

THIS WEEK AT SAINT PASCHAL BAYLON MASS AND MEETING SCHEDULE

Monday, January 8, 2018, THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

Is 42:1-4, 6-7; Ps 29:1, 2, 3-4, 9-10; Mk 1:7-11

- 9:00 a.m. MASS: +Giuseppe and Concetta Giancolo
- 11:30 a.m. MASS: (St. Ann Shrine)
- 12:15 p.m. MASS: +Gino Bonvisutto
- 6:30 p.m. Spring Fling Meeting, Youth Room
- 6:40 p.m. Symbolon Program, Kazel Room
- 7:30 p.m. Liturgy Commission Meeting, Parlor

Tuesday, January 9, 2018, Weekday

Sm1:9-20; Sm2:1, 4-8; Mk 1:21-28

- 9:00 a.m. MASS: + Mary Artino
- 11:30 a.m. MASS: (St. Ann Shrine)
- 12:15 p.m. MASS: Parishioner Intentions
- 7:00 p.m. Men's Bible Study, Kazel and Arkins Conference Rooms
- 7:00 p.m. Quarterly Finance Council Meeting, Billiard Room

Wednesday, January 10, 2018, Weekday

Sm 3:1-10, 19-20; Ps 40:2-5, 7-10; Mk 1:29-39

- 9:00 a.m. MASS: + Joseph Lever
- 11:30 a.m. MASS: (St. Ann Shrine)
- 12:15 p.m. MASS: Parishioner Intentions
- 7:00 p.m. Bible Study, Arkins Conference Room

Thursday, January 11, 2018, Weekday

Sm 4:1-11; Ps 44:10-11, 14-15, 25-26; Mk 1:40-45

- 9:00 a.m. MASS: Kolie Erokwu (Prayer)
- 11:30 a.m. MASS: (St. Ann Shrine)
- 7:00 p.m. Catholic Men's Fellowship, Kazel Room
- 7:00 p.m. Ladies Guild Meeting, Parlor

Friday, January 12, 2018, Weekday

Sm 8:4-7, 10-22; Ps 89:16-19; Mk 2:1-12

- 9:00 a.m. MASS: Michael Sabol
- 11:30 a.m. MASS: James Behra (St. Ann Shrine)
- 7:00 p.m. Flock of Friends, Billiard Room

Saturday, January 13, 2018, Weekday

Sm 9:1-4, 17-19, 10:1; Ps 19:8-10, 15 Mk 2:13-17

- 9:00 a.m. MASS: + Gertrude M. Miller
- 4:30 p.m. MASS: James, Rosalie and Carolyn Faroni

Sunday, January 14, 2018, SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sm 3:3-10, 19; Ps 40:7-10; Cor 6:13-15, 17-20; Jn 1:35-42

- 8:00 a.m. MASS: Parishioner Intentions
- 10:00 a.m. MASS: James Vallo, Matteo Elena Foresta and Clelia Santarelli
- 12:00 p.m. MASS: + Alio Joseph Benedetti- Birthday
- 7:00 p.m. MASS: +Frank Sciaolino

OUR SUGGESTION BOX - MAY I SUGGEST?

As part of our Strategic Plan, our Saint Paschal Baylon Pastoral Staff and Pastoral Council are always interested in your ideas, suggestions, improvements and more! Through our "ombudsman," Tom Kelley, you are able to share your input: tjk12@case.edu. Also – in the Father Fickel Narthex, there is a suggestion box under the prayer intention booklet. You may write a suggestion and place it in the "yellow" box.

KEY FOR MASS INTENTIONS:

+ - Indicates the person is deceased (please let us know when you arrive)
(Anniversary) - indicates the anniversary date of marriage, death, ordination
(Birthday) - indicates the person's birthday/date we are remembering at Mass
We give thanks to God for our many blessings; the Blessed Sacrament Community thanks you in advance for "offering" a Mass, a gift to the priests to support them in their ministry from your many blessings. A Mass intention is a great way to remember someone, living or deceased, to celebrate many different occasions, beginning with the "source & summit" of our life, the Eucharist!

If you have requested the Mass, we invite you to sit in the pew by the credence (gift) table and process forward with the bread and wine to begin the Liturgy of the Eucharist. Sitting at the gift table in the narthex is the cue for the ushers and presiders that you are willing to offer the gifts of bread & wine on behalf of the community.

LOW-GLUTEN HOSTS & HEARING DEVICES:

These are available for your assistance during Mass. See the communion ministers in the sacristy for a special host to be used during Communion. See the musicians for the hearing devices to support your active listening during the Mass.

SAVE THE DATES

- **PASTORAL COUNCIL:** Sunday, January 7, 1:30 p.m. Special Christmas Dinner
- **FEAST OF THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD:** Monday, January 8: The end of the Christmas Season. There will be a special renewal of our Baptismal promises at the 9:00 a.m. school Mass
- **WEEKDAY MASS NOTE:** Mass schedule to the usual January 8: 9:00 a.m. Monday through Saturday in church, 11:30 a.m. Monday through Friday in the Shrine, and Monday through Wednesday at 12:15 p.m. We are always looking for help with our 12:15 p.m. Mass.
- **SPRING FLING MEETING:** Monday, January 8, at 6:30 p.m., Youth Room (next to Sr. Dorothy Kazel room).
- **LITURGY COMMISSION:** Monday, January 8, 7:30 p.m. in the Parlor
- **FINANCE COUNCIL:** Tuesday, January 9, 7:00 p.m. in the Saint Julie Billart Room. (This meeting replaces the Quarterly – see Fr. Lane about this)
- **LADIES GUILD MEETING:** Thursday, January 11th, 7:30 p.m. in the Parlor.
- **PAST, PRESENT AND FUTURE MASS OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT LADIES GUILD:** Sunday, January 14, 2018,
- **COMMUNION MINISTERS ANNUAL GATHERING:** Sunday, January 14, 1:30 p.m. in Eymard Room. Our annual appreciation social and gathering. **NEW MINISTERS WELCOME and NEEDED!** Training will be provided, too.
- **MLK HOLIDAY:** Monday, January 15: One Mass at 9:00 a.m. Shrine, Chapel and office are closed in observance.
- **BLOOD DRIVE:** Sunday, January 21, 8:30 a.m.- 1:30 p.m., Eymard Room
- **SCHOOL ADVISORY COUNCIL:** Tuesday, January 23, 7:00 p.m., Billiard Room
- **CATHOLIC SCHOOL WEEK:** Sunday, January 28 – Sunday, February 4
 - Sunday, January 28: 8 – Noon: Pancake Breakfast
 - Sunday, January 28: 10 a.m. Special School Mass with Angel Signers
 - Sunday, February 4: Noon Special PSR Mass followed by Pizza Party
- **TAIZE PRAYER HOLY HOUR:** Tuesday, January 30, 7:00 p.m. in church
- **ASH WEDNESDAY:** February 14: 6:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 12:15 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. Masses, Service of the Word at 4:00 p.m.
- **PARISH LENTEN MISSION:** February 25 – 28 with Fr. Tom McCarthy OSA
- **SPRING FLING: May 17 – 20**

EPIPHANY HOUSE BLESSING

The Church has a custom of blessing homes during the week of the Feast of the Epiphany. Family and friends gather to mark their doors with chalk and to ask God's blessing on their homes and on those who live there or visit. It is an invitation for Jesus to be a daily guest in our home, our comings and goings, our conversations, our work and play, our joys and sorrows.

The ARISE groups have prepared an Epiphany Blessing Kit - complete with simple instructions - for each family in our parish. The kits will contain the blessing, and a piece of white chalk. Last year's kits contained a Holy Water bottle. Please feel free to refill these bottles at the Baptismal Font to complete your blessing kit. These kits will be blessed and distributed at each Mass the weekend of January 6-7, 2018 "Chalking the door" is a way to celebrate Epiphany and God's blessing of our lives and home. With time the chalk will fade. As it does, we let the meaning of the symbols written on our door sink into the depths of our heart and be manifested in our words and actions.

COMMUNITY AT PRAYER

An important ministry of our parish's life is prayer - whether at home, in the car or through the commitment of witnessing here in our Blessed Sacrament Chapel through the bands/hours of prayer Monday thru Thursdays from 7 a.m. until (some days) Midnight. During Advent we celebrated that we are "waiting people," people on vigil until the LORD return's in glory. It may also be helpful to note a powerful paragraph from the Aggregation of the Blessed Sacrament (lay branch of the Eymardian family) at is *Rule of Life #8*:

The Prayer of Contemplation and Adoration

In a prayer of contemplation and adoration of Christ in the Eucharist, Solemnly exposed or in the tabernacle, we prolong the grace of the Mystery celebrated, Intensifying our union with Christ so as to become with him and like him, bread broken for a new world. Insofar as we can, we commit ourselves to personal Eucharistic adoration, whether monthly, weekly or daily. This prayer is part of our mission and holds an important place in our lives. The method of prayer taught by Saint Peter Julian Eymard is inspired by the celebration of the Eucharist.

Please help us by committing in the New Year to one of the following times:

- Mondays: 11:00 a.m. or 2:00 p.m.
- Tuesdays: 11:00 a.m., Noon. (around the Mass time), 1:00 p.m., 2:00 p.m., or 3:00 p.m.
- Wednesdays: 11:00 a.m., 2:00 p.m., 3:00 p.m., 4:00 p.m., 5:00 p.m.
- Thursdays: 10:00 a.m. (for the full hour), 1:00 p.m., 2:00 p.m., 3:00 p.m.

It is so helpful to have 2 people per hour - so bring a friend!

2018 SPRING FLING CORNER

'Twas the night before Spring Fling, when all through the midway,
Not a ride was whirling, nor musical note stirring.

The bands were ready, the food prepped with care,

In hopes that great weather and crowds soon would be there; ...

On behalf of the Spring Fling Committee, we wish you all a very Merry Christmas and Blessed New Year and look forward to seeing you in 143 days at the opening of the 2018 Spring Fling Festival.

Our first meeting of the 2018 will be on **Monday, 8 January, 6:30 p.m.**, in the Youth Meeting Room (next to Sr. Dorothy Kazel room). As a New Year's resolution, please consider helping with this fun endeavor. If interested or would like additional information, plan on attending the meeting or contact Bob Mastrangelo at bgmastrangelo@gmail.com or by phone at 440.442.2854.

YOUTH MINISTRY

*JYG'S first meeting of 2018 will be on January 11th and high school youth group will be on January 14th! We will be focusing on New Year's Resolutions.

*Thursday, January 18th 6:00-7:30 p.m. Junior Youth Group Regular Meeting

*Saturday, January 20th: service hours opportunity - Father/Daughter Dance 5:00 - 9:00 p.m. Must sign up online to serve! No High School Youth Group Meeting on January 23rd, no JYG Group Meeting January 25th

*Saturday, January 27th: service hours opportunity: Villa Serena: 11:15 a.m. - 1:15 p.m.

*FANNING THE FLAME CCYC Outing to Sacred Heart Chapel for High School Students only. Meet in the front at 3:00 p.m. We will be home by 9:00 p.m.

**To sign up for service hours, be sure to click on <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0b4caeab2da1fa7-service> **

For a complete list of our winter events, be sure to like us on Facebook (Saint Paschal Baylon Youth Ministry), check out our bulletin board in the Narthex, and online at www.saintpaschal.com under Ministries/Youth Opportunities!



SYMBOLON :THE CATHOLIC FAITH EXPLAINED

Session 1: The Journey of Faith

An old proverb says the longest journey begins with a single step. The Spiritual Formation Committee of St Clare and St Paschal invite you to take a step toward a deeper and richer experience of your Catholic faith that will last a lifetime. This is the first of a 10-part study of the Catholic faith entitled *Symbolon*. We will gather once a month to reflect on God's plan of salvation for us, basing our study on the Creed. Each session includes prayer, video presentations and time for discussion.

So, what is *Symbolon*? In the early Church, Christians described their Creed, their summary statement of faith, as the *symbolon*. The Creed served as a means of Christian recognition. Someone who confessed the Creed could be identified as a true Christian.

Our first session will be held both on January 8 from 6:40 p.m. – 8:10 p.m. in the Kazel Room at St Paschal and on January 11 from 12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. in the Harvest Room at St Clare. There is no registration fee, so please just come to become part of this new and exciting adult faith formation program.

If you have any questions or would like further information, call Rosalie Lewis at 440-227-8718 or Barbara Curran at 440-840-5511.

SPB PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

The Prayer Shawl Ministry combines the love of knitting and crocheting with compassion for those in need of comfort and healing. Knitters and crocheters are invited to join this prayerful ministry. Shawl makers meet once a month [on the third Thursday] or can be involved at home. Contributions for yarn are also greatly appreciated. Our ministry has shawls available now for anyone who would like one for family or friends. They are can be picked up at the rectory office Monday-Thursday 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Request forms are in the back of the church, at the rectory or fill out the form below - turn forms into the parish office if you cannot make it during the above times. Each shawl is presented with a prayer tag attached. There is no charge for the shawls as it is the mission of the Prayer Shawl Ministry to provide prayerful comfort and remembrance to those in need. Contact Kay at 440-473-7936 with any questions.

St. Paschal Baylon Prayer Shawl Ministry Request Form

Date: _____ Requester Name: _____

Phone: _____ Requested For: Name: _____

Reason: _____

Turn this form in to the St. Paschal Baylon rectory.



Solemnity of the Epiphany of the LORD: I heard a radio story the other day about how in the lower 48 there is really one area of the country in the middle of Nevada, where there is no artificial light – no houses, street lights or highways – just the naked light of day and the stars of night. It is there that astronomers study our galaxy and can almost feel like they literally reach and touch the stars. Once, my parents took me to a place like this in Australia – it was truly magical at night and quite interesting to see the Southern Cross. Today's readings remind us of a time and place when natural light, especially the stars of night,

helped guide people. They trusted the light of stars – that was their GPS of the time. And I think this is a helpful perspective for us to have by day or night: to trust the GPS – God's positioning system – that is placed in our lives to give direction for the year and time ahead for us. We do not know where the journey will lead us; along the way, may we continue, through our communal trusting, to know that God is there and wherever we seek and find, we will see the Christ child. We, then, are able to offer our gift in gratitude for God's help with the journey.

Feast of the Baptism of the LORD: Not only did we have the shortest Advent season possible, but also the shortest Christmas Time, too. Tomorrow, January 8, ends the liturgical season of Christmas with the feast of the Baptism of the Lord. May it be a great day for us to reflect on our Baptism, our special covenant with God, and to renew our joy in serving the LORD as his faithful disciples!

Thank You Part 1: I am so grateful for the faithful disciples who participate in the life of this parish. This column is being written two weeks before its publication, so I'll have a more complete list for the January 21 bulletin. Here's a first list of people I thank for their disciples and service of SPB:

- It was truly edifying to see so many folks come to celebrate the 4th Sunday of Advent. We all know how busy and challenging it can be in our lives. But many in our parish made the commitment and renewed their "yes" in being like Mary to follow the LORD.
- I want to thank the Liturgy Commission for helping us focus on peace for our theme this Advent. It was such an appropriate topic to have in the midst of so much unsettledness around us.
- Tony and our music ministry helped us with singing about peace; we want to thank him for the two special Taizé Holy Hours, one on Dorothy Day and one on Advent peace.
- Jeff Loerch did a great job creating our north window wall Advent wreath, reminding us inside and outside of the church that the four Sundays of Advent lead us to the joys of Christmas Time.
- To the many anonymous people who left gifts of food for the Blessed Sacrament Community! You keep us well fed and we are so grateful for your thoughtfulness, kindness and generosity. We are blessed with great cooks in our parish!

Mailing the Financial Statements: Due to some suggestions from the Pastoral Council and Finance Council, we will be mailing a financial statement to all families who donated to SPB in 2017, along with a thank you note from me. We are grateful for your tithing! I must admit – and hope you know – that I do not see the amount you donate. I know my name is on the letter – but I do not sit and sift through all the letters to notice such a detail of your financial record. Included with the financial statement is our 2016-2017 budget statement: you will see how we use the resources given to us to our benefit. Thank you for

always making sure we are financially sound as the leaders of the parish take seriously their commitment to be good stewards of the many gifts offered to God out of love. Part of our Pastoral Plan was to be more transparent. This is another way we show this and keep you informed of the many wonderful things that occur with ministry here at SPB due to your generosity.

Come to Daily Mass! Let us make room for Christ in our busy lives. The Mass is the best gift God has given us to remember each day his love and to pray for nourishment and strengthen our lives. This week our holiday schedule ends and we have our regular array of times. Here's a kind reminder:

- 9:00 a.m. – Monday to Saturday in the church
- 11:30 a.m. – Monday to Friday in the Saint Ann Shrine
- 12:15 p.m. – Monday to Wednesday in the church chapel (dedicated to Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament)

If not able to attend Mass, why not join in the other prayer of the church, also in the chapel, the Liturgy of Hours – Morning Prayer at 8:00 a.m. and Evening Prayer at 4:45 p.m.?

Come for a Visit: We were taught by our great Catholic teachers that any time we were near a Catholic church we should stop in and make a visit and pray in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament (whether there was exposition or not). I am also reminded about the places I have visited where there is no Mass daily, nor can be, like in Vietnam or China, due to religious persecutions. We are blessed to have “church” available to us! Thanks for making those visits to continue your prayer life development.

Mass Stipends for 2018: Why not offer, for the person who has everything, a Mass as a birthday gift for them? Remember, this is a special gift and you may bring up the gifts at Mass if you so wish. Let us continue this tradition of coming to church to attend daily prayer, especially Mass, by teaching it to our children and also attending when we are able, this special time with God to make our day and lives holy.

Complete Your Sacraments: Each year we offer a class for those adults who for whatever reason were not able to celebrate and receive the sacrament of Confirmation. For those 18 and older, we have adult Confirmation classes, beginning January 28 and continuing for six weeks to March 4, on Sundays from 10:00 a.m. – Noon (followed by Mass). Please take advantage of the grace God is offering you to complete your sacraments of initiation.

Celebrating 40 Years of the Diaconate: Mark your calendars for Sunday, February 11 at 10:00 a.m. Deacon Joe will be celebrating 40 years of service to the church as an ordained deacon.

Just a reminder: Our ARISE Prayer Groups have worked hard to put a packet together. These will be blessed at the Epiphany Masses as a gift for you to take home to also bless your home with the chalk, writing above your doorway 2 O + C + M + B + 18. The letters C, M, B have two meanings. They are the initials of the traditional names of the three magi: Caspar, Melchior, and Balthazar. They also abbreviate the Latin words *Christus mansionem benedicat*, “May Christ bless the house.” The “+” signs represent the cross and 2018 is the year.

SPB Travelers Bus Trip: One of the joys of my pastorate is spending a day with our parishioners and friends on a cultural experience in NE Ohio. Our next trip will be to the remodeled Cleveland History Museum (part of the Western Reserve Historical Society). We will see the new exhibit on Cleveland's history, ride the Euclid Beach Carousel and then travel to Tower City for lunch, shopping, casino or movie time, or just enjoying the revitalized Public Square and downtown. Plan on **Tuesday, February 20** for this special day together on a bus ride to University Circle and downtown. Sign up at the parish office.

Yes, Virginia: Ash Wednesday is Valentine's Day – February 14: You may have caught that note above. Lent starts earlier this year and on a special day. Here's our special schedule, with ashes given after the homily:

- 6:30 a.m. Mass
- 9:00 a.m. Mass with our school students
- 12:15 p.m. Mass
- 4:00 p.m. Service of the Word (about 20 minutes)
- 7:00 p.m. Mass

Happy New Year! For those returning from their Christmas break, we welcome you back to a great new year ahead. May God continue to bless you with health and happiness. Happy 2018 – and as you go forth this Sunday with your chalk, refilled holy water bottles and prayer to bless you home for the new year, do so with the blessing and renewal of this faith community that together our church and home may be places of Christ's peace, growing daily to help our globe be fulfilled in God's love.

You make everything possible because of your incredible generosity to Saint Paschal Baylon! I am so grateful for the gift you are to the parish and to me. May God continue to bless you and keep you safe, healthy and happy in the New Year 2018! Let us continue to pray for each other!

In Christ our Eucharist,



Reverend John Thomas Lane, SSS
8th Pastor – in our 9th year together!

STEWARDSHIP

We are God's faithful stewards, giving our time, talent and treasure back to our God through the faith community of SPB! We thank you for being part of this Body of Christ and for serving God here with us and our Pastoral Staff and the hundreds of volunteers who serve daily here at SPB.

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| Collection for December 23 and 24: | \$24,391.00 |
| Collection for Christmas: | \$51,830.60 |
| Collection for Christmas Decorations: | \$540.00 |
| Collection for Helping Hands Ministry: | \$2,490.00 |

Some of this week's bills:

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| • Sewer Bill (monthly) | \$888.13 |
| • Volunteer & Staff Christmas Thank You | \$1,685.61 |
| • Parish emergency phone line (monthly) | \$29.63 |
| • School milk for a week | \$1,143.75 |
| • School phone lines (ATT&T) monthly costs | \$252.13 |
| • Floor cleaning supplies | \$1,246.99 |
| • Church sound system tweaking & maintenance | \$100.00 |
| • Illuminating Company | \$8,509.53 |
| • Copies for staff and parish organizations (Nov) | \$237.70 |
| • Trash pickup | \$669.46 |
| • Water bill | \$210.47 |
| • Gloves for food service in school | \$100.40 |
| • Maintenance and repair to church boilers | \$1,096.00 |
| • First salt bill for the first storm (Andrew – 7 inches) | \$2,489.62 |
| • Background check – renewed every 5 years on each employee \$65 per person on staff (think 90 staff and volunteers) | |

Thanks for helping us pay down our loans too!

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| • School, gym and O'Brien Hall Roofs | \$131,610.10 |
| • <u>Saint Paschal Lane</u> | <u>\$163,097.42</u> |

TOTAL DEBT at the end 11/30/2017: \$294,707.52

Please be sure to update your donation frequency on your MyEoffering account for 2018.

GIFTS PROGRAM DONATIONS

GIFTS (GIVING IS FUNDAMENTAL TO SUCCESS!) Receiving the GIFTS Annual Appeal – making up the difference between amount we request for tuition versus the actual cost for each student. Now more than ever, a donation to SPB is an investment in the future of our church – our dear young people.

We thank this folks you have already contributed to the GIFTS Annual Appeal:
Daniel and Natividad Kearns

SAINT PASCHAL BAYLON CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWS

Save These Dates

Preschool Open House: If you are interested in enrolling your child/ren in our Saint Paschal Baylon Preschool, mark Thursday, January 25 on your calendar! The preschool team will be presenting information on all of our preschool programs beginning at 7:00 pm in the Eymard Room of the Family Life Center. The opportunity to see the classrooms will be available to all. Our preschool fills up fast, so you won't want to miss this event. You may call the school office at 440-442-6766 or email us at office@saintpaschal.com to register.

All School Open House: All are welcome, seasoned and prospective parents, to our Catholic Schools Week Open House on Sunday, January 28 after the 10:00 am Mass. Information for new families will be available during this open house. For answers to your questions call the school office at 440-442-6766 or email us at office@saintpaschal.com. New families will be entered into the free registration drawing taking place on Thursday.

Kindergarten- Grade 8 (new enrollment) Sneak Peek: On Thursday, February 1 at 8:30 am, new families interested in our kindergarten or in transferring child/ren to our school are invited to our Sneak Peek event with our Kindergarten staff. Join us for a light brunch, a tour of the school, and an opportunity to win a free registration worth \$200. Please call the school office or email us at office@saintpaschal.com.

PSR AND OTHER NEWS FROM THE PEKO'S

INFANT BAPTISM CLASSES OFFERED: If you are interested in getting your child who is under the age of 7 baptized, please contact George and Anna Peko at 440-442-3410 ext. 107 or psr@saintpaschal.com to sign up for a course on baptism. The next class is Sunday, January 21st, 2018, following the 10:00 a.m. Mass.

CONFIRMATION: Our next Confirmation session is Sunday, January 21st at 9:00 a.m. We will all attend 10:00 a.m. Mass together following our session. Each Candidate should provide the white "Official Confirmation Registration" form, a COPY of his/her baptismal certificate (even if the baptism occurred at SPB), and the Sponsor Letter from their sponsor's home parish. These THREE documents MUST be submitted in order to be Confirmed. All three documents are due at our next session on January 21, 2018.

PARISH ACTIVITIES

THE BLESSED SACRAMENT LADIES GUILD welcomes all past, present and future members to the Past, Present, and Future Mass on Sunday, January 14, 2018 at the 10:00 a.m. Mass. All Ladies of the Parish are welcome to join one of the oldest ministries at SPB! The Ladies Guild is a community of women, joined spiritually, and committed to promoting the well-being of the parish and school through hospitality, charity, and service. Join us for the Mass and a reception in the Eymard Room to follow!

FLOCK OF FRIENDSHIP: Singles: 40 and over, Information: (440) 442-3410
Membership is free. Events are social, volunteering and spiritual. E-mail
address: flockfriends@yahoo.com

All Saturdays of the month, we will assemble on the sidewalk in front of the
Preterm abortion facility at [12000 Shaker Blvd](#) at 9:30 a.m. There we will pray
the Divine Mercy Chaplet and meditate on three sets of mysteries of the
Rosary. For more information call Jim at 440-944-1552.

EXTRA GAME NIGHT THIS MONTH! TRY IT, YOU'LL LIKE IT!

Friday, January 12th at 7:00 p.m. at St. Paschal's Family Life Center. We will
have an extra game night this month. The holidays are over but the
spontaneous laughter and games are not. We play new games and old favorites
that people bring. For snacks, bring a bag of chips or a 2-liter bottle of pop.
Come early and stay late. You have to come to connect with somebody. RSVP
Jim at 440.227.9189.

Friday, January 19th at 7:00 p.m. belated Christmas party at Molinari's, [8900
Mentor Ave. 44060](#). The website is molinaris.com where you can see their
menu. Afterwards, the group will go to Malley's in the same shopping center for
dessert. RSVP Karen at karendoubrava@sbcglobal.net

Friday, January 26th at 7:00 p.m. Join us for our monthly game night at St.
Paschals' Family Life Center. This is one of our best-attended events and is good
for old and new members. Please bring a snack to share, money for pizza, and
your favorite game. RSVP Jim at 440.227.9189 to let him know you are coming.

HEINENS ABC REWARD PROGRAM: So far we have 137 people re-signed up for
Heinens ABC reward program. Thank you for those have signed up. \$3,088
was given to PTO last year after 137 of us signed up for Heinens ABC reward
program . You have to resign up every year. No cost to you if you are shopping
at Heinens. They match up to 1% of all we spend on groceries. Family and
friends can sign up to and just designate "Saint Paschal Baylon". Either stop at
the service counter or call 1-855-475-2300 X2337 and ask to resign-up again.

NEW ALTAR SERVER TRAINING: Anyone 3rd grade on up who is able to hold
candles or a cross is eligible to become an altar server, including high school
and college students. Training will take place on the following Wednesdays,
February 7, 14, 21 & 28 in church from 2:35 – 3:30 p.m. Please review the
training video on our website now and sign up with our coordinator, Mary
Browske: dbrowske@roadrunner.com or 440-473-0006. We also need funeral
Mass servers (contact Andy Futey at 440-473-0485 to train and shadow).

AROUND THE DIOCESE

2018 MARCH FOR LIFE: St. Francis of Assisi is sponsoring a bus to Washington
for the March for Life. We will leave St. Francis late on Thursday, January 18th.
We will arrive in DC in the morning and attend the Mass and Rally for Life at the
Verizon Center. We will be arriving back late on the 19th or early on the 20th.
Cost of the trip is \$60. You can find the necessary forms at stfrancisgm.org,
under 'Posts'. You can reserve your spot by submitting completed forms (both
the Release of Claims and Medical Release) and payment. Mail or bring forms
and payment to the St. Francis Parish Office. If you need forms mailed to you,
or for more information, call Catharine at 440-461-0066, ext. 171

TAKE A STAND ~ MAKE A DIFFERENCE ~ CHANGE A LIFE ~ CASA of Cuyahoga
County, a program of Child and Family Advocates of Cuyahoga County, is
searching for volunteers to advocate for kids who have been neglected and
abused. CASAs are everyday citizens who are trained and appointed by the
court to advocate for the safety and well-being of children. CASAs collect
information that helps the Court make the best decision for a safe, caring, and
permanent home for children involved in the juvenile justice and child welfare
systems. The CASA is responsible for investigation, facilitation, advocacy, and
monitoring of the assigned child's case and to represent the child's best
interests. Those interested in becoming a CASA, visit www.cfadvocates.org
to apply or call 216.443.3377 for more information.

THE CLEVELAND DIOCESAN SUPPORT GROUP FOR PARENTS AND FAMILIES OF GAY AND LESBIAN CHILDREN

We will have a meeting at St. John Vianney Parish in Mentor on January 14, 2018 at 2:00 PM. Any questions please contact St. John Vianney Parish at 440-943-3445 or visit our web site at

www.dioceseofcleveland.org/gayandlesbianfamilyministry/.

ROSARY HALL AA MEN'S RETREAT. February 2-4. Facilitated by Bob Linton and Matt Pullar. We are Flawed, Gifted and Called: The Spirituality of Imperfection and The 12 Steps. A Recovery Retreat at the Jesuit Retreat House is a time to nurture your spirituality, find serenity and experience a re-awakening through the 12 steps. Cost: \$155. Offered at Jesuit Retreat House, 5629 State Rd., Parma. To register contact [440-884-9300](tel:440-884-9300).

THE FEST INTERNSHIP: Looking to do something extraordinary this summer? The FEST is looking for marketing & communications, event planning, and logistics management interns to join the team that puts together our annual Diocesan Family Festival. Interns must have strong people skills, work ethic, critical thinking, organizational skills, and reliable transportation. For more information or to apply, please send your resume to Caitlin@theFEST.us by January 20th!



WEDDING BANNS FOR DECEMBER 2017

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