

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 14, 2015

MASSES OF THE WEEK

SUNDAY, JUNE 14, 2015

- 9:00 am Stanley Pykosz (d)
11:00 am Hazel Nesselhuf (d)
7:00 pm For the Parishioners

MONDAY, JUNE 15, 2015

- 8:30 am Julie Niehoff (d)

TUESDAY, JUNE 16, 2015

- 8:30 am Ada Iles (d)

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 17, 2015

- 8:30 am Larry Miller, Sr. (d)

THURSDAY, JUNE 18, 2015

- 8:30 am Robert Burlage (d)

3pm-5pm EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

FRIDAY, JUNE 19, 2015

- 8:30 am Elmer Miller (d)

SATURDAY, JUNE 20, 2015

- 8:30 am Jack Murphy (d)
4:30 pm Barb Legschmid (d)

SUNDAY, JUNE 21, 2015

- 9:00 am Daniel Sehlhorst (d)
11:00 am Louis Bauer Family
7:00 pm For the Parishioners

St. Lawrence is Thinking of You

ARCHBISHOP LEIBOLD HOME: Irma Hornback

BAYLEY PLACE: Rita Brinker, George Claxton

WESTERN HILLS RETIREMENT VILLAGE:

Donald Jostworth, Mildred Weber

WEST PARK: Ernestine Huber

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SERVERS

June 20/21

- 4:30 pm O Hand
9:00 pm J Gonnella
11:00 am A Barkley
7:00 pm M Sweet

LECTORS

June 20/21

- 4:30 pm C Manegold
9:00 am N Heitzman
11:00 am K Prater
7:00 pm S Aufermann

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

June 20/21

- 4:30 pm J Brehm, B Hornback,
N Hornback, L Kreimer
9:00 am M Ann Bedel, J Brannon,
C Schneider, M Schneider
11:00 am S Blake, J Hay,
M Redrow, R Weinheimer
7:00 pm E Sweet, M Thompson

Please be sure to stop in the sacristy before Mass to let Father know you are present.

OFFERING

JUNE 7, 2015

\$8,981.73

Thank You for your Generosity!

Vocation View: Allow God's seed of faith to grow in your heart and always say yes to God. (Mark 4:26-34)

Thought for the Day: "Character cannot be developed in ease and quiet. Only through experiences of trial and suffering can the soul be strengthened, vision cleared, ambition inspired and success achieved."

Helen Keller (1880-1968)

Rest in Peace: Please pray for the repose of the soul of Catherine Lager who died recently.



Bingo

Sunday workers: please report at 11:30am

Tuesday workers: please report at 5:30pm

Parents of the students listed below are asked to work the following Bingo:

SUNDAY, JUNE 14: D Perez-Gonzalez,
A Nolasco, Y Niangane

TUESDAY, JUNE 16: T Nguyen,
C McWilliams, R Kersey

SUNDAY, JUNE 21: D Hicks, S Haverbusch,
I Hand

TUESDAY, JUNE 23: C Groppenbecker,
K Figgs, S Eichhorn



Variety Booth: Please help the teachers collect the nearly 600 items needed to stock the Variety Pull-Down Booth! Handcrafted items are great, as well as: afghans, newly purchased plush animals, toys, figurines, small household items and holiday items, etc. Be creative! They are also accepting cash donations to purchase items. Items should be new and can be dropped off at the rectory or call 921-0328 between 9am-4pm. Thank you for your support of St. Lawrence Parish and School!

Basket Bonanza Booth: This booth has been very successful in past years and with your help we hope to carry on the tradition. We appreciate donated themed baskets as well as gift certificates or any new items that can be combined to assemble nice baskets. Monetary gifts to purchase items are also very much appreciated.

Booth Sponsorships: Consider investing in a booth sponsorship. Your name or the name of your business will be on the side of St. Lawrence Church the entire festival weekend. For information call Theresa Murphy at 921-0266. The booth sponsorships cover the rising cost of the bands, booth rentals, printing, stage rental and various other expenses that the parish incurs preparing for the festival.

from the *Pastor's Desk*

Major Award Raffle Tickets: The next Early Bird drawing will be next Sunday, Father's Day. So, please keep up the good work of buying and selling tickets. The Major Award is the largest source of income for the festival. Its success is vital. Thank you!

Summer Festival News: We are looking forward to a great summer festival this year! The festival this year will be on Saturday, July 11 and Sunday, July 12. We will have entertainment on both days: Saturday - Bluefish and Sunday - Saffire Express. Chicken dinners will be served on Saturday and Sunday from 5pm-7pm. We will have lots of other delicious food and good beer. I hope you'll plan now to come. Parishioners have received their festival chances. Please do your best to sell your chances and help us to make this the best festival ever! If you need more tickets please call the rectory at 921-0328 or e-mail at festival@stlawrenceparish.org. If you would like to help at the festival, call Theresa Murphy at 921-0266 or festival@stlawrenceparish.org.



St. Martin of Tours Church will be having their summer festival at Harvest Home on Saturday, June 13 from 5pm-11pm and on Sunday, June 14 from 3pm-10pm. Live music all weekend and rotisserie style chicken dinners will be served on Sunday from 3pm-7pm.

Mother of Mercy High School offers a variety of summer camps for grade school girls and boys. The camps include basketball, bowling, lacrosse, soccer, tennis and volleyball, all led by current coaches and alumnae playing at the collegiate level. Mercy also offers academic camps in art, dancing and reading enrichment. Registration is open for all camps. Check out the full lineup of camp offerings at our website www.motherofmercy.org/summercamps.

Panthers Jr. High Cross Country Running

Club is for boys who are entering the 7th & 8th grade this fall from the west side of town. Join the team for summer. Conditioning will be on Tuesdays at 5:30pm at Fernbank Park, beginning June 23. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday practices and races will begin on Tuesday, July 28. No experience is needed to join and conditioning is free. There will be 8-10 meets for the season. For more information contact Nick Westerman at nwesterman@alumni.pitt.edu.

Retrouvaille: Is your marriage hurting in any way? Has your marriage grown, cold, distant, unloving or uncaring? Then, please consider Retrouvaille – a program to help heal and renew marriages. Retrouvaille is for marriages that have lost some of their spark, for marriages having difficulties in communication and even those marriages on the edge of separation or divorce. Retrouvaille consists of one weekend, plus six follow-up sessions over approximately three months. For information visit our website at www.cincyretrouvaille.org or call 922-6045. Many weekends and locations are available. Please call for details.

Holy Family Church Summer Festival, in East Price Hill, will be held on Saturday, June 13 from 5:00pm-11:00pm and Sunday, June 14 from 4:00pm-10:00pm.

The Lay Pastoral Ministry Program is coming back to the west side! Classes for the non-degreed Certificate of Ministry will meet at St. Ignatius Parish for two years beginning in August, 2015. The program equips men and women to evangelize, catechize and serve more effectively as they grow in faith, knowledge and skills. The classes will meet primarily on Saturdays. Flexible formation components and a part-time structure enable students to maintain work and family obligations while discerning God's call and preparing for new opportunities. The main campus in Mt. Washington also offers an MA Pastoral Ministry and a Graduate Certificate. For more information, or to set up a personal interview, call 231-1200 or email at smcgurgan@athenaeum.edu.

Golf Outing:

It is time to tee off with the Seton High School Athletic Boosters! The community is invited to join in some summertime fun and fundraising at the 6th annual Seton Athletic Boosters Golf Outing on Monday, July 20, 2015 at Aston Oaks Golf Course. Check-in begins at 7:00am followed by a shotgun scramble start at 8:00am. Grab your foursome and be ready for some golf, lunch, on-course games, awards, raffles, auction and the famous ball-drop. Burgers on the course and drinks are both included. The committee is accepting cash or gift donations for the raffle and auction. The deadline for registration is July 10, 2015. We are also offering a variety of sponsorship levels. The outing benefits Seton athletes and is sponsored by the SC Ministry Foundation. Corporate sponsors include LaRosa's and TriHealth. To register or for more information please call Janie Shaffer at 471-2600 ext. 206 or at shafferj@setoncincinnati.org. You can visit our website at www.setoncincinnati.org and click on Athletics.

2015 Elder High School Summer Camps: A variety of summer camps are available for boys in first grade through high school. Elder's athletic department offers ten different camps and leagues led by head coaches, current Elder athletes and alumni playing at the collegiate and professional levels. For complete details on our camps please visit our website at www.elderhs.org or contact Dee Dee Doerflein at Elder at doerfleindr@elderhs.org or call her at 921-3461.



Elder Experience Camp: Elder High School is offering a one week course for eighth grade boys to help them prepare for the High School Placement Test and give them an opportunity to experience Elder with current Elder students. Two sessions are available: July 28-31 and August 4-7. The class runs Tuesday through Friday from 8:30am-12:30pm. Each session is limited to 30 students. You can register online at www.elderhs.org or contact Maura Gettler at 921-3427 for more information.

The Laurentian

Congratulations to the following St. Lawrence students who graduated from Seton High School with the following awards.

Phuong Phan: St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Award, Latin Department Award and many numerous scholarships to the following schools:

Bellarmino University, Hanover College, Marian University, St. Michael's College, University of Cincinnati, University of Dayton, and Xavier University.

Carmen Sunderman: Dean's Scholarship, Mount St. Joseph Award and Private Education Award to Mount St. Joseph University

Marriage Encounter: We would like to invite you to make a Marriage Encounter weekend. The weekend helps struggling marriages and enriches good ones. It connects you to other couples who realize the value of a strong marriage and its importance to a healthy culture. Please consider blessing your marriage this year by setting aside time for each other. The next Marriage Encounter weekends in this area for 2015 are July 31- August 2 at the Holiday Inn Eastgate in Cincinnati, OH, September 18-20 at the Holiday Inn Express in Georgetown, Ohio, October 16-18 at Our Lady of the Holy Spirit Center in Norwood, OH and November 6-8 at Maria Stein Retreat Center in Maria Stein, OH. The mission of Worldwide Marriage Encounter is to proclaim the value of Marriage and Holy Order in the Church and in the world. Weekends fill up quickly, so a prompt response is encouraged to avoid the waiting list. For details or reservations call Dave & Jan Stockelman at 251-1940 or 1-800-547-1251 Code 00 or their e-mail at dj2378@fuse.net.

St. Dominic Knights of Columbus will hold a "Paddle Party" on Sunday, June 14 at O'Connor Hall located at St. Dominic Church, 4552 Delhi Pike. Doors will open at 12:30pm and bidding will take place from 1:00pm-4:00pm. Proceeds benefit the International Mission for Children, a nonprofit group that is raising money to build a school in Ghana. Fr. John Amankwah is heading up this project. Vendors include Pampered Chef, Tastefully simple, 31 Gifts, Mary Kay and others. Vendors will also be taking orders and may have cash and carry items available! Split-the-pot, basket raffles, snacks and soft drinks will be available. For more information, contact Cathy Lanzillotta at 482-0963 or by e-mail at cptcat19@gmail.com.

Vocation Retreat: Our Lady of the Holy Spirit Center in Norwood will be hosting a vocation retreat for young men in grades 6-8 on June 26-27, 2015. The retreat includes Mass, Eucharistic Holy Hour, food, recreation and the opportunity to meet with men of various vocations including Fr. Dan Schmitmeyer, the Vocation Director for the Archdiocese of Cincinnati. For more information, please call 351-9800 ext. 302.



Introducing a Fortnight for Freedom: For the fourth consecutive year the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) is supporting a "Fortnight for Freedom" from June 21 to July 4 – a 14 day period of prayer and action in support of religious freedom. The theme this year is "Freedom to Bear Witness." During this period, parishioners are encouraged to take part in our Eucharistic Adoration on Thursdays from 3pm-5pm here at St. Lawrence. To learn more, please visit www.catholiccincinnati.org and click on the "Preserving Religious Freedom" link under the Resources menu.

Seton High School Spirit Wear Shop will be open on June 23-26 from 9:00am-12:00pm. We are having June sales! All clearance items take an additional 40% off! Sweatshirt and jacket sale: All sweatshirts, hoodies, 1/4 zips and jackets take an additional \$5.00 off! All flannel pants are \$20.00! The spirit shop will be closed for inventory and restocking on June 29, 30 and the entire month of July. We will reopen in early August. Check our website for hours: www.setoncincinnati.org.

Vacation Bible School at St. William Church will be June 22 through June 25 from 6:30pm to 9:00pm in Father Reardon Hall (below the church). This year's theme is The Great Evangelists-St. Paul the Apostle. Grades K-5 are welcome. The cost is \$10 per child or \$25 per family (3 or more children from the same family). For more information call Deacon George Bruce at 921-0247.