
- \$175.25 baptismal candles
- \$1,483.67 office supplies
- \$394 state alarm monthly charge
- \$619.38 garage repair
- \$416.65 monthly copy machine lease for parish office (also one for the school)
- \$353.65 monthly phone bill
- \$320 monthly computer services fee
- \$4,950 updating sound system (received a \$4,000 grant and labor donated by Showtime Sound Company, Sam Messino, parishioner)
- \$619.38 monthly trash disposal pickup
- \$2,846.16 monthly cleaning supplies for the school
- \$10,000 and \$27,203.63 monthly pension fund and insurance payment for staff
- \$11,493 monthly diocesan assessment
- \$1,598.99 new salt spreader for our truck
- \$1,894.43 Home Depot bill for expenses/repairs in February
- \$1,785 new guitars for sixth grade. (Part of it was paid for by the \$1,000 grant from Taste of the Town)

CATHOLIC MEN’S FELLOWSHIP

SAVE THE DATE – On Saturday, April 9, 2016, Catholic Men’s Fellowship of Northeast Ohio is holding its 16th annual “**Answer the Call**” conference at the Holiday Inn Rockside in Independence. The theme of the conference will be “Being Alive and Well as a Catholic Man.” Key speakers will be Father Larry Richards and Ralph Martin. For more information please visit our website at www.cmfneo.com or call Jerry Kazimir at 440-343-0733.

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.

DON'T MISS THE SPRING CRAFT & TRADE SHOW – IT IS COMING, SATURDAY, MARCH 12. For those attending the 4:30 p.m. Mass, please enter through Saint Paschal Lane. All other entrances will be **CLOSED** due to the crafters loading up their vehicles and exiting from Blue Ribbon Way.

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CLOWN/HELPING HANDS MINISTRY

This past Sunday our Gospel was about Jesus asking a Samaritan woman for a drink of water. Jesus spoke to the woman and she asked Jesus if she could have spiritual water to renew her life. Our Clown and Helping Hands Ministry follows in Jesus' footsteps when we encounter the needy and homeless. We help renew their lives and restore their harden hearts to trust in Jesus and us. We want them to feel that we are here not only to bring food and clothes, but to bring them compassion and love. We want them to open up their hearts to us. A gentle ear is all they need to open up and share their stories. They are always asking us for Bibles, prayer bookmarks, and rosaries. We enrich their minds and let them know that the church cares for them. Our ministry is a true love of God and shares that love with the homeless and needy. God please help those who have problems; who are not happy with their life; and those who are suffering. Help me make a change in people's life. Keep alive in our minds and hearts the desire for a better world and help us to be able to make a difference. **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!**

BLOOD DRIVE NEWS - Saint Pascals' next blood drive is on Sunday, April 3 from 8:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. and is scheduled with LifeShare Community Blood Services, a non-profit, 501(c)(3) organization and major blood provider in Cuyahoga County. This is exciting news for our school! Not only an opportunity to save lives but LifeShare offers a program to reward successful blood donations with educational grant money which will directly benefit our students. More information to follow in next week's bulletin.

GIRL SCOUT COOKIE SALE

IT'S COOKIE TIME - Girl Scout Troop 71272 will be selling Girl Scout cookies in the Narthex after every mass this weekend. Cookies are \$4 a box. This is our first cookie booth of the season, so we have all your favorite cookies available. You may also purchase one or more boxes to donate to the Helping Hands Ministry. **New this year...we can accept credit cards for purchases (2 box minimum.)**

CONGRATULATIONS

OUR SHINING ALUMNI OF SPB - We would like to congratulate the following Benedictine High School Students on their 2nd Quarter achievements: Nolan Hopkins, Magna Cum Laude and Skyler Sievers, Cum Laude; Saint Ignatius High School Students on their First Semester achievements: First Honors: Justin Boes, Michael Getty, Sean Getty, Thomas Getty, Brian Karim, Jack Knudson, Tom Napoli, Anthony Pilla, and John Siefert. Second Honors: Robert Likozar and Cian O'Haimhirgin. Honor Roll: Nick Ferritto, Nicholas Kandrac and Luke Mooney.

PSR AND OTHER NEWS FROM THE PEKO'S

NO PSR CLASSES – On March 21 and March 28th due to Spring Break. Enjoy the time with your family!

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.

PLEASE PRAY – Special prayers for Nathan White, Lily White, Abney White, Jason Lee, Ryan Maniccia, Sierra Spoerndle, Aidan Spoerndle, and Mitchel Johnson who will receive their Sacraments of Initiation on the Easter Vigil. Also, please pray for Christin Maniccia, Mike McClung, and Regenia Spoerndle who are seeking full reception into the Catholic Church.

OTHER NEWS

CLEVELAND HISTORY CENTER – What a great way to spend some family time. The Cleveland History Center offers some great programs. Some of our programs: April 9 – Movement of Carousel; April 16 – History on the Move; April 23 – Where the Wild Things Are; April 30 – Turn of the Century Toys and May 7 – Build a Carousel Pop-Up Book. For a complete listing of our programs please visit us at <http://www.wrhs.org/plan-your-visit/history-center/>.

AROUND THE DIOCESE

THE HOLY NAME SOCIETY – We would like everyone to be aware there is always help available at Alternatives to Abortion. Please call – Womankind at 216-662-5700, Birthright at 216-486-2800 and Alternatorm at 216-371-4848 for medical, emotional, spiritual and baby needs. Other places to reach out - Project Rachel at 216-334-2966 or Rachel’s Vineyard at 877-467-3463, Counselors provide confidential and non-judgmental advice. “Healing the Wounds of Abortion – Pathway to Peace.”

THE CLEVELAND DIOCESE – Our support group for Parents and Families of Gay and Lesbian Children will have a meeting at Saint John Vianney Parish in Mentor on March 13, 2016, 2015 at 2:00 p.m. Any questions please contact Saint John Vianney Parish at 440-943-3445.

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

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