

TODAY**First Sunday of Lent****Mass Intentions for the week**

Saturday, Mar. 4th	4:30 pm April Green Donna Frabott)
Sunday, Mar. 5th	9:00 am Tom Croarkin (MaryTherese Croarkin) 11:30 am People of the Parish 6:00 pm Judy Tarleton (Amy & Paul Rohyans)
Monday, Mar. 6th	9:00 am Dominic & Lucia Ciotola (Guido Ciotola)
Tuesday, Mar. 7th	9:00 am Anne Hall (John Connor)
Wednesday, Mar. 8th	9:00 am Rossi Family (Tom & Norma Eviston)
Thursday, Mar. 9th	9:00 am NO MASS
Friday, Mar. 10th	8:30 am Bill O'Reilly (O'Reilly Family) 5:00 pm Mike & Mayme Figliola (Nancy & Jerry Schwan)
For the Weekend March 11th and 12th	
Saturday, Mar. 11th	4:30 pm Joseph A. Frabott (Donato & Miryam Altieri)
Sunday, Mar. 12th	9:00 am People of the Parish 11:30 am Tony & Filomena Santilli Flora & Dominic Valentino) 6:00 pm Carm McNeal (Laipply Family)



Sophia Basil, Linda Boyd, Patti DeCapua, Henry Drayer, Betty Evans, Mark Evans, Glenn Glassner, Scott Gossett, Maryann Hogan, Logan Kinzel, Alexis Long, Mark McGinley, Jean Montenegro, Daniel Patrick Murphy, Elizabeth Parker, Anna Reed, Teri Ruzicka, Denise Schumaker, Andrea Stanley, Mary Yingst

Parish Activities for the week

Saturday, March 4th	6:00 pm Cafeteria	Winter Sports Banquet
Sunday, March 5th	10:05 am Library	Adult Faith Formation
	10:05 am Cafeteria	PSR Class
	4:30 pm St. Albert Room	H.S. Youth Group Mtg.
Monday, March 6th	2:30 pm St. Albert Room	Girl Scout Meeting
	7:00 pm Cafeteria	AA Meeting
Tuesday, March 7th	6:00 pm Conference Room	Finance Committee Mtg
	7:00 pm Cafeteria	Home & School Mtg
Wednesday, March 8th	7:00 pm Cafeteria	Art Show
	7:00 pm St. Albert Room	RCIA "Catholic Moral Vision"
Thursday, March 9th	7:00 pm Cafeteria	First Grade Play
	5:00 pm Church	Youth Choir
	6:15 pm Church	Adult Choir
Friday, March 10th	8:30 am Church	Proclamation Day Mass
	5:00 pm Cafeteria	Pasta Dinner
	5:30 pm Church	Stations of the Cross
Saturday, March 11th	9:00 am St. Albert Room	SVP Meeting
Sunday, March 12th	10:05 am Library	Adult Faith Formation
	10:05 am Cafeteria	PSR Class
	4:30 pm St. Albert Room	H.S. Youth Group Mtg.

Altar Care & Linens for the Month of March

Altar Care: Carole Heinzenberger & Marytherese Cincione

Linens: Susan Reeser

PARISH SUPPORT**Weekly Offertory Breakdown – February 26th, 2017**

Total Envelope Count	109
Total Envelope \$ Amount	\$4,091.00
Loose Checks #40	
Total Loose Checks \$ Amount	\$2,163.00
Total Loose Cash \$ Amount	<u>\$1,451.00</u>
Total Collection \$ Amount	\$ 7,705.00

Ash Wednesday **\$1,738.00**

Mass Attendance:

February 11 & 12	1,039
February 18 & 19	909
February 25 & 26	997
Ash Wednesday	1,166



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

I want to thank all who attended our parish leadership meeting on January 23rd. Over eighty of you attended to help me embrace a new vision and direction for our parish. After organizing and tallying all the forms, I'm planning to have our first meeting on April 10th at 7:00 pm. More on this to follow.

Please join us every Friday during Lent to enrich your spiritual life. Mass is at 5:00 pm. Stations of the Cross follow at 5:30 pm. Then you can enjoy parish family and fellowship at our traditional pasta dinners which run from 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm. I wish you all a holy Lent.

God's Peace,

Fr. David

March 11th & 12th

4:30pm Mass 9:00am Mass 11:30am Mass 6:00pm Mass

<i>Lectors</i> Mary Anne Bondra, Alyssa Petrella	<i>Lectors</i> Matt Cincione, Cathy Myerholtz	<i>Lectors</i> Tony Gossman, Kyle Takavitz	<i>Lectors</i> Judith Fisher, Jennifer Journy
<i>Eucharistic Ministers</i> Cindi and Tom Schwirian, Matt Tillett	<i>Eucharistic Ministers</i> Deacon Byron, Kathleen Belcher, Greg & Sue Berning, Elli Moehrman, Patty Spaulding, Dominic Valentino	<i>Eucharistic Ministers</i> Deacon Byron, Sharon Damico, Marlene Friedman, Tony Gossman, Cheryl Nester, Dick Sheeran,	<i>Eucharistic Ministers</i> Christina Congelio, Nathan Esselburn, Karen Herbert, Logan Kirk, Rita Morgan, Cheryl Nester, Louisa Thoma
<i>Altar Servers</i> Emma Rowland Mike Rowland Patrick Rowland	<i>Altar Servers</i> Joshua Ashmore Michael DeLuccia Ben Wolfe	<i>Altar Servers</i> Eva Dirienzo Tia Dirienzo Isabella Olvera	<i>Altar Servers</i> Ryan Ferguson Erin Morgan Ryan Petrella

Parish Activities

****Lenten Pasta Dinners****



Calling all Volunteers, Please sign up for a Friday using: the Sign up Genius from the flock note, the button under "Pasta Dinners" on the St. Christopher's Website, the Sign-up sheet in the Church vestibule, or email or call Tamara Criswell at 614-485-2261. If you are eligible for service hours, please bring the paper work with you when you work. **The Women's Club is "Calling all Bakers"** to show off their superior baking talents for the Pasta Dinners. We are accepting all desserts to accompany the Pasta Dinners. Please drop off your creations prior to the dinners in Trinity Cafeteria. Donations of wine, beer, can soda and water are needed to make the pasta dinners a success. If you are able to donate, please drop donations off in the Parish office

Adult Faith Formation

This week: **March 5 Gospel of Mary of Magdala**
presented by **Angela Burdge**

Looking Ahead: **March 12,19, and 26 Racial Divide**
presented by **James White**

For more information, please email **Marlene Yeldell at myeldell@columbus.rr.com.**

Outside Activities

Women's Health Education Program (WHEP)



The sanctity of Life is of utmost important and an ongoing theme in our Christian life. It's a huge inspiration for St. Christopher's Lenten celebration. Poverty is especially difficult for young mothers.

This lent we would like to concentrate on the needs of these precious newborns. We need your help collecting baby items to be distributed at WHEP's **3rd Annual Community Baby Shower** reaching 50+ young mothers in Columbus.

We will be collecting *New and Gently-used* baby items, such as:

- Clothes (up to 2T), Hats/Mittens/Jackets, Blankets and Sleepers, Feeding Bottles
- Formula, Bath item, Car Seats, Diapers/Wipes, Pack & Play Cribs, Strollers ...

Your support will help a young mother in need and make a difference in a baby's life. For other ways to help, check www.whepohio.org. Questions to Mia Neil: 614-530-0728, info@whepohio.org