

April 24, 2022

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MASS SCHEDULE

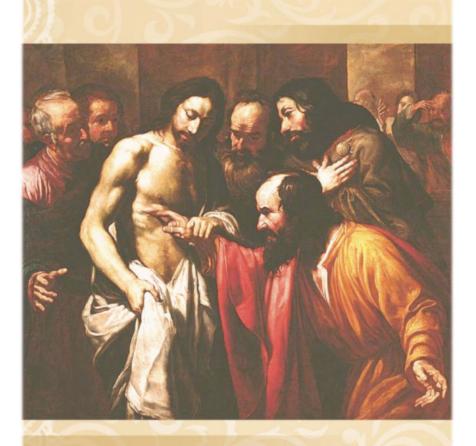
Weekday
Monday St. Aloysius 7:15 a.m.
TuesdaySt. Bernard 7:15 a.m.
WednesdaySt. Francis 7:15 a.m.
St. Bernard 6:15 p.m.
Thursday*St. Henry 7:15 a.m.
Friday*St. Wendelin 7:15 a.m.
SaturdaySt. Bernard 8:00 a.m.
Saturday
St. Henry*4:30 p.m.
Sunday
St. Wendelin7:15 a.m.
St. Aloysius8:00 a.m.
St. Henry *9:00 a.m.
St. Bernard9:45 a.m.
St. Francis10:45 a.m.
St. Henry *11:30 a.m.

*Livestreamed on Facebook, YouTube, & Cluster Website



RECONCILIATION/CONFESSION

- Monday Friday after morning mass
- Wednesday, St. Bernard 7:00 p.m.
- Thursday, St. Henry 8:00 p.m.
- Saturday, St. Henry 3:15 p.m.



2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER

Jesus said to Thomas, "Put your finger here and see my hands, and bring your hand and put it into my side, and do not be unbelieving, but believe." - Jn 20:27

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Bulletin Deadline

The deadline for bulletin information is Monday of each week at 12:00 noon. *Notices must be in writing or emailed to bulletin@sthenrycluster.com* Close to the holidays (approx. 6 times) there will be early bulletin deadlines.

Address, Phone & Email changes

Please contact your Parish Life Coordinator if your address, phone numbers or email has changed so we can keep our records up to date. Thank you!

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a. Click Sign Up and select I belong to a Parish or Organization

2. Find our cluster by name or zig

B. Enter your email and you're in! (St. Henry Cluster Parishes

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SACRAMENTS

Anointing of the Sick

Please call the cluster office if one of your family members is in any hospital or nursing home. We do not receive any information from any hospitals or nursing homes due to their privacy laws. Please remember to pray for those who are sick, in the hospital, in nursing homes, and homebound in our cluster parishes.

Baptisms

1st - St. Aloysius & St. Henry 3rd - St. Henry

2nd - St. Bernard **4th** - St. Francis & St. Wendelin Call the Cluster office to schedule baptism. Baptism preparation class is required and is held every *3 months*. Our next **BAPTISM CLASS** will be held **Wednesday**, **June 1**, **2022 at 6:30 p.m.** in the St. Henry CCD Center. If you are expecting a child and did not attend this class in the past, call the Cluster office to register, 419-678-4118.

Marriage

For more info, go to our website <u>sthenrycluster.com/marriage</u> or contact the Cluster Office. We require at least a 6 month preparation time. **Weddings outside our Cluster:** If you would like to have your Banns published in the bulletin contact the office 4 weeks before.

Confirmation

2023 Confirmation will be announced at a later date.

First Communion

May 1, 2022

St. Wendelin - 7:15 a.m.

St. Francis - 10:45 a.m.

St. Henry - 11:30 a.m.

May 15, 2022

St. Aloysius - 8:00 a.m.

St. Bernard - 9:45 a.m.

- Air Force: MSgt. Danielle Kremer-SH; TSgt.
- Army: Sgt. Austin McClure-SH (Reserves); Lt. Col. Charles Whitsett-SH; WO1 Jake Schlarman-SH;
 Private Carter Ontrop-SH
- Marine Corps: LCpl Randy Albers-SH; LCPL David Dennings; GySgt. Adam Wolters-SA
- National Guard: PV2 Timothy Burrows-SH (Army); Sergeant Klint Hemmelgarn-SH; Major Matthew Lauber-SA; Sgt. Cory Mescher-SH; Sgt. Christina Moore-SH; Spc Wyatt Rose-SB (Army)
- Navy: ENS Zachary Miller-SB

please pray for our

MILITARY MEMBERS

Mass Intentions

Monday, April 25
7:15 a.m. St. AloysiusRoger Wuebker
Tuesday, April 26
7:15 a.m. St. BernardRalph Kunkler
Wednesday, April 27
7:15 a.m. St. FrancisL/D Frank Hemmelgarn Family
6:15 p.m. St. BernardLavern "Pat" Siefring
Thursday, April 28
7:15 a.m. St. HenryCarolyn Bruns
Friday, April 29
7:15 a.m. St. Wendelin
Saturday, April 30
8:00 a.m. St. BernardFaithful Departed
4:30 p.m. St. HenryJim Uhlenhake
Sunday, May 1
7:15 a.m. St. WendelinRosemary Stachler
8:00 a.m. St. AloysiusGerald & Joan Huber
9:00 a.m. St. Henry Esther Goettemoeller
9:45 a.m. St. BernardL/D Jerome & Ludwina Miller Family
10:45 a.m. St. FrancisFor the People
11:30 a.m. St. Henry L/D Roman & Rita Bruns Family

Congratulations

ınday, May 1	
7:15 a.m. St. Wendelin	1st Communion
10:45 a.m. St. Francis	1st Communion
11:30 a.m. St. Henry	1st Communion

Adoration Schedule

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Monday - Thursday 8 am to 9 pm (Benediction at 8:45 pm) Friday 8 am to 5 pm (Benediction at 5:00 pm)

- Monday @ St. Aloysius (Kristie Evers: 567-242-8202)
- Tuesday @ St. Bernard (Sandy Post: 419-375-1431)
- Wednesday @ St. Francis (Sharon Rindler: 419-925-5207)
- Thursday @ St. Henry (Peg Fullenkamp: 419-678-8061)
- Friday @ St. Wendelin (Diana Koesters: 419-852-2242)

FAMILY HOLY HOUR: 1st Friday of the month at St. Francis, 5 pm

If you do not have a regular hour of Adoration but are interested in being added to the schedule, please contact the Committee member for your parish.

Weather & Cancellations

- If St. Henry Schools are delayed or canceled (due to weather), only Adoration and youth events are canceled. Other youth announcements will be on <u>GroupMe</u>.
- If Mercer County is on a Level 2+, weekday masses will be at St. Francis.
 Weekend masses will be announced on WSCM and social media.
- If there is a FUNERAL MASS, morning Mass will still be held at 7:15 a.m. Only Adoration is cancelled at the parish where the Funeral Mass is held.

Rita Gehle
Thomas Rose
March 29
Mildred Wuebker

March 29
St. Henry
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Born into



April 10 & 17, 2022

St. Aloysius
Attendance
Sunday Offering\$1,175.00
Easter Sunday Offering\$3,846.00
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Good Friday
Cemetery runa\$1.00
St. Bernard (Weekly goal - \$2,150.00)
Attendance 394 (4.10) 211 (4.15) 198 (4.16) 592 (4.17)
Sunday Offering\$1,991.00
Easter Sunday Offering\$5,857.00
Good Friday545.00
Candles\$161.00
Easter Flowers\$130.00
Special Donation\$90.00
Jamaica Mission\$10.00
Eastern Europe (Ash Wed.)\$50.00
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St. Francis
Attendance
Sunday Offering\$1,026.00
Easter Sunday Offering\$3,703.00
Good Friday\$275.00
Candles\$94.00
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St. Henry (Weekly goal - \$9,260.00))
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Attendance (4.15)
Attendance (4.17)
Sunday Offering\$8,644.00
Easter Sunday Offering\$14,706.00
Good Friday\$1,606.00
CCD Tuition\$1,015.00
Cemetery\$250.00
Candles\$41.00
Easter Flowers \$40.00
Stipend\$150.00
Haiti\$50.00
St. Wendelin
Attendance
Sunday Offering\$912.00
Easter Sunday Offering\$3,440.00
Good Friday\$55.00
Cemetery\$1,500.00
Candles\$46.00



May 1 - 3rd Sunday of Easter

Reading I: Acts 5: 27-32, 40b-41 (Disciples' second trial before the Sanhedrin)

Reading II: Revelation 5: 11-14 (Praise to the lamb)

Gospel: John 21:1-19 (Appearance at the Sea of Tiberias)

A note from Father...

Consuming Easter Glory – During the eight days following Easter Sunday, the Church provides us with beautiful meditations in the Liturgy of the Hours (the Liturgy of the Hours is a collection of psalms, Scripture passages, Church writings, and prayers that every bishop, priest, deacon, and religious promise to pray multiple times every day). A meditation on the Eucharist is offered on the Friday of Easter week. Given that the Eucharist is where we encounter the Paschal Mystery every day, I want to share it to help us enter more deeply into the Mystery of the Lord's Presence at Mass, which He gave us as the living and eternal memorial of His Passover:

"Since Christ Himself has declared the bread to be His Body, who can have any doubt? Since He Himself has said quite categorically, This is my Blood, who would dare to question it and say it is not His Blood? Therefore, it is with complete assurance that we receive the bread and wine as the Body and Blood of Christ. His Body is given to us under the symbol of bread, and His Blood is given to us under the symbol of wine, in order to make us by receiving them one Body and Blood with Him. Having His Body and Blood in our members, we become bearers of Christ and sharers, as Saint Peter says, in the divine nature. ...Do not, then, regard the eucharistic elements as ordinary bread and wine: they are in fact the Body and Blood of the Lord, as He Himself has declared. Whatever your senses may tell you, be strong in faith. You have been taught and you are firmly convinced that what looks and tastes like bread and wine is not bread and wine but the Body and Blood of Christ. You know also how David referred to this long ago, when He sang: Bread gives strength to man's heart and makes his face shine with the oil of gladness. Strengthen your heart, then, by receiving this bread as spiritual bread, and bring joy to the face of your soul. May purity of conscience remove the veil from the face of your soul so that by contemplating the glory of the Lord, as in a mirror, you may be transformed from glory to glory in Christ Jesus our Lord. To Him be glory forever and ever. Amen (from the Jerusalem Catechesis,).

At Mass Jesus is continually working out our salvation by applying the saving power of His Cross to our lives now, and in the Eucharist that we are conformed to that work. The Mass is where we receive salvation, and the Eucharist is where we enjoy what salvation has opened up to us: glory. When we gather for the celebration of the Mass, we gather time and time again to experience the redemptive work of Jesus' passion, death, and resurrection by which we are saved from our sins, and in the Eucharist, we enjoy the greatest treasure of His Grace: to be united with His glorified Body in Heaven. Our Faith in this Sacrament is our salvation. If we struggle to believe, let us first examine our consciences and rid them of all the impurity of sin, and hear Jesus when He speaks the truth: This is my Body, this is My Blood. Hearing Him with pure consciences, let us devote ourselves more fervently to the Eucharist and truly live, enjoying here and now the Easter glory to which we are called and which we truly consume in this Blessed Sacrament. Next week at Saint Henry, our Eucharistic Lord will return to the center of the sanctuary, and with this may He also take His rightful place at the center of our hearts, there to be praised, honored, and adored forever through a life lived with virtue and grace. May God bless you in the week ahead and may Mother Mary lead you more deeply into the Sacred and Merciful Heart of Jesus. I remain,

Affectionately yours in Christ,

Ir. Hess





CLUSTER

SAFEPARISH 1ST QUARTERLY BULLETIN HAS BEEN POSTED!

VOLUNTEERS: All volunteers who work with youth and all employees need to be registered in SafeParish. If you haven't done so, go to our cluster website https:// www.sthenrycluster.com/safeparish for registration instructions. Please check your inbox and spam folders for this video or go to the TRAINING tab in your SafeParish account. New volunteers should contact the cluster office for payment options. www.aocsafeenvironment.org

HOST HOMES NEEDED (6/18-6/24 for our Totus Tuus program for the youth this summer. Please see more information in the Youth Ministry section! Contact Miranda if willing to help! 567-279-4541 vouth@sthenrycluster.com



It is not to late to turn in your CRS RICE BOWLS. Please drop them off at the Cluster Office or the collection basket. Thank you!

GRIEFSHARE SESSIONS to be offered in our local community. Sessions will be held at the St. Henry Religious Ed. Center beginning Thursday, May 5, from 7pm - 8:30pm and continue for 13 weeks ending on July 28. Anyone who has experienced the death of a family member or friend is invited to attend. Past participants have related how helpful this program has been in their grieving process. Call Pat Stachler 419-678-3774, Pat Kittle 419-852-6171 or Mary Wenning, 419-678-8830 for more information. You can also email patstachler@roadrunner.com

Join us for EXPOSITION/ADORATION of the Blessed Sacrament on **DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY**, April 24, at St. Francis starting after the 10:45 am Mass at with the rosary being said on the hour, chaplet and litany at 3:00 pm, followed by Benediction. All are welcome.

FIRST COMMUNION PRACTICE for parents and students will be held in each respective church. Students will be enrolled in the Brown Scapular at practice.

- St. Aloysius- Thursday, May 12 at 7:00 pm
- St. Bernard- Wednesday, May 11 at 7:00 pm
- St. Francis- Thursday, April 28 at 7:00 pm
- 유 St. Henry- Wednesday, April 27 at 6:30 pm
- St. Wendelin- will contact parents directly

THE CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICE COLLECTION: weekend, May 1, our cluster will take up The Catholic Relief Services Collection. Funds from this collection provide food to the hungry, support displaced refugees, and bring Christ's love and mercy to vulnerable people here and abroad. Next week, please give generously to the collection and reveal Christ's Love to those most in need. Learn more about the collection at www.usccb.org/catholic-relief.



St. Bernard:

Ann III: Kendra Rose - Alan Petitjean (4.30.2022)

St. Henry:

Ann II: Lauren Goettemoeller - Evan Holcombe (5.7.2022)

St. Aloysius:

Ann III: Doug Ranly, St. Aloysius - Kelly Marchal, St. Louis,

North Star (4.30.2022 @ St. Marys, Greenville)



Our **NEXT MEETING** will be held May 2nd at 7:30 p.m. in the CCD Building.

RAFFLE WINNERS FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL are

\$100 - Betty Tobe \$30 - Dan & Linda Thieman \$50 - Bob Bueter \$20 - Jerome Homan

Congratulations to the Winners.



ST. ALOYSIUS

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PORTERS

Doug Jansen April 25 - May 1 Dale Pottkotter May 2 - May 8

APRIL CHURCH CLEANERS: Ann Holdheide, Janessa Tobe, Teresa Gerlach.



EASTER FLOWERS in church are in memory/honor of Bernard Franzer, Kirsten Schlarman, Don Ahrens, Alvin Bills, Ken Seitz, Richard & Ruth Wellman, Kathleen Barhorst, Victor Moeder, Ludwig & Dolores

Wuebker, Roger Wuebker, Gary, Brad & Todd Wuebker, Susan McEvoy, Jack McEvoy, Gary, Brad, Todd Wuebker, Ludwig & Dolores Wuebker, Elmer Wilker, Frank & Edna Homan, Lawrence Link, Leonard Link, Bernard Link, Theodore Fleck, Don Kremer, Herman & Marie Kremer, Donald Kunkler, Nick Franck, Victor & Mary Evers, Ted & Martha Kunkler, Ray & Rita Flaute, Cletus & Florence Hemmelgarn, Marita Dahlinghaus, Paul Staugler, Terry Holdheide, Jeffrey Holdheide, Alfred & Donna Hart, Urban & Clara Hemmelgarn, John & Mary Ann Wermert, William & Virginia Pottkotter, Rita & Albert Kessen Family, Bertha & Harold Wenning, Terry Kremer, Lari Robinson, Sr Anna Kessen, Alex & Rita Koesters, Henry & Helen Nordenbrock, Roger Wuebker, Alfred & Ursala DeMange, Elmer & Mary Ann Link, Charles & Anna Link Family, Eleanora & Jerome Hess



ST. BERNARD

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Henry & Marie Dircksen, Morris Siefring, Doris Hemmelgarn; Bernard Heitkamp, John Zahn, Adam Keller & Fred Roessner Families; Leroy, Rose & Bruce Schwieterman Families, Thomas Dahlinghaus, Victoria Schmackers, Forgotten Souls, Paul Mestemaker, Richard Langenkamp, Louis, Eleanora & Jim Zumwald, Ed & Stella Piekenbrock, Cy & Romilda Siefring, Marilyn Schlater, Earl & Berneice Baltes.

Did you know that the entire week following Easter Sunday is considered one long "Easter Day" and every day is a solemnity of Easter? **Come join us for SAINT BERNARD EASTER EGG HUNT!** Children 5th grade and under are welcome to join in on Easter fun **Saturday, April 23 at 10:30am.** There just might be a visit from the Easter Bunny!

Please check our **LOST & FOUND BOX** for any personal items left behind after Mass. The box is located in our vestibule at the back of the church under the bulletin board.

ST. BERNARD LADIES GUILD MOTHER DAUGHTER CARRY IN BANQUET to be held on Monday, May 2, 2022. Cocktails to begin at 6:00 p. m. with dinner at 6:30 p. m. The Guild will provide soup, salad, and drinks. Please bring a side to share whether a vegetable, fruit, or dessert. This banquet is open to all 2nd grade daughters and older. RSVP in the back of church on the sign-up sheet or call Cheryl Siefring at 419-852-1498 before April 24.

There is no cost to attend this banquet. There will be a free will donation basket available at the door. Our parish is in need of a new altar cross and candlesticks for the altar and by the tabernacle. The crucifix and candleholders that are currently in use are in terrible condition and not worthy of Divine Worship. The total cost of the set will be in the range of \$5000-\$6200 depending on the combination of size and number of candlesticks ordered.

With the ARRIVAL OF SPRING WEATHER, it is once again time to PREPARE OUR CEMETERY FOR MOWING AND TRIMMING. Please check the graves/tombstones of your loved ones. There is a floral arrangement that blew off during the wind storms. Please claim this if it is yours. Also, please remember that during the mowing season (typically late April through October) to only place items on the actual tombstones and not on/in the ground around the tombstone. Your assistance with this is most appreciated.

VBS PLANNING MEETING: Join us in help planning for this year's Vacation Bible School on Monday, May 9th at 7:00pm in the church basement. Bible School at St Bernard will be held July 18-21 for children preschool thru those entering the 5th grade next year. All are welcome!

Are you looking for a way to share your faith, time and talents with others? The St. Bernard CCD program is in need of a **5**TH **GRADE TEACHER**. We offer training and support along with user friendly teaching materials. This is a paid position. We encourage all adults to prayerfully consider whether this ministry is right for you! Contact Jill Gelhaus for more information 937-459-6771.

With the recent retirement of the MAINTENANCE COMMITTEE, St. Bernard's Parish is LOOKING FOR INTERESTED VOLUNTEERS to help with the various tasks that are needed to be done. All help is appreciated. If you are interested in helping your parish, please contact a parish council member or call Mike Garke at 567-644-6613.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED to help install the **HEADERS FOR THE CCD PARTITIONS** in our church basement. Work is currently underway and takes place both during the daytime hours and evening with some work also on Saturday. All help is welcome whether you can work several days or even a few hours. For more information, please call Don Rindler 419-852 -6250

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT CAMPAIGN PROGRESS: Total Pledges received in the month of March are \$4270.00 . We are truly grateful for the pledges that have come in! Phases still needing funds are: Tuck Point clean and seal of all bricks and mortar joints and Basement and Rectory Windows. If you have not yet sent in your commitment card, please prayerfully consider doing so. More information can be found in the back of the church by the confessional or by contacting Adam Stammen 937-344-0565 or Matthew Niekamp 937-423-8236. Join us today on DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY for EXPOSITION/ADORATION starting after the 10:45 am Mass with the rosary being said on the hour, chaplet and litany at 3:00 pm, followed by Benediction.



Welcome & Congratulations on receiving the sacrament of Baptism .

Isaac Kenneth, Son of Adam & Jill Stammen



ST. FRANCIS

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THANK YOU to all those who helped prepare and participate in our Holy Week Services, activities with the children and our Easter Celebration.



The **EASTER FLOWERS** decorating the church are in memory of: Frank & Leona Hemmelgarn, Janie Hemmelgarn, John & Mary Mowrey, Cy Schwieterman, Ken & Connie Post, Urban & Theresa Borger, Greg Moran, Robert Borger, Mel Borger, Carl

Borger, Steven Huwer, Aloys & Olive Huwer, Mark Knapke, Hilda Knapke, Donald Rose, Carly & Cameron Rose, Jack Bruns, Dale Bruns, Lawrence & Stella Broering, Virgil & Mildred Bensman, Emilie & Katelyn Broering, Mark Huwer, Erma & Sylvester Bruggeman, Randy Bruggeman, Dennis Schwieterman, Ryan & Kelly Weitzel, Norbert Dahlinghaus, Steve Dahlinghaus, Norb & Rosemary Heitkamp, Ernest Schmitmeyer, Joe Schmitmeyer, Ben Homan, Bill Hartke, Bob & Florence Bruns.

FIRST COMMUNION at St. Francis will be May 1, 2022 at the 10:45 am Mass.

With warmer weather approaching, please check the decorated **GRAVE SITES ON THE CEMETERY** of your loved ones to make sure the grave sites are mower accessible for the summer. Your assistance with this is greatly appreciated.

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ST. HENRY

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The **EASTER FLOWERS** decorating the church are in memory of these loved ones: Jeanette and Kenneth Morrissey, Willard and Thelma Speck, Ruth Koesters, Richard and Rita Stachler, Ron Clements, Al and

Bernie Homan, Carol Cramer, Mary Lou Fullenkamp, Ralph and Rose Ann Post Family, Thomas Hoyng, Don and Joe Hummel, Viro and Henrietta Will, Carl Spangler, Joyce Bruns, Ralph Ording, Bill Gast, Ken Buzard, Ruth Bruns, Michelle Brunswick Hausen, Sylvia Braun, Al and Bernie Homan, Duke and Karen Brunswick, Paul and Angela Bettinger, Bob and Sally Muhlenkamp, Ralph Gelhaus, Ed and Henrietta Nerderman, Johanna Bruns, Gary and Kevin Hemmerich, Gabrielle Delzeith, Jerry and Dan May, Bob Lefeld, Tom & Pat Hamberg, and Julia Stahl.

MINISTRY SCHEDULES: Summer schedules will soon be created for ministries. If your summer schedule necessitates you changing to a different mass time, please let me know or you may change that in the scheduler. Any unavailable dates can be emailed to me if you are not able to submit those dates through the scheduling system at shplc@sthenrycluster.com. All high school seniors will remain on the schedule through the summer months unless I am notified otherwise.

ALTAR ROSARY SODALITY MEETING will be held on April 20 at 7:00 p.m. in the St. Henry Church Basement. **UPDATE:** We are thankful for the ladies who have organized the *Fancy Stand* at the St. Henry picnic the last few years. They are finished, and we are looking for 3-4 individuals who would consider taking this over. You can contact Mindy at 419-953-5096 or Amy Osterholt at 419-678-8677.



ST. WENDELIN

Pastoral Council President

Parish Prayer Chain

Next Sunday, *Ella Will* and *Alaina Lochtefeld* will make their **FIRST HOLY COMMUNION**. Alaina is the daughter of Matt and Stacy Lochtefeld and Ella is the daughter of Sam and Lindsay Will. Please join us for this most special occasion for Ella and Alaina!

There will be a **CLUSTER PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING** on Monday, April 25 beginning at 7 p.m. in St. Bernard Church basement.

With the **ONSET OF WARMER SPRING WEATHER**, it will soon be time to begin mowing our lawn at church. Please take a few minutes to assist in getting our cemetery ready for mowing by checking the graves of your loved ones and removing loose flowers, wires, broken vases or any other decorations that may interfere with mowing. Your assistance is most appreciated! Thank you.



Ladies: Do you want to grow in who you are as a woman, wife, and mother? Do you desire strong friendships with other moms? Join Created to Believe: Called to Motherhood study with Cana Family. Meetings run bi-monthly throughout the school year. Sign up now at Canafamilyinstitute.com, groups will decide meeting times that work once enough participants join. Feel free to call Shelly Hartings with any questions 419.852.9235

Men: Becoming Provider, Reigning in Life- a Catholic Men's small group forming now. Through Cana Family Institute, Men are learning about the dignity of work and how this applies to raising a family in the faith. Men's groups are forming in our parish, join by visiting canafamilyinstitute.com Bi-monthly meetings starting in the fall to engage your faith as a husband and father. Contact Scott and Shelly Hartings for any questions 419.852.9235

LIFELINE FOR MARRIAGE – **RETROUVAILLE** (pronounced retro-vi with a long i) helps couples through difficult times in their marriages. It is designed to provide the tools to help get your marriage back on track. It will give you the opportunity to rediscover each other and examine your lives together in a new and positive way. This program has helped 10's of 1000's of couples experiencing marital difficulty at all levels including disillusionment and deep misery. For confidential information about or to register call 513 486-6222 or visit www.HelpOurMarriage.com.

ARE YOU BEING CALLED TO SERVE OTHERS IN DIFFICULT

TIMES? If so, we encourage you to register for the Tribunal Training Course, where participants will learn how to help others navigate the Declaration of Nullity process as an advocate. Deacon Richard Hobbs, Judge for the Archdiocese of Cincinnati Tribunal, will guide participants through the Church's law and practice relative to marriage cases. After satisfactory completion of this course and successful completion of an internship, the participant might be certified as a procurator/advocate for the Tribunal, able to effectively assist those seeking help with marriage cases at the parish level. Course dates: May 21 –July 23; Saturdays: 9:30 a.m. to 12:10 at St. Marys of the Assumption, Springboro, Ohio. Contact Otis Miller at omiller@athenaeum.edu or 513.233.6116.

DAY OF RENEWAL: LOVE, MERCY & FORGIVENESS; St. Marys Parish in Greenville invite you to their Annual Day of Renewal on Tuesday, May 17, from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.. The theme this year is Divine Mercy. It will be a beautiful day of prayer and inspirational presentations with Connie McEldowney and Mother Marie-Cecile of the Trinity. Lunch will be provided and free will offerings will be accepted. RSVP by April 29 by contacting Ginny Metzcar at 937.916.5020 or 937.417.1305 or email gmetzcar47@gmail.com . All are welcome.



YOUTH MINISTRY

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- **April 27 Women's Small Groups** 7th-12th grade
- April 29 Breakfast Club
- May 2 Teen Night
- May 3 Men's Small Groups 5th-6th grade
- May 4 Men's Small Groups 7th-12th grade
- May 6 Breakfast Club
- May 6 First Friday Family Holy Hour
- May 11 7th Grade Guys Lunch The 7th grade guys are invited to join us for lunch in the St. Henry Church Basement at 11:30am! Pizza & drinks provided. Guys must sign up in CCD center to attend lunch. Fr. Dan Schmitmeyer is the Director of Vocations for the Archdiocese and will be ioining us!
- May 11 Women's Small Groups 7th-12th grade
- May 13 Breakfast Club
- May 17 Women's Small Groups 5th-6th grade
- May 18 Men's Small Groups 7th-12th grade
- May 22 Graduation Masses
- June 11-19 Affirming the Existence of God: From the Darkness of Doubt to the Illumination of Truth (for 16-18 year olds) More info below!
- June 19-24 Totus Tuus more details to come! Grades 1 -12. Looking for host homes for the missionaries to stay in. Details below.

BREAKFAST CLUB- Fridays @ 7am, St. Henry Church Basement - Join us weekly for the Breakfast Club! Food & fellowship before school! Bring a friend! Great way to kick off your weekend! *Grades 6+.*

TEEN NIGHT - 1st Monday of the month at 8pm, Montezuma Spiritual Center ran by the Life in the Spirit core team. Feature local teen speaker, praise & worship, and one-on-one prayer time.

SMALL GROUPS - If you're looking to dig a little deeper in your faith, ask tough questions, and solidify friendships with each other and Jesus, join us for small groups! Groups are determined by age/gender.

- **5th-6th GRADE** Tuesdays from 3:15-4:30 pm in the St. Henry church basement
- 7th-12th GRADE Wednesdays (every other week) starting at 8 pm, St. Henry CCD center

FIRST FRIDAY FAMILY HOLY HOUR On the first Friday of each month, your entire family is invited to join in a Family Holy Hour at 5pm at St. Francis! The hour includes guided prayer, adoration & diving into the Word. "Jesus came to us through a family; we must defend marriage & families, support each other in prayer, learning & activities." Fr. Mike Schmitz.

RETREATS/EXPERIENCES + SCHOLARSHIPS Our whole goal is to help you embrace the adventure of discipleship. To know, love and serve the Lord. We encourage you to go on retreats, experiences, etc. to grow in faith by hands-on experiences! We know this can come at a cost. Each student has an annual stipend they can utilize towards retreat costs. All details on

scholarships and eligible retreats/experiences are here: sthenrycluster.com/youth-ministry/retreats.

- Affirming the Existence of God: From the Darkness of Doubt to the Illumination of Truth (June 11-19): Teens, 16-18 years old and already strong in their Catholic Faith, are invited to a deepening of that faith during the 2022 Eagle Eve Summer Institute in Maria Stein, OH! Come join us on an eight-day summer session full of fun, friendship, prayer, and study. Led by the Brothers and Sisters of St. John, we are dedicated to helping vou make this experience the best it can be! Cost: \$425 (\$430.75 when paid online) - scholarships available (see Youth Min>Retreats online) Register here: https:// eagleeveministries.brushfire.com/eagle-eve-summerinstitutes/525239For more info: Beth Gillen (bethy20078@gmail.com)
- **CYSC 2022**: Registration opened on September 30. Spots filled up fast. We're left with registering for the waitlist for 2022. This can be a life-changing, expensive week. We've got scholarships to help ease the cost. More info online.

HOW CAN I GET INVOLVED? Check out 'Volunteer' under Youth Ministry on the website <u>sthenrycluster.com</u>.



Tune in to the **RADIO ROSARY** every Sunday at 9:30 am on WCSM (96.7). II t is sponsored by individuals & various church related groups. Great for shut-ins and families.

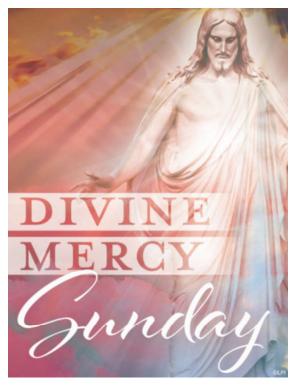
The next **ST. HENRY LASSIES AND LADS 4H CLUB MEETING** will be the Fishing Derby on Wednesday, May 4 from 6:30-8:00 PM at the St. Henry Nick and Connie Gast's pond (411 W. Kremer Hoying Rd., St. Henry).

The **CANCER ASSOCIATION OF MERCER COUNTY** is excited to invite everyone back to the Wally Post Athletic Complex in St. Henry on Friday May 6th from 4 – 11pm for the **24TH ANNUAL HOPEFEST**. We encourage you to form a team to honor or support those who have or who have had cancer. Team registration is \$150.00 and with that registration fee you receive up to 15 Hopefest t-shirts. Please call the Cancer

The Volunteer Association at Mercer Health's Mercer County Community Hospital is in need of additional **EUCHARISTIC MINISTER VOLUNTEERS**. If anyone is interested or has any questions, please feel free to reach out to me or Jenni Miller, immiller@mercer-health.com or 419-678-5132.

MERCER COUNTY COUNCIL ON AGING would love to send you their monthly newsletter! The newsletter is published monthly and is full of great information and activities. Just call, 419-586-1644, and tell us if you would like a copy mailed to your home or an email copy! Check it out on our web site www.mccoa.net!

WENDELIN SPORTS CLUB will be serving carry-out **BBQ CHICKEN DINNERS** on Mother's Day, May 8th from 4-6. This is presale only. Call 419-375-4562 to reserve your dinners. Deadline to order is April 24th



Weekly Schedule: April 25-29						
	Monday SA - 7:15 am	Tuesday SB - 7:15 am	Wednesday SF - 7:15 am	Wednesday SB - 6:15 pm	Thursday SH - 7:15 am	Friday SW - 7:15 am
Priest	Fr. Hess	Fr. Jacquemin	Fr. Hess	Fr. Jacquemin	Fr. Hess	Fr. Hess
Sacristan	Dan Hart	Jerome Siefring	Joyce Gerlach	Don Ontrop	Rich Schmackers	_
Servers	Don Wermert	Art Siefring	Homer Stachler	Gavin Moody Tanner Moody	Luke Beyke Max Delzeith Zach Heath	Nick Koesters
Lectors	Sarah Franck	Marie Heitkamp	Homer Stachler	Kathy Naseman	Deb Knapke	Nick Koesters
E/M	Sarah Franck	Jerome Siefring	Joyce Gerlach	Pam Moody	_	Dave Brunswick
Rosary 7:00 p.m.	-	Bernice Lefeld	Dennis & Pat Pottkotter	Henry & Ruth Kunkler	Vicki Koesters Melainie Lefeld	_

Worship Ministry Schedule

Saturday, April 30						
8:00 a.m SB		4:30 p.m SH				
Priest	Fr. Hess	Fr. Jacquemin				
Deacon	_	_				
Sacristan	Sarah Niekamp	Bob Schmitz				
Servers	Seth Broering Michael Kunkler	Reece Holdheide Dylon Lefeld Danny Stammen				
Lectors	Marleen Evers	Cindy Kaup Bob Stammen				
E/M	Ruth Kunkler	Adam Buening Lori Holdheide				
Ushers	-	Allan Bruns Ed Moorman Gary Siefring				
Offertory	_	Mike & Carla Buening				
Rosary	Marie Heitkamp	_				



Sunday, May 1							
	7:15 a.m SW	8:00 a.mSA	9:00 a.m SH	9:45 a.mSB	10:45 a.mSF	11:30 a.mSH	
Priest	Fr. Jacquemin	Fr. Hess	Fr. Jacquemin	Fr. Hess	Fr. Jacquemin	Fr. Hess	
Deacon	Randy Balster	_	_	_	Gregg Elking	Jerry Buschur	
Sacristan	_	Sarah Franck	Paul Hemmelgarn	Ron Theiman	Mary Schmitmeyer	Mark Stammen	
Servers	Libby Koesters Luke Sudhoff	Adam Franck Dan Franck Maria Franck	Bryce Brookhart Olivia Lange Sam Moorman	Evan Heitkamp Jake Pierre Colin Moody	Caleb Huwer Kylee Albers Drew Langenkamp Dylan Huelskamp	Clay Buschur Nate Buschur Haden Woods	
Lectors	Dave Meier	Maria Homan	Caitlin Moeder Karen Holdheide	Aaron Niekamp	Scott Hartings Katie Huwer	Alex Fullenkamp Craig Buschur	
E/M	Randy Balster	Melissa Wolters Joe Hess	Pat Balster Kathy Hartke	Jerry Buschur Jenny Miller Paul Moeller	Gregg Elking Lauren Hartings	Kent Buschur Angie Imell	
Ushers	Bob Bueter Carl Stachler	Joe Koesters Dave Wuebker	Dan Prenger Nathan Schwieterman	Kurt Bergman Jerry Vogel Brad Barga	Matt Watercutter Adam Weitzel	Zach Cordonnier Andy Gast Nick Gast	
Rosary	_	Dave & Donna Wuekber	Edna Lange	Joan Buschur	Ron & Sharon Rindler	Mary Jean Siefring	
Offertory	Alaina Lochtefeld Ella Will	Michael & Linda Kessen	Larry Balster	Dan & Marleen Evers	First Communicants	Matt & Krista Beyke Family	
Home- bound	_	_	Anita Hemmelgarn Lori Speck Ryan Buschur	_	_	_	
Angel Room SH, 11:30 a.m. Adults: Mindy Luthman, Kristy Schulze Students: Grace Beyke, Robert Howe, Claire Wendel, Molly Wendel							

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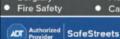
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