

Mass Intentions This Week

Saturday, March 25, 2017

4:00 PM †Carmen Sink-Robert Barnwell

Sunday, March 26, 2017

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

Tuesday, March 28, 2017

12:10 PM †Bernadette Bensman—Mike & Shirley Meeker

Thursday, March 30, 2017

6:15 PM †Rita Goeke

Eucharistic Adoration & Confession following Mass

Saturday, April 1, 2017

4:00 PM †Carmen Sink-Robert Barnwell

Sunday, April 2, 2017

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

10:30 AM Saint Mary of Woods-Confirmation with Bishop Binzer

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, Mar 31, & 7 Apr, 5:00 P.M.—Way of the Cross****Fri, Mar 31, & 7 Apr, 5:00 –7:00 pm—K of C Fish Fry****Sun, 2 April-(SMOW) 10:30 A.M. Confirmation/Mass****Thurs, 13 Apr, 7:00 P.M. Holy Thursday Mass****Fri, 14 Apr, 12:10 P.M. Good Friday Service****Sun, 23 April, 10:00 A.M. First Communion**

Parish Offering Weekend: 3/18 & 3/19/17

Sunday Offering	\$ 6,626.27
Improvement Fund	\$ 240.00
Assessment	\$ 481.00
Lent	\$ 1,367.00
Catholic Relief	\$ 25.00
TOTAL COLLECTIONS	\$ 8,739.27

Weekend Mass Attendance for March 19, 2017 : 399

Commissions: Finance/Stewardship, Keith Krieger, 599.5306
Property Maintenance & Development, Tim O'Rielley, 593.2365

PARISH PRAYER LINE: Tammy Bauer, 937.441.0645

See insert for Ministry Schedules

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

Jesus reveals himself again, this time to the blind man who was cured. All that was needed was an expression of faith. Without faith, the Pharisees did not recognize Jesus. Blind to Jesus, they lived in darkness. Jesus gave sight as the light of faith dawned on the man born blind. In biblical Israel, the sporadic movement of water at the pool at Siloam was thought to be curative. Jesus' public ministry continues to provide credible evidence that he was the one sent by the Father.

(Celebrating Sunday for Catholic Families 2016-17)

On the Way Home Sometimes we are "blind" to growing in our faith. How do we lose our blindness to the love of God? (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!

Family Fun Nights at Saint Patrick-come join the fun in Makley Hall (the Last Saturday of the Month) April 27 & May 27, following the 4 PM Mass. Games, music, lively conversation, bring a dish to share: meet new families, catch up with old friends, no cost "family date" night!

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. Cincinnati Region: Tues, April 4—7:00 p.m. St. Ignatius Parish, 5222 North Bend Rd., Cincinnati (Monfort Heights), OH 45247

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.

Can Technology be the Answer to Better Faith Community Communications?

Despite heroic efforts, faith communities across the country struggle with communicating effectively to members and visitors.

In order to overcome these and other communication challenges:

- Saint Patrick Parish chose to use the One Call Now phone notification system.
- If you were a registered parishioner your name and phone number was added to the One Call Now Phone System. When new members registers, their number can be added to the system for parish messages. Once messages start coming to your cell phone or home phone, you personally have the option to continue to receive the parish messages or you can opt out. If you decide to opt back in, you must call the office and tell Anne Reames. She must then contact the company to have you added again if you opted out.
- This is the parish’s best way to communicate about new information, reminders or urgent needs such as a death or pending funeral.

If you aren’t in the system but would like to be, please call the office with your name, your cell or home phone number, or both, and what ministries you are in. The various ministries get separate messages from their leadership, like Parish Pastoral Council, the Knights of Columbus or the choir, for instance. If you discontinue your home phone and go with a cell phone, we need the new number in order to serve you.

Thank you

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY (592.9455)

Hours: 10:00 am-12:00pm, Tues & Thurs;
5:00-7:00 pm Wed

Dates: 14,15,16 March 2017 Clients: 78

Money spent on assistance: \$875.00

Items needed: Thank you for all you donated!



From Ashes to Glory

The Word

When the Sabbath was over, Mary Magdalene, and Mary the mother of James, and Salome bought spices, so that they might go and anoint him. And very early on the first day of the week, when the sun had risen, they went to the tomb. They had been saying to one another, “Who will roll away the stone for us from the entrance to the tomb?” When they looked up, they saw that the stone, which was very large, had already been rolled back. As they entered the tomb, they saw a young man, dressed in a white robe, sitting on the right side; and they were alarmed. But he said to them, “Do not be alarmed; you are looking for Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He has been raised; he is not here. Look, there is the place they laid him. But go, tell his disciples and Peter that he is going ahead of you to Galilee; there you will see him, just as he told you.”—Mark 16:1-7

Reflect

The first sign of love is interest. Jesus’ friends wanted to know what happened to Him. They wanted to know for themselves, at first—for we do not love others if we do not love ourselves, and we cannot love ourselves if we are not interested in ourselves. Finding Jesus serves our deepest self-interest, as it did for the first disciples. Finding Him also brings to life, as nothing else can, our destiny to love one another as He loved us. And finally, truly finding Jesus brings us to spread this Good News by the way we live.

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. I look at what I have done and not done.

Where have I found God?

4. Anything Wrong?

Have I ignored God? Have I neglected God’s gifts?

Where have I pleased others instead of pleasing God?

I express my contrition to God and repent of my sins.

5. What Now?

I look forward in hope. What am I to do now? What do I have to avoid?

Prayer

Lord Jesus Christ,

You are the Victor over sin and death.

You already live and reign in Your kingdom, surrounded by vast crowds of angels and archangels, martyrs and saints.

Lord, we are still down here, struggling, faltering, and failing.

Well, You have kept Your own wounds and still know in Your own self

what it is to be wounded, as we all are.

Stay with us in our need,

glorious Lord with wounded hands and feet and side; stay with us always.

Amen. Alleluia