

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 22, 2012

This Week's Mass Schedule (January 21 - 29, 2012)

Saturday, January 21, 2012 ♦ Vigil of the Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 pm For the People of the Parish (Pro Populo)

Sunday, January 22, 2012 ♦ Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 am ☩Howard McDonald

Monday, January 23, 2012 ♦ Weekday

8:30 am ☩Margaret Long by Allen and Patty Griffiths

Tuesday, January 24, 2012 ♦ Saint Francis de Sales, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

8:30 am ☩Aunt Georgia Fisher by Bruce, Vicki, Julie, Trina, and Chris

Wednesday, January 25, 2012 ♦ The Conversion of Saint Paul the Apostle

8:30 am ☩Mary Ondrus by the Saint Colman Knights of Columbus

Thursday, January 26, 2012 ♦ Saints Timothy and Titus, Bishops

8:30 am ☩Richard Burkhard by the Saint Colman Knights of Columbus

Friday, January 27, 2012 ♦ Saint Angela Merici, virgin

NO MASS

Saturday, January 28, 2012 ♦ Vigil of the Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 pm For the People of the Parish (Pro Populo)

Sunday, January 29, 2012 ♦ Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 am ☩Anthony Flerchinger by the Flerchinger Family



DAILY SCRIPTURE READINGS

Monday, January 23

2 Samuel 5:1-7, 10
Mark 3:22-30

Tuesday, January 24

2 Samuel 6:12b-15, 17-19
Mark 3:31-35

Wednesday, January 25

Dave Keane
Acts 22:3-16
or Acts 9:1-22

Mark 16:15-18

Thursday, January 26

2 Timothy 1:1-8

or Titus 1:1-5

Mark 4:21-25

or Luke 10:1-9

Friday, January 27

2 Samuel 11:1-4a, 5-10a,
13-17

Mark 4:26-34

Saturday, January 28

2 Samuel 12:1-7a, 10-17
Mark 4:35-41

Sunday, January 29

Deuteronomy 18:15-20
1 Corinthians 7:32-35
Mark 1:21-28

WHAT'S HAPPENING

SATURDAY, January 21

7:00 P A.A. Meeting, C.H.

SUNDAY, January 22

10:15 A Coffee & Donuts, P.H.

10:45 A CCD Classes

6:00 P Confirmation Class

MONDAY, January 23

7:00 P Parish Council, C.R.

TUESDAY, January 24

7:00 P R.C.I.A., C.R.

7:30 P Rosary

WEDNESDAY, January 25

11:00 A Rosary

5:30 P St Cecilia choir rehearsal

6:30 P St Colman choir rehearsal

8:30 P A.A. Meeting, C.H.

THURSDAY, January 26

9:30 A Bible Study, C.R.

FRIDAY, January 27

SATURDAY, January 28

7:00 P A.A. Meeting, C.H.

SUNDAY, January 29

10:15 A Coffee & Donuts, P.H.

10:45 A CCD Classes

6:00 P Movie Night, Y.R.

C.H.=Colman Hall Y.R.=Youth Room
P.H.=Parish Hall C.R.=Conference Room

earlier than usual, and be glad about that because you end up needing more time with one of the assignments. We just never know what might happen as a result of any choice we make.

Today's Gospel is about four men—Simon, Andrew, James, and John—who make a choice. They make a choice to follow Jesus. They don't know what to expect, but they're not frightened by the unknown. They don't know what is going to happen, but they are willing to trust in Jesus. They hear Jesus call and they are willing to believe in Jesus, to listen to his teachings, to do what he says. Eventually, they will share Jesus' teachings with others.

If we don't pay close attention to this Gospel, we're not going to hear Jesus—and we certainly can't respond to Jesus if we don't hear him. We're not going to have the wonderful chance to make a choice to hear Jesus call us, to trust in Jesus, and to see where he leads us.

Living the Word: Dear Jesus, help us to choose with confident faith to follow you always. Amen.

SIXTH GRADE TEACHER NEEDED FOR SECOND SEMESTER.

To volunteer or for more information, contact Tracie at 335-5005 or tracier@ameritech.net.

PARISH COMMUNITY

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO.....

Sunday - Urana Neff, Aldric Deeks

Tuesday - Marvin Milstead

Wednesday - Pat Selig, Bruce Ream,

Ray Deeks, Jameson Rowland,

Katrina Koski

Saturday - Jean Smith, Jim Ward,

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

The Word: Mark 1:14-20. We respond to Jesus' call in the choices we make. We never know for sure what might happen as a result of choices we make every day. For example, you might choose to wear a jacket today because it's chilly—and then the temperature gets really hot and you don't need the jacket. You might choose to start your homework

ST COLMAN SACRIFICIAL GIVING 01/15/12

Initial Offering \$18.00
Propagation of Faith \$218.00
Last Weekend's Offering \$3,171.00
Other Operating income \$34.00

2011-2012 Budget \$269,000.00

Weekly Offertory needed to meet budget \$4,326.92

Thank you for your generosity.

"Let us give what we cannot keep to gain what we cannot lose.

COUNTER VOLUNTEERS 01/23/12

Kathy Dean & Sue Mowrey

COMMUNITY CASH IS BACK!!

The cash back program at Community Markets is again being offered! Save your register tapes. A box is in the back of church to collect your receipts. Your parish will receive 1% cash back from your purchases. It's that easy!

PREFACE DIALOGUE AND THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

Corinna Laughlin and Kristopher Seaman

The word *Eucharist* means “thanksgiving.” We should think of it not as a noun, but as a verb—because Eucharist is something we do, a way of life. The Eucharistic Prayer is the center of the Mass. In the revised translation of *The Roman Missal*, you will notice several changes to this important prayer. The Preface Dialogue, the ancient words with which the prayer begins, has been changed to be a more literal translation of the Latin. We say “And with your spirit” instead of “And also with you,” and “It is right and just” instead of “It is right to give him thanks and praise.” The Holy, Holy, Holy begins, “Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of hosts” (instead of “God of power and might”). You will hear several changes in the Institution narrative as well, all of which were made to mirror more closely the ancient Latin of *The Roman Missal*. It will take time to get used to some of these changes. And it’s good to remember that while some of the words we use have changed, what we do remains the same: we *Eucharist*—we “give thanks.”

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VOCATION VIEW

Come after Me. Jesus called Andrew and Peter and James and John. He calls still in our day. Are you willing to drop your nets and follow? (Mark 1:14-20)

L.I.F.E. PREGNANCY CENTER BABY SHOWER

Throughout the month of January, we will be collecting items for the L.I.F.E. Pregnancy Center in the box in the back of church. Items needed are:

- towels, wash cloths, baby bathtubs, receiving blankets, baby blankets, booties, unisex sleepers (small), unisex onesies and t-shirts (small), bottles (large & small), pacifiers, baby lotion, baby shampoo, small stuffed animals, rattles, diapers (small), diaper wipes, diaper bags, car seats, cardboard chest of drawers.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS (RCIA)

The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) continues its weekly sessions Tuesday, January 24 at 7 pm in the Parish Center Conference Room. The topic will be “**Eucharist: Table of the Lord**”. Bring your questions (and a friend) for an evening of sharing, learning, and hospitality.

ST VALENTINE DINNER/DANCE

The annual Saint Valentine Dinner/Dance will be Saturday, February 11 at 7 pm in the Parish Hall. Prime Rib will be served with sides, drinks, and desserts. BYOB. Cost is \$20 per person, or \$35 per couple.

JANUARY WELL CHALLENGE

The Well at Sunnyside January challenge is for sheets and blankets. They are in high demand and the Well never has enough. So if you have time to go through your linen closet and find some sheets or blankets that you no longer need, they would be glad to help you make more space for other things in your closet! Also, **please pray for the homeless** in our community. Winter is obviously a particularly difficult time of year for them.

They can always use clean, gently used children’s clothes, toys and housewares. A drop off basket is in the back of church, or feel free to drop items off any time the Free Store is open (Tuesday & Thursday 9-11 am and Monday 6-8 pm). **Please do not drop off donations when they are closed.** Sadly, many donations cannot be used as they are ruined due to exposure to inclement weather.

ATTENTION KROGER SHOPPERS:

It’s easy to enroll/re-enroll in the Kroger Community Rewards program. This has been an easy, fantastic fund raiser for Saint Colman and we ask for your continued support. Visit: www.krogercommunityrewards.com. From there you can sign up for a new Kroger.com account or re-enroll by clicking on “Sign In” and editing your Community Rewards Program. **Please note that once you have a Kroger.com account, you need to register your Kroger Plus card number to benefit Saint Colman Catholic Church (81551).** (Renewal begins April 1st of each year for the Rewards program year which is May 1 - April 30.)

PLEASE NOTE: If you do not have access to a computer, stop by or call the parish office for help. **Questions?** Call JoAnne at 335-5000. Thank you!!

FAYETTE COUNTY FOOD PANTRY

Each month they are requesting help in buying certain food items that help to stock the pantry. These foods are usually the ones they can’t get from the Mid Ohio Food Bank. With your help, these contributions cut down on expenses. **Chicken noodle soup and crackers** are the items needed for January. The Pantry has served over 2000 families in the last two months. Monetary donations are always needed. 100% of all donations are used to buy food. Donations may be sent to: Fayette County Food Pantry, First Presbyterian Church, PO Box 217, WCH. Your support is much appreciated!

AROUND US

RESPECT LIFE MASS

In observance of the **Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children**, Bishop Frederick F. Campbell, Bishop of Columbus, will celebrate a Respect Life Mass on Monday, January 23, 10:30 am, at Saint Joseph Cathedral, 212 E Broad St, Columbus. On this day, following the anniversary of the United States Supreme Court decision *Roe v. Wade*, our diocese will join all of the dioceses of the United States in observing a Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children. A Rally for Life sponsored by Greater Columbus Right to Life will be held following the Mass at Noon at the Statehouse west plaza. All are invited to attend.

JOSEPHINUM RECTOR TO SPEAK ON NEW EVANGELIZATION

The public is invited to a lecture by Father James Wehner, rector of the Pontifical College Josephinum, on Thursday, January 26 at 7 pm in the Jessing Center. Father Wehner will discuss his new book, The Evangelization Equation: The Who, What and How, and will present a strategy to accomplish the realization, rehabilitation and renewal of man’s image and likeness of God. Refreshments and social to follow. There is no charge for admission. Call 614-885-5585 for more information.

MARRIED & ENGAGED COUPLES

Couples using Natural Family Planning (NFP) are 10 times less likely to divorce. NFP is not the old “rhythm method,” but uses all the woman’s fertility signs in a safe, healthy, and highly effective method in accord with Catholic teaching. Classes begin Sunday, January 29 in both Dayton and Wilmington. Call 937-435-4750 for more info or register at www.ccli.org.