

Saint Bernadette Parish

Saint Mary Parish

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the Baptism of Christ

Painted (1448-1450) by Piero della Francesca (1415-1492) for the Camaldolese monastery of San Sepolcro

in the National Gallery, London

John testified further: "I saw the Spirit come down like a dove from heaven and remain upon him.

I did not know him, but the one who sent me to baptize with water told me,

"On whomever you see the Spirit come down and remain, he is the one who will baptize with the Holy Spirit."

John the Baptist, quoted in John 1:32-33

The 2nd Sunday of the Year

JANUARY 15, 2017

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Sacramental Life

BAPTISM

To have a child baptized, you must register and attend a class as a couple (unless attendance just isn't possible, in which case some discussion with Kathy Kehnast will be necessary). Sessions are held quarterly for both parishes. The next session will be Feb 22. Try to take the class before the child is born. If you are expecting, call Kathy to register for the class.

Please don't ask if you "have to go." This is an opportunity to meet with parents of children about the same age as your little one; they are in the same wonderful boat as you are.

At least one parent must be a practicing Catholic. Both godparents need to be practicing Catholics. If you don't attend Sunday Mass regularly (a major component of being a practicing Catholic), there is something you can do about it: Start coming to Sunday Mass.

PENANCE

The priest is available for Penance

- at St Bernadette Saturdays at 3 PM and Thursdays at 5:30 PM, and
- at St Mary Bremen on Sunday at 8 AM.

In addition to Advent and Lenten Penance Services, every Catholic priest is available whenever there is a need. There are Penance opportunities for parochial school children **four times during the year so that they will learn the beauty of frequent confession.** The Church's law requires us to receive the sacrament of Penance at least once a year.

ANOIDING AND CARE OF THE SICK

The Sick receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick when

- dangerously ill,
- facing major surgery, or
- suffering from the ravages of old age.

We celebrate the sacrament communally at a Sunday Mass before Advent and during the Easter season so that we can all pray with you for "health of mind and body."

And, we are happy to bring Penance, Anointing, and Holy Communion to the homes or hospitals of the sick or shut in. It is very helpful to call the parish office to let us know before a hospitalization or when it has been too long since the sacraments were last available.

HOLY MATRIMONY

Couples wishing to marry should contact the parish office six months before they wish to celebrate the sacrament. Why so long? Because **this sacrament, not just the ceremony, requires serious preparation.** And the Church needs to be involved in that preparation.

The Church wishes to support couples through the years of their married life. That's why our diocese offers programs to enhance married life. To learn about these programs, watch the weekly bulletin.

let us pray together

with the Church today

May the splendor of your majesty, O Lord, we pray,
shed its light upon our hearts,
that we may pass through the shadows of this world
and reach the brightness of our eternal home.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever.

with the Holy Father in January: Christian Unity

That all Christians may be faithful to the Lord's teaching
by striving with prayer and fraternal charity
to restore ecclesial communion
and by collaborating
to meet the challenges facing humanity.



Mass times and intentions

at St Bernadette		at St Mary	
4 PM	for Bishop-elect Mark Brennan	Saturday, Jan 14	
		Sunday, Jan 15	8:30 AM for the people of the parish
11 AM	for the people of the parish	Sunday, Jan 15	
8:20 AM	Charles & Nell McAnespie	Monday, Jan 16	
		Tuesday, Jan 17	8:20 AM Msgr Thomas Bender
8:20 AM	Jean Monaghan	Wednesday, Jan 18	
6 PM	Chuck Beiter	Thursday, Jan 19	
8:20 AM	for our new president on inauguration day	Friday, Jan 20	
4 PM	Michael Clark	Saturday, Jan 21	
		Sunday, Jan 22	8:30 AM for the people of the parish
11 AM	for the people of the parish	Sunday, Jan 22	

in our parishes

mardi gras at st bernadette

Come and enjoy the annual pre-Lenten celebration and fundraiser on Saturday, Feb 11, from 5-10 PM. This **wonderful family night** raises funds to support St Bernadette School. Festivities include games and movies for the kids, \$1000 grand raffle, silent and live auctions, music, and fabulous food featuring our signature Fat Tuesday sliders, French Quarter french fries, cole slaw *d'carnival*, mini king cakes, pizza, and more. Parishioners, bring your friends and family to support our Catholic school. Grand prize raffle tickets are \$10 each and will be sold after Masses on Jan 28 and 29 and Feb 4 and 5 or through the school office at (740) 654-3137.

st vincent de paul 5th sunday collection at st bernadette

Members of the St Vincent de Paul Society will take up a collection at the church doors on Jan 28 and 29, the 5th Sunday this month. Please be generous. The society helps the needy in the Lancaster area. They operate on income from their store and from your donations.

in your charity

Please pray for the repose of the soul of **Robert Austin Boyd**, father of Garry Boyd of St Bernadette. May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

walking with purpose: living in the father's love

Join a great group of women for their next session, *Living in the Father's Love*, starting Jan 18. This **six-lesson course** is a brief but powerful study meant to revive and refresh us as we discover just how much God loves us. In this study, we learn how the Gospels are deeply relevant to our relationships, both with God and with those we love. For this session, they are partnering with St Mary Parish Lancaster. The **morning group** will meet weekly on Wednesdays at St Bernadette Mary Good Center from 9:30-11. The **evening group** will meet at St Mary Spirit Center on Thursday evenings from 7-8:30. Both sites offer **free childcare** and there is no cost for this session. Walking with Purpose is Catholic Faith-sharing that aims to **bring women to a deeper personal relationship with Christ. Through personal study and small group discussions**, the group helps to link our everyday challenges with solutions given to us through the teachings of Christ and the Catholic Church. For questions or to register, contact Amy Woo at (414) 882-1863 or acfaching@yahoo.com.

For general program information, visit www.walkingwithpurpose.com.

christian initiation

Please pray for our **catechumens**. They are **officially-welcomed** members (albeit not yet full members) of the household of faith. These include **Ralph Mohler and his son Bryant** of Bremen St Mary, and **Jennifer Palmer** of St Bernadette. They have all publicly ratified their desire to become baptized members of the Catholic Church and are preparing for the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist. Get used to their names so you can pray for them. Find out who they are so you can make them feel welcome.

psr (aka parish school of religion)

PSR has begun but it is not too late to enroll students. Remember: Catholic parents have a **solemn moral duty** to see that their children are **properly and completely instructed in the Catholic Faith**. And they have a duty to see that their children attend every week (barring health or weather deterrents). And children will find **getting to know Jesus and his Church is an irreplaceable and joy-filled part of their upbringing**.

sacristan / ushers

These are the people who make things flow smoothly during our Sunday (including Saturday evening) Masses. They get things ready, make sure all the other ministers are ready, and help late arrivals find a seat with a minimum of disruption. Would you like to help? Contact Kathy Kehnast or one of the folks you see doing the job.

friends forever

The first **Friends Forever** gathering of the New Year happens Thursday, Jan 19, at noon in the Mary Good Center at St Bernadette. Contact Ann Essman at (740) 654-1893 for information.

where everybody knows your name

If you aren't already registered in our parish or if there has been **some change in your household** (as to who actually lives there or address, phone number, etc), contact Kathy Kehnast at the parish office any morning.

propagation of the faith

The annual collection for the Propagation of the Faith happens today. These funds are used for the **spreading of the Faith through missionary efforts**. Thank you for your generosity in assisting the Church's great evangelization project.

altar flowers

If you wish to **donate altar flowers for 2017** contact either parish office. Your donation of \$40 may be placed in the collection basket at Mass.

what st vincent does at st mary bremen

The famous "*season of giving*" isn't really over yet. For people in a financial jam, the season of need seems to go on throughout the year, especially when it starts to get really cold out. So, the **St Vincent de Paul Society in Bremen** takes up a collection after Mass on the first Sunday of the month, every month. New members are always welcome. For information, call Angi Skinner at (740) 438-0027

holy hour and day of abstinence to pray for a return of respect for life

Next Sunday evening, Jan 22, at 7 PM our parishes will have a solemn Holy Hour to pray for a cultural recovery in our country and around the world. It will take place at **St Bernadette**, but will be a prayer for both communities and for others who wish to join us in prayer. We will **silently ask God to help us to respect all human life**, especially **the life of the most vulnerable and least obviously "useful"**, God's beloved unborn and handicapped and elderly. We will conclude with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 8 PM.

And by the way, Friday is always **a day when the Church reminds us of the need to do penance for ours and each others' sins**. So please try to join in observing **voluntary Friday abstinence** from meat that day in reparation for our sins against God's precious gift of human life. Remember that he, and not you or I, is Lord of life

some other ways to support your parish

You can support your parish with **gifts of cash, appreciated assets, real estate, retirement plans, life insurance and even a trust or bequest in your will**. Designate St Mary Bremen or St Bernadette (or another non-profit Catholic entity) to benefit from your gift knowing that these gifts are invested in ways that are faithful to Catholic teaching. For donors age 70½ and older, the IRA Charitable Rollover is permanent law. Under this provision, these donors can transfer up to \$100,000 from their IRA to an endowment fund at The Catholic Foundation. The transfer is made free of federal income tax and the gift qualifies for the donor's required minimum distribution. Should you have questions or need assistance, contact The Catholic Foundation. They can help you take advantage of these opportunities in support of your beloved organizations. They can be reached at (614) 443-8893.

in the diocese of columbus

male & female He created them: complementarity & intimacy in marriage

All married couples are invited to the diocesan celebration of World Marriage Day on Sunday, Feb 26, from 1-4 PM at Immaculate Conception Church, 414 E North Broadway, Columbus. Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers will search Sacred Scripture and Church teaching to examine what God teaches us about the differences between authentic male and female spirituality. He will explore how to enhance the intimate relationship of husbands and wives. A Holy Hour for Marriage will follow his talk. There is no charge for the event but space is

limited. RSVP by February 13 at <http://familylife.coldsdioc.org> or (614) 241-2560.

God can save your marriage

Has your marriage become unloving or uncaring? Your relationship grown cold or distant? Thinking about a separation or divorce? Already separated or divorced but you wish to try again? The *Retrouvaille* program may help you. **Retrouvaille** of Columbus will be sponsoring its next program on Feb 10-12 at the Procter Center retreat house in London, Ohio. The program consists of a weekend experience and follow-up sessions. All inquiries are confidential. For more details or to register go to HelpOurMarriage.com or call (800) 470-2230.

the book of Revelation

Dr Thomas Smith will speak on Revelation, the book, on Saturday, Jan 28, from noon to 3 PM at St John Neumann Church in Sunbury. Dr Smith's presentation will include discussion of the mysterious figures and events in the book of Revelation and provide insight into **how the Mass is really heaven on earth**. He will give the big picture for understanding Revelation and will share specific **keys for unlocking its images and characters**. He will also reveal key characteristics for **fearlessly, faithfully, and fruitfully sharing our faith**. This event is free and everyone is welcome. Contact Tina Burtch, director of Evangelization, with questions at tburtch.saintjohn@gmail.com

healing Mass at the cathedral

A Mass of Healing and healing service will be celebrated on Monday, Jan 16, at 6:30 PM at Saint Joseph Cathedral in Columbus. Following the Mass, there will be **exposition** of the Blessed Sacrament, **veneration** of a relic of the True Cross of Christ, followed by an **opportunity** for each person to speak individually with a priest and receive prayers of healing with the **sacrament** of anointing of the sick. The Service of Healing will close with **Benediction**. All persons who seek Christ's healing are invited – those who suffer with physical illness and infirmities, and those who seek emotional and spiritual healing. All caregivers, family members, and members of the medical community are invited. Call the Cathedral with questions at (614) 224-1295.

men's conference and women's conference

These are big events coming in February you won't want to miss. At each of these Saturday events Bishop Campbell will celebrate Mass and there will be opportunities for Penance, as well as some entertainment and lots of fellowship with a thousand or two of the most interesting people in central Ohio. Put them on your calendar now.

- Women of our diocese will gather on Feb 18 with a theme of "**Courageous Faith, Contagious Joy**."
- Men will meet on Feb 25 with a theme of "**Into the Breach – Call to Battle**"

Both events will take place at the Ohio Expo Center at the Ohio fairgrounds in Columbus.

catholic youth summer camp

Catholic Youth Summer Camp is Ohio's one week-long, residential high adventure camp for students entering grades 6-12. Activities typically include jet skis, water tubing, paintball, blobbing, high ropes, archery tag, zip lining, rock climbing, giant swing, and mountain boarding. CYSC offers **a truly Catholic and safe environment with daily catechesis that awakens faith and builds missionary disciples**. A week at camp includes daily Mass, adoration, reconciliation, small group conversations, worship, service and authentic community. This is especially valuable for young people who are not now receiving other catechesis as well as to reinforce catechesis for those who are. Go

to www.cysc.com for information and to register for 2017 dates: high school sessions run the weeks of June 11, 18, 25, and July 2; middle school sessions run the weeks of July 9, 16, 23, and 30. Registration is open now.

happily ever after ... despite the rough spots

Come to a Marriage Encounter weekend and learn ways to use your marriage's ups and downs to deepen your love for each other and for God. Why not **try a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend**? The next weekend in central Ohio is Feb 17-19. For information or to register, contact Paul or Marilou Clouse at (614) 834-6880 or visit www.wmecolumbus.org.

pilgrimage to fatima and lourdes

Fr Stash Dailey, pastor of Holy Family Parish in Columbus, invites you to join him on a pilgrimage to Fatima and Lourdes from June 19-30, **celebrating the 100th anniversary of the apparitions of Our Lady at Fatima**. For details, contact Liz Grinder at the Lourdes Pilgrimage Office at (877) 276-7279 or lourdespilgrimageoffice@comcast.net or go to www.lourdes-pilgrimage.com. Reservation deadline is March 15.

vehicle donations to the josephinum

The Pontifical College Josephinum is a Catholic Seminary in Columbus. Seminarians there are studying for the priesthood and need transportation from time to time for a variety of local needs. The Josephinum has a fleet of vehicles but could use additional vans. If you have a **used van that you could donate** to the Josephinum, contact their business office at (614) 985-2230 so delivery arrangements can be made. The Josephinum is a non-profit charitable organization and will provide you with the appropriate documentation for the donation of a vehicle.

catholic conversations: the lessons of st faustina

Come to the Upper Room at Sports on Tap, at 4030 Main St, Hilliard today, Sunday, Jan 15, at 6 PM to hear a talk by Michele Faehnle & Emily Jaminet. Catholic Conversations is hosted by St Margaret of Cortona and St Brendan parishes and is an outreach ministry open to all adults **to bring our Catholic faith into the every day**. The event is free of charge. They ask only that you pay for your own food and drink of choice. They encourage registration, to ensure seating. Go to Eventbrite and search for Catholic Conversations. Contact Julie Naporano at julienaporano@gmail.com.

young professionals group

Join the Catholic Foundation's Young Professionals Group as they **travel to St Vincent Family Centers**. (<http://svfc.org/>) They will meet on Wednesday, Jan 18, from 6 PM until 9:30 PM at 1490 E Main St, Columbus to learn about the mission and purpose of the center and how it helps our community. Tours will be available. They will **finish the evening at Rusty Bucket**, 2158 East Main Street, Columbus, for networking and drinks. To RSVP visit: www.meetup.com/Catholic-Young-Professionals-Columbus-Meetup/ or contact Craig Heppner at (614) 443-8893.

in the deanery

fisher catholic: irish, but italian too!

The Fisher Catholic High School annual spaghetti dinner happens on Sunday, Jan 22, from noon until 6 PM. Cost for adults is \$7, for children 12 and under is \$5. This is an authentic spaghetti dinner served with salad, rolls, and dessert. Dine in or carry out. Tickets are available at the door. Proceeds benefit Fisher Catholic athletics.

a culture of life

9 days for life

Join thousands of Catholics across the country coming together in prayer during the bishops' pro-life novena, 9 Days for Life, from Saturday, Jan 21 through Sunday, Jan 29. Participate through email, text message, Facebook, or a free iOS or Android app. www.usccb.org/about/pro-life-activities/january-roe-events/nine-days-of-prayer-penance-and-pilgrimage.cfm.

national prayer vigil and march for life

The annual March for Life date is shifted to Friday, Jan 27, due to the Presidential Inauguration the week before. The annual National Prayer Vigil for Life at the Basilica of the Shrine of the Immaculate Conception will be the night before, Thursday, Jan 26. For details and a listing of Washington area events visit www.usccb.org/prayer-and-worship/resources/index.cfm.

day of prayer for the legal protection of unborn children

Bishop Frederick Campbell will celebrate the annual Respect Life Mass on Monday, Jan 23, at 10:30 AM at St Joseph Cathedral. On this day of the anniversary of the US Supreme Court decision Roe v Wade, our diocese will join the Church all over the country to observe a Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children. And we are invited. For information about the Church's teaching on life issues, visit www.usccb.org/prolife or contact the diocesan Office for Social Concerns at (614) 241-2540.

roe remembrance at the statehouse

Greater Columbus Right to Life will sponsor the **annual Roe Remembrance event** on Monday, Jan 23, at the Ohio Statehouse. The hour-long program will begin at noon and be held in the Statehouse atrium. Due to Statehouse security restrictions, no stickers, signs or weapons are permitted inside. For information, visit Greater Columbus Right to Life online at www.gctrl.org.

what does "pro-life" mean to you?

Certainly, being pro-life is to **oppose any form of abortion, euthanasia**, or other taking of innocent human life. But, it's more than that.

To be pro-life is **to care about others**. To be pro-life is **to put the political in perspective** and yearn for the charitable. It's the embracing of tenderness, the treasure of compassion. Ultimately, the depth of our conviction is measured in our love for one another. So, being pro-life is **to build a community**. A community that cares. A community that sees Christ in others. A pro-life community. And, in the end, this community will not have a mandate to make abortion illegal, or more restricted. The mandate for the pro-life community and the Christians that inhabit it will **not be to make abortion illegal, but to make it unthinkable**.

EWTN pro-life coverage

EWTN'S January coverage includes the Walk for Life West Coast, One Life LA and the March for Life in Washington DC. Hear exclusive interviews with key pro-life leaders and pilgrims from around the country. Visit www.ewtn.com/prolife for information.



Seek a Culture of Life

On January 22, 1972, the Supreme Court of the United States of America, in the decision known as *Roe v Wade* did something very un-American. The Court decreed that no agency of government could put restrictions on the right of a woman to abort her fetus. Another way to say that is that she was declared to have a right to kill a baby who was unable to defend herself. And the democratic procedures by which many states had established such restrictions were declared unconstitutional. That has been the law of the land for more than a generation now. And it is wrong.

It wasn't the first time that the Supreme Court did something un-American. In 1856 in *Dred Scott v Sandford*, the court declared that African Americans, slaves or not, could never be citizens of the United States, that the Congress had no authority to ban slavery in US territories, that slaves were unable to take lawsuits to court, and that, since they were property, slaves could not be taken from their owners without due process of law. The decision in that case was written by Chief Justice Roger Brooke Taney, who, as it happens, was the first Catholic to hold such a high position in the US government. It would be nice to be able to boast of the accomplishment of an American Catholic in times when they were still sometimes persecuted in our country. But we can't boast of this most famous of his accomplishments. It was un-American.

I am very interested in the history of our country. I want **to be a patriot**, for I certainly love my country. There are other stories in our history that sadden me; there have been other cases with which I disagree. Most of them have to do with my private personal opinions as a citizen. So, I don't believe I have any business airing them from the pulpit or from this extension of the pulpit which is the bulletin. But these judicial decisions were not only bad law and bad politics. They established **sinful principles as the law of the land**. The **evil made sacrosanct** by the Dred Scott decision was soon overruled in the horror of the Civil War. The evil in Roe is still very much the law of the land, and there are serious efforts afoot to expand its principles. These efforts are vitally important. They are a matter of fundamental human morality and not merely of opinion. We will have to answer to God for what we do about them.

There are **political platforms and policies** that include:

- government sponsorship (let alone permission) for the laboratory manufacture of *in vitro* fertilized designer babies;
- the killing of redundant siblings of such fetuses;
- the killing of "defective" or otherwise unwanted babies before they are born,
- and of babies accidentally born when they were meant to be killed immediately prior to birth;
- the rejection of requirements that parents of minor children be informed if their adolescent children feel the need to seek such killing for their own babies;
- the rejection of requirements that realistic information be presented to persons considering killing their as yet unborn daughters and sons;
- mandating that government fund the killing;
- mandating that health insurance provide coverage of these deaths as a part of a woman's health.

The minimum non-negotiable point for many people is the insistence on **the right to kill** the unborn child conceived during a rape or of whom it is claimed that the child presents a threat to the health of her mother. It is fascinating that whatever they may think of the other provisions, this last is widely accepted by very many people as common sense. Apart from the fact that the woman's health is then so broadly construed that it includes her peace of mind, there is the undeniable fact that the fetus doesn't become a baby at birth but is a baby (and thus a human being with a right to life) from the moment of conception—regardless of the propriety of the actions that led to the conception or the convenience of the coming to life of this particular fetal baby.

This right to kill children has been spreading in many countries around the world in the past forty years or so. And many of us know people whom we love who reached the decision to abort after much anguish. But the **prevalence of a crime** does not keep it from being evil; its **official legality** does not make it right; and the **heartbreaking stories** of women who did not know what else they could do should encourage us to find ways to bring them help.

Pope Saint John Paul II had a great expression to describe this evil situation: he called it a **Culture of Death**. This culture is the enemy of freedom. As Americans and as voters we must be committed to do what we can to see that this license to kill is revoked. There are many issues of great importance that must be considered in our political life. But we should reject as unreliable political candidates or parties or laws that insist on a right to kill babies. We must not trust our country to those who would reject the right to life in favor of the freedom to choose to kill the most vulnerable of human beings.

On January 22, join in prayer that this **Culture of Death** will be replaced in our country with a lively **Culture of Life**.

— Father Kessler

ministers at Mass at st bernadette

			lector	servers	extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion		
Saturday, Jan 14	4 PM		Marguerite Grimm	Isabelle Gentile, Gus & Olivia Spiegel	Rosalie DeFillippo Joyce Guenther	Lee Guinan Kathy Kehnast	Denise McGuire Brad Rider
Sunday, Jan 15	11 AM		Jim Merk	Collin & Emma McCrady, Caroline Messerly	Pat Dreyer Sandy Landefeld	Rita Merk John & Teresa Hartig	Larry Sanford
Monday, Jan 16	8:20 AM		Mary J Vajen	Lexi Utz, Sarah Woo	Pat Dreyer	Kathy Kehnast	
Wednesday, Jan 18	8:20 AM		Bob Christy	Becca Fuller, Brianna Hilyard	Mary Guinan	Mary Jane Vajen	
Thursday, Jan 19	6 PM		Kathy Kehnast	Joey Mannella, Carley Matson	Mary Guinan	Paul Lonergan	
Friday, Jan 20	8:20 AM		Jim Merk	Jack Gentile, Gunner Robertson	Jim & Rita Merk		
Saturday, Jan 21	4 PM		Sandy Landefeld	Samantha Kerns, Jack Tencza, Diana Woo	Terry Carpenter Susan Garrett	Craig Shaw Bob & Angie Christy	Amy Woo
Sunday, Jan 22	11 AM		David Shonk	Addy Myers, Dominic & Emeline Neighbor	Tara Craaybeek Patrick Gins	Ben Peters Jean Robertson	Mary Jane Vajen Becky Wickham

ministers at Mass at bremen st mary

			lector	servers	extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion	gifts	sacristan / usher
Sunday, Jan 15	8:30 AM		Paul Kunkler	Brooke Holt Jillian Wilkinson	Leo Kunkler Sr, Irene Kunkler, Pam Redding	Paul Kunkler family	Jim Schmelzer
Sunday, Jan 22	8:30 AM		Linda Qualls	Reagan Conrad Spencer Conrad	Damian & Deborah Schmelzer, Tyna Schmelzer-Fox	James Noll Jr family	Damian Schmelzer

the Church's plan for reading God's word this week

Sat Sun	Jan 14 Jan 15	2 nd Sunday	Isaiah	49:3-6	1 Corinthians 1:1-3	Psalm 40	John 1:29-34
Mon	Jan 16		Hebrews	5:1-10		Psalm 110	Mark 2:18-22
Tues	Jan 17	St Anthony, Abbot	Hebrews	6:10-20		Psalm 111	Mark 2:23-28
Weds	Jan 18		Hebrews	7:1-17		Psalm 110	Mark 3:1-6
Thurs	Jan 19		Hebrews	7:25-8:6		Psalm 40	Mark 3:7-12
Fri	Jan 20	St Fabian, St Sebastian	Hebrews	8:6-13		Psalm 85	Mark 3:13-19
Sat	Jan 21	St Agnes	Hebrews	9:2-14		Psalm 47	Mark 3:20-21
Sun	Jan 22	3rd Sunday	Isaiah	8:23-9:3	1 Corinthians 1:10-17	Psalm 27	Matt 4:12-23

confessions & weekday Mass nearby

These times sometimes change, though, so be sure to call ahead!

	<i>Bremen St Mary</i>	<i>Lancaster St Bernadette</i>	<i>Lancaster St Mary</i>	<i>Lancaster St Mark</i>	<i>Sugar Grove St Joseph</i>	<i>Circleville St Joseph</i>	<i>Logan St John</i>
Monday		8:20 AM	7 AM	8 AM	8 AM	9 AM	8 AM
Tuesday	8:20 AM		9 AM	8 AM	NOON	7 AM	8 AM
Wednesday		8:20 AM	7 AM	6 PM	8 AM	9 AM	9 AM
Thursday		6 PM	9 AM	8 AM	NOON		
Friday		8:20 AM		8 AM	8 AM	9 AM	8 AM
Saturday		1 st Saturday only 9 AM Mass				10 AM	9 AM
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