

Mass Intentions This Week

Saturday, March 18, 2017

4:00 PM †Kathy Bumbalough-Jim & Janice Naderer

Sunday, March 19, 2017

10:00 AM Saint Patrick Parishioners' (pro populo)

Tuesday, March 21, 2017

12:10 PM †Barbara Petty-Michele Nichols

Thursday, March 23, 2017

6:15 PM †Father Patrick Sheridan-Shirley & Mike Meeker

Eucharistic Adoration & Confession following Mass

Saturday, March 25, 2017

4:00 PM †Carmen Sink-Robert Barnwell

Sunday, March 26, 2017

10:00 AM Saint Patrick Parishioners' (pro populo)

Additional Masses at St Mary of Woods: Saturday, 6:00 PM and Sunday, 8:00 AM; Wed. 6:15 PM and Fri., 12:10 AM.

Reminder:

Fri, March 24, 5:00 pm—Way of the Cross

Fri, March 24, 5:00 –7:00 pm—K of C Fish Fry

March 19, 2017, Winner Family Barn, 4:00-5:00 PM

Located: 7317 St. Rt. 47 W

“Lenten Talk—Bread from Heaven”

BRING YOUR BIBLE!

Join Father Landenwitch this Lent as we dive into the Old Testament and unlock the mysteries that foreshadow the greatest gift Jesus Christ would ever give to His Church. Your understanding and appreciation of the Mass will never be the same!

Parish Offering Weekend: 3/11 & 3/12/17

Sunday Offering \$6,209.35

Improvement Fund \$ 875.00

Assessment \$ 5.00

Lent \$1,573.00

Ash Wed(aid to central & eastern Europe) \$ 30.00

TOTAL COLLECTIONS \$ 8,692.35

Weekend Mass Attendance for 2017: 425 Ash Wednesday 279

Commissions: Finance/Stewardship, Keith Krieger, 599.5306

Property Maintenance & Development, Tim O'Rielley, 593.2365

PARISH PRAYER LINE: Tammy Bauer, 937.441.0645

Rest in the Peace of Christ : Father Patrick Sheridan, our beloved pastor and our parishioners: Katherine Turner, Virginia McPherson, Cheryl L. Snyder, and Bernadette Bensman, who passed on to glory and are remembered with love and held in our prayers.

Marriage, Youth & Family

As the Samaritan woman began to understand the living water, she saw Jesus differently. Jesus pulls the woman into a deepening spirituality and to faith. She becomes a herald of the Savior.

(Celebrating Sunday for Catholic Families 2016-17)

On the Way Home If we do something good, we feel happy or at peace. This takes grace. Shouldn't we "thirst" for grace? (Celebrating Sunday's for Catholic Families 2016-17, LTP)

July 10-13th NPM Youth Music Institute - High

School students in the graduating classes of 2017-2021 are invited to attend. You will experience the best of NPM convention with a youth friendly experience, housed at Xavier University. Contact Mary Woolf or Kathy LeVan to attend!

Paddy's Pig 5K/10K Run/Walk**JUNE 10, 2017****Register Today!** racepenguin.com/events/paddypigrun

Next Committee Meeting: Wednesday April 5, at 6 PM in Makley Hall.

**Catholic Podcast to check out**

Catholic Stuff You Should Know

Pints with Aquinas

The Catholic Hipster

The Crunch

Do Something Beautiful

Catching Foxes

Just Another Priest Podcast (Fr. Kyle Schnippel)

: from *Stuff Luke Carey found* CT Feb. 17**INFORMATINAL MEETINGS**

Men of the Archdiocese: Have you ever wondered if you might be called to be a Permanent Deacon in the Catholic Church? Wonder what a deacon does and what it takes to become a deacon? If so, please attend an informational meeting, along with your wife. NORTHERN REGION: TUES, MAR 28-6:30 PM St. Michael Parish, 33 Elm St., Fort Loramin OH 45845

MASS INTENTIONS: Please, fill out the form below and drop in the collection basket or mail to the office. There is a \$5 stipend for each Mass requested. **PLEASE, PRINT!**
Intention: _____
Offered by: _____
Date requested: _____
Mass requested: _____
 We will make every attempt to get them on the date you request, however, funerals, prior requests and other events may prevent this.

JOURNEYS May the God of JOURNEYS be with you, staying by your side, companioning you on the pathway, talking with you when you are lonely, carrying you when you feel abandoned, resting with you when you are weary. May this God be with you over each hill, under each obstacle, and in each fork in the road. With the blessing of companionship, may the God of JOURNEYS be with you. By Maxine Shonk, OP

March Lay Ministry Schedule
 Date: 25 March 2017, 4 p.m.
 Mus/Can: Judy Wells, Mindy Bailey
 Servers: Liam Sweeney, Daniel Dinovo, Sharon Traul
 Lec/Read: Mary Giannola, Deb Baker
 Extra Mins: Joe Kelly, Rose Lyons, Becky Meyer
 Date: 26 March, 10 a.m.
 Mus/Can: Leanna George, Tim Smith, John Vicario
 Servers: Aaron Campbell, Cale Kline, Micah Woolf
 Lec/Read: Becky Meyer, Monica Fields
 Extra Mins: Lacey Campbell, Brian Woolf, Mary Smith

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY (592.9455)
 Hours: 10:00 am-12:00pm, Tues & Thurs;
 5:00-7:00 pm Wed
 Dates: 8 and 9 March 2017 Clients: 45
 Money spent on assistance: \$1,746.59
 Items needed: pineapple, shampoo, gravity



From Ashes to Glory

The Word One of the scribes came near and heard them disputing with one another, and seeing that he answered them well, he asked him, "Which commandment is the first of all?" Jesus answered, "The first is, 'Hear, O Israel: the Lord our God, the Lord is one; you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind, and with all your strength.' The second is this, 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.' There is no other commandment greater than these." Mark 12:28

Reflect

Honest self-examination will not go on long without love—love of God and of one's self. And love flourishes only in truth, truth not about ourselves only, but about ourselves and others. Here's a scary question: how interested am I in those persons God gives me? How much care do I show for them? Interest and care bind others to us and us to them, as God wishes. They are the runway to love.

1. **Give Thanks.** I thank God for this day, for my life, for all I am and have, and for His Word.
2. **Pray for Light.** I ask the Father to let me see my day as the Holy Spirit sees it, and to show me what I need to see.
3. **Find God.** I look at my day in the light of the Spirit. Had I good things to achieve, and did I get to them? Am I deliberately breaking a law? Must I feel guilt at something done or left out? Where do I see my spirit—trusting the Holy Spirit or anxiously focused on self?
4. **Anything Wrong?** I acknowledge boldly what I have done, repenting any failures. I wonder whether I refuse to look directly at something I feel may be wrong. I feel the sorrow of any wounded relationship. I repent of any even partial infraction of a commandment.
5. **What Now?** I look forward in hope. What am I to do now? What do I have to avoid?

Prayer

I watch how You forgive, Lord Jesus,
 asking the Father to forgive
 and telling Him the reason to forgive:
 "They do not know what they are doing."
 Was that as hard for You to say
 as it has at times been hard for me?
 I need Your compassion, Lord,
 when I try to figure out
 how they could have hurt me
 so hard and callous,
 a nail driven into my life.
 O Lord, was it just as hard for You?