

**THIS WEEK AT SAINT PASCHAL BAYLON
MASS AND MEETING SCHEDULE**

Monday, January 23, 2017, Day of Prayer for Legal Protection of Unborn

Heb 9:15, 24-28; Ps 98:1-6; Mk 3:22-30

9:00 a.m. MASS: Joseph and Kathleen Mills

11:30 a.m. MASS: (St. Ann Shrine)

12:15 p.m. MASS: Parishioner Intentions

Tuesday, January 24, 2017, Saint Francis de Sales, Bishop, Doctor of the Church

Heb 10:1-10; Ps 40:2, 4, 7-8, 10-11; Mk 3:31-35

6:30 a.m. MASS: Rose Baer

9:00 a.m. MASS: Diane Bevack

11:30 a.m. MASS: (St. Ann Shrine)

7:00 p.m. Men's Bible Study, Arkins and Kazel Rooms

7:00 p.m. School Advisory Council Meeting, Billiard Room

Wednesday, January 25, 2017, THE CONVERSION OF SAINT PAUL THE APOSTLE

Acts 22:3-16; Ps 117:1-2; Mk 16:15-18

9:00 a.m. MASS: Jim Fitzpatrick

11:30 a.m. MASS: (St. Ann Shrine)

12:15 p.m. MASS: Parishioner Intentions

7:00 p.m. Bible Study, Arkins Conference Room

Thursday, January 26, 2017, Saints Timothy and Titus, Bishops

Tm 1:1-8; Ps 96:1-3, 7-8, 10; Mk 4:21-25

9:00 a.m. MASS: Mary Gorican

11:30 a.m. MASS: (St. Ann Shrine)

6:30 p.m. Pack 555 Meeting, O'Brien Hall

Friday, January 27, 2017, Weekday

Heb 10:32-39; Ps 37:3-6, 23-24, 39-40; Mk 4:26-34

9:00 a.m. MASS: Alice Gemano

11:30 a.m. MASS: (St. Ann Shrine)

7:00 p.m. Flock of Friendship, Billiard Room

Saturday, January 28, 2017, Saint Thomas Aquinas, Priest, Doctor of the Church

Heb 11: 1-2, 8-19; Lk 1:69-75; Mk 4:35-41

9:00 a.m. MASS: Antonio Tartaglia

4:30 p.m. MASS: John Kazimir

Sunday, January 29, 2017, FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Zep 2:3, 12-13; Ps 146:6-10; Cor 1:26-31; Mt 5:1-12

8:00 a.m. MASS: Richard Filion

10:00 a.m. MASS: John B. DiCillo

12:00 p.m. MASS: John Previte

7:00 p.m. MASS: Frances Discenza

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SAVE THE DATES

- **MLK HOLIDAY:** Monday, January 16: One Mass at 9:00 a.m. Shrine, Chapel and Office are closed in observance
- **SCHOOL ADVISORY COUNCIL:** Tuesday, January 24, 7:00 p.m. in the Saint Julie Billiard Room
- **LUNAR NEW YEAR:** Begins this Saturday, January 28 – Pray for our friends around the world who keep this day special!
- **TAIZE PRAYER HOLY HOUR:** Monday, January 30, 7:00 p.m. in church
- **BLESS CANDLES:** Thursday, February 2 – at the beginning of the Mass we bless the candles that will be used for the year; bring them from your home to share in this tradition.
- **BLESS THROATS:** Friday, February 3, 8:30 a.m. at the baptismal Font the priests and Deacon Joe will celebrate the annual remembrance of St. Blaise, bishop and martyr. Come have your throat blessed.
- **CATHOLIC SCHOOL WEEK ANNUAL EVENTS:**
 - Athletic Association Pancake Breakfast: Sunday, February 5
 - Day School Special Masses – 10:00 a.m. Sunday, February 5 & 9:00 a.m. Friday, February 10
 - PSR Special Mass & Pizza Party – Noon, Sunday, February 12
- **PASTORAL COUNCIL:** Monday, February 6, 7:00 p.m., Billiard Room
- **ALTAR SERVER TRAINING:** Tuesday, February 7, 2:45p.m. (anyone who has made their First Communion is eligible)
 - February 14, 21, 28
 - March 14
 - Installation Mass is March 26 at 10:00 a.m.
- **COME & SEE:** Friday, February 10 – Sunday, February 12: What's it like to live as a Blessed Sacrament Priest, Deacon or Brother? Spend the weekend with the Blessed Sacrament Community. Sign up by contacting Fr. Anthony Marshall, SSS, Vocation Minister, at (440) 442-3410 x270.
- **LITURGY COMMISSION:** Monday, February 13, 8 p.m.
- **EYMARD SPIRITUAL GROUP:** Tuesday, February 14:
 - 11:00 a.m. Social
 - 11:30 a.m. Novena with Saint Peter Julian Eymard
 - 12 Noon Potluck Lunch
 - 12:45 p.m. State of the Parish Report and Dialog with our Pastor

- **PRESIDENT'S DAY HOLIDAY:** Monday, February 20: One Mass at 9:00 a.m. Shrine, Chapel and Office are closed in observance
- **TAIZE PRAYER HOLY HOUR:** Monday, February 20, 7:00 p.m. in church
- **FINANCE COUNCIL:** Tuesday, February 21, 7:00 p.m. in the Saint Julie Billiard Room
- **LADIES GUILD:** Evening of Empowerment GUEST SPEAKER for women and girls of all ages on Thursday, February 23 at 7:00 p.m. in the Eymard Room
- **ASH WEDNESDAY:** March 1, 2017

THE PARISH BUSINESS OFFICE - We will have your 2016 Contribution Statements available for you to pick up in the rectory office, beginning Wednesday, February 1, 2017. **We will not be mailing the statements.**

A NEW MASS SETTING

In 2011, all parishes and institutions within the Diocese of Cleveland were asked to learn the *Mass of St. Paul the Apostle* by Christopher Walker. The request met with great success. As a result, the Office for Worship has chosen the **MASS OF ST. FRANCES CABRINI** by Kevin Keil as the next setting for use diocesan-wide. We have begun introducing this Mass setting here at St. Paschal Baylon. Diocesan celebrations will begin incorporating Keil's setting after March 1, 2017.

St Frances Cabrini, whose feast day is November 13, was the first United States citizen to be canonized. She is the patroness of immigrants and hospital administrators.

Kevin Keil has been in sacred music ministry for more than 40 years. He has been Director of Music Ministries at Holy Cross Catholic Church in The Colony, Texas since August of 2009. Previously, Kevin was the Director of Music at St. Noel Church in Willoughby Hills.

ONLINE DONATION PROGRAM

We invite you to join the MyEoffering program. We are grateful to everyone that has already signed up for this new on line donation program.



The advantages to you with our new MyEoffering program are the option to use credit cards to make donations and all the second collections can receive money through your online donations.

The link for enrolling in the donation program is available through the parish website, www.saintpaschal.com. Look on the church side of the website for the icon that is printed with this article. That will take you to the MyEoffering website.

YOUTH MINISTRY

"Let nothing disturb you, let nothing frighten you, all things pass away: God never changes. Patience obtains all things. He who has God finds he lacks nothing. God alone suffices."

-St. Teresa of Avila

Thank you to all the teens who came to our first meeting of the new year, and those who attended last week's XLT! It was a very prayer filled week! This week our youth group hosted a father/daughter dance to help raise funds for our mission trip to Arizona. Thank you to everyone who attended! It was a great way for our teens to serve the greater community of SPB! We are looking forward to our trip to the Cathedral and The Monsters Game next weekend! Please pray for our safety! There will not be a youth group meeting the 29th. (Life in the Eucharist Retreat Team Training Session #1 beginning at 5:30 p.m. on January 29th...Only for those who are attending our mission trip)

On February 5th, our Youth Group will be hosting a canned soup drive for our Helping Hands Ministry. Please bring a canned soup item (the one with a pull top opening would be best) to any Mass that weekend! We will have Eucharistic Adoration for all beginning at 5:30 p.m. and attend the 7:00 p.m. Teen Mass. Hope you can join us!

Upcoming Events:

- Sunday, February 5th - Superbowl Sunday! Eucharistic Adoration at 5:30 p.m. for all, and Teen Mass at 7:00p.m. No High School Youth Group meeting to follow.
- Sunday, February 12th: Cookies with Olaf Fundraiser - Service Opportunity

11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. No JYG Youth Group meeting.

- Sunday, February 19th: Regular Meeting ~ God is LOVE. What does true love mean?

Regular meeting times.

- Saturday, February 25th ~ Mother/Son Game Night. SERVICE HOURS OPPORTUNITY. 5:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.
- Sunday, February 26th: Regular Meeting: Digging Deep - a night on Scripture (BIBLE = Basic Instructions Before Leaving Earth)

CLOWN/HELPING HANDS MINISTRY

Well, we have celebrated the great feast of the Epiphany a few weeks ago and for most Catholics this was the Sunday they took down all their Christmas decorations. That reminds me of all the groups that came to downtown Cleveland around Thanksgiving and Christmas season but in January, you see very little of these groups. The Feast of the Epiphany reminds me that we must continue to give not only at Christmas, but all year. Our ministry continues to serve no matter how rainy, snowy or cold. Like the Magi who spent many months looking for Jesus, our volunteers are looking for Jesus in all the people they feed and help with clothing. Helping Hands Ministry must always remember that we do our work in the name of God, who blesses us.

GOD IS GOOD ALL THE TIME. ALL THE TIME GOD IS GOOD.

FROM THE PASTOR'S PERSPECTIVE



Due to the holiday publication schedule, this column was prepared January 1.

3rd Sunday in Ordinary

Time: Today's Gospel recalls the vocational call to discipleship of the first disciples, especially Peter, Andrew, James and John. Their following Christ seems so immediate and

sure. For many of us, we need a little more time and discernment before we embark on anything. In the midst of this new year, what is God calling us to do or be at this moment in our lives? He is always surfacing something for us to journey into that will change our lives, bring healing and wholeness. Let us spend some special time this week in prayer over these questions and reminders. As the Psalm today says, "The LORD is my light and my salvation." Jesus Christ will give us the light to see in the midst of the shadows of uncertainty to help us to a clearer vision that leads to our salvation.

Vocation Reminder: In former years, these days in January were devoted to vocation awareness due to the theme of the readings from the Feast of the Baptism of the LORD until this Sunday. The readings still serve as a reminder that all year long we have a job to do: identify, affirm and call young people into service in the church. I was so fortunate to have you and other folks at Divine Word in Kirtland where I served as music & youth minister as well as high school and college classmates ask me "Have you ever thought about being a priest?" We each are asked to be Christ for others - and specifically to see, name and invite young women and men to discern religious life and the ordained diaconate and priesthood. Who do you consider would be a great Sister of Notre Dame? Or Ursuline? Do you know a married man or two who would be a great deacon for our parish and the church? What about seeing men joining the Blessed Sacrament Community?

God uses us to draw on the faith of one another and support one another in our vocations. I believe it's also important we say to our young people that we see them serving the Church while choosing a vocation to married life or single life. We need strong marriages and service - married life has also taken a hit and doesn't always look so appealing. The bigger issue: the word commitment! It's challenging for young people today and we have to help them understand that it's possible and that God will support them in their commitment to God and the church. So you see, we have a lot of affirming and calling to do for our future as a church.

Octave for Christian Unity: This Wednesday, January 25 on the Feast of the Conversion of Saint Paul, the Octave for Christian Unity ends.

Our prayers and work never end in building Christ's church and praying for Orthodox, Protestant and Catholic leaders to work at uniting the Body of Christ. This is part of the *Rule of Life* of the Congregation of the Blessed Sacrament and one of the hallmarks of many of our religious. You who live with brothers and sisters in your family or neighborhood know the importance of dialog and sharing the Christian faith together. May we see as part of our vocation as a Christian the duty to serve Christ better by uniting the Body of Christ as one and fulfilling the support and mandate we have all had as Catholic Christians since the Second Vatican Council - to work and build the unity of all the churches.

Altar Server Training: It's that time of year: our Winter Recruitment Drive for ministries, but especially for our young people to be trained for this ministry. Contact Mary Broske dbrowske@roadrunner.com to register for the sessions - 45 minutes after school - from 2:45 - 4:00 p.m. in the church beginning Tuesday, February 7. Also, you may watch the video <https://youtu.be/QdghXxAwpYE> and <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-2kYrNeuzX4&t=62s>

Funeral Servers: We need adults to serve too—at funeral Masses most especially. We are grateful to Andy Futey who coordinates this for us. Adults, too, may watch the videos to learn or re-learn how to serve. Then, you may “shadow” at other funerals and see the particulars for Funeral Masses. Call Andy to let him know you are interested in serving in this special ministry: (440) 473-0485.

Called To Serve As Communion Ministers, Ushers & Lectors: You may recall that in scripture Zechariah was “taking his turn” in the temple serving God. May I suggest that it's time for you to hear God calling you to serve in these other special liturgical ministries? We have great trainers, so contact George Zagar: zagarga@gmail.com, for Communion Ministers, John Schuster: johnschuster9@yahoo.com for lectors and Jerry Kazimir: KKAZIMIR@roadrunner.com for ushers.

Let us continue to pray for each other as we serve the LORD together in our vocation!

In Christ our Eucharist,



Reverend John Thomas J. Lane, SSS, SPB Class of 1979 graduate
Pastor

PROVIDE A MEANINGFUL LEGACY GIFT

Many parishioners make contributions outside the parish because we have not asked them for their help. Bequests to the parish, gifts of real estate and life insurance, stocks, and bonds can help perpetuate your faith commitment. Please remember the ongoing and long range needs which exist here at Saint Paschal Baylon Parish. For specific areas or projects which could benefit from your gift, contact the Advancement Office at 440-442-3410 ext. 112.

SAINT PASCHAL BAYLON SCHOOL NEWS

The SPB National Geography Bee wrapped up Thursday, January 5 with 8th grader George Zein winning the Championship. George will now have the opportunity to test into qualifying for the state level bee and compete against other students from around Ohio. Great job George! Our second place finisher was 7th grader Anja Rowane and our third place finisher was 8th grader Charlie Shepherd. Congratulations to all who participated, and we hope you continue studying for next year's bee! Our thanks to Mrs. Marti and Mr. Martin for leading this group.

Some more exciting news. Eight eighth graders and three seventh graders have won recognition in the 2017 Scholastic Writing Awards. Eighth graders Megan Fowler and Anthony Santagata won the 2017 Scholastic Writing Silver Key Award. Eighth graders Gabi Basic, Sam Dornback, Maggie Goff, Francesca Longano, Celine Najm, and Gabby Repko earned Honorable Mention as did seventh graders Antonio Annandono, Julian Guggenheim, and Kallista Hayes. These students were invited to a reception at The Cleveland Institute of Art. In our specific region, Saint Paschal Baylon School was the only Catholic grade school whose students entered and won awards for their creative writing. We are proud of the talents of these gifted junior high students! We thank Mrs. Connors for her guidance and leadership.

If you are interested in learning more about Saint Paschal Baylon Catholic Elementary School contact the school office at 440-442-6766 or office@saintpaschal.com.

Coming Up:

- STEM Club meets after school on Monday, January 23.
- Math Tournament Practice for Grade 5 is on Monday and for Grade 6 on Wednesday. Students should meet at 2:30 p.m.
- We celebrate our Green Knights with a Breakfast of Champions on Wednesday, January 25 at 8:15 a.m. This breakfast is for students whose names have been placed on our SPB Castle.
- Join us for our all school Liturgy on Wednesday at 9:00 a.m.
- The eighth grade "signing angels" will practice after school on Wednesday.
- Thursday, January 26 is a 16-17 Walk-a-thon T-shirt day.

God bless,

Carol L. Jansky, Principal

PSR AND OTHER NEWS FROM THE PEKO'S

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 or psr@saintpaschal.com to sign up for a course on baptism. The next class is Sunday, January 22nd following the 10:00 a.m. Mass.

YOUTH CONFIRMATION:

Confirmation Session 5 February 26th: Our 5th Confirmation session for our 8th graders is Sunday, February 26 beginning with 10:00 a.m. Mass. Please have a ride ready for your child at 12:15p.m. in front of the FLC. Each Candidate should provide the white "Official Confirmation Registration" form (found in the red Confirmation folder), a COPY of his/her baptismal certificate (even if the baptism occurred at SPB), and the Sponsor Letter from their sponsor's home parish. These THREE documents MUST be submitted in order to be Confirmed. All three documents are due at our next session on February 26. Contact George and Anna Peko with questions psr@saintpaschal.com.

PARISH ACTIVITIES

FLOCK OF FRIENDSHIP: Singles: 40 and over, Information: (440) 442-3410 Membership is free. Events are social, volunteering and spiritual. E-mail address: flockfriends@yahoo.com
Friday, January 27 at 7:00 p.m. Join us for our monthly game night at St. Paschals' 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 Jim at 440.944.1552 to let him know you are coming.

The Book Club will meet on Friday, March 10 at 7:00 p.m. at St. Paschal's Family Life Center. The book we will be discussing is A Tap On The Window by Linwood Barclay. RSVP to Karen at karendoubrava@sbcglobal.net

SOULS ON FIRE: We are inviting you to *Save the Date* of our 2017 Lenten Mission. Our Lenten Mission will take place on Sunday, March 12 – Tuesday, March 14. We are pleased to welcome Fr. Tom Dragga as our Mission presenter. Fr. Dragga will preach at all the weekend Masses March 11-12. Special event on Sunday, March 12th. So mark your calendars now! You don't want to miss it.

ST. PASCHAL'S BLOOD DRIVES: Please mark your calendar for **February 26th** and **April 30th**, and support St. Paschal's blood drives. Your blood donation will not only save lives in our community, but will help our own students as well. For every 25 units of blood we collect, SBP School will receive \$500 through LifeShare's Educational Grant program.

SAVE THE DATE: Ladies Guild will welcome Frannie Foltz of "Shine with Frannie" for an Evening of Empowerment for women and girls of all ages on Thursday, February 23 at 7:00 p.m. in the Eymard Room of the PLC. Please plan to attend!

NEWS FROM THE WELCOMING COMMITTEE: Come and join us for Complimentary Coffee and Donuts in the Narthex on Sunday, February 26th after the 10:00 a.m. Mass. All are welcome! Mark your calendars for Sunday, March 12th. Join us for a soup and salad dinner in the Eymard Room followed by the Parish Lenten Mission. More information to follow.

WHAT ARE YOU DOING for LENT?



A number of parishioners have requested an opportunity to come together to reflect on Scripture, to learn more about our faith, and to share with one another. In response, the Spiritual Formation Committee is

again sponsoring the ARISE: Together in Christ Program, where you can do all these things in a small group setting.

Our next program will be the week of February 27, 2017 and will run for six weeks during Lent. Small groups will gather once a week for an hour and a half, on a day and time of their choosing. Each participant will receive a book which contains prayer, Scripture readings, reflections and faith-sharing questions. The atmosphere is informal and a trained leader will help to facilitate the prayer and sharing. The cost of the 6-week program is \$13, which covers the cost of the book. Registration will be held in the Narthex the weekends of February 4-5, 11-12 and 18-19, 2017.

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY: Start Lent of 2017 on Fat Tuesday and come "feast" on the Word of God. We are starting the book of Romans Tuesday, February 28th at 7:00 p.m. in the rectory. Materials provided. Call Rick Costanzo for details, 216-409-9964.

AROUND THE DIOCESE

JESUIT RETREAT HOUSE: Artful Spirituality. January 31, 2017. 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Presented by Mary Coffey. Discover a new way to encounter God and listen to your soul—through art! Explore the intersection of spirituality and creativity. No art experience necessary! Includes coffee and pastries at 8:30 a.m. and ends with Mass. Cost: \$50 (includes \$10 for art supplies). To register contact 440-884-9300 or visit www.jrh-cleveland.org.

PASTORAL CARE DEPARTMENT HILLCREST HOSPITAL: Would you like to become a Eucharistic Minister to the sick at Hillcrest Hospital?

- You need to be a person who desires to visit the sick in a hospital setting.
- You will need Extraordinary Minister training from the Diocese of Cleveland, receive a certificate and be Commissioned by your Pastor.
- You will receive training from the Hospital Volunteer Office, Spiritual Care and Fr. Lito for a weekday or monthly assignment on Sunday.
- For more information call the Pastoral Services Department at 440-312-3739



BAPTISMS

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE CHILD RECENTLY BAPTIZED AT SAINT PASCHAL BAYLON:

Grady James Finlaw, son of Adam and Megan

YOUR PARISH STAFF – (440) 442-3410

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