

THIS WEEK AT SAINT PASCHAL BAYLON MASS AND MEETING SCHEDULE

Monday, February 12, 2018, Weekday

Jas 1:1-11; Ps 119:67-68, 71-72, 75-76; Mk 8:11-13

- 9:00 a.m. MASS: + Salvatore Giancola
- 11:30 a.m. MASS: Jean and Phillip Cavallo (St. Ann Shrine)
- 12:15 p.m. MASS: + Mary Ann Hostutler
- 6:30 p.m. Spring Fling Meeting, Parlor
- 6:30 p.m. Symbolon Program, Eymard Room

Tuesday, February 13, 2018, Weekday

Jas 1:12-18; Ps 94:12-15, 18-19; Mk 8:14-21

- 9:00 a.m. MASS: + Ronald Peterson
- 9:30 a.m. Journey Lenten Program, Parlor
- 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. Finance Council Meeting, Billiard Room

Wednesday, February 14, 2018, ASH WEDNESDAY

Jl 2:12-18; Ps 51:3-6, 12-14, 17; Cor 5:20—6:2; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

- 6:30 a.m. MASS: Parishioner Intentions
- 9:00 a.m. MASS: Parishioner Intentions
- 11:30 a.m. MASS: (St. Ann Shrine)
- 12:15 p.m. MASS: +Ted Valvoda- Birthday
- 2:00 p.m. Journey Lenten Program, Parlor
- 4:00 p.m. Service of the Word
- 7:00 p.m. MASS: Parishioner Intentions
- 7:00 p.m. Women's Bible Study, Parlor

Thursday, February 15, 2018, Thursday after Ash Wednesday

Dt 30:15-20; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 9:22-25

- 9:00 a.m. MASS: +Charles Joseph Arth Sr. -Birthday
- 11:30 a.m. MASS: (St. Ann Shrine)
- 6:30 p.m. Prayer Shawl, Parlor
- 7:00 p.m. Journey Lenten Program, Arkins Conference Room
- 8:00 p.m. Athletic Association Meeting, Eymard Room

Friday, February 16, 2018, Friday after Ash Wednesday

Is 58:1-9; Ps 51:3-6, 18-19; Mt 9:14-15

- 9:00 a.m. MASS: Parishioner Intentions
- 11:30 a.m. MASS: (St. Ann Shrine)

Saturday, February 17, 2018, Saturday after Ash Wednesday

Is 58:9-14; Ps 86:1-6; Lk 5:27-32

- 9:00 a.m. MASS:+Anthony and Betty Valenti-Wedding Anniversary
- 4:30 p.m. MASS:+Gertrude Miller

Sunday, February 18, 2018, FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

Gn 9:8-15; Ps 25:4-9; Pt 3:18-22; Mk 1:12-15

- 8:00 a.m. MASS:+William Velotta
- 10:00 a.m. MASS: Antonio DiPaolo
- 12:00 p.m. MASS: Fred and Mary Guzzo
- 7:00 p.m. MASS: Anthony DiAmico

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.

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.

SAVE THE DATES

- **PSR NIGHT PRAYER & RICE BOWL PREPERATION:** Join us for prayers and reflection at 7:10 p.m. in church.
- **FINANCE COUNCIL:** Tuesday, February 13, 7:00 p.m. in the Saint Julie Billart Room. Mardi Gras theme meeting!
- **ASH WEDNESDAY: February 14:** 6:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 12:15 p.m. & 7:00 p.m. Masses, Service of the Word at 4:00 p.m.
- **NICK'S KNIGHTS:** Sunday, February 18, 10:00 a.m. Mass and afterwards
- **RITE OF SENDING:** Sunday, February 18, 10:00 a.m. Mass. Rite of Election is also this day at 5:30 p.m. for our area of the diocese where we go to the Cathedral of Saint John
- **PRESIDENTS' DAY HOLIDAY:** Monday, February 19, with only 1 Mass at 9:00 a.m. Office and chapel are closed.
- **TAIZE PRAYER HOLY HOUR:** Monday, February 19, 7:00 p.m.
- **PASTORAL COUNCIL:** Monday, February 19, 7:00 p.m., Billiard Room
- **SCHOOL ADVISORY COUNCIL:** Tuesday, February 20, 7:00 p.m., Billiard Room
- **PARISH LENTEN MISSION:** February 25 - 28 with Fr Tom McCarthy OSA, 7:00 p.m. each night
- **DIOCESAN NIGHT OF CONFESSION:** Wednesday, February 28, 5:00 - 8:00 p.m. Come at any time!
- **SOCIAL ACTION COMMISSION:** Thursday, March 1, 7:00 p.m., Kazel Room
- **SPRING CRAFT SHOW:** Saturday, March 10, 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.
- **SCHOOL EDUCATION FAIR:** Thursday, March 15, 5:30 p.m. Come see our amazing school and all our programs!
- **PTO GAME NIGHT FUNDRAISER:** Saturday, March 17 at Rustic Grill
- **SPRING FLING:** Thursday, May 17 - Sunday, May 20

Ash Wednesday is a universal day of fasting and abstinence from meat. For members of the Latin Catholic Church, the norms on fasting are obligatory from age 18 until age 59. When fasting, a person is permitted to eat one full meal, as well as two smaller meals that together are not equal to a full meal. The norms concerning abstinence from meat are binding upon members of the Roman (Latin) Catholic Church from age 14 onwards. This would mean that children in Elementary schools are not bound by the law of fasting despite the fact that we often encourage them to eat more modestly and to abstain from treats on such days.

PROVIDE A MEANINGFUL LEGACY GIFT

PLANNED GIVING FOR THE FAITHFUL: Ash Wednesday is a visible reminder of our faith. Planned giving to Saint Paschal Baylon Parish is another way we can manifest that faith. To learn how you can leave an impactful legacy at your parish community, contact the Advancement Office at 440-442-3410 ext. 112.



BAPTISMS

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE CHILDREN RECENTLY BAPTIZED AT SAINT PASCAL BAYLON:

Abigail Rose Kane, daughter of John and Lisa, Dante Jose Clemente, son of Michael and Elena, Elliana Pistone Nascone, daughter of Pete and Lisa

SYMBOLON THE CATHOLIC FAITH EXPLAINED

Session 2: Divine Revelation

God loves us so much that He revealed Himself and showed us the truth and His plan for our lives by sending His Son, Jesus Christ, as the fullness of His divine disclosure. This divine revelation has been passed down through the centuries by means of Sacred Scripture and Sacred Tradition. The Spiritual Formation Committee of St Clare and St Paschal invites you to take a step toward a deeper and richer experience of your Catholic faith that will last a lifetime.

This is the second 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. **These sessions are independent of each other.**

Our second session will be held both on February 12, 6:30-8:00 p.m. in the Eymard Room at St. Paschal and on February 15, 12:30-2:00 p.m. in the Harvest Room at St. Clare. There is no registration fee, so please just come and 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 Barb Curran at 440-840-5511.

2018 SPRING FLING CORNER

2018 Spring Fling Update - With Super Bowl LII now history and Lent around the corner, we are only 95 days away from this year's festival. Father Lane's "good weather" candle is burning. Staff meteorologist, Wayne O. Shine's, long-term May weather forecasts indicate above average temperatures and lower than average precipitation. Don't forget about our 2018 festival booklet. Sponsor/patron order forms and samples are available in the narthex, the rectory or online at <http://church.saintpaschal.com/> under the Spring Fling tab. The Ladies Guild has graciously volunteered again to organize the Chinese raffle. We are looking for all types of donations such as gift cards, event tickets, TV's, gift baskets, cash etc. Drop them off at the Rectory or put them in an envelope marked to the attention of Spring Fling, then drop them in the collection basket. Our volunteer website will be available by April 1st. Diana Hunger did call about kitchen help openings. New faces are still welcome to join our core committee. Our next meeting is on **February 12th, 6:30 p.m.** in the rectory. Contact Bob Mastrangelo via e-mail at bqmastrangelo@gmail.com or by phone at 440.442.2854 for additional information.

YOUTH MINISTRY

"I have said this to you, that in me you may have peace. In the world you have tribulation; but be of good cheer, I have overcome the world." -John 16:33

Why is our Youth Group called The Summit? With the Congregation of the Blessed Sacrament Community's main headquarters right here at Saint Paschal Baylon, we thought it would be fitting to find a Eucharistic name for our Youth Ministry Programs. Each of us is on a faith journey and our ultimate goal is to get to heaven. Jesus says, "I am the way, the truth, and the life." We are climbing this mountain called life with our eyes fixed on Christ. When we reach the summit, we will be united forever with our Lord. Therefore, our name, The Summit, exemplifies this journey with our Lord. This week in Youth Group, during the first few days of Lent, we are going to be focusing on "To the Heights", an in-depth explanation of the Mass and why it should be so important in our lives and why the Eucharist is called the "source and the summit" of our faith. The youth will learn not only the different parts of the Mass but also what liturgy is, the symbolism of what we do, and how to properly prepare for Mass and to receive Jesus Christ. We will learn about Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati as an example of a young man that had not only a great love of the outdoors and his friends but also a great love of the Lord. He constantly called his friends to holiness and was an incredibly holy young man himself as he tirelessly sought the heights of his faith with a particular attention to the poor and sick. He died at a young age and was beatified by St. John Paul II in 1990. His motto is the theme of this semester: verso l'alto or To the Heights. May each of us during this Lenten season grow closer to our Lord.

FEBRUARY SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

- Sunday, February 11th High School Youth Group Regular Meeting 5:30 - 6:45 p.m., followed by the 7:00 p.m. Teen Mass
- Thursday, February 15th: XLT SPECIAL TRIP FOR ALL: Meet at 6:00 p.m. for a quick snack, then at 6:40 p.m. head to the Seminary for XLT. Permission Slip Required!
- Saturday, February 17th ~ Mother/Son Game Night. SERVICE HOURS OPPORTUNITY. 5:00 - 9:00 p.m. Must sign up online to serve!
- Thursday, February 22nd Junior Youth Group Regular Meeting - LITE Night #4 on Abiding Presence
- Saturday, February 24th: SERVICE HOURS OPPORTUNITY: Villa Serena: Saturday, 11:15 a.m. - 2:15 p.m. Meet in the horseshoe driveway at 11:15 a.m. Serve and meet the residents of Villa Serena. *PERMISSION SLIP REQUIRED*
- Sunday, February 25th: Cookies with Superheroes and Princesses - 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. SERVICE HOURS OPPORTUNITY Must sign up online to serve! No High School Youth Group meeting.

*Just a friendly reminder, to sign up for service hours, you MUST use Sign Up Genius: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0b4caeab2da1fa7-service>
Check out our website: <http://emickol.wixsite.com/spbyouthgroup>

CLOWN/HELPING HANDS MINISTRY

Our Clown and Helping Hands Ministry continues to grow and reach out to new volunteers. For example, last Saturday, a new group of volunteers joined us from the Christian Family Movement and cooked from Noon until 6:00 p.m. These volunteers are young, married couples who meet weekly to pray and read the Bible and other religious books. Mike Rufo's son-in-law is a member of the group (and also a professional cook)! The smiles and joy as they prepared the meal for God's special people was so evident. Our Ministry had been praying for volunteers to come forward. God is providing all that we need to continue our ministry of love. Thanks also to those who visited Saint Malachi's church last Saturday and to all who helped on Wednesday to prepare and deliver a meal and clothing to those under the bridges and other locations throughout Cleveland. God has blessed us and will continue to bless us as long as we are faithful to God. GOD IS GOOD ALL THE TIME. ALL THE TIME GOD IS GOOD.

FROM THE PASTOR'S PERSPECTIVE



6th Sunday in Ordinary Time: This weekend we have a lot to reflect upon, but especially through the lenses of the readings, we recognize the healing presence of Christ through the cure of the leper. We recognize too, that we provide that healing touch to others: how many times have you felt so warm and good inside when you have received that compliment? When you got that text or nice posting saying a good word, or pointing out something special about yourself? We can call, text, send a valentine or reach out to those around us – give them our touch and make them feel so much better. As Diana Ross

sings, “Reach out and touch somebody’s hand; make this world a better place if you can!”

Catholic Charities Appeal: And so you can! This weekend before Lent (hard to believe it’s already here!) we are reminded of our largest and best service and caring organization in the world. Our own diocese can be so proud of what we do in this outreaching ministry to more than 60 agencies across 8 counties, serving at least 400,000 people a year. Our parish goal this year is \$152,307. I am confident that we will make this goal, with each parishioner participating in some way – through prayer, sacrificing a cup of coffee or a meal to send in a donation to support our important ministry of the church of Cleveland.

Operation Rice Bowl: And so you can! Our international Catholic Relief Services program is now in its 42nd year, providing food relief to those in crisis around the world. When there is a natural disaster or other calamity, these coins, bills and checks we save and send to this international relief program makes an incredible difference! **PLEASE TAKE A RICE BOWL HOME TODAY FOR LENT:** Keep it on your dining room table as a reminder of prayer and communion with those who hunger for food each day across our globe.

Deacon Joe’s 40th: And so he does! This weekend we celebrate the anniversary of Deacon Joe’s diaconate ordination and his ministry. With all these fitting things happening this weekend, they can’t help but remind us of this man of God who takes the Gospel of healing seriously. He heals by the way he has served the poor and needy. He heals by the way he has been a clown and giving laughter and care, especially in the hospitals he has served at in New York and Houston. He heals by the way his outreach and care touches the most vulnerable. He has brought God’s love and touch to families by baptizing children and witnessing marriages, showing them that it is through the sacraments we see the face of God. We thank God for the gift of Deacon Joe in our lives – for his 40 years of ordained ministry, with 20 of them here at SPB. Praise God! We know that God is good, all the time, due to this faithful, healing caring servant. I know you join with me in thanksgiving for the gift Deacon Joe has been for us! To the next 40 years of service! We know that they will be filled with much joy! As I said at his 80th birthday celebration almost 3 years ago – **Jesus – Others – You: JOY** This summarizes Deacon JOY Bourgeois, SSS.

Ash Wednesday & Lent: And so we can! We start our Lenten faith journey and renewal, joining with Christians all around the world in our annual fast, almsgiving and prayer to deepen our spirits and more faithfully serve our covenant with God and one another! I look forward to this time of renewal with you. And invite someone to join you this Wednesday and/or throughout the holy season. Elsewhere in the bulletin is our list of opportunities to join in the Lenten renewal.

Parish Mission: You can't miss on the cover of the bulletin the great picture of my friend, Fr. Tom. Fr. Tom was just appointed by Pope Francis to serve on a commission for evangelization. So he is that good - and joyful - and funny! Hopefully he will not reveal too many secrets from our seminary days. We've been blessed to be friends for 30 years and I look forward to sharing him with you during our Lenten Mission. Please join in this time of renewal, learning more about our sacraments and appreciating their gifts to us!

Happy Lent! Reach out and touch somebody this week - and let's continue to pray for each other!

In Christ our Eucharist,



Reverend John Thomas Lane, SSS
Pastor

P.S. We really appreciate Fr. Bob Chabot, SSS for his greeting presence and special ministry before and after the Masses. Fr. Bob just moved here in December from Houston, where he served the last 10 years. This week on Thursday, another one of our Blessed Sacrament priests from the Philippines will be moving here, Fr. Choy Ramos. We look forward to getting to know him as he transitions back into pastoral ministry, looking forward to training to be a hospital chaplain.

NEW ADULT FUNERAL SERVERS

We have many funerals during the week; we are asking as a ministry of charity, presence and care for more adults to assist in this special ministry. To be trained and shadow, for most of a funeral Mass is like a regular Mass, contact Andy Futey (440) 473-0485. We have great mentors to assist you!

SAINT PASCHAL TRAVELERS BUS TRIP - Come join us on Tuesday, February 20, as we travel to Cleveland History Museum, Heinen's and Jack Casino with \$15.00 free play. We will leave Saint Paschal parking lot at 9:30 a.m. and arrive back approximately around 5:45 p.m. The cost is \$35.00 per person (includes bus ride, driver's tip, and museum admission) and must be paid in full at time of registration. Please register in the church office. Please note there will be no refunds. **HURRY AND SIGN UP!**

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 out Pastoral Staff and the hundreds of volunteers who serve daily here at SPB.

Collection for February 3 and 4:	\$17,483.00
Second Collection for Maintenance Roof Loan:	\$2,538.00

Please be sure to update your **Donation Frequency and Number of Donations in your MyEoffering Account**. They do not automatically update, you have to go into your account and update them yourself. If you have any questions, please call Michelle Mazza at 440-442-3410 x101

Thanks for helping us pay down our loans.

• School, gym and O'Brien Hall Roofs	\$130,553.25
• <u>Saint Paschal Lane</u>	<u>\$159,980.48</u>
TOTAL DEBT at the end 11/30/2017:	\$290,533.71

Some bills we paid this week:

• Monthly payment for scrubber	\$476.32
• Our monthly payment tithing to Manna	\$833.00
• Monthly payment for new parish truck	\$797.46
• Templeton funds for retirement	\$2,154.55

LENT BEGINS WEDNESDAY

Lent begins this week – so here are some opportunities through SPB to celebrate and participate in this season of renewal:

- **JOURNEY FAITH SHARING GROUP:** When we wrote our Pastoral Plan 3 years ago, members said that they wanted more opportunities to get together to learn about scripture, meet new parishioners and share their faith. Join in a group either here or with our clustermates, Saint Clare for a group that meets in the morning or afternoon or in the evening at either location.
- **BIBLE STUDY:** Men gather Tuesdays in the parish office at 7:00 p.m. There is a mixed gender group that meets on Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m.
- **WEEKDAY MASSES:** Come one day a week to one of our many weekday Masses in the church at 9:00 a.m. Monday through Saturday or 12:15 p.m. Monday through Wednesday in the chapel, or Saint Ann Shrine at 11:30 a.m.
- **SUNDAY MASS:** Come early to review the readings – give yourself more time with getting ready for Mass with your family – and get here in time to hear the great preludes and other musical pieces that our ministry prepares. Or for those who leave early from Mass – plan on staying for the entire liturgy.
- **MORNING OR EVENING PRAYER:** Join with the Blessed Sacrament Community and lay associates who lead the prayers of the church, 8:00 a.m. or 4:45 p.m. weekdays. 20 minutes of prayers, intercessions, the recitation of the psalms
- **PRAYER IN THE PRESENCE OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:** When driving in the area, make a visit to the chapel to spend more time in prayer, or even better, make an appointment with God by signing up for an hour of praying with the Community at Prayer ministry.
 - **Needed Times for your physical presence:**
 1. Tuesday 1:00 – 2:00 p.m.
 2. Tuesday 3:00 – 4:00 p.m.
 3. Wednesday 1:00 – 4:00 p.m.
 4. Thursday 3:00 – 4:00 p.m.
- **OPERATION RICE BOWL:** Make sure to have a rice bowl on your table so that you may be in communion with those who need food. Follow the calendar that is provided to grow in our awareness of the needs of our brothers and sisters around the globe.
- **STATIONS OF THE CROSS:** Join in this special devotion either with the entire community, Friday night at 7:00 p.m. or at another time during the week on your own.
- **PLAN ON ATTENDING THE PARISH MISSION AND BRING OTHERS WITH YOU:** February 25 – 28, 7:00 p.m. in the evening, plus the Eymard Spiritual Group, Tuesday at 1:00 p.m.
- **SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:** We have many opportunities for the sacrament to be celebrated individually or communally:
 - **Students 1st Penance:** Wednesday, February 21, 7:00 p.m.
 - **Saturdays:** 3:30 p.m. until the last one is there in line
 - **Wednesday, February 28, pick a time between 5:00 – 8:00 p.m.** The Diocesan Night of Confession at every church in the diocese that is able.
 1. **INVITE friends, family and neighbors who have not had a chance to celebrate the sacrament to come back to this renewal and expression of grace.**
 - **PSR Students:** Monday, March 12, 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.
 - **Tuesday, March 13, 7 p.m.** Communal Rite 2
 - **Thursday, March 22:** Saint Clare at 7:00 p.m.
- **TAIZE PRAYER:** Monday, March 26, 7:00 p.m. A holy hour of prayer
- **WORKS OF MERCY:** Call a friend; visit the sick; volunteer in a ministry to share, live your discipleship and faith!
- **AND THOSE OLD PALM BRANCHES:** It's our annual custom to burn our old palm branches for the ashes. If you forgot to bring your palm branch back to church, have no fear! You may bring it back at any time. We invite you to bring them to the central Fickel Narthex or at any time, and we will take care of them for you.
- **ASH WEDNESDAY IS FEBRUARY 14:** This year, as in past years, we have an array of times to help you begin your Lenten journey. Most of our services are with Mass – and the distribution of the ashes follows the homily of the Mass. Masses are at 6:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 12:15 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.

- **SERVICE OF THE WORD, 4:00 PM ASH WEDNESDAY:**
 - Opening Song
 - Collect (Opening Prayer)
 - Reading (of the day from the prophet Joel)
 - Psalm (of the day)
 - Homily on the Word of God (Deacon Joe leading)
 - Blessing and Distribution of Ashes (we will need many helpers to distribute ashes)
 - Music during this time – usher holding baskets for the collection – two of them, one for our parish and the other to help Eastern Europe Churches
 - Closing Prayer and Song

With many ministers to assist Deacon Joe, who is leading this year's service, it would be about 20 – 25 minutes. Thanks for signing up and we look forward to sharing our Lenten journey together.

SAINT PASCHAL BAYLON CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWS

The Catholic Schools Week theme this year focused on the values found in Catholic schools across the country--teaching students to become future servant leaders, faith-filled disciples, and enriched citizens in our communities. These shared qualities are what make Catholic schools succeed. We thank the Saint Paschal Baylon parish community for your generous support of our school through your prayers, volunteer efforts, and contributions as we continue to prepare our students to learn, serve, lead, and succeed! Thank you, also, for taking time out of your busy schedule to visit during Catholic Schools Week. We enjoyed seeing you here.

A Look Ahead:

- Our preschool staff will be attending a two day Early Learner Assessment professional development on Monday, February 12 and Tuesday, February 13. There will be no preschool classes on those two days.
- The LifeAct Program, a program aimed at recognizing depression and preventing suicide and presented by trained instructors and in partnership with University Hospitals system, will be shared with our 7th graders on Tuesday and Thursday.
- Lent begins on Wednesday, February 14. We will celebrate Mass together at 9:00 a.m.
- Mad Science meets after school on Thursday, February 15 and Young Rembrandts on Friday, February 16.

God bless,

Carol L. Jansky, Principal

SAINT PASCHAL BAYLON CATHOLIC SCHOOL SUMMER REINFORCEMENT AND ENRICHMENT PROGRAM

Looking for ways to prevent summer slide or to enrich your child's learning? Registration forms for Saint Paschal Baylon Catholic School's Summer Reinforcement and Enrichment Program can be found under the "Quick Links" tab on the school web page, www.saintpaschal.net. This year we are excited to offer a Technology Enrichment class for grades 2-3, a STEM enrichment class for grades 2-4 and a creative writing class to grades 5-6 in addition to our math, reading, and writing classes for grades 1-6, study skills class for grades 5-6, and kindergarten orientation class. The program runs from July 30th - August 10th with registration due May 25th. Please e-mail Mrs. Moira Popelka with any questions, mpopelka@saintpaschal.com

PSR AND OTHER NEWS FROM THE PEKO'S

Night Prayer: On Monday, February 12th, our 4th grade will lead us in Night Prayer at 7:10 p.m. in the Church. PSR parents, if you cannot join us, please remember that dismissal will be from the Church that evening.

No PSR February 19: Due to the Presidents' Day holiday, there is no PSR on Monday, February 19th. Enjoy the time with your families!

Parish Mission on February 26: While PSR students have regular classes on Monday, February 26th, we invite all PSR parents to attend the Parish Mission in the Church starting at 7:00 p.m. PSR classes will still be from 6:30-7:30 p.m. as usual.

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, March 11th, 11:00 a.m.

CONFIRMATION: Confirmation Pre-Confirmation Interviews Sunday, February 25th: Our next Confirmation session is Sunday, February 25th at 9:00 a.m. in the school. During this session, students will have a chance to talk with their catechist or another adult member of the Church about their questions and expectations for the preparation of Confirmation. Parents and students, you should have received a paper copy of possible topics at the last Confirmation session. An electronic copy was also emailed out. Please make sure you have a pen for our interview session.

Paperwork: Last session, the white "Official Confirmation Registration Form," a copy of the candidate's baptismal certificate, and the sponsor letter were all due. Please submit all late paperwork ASAP.

Service Hours Reminder: A minimum of 20 service hours are required by the Confirmation Retreat on March 18th. Please track all service hours.

Youth Group Requirement: All Confirmation Candidates are required to attend a minimum of 4 Youth Group meetings before being Confirmed.

PARISH ACTIVITIES

THE SACRAMENTS, THE TREASURES OF OUR FAITH: The Spiritual Formation Committee is inviting you to *Save the Date* for our 2018 Lenten Mission. Our Lenten Mission will take place on Monday, February 26, Tuesday, February 27, and Wednesday, February 28 at 7:00 p.m. in the Church. We are pleased to welcome **Fr. Tom McCarthy, O.S.A** as our Mission presenter. Our Mission will end on Wednesday, February 28 followed by a reception in the Eymard Room hosted by our Welcoming Committee. So mark your calendars now! You don't want to miss it.

EYWARD CORNER: We gather to pray, socialize, enjoy good food and enrich our faith. If you have never attended, you may want to see what you are missing at one of SPB's best daytime events. The Eymard Spiritual Group will gather on **TUESDAY February 27, 2018** in the Eymard Room.

11:00 a.m.-Social *11:30 a.m.-St. Peter Julian Eymard Novena * Noon - Potluck Lunch 1:00 p.m.-Guest Speaker: Fr. Tom McCarthy, O.S.A. (Order Of St. Augustine) Appointed To The Pontifical Office For Evangelization
Sacraments and Sacramentals

Fr. Tom McCarthy will be with our parish Lenten Mission speaker and everyone will have the opportunity to hear him speak at the Eymard gathering February 27, 2018. We are familiar with our blessed medals, our rosary, our statue, holy water, oils, candles and much more. Fr. McCarthy will put these precious objects of our lives in perspective and give us insights into their place within our faith community.

The Eymard Spiritual Gatherings give everyone a chance to come together during the daytime to join with fellow parishioners in prayer, food, fellowship and enrichment. Bring a main dish which is greatly needed or a dessert, enough to serve 6-8 and lunch is free; otherwise, a donation of \$5.00 is recommended. Don't forget the popular 50/50 raffle! And bring a friend to share in the joys of an Eymard Gathering.

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. For more information call Jim at 440-944-1552.

Friday, February 16th, Movie Night. We will meet in the parking lot of St. Paschal at 6:45 p.m. and drive to a member's home to watch a movie. Bring a movie you like. RSVP to Karen at karendoubrava@sbcglobal.net

Friday, February 23rd at 7:00 p.m. Join us for our monthly game night at St. Paschal's Family Life Center. Please bring a snack to share, money for pizza, and your favorite game. RSVP to Jim at 440-227-9189
The book club is reading "Weekend Warriors" by Fern Michaels for their March meeting in the St. Paschal's Family Life Center.

AROUND THE DIOCESE

CATHOLIC MEN'S FELLOWSHIP: Men! Want a spiritual jump start? Make plans to attend the 18th annual Catholic Men's Fellowship of Northeast Ohio "Answer the Call" Conference at the centrally located Holiday Inn in Independence. The Saturday, February 24th conference will be a day of dynamic speakers, music, fellowship and much more. The conference begins with a light breakfast at 8:00 a.m. and concludes with 4:00 p.m. Mass. Log onto www.cmfneo.com for more information and to register.

JOIN YOUNG CATHOLIC PROFESSIONALS CLEVELAND as we welcome Bishop Perez! Tuesday, February 13, 6:30-8:30 p.m. John Carroll University, Dolan Science Center. Bishop Perez is eager to meet the young adults of Cleveland. Please help us plan for this FREE event and RSVP at www.ycpcleveland.org. Questions? Email info@ycpcleveland.org.

LENTEN DAY OF PRAYER AT BETHANY RETREAT CENTER in Chardon on Saturday, March 3, 2018 from 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Spaces are limited and the registration deadline is February 17. The suggested donation of \$25.00 includes the day and lunch. Contact Sister M. Jennifer Kramer for further information and to register: jkramer@ndec.org or 440-279-1143.

PASTORAL STAFF: (440) 442-3410

When calling the office, please use the first and last name of the person you are trying to reach! - i.e. "Fr John Christman," or "Father Lane," or "Fr. Roger Bourgeois," etc.

CLERGY:

- **PASTOR:** John Thomas Lane, SSS: jtlanesss@gmail.com, ext 111
- **PAROCHIAL VICAR:** John Christman, SSS: jchristman@blessedsacrament.com, ext 110
- **CHAPLAIN HILLCREST HOSPITAL:** Lito Hitois, SSS: litzky@lycos.com
- **PASTORAL ASSOCIATE FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE:** Joseph Bourgeois, SSS: joeyappythecrown@yahoo.com, ext. 108
- **PASTORAL ASSOCIATE EMERITUS:** Robert Bowers: IMBowers@aol.com, ext. 100

SCHOOL: (440) 442-6766

- **PRINCIPAL:** Carol Jansky: cjansky@saintpaschal.com
- **ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL:** Diane Raguz: draguz@saintpaschal.com

FRONT OFFICE:

- **ADVANCEMENT DIRECTOR:** Barb DiTurno: advancement@saintpaschal.com, ext. 112
- **BUSINESS MANAGER:** Michelle Mazza, mmazza@saintpaschal.com, ext 101
- **COMMUNICATION DIRECTOR:** Kathy Pohlhammer: kathy@saintpaschal.com, ext. 109
- **ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT:** Mary Beth Hallal: bulletin@saintpaschal.com, ext 103
- **RECEPTIONIST & ASSISTANT:** Gigi Peko, parishoffice@saintpaschal.com, ext. 100

MAINTENANCE:

- **SUPERVISOR:** Jon Detzel: ext. 100
- **ASSISTANT SUPERVISOR:** George Glasney, ext. 100
- **CHURCH & FLC:** Labeeb Beggiani: ext. 100
- **PARISH OFFICE & SCHOOL:** Vince Costanzo: vic27@sbcglobal.net, ext. 100
- **2ND SHIFT SCHOOL:** Scott Rutti, ext. 100
- **WEEKEND:** Stephen Ebersole: ext. 100

MUSIC & LITURGY:

- **MUSIC & LITURGY MINISTER:** Tony Ward, music-liturgy@saintpaschal.com, ext. 122
- **SENIOR ACCOMPANIST:** Matt Parrotta: mparrotta@me.com, ext. 100
- **8:00 a.m. MUSIC LEADER:** Roberta Modica: robertamodica@juno.com, ext. 100

PASTORAL MINISTRY:

- **CATECHETICAL LEADERS:** Anna & George Peko, (Baptism, Becoming Catholic & PSR): psr@saintpaschal.com, ext. 107
- **YOUTH MINISTER:** Evamarie Mickol: emickol@saintpaschal.com, Youth Room ext. 113

Blessed Sacrament Community (SSS): (440) 442-3410

- Paul Bernier, SSS, ext. 133
- Allen Boeckman, SSS
- Roger Bourgeois, SSS, Saint Ann Shrine Chaplain, ext. 105
- Gary LaVerdiere, SSS
- Robert Chabot, SSS