

**MASSES OF THE WEEK****SUNDAY, February 23, 2020**

**9:00 am** Richard Phillips (d)  
**11:00 am** Rita M. Bill (d)  
**7:00 pm** For the Parishioners

**MONDAY, February 24, 2020**

**8:30 am** Special Intention

**TUESDAY, February 25, 2020**

**8:30 am** Marc Alan Cassiere (d)

**ASH WEDNESDAY, February 26, 2020**

**6:30 am** Grace Keller (d)  
**8:30 am** Deacon George and Mil Kelly (d)  
**5:00 pm** Phillip and Joseph Kelly (d)

**THURSDAY, February 27, 2020**

**8:30 am** Janice Wulf (d)  
**3:00-5pm** EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

**FRIDAY, February 28, 2020**

**8:30 am** Mary Doyle (d)  
**5:00 pm** Stations of the Cross with Mass

**SATURDAY, February 29, 2020**

**8:30 am** Joseph Bonno (d)  
**4:30 pm** Elizabeth Grace Byrne (d)

**SUNDAY, March 1, 2020**

**9:00 am** Deacon George and Mil Kelly (d)  
**11:00 am** Char Bauer (d)  
**7:00 pm** For the Parishioners

**Brogan Hesketh**  
**Formal Wear**  
**244-2800**

**PLEASE NOTIFY US AT THE RECTORY** when a family member is hospitalized or homebound and would like to receive Holy Communion and/or the Sacrament of Penance.

**Rest in Peace:** Please pray for the repose of the soul of Robert Roll who recently passed away.

**Thought for the Day:** Forgive without punishing. Forgive as the Lord forgave you ~ Colossians 3:13.

**SERVERS****February 29/March 1**

**4:30 pm** Blake Dugan  
**9:00 am** Anthony Lewis  
 Vincent Lewis  
**11:00 pm** Emma Lageman  
 Leah Lageman  
**7:00 pm** Joseph Huiet  
 Joshua Huiet

**LECTORS****February 29/March 1**

**4:30 pm** Kathy Beekley  
**9:00 am** Lois Kessling  
**11:00 am** Gerry Geisel  
**7:00 pm** Matt Thompson

**EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS****February 29/March 1**

**4:30 pm** Deacon Jamison, Blake Dugan, Bailey Dugan, TBD  
**9:00 am** Deacon Jamison, Bob Kessling, Mary Ann Bedel, Sarah Haverbusch,  
**11:00 am** Deacon Jamison, Antonietta DiCorpo, Ken Thiergartner, Emma Pitman  
**7:00pm** Shirley Hoffman, Matt Thompson,

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

**OFFERING**

**February 16, 2020**

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***Thank You for your Generosity!***

**Vocation View:** 'Be Holy, for I, the LORD, your God, am holy!' Embrace the call to holiness, and every day will bring new adventures of following where Christ leads. (Leviticus 19:2) If you want to talk about your discernment, please contact Fr. Dan Schmitmeyer, Director of Vocations at dschmitmeyer@catholiccincinnati.org.

# The Laurentian

## BINGO

Sunday workers: please report at 11:30am

Monday workers: please report at 6:30pm

**SUNDAY, February 23:** Isabella Sickman,  
Jeremiah Smith, Jozlynn Taylor

**MONDAY, February 24:** Eric Tharp, Melissa  
Velasquez, Brianna Amison

**SUNDAY, March 1:** Nehemiah Blust, Jackson  
Castanon, Brennan Caudill

**MONDAY, March 2:** Xae'vion Deering,  
Cherish Crawford, Allison Grove

### LENTEN REGULATIONS

**Ash Wednesday (February 26) and Good Friday (April 10)** are days of fast and abstinence only. Abstinence means no eating of meat (beast or fowl) and is to be observed by all Catholics 14 years of age and older on Ash Wednesday and on all the Fridays of Lent.

Fasting means limiting oneself to one full meal on a given fast day. Catholics who are 18 years of age but not yet 59 are obliged to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. On fast days, two additional smaller meals are permitted if necessary to maintain strength. However, two smaller meals together may not equal one full meal. Moreover, eating solid foods between meals on fast days is not permitted.

**Confirmation** The Sacrament of Confirmation is being offered at St. Lawrence on March 23, 2020. If you are a baptized catholic, age 12 or older, and wish to be confirmed, please call the rectory at 921-0328 or email the rectory at [rectory@stlawrenceparish.org](mailto:rectory@stlawrenceparish.org) to see if you are eligible to receive the sacrament.



**Lenten Season:** This coming Wednesday, February 26 is Ash Wednesday. Our Mass times will be **6:30am**, **8:30am** and **5:00pm**. I have added a **6:30am Mass** in order to give those who work an opportunity to attend Mass and receive ashes. Ashes are distributed immediately after the Gospel and Homily.

**MASS and WAY of the CROSS**  
**EUCHARISTIC ADORATION, CONFESSIONS**

On the Friday afternoons during Lent we will have the Way of the Cross beginning at 5:00pm followed immediately by Holy Mass.

Please remember also, that Eucharistic Adoration is every Thursday afternoon from 3-5pm. During Eucharistic Adoration, I hear confessions from 3:15pm-3:45pm. Confessions are regularly scheduled on Saturday afternoons from 3:00pm-4:00pm.

Holy Mass, the Way of the Cross, Eucharistic Adoration, Confession, fasting, abstinence and almsgiving are excellent ways to prepare our souls to celebrate the Lord's resurrection at Easter.

**Fish Fry:** Our Lenten Fish Fry is held on Ash Wednesday and all the Fridays of Lent, including Good Friday, from 4:30pm – 7:00pm in Heritage Hall (under the church). Dine in, drive-thru or carry out. See the fish fry insert in this week's bulletin.

**Please be sure to see both sides of the bulletin insert today.**