



 **THE PEARL of YORK**
ST. MARGARET of YORK
CATHOLIC CHURCH

8TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



"A good tree does not bear rotten fruit, nor does a rotten tree bear good fruit. A good person out of the store of goodness in his heart produces good, but an evil person out of a store of evil produces evil; for from the fullness of the heart the mouth speaks." - Lk 6:43, 45



Mass Times

Monday:
6:00pm

Tuesday - Friday:
8:15am

Saturday:
8:15 am | 4:30 pm

Sunday:
8:30am* | 11:00am | 5:30pm

*Mass is Livestreamed watch via YouTube:
bit.ly/SMOY-Youtube

Notice of Filming and Photography
In order to offer Mass online, we will be live streaming during the 8:30 Sunday Mass. This means there is a possibility your image and likeness may appear on camera.



Reconciliation

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available at our scheduled time or by appointment.

Fr. Bedel | 513.697.3101
Fr. Pasala | 513.697.3102

Scheduled Confession Times

Monday:
6:30pm-7:00pm*

Saturday:
8:45am - 9:15am*
3:00pm - 4:00pm

* Or until last Confession is heard

BEACONS of LIGHT

Beacons of Light is a process of comprehensive pastoral planning for our third century of faith in the Archdiocese of Cincinnati. The planning and implementation within each Family of Parishes, under the leadership of each pastor, will unfold over the next several years. Parish Families were announced in December 2021 and our parish will be united with our neighbors St. Columban as a parish family. In February, our Parish Family Pastor and Priests were announced. For more info please visit: catholicaoc.org/beacons-of-light

2022 Catholic Ministries Appeal (CMA)

Archbishop Schnurr sends his thanks to everyone from St. Margaret of York who has supported the 2022 Catholic Ministries Appeal. If you have not yet made your pledge, please consider doing so this week. For more information or to donate online, please visit CatholicAOC.org/CMA. Thank you!

Youth Ministry Summer Trips

Sign-ups for summer trips are now open! This summer, our middle schoolers will have the opportunity to participate in iSplash and iPlunge. Our high school students will have the opportunity to attend Steubenville Youth Conference and Catholic Heart Workcamp. For more info visit smoy.org.

Catechetical Corner

Q&A

What Is Mammon?

Question:

Are near-death experiences real?

Answer:

There is a lot of curiosity and fascination with the idea of an afterlife and communicating with those who have died. In movies, television shows, and numerous books, people make claims about their ability to communicate with the dead, or having had a near-death experience. There is no objective way to verify any of this. While details about people and events can be surprisingly accurate, it is just circumstantial evidence that might be explained in other ways.

On the other hand, when people have unusual experiences, sometimes called near-death or out-of-body, it is real to them. They react with the emotions and thoughts that one would expect. At times, they report details they could not have known any other way, such as bits of conversation, or meeting people they had never known in this life. So certainly, to the person, they experience something. We believe in a life after death, we believe in the communion of saints. These things are not a contradiction to faith, but we should not base our faith on them, nor change our beliefs. They are unexplained and will likely remain so.

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From the Pastor's Desk

Fr. Bedel



Beloved in Christ,

Even though Ash Wednesday is not a holy day, it seems we instinctively know that the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass with the added charge to remember that we are dust is the best way to kick off the season of Lent. We will have three Masses to accommodate: 8:15 AM; noon; 6:00 PM.

I look forward to seeing you at the fish fry followed by the Stations of the Cross this Friday and all Fridays of Lent before Good Friday.

I have noticed over the past couple of weeks that many people are interested in the assignments of priests since they were announced almost two weeks ago. I heard it mentioned on secular radio; I imagine it was on the nightly news; and we even had the whole list of priests and families of parishes printed in the Dayton Daily News. And now, I've had several days to reflect. Overall, I think this is a good thing for the Church. It puts Holy Mother Church on people's minds at least for a while. And maybe even some fallen away Catholics will come back to Mass with some curiosity to what they are missing. And that's just the thing. It's not what they are missing; it's Who they are missing. And this is where we have an opportunity for some catechesis. As the menu of priests of the entire Archdiocese is displayed before our eyes, we have the opportunity for the reminder that we are not coming to encounter the priest, but Jesus Christ. The priest is supposed to be the faceless man that makes Jesus present to us in word and sacrament as the priest himself is transparent. As long as the norms of the sacraments are followed, even the most boring or annoying priest makes present the same Jesus we get from the more engaging ones. When we are people of prayer, even the most boring homily can still facilitate a conversation with the Almighty. Even the most gregarious priest confecting the Eucharist is God's instrument, a conduit for sacred power from above that is not his own. Jesus is forever!

Another reminder for Ash Wednesday, this week:

- The collection goes to support the Church in Africa.
- No meat: If you are 14 or over
- Day of fasting: for those who are 18 – 59

The full explanation was in last week's bulletin. The whole point is that a good Lent makes for a great Easter.

See this bulletin for information on the upcoming parish mission, Confession-A-thon and other important things for spiritual renewal during Lent.

Thanks for your prayers. Be assured of my daily prayers for you.

God bless,
Fr. Bedel

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Parish Financial Support

Sunday Offerings (February 2022)

February 06	\$15,380
EFT	\$13,446
February 13	\$11,133
EFT	\$ -
February 20	\$ -
February 27	\$ -

WeShare Offering \$17,133

Total for current month to date \$57,092

Sunday Offerings (YTD) (July 2021 - June 2022)

YTD Actual:
\$992,713

Fiscal Budget:
\$ 1,400,000

Difference:
(\$407,287)

Special & Designated Collections (February 2022)

Debt Reduction (Close the Gap):
\$1,392

School Tuition Assistance
\$599

SVdP
\$400

Total for Current Month:
\$2,391

Mortgage Indebtedness

Principal balance on mortgage:
\$2,505,925.47

Number of Months left until payoff:
80

Amount of last payment:
\$33,689.70

Save the Date

UPCOMING EVENTS

1 Training Session for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Sunday, February 27, 2022 | 2:00-4:00 pm | Church

If you are interested in serving SMOY as a new Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion (EMHC), please attend the upcoming training session. Ministers must have received the Sacrament of Confirmation and be practicing the faith. We appreciate your interest and welcome your participation! Please register at: <https://forms.office.com/r/6P1iZGCfur> Questions: Ken & Sue Ann Klaber | klabersak@gmail.com

Ash Wednesday

March 2nd
8:15am | 12:00pm | 6:00pm

2 Lenten Fish Frys

Fridays in Lent | 5:00-7:30pm | Gym & MPR

Our annual Fish Frys are back! Bring your family and friends for delicious fish on Fridays in Lent and support our Youth Ministry! Lenten Fish Fries raise money for our youth to go on summer mission trips.

3 Group Stations of the Cross

Fridays in Lent | 7:30pm | Church

We will continue our tradition of Friday evening Stations of the Cross in a group setting this Lent. Those praying the stations will be seated in the pews rather than physically journeying from station to station. One minister will physically journey for us as a group. Of course, you are always welcome to come and pray the stations on your own anytime the church is open for private prayer. We hope you will join us this Lent.

Truth over Trend

Mission Speaker:



Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers

03/13 - 03/16
7:00pm

Parish Mission 2022

*Sunday
March 13, 2022*

Truth, Freedom, and
the Human Person:
Understanding Our
Life in Christ

*Monday
March 14, 2022*

Meeting Jesus in the
Beauty & Truth of
the Catholic Faith

*Tuesday
March 15, 2022*

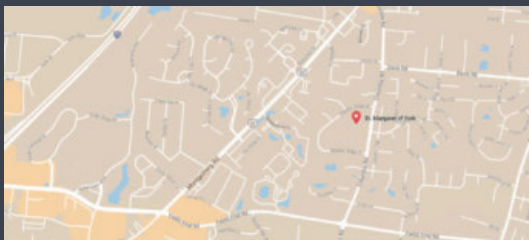
Staying Awake in
the Woke Culture:
Building Strong
Families

*Wednesday
March 16, 2022*

Tackling the New
Atheism

Livestream

Each night of the parish mission, a link for that evening's talk will be posted at smoy.org/parish-mission no later than 3:00 pm the day of the livestream.



Scan to
visit webpage



St. Margaret of York
9499 Columbia Rd.
Loveland, OH 45140

We're just 10 minutes south at Kings Island!

Confession-a-Thon

Thursday, March 31 | 2:00-8:00pm | Church

Stop by the parish and receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation. On Thursday, March 31st from 2:00 - 8:00pm we will have 2 confessors available to hear confessions. Additionally, there will be an opportunity for Eucharistic Adoration. Confessions will take place in the Day Chapel & Eucharistic Chapel with lines in front of the St. Margaret altar in the Holy Hallway.

Food Pantry Ministry

February Item of the Month: Cereal, shelf-stable milk, instant oatmeal, and Cream of Wheat

Top of the morning to you! This month think cereals. Boxed, individual, cold, hot (just add water, microwaveable). Lucky Charms as a treat in anticipation of March distribution. These and all non-perishable donations can be left in the box opposite the Parish Office and will be delivered to the Kings and Loveland LIFE pantries. Baby items will be delivered by Respect Life to Old St. Mary's Pregnancy Center. **Volunteer:** to deliver, email Lindsey at lindseygalles@gmail.com

Knights of Columbus Council 13429

St. Patrick Day Parade

Celebrate St. Patrick's Day with your family and your fellow Knights by walking in the downtown Cincinnati St. Patrick Day Parade on March 12. The parade starts at noon and all participants must be in the Staging Area no later than 11am on Mehring Way west of Paul Brown Stadium. Family members are invited to walk in the parade with us! We will plan on parking at Northern Row Brewery - 111 West McMicken Ave - and walk to Rhinegeist to hop on the light rail connector for a ride downtown. After the parade we will meet back up at Northern Row Brewery where we will have our "after party". Knights that march can order a KC Green parade T-shirt. Contact Adam Pitz for details on ordering your size. Each shirt cost \$20.00. Please do not purchase for family members as you must be a Knight to wear the shirt.

Reserve Ministry Meeting Space for 2022-2023

It's time to plan your ministry calendar for July 2022-June 2023. Space is assigned to ministries in accord with our mission as a church with liturgical, sacramental, and faith formation activities taking precedence. It is important to get your requests in by the deadline of April 1st because this helps us to meet your needs and prepare for the next year. To fill out an event request form please visit www.smoy.org/event-request

2023 Mass Intention Book

Taking into consideration Beacons of Light, the Mass Intention Book for 2023 will not open on Ash Wednesday this year. Please look for more information on the 2023 Mass Intention Book in July. As our priests have returned to celebrating Masses at local retirement homes, additional 2022 intention opportunities at SMOY have become available. If you would like to schedule a Mass intention for 2022 please contact Jacquelyn Jackson at jjackson@smoy.org or 513.697.3109.

Help Needed/Get Involved



Save the Date & Volunteer for Fish Fry

Friday Evenings in Lent

It's that time of year and we are having fish fry! We are looking for volunteers who are willing to help be on the planning/leadership committee, kitchen leaders, and take out areas. Please contact Kami Bachman at kmbachman7@gmail.com if interested. We will share the Sign Up Genius link for Fish Frys in future bulletins.

Sign-Up to Volunteer

Sign-up links are now available for our upcoming fish frys! Please visit: smoy.org/fish-fry to access the links.

Vacation Bible School is Right Around the Corner & We Need You!

May 31 - June 3 | 9:00am -12:00pm

In order to begin planning and to make this event a success, we need Adult Teachers (2 per classroom) and they must be Safe Environment trained. Sign Up: <https://bit.ly/2022SmoyVBS>

Responsibilities Include:

- Taking your class through their daily stations.
- Reading a Bible story (*this is scripted for you*)

Perks:

- You can enroll one child for free and guarantee a spot for all your children.
- All lessons and materials to your class each day are planned/prepped for you.

Student volunteers will be recruited at a later date

Seeking VBS Coordinator for 2023

Our VBS Coordinators are stepping down after this year. If you are interested in becoming the VBS coordinator please reach out to Kim Meyrose or Crista Ward at vbs.smoy@gmail.com

Limited Edition Collectors Books

In celebration of the Archdiocese's Bicentennial, limited edition books were created and we have a limited number of copies for sale in the parish office. "Treasures of the Archdiocese of Cincinnati" is a lovely coffee table book highlighting the parishes of the Archdiocese. The book is \$40. Additionally, "Seek the Lord" is a graphic novel documenting the history of the Archdiocese in a fun and entertaining way. The graphic novel is \$20. Please pay with cash or check made out to St. Margaret of York and bring it to the parish office. We will sell them until they are gone.



Coffee Table Book \$40



Graphic Novel \$20

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Eucharistic Exposition

Weekly Adoration

Saturday

9:00am - 4:00pm

(Benediction @ 4:00pm)

24hrs Adoration

3rd Saturday into Sunday

8:45am - 8:00am

(reposed 4:00 - 5:30pm for Mass)

Benediction at 7:50am

Church

The Church is open whenever Mass isn't in progress for adoration. For access to building after hours, please contact:

Jacilyn Jackson

jjackson@smoy.org

Morning Prayer from Liturgy of the Hours

Tuesday - Saturday

7:15am

Rosary

Tuesday - Saturday

8:45am

Monday

6:30pm

Prayer Request

The St. Margaret Prayer Chain Ministry prays for those experiencing a special need or emergency situation. They are a great comfort to anyone who feels alone when facing a time of crisis. You are welcome to be included in this special ministry, or if you have prayer intentions or requests, our prayers can be offered for you.

Prayer Chain

Amy Grogan | 513.646.8911
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Sacraments

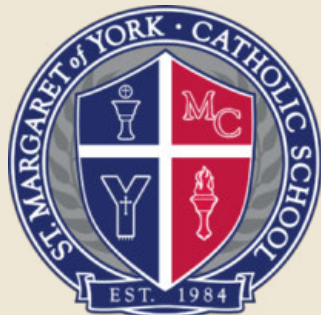
Please note all sacraments require formational preparation prior to the reception of the sacrament. Please contact the following for more information and to schedule:

Baptism: baptism@smoy.org

Marriage: marriage@smoy.org

Holy Orders:

vocations@catholicaoc.org



What's Happening at St. Margaret of York School

Our fifth graders presented a "Space Showcase" in science class, where they taught younger grades all about their projects for their unit on space!

Interested in St. Margaret of York School?

Please contact Amy Eisele at aeisele@smoy.school.org with any questions!



2022 | Home of Nazareth School Sponsorship Form

1 Your Info:

Name: _____

*Name: If you wish to include all members of your family, please do so! (If this is a **group** sponsorship, please indicate the **name** of your group, and designate the **contact person** for your group. The **contact person** will receive all communication regarding your student. I just ask that the contact person forward any information from me on to his/her group). Most communication will be via email.*

Address: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

2 Preferred level of sponsorship:

- Elementary (5-12 yrs) \$150
- Middle School (13-15 yrs) \$250
- High School (16-18 yrs) \$300

3 Occasionally we feature a story in the bulletin about your child and wish to include their sponsors names. If we feature your child, please indicate if we can use your name as his or her sponsor:

- Yes! Ok to use my name
- No, I prefer to remain anonymous

4 If you prefer to sponsor a boy or a girl please indicate:

- Boy
- Girl
- No preference

5 Additional contributions, please indicate which fund and the amount you wish to contribute:

- Nutrition Fund _____
- Tuition Assistance _____

6 Total included: _____

(sponsorship plus added fund contributions)

Please complete the form and mail your check (payable to St. Margaret of York) to:

Attn: Honduras
9499 Columbia Rd.
Loveland, OH 45140

Once or twice during the year you will receive an email about sending a letter/card/**small** gift to your student. Most of the students never receive gifts and the children cherish your letters, cards, photos, and when they receive a little gift from you it is very special. Mail from the United States to Honduras is not protected and often does not reach the intended recipient, therefore letters, photos, and small gifts will be hand delivered. The students at the Home of Nazareth School and the entire St. Joseph the Work pray for everyone at St. Margaret of York and understand that we are praying for them and that their lives matter.

Thank you and bless you,

Tracy McNulty
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Everyday Stewardship

Recognize God in Your Ordinary Moments

Planted in the House of the Lord

Grocery delivery apps are all the rage these days, and I can't deny the convenience of tapping your finger a few times and seeing your week's shopping dropped on the doorstep. But there is one aspect of this trend that seems to make a lot of shoppers nervous – fruits and vegetables.

A lot of us have strong opinions on our fresh produce and aren't ready to delegate this highly subjective selection process to a total stranger. My father was a produce manager and I remember as a child learning about the complexities of choosing correctly. Getting a bad bag of under ripe tomatoes after shopping on an app could easily sour one on the whole idea.

Forrest Gump said life is like a box of chocolates. I say, we're all like grab-bags of produce dumped on someone's doorstep – but if we're Christians who live our faith publicly, we're stamped with the name of God. If your thumb is green enough, you know that you can tell a lot about a gardener from the produce he grows. We who are planted in the house of the Lord – what do we reveal about our Gardener?

What do our actions show of His teachings? What do our words reflect of His voice? What does our strength reveal of the soil from which we sprang and the life-giving waters that nourished us?

When we open ourselves up to those we encounter, let's make a special effort to show the care we have had – lest our peers come away from the experience thinking God doesn't know how to garden, when in reality, it's us who don't always know how to grow.

– Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS
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2022 GOAL
21 NEW SPONSORS
FOR STUDENTS

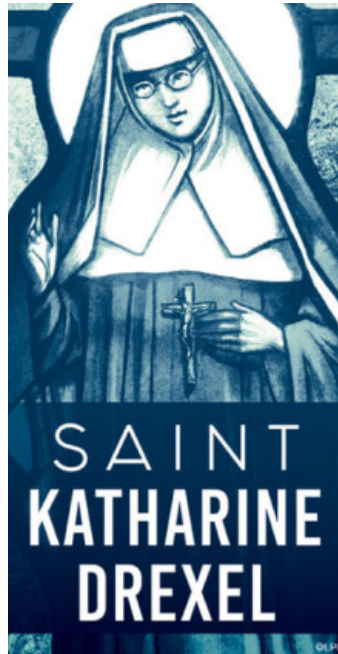
Baptism Prep Classes

All sacraments require preparation. Baptism Prep Class is for expectant parents who want to have their child baptized. (If your child is already here, congrats. We will still help you prepare for their Baptism with this class.) Once you have completed the paperwork from the class, you will be able to set the date for your child's Baptism. Baptism prep is required for additional children if it's been 4 or more years since your last class or there is a change in pastor. Contact: baptism@smoy.org to sign up for a class. Please provide your phone number when signing up. You can register for the class anytime during your pregnancy.

St. Katharine Drexel | March 3

With a family like hers, it's no wonder that St. Katharine Drexel (November 26, 1858 – March 3, 1955) grew up to become one of the first American-born saints.

Born in Philadelphia in 1858, her mother passed away when she was only five weeks old. Her father, a renowned banker, remarried a wonderful woman, and together they raised St. Katherine Drexel and her two sisters in a life of privilege. Both financially and spiritually well-endowed, the Drexels were devout Catholics and set an excellent example of true Christian servitude with prayer and care for the poor.



After her father's death, St. Katharine Drexel gave up her inheritance and instead devoted her life to the material and spiritual well-being of black and native Americans. Mother Drexel, as she would become known as, established the Sisters of the Blessed Sacrament for Indians and Colored, and together they opened a boarding school in Santa Fe, the first of 50 missions for Native Americans in 16 states.

At 77, she suffered a heart attack and was forced to retire from active ministry. She spent the next 20 years of her life in quiet yet intense prayer. She died at the age of 96 and was canonized in 2000 by Pope John Paul II.

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BY FATHER EARL FERNANDES

THE MOVEMENT OF GOD TOWARD HUMANITY TRINITARIAN FOUNDATIONS

We begin almost every prayer with the sign of the cross, invoking the Trinity. There is a clear Trinitarian imprint on the understanding of the Church in the documents of Vatican II, which describes the Church as “a people made one with the unity of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit” (LG, 2-4). One speaks of a “Trinitarian synodality,” ad intra, referring to the dynamic relationship of the Persons of the Trinity as a communion of love, and a “Trinitarian synodality,” ad extra, in which the persons of the Godhead “journey together” toward all of creation, the Church and humanity in history. The Father, Son and Holy Spirit are the model for all forms of synodal living and, therefore, a model of living as the Church.

The Scriptures allude to this in the Divine “We” in the story of creation (Gen 1:26), in the visit of the three guests to Abraham (Gen 18:1-5), and in the journey of God toward His people through the covenants of the Old Testament culminating in the Messiah. The New Testament, especially the Annunciation (Lk 1:26-38), recounts the Incarnation as a Trinitarian action, a journeying together: the Father sends the Spirit to overshadow the Virgin so that the Eternal Word of the Father might become incarnate. In the Trinity, there is communion and reciprocity among the Persons and an outpouring of love toward humanity.

The Father, Son and Holy Spirit journey together in harmony. The Triune God journeys together toward all of humanity. The Father, Son and Holy Spirit journey with us as we discern the way forward for our archdiocese. In turn, we as Families of Parishes must journey together, open to what the Spirit says and guided by the living Word (cf. Ps 119:105).

Next Week: Christological Foundations

Project Rachel - Day of Reflection

Saturday, March 5, 2022

Project Rachel is a post-abortive healing ministry. One in four women has had an abortion in the United States. If you know someone who is hurting, please share. Our next Day of Reflection is March 5, 2022, and is open to anyone who has been affected by abortion. Please email hopeandhealingcinci@gmail.com or call/text our confidential helpline at 513.784.0531 for more information.

Art and Catholicism: Can Beauty Save the World?

Thursday, March 10 | 7:00 - 9:00pm | Cincinnati Art Museum, Cincinnati, OH

Not all heroes wear capes - some wear painter's smocks. Michelangelo, Donatello, Raphael - maybe the Ninja Turtles' creators were onto something after all! These artists and many others are the heroes of Catholic art. Bestselling author and art historian, Liz Lev, is here to tell us all about how they saved the world...and how a new generation of art heroes can do it again - today! More Info: <https://angelico-project.org/>

Wedding Anniversary Certificates & Golden Anniversary Mass

Married couples celebrating a significant wedding anniversary (25, 40, 50, 60, 65, 70, or 75 years) in 2022 are invited to request a congratulatory certificate from Archbishop Schnurr. Individual couples may request a certificate online or by contacting Ana Ramirez | aramirez@catholicaoc.org | 513.263.3384

Golden Anniversary Mass Schedule for 2022

In addition to receiving a certificate from Archbishop Schnurr, married couples celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary in 2022 are invited to attend one of the Golden Anniversary Masses:

- August 13, 2022, 4:30 p.m. at Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception, Dayton
- August 14, 2022, 11:00 a.m. at the Cathedral Basilica of St. Peter in Chains, Cincinnati; Archbishop Schnurr presiding

You can register for one of these Masses in the process of completing the certificate request form on the Center for the New Evangelization (CNE) website. Request Certificate/RSVP for Golden Anniversary Mass at <https://bit.ly/3GiJiE8>

Become a Bulletin Sponsor

Did you know, our weekly bulletin is paid through our bulletin sponsors and actually provides extra funds to the parish? Becoming a bulletin sponsor is a great way to support the parish and get your business in front of your fellow parishioners. Interested? Contact: Nancy Macmillan | 859.443.2073 | nmacmillan@4lpi.com

Please support our bulletin sponsors

Bulletin Sponsors of the Week

Budweiser

Chad Bierbaum DDS & Melinda Maloney DMD Family Dentistry

Mass Intentions

Monday, February 28

6:00PM Mass

+ Arnold Sandman Sr req by
Deacon Paul & Mary Blessing

Tuesday, March 01

8:15AM Mass

Arleene Keller req by
Kim Lukens

Wednesday, March 02

8:15AM Mass

Maui Molas req by
Ella Molas

12:00PM Mass

+ John Walter Demmer req by
Melissa Bruns

6:00AM Mass

+ Robert Bonifas req by
Barb Bonifas

Thursday, March 03

8:15AM Mass

+ Joanie Gibbons req by
The Weisgerber Family

Friday, March 04

8:15AM Mass

+ Mary Lou Brockman req by
Kathy Buse McGaughy

Saturday, March 05

8:15AM Mass

+ Mary Ellen Demmer req by
Melissa Bruns

4:30PM Mass

+ Ronald Bena (Father of Tracy
McNulty) req by Autumn Book Club

Sunday, March 06

8:30AM Mass

SMOY Parish

11:00AM Mass

+ Larry Johnson req by
Judy Grubb

5:30PM Mass

Emily Ruschman req by
Melissa Capella

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April 29 - May 1, 2022 | Cincinnati, OH

Have you or has someone you know been affected by the tragedy of abortion? Project Rachel is a post-abortive healing ministry. Our weekend retreats are open for mothers mourning the loss of their child by abortion. The next retreat weekend is April 29 - May 1 in Cincinnati. Please email hopeandhealingcinci@gmail.com or call/text our confidential helpline at 513.784.0531 for more information.

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Saturday, April 9, 2022, Cincinnati, OH

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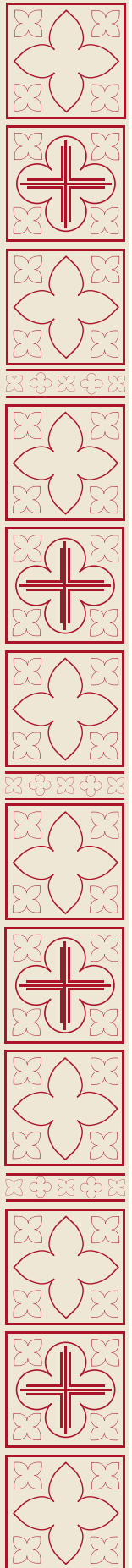


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