

THIS WEEK AT SAINT PASCHAL BAYLON MASS AND MEETING SCHEDULE

Monday, September 19, 2016, Weekday

Prv 3:27-34; Ps 15:2-4, 5; Lkj 8:16-18

- 9:00 a.m. MASS: Robert Boyle
- 11:30 a.m. MASS: (St. Ann Shrine)
- 12:15 p.m. NO MASS
- 6:00 p.m. Liturgy Commission Meeting, Parlor
- 7:00 p.m. Pastoral Council Meeting, Billiard Room

Tuesday, September 20, 2016, Saints Andrew Kim Tae-gon, Priest and Paul Chong Ha-sang, and Companions, Martyrs

Prv 21:1-6, 10-13; Ps 119:1, 27, 30, 34-35, 44; Lk 8:19-21

- 6:30 a.m. MASS: Parishioner Intentions
- 9:00 a.m. MASS: James T. Steiner
- 11:30 a.m. MASS: (St. Ann Shrine)
- 7:00 p.m. Retreat, Church
- 7:00 p.m. Men's Bible Study, Arkins and Kazel Rooms

Wednesday, September 21, 2016, SAINT MATTHEW, APOSTLE AND EVANGELIST

Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19:2-5; Mt 9:9-13

- 9:00 a.m. MASS: Parishioner Intentions
- 11:30 a.m. MASS: Ann Rushfeldt (St. Ann Shrine)
- 12:15 p.m. MASS: Clara Fatica
- 6:00 p.m. Bereavement Support Group, Parlor
- 7:00 p.m. Associates, Eymard Room
- 7:00 p.m. Bible Study, Arkins Conference Room

Thursday, September 22, 2016, Weekday

Eccl 1:2-11; Ps 90:3-6, 12-14; Lk 9:7-9

- 9:00 a.m. MASS: Michael LaRich
- 11:30 a.m. MASS: (St. Ann Shrine)
- 7:00 p.m. RCIA, Billiard room
- 7:00 p.m. Arise, Arkins Conference Room

Friday, September 23, 2016, Saint Pius of Pietrelcina, priest

Eccl 3:1-11; Ps 144:1, 2, 304; Lk 9:18-22

- 9:00 a.m. MASS: Parishioner Intentions
- 11:30 a.m. MASS: Bob Horn (St. Ann Shrine)
- 7:00 p.m. Flock of Friendship, Billiard Room

Saturday, September 24, 2016, Weekday

Eccl 11:9-12:8; Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17; Lk 9:43-45

- 9:00 a.m. MASS: Clara Fatica
- 4:30 p.m. MASS: Karen Bradley

Sunday, September 25, 2016, TWENTY- SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Am 6:1, 4-7; Ps 146:7-10; Tm 6:11-16; Lk 16:19-31

- 8:00 a.m. MASS: Fini Family
- 9:00 a.m. Blood Pressure Screening, Narthex
- 10:00 a.m. MASS: Sydney Margets
- 12:00 p.m. MASS: Lou Grassel Sr. and Jr.
- 7:00 p.m. MASS: Khoa Nguyen

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SAVE THE DATES

- **SISTERS OF NOTRE DAME ANNUAL BBQ:** Sundays, September 18 & 25 out at NDCL High School in Munson Township. SPB is a proud sponsor.
- **LITURGY COMMISSION:** Monday, September 19, 6:00 p.m. Parlor
- **PASTORAL COUNCIL:** Monday, September 19, 7:00 p.m. Billiard Room.
- **LEADERSHIP DAY – IN TANDUM WITH OTHER PARISHES:** Tuesday, September 20, 7:00 p.m. (in church) – “Whose Mass Is It Anyway?” A workshop/retreat night with Rev. Paul Turner, DP, from the Diocese of Kansas City. **SAVE THE DATE** – all leaders of the parish – and anyone else! Register at the Parish Office – help us plan the reception. Event is Free! All welcome!
- **ARMENIAN ORTHODOX PARISH FESTIVAL:** Saint Gregory of Narek Church, 678 Richmond Road, Richmond Heights, will have its annual festival Friday – Sunday, September 23 – 25.
- **BLOOD DRIVE:** Sunday, September 25th, 8:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m., Eymard Room
- **EVANGELIZATION COMMITTEE:** Monday, September 26, 6:45 p.m. in the Saint Julie Billiard Room. In the past, this committee has hosted “Catholics Returning Home.” Come explore new ways, bring suggestions and ideas and other thoughts to support this important part of our Catholic life.
- **PSR NIGHT PRAYER:** Monday, September 26, 7:45 p.m. All are welcome to join the students and parents for this special prayer time – 15 minutes in our day to be in communion with the LORD and one another.
- **HOMILY GROUP:** Tuesday, September 27, 6 p.m., Fr Arkins Conference Room
- **SCHOOL ADVISORY COUNCIL:** Tuesday, September 27, 7:00 p.m., Billiard Room
- **TAIZE PRAYER HOLY HOUR:** Wednesday, September 28, 7:00 p.m. in church
- **ANNUAL BLUE MASS:** Thursday, September 29, 9:00 a.m. with the school students. Emergency team personnel are all welcome to join us for this special blessing and prayer for safety and care for our people in blue and red! Invite all those who work in law enforcement and fire safety and care.
- **WELCOME WEEKEND:** Our new pastoral associate for music & liturgy – October 1 & 2 at all the Masses! Come and meet Anthony!
- **RESPECT LIFE WEEKEND:**
 - Special Youth Mass – October 1 at 4:30 p.m. (Blessing of Athletes, Picnic and Bonfire)
 - Special Youth Mass at Noon, October 2 – 7th grade hosts
 - Rally for Life – 1:00p.m. – 2:00 p.m. on Wilson Mills Road
 - Pet Blessing – 1:30 p.m. Sunday, in the horseshoe parking lot
- **MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER – COUPLES RETREAT WEEKEND:** October 8 – 9. Why don't you have a fun, spiritual retreat weekend together?
- **BAPTISM WEEKEND:** Saturday, October 8, 4:30 p.m.
- **COLUMBUS DAY HOLIDAY:** Two Masses – 9:00 a.m. in church, 11:30 a.m. Shrine, chapel closed for cleaning, parish office closed.
- **QUARTERLY MEETING FOR PARISH LEADERS:** Tuesday, October 11, 7:00 p.m. Eymard Room. This will be the first report on the Feasibility Study that the Advancement Office has been undertaking. This is a very important step in listening to the direction of where our parish is going.
- **TRUNK OR TREAT:** Sunday, October 23, 3:00 p.m.

- **TASTE OF THE TOWN:** Saturday, November 5, 6:30 p.m. here at SPB. We have 5 restaurants already – would you like yours? Or know of one you would like to enjoy here? Let us know – Chris Hart at the front office.

EYMARD CORNER

WE ARE BACK! Get ready for another great year of Eymard Spiritual Gatherings where we gather to pray, socialize, enjoy good food and learn. If you have never attended, you may want to see what you are missing at one of SPB's best daytime events. The Eymard Spiritual Group will gather on **TUESDAY, September 27, 2016** in the Eymard Room of the Parish Family Center of St. Paschal Baylon Church. **11:00 a.m.-SOCIAL, 11:30 a.m. - St. Peter Julian Eymard Novena, Noon- Potluck Dinner, 1:00 p.m. -Guest Speaker : Terrie Baldwin, Director, Diocese of Cleveland, Office of Evangelization.**

Angels on the Wire

Ollie here,

Fishing wasn't so good this summer. I bought some new fishing tackle but I took it back. Didn't catch any fish! So I heard **Terrie Baldwin** was going to speak at this month's Eymard Spiritual group. She's going to talk about "Angels." My mother always said, "Angels watch over you." I wasn't sure I needed or wanted all that watching but I wasn't going to fuss with Mom. The thing about angels is, we see more of them on Christmas cards and such than we actually see in real life. I have not seen one with those wings on or carrying a very large trumpet. But they are out there. Terrie will tell us where they are and I think we may be in for a surprise. Terrie knows a lot of their hiding places. By the way, I am bringing something very special to this event and boy will you be surprised. See you there. **We also will be welcoming our ushers who perform a great service to our faith community. They do more for us than carry around a basket.** 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 recommended.

PASTORAL COUNCIL CORNER

The first meeting of the '16 – '17 fiscal year began with a prayer from new chairperson Kelly Ericsson. Welcome to new members Molly Kane and Bob Horvath.

One and half years into the five-year Parish Strategic Plan, Kathy Pohlhammer, Communications Director, put together reports from ministry heads and the Strategic Plan consultants in the most recent "Paschal Life" issue. This publication did a great job of highlighting progress toward the Plan's goals. The Feasibility Study working group is conducting a broad survey of parish needs. If you would like to be a part of the survey, please contact Barb DiTurno, Advancement Director.

No parishioners came forward for the Aug. 15 meeting to establish leadership for a proposed chapter of the Legion of Mary. A Marriage Encounter weekend will be presented here Oct. 8 – 9: interested couples are encouraged to register.

The pastor's summer report gave details of recent activities. Other reports detailed the third season of the "ARISE" small group faith sharing opportunities coming up this Fall at SPB and St. Clare (see Bulletin for registration) and Helping Hands new connection with Villa Serena to assist residents in need.

All leaders of parish ministries and interested parishioners are encouraged to register and attend the Leadership Day workshop/retreat on Tuesday, Sept. 20 (7:00 p.m. in church). With other local parishes also invited, we will hear Father Paul Turner of the Diocese of Kansas City speak on the topic of his recent book: "Whose Mass Is It Anyway?"

Next Pastoral Council Meeting: Monday, Sept. 19, 7:00 p.m., St. Julie Billiard Room.

Enthusiastically submitted by Dan Lewis.

YOUTH MINISTRY

"If, then, we have died with Christ, we believe that we shall also live with him."

Romans 6:8

Calling all SUPERHEROES! Tonight at youth group we are going to focus on what it means to be a hero, a follower of Christ, and someone we can look up to. Of course our ultimate super hero is Jesus Himself. We will also focus on the Holy Spirit and the fruits of the spirit. Junior Youth Group (JYG) Team, will meet from 5:45-6:45 p.m., we will then all attend the 7:00 Teen Mass, followed by the High School League from 8 to 9:30 p.m. in the youth group room of the rectory.

Upcoming Events:

- Sunday, September 18th: Regular Meeting: Calling All Superheroes!
- Friday, September 23rd: NEW DATE AND TIME! ~ 6:00 - 9:00 p.m. SERVICE HOURS OPPORTUNITY: Family Outdoor Movie Night. NO JUNIOR YOUTH GROUP MEETING ON SUNDAY, September 25th.
- Sunday, September 25th: Agape Latte 6:30-8:30 p.m. - High School only at St. Dominic. Permission slip required
- Sunday, October 2nd ~ Regular Meeting: Chosen Night
- October 7th - 9th ~ TEC Weekend (Junior and Senior Students only) NO YG MEETING on October 9th
- Sunday, October 16th ~ Regular Meeting: Game Night
- Sunday, October 23rd: SERVICE HOURS OPPORTUNITY Trunk - or - Treat
- Agape Latte 6:30-8:30 p.m. - High School only at St. Dominic. Permission slip required.

IMPORTANT DATE CHANGE! FAMILY OUTDOOR MOVIE NIGHT, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 23rd:

To help our youth group raise funds for our Life in the Eucharist Trip/Mission trip to New Mexico and Arizona, we are hosting a FAMILY OUTDOOR MOVIE NIGHT for everyone in our parish and school. Bring blankets and lawn chairs, and enjoy a movie under the stars! The student body will be voting on our feature presentation. Cost is \$10 per car. Concessions will be available for purchase, and will consist of pizza, walking tacos, slushies, popcorn, candy, and more! Parking will begin at 6:15 p.m., and the movie will start shortly after 7:15 p.m.. TICKETS AVAILABLE AT THE DOOR ONLY. In case of rain, we will be inside! Please contact Mrs. Mickol if you have any questions at emickol@saintpaschal.com. We can't wait for an awesome evening!

PILGRIMAGE SEPTEMBER 18 - 28, 2017: IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF SAINT PASCHAL BAYLON & OUR LADY OF FATIMA

- \$4,099 for 11 Days, come to Barcelona, The place of Saint Paschal Baylon's birth and death (Torre-Merosa & Villarreal, Spain), Valencia, Madrid & Fatima
- **Airfare:** Round trip from Cleveland Airport.
- **Accommodations:** 11 days / 9 nights Superior Tourist Class Hotels.
- **Meals:** 9 breakfasts & 9 dinners **Sightseeing:** As listed in the itinerary.
- **Also Included:** Daily Mass, Airport-hotel group transfers, hotel tips & taxes, baggage handling at the hotels (1 piece per person), Touring by Private Air Conditioned Motor coach, Services of Professional Tour Escort.
- **Interested?** Contact Fr. Lane: 440-442-3410 x 111 or jtlanesss@gmail.com

WELCOME TO OUR NEW PARISHIONERS

Mr. and Mrs. Remi Renard, Mr. and Mrs. Jeremy Reynoso, Mrs. Angela Olowu, Ms. Jennifer Robare, Ms. Betty Beasley, Ms. Carol Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. William Coy, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Palmisano, Ms. Bianca Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor McBride, Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Kapel, Mr. Rodrigo Somoza, Ms. Marisel Aranda, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Smiley

SAINT PASCHAL TRAVELERS BUS TRIP

Come join us on Wednesday, September 28, 2016 as we travel to Presque Isle Downs and Casino, Erie, PA. We will leave Saint Paschal parking lot at 8:00 a.m. and arrive back approximately around 5:45 p.m. The cost is \$35.00 per person (includes bus driver's tip) and must be paid in full at time of registration. Please register in the church office. Please note there will be no refunds. **HURRY AND SIGN UP! ENJOY THE \$25.00 FREE SLOT PLAY, GAMES, AND SNACKS.**

FROM THE PASTOR'S PERSPECTIVE



25th Sunday in Ordinary Time: Priorities! We are all faced with making the best choices we can. Today's Gospel reminds us what we should love and be devoted to serving our God and what are the priorities that will help us serve God best. Plus, another added factor – God blesses us with so many talents and gifts. How do we choose to use them? Do we think that we are finished, done, retired? In the eyes of God we can only serve one thing – God alone. Pick a talent or gift, any one – and remember who gave it to you to be used for the purpose and priority of serving God!

News of the Week:

New Music/Liturgy Minister: Our prayers are answered! I am pleased to announce

that on that on the feast of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary (September 8), we hired a new Music & Liturgy Minister, Anthony Ruggiero. He will begin Saturday, October 1. More details about this NE Ohio native (from Youngstown area originally) will be forthcoming as he wishes to get to know each and every one of you and looks forward to transitioning here from Cincinnati.

In a very special way, I would like to thank our Search Committee, chaired by Matt Parrotta, that worked hard for the last 10 months. They did a great job of praying, asking important questions and helping us find the right "fit."

Our Award Winning School Continues to Win Awards! We got the news that we have received the Governor's Thomas Edison Award for the **fifth year in a row!** See the principal's column for more details! Congratulations!

School Flash Mob Masses: This year, I am encouraging classes and the entire day school community to come to a particular Mass to fill every seat in the church. You have heard of these groups suddenly assembling in public places, especially churches lately. Ours will be announced in order to have as many families from our school present, especially the grade that is hosting! Last Saturday night, the 4:30 p.m. Mass had our 8th grade and Nick's Knights – we thank them for being with us. The next one will be Sunday, October 2, Noon, 7th grade playing hosts.

Relics on Loan: Every time I begin new altar server training, I am reminded of the special bond we have with the saints and the relics in our altar and that are available for special healing prayer time. You may wish to borrow one for a while. They are available from me in my office for loan: Saint Peter Julian Eymard, Saint Kateri Tekakwitha, Saint Paschal Baylon and others. Let me know! Incidentally, within the altar of our parish, the center of our grounds, we have the relics of Saints Paul, Paschal Baylon and Peter Julian Eymard. Our young have become astute at remembering these three saints and I am enjoying training 12 new altar servers! You will see them shortly at your Mass on the weekend.

Planning for your Catholic Funeral: The Catholic Cemeteries Association of the Diocese of Cleveland will have another workshop (repeat of the successful one last year) answering your questions about pre-need, finance expenses, cemetery planning, cremation burials and more. [You may come to the parish office at any time to plan your scripture readings and music at any time – we have the booklets and sheets to assist you – or you may meet with our music/liturgy minister or one of the priests as well!] Please come to the workshop with Michael Vugas (Family and parish programs coordinator) – **Wednesday, October 26, 7:00 p.m.** in the Saint Julie Billiard Room.

New & Improved Sound System: We are pleased to know that many of you have noticed the difference and improvements in our sound system this summer. I want you to know that we never stop working on improving it or making it easier for people to hear. Currently, I am working on a grant to add a special system for the hearing impaired. We will have special receivers that you will be able to retrieve from the music ministers at the piano.

Welcome Fr. Paul Turner & Area Guests! Tuesday night should be an excellent night with the award-winning and excellent speaker, Diocese of Kansas City Priest Father Paul Turner here to reflect on the Mass as a mystery of sacrifice and praise. He is the author of the award-winning book: "Whose Mass is it Anyway?" Our parish leaders and liturgical ministers are using this night as a "retreat night," our annual leadership day. Other parishes and schools will also be here for their additional continuing education.

We are off to a great fall start! With PSR and all our ministries in full gear – thank you for sharing your gifts and talents to enhance our great parish community! Let us continue to pray for each other!

In Christ our Eucharist,



Reverend John Thomas Lane, SSS, '79
Pastor

P.S. Have married couples signed up for the Marriage Encounter Retreat?

STEWARDSHIP

Weekly Tithing:

Thank you for your sacrificial gifts!

- Collections for weekend of September 4, 2016- \$18,375.00
- Collections for weekend of September 11, 2016- \$14,937.00

Love Powers Our Mission! 468 parishioners of Saint Paschal Baylon have pledged **\$166,083** toward our parish goal of **\$143,564**. That is **115%** of our overall parish goal! **\$134,464** has been paid to date. Your support of the 2016 Catholic Charities Annual Appeal is an act of mercy that will change the lives of over 400,000 of your brothers and sisters in Christ. If you have not yet donated, please consider a generous gift to the Catholic Charities Annual Appeal. Contact Karen Joyce at 800-869-6525 ext. 1910 to make a gift by phone or make a secure online gift at www.catholiccommunity.org/ccdonate. On behalf of the poor and needy of Northeast Ohio, thank you! We invite you to view the stories of inspiration on how your gifts impact real people at www.catholiccommunity.org/2016Appeal.

PSR AND OTHER NEWS FROM THE PEKO'S

Part-Time 3rd Grade Classroom Aide Needed: We need an adult volunteer to be a third grade classroom aide for a portion of the PSR school year. Have you been thinking about volunteering and sharing your faith with children? If you are interested and available on Monday evenings, please contact George and Anna Peko at 440-442-3410 ext 107 or email psr@saintpaschal.com.

Registration: If you haven't yet registered your child for PSR, forms are available from the Parish Office and on psr.saintpaschal.com. Tuition rates for this year are \$95 for 1 child, \$170 for 2 children, and \$255 for 3 or more children. **Scholarships are available.** Additionally, our registration form also serves as the emergency medical form as well as the media release form for your convenience. **Special note:** Two years of sacramental preparation is required. If you have a child entering 1st grade or 7th grade and are interested in them receiving their sacraments in 2nd and 8th grades the following year, please make sure to enroll them in PSR for this coming school year.

Regular PSR Classes begin Monday, September 19: On Monday, please arrive in your PSR classrooms no later than 6:45 p.m. Pick up will be at 8:00 p.m. through the FLC.

Night Prayer 9/26: Join us for our first Night Prayer of the year on Monday, September 26 at 7:40 p.m. in the Church! Parents are welcome to sit with their children. If you cannot join us, remember that pick up is from the Church that night.

INFANT BAPTISM CLASSES OFFERED:

If you are interested in getting 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, November 20th following the 10:00 a.m. Mass.

CONFIRMATION:

Confirmation Fee Envelope, Commitment Pledge, and Session1 on 10/16: Our first Confirmation Session is Sunday, October 16th beginning with the 10:00 a.m. Mass. Students are asked to bring their red Confirmation folders as well as a pen. At Mass, we will all sit together by the baptismal font. Parents and candidates alike will be asked to make a commitment to the process of Confirmation formation. Following the closing song, the students will head to the school for the first Confirmation Session with their catechists. Don't forget that the Confirmation fee envelope is also due October 16. Contact George and Anna Peko with questions

psr@saintpaschal.com.

SAINT PASCHAL BAYLON SCHOOL NEWS

Saint Paschal Baylon School News:

It's official! For the fifth year in a row, Saint Paschal Baylon Catholic Elementary school has been recognized by The Ohio Academy of Science with the **Governor's Thomas Edison Award for Excellence in STEM Education and Student Research**. Lead teachers include: Kathy Baka, Project Challenge Coordinator; Joan Lorber, Kindergarten Teacher; Kristian Martinson, Grade 1 Teacher; Laura Yanick, Grade 1 Teacher; Stephanie Leffler, Grade 2 Teacher, Michele Longano, Grade 2 Teacher; Margaret Simpson, Math Teacher Grade 3; Evamarie Mickol, Science Teacher Grade 3; Mary Curtis, Science and Math Teacher Grade 4; Kristen Polantz, Science Teacher Grades 5/6; Holly Herald, Math Teacher Grades 5/6; Iryna L. Kulick, Science Teacher Grades 7/8; Joanne McMurdo, Technology Coordinator Grades K - 8. We couldn't be prouder of our staff who continue to prepare our students for college and career!

Coming Up:

- ALiCE training continues on Monday, September 19.
- Girls on the Run meet on Monday and Wednesday this week.
- STEM Club has its first meeting on Monday, September 19. Thank you to Mrs. Kulick, Mrs. Fekete, and Mrs. McMurdo for their leadership with this group.
- The High School Placement Test prep program continues on Tuesday, September 20.
- The Choose Life Program from LifeWorks Ohio starts on Tuesday.
- Please join us for our all school Mass on Wednesday, September 21. The fourth grade is planning the Mass.

God Bless,

Carol L. Jansky, Principal

PARISH ACTIVITIES

COURSE STUDY ON SAINT PETER JULIAN EYMARD

The Course of Study on Saint Peter Julian Eymard will take place on Wednesday, September 21st from 7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. in the Eymard Room. Our presenter Father John Christman will show how the centrality of the Eucharist and Father Eymard's intense prayer life led him to be such a man of love and compassion, a kind of life so called for in the writings and talks of Pope Francis.

FLOCK OF FRIENDSHIP

Singles: 40 and over, Information: (440) 442-3410 Membership is free.

E-mail address: flockfriends@yahoo.com Events are social, volunteering and spiritual.

All Saturdays of the month, we will assemble on the sidewalk in front of the Preterm abortion facility at 12000 Shaker Blvd at 9:30 a.m. For more information call Jim at 440-227-9189 or Julie at 216-362-1732.

Friday, September 23rd at 7:00 p.m. Join us for our monthly game night at St. Paschal Family Life Center. This is one of our best-attended events and is good for old and new members. Please bring a snack to share, money for pizza, and your favorite game. RSVP Dan at 440-223-8707 to let him know you are coming.

USHERS MEETING

Calling all ushers. Please plan on attending an important meeting Thursday, September 22nd from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. in Eymard Room.

LADIES GUILD

Calling all Past and Present Ladies Guild Members! Have you ever been a member of the Ladies Guild? I would love to hear from you! We are planning a special Ladies Guild Mass for this coming January and we would like to include YOU! Please contact Beth Mennel at 440-759-4694 or bsmennel@gmail.com. Thank you so much! Continue to check the bulletin for specific information.

BLOOD DRIVE NEXT WEEK

St. Paschal Baylon will be having a Blood Drive with LifeShare Community Blood Services on Sunday, Sept. 25th, 8:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. in the Family Life Center. Why participate? Here are a few reasons:

1. **Donating blood saves lives!** There's no such thing as synthetic blood . . . donors like you are desperately needed for patients suffering from cancer, trauma, surgery, and many other medical issues.
2. **Our community benefits.** LifeShare, a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization, is a major contributor of the blood used by hospitals here in Cuyahoga County.
3. **Our students benefit.** For each 25 blood donors, LifeShare will award \$500 in grant money for our school!
4. **Loyal donors get rewarded** . . . with gift cards of \$20 or more for making frequent donations in a year.
5. **You'll get a little mini-physical** . . . which may alert you to certain health risks such as high blood pressure or an iron deficiency.
6. **What better way to model real-life heroism for your kids?** You can even bring them along. Child care will be available 10:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Please donate blood if you are able!

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND

There will be 3 trained Catholic couples and a priest coming in to our parish Oct. 8 & 9 to present a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. This is a great opportunity to help your marriage stay on the right track! Call Mike and Regina at 330-305-9963 or www.GreatMarriagesOhio.org

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Come join us every Tuesday beginning September 20th from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. in the rectory. This year we are studying the book of Isaiah. God is perfect and sinless. He is in perfect control of His power, judgment, love and mercy. His holy nature is our yardstick for morality. Call Rick Costanzo for more details: 216-409-9964.

BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION IS A SIMPLE WAY WE CAN EARN CASH FOR OUR SCHOOL!

We can earn up to \$20,000 by participating in this very simple program. For every Box Top submitted, our school receives \$.10. Last year, we submitted 45,703 Box Tops. That is \$4,570.30 for our school! We need your help to make the most of this excellent program and tremendous earning opportunity for our school. Please keep an eye out for the pink Box Top logo on the products you use every day. Participating companies include General Mills, Green Giant, Nature Valley, Land O'Lakes, Annie's, Progresso Soups and Broths, Pillsbury, Old El Paso, Ziploc, Hefty, Fiber One, Cascadian Farm, Mott's, Betty Crocker, Yoplait, Totino's, Reynolds, Kleenex, Lysol and many more. After you have finished the product, grab your scissors and cut the Box Top off the package. Be sure to look for Bonus Box Top certificates that might also be on the package. Please tell friends, family and neighbors you are collecting Box Tops. A Box Top should NEVER EVER be thrown in the trash! **Follow these 3 simple steps to help earn money for our school!**

BUY: Favorite Box Tops products. There are hundreds of products to choose from!

CLIP: Cut the Box Top from the package.

SUBMIT: Put Box Tops in a Ziploc bag or envelope and place them in collection box located on the back wall of the narthex. PLEASE NOTE: All Box Tops have an expiration date. We cannot accept expired Box Tops.

WELCOME COMMITTEE

New Parishioners brunch coming up on Sunday, October 16th. Questions, call Diana 440 473-4080.

WALK-A-THON

The Sixth Annual Walk-a-Thon for Catholic Education will take place on Friday, October 21 at 1:00 p.m. We would love for you to join us for this fun-filled and community building event. If you would like to sponsor our event, business and individual sponsor sheets are available in the narthex or the rectory office. You can place your contribution in an envelope marked 2016 Walk-a-Thon and drop it in the mail, collection basket or rectory by Friday, October 7. You may also donate online by visiting www.saintpaschal.net and clicking on the 2016 Walk –a- Thon for Catholic Education link. Any level of sponsorship will contribute to our success. For any single donation of \$125 or more, your company or family name will be featured on the back the 2016 Walk-a-Thon T-shirt and listed on the Walk-a-Thon Thank You Board to be displayed in the entry of the church and school. You may also make a \$25 donation in memory of a loved one. The names of loved ones will be listed on the “Memory Lane” boards posted along the Walk-a-Thon Course. The earnings from the 2015 Walk-a-Thon allowed the PTO to contribute \$20,000 toward the purchase of Chromebooks for our students. Technology is changing the face of education and proving to be a positive predictor of academic achievement in math, science, reading and writing. One-to-one technology allows our teachers to provide diverse methods for delivering instruction and engaging our students. The earnings from the 2016 Walk-a-Thon will further our one-to-one technology initiative. We hope to raise enough funds to purchase another 25 iPads and a cart, if not more! We appreciate your assistance in helping us to attain this goal!

SOUL CORE

Join parishioner and SoulCore Leader, Karen Hostoffer, to nourish body, mind & soul with SoulCore - a prayer experience that combines the prayers of the rosary with core strengthening, stretching and functional movement. No fitness level or experience required. All are welcome! Visit www.soulcore.com for more information and a full list of classes in the area. WHEN: Thursday mornings at 7:00 a.m. BEGINNING October 6th. There is no cost but a suggested donation of \$10, for those who are able. Contact Karen at 216-310-5933 for information.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY - THE GOSPEL OF JOHN

If you want to know what it means to really follow Christ, and if you would like to have a deeper relationship with him, then we invite you to join us for Follow Me, beginning on Wednesday, October 5, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. Please email Donna at donnakornis@gmail.com or call her at 216-256-7080 for details on the study.

AROUND THE DIOCESE

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING

Learn about your faith and a method of family planning that goes beyond the physical. NFP classes start Sunday, Sept 25, at Holy Rosary. More info and registration online www.neo-nfp.org.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

From September 28-November 6, you're invited to join other Christians for 40 Days for Life- 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortions. We will also be participating in a 40 -day vigil at various locations. For more information please contact: John Noall at 216-245-9744.

THE GOSPELS AND CARAVAGGIO

Mondays of October at 7:00 p.m. at Resurrection Parish. Join us at **7:00 p.m.** , **Mondays, October 3, 10, 17, 24** for The Gospels and Caravaggio: A Dialogue of Text and Light with Rev. George M. Smiga, pastor of St. Noel in Willoughby.

BENEDICTINE OPEN HOUSES AND ENTRANCE EXAMS

Come enjoy a few hours at the "Home of Champions" and learn everything Benedictine has to offer. Students will be on hand to deliver guided tours throughout the school.

OPEN HOUSES:

Thursday, October 20th, 6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m., Sunday, October 23rd Noon - 2:30 p.m.

ENTRANCE EXAMS:

Saturday, October 22, 9:00 a.m. - 12:15 p.m., Saturday, November 5, 9:00 am - 12:15 p.m.
Wednesday, November 16, 5:00 pm - 8:15 pm., Saturday, December 3, 9:00 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.
Check out our website at cbhs.edu and click our ADMISSIONS tab to register for an exam.

LAKE CATHOLIC COUGAR FOR A DAY

Lake Catholic Marching Band invites 7th and 8th graders to visit September 24, 2016 from 2:00 p.m. to about 9:00 p.m. March and perform with a first class marching band! Contact Jen Bretz at jbretz@lakecatholic.org for more information.

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