

Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 21, 2017

MASSES OF THE WEEK

SUNDAY, MAY 14, 2017

- 9:00 am John (Jack) Heinzelman (d)
11:00 am Madelyn Voss (d)
7:00 pm For the parishioners

MONDAY, MAY 15, 2017

- 8:30 am Josephine Ulmer (d)

TUESDAY, MAY 16, 2017

- 8:30 am Special Intention

WEDNESDAY, MAY 17, 2017

- 8:30 am Pilgrims

THURSDAY, MAY 18, 2017

- 8:30 am Barb Legschmid (d)

3pm-5pm EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

FRIDAY, MAY 19, 2017

- 8:30 am Erin

SATURDAY, MAY 20, 2017

- 8:30 am Carol Lucas (d)
4:30 pm Gus & Tony Rizzo (d)

SUNDAY, MAY 21, 2017

- 9:00 am Helen & Jack Vogeles (d)
11:00 am David Michael Grothaus (d)
7:00 pm For the parishioners

St. Lawrence is thinking of You

HILLEBRAND: Ed Kramer

RENAISSANCE WEST: Margie Frommeyer

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SERVERS

May 20/21

- 4:30 pm Ben Hornback
9:00 am Bob Kessling
11:00 am Angelia Blake, Isabella Blake
7:00 pm Joshua Huiet

LECTORS

May 20/21

- 4:30 pm Cathy Manegold
9:00 am Lois Kessling
11:00 am Cathy Lageman
7:00 pm Sue Aufermann

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

May 20/21

- 4:30 pm Joe Brehm, Michael Rogers,
Carmen Sunderman, Sarah Sunderman
9:00 am Jerry Gonnella, Bob Kessling,
John Remke, Stacey Remke
11:00 am Shaun Blake, Jerry Grimm,
Janet Hay, Rose Weinheimer
7:00 pm Mason Clayton, Matt Thompson

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

OFFERING

MAY 7, 2017 \$10,450.35
HVAC GRAND TOTAL \$260,164.56

Thank You for your Generosity!

Thought for the Day: God appeals to us in his mercy to avoid having to punish us in his severity. Listen to the Lord's appeal: 'In me, I want you to see your own body, your members, your heart, your bones, your blood. You may fear what is divine, but why not love what is human? You may run away from me as the Lord, but why not run to me as your father? Perhaps you are filled with shame for causing my bitter passion. Do not be afraid. This cross inflicts a mortal injury, not on me, but on death. These nails no longer pain me, but only deepen your love for me. I do not cry out because of these wounds, but through them I draw you into my heart. My body was stretched on the cross as a symbol, not of how much I suffered, but of my all-embracing love. I count it no loss to shed my blood: it is the price I have paid for your ransom. Come, then, return to me and learn to know me as your father, who repays good for evil, love for injury, and boundless charity for piercing wounds.'

St. Peter Chrysologus, Bishop

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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, MAY 14: Esdras Lopez-Perez,
Johnny Lopez-Puac, Adamary Lopez-Marroquin

TUESDAY, MAY 16: Alan Mejia-DeLeon,
Deoncia Perez, Bryan Perez-Mendez

SUNDAY, MAY 21: Hanny Santizo, Ariana Sharp,
Catalina Smith

TUESDAY, MAY 23: Jeremiah Smith,
Kamrin Stoffel, Jozlynn Taylor



Rosary Rally: On Sunday, May 21, 2017, from 1:30pm – 2:30pm we will celebrate the 12th annual Rosary Rally at the Elder High School football stadium (the Pit).

The celebration starts with a procession and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament as the center of our devotion. The recitation of the Holy Rosary, together with worship, songs and prayer, make this gathering memorable. Local priests in our Archdiocese will lead us in prayer.

To the parents and grandparents of all children receiving their First Holy Communion this year, we invite you to come to the Rosary Rally and bring your First Communicants, dressed in their First Communion clothes.

Annually, roughly two thousand attendees come to this meaningful event.

It is important to note that Elder has air conditioned their gymnasium. In case of inclement weather, the rally will move to the gym.

You are an integral part of making the Rosary Rally a success. Hope to see you at the rally. May God bless you!



Happy Mother's Day: A very Blessed and Happy Mother's Day to all mothers. May God bless you!

Major Award Raffle Tickets: The first Early Bird drawing will be today, Mother's Day. So, please turn in your sold tickets by the 7pm Sunday Mass.

Eucharistic Adoration Eucharistic Adoration is normally cancelled throughout July and August and will be this year, too. But along with that, Eucharistic Adoration also will be canceled for June because of the installation of the new HVAC system.



Festival: Please mark your calendar for the St. Lawrence Parish Festival. Our dates this year are Saturday, July 8 & Sunday, July 9. Like last year, we will have live entertainment each night. Here's the lineup: Saturday night Gen X and Sunday night Bluefish. We will have lots of delicious food and good beer. I hope you'll plan now to come. Every registered parishioner should have received their festival chances. Please do your best to sell your \$50. If you have any questions about the festival, or need more tickets please call the rectory at 921-0328 between 9:00am and 3:30pm or email at festival@stlawrenceparish.org. If you would like to help at the festival, please call Theresa Murphy at 921-0266 or email at festival@stlawrenceparish.org.



Pregnancy Center West invites you to their upcoming fundraiser on Tuesday, May 23, 2017 at 7:30pm in The Incline Theater on West 8th Street in East Price Hill. The event is the “Damn Yankees” Benefit Preview. This play won 7 Tony Awards including best musical!

Half of all the proceeds benefit Pregnancy Center West. Tickets are \$20 for this preview event. For more information contact Karen Mueller by calling 244-5700, email pcwest@fuse.net or order tickets on our website at www.pc-west.org.

Elder Tech-Reach classes for adults will begin on June 1, 2017. The classes include basic Computer Training, Adult Basic Reading, GED Test Prep, and ABLE Prep for college or Certificate Programs. For more information email at eldertechreach@gmail.com or call 921-3457.

Price Hill Historical Society & Museum on Warsaw Avenue across the street from the Price Hill Kroger needs volunteers to write articles for our award-winning monthly newsletter. If you have an interest in preserving Price Hill history for future generations, we need YOU! You might have a story about your family or friends or you might like to research a new topic in our archives. We would like people who could write on a regular basis, but we also welcome one-time or occasional submissions. For more information and to set up an appointment to meet with our editors call 251-2888 or email us at phhs@pricehill.org.

Mother of Mercy High School: Registration is now open for summer camps at Mother of Mercy. There's something for everyone! Sports camps include basketball, bowling, golf, lacrosse, soccer, softball, tennis and volleyball. Enrichment camps include art, drama, web design, STEM girls, Be inspired camp and Mercy fun camp. Back by popular demand are Cooking Camp and Puppet Camp run by the world-famous Madcap Puppets! There's something for everyone from ages 3-15. Have some fun, improve your athletic skills and learn something new at Mercy this summer! For more information call Ellen Daniel, Director of Marketing & Communications at 661-2740 ext. 458. To register go online at: www.motherofmercy.org/summercamps.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

Wedding Anniversaries: ARE YOU CELEBRATING A SIGNIFICANT WEDDING ANNIVERSARY IN 2017? Married couples celebrating a significant wedding anniversary (25, 40, 50, 60, 65, 70, 75) in 2017 are invited to request a congratulatory certificate from Archbishop Dennis M. Schnurr. These certificates will be mailed to you from St. Lawrence. **BUT IN ORDER TO RECEIVE ONE OF THESE CERTIFICATES, YOU MUST CONTACT THE OFFICE FOR MARRIAGE & FAMILY LIFE AT:**

www.catholiccincinnati.org

OR

Call 513-421-3131 ext 2653

BEFORE JUNE 23 TO REQUEST YOUR CERTIFICATE

GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY MASS 2017 – Married couples celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary in 2017 are invited to attend the Golden Anniversary Mass at St. Peter in Chains Cathedral on August 12, 2017 at 4:30pm. The celebrant of this Mass will be Bishop Joseph Binzer.

Please visit the Office for Marriage & Family Life at www.catholiccincinnati.org or call 421-3131 ext. 2653 before June 23 to register.



Youth Hockey Camp: Elder High School will host its 7th annual Hockey Camp on June 26 through June 29 at Northlands Ice Center in Evendale! Cost is \$100 per camper and includes daily instruction from Elder hockey coaches and a camp t-shirt. Students in grades 3–9 are welcome to participate (please call if you have younger children interested). Visit www.elderhs.org/summercamps to register or contact Mr. Joe DelPrince at delprince5@zoomtown.com or call him at 766-1541.

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Memorial Day: The Cincinnati Cemetery Society cordially invites you, your family and friends on: Memorial Day, Monday, May 29, 11:00am at St. Joseph Cemetery, 3819 W. Eighth Street and Seton Avenue & St. Mary's Cemetery for a Mass celebration for all of our loved ones and a tribute to our veterans! Chairs will be provided. Please try to attend. We hold these celebrations for you and in memory of your loved ones! If you have any questions, please feel free to call us at the Main Office at 557-2306.

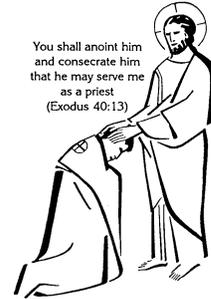


The Panthers Running Club is a Cross Country Team for 7th & 8th grade boys from local west side parishes. We compete in the fall against other Catholic running clubs/churches and public junior highs throughout the city. Any questions, please call Nick Westerman at 675-1020.



Holy Hour for Vocations is every second Thursday of the month at 8:00pm at Our Lady of the Holy Spirit Center in Norwood, Ohio. This event is sponsored by the Archdiocesan Office of Vocations and the Children of Mary. Any questions email dschmittmeyer@catholiccincinnati.org or childrenofmary@juno.com. Come and bring a friend!

Priesthood Ordination: On Saturday, May 20, 2017 at 11:00am at the Cathedral of St. Peter in Chains, Archbishop Dennis Schnurr will ordain to the order of the priesthood three men: Rev. Mr. David Doseck, Rev. Mr. Peter Langenkamp and Rev. Mr. Alexander Witt. The Ordination Mass is open to all and we encourage all to experience this beautiful liturgy. Please join us in praying for these men.



Elder High School is offering enrichment and athletic camps throughout the summer in a variety of interests. The camps include Baseball, Basketball Camp, Basketball League, Bowling, Cross Country, Football, Hockey, Lacrosse, Soccer, Volleyball and Wrestling. Athletic camps are led by head coaches, current Elder athletes and alumni who are playing at the collegiate and professional levels. The camps are being sponsored by Elder coaches. Visit our website at www.elderhs.org/SummerCamps. So don't wait, the summer camps will be on a first-come, first-served basis, so sign up early!

They will also have the Elder Enrichment Camp which is a four-day course for eighth grade boys to help them prepare for the High School Placement Test (HSPT). The class is taught by highly skilled teachers who are proficient in their respective fields.

Cross the Bridge for Life: Join Fr. Benedict O'Cinnsealeigh, Bishop Foys of Covington and thousands of others on Sunday, June 4, 2017 at 1:00pm for the 12th annual Cross the Bridge for Life across the Purple People Bridge to raise awareness for the sanctity of human life – born and unborn.

Meet at Newport, KY's Riverfront Row Festival area for a brief program including music by the Easter Rising Band, face painting for the children and more!

The event will end back at Riverfront Row with a free picnic by the JTM Food Group. All are welcome to participate in this day of family fun and powerful witness.